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PRELIMINARY COUNTS OF DWELLING UNITS

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DWELLING UNITS IN THE VIRGIN ISLANDS OF THE UNITED STATES APRIL 1, 1950

(The preliminary counts of dwelling units in this report have been compiled in the field office in the Virgin Islands of the United States. Preliminary counts of population may be obtained from the Series PC-4 report for this area. In addition to the continental United States, the 1950 Census of Housing included Alaska, Hawaii, Puerto Rico, and the Virgin Islands of the United States)

On April 1, 1950, there were approximately 8,300 dwelling units in the Virgin Islands of the United States, according to a report issued today by Roy V. Peel, Director, Bureau of the Census, Department of Commerce. In 1940, there were 9,046 dwelling units in this area. The counts for the areas listed below are based on

preliminary field tabulations from the 1950 Census of Housing. The figures may differ from the final verified count of dwelling units because of minor corrections and because the field counts include, in addition to dwelling units, a small number of living quarters which will not be classified as dwelling units in the final tabulations.

Area	Dwelling units	
	1950 (preliminary)	1940
VIRGIN ISLANDS OF THE UNITED STATES....	8,344	9,046
Municipality of St. Croix ¹	4,025	5,061
Frederiksted city.....	718	1,155
Christiansted city.....	1,497	1,688
Municipality of St. Thomas and		
St. John.....	4,319	3,985
St. Thomas Island.....	4,055	3,737
Charlotte Amalie City.....	3,414	3,275
St. John Island.....	264	248

¹ Coextensive with St. Croix Island.