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VALUE OF FARM PRODUCTS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF FARM OPERATOR

Statistics, by color and tenure of farm operator, on the value of farm products sold, traded, or used by farm households. Sample data from the Sixteenth Census were used as a basis for obtaining these statistics. The figures are, therefore, subject to sampling errors.

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