

TERRITORIES AND POSSESSIONS

Chapter 1—Alaska

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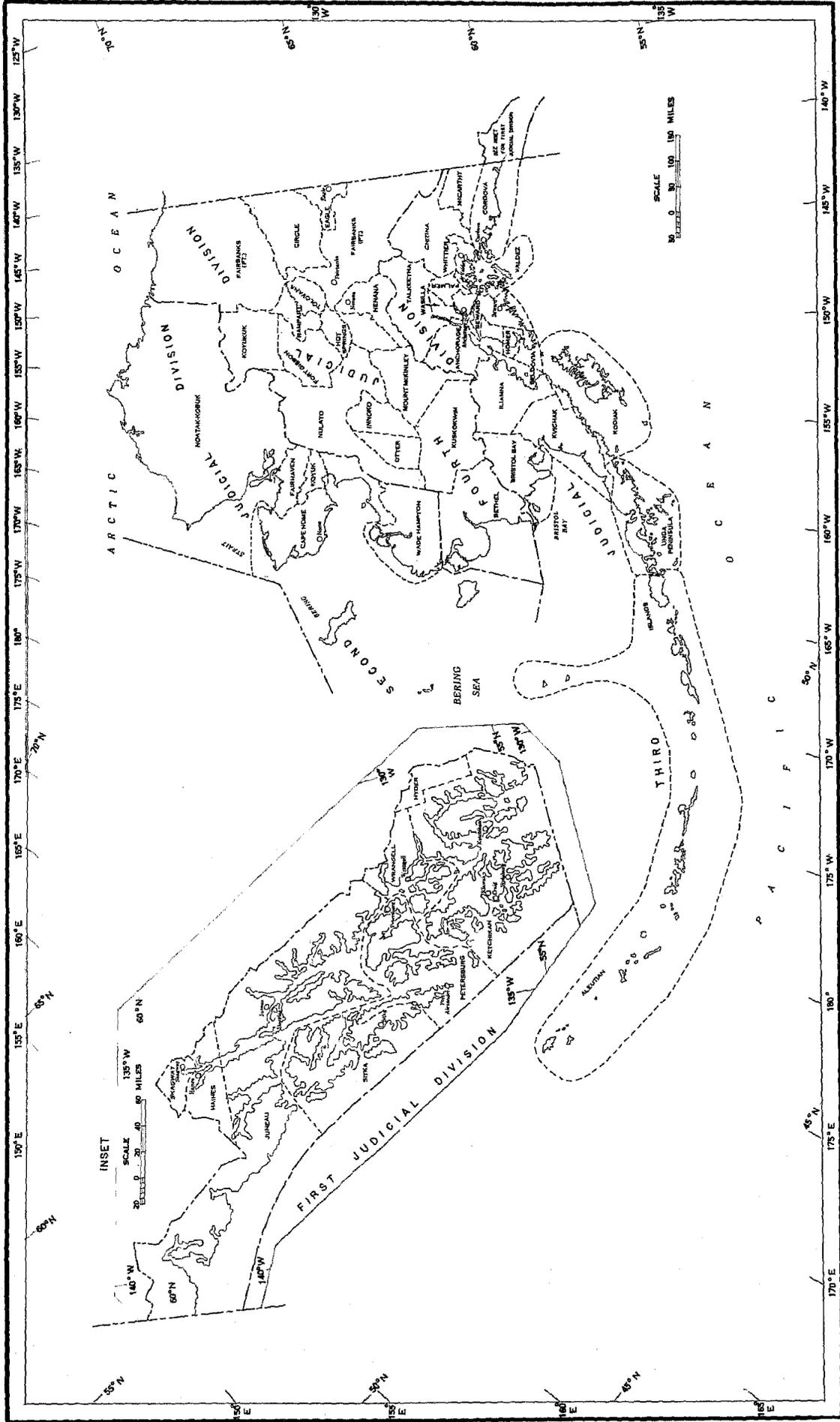
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ALASKA

INTRODUCTION

History of the census of agriculture.—The first United States Census of Agriculture of Alaska was taken in 1900 as part of the twelfth decennial census. Since that date a census of agriculture has been taken in conjunction with the census of population in each decennial enumeration.

Legal basis for the 1950 Census of Agriculture.—Authorization for the 1950 Census of Agriculture was made in the act of Congress, approved June 18, 1929, providing for the fifteenth and subsequent decennial censuses.

The enumeration.—The questionnaire used for the census of population helped the enumerator to obtain an agriculture questionnaire for every place for which one was required. The population questionnaire contained two possible inquiries for every family enumerated. One of these questions was: "Is this house on a farm?" In case the answer was "No," the second was: "Is this house on a place of 3 or more acres?" If the answer to either of these inquiries was "Yes," the Census enumerator was instructed to obtain an agriculture questionnaire from the person in charge of the place. This method of enumeration resulted in the securing of a number of questionnaires not included in the tabulations because they did not meet the criteria established for a farm.

The enumerators in rural areas were instructed to indicate on their maps the location of every dwelling place and farm. This procedure was intended to help the supervisor to ascertain if his enumerators had visited all parts of the enumeration districts assigned them.

Questionnaire used for the 1950 Census of Agriculture.—The agriculture questionnaire contained 117 questions relating to acreage in the place, farm operator characteristics, crops harvested in 1949, livestock and livestock products, value of farm products sold, farm facilities, and farm expenditures.

Presentation of statistics.—This report presents data from the 1950 Census of Agriculture with comparable data from previous censuses. Data are presented for the Territory and for Judicial Divisions.

Comparability of the data.—Comparability of the data may be affected by such factors as the month in which the enumeration was made, the definition of a farm, the wording of the questions, etc. When the comparability is affected to an appreciable extent, mention is made of the differences under the specific item.

DEFINITIONS AND EXPLANATIONS

Definitions and explanations are presented only for those items for which the table descriptions are considered inadequate. The descriptive terms and explanations refer principally to the 1950 Census of Agriculture, although, in general, they are also applicable to the statistics presented for earlier censuses. The definitions consist primarily of a résumé of the questionnaire wording, occasionally supplemented by the more important instructions given to the enumerators. For the exact phrasing of the inquiries and of the instructions included on the questionnaire, reference should be made to the facsimile of the 1950 Agriculture Questionnaire shown in the appendix.

The census date.—The 1950 Census of Agriculture was taken as of April 1, 1950. Enumeration in some areas was started prior to April 1; however, judging by the certification dates entered on

the questionnaires by enumerators, most of the farms were enumerated in April and May. Inventory items relate to April 1. Data on acreage and quantity of crops harvested are for the crop year of 1949. Data on sales relate to crops harvested in the crop year of 1949; data on sales of livestock relate to the calendar year of 1949; data on sales of livestock products relate to the production in the calendar year of 1949. Although the section heading on the questionnaire specified April 1 for all inventory items, the individual inquiries did not refer to any date. Therefore, the replies may represent conditions at the date the questionnaires were filled.

The Census of 1900 was taken as of June 1 and the Censuses of 1910 and 1920 were taken as of January 1. Because of unusual climatic conditions, the wide dispersion of the small population over large areas, and the inaccessibility of certain regions, the fifteenth and sixteenth decennial censuses were taken as of October 1, 1929, and October 1, 1939, respectively.

In the 1939 Census, production and sales of crops and livestock and expenditures related to the 12-month period ending September 30, 1939. In the 1929 Census, the inquiries on production and expenditures specified that the reports should cover the last 12-month period preceding the census date.

A farm.—For the 1950 Census of Agriculture, places of 3 or more acres were counted as farms if the value of agricultural products in 1949, exclusive of home gardens, amounted to \$150 or more. The agricultural products could have been either for home use or for sale. Places of less than 3 acres were counted as farms only if the value of sales of agricultural products in 1949 amounted to \$150 or more. Places operated in 1949 for which the value of agricultural products in 1949 was less than these minima because of crop failure or other unusual situation and places operated in 1950 or 1949 for the first time were counted as farms if normally they could be expected to produce these minimum quantities of farm products.

All the land under the control of one person or partnership was included as one farm. Control may have been through ownership, homestead law, or through lease or rental arrangement.

The Census enumerator was not given the definition of a farm. He was instructed to obtain an agriculture questionnaire for every place that the operator considered a farm, for every place of 3 or more acres whether or not it was considered a farm, and for certain specialized operations regardless of the size of the place. The specialized operations include greenhouses and hot-houses, places with 100 or more poultry or on which 300 or more dozen eggs were produced in 1949, and places with 10 or more fur-bearing animals. Thus, agriculture questionnaires were filled for more places than those that qualified as farms. The determination as to which reports were to be included in the tabulations as representing farms was made during the processing of the questionnaires in Washington. This procedure was followed in order that uniform criteria could be applied.

For the 1939 and earlier censuses of agriculture, the definition of a farm was somewhat more inclusive. Census enumerators were provided with the definition of a farm and were instructed to fill reports only for those places that met the criteria. For the Censuses of 1929 and 1939, farms for census purposes in-

cluded places of 3 or more acres on which there were agricultural operations and places of less than 3 acres with agricultural products for home use or for sale valued at \$250 or more. For places of 3 or more acres, no minimum quantity of agricultural production was required for purposes of enumeration; for places of under 3 acres all the agricultural products valued at \$250 or more may have been for home use or for sale. The only reports excluded from the tabulations were those taken in error and a few with very limited agricultural production, such as a small home garden, a few fruit trees, a very small flock of chickens, or the like.

The definition of a farm in the 1910 and 1920 Censuses was similar to that used in the 1929 and 1939 Censuses but was somewhat more inclusive. In the 1910 and 1920 Censuses farms of less than 3 acres with products valued at less than \$250 were to be included provided they required the continuous services of at least one person. In the definition for the 1900 Census there was no acreage limit. Market, truck, and fruit gardens, greenhouses, and city dairies were to be included provided the entire time of at least one individual was devoted to their care.

Because of changes in price levels, the \$250 limit for value of products for farms under 3 acres may have resulted in the inclusion of varying numbers of farms at the several censuses.

Two questionnaires were used in the censuses of 1900 to 1939. In the censuses of 1910 to 1939 a separate questionnaire was used for the enumeration of livestock not on farms. In 1900, a separate questionnaire was used for the enumeration of livestock on ranges.

Farm operators.—A "farm operator" is a person who operates a farm, either performing the labor himself or directly supervising it. He may be an owner, a hired manager, or a tenant. If he rents land to others, he operates only that land which he retains. In case of a partnership, only one member of the partnership was included as the farm operator. The number of farm operators is considered the same as the number of farms.

Farms reporting or operators reporting.—The term "farms reporting," or "operators reporting," as used in the tables, indicates the number of farms, or farm operators, for which the specified item was reported. For example, if there were 100 farms in a judicial division and only 60 had chickens on hand over 4 months old, the number of farms reporting chickens would be 60. The difference in the total number of farms and the number of farms reporting an item represents the number of farms not having that item, provided the inquiry was answered completely for all farms.

Land owned.—Land owned includes all land in the farm which the operator or his wife, or both, hold under title, purchase contract, homestead law, or as one of the heirs or as a trustee of an undivided estate.

Land rented from others.—Land used rent-free was to be included if the operator had sole use of the land. Also, land rented or leased under other arrangements was included. Public grazing land used without rental was not to be included.

Land in farms.—The acreage designated "land in farms" includes considerable areas of land not actually under cultivation and some land not used for pasture or grazing, but all such land must have been under the control of the operator and considered a part of his farm.

In the 1939 Census the acreages reported for some fur farms were the total areas of islands leased from the government and, although these areas were sometimes far in excess of the acreages necessary for the maintenance of the number of fur animals, cattle, or sheep reported, it was not possible to distribute the acreages between land actually used and land not used. Therefore, the land in farms reported for 1939 far exceeds that reported for 1950.

Land in farms according to use.—Land in farms was classified according to the use made of the land in 1949. These classes of

land are mutually exclusive, i. e., each acre of land was included only once even though it may have had more than one use in 1949. The classes are as follows:

Cropland harvested.—This includes land from which crops were harvested, land from which hay was cut, and land in fruit orchards. Land from which 2 or more crops were harvested was to be counted only once.

Cropland on which crops completely failed.—This includes the land from which no crop was harvested in 1949 because of destruction by frost, flood, drought, hail, insects, fire, or from any cause, or from failure to harvest because of low prices or lack of labor. If a crop was harvested, even though the yield was very low, the land from which the crop was actually harvested was included in the acreage for cropland harvested, not crop failure. The acreage designated as crop failure does not represent the entire acreage of crops that failed, but only that acreage of land in crops that failed which was not successfully replanted to a crop that was harvested in 1949.

Cropland idle.—This item includes cropland which was lying idle or which was in fallow; land which was not pastured or from which no crop of any kind was harvested in 1949.

Cropland pastured.—This includes cropland that was used only for pasture in 1949 which could have been used for crops without additional clearing, draining, or irrigating. Land from which a crop was harvested in 1949 and which was later used for pasture was included under cropland harvested rather than under cropland pastured.

Woodland pastured.—This includes all woodland that was used for pasture or grazing in 1949. No definition of woodland was given to enumerators except an instruction not to include brush pasture as woodland.

Woodland not pastured.—This includes all woodland which was not used for pasture or grazing in 1949.

Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).—This includes rough and brush land pastured and any other land pastured which the respondent did not consider as either woodland or cropland.

Other land.—This item includes all house lots, barn lots, lanes, roads, ditches, and wasteland. It includes all land which does not belong under any of the other land-use classes.

In 1939, data were secured for 4 classes of land based on the use made of the land in 1939, as follows:

Cropland harvested.—Definition same as in 1950.

Cropland not harvested.—This includes cropland from which no crop was harvested in 1939. The land may have been lying idle or in fallow or all crops may have failed.

Pasture land.—This includes all land used only for pasture or grazing in 1939—cropland, woodland, and any land not suitable for crops.

All other land.—This item includes all land in farms which was not used for crops or which was not pastured or grazed or classified as idle or fallow cropland in 1939.

The land-use classification for censuses prior to 1939 differed somewhat from those used in the 1950 and 1939 censuses.

Value of land and buildings.—The value to be reported was the approximate amount for which the land and the buildings on it would sell.

Land area.—The approximate land area reported for 1950 is the same as that reported for the 1939 Census.

Age of operator.—Farm operators were classified by age into six age groups. The average age of farm operators was calculated by dividing the total of the ages of all farm operators reporting age by the number of farm operators reporting.

Off-farm work and other income.—Many farm operators receive a part of their income from sources other than their farms. The 1950 Agriculture Questionnaire included several inquiries relating to work off the farm and nonfarm income. These inquiries called for work off the farm by the farm operator; work off the farm by other members of the operator's family; and income from other sources, such as sale of products from land rented out, cash rent, boarders, old age assistance, pensions, veterans' allowances, unemployment compensation, interest, and help from other members of the operator's family. Another inquiry asked whether the income from off-farm work and other sources was greater than the total value of agricultural products sold from

the farm in 1949. Off-farm work includes work at nonfarm jobs, businesses, or professions whether performed on the farm premises or elsewhere, also work on someone else's farm for pay or wages. Exchange work was not to be included.

The purposes of these four inquiries were (1) to obtain information in regard to the extent that farm operators performed off-farm work and their dependence on other income, and (2) to provide a basis for the classification of farms by economic class (see Farms by economic class, below). The intent of the inquiry in regard to whether or not a member of the family had a non-farm job and the inquiry regarding income of the farm operator from nonfarm sources was to obtain more accurate replies to the inquiry regarding the relationship of the income from off-farm work and other sources to the total value of all agricultural products sold.

Residence of farm operator.—Farm operators were classified by residence on the basis of whether or not they lived on the farm operated. Some of those not living on the farms operated lived on other farms. In a few cases the enumerator failed to indicate the residence of the farm operator. Differences in the figures for total farms and those for operators by residence represent underenumeration of this item.

Years on present farm.—The data on years on present farm were obtained on the basis of the inquiry, "When did you begin to operate this farm? _____". The tabulation for years

(Month) (Year)

on present farm at the 1950 and 1939 censuses is based on the calendar year the operator began operating his farm. Because of differences in the census date the figures are not strictly comparable.

Classification of farms by class of work power.—Farms were grouped by class of work power on the basis of whether horses, mules, or tractors were reported. This classification does not present an entirely accurate picture of the work power used on all farms. For some farms, all the work power may be hired. Thus, farms hiring all the work power from others are shown as having no work power.

Specified facilities.—Information on facilities was obtained in the 1950 Census for the first time. The 1950 Agriculture Questionnaire contained inquiries on the presence on the farm of a milking machine, electricity, and a telephone.

Specified equipment.—The 1950 questionnaire called for the number of motortrucks, automobiles, and wheel tractors other than garden, with the year of newest model for each; and the number of crawler tractors, garden tractors, upright and pit or trench silos, and home freezers. This is the first census in which information was obtained on farm equipment.

Wheel tractors were to include home-made tractors. In reporting motortrucks and automobiles, "pick-ups" and truck-trailer combinations were to be reported as trucks. Jeeps and station wagons were to be included as motortrucks or automobiles depending on whether they were used for hauling or as passenger vehicles.

For farms with two or more motortrucks, automobiles, wheel tractors, respectively, it is not possible to classify the second, third, etc., motortruck, automobile, or tractor since the inquiry was limited to the year of model of the newest unit.

Specified farm expenditures.—Data on farm expenditures were obtained only for selected items. For tenant-operated farms the expenditures were to include those made by the landlord as well as those made by the tenant.

In reporting the amount spent for hired labor only cash payments were to be included. Expenditures for housework and contract construction work were not to be included.

Expenditures for feed were to include the expenditures for pasture, salt, condiments, concentrates, and mineral supplements,

as well as for grain, hay, and millfeeds. Expenditures for grinding and mixing feeds were also to be included. Expenditures made by a tenant to his landlord for feed grown on the land rented by the tenant were not to be included.

Expenditures for purchase of poultry were to include amounts spent for baby chicks, poults, chickens, and turkeys.

Expenditures for purchase of livestock were to include amounts spent for purchase of domestic rabbits and fur-bearing animals kept in captivity, as well as amounts spent for horses, mules, cattle, hogs, sheep, and goats.

Expenditures for fertilizer were to include amounts spent for commercial fertilizers only. Expenditures for liming materials and manure were not to be included.

Farm mortgage debt.—The farm mortgage inquiry on the 1950 Agriculture Questionnaire was to be answered by operating owners only. For both full owners and part owners the information on mortgage debt relates to the total land owned, including land rented to others.

LIVESTOCK

The questionnaire used for the 1950 Census of Agriculture provided for an inventory of all the important kinds of animals and poultry on farms and ranches. The questionnaire called for the number of the various kinds of animals and poultry on the farm as of April 1, 1950. Livestock were to be enumerated on the farm or ranch on which they were located, regardless of ownership.

Livestock products.—The inquiries regarding livestock production relate to the calendar year 1949, and those for sales of livestock relate to the production in 1949.

CROPS

The acreage given for the several crops represents the acres harvested for the crop year of 1949 except that the acreage for land in fruit orchards represents the land in bearing and non-bearing trees on the census date. The figures for quantity harvested represent the amount actually harvested during the 1949 crop year.

CLASSIFICATION OF FARMS

Farms by size.—Farms were classified by size according to the total land area of each farm. In analyzing size-of-farm statistics, consideration should be given to the definition of a farm for census purposes. Census farms are essentially operating units, not ownership tracts. If a landowner has tenants, the land assigned each tenant is a separate farm.

Farms by tenure of operator.—Farm operators were classified according to the tenure under which they operated their farms.

Full owners own or homestead all the land they operate.

Part owners own or homestead a part of the land they operate and rent the remainder from others.

Managers operate farms for others and are paid a wage or salary for their services. Persons acting merely as caretakers or hired as laborers are not classified as managers. If a farm operator managed land for others and also operated land on his own account, the land operated on his own account was considered one farm and the land managed for others, a second farm. In the 1950 Census, if a farm operator managed land for two or more employers, all the land managed was considered one farm.

Tenants rent from others all the land they operate.

Farms by economic class.—A classification of farms by economic class was made for the purpose of segregating groups of farms that are somewhat alike in their characteristics. This classification was made in order to present an accurate description of the farms in each class and in order to provide basic data for an analysis of the organization of Alaskan agriculture.

The classification of farms by economic class was made on the basis of three factors; namely, total value of all farm products sold, number of days the farm operator worked off the farm and the relationship of the income received by the operator and members of his family from nonfarm sources to the value of all farm products sold.

In making the classification of farms by economic class, farms have been grouped into two major groups, namely, commercial farms and other farms. In general, all farms with a value of sales of farm products amounting to \$1,200 or more were classified as commercial. Farms with a value of sales of \$250 to \$1,199 were classified as commercial only if the farm operator worked off the farm less than 100 days and the income which the farm operator and members of his family received from nonfarm sources was less than the total value of all farm products sold. Farms with a value of sales of all farm products of less than \$250 were classified as "other."

Commercial farms have been divided into six groups on the basis of the total value of farm products sold, as follows:

Class	Value of farm products sold (Dollars)
I	25,000 or more
II	10,000 to 24,999
III	5,000 to 9,999
IV	2,500 to 4,999
V	1,200 to 2,499
VI	*250 to 1,199

*Provided the farm operator worked off the farm less than 100 days and provided the income the farm operator and members of his family received from nonfarm sources was less than the value of all farm products sold.

Other farms have been grouped into three classes, as follows:

Part-time farms.—Farms with a value of sales of farm products of \$250 to \$1,199 were classified as part-time provided the farm operator reported (1) 100 or more days of work off the farm in 1949, or (2) the nonfarm income received by him and members of his family was greater than the value of farm products sold.

Residential.—Residential farms include all farms except abnormal farms with a total value of sales of farm products of less than \$250. Some of these represent farms on which the operator worked off the farm more than 100 days in 1949. Some represent farms on which the income from nonfarm sources was greater than the value of sales of farm products. Others represent subsistence and marginal farms of various kinds.

Abnormal farms.—Insofar as it was possible to identify them, abnormal farms include experiment station farms, and farms operated in 1950 or 1949 for the first time for which no sales were reported.

Farms by type.—The classification of farms by type was made on the basis of the relationship of the value of sales from a particular source or sources to the total value of all farm products sold from the farm. In some cases the type of farm was determined on the basis of the sale of an individual farm product, such as potatoes or on the basis of closely related products, such as dairy products. In other cases, the type was determined on the basis of sales of a broader group of products, such as potatoes and vegetables. Part-time, residential, and abnormal farms were not classified by type. Only commercial farms were classified by type. In order to be classified as a particular type, sales or anticipated sales of a product or a group of products had to represent 50 percent or more of the total value of products sold from the farm. The types of farm for which data are shown, together with the product or group of products that had to represent 50 percent or more of the total sales for the farm to be classified, are as follows:

Type	Product or group of products amounting to 50 percent or more of the value of all farm products sold
Potato	Potatoes.
Vegetable	Vegetables.

Potato—vegetable	Potatoes and vegetables.
Dairy	Milk and other dairy products. The criterion of 50 percent of the total sales was modified in the case of dairy farms. A farm on which the milk and other dairy products accounted for 30 percent or more, but less than 50 percent, of the total sales and on which milk cows represented 50 percent or more of all cows and the sales of dairy products, together with the sales of cattle amounted to 50 percent or more of the total sales was classified as a dairy farm.
Hog	Hogs and pigs.
Sheep	Sheep and lambs.
Fur	Foxes, mink, and other fur animals kept in captivity.
Poultry	Chickens, eggs, and other poultry products.
Livestock farms other than dairy, hog, sheep, fur, and poultry farms.	Cattle, calves, goats, mohair, goat milk, and products from animals slaughtered on the farm provided the farm could not classify as a dairy farm.
General	Farms were classified as general when the value of products from one source or group of sources did not represent as much as 50 percent of the total of the value of all farm products sold.

Miscellaneous and unclassified farms. This group represents farms that were not classified by type. It includes part-time, residential, and abnormal farms. It also includes miscellaneous types of commercial farms if 50 percent or more of the total value of products sold was accounted for by the sale of greenhouse products, the sale of horses, or the sale of forest products.

Value of farm products sold.—The value of farm products sold, as obtained in the 1950 Census of Agriculture, represents the approximate total of the gross cash income of farms. Gross sales by farmers, however, are greater than the gross income to agriculture because of the inclusion of inter-farm sales.

Enumerators were instructed to include as sold any part of a crop that was yet to be sold. Trades, such as trading of eggs, were considered the same as cash sales. Products purchased for immediate resale were not included because this was not considered farm production.

For many farms the sales enumerated do not represent their total gross cash income because certain sales were excluded and there was no provision for enumerating unusual sources of income. For example, sales of baby chicks, and income received by the farm operator for off-farm work and from investments are not included.

In general, the value of the sales of livestock and livestock products and forest products is for the calendar year 1949. On the other hand, the value of crops sold is for the crop year immediately preceding the census.

The value of the sales of each farm product was usually obtained in connection with the enumeration of the production of that particular item. In some cases, related farm products were grouped for the purpose of obtaining the value of products sold; for example meat, hides, and other products from animals butchered were included as a group.

Enumerators were instructed to report gross sales without deduction of expenses of any kind.

JUDICIAL DIVISIONS

Table 1.—FARMS, FARM ACREAGE, AND VALUE OF FARMS FOR THE TERRITORY: CENSUSES OF 1900 TO 1950

Item (For definitions and explanations, see text)	Census of 1950 (April 1)	Census of 1939 (October 1)	Census of 1929 (October 1)	Census of 1920 (January 1)	Census of 1910 (January 1)	Census of 1900 (June 1)
Farms.....number..	525	623	500	364	222	12
All land in farms.....acres..	421,799	1,775,752	525,942	90,652	42,544	159
Average size of farm.....	803.4	2,850.3	1,051.9	249.0	191.6	13.3
Cropland harvested.....acres..	6,450	7,305	3,875	4,473	(*)	1 ¹⁰⁴
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....acres..	3,486	4,027	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)
Pasture land.....acres..	366,028	616,396	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)
All other land.....acres..	45,835	1,148,024	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)
Value of land and buildings.....dollars..	6,543,970	3,841,045	2,857,185	1,211,685	867,638	(²)
Average value per farm.....dollars..	12,465	6,165	5,714	3,329	3,908	(²)
Average value per acre.....dollars..	15.51	2.16	5.43	13.37	20.39	(²)

* Not available.
¹ Acres of all crops.
² No titles to land in 1900.

Table 2.—NUMBER OF FARMS, FARM ACREAGE, AND VALUE OF FARMS, BY SIZE OF FARM, FOR THE TERRITORY: CENSUSES OF 1900 TO 1950

Item and size group (For definitions and explanations, see text)	Census of 1950 (April 1)	Census of 1939 (October 1)	Census of 1929 (October 1)	Census of 1920 (January 1)	Census of 1910 (January 1)	Census of 1900 (June 1)
Farms, total.....number..	525	623	500	364	222	12
Under 3 acres.....number..	10	16	50	(*)	(*)	5
3 to 9 acres.....number..	48	59	38	47	(*)	3
10 to 19 acres.....number..	19	24	23	(*)	(*)	(*)
20 to 49 acres.....number..	58	86	36	15	(*)	4
50 to 99 acres.....number..	81	117	37	15	(*)	(*)
100 to 174 acres.....number..	231	190	156	128	(*)	(*)
175 to 259 acres.....number..	32	26	17	148	(*)	(*)
260 to 499 acres.....number..	32	45	71	(*)	(*)	(*)
500 to 999 acres.....number..	10	17	27	7	(*)	(*)
1,000 acres and over.....number..	4	43	45	4	(*)	(*)
All land in farms, total.....acres..	421,799	1,775,752	525,942	90,652	42,544	159
Under 3 acres.....acres..	13	18	62	(*)	(*)	5
3 to 9 acres.....acres..	232	289	171	207	(*)	13
10 to 19 acres.....acres..	242	306	315	(*)	(*)	(*)
20 to 49 acres.....acres..	2,185	3,288	1,284	525	(*)	141
50 to 99 acres.....acres..	6,047	8,403	2,631	1,011	(*)	(*)
100 to 174 acres.....acres..	34,000	28,295	23,630	19,880	(*)	(*)
175 to 259 acres.....acres..	6,721	5,459	3,602	45,425	(*)	(*)
260 to 499 acres.....acres..	10,455	15,041	24,130	(*)	(*)	(*)
500 to 999 acres.....acres..	6,804	11,073	16,371	4,730	(*)	(*)
1,000 acres and over.....acres..	355,100	1,703,580	453,746	18,874	(*)	(*)
Cropland harvested, total.....acres..	6,450	7,305	3,875	4,473	(*)	1 ¹⁰⁴
Under 3 acres.....acres..	1	5	10	(*)	(*)	(*)
3 to 9 acres.....acres..	20	46	34	(*)	(*)	(*)
10 to 19 acres.....acres..	30	53	70	(*)	(*)	(*)
20 to 49 acres.....acres..	273	820	95	(*)	(*)	(*)
50 to 99 acres.....acres..	819	1,870	228	(*)	(*)	(*)
100 to 174 acres.....acres..	1,995	2,149	1,566	(*)	(*)	(*)
175 to 259 acres.....acres..	1,195	630	100	(*)	(*)	(*)
260 to 499 acres.....acres..	856	950	1,205	(*)	(*)	(*)
500 to 999 acres.....acres..	956	157	267	(*)	(*)	(*)
1,000 acres and over.....acres..	305	625	300	(*)	(*)	(*)
Value of land and buildings, total.....dollars..	6,543,970	3,841,045	2,857,185	1,211,685	867,638	(²)
Under 3 acres.....dollars..	114,000	66,400	(*)	(*)	(*)	(²)
3 to 9 acres.....dollars..	245,143	229,220	(*)	94,950	(*)	(²)
10 to 19 acres.....dollars..	189,050	52,540	(*)	(*)	(*)	(²)
20 to 49 acres.....dollars..	373,588	381,900	(*)	28,500	(*)	(²)
50 to 99 acres.....dollars..	678,022	620,845	(*)	36,695	(*)	(²)
100 to 174 acres.....dollars..	2,241,675	1,106,018	(*)	350,700	(*)	(²)
175 to 259 acres.....dollars..	420,150	192,433	(*)	(*)	(*)	(²)
260 to 499 acres.....dollars..	461,502	614,777	(*)	540,540	(*)	(²)
500 to 999 acres.....dollars..	648,040	95,502	(*)	96,500	(*)	(²)
1,000 acres and over.....dollars..	1,172,800	481,410	(*)	63,800	(*)	(²)

* Not available.
¹ Acres of all crops.
² No titles to land in 1900.

Table 3.—FARM MORTGAGE DEBT OF FULL OWNERS AND PART OWNERS: CENSUSES OF 1950 AND 1920

Item (For definitions and explanations, see text)	Census of 1950	Census of 1920	Item (For definitions and explanations, see text)	Census of 1950	Census of 1920
All farms operated by owners.....number..	495	345	Farms operated by part owners.....number..	50	(*)
Reported free from mortgage.....number..	179	251	Reported free from mortgage.....number..	14	(*)
Reported mortgaged.....number..	128	11	Land owned.....acres..	2,505	(*)
Proportion mortgaged.....percent..	25.9	3.2	Value of land and buildings.....dollars..	283,934	(*)
No mortgage report.....number..	188	83	Average value per farm.....dollars..	20,281	(*)
Farms operated by full owners.....number..	445	(*)	Reported mortgaged.....number..	29	(*)
Reported free from mortgage.....number..	165	(*)	Proportion mortgaged.....percent..	58.0	(*)
Land owned.....acres..	22,513	(*)	Land owned.....acres..	4,513	(*)
Value of land and buildings.....dollars..	1,756,486	(*)	Value of land and buildings.....dollars..	360,565	(*)
Average value per farm.....dollars..	10,645	(*)	Amount of mortgage debt.....dollars..	105,990	(*)
Reported mortgaged.....number..	99	(*)	Average debt per farm.....dollars..	3,655	(*)
Proportion mortgaged.....percent..	22.2	(*)	Ratio of debt to value.....percent..	29.4	(*)
Land owned.....acres..	11,641	(*)			
Value of land and buildings.....dollars..	1,123,580	(*)			
Average value per farm.....dollars..	11,349	(*)			
Amount of mortgage debt.....dollars..	361,850	(*)			
Average equity per farm.....dollars..	7,694	(*)			
Average debt per farm.....dollars..	3,655	(*)			
Ratio of debt to value.....percent..	32.2	(*)			

*Not available.

Table 4.—FARMS, FARM ACREAGE, AND VALUE OF FARMS, BY JUDICIAL DIVISIONS: CENSUSES OF 1950 AND 1939

Item (For definitions and explanations, see text)	Alaska total	Judicial divisions		
		First	Second and Fourth	Third
Farms.....number 1950..	525	68	86	371
.....number 1939..	623	166	56	401
Approximate land area.....acres 1950..	365,481,600	22,010,240	252,571,520	90,899,840
All land in farms.....acres 1950..	421,799	4,149	16,477	401,173
.....acres 1939..	1,775,752	34,774	13,014	1,727,964
Proportion of land area.....percent 1950..	0.1	(¹)	(¹)	0.4
.....percent 1939..	0.5	0.2	(¹)	1.9
Average size of farm.....acres 1950..	803.4	61.0	191.6	1,081.3
.....acres 1939..	2,850.3	209.5	232.4	4,309.1
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949..	310	30	48	232
.....acres 1949..	6,450	351	1,065	5,034
.....acres 1939..	7,305	585	1,325	5,395
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....acres 1949..	3,486	307	935	2,244
.....acres 1939..	4,027	605	1,005	2,417
Cropland on which crops completely failed.....farms reporting 1949..	47	5	11	31
.....acres 1949..	248	10	54	184
Cropland idle or fallow.....farms reporting 1949..	203	14	33	156
.....acres 1949..	3,238	297	881	2,060
Cropland pastured.....farms reporting 1949..	127	8	16	103
.....acres 1949..	2,449	227	251	1,971
Woodland, total.....farms reporting 1949..	455	48	74	333
.....acres 1949..	42,825	2,215	10,171	30,439
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949..	119	13	9	97
.....acres 1949..	7,108	556	653	5,899
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949..	392	41	71	280
.....acres 1949..	35,717	1,659	9,518	24,540
All other land.....farms reporting 1949..	336	38	54	244
.....acres 1949..	366,589	1,049	4,055	361,485
Pastured.....farms reporting 1949..	74	10	12	52
.....acres 1949..	356,471	428	1,162	354,881
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949..	303	29	46	228
.....acres 1949..	10,118	621	2,893	6,604
Land cleared since 1945.....farms reporting 1950..	302	18	65	219
.....acres 1950..	2,637	57	876	1,704
Woodland suitable for clearing for use for crops.....farms reporting 1950..	390	21	65	304
.....acres 1950..	26,652	674	7,259	18,719
Value of land and buildings.....dollars 1950..	6,543,970	627,608	1,256,408	4,659,954
.....dollars 1939..	3,841,045	858,130	634,872	2,348,043
Average value per farm.....dollars 1950..	12,465	9,215	14,609	12,561
.....dollars 1939..	6,165	5,169	11,337	5,855
Average value per acre.....dollars 1950..	15.51	151.27	76.25	11.62
.....dollars 1939..	2.16	24.68	48.78	1.36

¹ Less than one-tenth of 1 percent.

Table 6.—NUMBER OF FARMS, FARM ACREAGE AND VALUE OF FARMS, BY SIZE OF FARM, BY JUDICIAL DIVISIONS: CENSUSES OF 1950 AND 1939

Item and size group (For definitions and explanations, see text)	Alaska total	Judicial divisions		
		First	Second and Fourth	Third
All farms, total.....number 1950..	525	68	86	371
.....number 1939..	623	166	56	401
Under 3 acres.....number 1950..	10	6	2	2
.....number 1939..	16	8	5	3
3 to 9 acres.....number 1950..	48	21	1	26
.....number 1939..	59	30	6	23
10 to 19 acres.....number 1950..	19	3	3	13
.....number 1939..	24	12	1	11
20 to 49 acres.....number 1950..	58	12	4	42
.....number 1939..	86	20	4	62
20 to 29 acres.....number 1950..	10	4	.....	6
30 to 49 acres.....number 1950..	48	8	4	36
50 to 99 acres.....number 1950..	81	7	10	64
.....number 1939..	117	22	2	93
50 to 69 acres.....number 1950..	22	4	3	15
70 to 99 acres.....number 1950..	59	3	7	49
100 to 174 acres.....number 1950..	231	15	53	163
.....number 1939..	190	41	21	128
100 to 139 acres.....number 1950..	63	7	6	50
140 to 174 acres.....number 1950..	168	8	47	113
175 to 259 acres.....number 1950..	32	2	3	27
.....number 1939..	26	9	.....	17
175 to 179 acres.....number 1950..	2	.....	.....	2
180 to 219 acres.....number 1950..	17	1	1	15
220 to 259 acres.....number 1950..	13	1	2	10
260 to 499 acres.....number 1950..	32	2	5	25
.....number 1939..	45	10	13	22
500 to 999 acres.....number 1950..	10	.....	4	6
.....number 1939..	17	4	.....	13
1,000 acres and over.....number 1950..	4	.....	1	3
.....number 1939..	43	10	4	29
All land in farms, total.....acres 1950..	421,799	4,149	16,477	401,173
.....acres 1939..	1,775,752	34,774	13,014	1,727,964
Under 3 acres.....acres 1950..	13	8	2	3
.....acres 1939..	18	10	4	4
3 to 9 acres.....acres 1950..	232	100	5	127
.....acres 1939..	289	160	25	104
10 to 19 acres.....acres 1950..	242	39	47	156
.....acres 1939..	306	152	10	144
20 to 49 acres.....acres 1950..	2,185	435	158	1,592
.....acres 1939..	3,288	710	102	2,476
20 to 29 acres.....acres 1950..	229	95	.....	134
30 to 49 acres.....acres 1950..	1,956	340	158	1,458
50 to 99 acres.....acres 1950..	6,047	487	725	4,835
.....acres 1939..	8,403	1,529	132	6,742
50 to 69 acres.....acres 1950..	1,255	233	172	850
70 to 99 acres.....acres 1950..	4,792	254	553	3,985
100 to 174 acres.....acres 1950..	34,000	2,012	8,137	23,851
.....acres 1939..	28,295	5,945	3,259	19,091
100 to 139 acres.....acres 1950..	7,395	799	658	5,938
140 to 174 acres.....acres 1950..	26,605	1,213	7,479	17,913
175 to 259 acres.....acres 1950..	6,721	417	658	5,646
.....acres 1939..	5,459	1,864	.....	3,595
175 to 179 acres.....acres 1950..	351	.....	.....	351
180 to 219 acres.....acres 1950..	3,266	187	200	2,879
220 to 259 acres.....acres 1950..	3,104	230	458	2,416
260 to 499 acres.....acres 1950..	10,455	651	1,548	8,256
.....acres 1939..	15,041	3,233	4,424	7,384
500 to 999 acres.....acres 1950..	6,804	.....	3,097	3,707
.....acres 1939..	11,073	2,656	.....	8,417
1,000 acres and over.....acres 1950..	355,100	.....	2,100	353,000
.....acres 1939..	1,703,580	18,515	5,058	1,680,007
Cropland harvested, total.....acres 1949..	6,450	351	1,065	5,034
.....acres 1939..	7,305	585	1,325	5,395
Under 3 acres.....acres 1949..	1	.....	.....	1
.....acres 1939..	5	2	.....	3
3 to 9 acres.....acres 1949..	20	4	4	12
.....acres 1939..	46	13	17	16
10 to 19 acres.....acres 1949..	30	5	5	20
.....acres 1939..	53	16	10	27
20 to 49 acres.....acres 1949..	273	9	2	262
.....acres 1939..	820	26	29	765
20 to 29 acres.....acres 1949..	12	4	.....	8
30 to 49 acres.....acres 1949..	261	5	2	254
50 to 99 acres.....acres 1949..	819	74	47	698
.....acres 1939..	1,870	82	5	1,783
50 to 69 acres.....acres 1949..	173	4	15	154
70 to 99 acres.....acres 1949..	646	70	32	544
100 to 174 acres.....acres 1949..	1,995	107	147	1,741
.....acres 1939..	2,149	295	300	1,554
100 to 139 acres.....acres 1949..	933	67	47	819
140 to 174 acres.....acres 1949..	1,062	40	100	922
175 to 259 acres.....acres 1949..	1,195	111	53	1,031
.....acres 1939..	630	48	.....	582
175 to 179 acres.....acres 1949..	107	.....	.....	107
180 to 219 acres.....acres 1949..	757	51	45	661
220 to 259 acres.....acres 1949..	331	60	8	263
260 to 499 acres.....acres 1949..	856	41	103	712
.....acres 1939..	950	95	444	411
500 to 999 acres.....acres 1949..	956	.....	429	527
.....acres 1939..	157	3	154
1,000 acres and overacres 1949..	305	275	30
.....acres 1939..	625	5	520	100

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Table 6.—NUMBER OF FARMS, FARM ACREAGE AND VALUE OF FARMS, BY SIZE OF FARM, BY JUDICIAL DIVISIONS: CENSUSES OF 1950 AND 1939—Continued

Item and size group (For definitions and explanations, see text)	Alaska total	Judicial divisions		
		First	Second and Fourth	Third
Woodland, total.....acres 1949..	42,825	2,215	10,171	30,439
Under 3 acres.....acres 1949..	3	3		
3 to 9 acres.....acres 1949..	138	56		82
10 to 19 acres.....acres 1949..	103	10		93
20 to 29 acres.....acres 1949..	136	71		65
30 to 49 acres.....acres 1949..	1,189	297	133	759
50 to 69 acres.....acres 1949..	720	155	134	431
70 to 99 acres.....acres 1949..	2,854	80	355	2,419
100 to 139 acres.....acres 1949..	4,275	262	490	3,523
140 to 174 acres.....acres 1949..	18,521	726	5,053	12,742
175 to 179 acres.....acres 1949..	195			195
180 to 219 acres.....acres 1949..	1,716	136	150	1,430
220 to 259 acres.....acres 1949..	1,591		250	1,341
260 to 499 acres.....acres 1949..	6,257	419	928	4,910
500 to 999 acres.....acres 1949..	3,502		1,053	2,449
1,000 acres and over.....acres 1949..	1,625		1,625	
Woodland suitable for clearing for use for crops, total.....farms reporting 1949..	390	21	65	304
.....acres 1949..	26,658	674	7,259	18,725
Under 3 acres.....farms reporting 1949..	1	1		
.....acres 1949..	2			
3 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949..	24	4		20
.....acres 1949..	80	12		68
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949..	10			10
.....acres 1949..	75			75
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949..	6	2		4
.....acres 1949..	64	17		47
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949..	36	3	4	29
.....acres 1949..	659	32	109	518
50 to 69 acres.....farms reporting 1949..	14	2	1	11
.....acres 1949..	486	58	40	388
70 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949..	46		7	39
.....acres 1949..	1,717		355	1,362
100 to 139 acres.....farms reporting 1949..	48	3	4	41
.....acres 1949..	2,543	178	368	1,997
140 to 174 acres.....farms reporting 1949..	146	5	40	101
.....acres 1949..	12,807	295	3,935	8,577
175 to 179 acres.....farms reporting 1949..	2			2
.....acres 1949..	120			120
180 to 219 acres.....farms reporting 1949..	12		1	11
.....acres 1949..	778		150	628
220 to 259 acres.....farms reporting 1949..	10		2	8
.....acres 1949..	914		250	664
260 to 499 acres.....farms reporting 1949..	26	1	3	22
.....acres 1949..	3,780	80	647	3,053
500 to 999 acres.....farms reporting 1949..	8		2	6
.....acres 1949..	1,633		405	1,228
1,000 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949..	1		1	
.....acres 1949..	1,000		1,000	
Value of land and buildings, total.....dollars 1950..	6,543,970	627,608	1,256,408	4,659,954
.....dollars 1939..	3,841,045	858,130	634,872	2,348,043
Under 3 acres.....dollars 1950..	114,000	55,000	35,000	24,000
.....dollars 1939..	66,400	40,700	4,700	21,000
3 to 9 acres.....dollars 1950..	245,143	141,243	1,500	102,400
.....dollars 1939..	229,220	136,555	9,700	82,965
10 to 19 acres.....dollars 1950..	189,050	14,500	21,900	152,650
.....dollars 1939..	52,540	25,625	500	26,415
20 to 49 acres.....dollars 1950..	373,588	69,250	38,288	266,050
.....dollars 1939..	381,900	88,550	12,600	280,750
20 to 29 acres.....dollars 1950..	45,700	13,500		32,200
30 to 49 acres.....dollars 1950..	327,888	55,750	38,288	233,850
50 to 99 acres.....dollars 1950..	678,022	106,500	116,000	455,522
.....dollars 1939..	620,845	90,130	7,700	523,015
50 to 69 acres.....dollars 1950..	233,835	32,500	58,000	143,335
70 to 99 acres.....dollars 1950..	444,187	74,000	58,000	312,187
100 to 174 acres.....dollars 1950..	2,241,675	136,775	424,700	1,680,200
.....dollars 1939..	1,106,018	288,760	269,590	547,668
100 to 139 acres.....dollars 1950..	647,975	54,625	36,000	557,350
140 to 174 acres.....dollars 1950..	1,593,700	82,150	388,700	1,122,850
175 to 259 acres.....dollars 1950..	420,150	88,040	27,400	304,710
.....dollars 1939..	192,433	50,278		142,155
175 to 179 acres.....dollars 1950..	27,365			27,365
180 to 219 acres.....dollars 1950..	167,765	8,040	8,400	151,325
220 to 259 acres.....dollars 1950..	225,020	80,000	19,000	126,020
260 to 499 acres.....dollars 1950..	461,502	16,300	85,620	359,582
.....dollars 1939..	614,777	77,900	201,500	335,377
500 to 999 acres.....dollars 1950..	648,040		446,000	202,040
.....dollars 1939..	95,502	4,522		90,980
1,000 acres and over.....dollars 1950..	1,172,800		60,000	1,112,800
.....dollars 1939..	481,410	55,110	128,582	297,718

Table 7.—FARMS BY TENURE OF OPERATOR, BY JUDICIAL DIVISIONS: CENSUSES OF 1950 AND 1939

Item and tenure group (For definitions and explanations, see text)	Alaska total	Judicial divisions		
		First	Second and Fourth	Third
Farms operated by—				
Full owners.....number	1950.. 445	59	77	309
	1939.. 397	87	42	268
Part owners.....number	1950.. 50	3	5	42
	1939.. 74	5	2	67
Managers.....number	1950.. 10	1	1	8
	1939.. 27	9	1	17
All tenants.....number	1950.. 20	5	3	12
	1939.. 125	65	11	49
Land in farms operated by—				
Full owners, total.....acres	1950.. 53,105	3,496	12,494	37,115
	1939.. 43,522	6,035	7,377	30,110
Owned.....farms reporting	1950.. 327	47	44	236
	acres 1950.. 39,191	2,663	7,884	28,644
Homesteaded.....farms reporting	1950.. 151	16	55	80
	acres 1950.. 13,914	833	4,610	8,471
Part owners, total.....acres	1950.. 9,405	224	1,377	7,804
	1939.. 8,044	767	352	6,925
Owned.....farms reporting	1950.. 47	2	3	42
	acres 1950.. 7,447	170	982	6,295
Homesteaded.....farms reporting	1950.. 4	1	2	1
	acres 1950.. 355	5	270	80
Rented from others.....farms reporting	1950.. 50	3	5	42
	acres 1950.. 1,603	49	125	1,429
Managers.....acres	1950.. 157,152	160	2,100	154,892
	1939.. 526,619	589	2,058	523,972
All tenants.....acres	1950.. 202,137	269	506	201,362
	1939.. 1,197,567	27,383	3,227	1,166,957
Cropland harvested in farms operated by—				
Full owners.....farms reporting	1949.. 248	24	42	182
	acres 1949.. 3,883	284	367	3,232
	1939.. 4,130	463	813	2,854
Part owners.....farms reporting	1949.. 47	3	4	40
	acres 1949.. 2,032	55	422	1,555
	1939.. 2,149	65	74	2,010
Managers.....farms reporting	1949.. 6	1	1	4
	acres 1949.. 415	9	275	131
	1939.. 739	26	320	393
All tenants.....farms reporting	1949.. 9	2	1	6
	acres 1949.. 120	3	1	116
	1939.. 287	32	117	138
Value of land and buildings for farms operated by—				
Full owners.....dollars	1950.. 4,210,149	584,318	944,508	2,681,323
	1939.. 2,228,758	549,505	498,990	1,180,263
Part owners.....dollars	1950.. 836,934	19,540	226,600	590,794
	1939.. 564,761	43,850	11,600	509,311
Managers.....dollars	1950.. 1,181,800	15,000	60,000	1,106,800
	1939.. 486,133	64,230	50,000	371,903
All tenants.....dollars	1950.. 315,087	8,750	25,300	281,037
	1939.. 561,393	199,545	75,282	286,566

Table 8.—NUMBER OF FARM OPERATORS, BY YEARS ON FARM, BY TENURE OF OPERATOR, BY JUDICIAL DIVISIONS: CENSUSES OF 1950 AND 1939

Item (For definitions and explanations, see text)	Alaska total	Judicial divisions		
		First	Second and Fourth	Third
All farm operators reporting years on farm.....	1950.. 510 1939.. 600	65 158	83 54	362 388
1 year or less.....	1950.. 122 1939.. 37	5 11	17 2	100 24
2 years.....	1950.. 115 1939.. 116	10 33	27 11	78 72
3 to 5 years.....	1950.. 101 1939.. 166	14 21	17 5	70 140
6 to 10 years.....	1950.. 45 1939.. 91	10 31	7 7	28 53
Over 10 years.....	1950.. 127 1939.. 190	26 62	15 29	86 99
Not reporting years on farm.....	1950.. 15 1939.. 23	3 8	3 2	9 13
Owners reporting years on farm.....	1950.. 483 1939.. 455	59 85	80 43	344 327
1 year or less.....	1950.. 109 1939.. 20	5 2	15	89 18
2 years.....	1950.. 111 1939.. 81	10 17	27 6	74 58
3 to 5 years.....	1950.. 98 1939.. 150	13 13	16 5	69 132
6 to 10 years.....	1950.. 43 1939.. 65	9 14	7 7	27 44
Over 10 years.....	1950.. 122 1939.. 139	22 39	15 25	85 75
Not reporting years on farm.....	1950.. 12 1939.. 16	3 7	2 1	7 8
Managers reporting years on farm.....	1950.. 8 1939.. 27	1 9	1 1	6 17
1 year or less.....	1950.. 4 1939.. 5	3		4 2
2 years.....	1950.. 1 1939.. 8	3	1	1 4
3 to 5 years.....	1950.. 2 1939.. 5		1	1 5
6 to 10 years.....	1950.. 1939.. 2			..... 2
Over 10 years.....	1950.. 1 1939.. 7	1 3		..... 4
Not reporting years on farm.....	1950.. 2 1939.. .....			..... 2
Tenants reporting years on farm.....	1950.. 19 1939.. 118	5 64	2 10	12 44
1 year or less.....	1950.. 9 1939.. 12	..... 6	2 2	7 4
2 years.....	1950.. 3 1939.. 27	..... 13	..... 4	..... 10
3 to 5 years.....	1950.. 1 1939.. 11	1 8	.....	..... 3
6 to 10 years.....	1950.. 2 1939.. 24	1 17	.....	1 7
Over 10 years.....	1950.. 4 1939.. 44	3 20	..... 4	..... 1 20
Not reporting years on farm.....	1950.. 1 1939.. 7	..... 1	1 1	..... 5

Table 9.—FARMS CLASSIFIED BY TOTAL VALUE OF FARM PRODUCTS SOLD, BY TYPE OF FARM, AND BY ECONOMIC CLASS; AND VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD BY SOURCE, BY JUDICIAL DIVISIONS: CENSUS OF 1950

Item (For definitions and explanations, see text)	Alaska total	Judicial divisions		
		First	Second and Fourth	Third
All farms.....number..	525	68	86	371
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD				
No sales.....number..	184	12	41	131
\$1 to \$249.....number..	48	11	7	30
\$250 to \$399.....number..	19	2	1	16
\$400 to \$599.....number..	22	5	3	14
\$600 to \$999.....number..	31	1	6	24
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number..	23	4	1	18
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number..	42	5	8	29
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number..	34	4	8	22
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number..	40	8	3	29
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number..	39	5	3	31
\$10,000 and over.....number..	43	11	5	27
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM				
Potato farms.....number..	64		9	55
Vegetable farms.....number..	22	5	8	9
Potato-vegetable farms.....number..	5		1	4
Dairy farms.....number..	55	12	2	41
Hog farms.....number..	4		2	2
Sheep farms.....number..	2			2
Fur farms.....number..	9	9		
Poultry farms.....number..	46	12	5	29
Livestock farms other than dairy, hog, sheep, fur, and poultry farms.....number..	11	2		9
General farms.....number..	11		1	10
Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number..	296	28	58	210
FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS				
Commercial farms.....number..	229	40	28	161
Class I.....number..	5	2	2	1
Class II.....number..	37	9	2	26
Class III.....number..	60	8	4	48
Class IV.....number..	53	9	10	34
Class V.....number..	54	8	9	37
Class VI.....number..	20	4	1	15
Other farms.....number..	296	28	58	210
Part-time.....number..	59	5	9	45
Residential.....number..	149	21	35	93
Abnormal.....number..	88	2	14	72
VALUE OF FARM PRODUCTS SOLD IN 1949, BY SOURCE				
All farm products sold.....dollars..	1,571,931	337,183	253,970	980,778
All crops sold.....dollars..	507,774	30,876	102,937	373,961
Small grains sold.....dollars..	7,756			7,756
Hay sold.....dollars..	4,655	180	2,500	1,975
Irish potatoes and other field crops sold.....dollars..	333,908	811	58,423	274,674
Vegetables sold.....dollars..	99,179	4,205	27,044	67,930
Fruits, berries, greenhouse and hothouse products sold.....dollars..	62,276	25,680	14,970	21,626
Dairy products sold.....dollars..	663,725	182,771	121,076	359,878
Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars..	237,631	74,174	18,907	144,550
Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy, poultry, and poultry products sold.....dollars..	162,801	49,362	11,050	102,389

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Table 10.—LIVESTOCK AND LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS, BY JUDICIAL DIVISIONS: CENSUSES OF 1950 AND 1939

Item (For definitions and explanations, see text)	Alaska total	Judicial divisions		
		First	Second and Fourth	Third
HORSES AND MULES				
Horses and mules of all ages including ponies.....farms reporting 1950..	74	9	5	60
1939..	216	14	18	184
number 1950..	207	18	12	177
1939..	496	33	40	423
CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS				
Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950..	170	20	3	147
1939..	256	38	7	211
number 1950..	2,236	443	178	1,615
1939..	3,749	651	155	2,943
Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950..	153	19	3	136
number 1950..	1,324	321	130	873
Heifers born before January 1.....farms reporting 1950..	110	13	3	94
number 1950..	431	55	26	350
Steers and bulls born before January 1.....farms reporting 1950..	89	17	3	69
number 1950..	193	42	5	146
Calves born since January 1.....farms reporting 1950..	99	10	2	87
number 1950..	288	25	17	246
Dairy products sold.....farms reporting 1949..	74	15	3	56
dollars 1949..	663,725	182,771	121,076	359,878
1939..	306,987	161,829	51,300	93,858
Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949..	73	14	3	56
1939..	83	21	4	58
gallons 1949..	761,748	223,229	92,050	446,469
1939..	483,235	316,247	56,925	110,063
dollars 1949..	659,678	181,840	118,260	359,578
1939..	286,826	155,120	51,300	80,406
Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949..	7	3	2	2
1939..	110	7	2	101
gallons 1949..	898	201	647	50
1939..	13,199	900	455	11,844
dollars 1949..	2,944	803	1,941	200
1939..	20,161	3,267	3,442	13,452
Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949..	4	1	1	2
dollars 1949..	1,103	128	875	100
HOGS				
Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950..	32	.....	5	27
1939..	134	3	9	122
number 1950..	1,201	.....	347	854
1939..	959	45	130	784
4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950..	25	.....	4	21
number 1950..	714	.....	265	449
Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950..	20	.....	5	15
number 1950..	487	.....	82	405
SHEEP AND WOOL				
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950..	10	.....	1	9
1939..	39	2	1	36
number 1950..	6,046	.....	20	6,026
1939..	17,076	27	6	17,043
Sheep and lambs born before October 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950..	10	.....	1	9
number 1950..	5,978	.....	13	5,965
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950..	10	.....	1	9
number 1950..	3,161	.....	12	3,149
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950..	7	.....	1	6
number 1950..	2,817	.....	1	2,816
Lambs born since October 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950..	7	.....	1	6
number 1950..	68	.....	7	61
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949..	6	.....	1	5
1939..	28	1	.....	27
number shorn 1949..	4,748	.....	18	4,730
1939..	12,029	(1)	.....	12,029
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949..	57,016	.....	225	56,791
1939..	139,476	280	.....	139,196
value..dollars 1949..	28,241	.....	90	28,151
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS				
Poultry and/or poultry products sold.....farms reporting 1949..	127	18	9	100
dollars 1949..	237,541	74,174	18,907	144,460
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950..	169	27	17	125
1939..	243	45	8	190
number 1950..	20,278	3,378	2,168	14,732
1939..	18,374	4,274	404	13,696
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949..	68	13	6	49
number 1949..	31,767	19,944	725	11,098
dollars 1949..	70,983	45,591	2,128	23,264
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949..	119	16	7	95
1939..	137	17	6	114
dozens 1949..	180,222	32,780	19,690	127,752
1939..	97,540	25,229	3,450	68,861
dollars 1949..	160,297	28,583	16,779	114,935
1939..	40,523	8,312	2,597	29,614
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949..	3	.....	.....	3
number 1949..	628	.....	.....	628
Ducks raised.....farms reporting 1949..	5	.....	.....	5
number 1949..	243	.....	.....	243
Turkeys, ducks and geese, and their eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949..	5	.....	.....	5
dollars 1949..	6,261	.....	.....	6,261

¹Data for First Judicial Division included with Third Judicial Division.

Table 10.—LIVESTOCK AND LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS, BY JUDICIAL DIVISIONS: CENSUSES OF 1950 AND 1939—Continued

Item (For definitions and explanations, see text)	Alaska total	Judicial divisions		
		First	Second and Fourth	Third
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE IN 1949				
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold alive.....farms reporting..	68	7	9	52
dollars..	42,830	2,896	3,575	36,359
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting..	53	6	2	45
number..	147	17	6	124
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves.....farms reporting..	32	3	1	28
number..	82	11	4	67
dollars..	16,120	2,610	800	12,710
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting..	26	3	1	22
number..	65	6	2	57
dollars..	3,628	280	245	3,103
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting..	8	.....	4	4
number..	433	.....	83	350
dollars..	21,156	.....	2,020	19,136
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting..	2	.....	.....	2
number..	14	.....	.....	14
dollars..	510	.....	.....	510
Horses, mules, and goats sold alive.....farms reporting..	8	1	3	4
number..	22	1	9	12
dollars..	1,416	6	510	900
FARM SLAUGHTER, 1949				
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep butchered.....farms reporting..	124	12	9	103
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting..	104	12	3	89
number..	289	64	14	211
Cattle butchered, excluding calves.....farms reporting..	72	9	3	60
number..	190	41	12	137
Calves butchered.....farms reporting..	45	5	1	39
number..	99	23	2	74
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting..	35	.....	6	29
number..	349	.....	81	268
Sheep and lambs butchered.....farms reporting..	6	.....	1	5
number..	71	.....	13	58
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting..	69	10	6	53
dollars..	50,625	7,882	7,385	35,368
FUR ANIMALS, CENSUS OF 1950				
Fur animals in captivity (on hand or kept last year).....farms reporting..	24	13	3	8
Blue foxes:				
Females over 3 months old.....farms reporting 1950..	4	2	1	1
number 1950..	35	26	4	5
Animals raised.....farms reporting 1949..	3	1	1	1
number 1949..	106	70	30	6
Pelts taken.....farms reporting 1949..	2	1	1	.....
number 1949..	92	70	22	.....
Silver foxes:				
Females over 3 months old.....farms reporting 1950..	1	1	.....	.....
number 1950..	4	4	.....	.....
Animals raised.....farms reporting 1949..	1	1	.....	.....
number 1949..	5	5	.....	.....
Pelts taken.....farms reporting 1949..	1	1	.....	.....
number 1949..	5	5	.....	.....
Mink:				
Females over 3 months old.....farms reporting 1950..	12	10	.....	2
number 1950..	1,255	1,209	.....	46
Animals raised.....farms reporting 1949..	15	12	.....	3
number 1949..	4,496	4,129	.....	367
Pelts taken.....farms reporting 1949..	14	12	.....	2
number 1949..	4,215	3,955	.....	260
Other fur animals:				
Females over 3 months old.....farms reporting 1950..	7	3	.....	4
number 1950..	84	47	.....	37
Animals raised.....farms reporting 1949..	7	3	2	2
number 1949..	170	60	100	10
Pelts taken.....farms reporting 1949..	2	2	.....	.....
number 1949..	36	36	.....	.....
Value of fur animals and pelts sold.....farms reporting 1949..	1.6	13	3
dollars 1949..	39,705	38,584	1,121

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Table 11.—SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED, BY JUDICIAL DIVISIONS: CENSUSES OF 1950 AND 1939

Item (For definitions and explanations, see text)	Alaska total		Judicial divisions					
			First		Second and Fourth		Third	
	1949	1939	1949	1939	1949	1939	1949	1939
Small grains:								
Mixed grains.....farms reporting..	11	9			1	2	10	7
acres..	163	88			1	20	162	68
bushels..	4,026	2,107			20	922	4,006	1,185
Wheat.....farms reporting..	31	104	1		3	4	27	100
acres..	204	527	3		9	79	192	488
bushels..	5,263	9,479	36		164	1,220	5,063	8,259
Oats.....farms reporting..	34	87		2	2	6	32	79
acres..	333	527		25	35	72	298	430
bushels..	11,616	13,661		1,000	1,200	1,962	10,416	10,699
Barley.....farms reporting..	7	112	1		1	2	5	110
acres..	55	654	5		3	36	47	618
bushels..	661	13,219	100		117	535	444	12,684
Hay and forage crops:								
Mixed grains cut for hay.....farms reporting..	145	(*)	3	(*)	10	(*)	132	(*)
acres..	2,502	(**)	46	(**)	189	(**)	2,267	(**)
tons..	3,677	(**)	61	(**)	273	(**)	3,343	(**)
Mixed grains cut for silage.....farms reporting..	46	(*)		(*)	2		44	(*)
acres..	993	(*)		(*)	321	(*)	672	(*)
tons, green weight..	4,823	(*)		(*)	1,487	(*)	3,336	(*)
Tame and cultivated grass cut for hay.....farms reporting..	38	(*)	9		4	(*)	25	(*)
acres..	519	(**)	221	(**)	66	(**)	232	(**)
tons..	776	(**)	330	(**)	86	(**)	360	(**)
Marsh, prairie, and other wild grasses cut for hay.....farms reporting..	23	51	1	11	1	5	21	35
acres..	193	609	35	130	2	109	156	370
tons..	232	651	20	190	2	65	210	396
Other field crops:								
Potatoes.....farms reporting..	285	370	22	55	48	34	215	281
acres..	1,030	388	7	29	196	115	827	244
bushels..	184,862	41,887	793	3,557	25,783	12,177	158,286	25,353
Vegetables grown for home use.....farms reporting..	257	392	31	84	50	34	176	274
Vegetables harvested for sale:								
Cabbage.....farms reporting..	58	64	4	7	11	21	43	36
acres..	36	23	1	3	4	6	31	14
Carrots.....farms reporting..	58	70	7	10	16	21	35	39
acres..	33	40	2	10	9	16	22	14
Cauliflower.....farms reporting..	16	22		3	3	8	13	11
acres..	7	6		1	1	2	2	3
Celery.....farms reporting..	18	(*)	1	(*)	5	(*)	12	(*)
acres..	6	(*)	(1)	(*)	3	(*)	3	(*)
Lettuce.....farms reporting..	62	(*)	5	(*)	16	(*)	41	(*)
acres..	41	(*)	1	(*)	5	(*)	35	(*)
Rutabagas.....farms reporting..	25	52		9		18		25
acres..	8	23	(1)	10		7		6
Turnips.....farms reporting..	18	33	2	2	7	12	9	19
acres..	8	12	(1)	(1)	4	5	4	7
Other vegetables.....acres..	43	36	1	6	20	14	22	16
Value of vegetables sold.....farms reporting..	100	98	8	12	20	27	72	59
dollars..	99,179	22,930	4,205	2,444	27,044	17,470	67,930	3,016
Small fruits:								
Currants ².....farms reporting..	5	6	2	1			3	5
acres..	(1)	1	(1)	(3)			(1)	31
quarts..	165	613	25	(3)			140	3,613
Raspberries.....farms reporting..	54	45	10	6	8	5	36	34
acres..	11	11	1	3	2	2	8	6
quarts..	4,430	5,322	375	1,048	712	1,833	3,343	2,441
Strawberries.....farms reporting..	101	102	19	24	15	4	67	74
acres..	26	32	3	7	6	4	17	21
quarts..	13,584	22,424	2,628	6,332	2,061	2,848	8,895	13,244
Orchard fruits:								
Land in fruit orchards.....farms reporting..	13	14	6	2	4		3	312
acres..	6	(1)	(1)	(1)	6		(1)	(1)
Apples (including crabapples).....farms reporting..	11	13	3	2	1		7	11
trees not of bearing age, number..	264	172	30	6	200		34	166
trees of bearing age, number..	36	44	27	40			9	4
quantity harvested, bushels..	80	15		15			80	
Cherries ⁴.....farms reporting..	7	4		3			1	3
trees not of bearing age, number..	28	12	3	(3)	18		7	312
trees of bearing age, number..	23	2	23		2			2
quantity harvested, bushels..	60				60			
Other fruits.....trees not of bearing age, number..	57	(*)	1	(*)	54	(*)	2	(*)
trees of bearing age, number..	1	(*)	1	(*)		(*)		(*)

* Not available.
 ** Available data not comparable.
 1 Reported in small fractions.
 2 For 1939, currants and gooseberries.
 3 Data for First Judicial Division included with Third Judicial Division.
 4 For 1939, cherries and plums—2 farms reporting a total of 3 plum trees not of bearing age.

Table 12.—FARMS AND FARM CHARACTERISTICS, BY SIZE OF FARM: CENSUS OF 1950

Item (For definitions and explanations, see text)	Total all farms	Size of farm											
		Under 10 acres	10 to 29 acres	30 to 49 acres	50 to 69 acres	70 to 99 acres	100 to 139 acres	140 to 179 acres	180 to 219 acres	220 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 acres and over
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE													
Farms.....number..	525	58	29	48	22	59	63	170	17	13	32	10	4
Land owned by farm operators.....farms reporting..	495	57	26	46	21	57	58	163	17	12	29	9	.....
Land owned by farm operators.....acres..	60,907	238	394	1,830	1,132	4,604	6,697	25,683	2,925	2,673	9,022	5,709	.....
Land rented from others by farm operators.....farms reporting..	70	2	6	6	4	5	10	13	10	3	6	4	1
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres..	203,740	7	65	126	123	188	698	793	341	431	793	175	200,000
Land managed by farm operators.....farms reporting..	10	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	.....	.....	2	1	3
Land managed by farm operators.....acres..	157,152	.....	12	.....	.....	.....	.....	480	.....	.....	640	920	155,100
Land in farms.....acres..	421,799	245	471	1,956	1,255	4,792	7,395	26,956	3,266	3,104	10,455	6,804	355,100
Average size of farm.....acres..	803.4	4.2	16.2	40.8	57.0	81.2	117.4	158.6	192.1	238.8	326.7	680.4	88,775.0
Value of land and buildings.....total..dollars..	6,543,970	359,143	234,750	327,888	233,835	444,187	647,975	1,621,065	167,765	225,020	461,502	648,040	1,172,800
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars..	12,465	6,192	8,095	6,831	10,629	7,529	10,285	9,536	9,869	17,309	14,422	64,804	293,200
Value of land and buildings.....average per acre, dollars..	15.51	1,465.89	498.41	167.63	186.32	92.69	87.62	60.14	51.37	72.49	44.14	95.24	3.30
Land in farms according to use:													
Cropland, total.....farms reporting..	414	23	22	40	17	52	51	136	17	13	31	10	2
Cropland, total.....acres..	12,385	50	146	601	271	1,248	1,753	3,528	988	675	1,686	1,134	305
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting..	310	15	13	34	16	38	40	84	17	12	29	10	2
Cropland harvested.....acres..	6,450	21	42	261	173	646	933	1,169	757	331	856	956	305
Under 10 acres.....farms reporting..	154	15	12	22	10	17	14	50	3	3	6	2	.....
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting..	46	.....	1	9	2	8	9	11	.....	2	4	.....	.....
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting..	97	.....	.....	3	2	5	5	10	2	2	8	.....	.....
30 to 39 acres.....farms reporting..	26	.....	.....	.....	1	5	3	6	3	1	5	1	1
40 to 49 acres.....farms reporting..	17	.....	.....	.....	1	2	2	2	5	3	2	.....	.....
50 to 59 acres.....farms reporting..	7	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	2	1	.....	.....	.....	.....
60 to 69 acres.....farms reporting..	5	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	1	.....	1	2	1	.....
70 to 79 acres.....farms reporting..	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1	.....	.....	2	1	.....
80 acres and over.....farms reporting..	15	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	2	3	.....	2	5	1
Cropland failure.....farms reporting..	47	2	2	5	1	4	6	19	4	.....	4	.....	.....
Cropland failure.....acres..	248	5	3	33	2	12	54	106	8	.....	25	.....	.....
Cropland pastured.....farms reporting..	127	3	6	9	4	16	18	35	9	5	19	3	.....
Cropland pastured.....acres..	2,449	4	25	82	47	215	412	687	161	169	492	155	.....
Cropland idle or fallow.....farms reporting..	203	11	14	20	7	31	19	77	3	8	11	2	.....
Cropland idle or fallow.....acres..	3,238	20	76	225	49	375	354	1,566	62	175	313	23	.....
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting..	119	5	5	9	5	16	16	34	7	4	12	5	1
Woodland pastured.....acres..	7,108	13	58	114	146	589	830	2,218	532	314	1,422	622	250
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting..	392	35	16	40	15	45	46	139	12	10	25	8	1
Woodland not pastured.....acres..	35,717	128	181	1,075	574	2,265	3,445	16,498	1,184	1,277	4,835	2,880	1,375
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting..	74	.....	3	.....	6	13	12	18	4	2	8	5	3
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....acres..	356,471	.....	31	.....	120	114	272	668	82	210	981	1,023	352,970
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting..	303	25	9	24	9	34	44	102	15	10	24	6	1
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....acres..	10,118	54	55	166	144	576	1,095	4,044	480	628	1,531	1,145	200
FARM OPERATORS													
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting..	436	49	24	41	19	43	53	141	15	13	27	7	4
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting..	45	6	4	.....	2	7	4	21	.....	.....	1	.....	.....
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting..	322	34	20	33	12	38	40	115	5	5	17	2	1
Off-farm work:													
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting..	331	37	21	33	14	33	45	111	8	11	14	3	1
1 to 99 days.....operators reporting..	92	5	6	8	4	8	14	31	3	5	6	1	1
100 days or more.....operators reporting..	239	32	15	25	10	25	31	80	5	6	8	2	.....
Not working off their farm.....operators reporting..	179	18	7	14	8	25	16	55	9	1	18	5	3
Operators by age:													
Under 25 years.....operators reporting..	10	1	1	.....	.....	2	2	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
25 to 34 years.....operators reporting..	111	10	3	11	1	11	10	54	3	1	5	.....	.....
35 to 44 years.....operators reporting..	131	19	8	12	5	15	17	36	6	1	9	3	.....
45 to 54 years.....operators reporting..	117	8	6	10	9	13	15	35	6	2	8	3	2
55 to 64 years.....operators reporting..	81	11	7	12	6	11	7	16	1	5	5	.....	.....
65 years and over.....operators reporting..	33	6	1	3	.....	2	4	14	.....	1	2	.....	.....
Average age.....years..	44	47	47	46	48	43	45	42	43	52	46	44	42
Operators by years on present farm:													
Less than 5 years.....operators reporting..	289	36	13	25	12	32	27	117	9	2	11	2	3
1 year or less.....operators reporting..	122	14	5	10	2	14	14	55	2	1	1	1	3
5 to 9 years.....operators reporting..	80	8	6	11	5	8	12	19	3	1	6	.....	1
10 years or more.....operators reporting..	141	10	8	12	5	17	23	32	5	8	15	6	.....
Average number of years on present farm.....years..	7	7	8	7	8	7	9	6	7	12	11	14	2

Table 12.—FARMS AND FARM CHARACTERISTICS, BY SIZE OF FARM: CENSUS OF 1950—Continued

Item (For definitions and explanations, see text)	Total all farms	Size of farm											
		Under 10 acres	10 to 29 acres	30 to 49 acres	50 to 69 acres	70 to 99 acres	100 to 139 acres	140 to 179 acres	180 to 219 acres	220 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 acres and over
SPECIFIED FACILITIES													
Telephone.....farms reporting..	86	16	5	10	1	6	13	15	3	2	8	6	1
Electricity.....farms reporting..	306	36	14	33	17	36	37	73	15	11	22	9	3
SPECIFIED EQUIPMENT ON FARMS													
Milking machine.....farms reporting..	51	4				8	8	8	9	3	4	6	1
Silos.....farms reporting..	50				1	7	8	9	8	3	7	6	1
Motortrucks.....farms reporting..	297	23	16	25	13	39	33	91	16	11	19	10	1
number..	386	27	21	28	14	47	43	112	19	11	23	34	7
Year of newest model.....farms reporting..	290	23	15	24	13	38	33	89	16	10	18	10	1
Under 5 years.....farms reporting..	113	10	7	8	5	13	15	31	7	3	7	6	1
5 to 9 years.....farms reporting..	88	6	6	7	3	8	10	29	5	1	9	4	
10 years and over.....farms reporting..	89	7	2	9	5	17	8	29	4	6	2		
Tractors.....farms reporting..	264	8	8	21	12	32	39	85	16	9	23	10	1
number..	321	8	9	23	13	34	45	101	18	11	26	29	4
Wheel and/or crawler tractors other than garden.....farms reporting..	248	3	7	21	9	32	37	80	16	9	23	10	1
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting..	221	2	7	19	9	31	33	67	14	7	22	9	1
number..	246	2	7	19	9	32	36	71	15	8	23	21	3
Year of newest model.....farms reporting..	205	1	6	18	8	29	33	61	14	7	19	8	1
Under 5 years.....farms reporting..	93		2	10	2	11	16	29	8	4	7	3	1
5 to 9 years.....farms reporting..	87		3	4	6	14	15	24	6		12	3	
10 years and over.....farms reporting..	25	1	1	4		4	2	8		3		2	
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting..	41	1		2		2	5	18	2	3	2	6	
number..	45	1		2		2	5	20	2	3	2	8	
Garden tractors.....farms reporting..	30	5	2	2	4		4	10	1		1		1
number..	30	5	2	2	4		4	10	1		1		1
Automobiles.....farms reporting..	172	19	11	19	8	19	23	45	5	8	12	3	
number..	191	19	12	20	10	19	24	51	7	9	12	8	
Year of newest model.....farms reporting..	165	18	11	18	8	18	22	45	5	7	10	3	
Under 5 years.....farms reporting..	80	7	5	7	4	7	11	24	2	5	6	2	
5 to 9 years.....farms reporting..	35	7	4	2	1	2	4	13	1			1	
10 years and over.....farms reporting..	50	4	2	9	3	9	7	8	2	2	4		
Farms by class of work power:													
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting..	232	40	21	23	9	26	20	77	1	2	5		
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting..	14	1		3		1	2	3		1	3		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting..	15	1		1	1		2	5		1	1		3
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting..	45		1	1	2	1	9	10	3	3	8	6	1
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting..	219	8	7	20	10	31	30	75	13	6	15	4	
FARMS BY TENURE OF OPERATOR													
Full owners.....number..	445	56	22	42	18	54	53	154	7	10	24	5	
Part owners.....number..	50	1	4	4	3	3	5	9	10	2	5	4	
Managers.....number..	10		1					3			2	1	3
All tenants.....number..	20	1	2	2	1	2	5	4		1	1		1
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM													
Potato farms.....number..	64		2	6	5	7	9	14	3	4	11	3	
Vegetable farms.....number..	22	7	1	2	1		3	6	1		1		
Potato-vegetable farms.....number..	5					1	1	2		1			
Dairy farms.....number..	55	5	1		3	8	9	8	8	2	5	6	
Hog farms.....number..	4					1		3					2
Sheep farms.....number..	2												
Fur farms.....number..	9	3	2	2	1			1					
Poultry farms.....number..	46	11	2	8	1	6	6	12					
Livestock farms other than dairy, hog, sheep, fur, and poultry farms.....number..	11		1		1	1		4		1	1	1	1
General farms.....number..	11			1		2	1	3	1	1	2		
Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number..	296	32	20	29	10	33	34	117	4	4	12		1
FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS													
Commercial farms.....number..	229	26	9	19	12	26	29	53	13	9	20	10	3
Class I.....number..	5	1						1			1	2	
Class II.....number..	37	6	1	1		3	5	9	2	2	3	3	2
Class III.....number..	60	6	2	3	5	10	7	9	7	2	7	2	
Class IV.....number..	53	6	3	6	2	8	6	12	2	3	3	2	
Class V.....number..	54	7	3	6	3	3	9	15		1	5	1	1
Class VI.....number..	20			3	2	2	2	7	2	1	1		
Other farms.....number..	296	32	20	29	10	33	34	117	4	4	12		1

Table 12.—FARMS AND FARM CHARACTERISTICS, BY SIZE OF FARM: CENSUS OF 1950—Continued

Item (For definitions and explanations, see text)	Total all farms	Size of farm											
		Under 10 acres	10 to 29 acres	30 to 49 acres	50 to 69 acres	70 to 99 acres	100 to 139 acres	140 to 179 acres	180 to 219 acres	220 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 acres and over
VALUE OF FARM PRODUCTS SOLD IN 1949 BY SOURCE													
All farm products sold.....dollars..	1,571,931	190,250	48,946	79,673	49,253	154,147	170,213	322,911	81,984	67,459	150,317	216,324	40,454
All crops sold.....dollars..	507,774	49,793	17,039	27,662	20,210	53,148	79,252	116,159	19,270	26,557	58,642	39,542	500
Small grains and hay sold.....dollars..	12,411			741		760	565	2,070	2,180	2,955	2,640		500
Irish potatoes and other field crops sold.....dollars..	333,908	1,688	3,390	15,594	16,204	43,535	59,042	81,231	14,221	18,160	43,771	37,072	
Vegetables sold.....dollars..	99,179	2,545	1,599	10,797	3,906	7,199	19,395	31,663	2,799	5,067	11,789	2,420	
Fruits, berries, greenhouse and hothouse products sold.....dollars..	62,276	45,560	12,050	530	100	1,654	250	1,195	70	375	442	50	
All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars..	1,064,157	140,457	31,907	52,011	29,043	100,999	90,961	206,752	62,714	40,902	91,675	176,782	39,954
Dairy products sold.....dollars..	663,725	61,167	8,140		14,098	59,282	52,575	121,479	58,862	33,233	78,919	167,360	8,610
Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars..	297,631	50,139	12,757	47,325	10,063	32,696	32,502	34,637	2,196	4,490	6,918	2,654	1,254
Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy, poultry, and poultry products sold.....dollars..	162,801	29,151	11,010	4,686	4,882	9,021	5,884	50,636	1,656	3,179	5,838	6,768	30,090
Number of farms reporting sales of any farm products.....dollars..	341	42	17	32	18	39	38	85	15	13	28	10	4
Average sales per farm reporting.....dollars..	4,610	4,530	2,879	2,490	2,736	3,952	4,479	3,799	5,466	5,189	5,368	21,632	10,114
LIVESTOCK AND LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS													
Livestock on April 1, 1950:													
Horses and mules.....farms reporting..	74	2	1	5	3	2	13	18	3	5	12	6	4
.....number..	207	7	2	6	5	2	26	53	3	8	19	10	66
All cattle and calves.....farms reporting..	170	5	5	10	11	28	26	38	13	6	16	8	4
.....number..	2,236	109	23	35	75	262	265	416	225	87	238	366	135
Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting..	158	5	5	8	10	25	23	36	13	6	15	8	4
.....number..	1,324	89	15	9	39	138	153	243	137	64	133	229	75
All hogs and pigs.....farms reporting..	32		2	3	1	8	3	10	3	1		1	
.....number..	1,201		22	12	15	118	7	996	29	1		1	
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting..	169	18	12	21	9	22	18	45	5	7	9	1	2
.....number..	20,278	3,094	1,212	2,527	1,185	3,123	2,272	4,767	352	615	721	300	110
Livestock and livestock products sold in 1949:													
Cattle and calves sold alive.....farms reporting..	53	2	1	2	4	6	11	10	3	3	7	2	2
.....number..	147	10	1	4	11	20	18	31	7	7	20	8	10
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting..	8		1	1		1		4	1				
.....number..	433		6	10		8		405	4				
Chickens sold.....farms reporting..	68	13	5	5	3	9	8	15	1	5	2	1	1
.....number..	31,767	8,747	1,412	12,006	967	1,871	3,258	1,584	25	144	1,530	198	25
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting..	119	17	6	13	7	18	15	26	3	6	6	1	1
.....dozens..	180,222	34,289	9,505	25,963	7,759	32,433	21,258	32,244	2,450	4,310	4,720	3,561	1,730
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED IN 1949													
Irish potatoes.....farms reporting..	285	17	14	32	13	34	35	95	10	7	22	6	
.....acres..	1,030	8	12	57	61	112	174	242	54	58	123	129	
.....bushels..	184,862	650	2,697	10,862	9,628	21,748	32,805	45,866	11,098	7,461	20,637	21,410	
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES IN 1949													
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting..	406	45	22	38	20	47	46	122	15	12	28	9	2
Hired labor.....farms reporting..	192	12	5	15	10	23	29	50	10	10	19	7	2
.....dollars..	221,658	18,327	2,436	3,765	5,088	19,624	24,172	56,817	8,068	9,021	26,582	44,155	3,603
Feed for livestock.....farms reporting..	165	14	12	5	7	22	22	40	10	6	16	9	2
.....dollars..	281,722	55,469	13,641	1,060	10,517	21,354	23,113	55,683	16,445	10,650	24,826	48,471	493
Feed for poultry.....farms reporting..	170	21	12	23	8	26	16	43	3	7	9	1	1
.....dollars..	157,062	32,191	11,551	29,234	6,786	23,437	19,240	26,827	600	2,056	4,330	750	60
Livestock purchased.....farms reporting..	80	8	3	1	4	12	10	19	5	4	8	6	
.....dollars..	58,935	12,180	810	200	1,150	5,570	3,470	12,297	6,558	1,185	5,045	10,470	
Poultry purchased.....farms reporting..	112	13	7	12	6	15	11	32	3	6	6	1	
.....dollars..	25,439	2,843	1,087	7,812	1,241	1,762	1,572	6,821	561	758	862	120	
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees.....farms reporting..	305	22	15	25	16	39	40	92	14	9	26	6	1
.....dollars..	57,720	7,522	1,281	2,553	1,487	4,014	8,324	9,688	5,945	2,369	6,121	8,406	10
Fertilizer purchased.....farms reporting..	261	14	9	25	12	39	36	82	12	8	19	5	
.....dollars..	53,923	855	1,457	2,624	2,263	6,869	8,914	13,049	3,712	2,338	7,412	4,430	

Table 13.—FARMS AND FARM CHARACTERISTICS, BY TENURE OF OPERATOR: CENSUS OF 1950

Item (For definitions and explanations, see text)	Total all farms	Tenure of operator			
		Full owners	Part owners	Managers	All tenants
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE					
Farms.....number..	525	445	50	10	20
Land owned by farm operators.....farms reporting..	495	445	50		
.....acres..	60,907	53,105	7,802		
Land rented from others by farm operators.....farms reporting..	70		50		20
.....acres..	203,740		1,603		202,137
Land managed by farm operators.....farms reporting..	10			10	
.....acres..	157,152			157,152	
Land in farms.....acres..	421,799	53,105	9,405	157,152	202,137
Average size of farm.....acres..	803.4	119.3	188.1	15,715.2	10,106.8
Value of land and buildings.....total..dollars..	6,543,970	4,210,149	836,934	1,181,800	315,087
.....average per farm, dollars..	12,465	9,461	16,739	118,180	15,754
.....average per acre, dollars..	15.51	79.28	88.99	7.52	1.56
Land in farms according to use:					
Cropland, total.....farms reporting..	414	345	49	9	11
.....acres..	12,385	8,830	2,623	643	289
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting..	310	248	47	6	9
.....acres..	6,450	3,883	2,032	415	120
Under 10 acres.....farms reporting..	154	135	11	3	5
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting..	46	39	5		2
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting..	37	34	3		
30 to 39 acres.....farms reporting..	26	14	10	1	1
40 to 49 acres.....farms reporting..	17	12	5		
50 to 59 acres.....farms reporting..	7	4	2		1
60 to 69 acres.....farms reporting..	5	1	4		
70 to 79 acres.....farms reporting..	3	2	1		
80 acres and over.....farms reporting..	15	7	6	2	
Cropland failure.....farms reporting..	47	38	8		1
.....acres..	248	206	41		1
Cropland pastured.....farms reporting..	127	103	16	1	5
.....acres..	2,449	2,037	334	12	66
Cropland idle or fallow.....farms reporting..	203	174	19	5	5
.....acres..	3,238	2,704	216	216	102
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting..	119	93	20	4	2
.....acres..	7,108	5,193	1,260	565	90
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting..	392	337	36	5	14
.....acres..	35,717	28,188	4,002	2,585	942
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting..	74	51	16	3	4
.....acres..	356,471	2,541	515	153,026	200,389
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting..	303	260	30	4	9
.....acres..	10,118	8,353	1,005	333	427
FARM OPERATORS					
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting..	436	363	46	9	18
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting..	45	43	1		1
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting..	322	284	24	4	10
Off-farm work:					
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting..	331	290	29	5	7
1 to 99 days.....operators reporting..	92	79	9	2	2
100 days or more.....operators reporting..	239	211	20	3	5
Not working off their farm.....operators reporting..	179	142	21	4	12
Operators by age:					
Under 25 years.....operators reporting..	10	9			1
25 to 34 years.....operators reporting..	111	95	7	4	5
35 to 44 years.....operators reporting..	131	107	18	1	5
45 to 54 years.....operators reporting..	117	95	14	3	5
55 to 64 years.....operators reporting..	81	74	5	1	1
65 years and over.....operators reporting..	33	31			2
Average age.....years..	44	45	43	42	43
Operators by years on present farm:					
Less than 5 years.....operators reporting..	289	247	24	5	13
1 year or less.....operators reporting..	122	100	9	4	9
5 to 9 years.....operators reporting..	80	65	11	2	2
10 years or more.....operators reporting..	141	122	14	1	4
Average number of years on present farm.....years..	7	7	7	4	6
SPECIFIED FACILITIES					
Telephone.....farms reporting..	86	69	11	2	4
Electricity.....farms reporting..	306	239	46	7	14

Table 13.—FARMS AND FARM CHARACTERISTICS, BY TENURE OF OPERATOR: CENSUS OF 1950—Continued

Item (For definitions and explanations, see text)	Total all farms	Tenure of operator			
		Full owners	Part owners	Managers	All tenants
SPECIFIED EQUIPMENT ON FARMS					
Milking machine..... farms reporting..	51	31	16	3	1
Silos..... farms reporting..	50	30	16	2	2
Motortrucks..... farms reporting..	297	240	45	5	7
..... number..	386	294	64	19	9
Year of newest model..... farms reporting..	290	235	43	5	7
Under 5 years..... farms reporting..	113	89	19	3	2
5 to 9 years..... farms reporting..	88	69	15	2	2
10 years and over..... farms reporting..	89	77	9	.....	3
Tractors..... farms reporting..	264	209	45	4	6
..... number..	321	243	60	12	6
Wheel and/or crawler tractors other than garden..... farms reporting..	248	194	44	4	6
Wheel tractors other than garden..... farms reporting..	221	168	44	4	5
..... number..	246	179	52	10	5
Year of newest model..... farms reporting..	205	155	1	4	2
Under 5 years..... farms reporting..	93	73	15	3	5
5 to 9 years..... farms reporting..	87	63	20	1	3
10 years and over..... farms reporting..	25	19	6	.....	.....
Crawler tractors..... farms reporting..	41	36	3	1	1
..... number..	45	39	4	1	1
Garden tractors..... farms reporting..	30	25	4	1	.....
..... number..	30	25	4	1	.....
Automobiles..... farms reporting..	172	145	18	3	6
..... number..	191	157	23	7	7
Year of newest model..... farms reporting..	165	138	18	3	6
Under 5 years..... farms reporting..	80	66	8	3	3
5 to 9 years..... farms reporting..	35	29	4	.....	2
10 years and over..... farms reporting..	50	43	6	.....	1
Farms by class of work power:					
No tractor, horses, or mules..... farms reporting..	232	211	5	3	13
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule..... farms reporting..	14	13	.....	.....	.....
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules..... farms reporting..	15	12	.....	2	1
Tractor and horses and/or mules..... farms reporting..	45	32	9	4	.....
Tractor and no horses or mules..... farms reporting..	219	177	36	.....	6
VALUE OF FARM PRODUCTS SOLD IN 1949, BY SOURCE					
All farm products sold..... dollars..	1,571,931	1,050,521	374,509	95,559	51,342
All crops sold..... dollars..	507,774	373,495	126,438	750	7,091
Small grains and hay sold..... dollars..	12,411	8,651	2,850	750	160
Irish potatoes and other field crops sold..... dollars..	333,908	227,980	99,897	.....	6,081
Fruits, berries, greenhouse, and hothouse products sold..... dollars..	62,276	50,201	12,075	.....	.....
Vegetables sold..... dollars..	99,179	86,663	11,616	.....	900
All livestock and livestock products sold..... dollars..	1,064,157	677,026	248,071	94,809	44,251
Dairy products sold..... dollars..	663,725	387,314	211,021	57,563	7,827
Poultry and poultry products sold..... dollars..	237,631	202,669	17,305	3,908	13,749
Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy, poultry, and poultry products sold..... dollars..	162,801	87,043	19,745	33,338	22,675
Number of farms reporting sales of any farm product..... number..	341	275	45	7	14
Average sales per farm reporting..... dollars..	4,610	3,820	8,322	13,651	3,667
LIVESTOCK AND LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS					
Livestock on April 1, 1950:					
Horses and mules of all ages including ponies..... farms reporting..	74	57	9	7	1
..... number..	207	106	28	56	17
Cattle and calves..... farms reporting..	170	125	33	6	6
..... number..	2,236	1,387	555	240	54
Cows, including heifers that have calved..... farms reporting..	158	115	32	6	5
..... number..	1,324	818	336	140	30
Hogs and pigs..... farms reporting..	32	22	7	1	2
..... number..	1,201	375	373	450	3
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand..... farms reporting..	169	135	22	5	7
..... number..	20,278	17,414	1,923	458	483
Livestock and livestock products sold in 1949:					
Cattle and/or calves sold alive..... farms reporting..	53	40	9	3	1
..... number..	147	118	14	11	4
Hogs and pigs sold alive..... farms reporting..	8	7	.....	1	.....
..... number..	433	103	.....	330	.....
Chickens sold..... farms reporting..	68	56	7	2	3
..... number..	31,767	26,614	2,250	223	2,680
Chicken eggs sold..... farms reporting..	119	100	14	2	3
..... dozens..	180,222	156,804	13,743	5,291	4,384
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED IN 1949					
Irish potatoes..... farms reporting..	285	240	35	1	9
..... acres..	1,030	668	338	(1)	24
..... bushels harvested..	184,862	124,322	56,014	2	4,524
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES IN 1949					
Specified farm expenditures..... farms reporting..	406	338	47	7	14
Hired labor..... farms reporting..	192	149	32	3	8
..... dollars..	221,658	130,412	70,392	13,934	6,920
Feed for livestock..... farms reporting..	165	125	30	5	5
..... dollars..	281,722	202,434	49,938	27,191	2,159
Feed for poultry..... farms reporting..	170	142	19	3	6
..... dollars..	157,062	139,237	9,365	1,010	7,450
Livestock purchased..... farms reporting..	80	61	14	2	3
..... dollars..	58,935	39,970	17,350	1,385	230
Poultry purchased..... farms reporting..	112	95	12	2	3
..... dollars..	25,439	22,718	1,246	220	1,255
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees..... farms reporting..	305	249	41	4	11
..... dollars..	57,720	37,073	18,765	485	1,397
Fertilizer purchased..... farms reporting..	261	216	37	1	7
..... dollars..	53,923	35,712	16,988	50	1,173

¹Reported in small fractions.

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Table 14.—FARMS AND FARM CHARACTERISTICS, BY TYPE OF FARM CENSUS OF 1950

Item (For definitions and explanations, see text)	Total all farms	Type of farm							
		Potato	Vegetable and potato- vegetable	Dairy	Fur	Poultry	Livestock farms—other than dairy, poultry, and fur	General	Miscel- laneous and unclas- sified
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE									
Farms.....number..	525	64	27	55	9	46	17	11	296
Land owned by farm operators.....farms reporting..	495	61	26	52	6	44	13	11	282
.....acres..	60,907	10,630	2,541	9,171	105	3,428	2,416	1,991	30,625
Land rented from others by farm operators.....farms reporting..	70	17	3	16	3	3	2	4	22
.....acres..	203,740	841	110	745	240	130	200,040	82	1,552
Land managed by farm operators.....farms reporting..	10	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	3	.....	5
.....acres..	157,152	.....	.....	1,080	.....	.....	153,160	.....	2,912
Land in farms.....acres..	421,799	11,471	2,651	10,996	345	3,558	355,616	2,073	35,089
Average size of farm.....acres..	803.4	179.2	98.2	199.9	38.3	77.3	20,918.6	188.5	118.5
Value of land and buildings.....total..dollars..	6,543,970	924,379	337,040	1,248,808	50,750	356,628	1,300,290	166,675	2,159,400
.....average per farm, dollars..	12,465	14,443	12,483	22,706	5,639	7,753	76,488	15,152	7,295
.....average per acre, dollars..	15.51	80.58	127.13	113.57	147.10	100.23	3.66	80.40	61.54
Land in farms according to use:									
Cropland, total.....farms reporting..	414	64	21	46	1	29	13	11	229
.....acres..	12,385	2,595	746	3,446	1	586	366	425	4,220
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting..	310	64	21	44	1	25	12	11	132
.....acres..	6,450	1,453	291	2,755	1	298	245	252	1,355
Under 10 acres.....farms reporting..	154	17	10	3	1	13	4	3	103
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting..	46	18	6	.....	.....	5	1	2	14
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting..	37	12	3	4	.....	5	3	1	9
30 to 39 acres.....farms reporting..	26	9	.....	6	.....	1	4	3	3
40 to 49 acres.....farms reporting..	17	3	1	8	.....	1	.....	2	2
50 to 59 acres.....farms reporting..	7	1	1	5	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
60 to 69 acres.....farms reporting..	5	2	.....	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
70 to 79 acres.....farms reporting..	3	.....	.....	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
80 acres and over.....farms reporting..	15	2	.....	12	.....	.....	.....	.....	1
Cropland failure.....farms reporting..	47	9	8	1	.....	3	2	2	22
.....acres..	248	59	28	1	.....	20	7	7	126
Cropland pastured.....farms reporting..	127	21	5	27	.....	13	6	7	48
.....acres..	2,449	529	79	541	.....	187	59	132	922
Cropland idle or fallow.....farms reporting..	203	25	12	8	.....	10	3	6	139
.....acres..	3,238	554	348	149	.....	81	55	34	2,017
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting..	119	19	6	33	1	9	11	5	35
.....acres..	7,108	722	316	2,107	50	311	1,194	558	1,850
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting..	392	51	16	24	7	32	7	5	250
.....acres..	35,717	5,750	1,366	2,731	112	1,949	558	664	22,587
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting..	74	16	3	20	1	6	8	2	18
.....acres..	356,471	1,009	18	1,400	9	92	353,135	122	686
Other land (house lots, roads, wastelands, etc.)...farms reporting..	303	47	17	31	6	25	7	7	163
.....acres..	10,118	1,395	205	1,312	173	620	363	304	5,746
FARM OPERATORS									
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting..	436	49	23	48	9	35	16	11	245
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting..	45	3	1	4	.....	4	.....	.....	33
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting..	322	25	6	6	2	21	6	5	251
Off-farm work:									
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting..	331	34	8	11	2	25	7	5	239
1 to 99 days.....operators reporting..	92	12	4	4	2	7	2	1	60
100 days or more.....operators reporting..	239	22	4	7	.....	18	5	4	179
Not working off their farm.....operators reporting..	179	29	16	40	7	21	10	6	50
Operators by age:									
Under 25 years.....operators reporting..	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	9
25 to 34 years.....operators reporting..	111	7	4	7	.....	5	2	3	83
35 to 44 years.....operators reporting..	131	20	5	13	1	13	2	3	74
45 to 54 years.....operators reporting..	117	17	7	20	.....	13	8	.....	52
55 to 64 years.....operators reporting..	81	11	7	6	6	7	3	4	37
65 years and over.....operators reporting..	33	4	.....	1	1	3	2	1	21
Average age.....years..	44	47	47	46	58	46	50	46	43
Operators by years on present farm:									
Less than 5 years.....operators reporting..	289	26	10	17	.....	27	9	3	197
1 year or less.....operators reporting..	122	7	4	2	.....	3	4	1	101
5 to 9 years.....operators reporting..	80	12	6	5	2	8	3	1	43
10 years or more.....operators reporting..	141	24	9	32	7	10	4	7	48
Average number of years on present farm.....years..	7	9	10	11	16	6	6	11	5

Table 14.—FARMS AND FARM CHARACTERISTICS, BY TYPE OF FARM: CENSUS OF 1950—Continued

Item (For definitions and explanations, see text)	Total all farms	Type of farm							Miscel- laneous and unclas- sified
		Potato	Vegetable and potato- vegetable	Diary	Fur	Poultry	Livestock farms—other than dairy, poultry, and fur	General	
SPECIFIED FACILITIES									
Telephone.....farms reporting..	86	9	5	19	2	15		4	32
Electricity.....farms reporting..	306	59	18	54	9	36	10	7	113
SPECIFIED EQUIPMENT ON FARMS									
Milking machine.....farms reporting..	51	2	1	45				1	2
Silos.....farms reporting..	50	5	1	35		1	1	1	6
Motortrucks.....farms reporting..	297	52	18	48	1	30	8	8	132
.....number..	386	67	22	84	1	35	13	10	154
Year of newest model.....farms reporting..	290	50	16	48	1	29	8	8	130
Under 5 years.....farms reporting..	113	19	8	21	1	11	6	3	44
5 to 9 years.....farms reporting..	88	13	6	13		7	1	3	45
10 years and over.....farms reporting..	89	18	2	14		11	1	2	41
Tractors.....farms reporting..	264	54	19	45		22	8	10	106
.....number..	321	62	28	67		25	12	11	116
Wheel and/or crawler tractors other than garden....farms reporting..	248	53	16	45		21	8	10	95
.....number..	246	51	18	58		20	9	10	80
Year of newest model.....farms reporting..	205	48	13	39		20	6	9	70
Under 5 years.....farms reporting..	93	22	6	14		9	4	5	33
5 to 9 years.....farms reporting..	87	22	5	20		9	1	2	28
10 years and over.....farms reporting..	25	4	2	5		2	1	2	9
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting..	41	6	3	8		2	2		20
.....number..	45	7	4	9		3	2		20
Garden tractors.....farms reporting..	30	4	6			2	1	1	16
.....number..	30	4	6			2	1	1	16
Automobiles.....farms reporting..	172	26	8	23	1	17	5	5	87
.....number..	191	29	12	30	1	17	5	5	92
Year of newest model.....farms reporting..	165	25	8	22	1	17	5	4	83
Under 5 years.....farms reporting..	80	9	6	14	1	7	2	3	38
5 to 9 years.....farms reporting..	35	4	2	3		3	2	1	20
10 years and over.....farms reporting..	50	12		5		7	1		25
Farms by class of work power:									
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting..	232	7	8	9	8	23	3		174
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting..	14	1		1		1	2		9
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting..	15	2			1		4	1	7
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting..	45	10	2	14		4	3	2	10
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting..	219	44	17	31		18	5	8	96
FARMS BY SIZE OF FARM									
Under 10 acres.....number..	58		7	5	3	11			32
10 to 29 acres.....number..	29	2	1	1	2	2	1		20
30 to 49 acres.....number..	48	6	2		2	8		1	29
50 to 69 acres.....number..	22	5	1	3	1	1	1		10
70 to 99 acres.....number..	59	7	1	8		6	2	2	33
100 to 139 acres.....number..	64	10	4	9		6		1	34
140 to 179 acres.....number..	169	13	8	8	1	12	7	3	117
180 to 219 acres.....number..	17	3	1	8				1	4
220 to 259 acres.....number..	13	4	1	2			1	1	4
260 to 499 acres.....number..	32	11	1	5			1	2	12
500 to 999 acres.....number..	10	3		6			1		
1,000 acres and over.....number..	4						3		1
FARMS BY TENURE OF OPERATOR									
Full owners.....number..	445	47	24	37	6	43	12	7	269
Part owners.....number..	50	14	2	15		1	1	4	13
Managers.....number..	10			2			3		5
All tenants.....number..	20	3	1	1	3	2	1		9

Table 14.—FARMS AND FARM CHARACTERISTICS, BY TYPE OF FARM: CENSUS OF 1950—Continued

Item (For definitions and explanations, see text)	Total all farms	Type of farm							
		Potato	Vegetable and potato- vegetable	Dairy	Fur	Poultry	Livestock farms—other than dairy, poultry, and fur	General	Miscel- laneous and unclas- sified
FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS									
Commercial farms.....number..	229	64	27	55	9	46	17	11	
Class I.....number..	5			5					
Class II.....number..	37	4	5	18	1	3	4	2	
Class III.....number..	60	16	4	26	1	12		1	
Class IV.....number..	53	18	8	2	3	14	3	5	
Class V.....number..	54	19	7	4	3	13	6	2	
Class VI.....number..	20	7	3		1	4	4	1	
Other farms.....number..	296								296
VALUE OF FARM PRODUCTS SOLD IN 1949 BY SOURCE									
All farm products sold.....dollars..	1,571,931	263,395	144,423	729,669	35,649	213,624	82,463	49,467	53,241
All crops sold.....dollars..	507,774	236,942	140,431	53,634		20,107	2,231	29,952	24,477
Small grains and hay sold.....dollars..	12,411	1,635	1,421			315		7,800	1,240
Irish potatoes and other field crops sold.....dollars..	333,908	213,386	23,868	50,050		18,768	2,056	12,680	13,100
Fruits, berries, greenhouse and hothouse products sold.....dollars..	62,276	2,043	56,968	100		60	75	175	2,855
Vegetables sold.....dollars..	99,179	19,878	58,174	3,484		964	100	9,297	7,282
All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars..	1,064,157	26,453	3,992	676,035	35,649	193,517	80,232	19,515	28,764
Dairy products sold.....dollars..	663,725	10,248		638,439		174	604	4,680	9,580
Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars..	237,631	9,655	3,652	12,669		188,640	979	11,542	10,494
Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy, poultry and poultry products.....dollars..	162,801	6,550	340	24,927	35,649	4,703	78,649	3,293	8,690
Number of farms reporting sales of any farm products.....number..	341	64	27	55	9	46	17	11	112
Average sales per farm reporting.....dollars..	4,610	4,116	5,349	13,267	3,961	4,644	4,851	4,497	475
LIVESTOCK AND LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS									
Livestock on April 1, 1950:									
Horses and mules of all ages including ponies.....farms reporting..	74	13	2	15	1	5	9	3	26
.....number..	207	22	2	29	2	6	91	4	51
Cattle and calves.....farms reporting..	170	31	4	55	1	12	13	6	48
.....number..	2,236	199	10	1,429	3	49	231	42	273
Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting..	158	30	3	55	1	9	13	5	42
.....number..	1,324	83	3	968	2	13	113	21	121
Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting..	32	8	1	7		3	5	1	7
.....number..	1,201	56	1	16		81	1,022	1	24
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting..	169	22	9	19	1	42	6	7	63
.....number..	20,278	1,351	587	1,749	30	12,425	217	1,161	2,758
Livestock and livestock products sold in 1949:									
Cattle and calves sold alive.....farms reporting..	53	8	1	20		4	6	4	10
.....number..	147	21	1	62		6	35	8	14
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting..	8	1					4		3
.....number..	433	4					404		25
Chickens sold.....farms reporting..	68	6	3	5		32	1	4	17
.....number..	31,767	510	239	458		27,554	25	1,706	1,275
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting..	119	13	5	14		42	4	7	34
.....dozens..	180,222	8,168	3,577	14,078		135,745	714	9,218	8,722
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED IN 1949									
Irish potatoes.....farms reporting..	285	64	19	23		24	5	10	138
.....acres..	1,030	617	56	127	(1)	55	27	23	125
.....bushels harvested..	184,862	119,206	11,397	22,934	20	10,505	2,103	5,427	13,270
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES IN 1949									
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting..	406	61	23	55	7	46	16	10	188
Hired labor.....farms reporting..	192	43	16	44	2	20	10	8	49
.....dollars..	221,658	33,855	23,425	103,381	4,400	9,349	23,892	8,411	14,945
Feed for livestock.....farms reporting..	165	20	4	53	6	14	15	5	48
.....dollars..	281,722	5,124	610	233,160	14,394	3,840	11,303	1,883	11,408
Feed for poultry.....farms reporting..	170	22	9	14	3	44	5	7	66
.....dollars..	157,062	9,469	2,610	6,599	2,800	111,421	600	5,353	18,210
Livestock purchased.....farms reporting..	80	14	1	27	1	7	4	3	23
.....dollars..	58,935	2,765	125	39,598	1,000	4,145	2,810	1,340	7,152
Poultry purchased.....farms reporting..	112	15	5	11		38	4	5	34
.....dollars..	25,439	1,033	709	1,725		19,632	160	295	1,885
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees.....farms reporting..	305	49	23	37	2	28	12	9	145
.....dollars..	57,720	11,745	11,359	21,907	14	2,138	1,169	1,452	7,936
Fertilizer purchased.....farms reporting..	261	54	22	36		20	4	9	116
.....dollars..	53,923	23,787	6,293	9,510		2,430	1,742	2,555	7,606

¹Reported in small fractions.

Table 15.—FARMS AND FARM CHARACTERISTICS, BY ECONOMIC CLASS: CENSUS OF 1950

Item (For definitions and explanations, see text)	Total all farms	Economic class									
		Commercial farms						Other farms			
		Total	Class I	Class II	Class III	Class IV	Class V	Class VI	Part- time	Resi- dential	Ab- normal
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE											
Farms.....number..	525	229	5	37	60	53	54	20	59	149	88
Land owned by farm operators.....farms reporting..	495	213	4	34	57	52	48	18	57	145	80
Land owned by farm operators.....acres..	60,907	30,282	2,034	5,204	7,454	6,607	6,494	2,489	5,495	15,694	9,436
Land rented from others by farm operators.....farms reporting..	70	48	1	13	12	9	9	4	8	8	6
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres..	203,740	202,188	50	200,470	580	465	456	167	648	359	545
Land managed by farm operators.....farms reporting..	10	5	1	2	1	.....	1	.....	.....	1	4
Land managed by farm operators.....acres..	157,152	154,240	160	100,160	920	.....	53,000	.....	.....	12	2,900
Land in farms.....acres..	421,799	386,710	2,244	305,834	8,954	7,072	59,950	2,656	6,143	16,065	12,881
Average size of farm.....acres..	803.4	1,688.7	448.8	8,265.8	149.2	133.4	1,110.2	132.8	104.1	107.8	146.4
Value of land and buildings.....total..dollars..	6,543,970	4,384,570	329,000	1,235,823	675,910	633,057	1,377,450	133,330	511,902	1,061,998	585,500
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars..	12,465	19,147	65,800	33,401	11,265	11,944	25,508	6,666	8,676	7,128	6,653
Value of land and buildings.....average per acre, dollars..	15.51	11.34	146.61	4.04	75.49	89.52	22.98	50.20	83.33	66.11	45.45
Land in farms according to use:											
Cropland, total.....farms reporting..	414	185	4	27	50	44	44	16	52	127	50
Cropland, total.....acres..	12,385	8,165	427	2,096	2,397	1,314	1,588	343	972	2,241	1,007
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting..	310	178	3	26	47	43	43	16	45	78	9
Cropland harvested.....acres..	6,450	5,295	424	1,484	1,758	843	618	168	368	438	349
Under 10 acres.....farms reporting..	154	51	1	2	3	15	19	11	31	66	6
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting..	46	46	.....	1	8	11	10	2	10	4	.....
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting..	37	28	.....	2	11	6	8	1	3	5	1
30 to 39 acres.....farms reporting..	26	23	.....	4	9	4	5	1	.....	3	.....
40 to 49 acres.....farms reporting..	17	15	.....	2	8	4	1	.....	1	.....	1
50 to 59 acres.....farms reporting..	7	7	.....	3	2	1	.....	1	.....	.....	.....
60 to 69 acres.....farms reporting..	5	5	.....	3	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
70 to 79 acres.....farms reporting..	3	3	1	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
80 acres and over.....farms reporting..	15	14	1	7	6	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1
Cropland failure.....farms reporting..	47	25	.....	4	7	6	5	3	4	16	2
Cropland failure.....acres..	248	122	.....	13	29	41	32	7	21	100	5
Cropland pastured.....farms reporting..	127	79	1	15	23	16	21	3	14	30	4
Cropland pastured.....acres..	2,449	1,527	1	367	331	196	618	14	315	558	49
Cropland idle or fallow.....farms reporting..	203	64	1	8	20	14	15	6	16	81	42
Cropland idle or fallow.....acres..	3,238	1,221	2	232	279	234	320	154	268	1,145	604
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting..	119	84	2	15	30	12	18	7	11	17	7
Woodland pastured.....acres..	7,108	5,258	115	1,086	1,317	645	1,391	704	616	768	466
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting..	392	142	2	20	36	40	31	13	41	126	83
Woodland not pastured.....acres..	35,717	13,130	405	1,810	3,872	3,621	2,055	1,367	2,686	10,310	9,591
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting..	74	56	3	13	11	12	13	4	4	14	.....
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....acres..	356,471	355,785	697	300,485	296	349	53,874	84	372	314	.....
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting..	303	140	1	21	40	38	32	8	40	73	50
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....acres..	10,118	4,372	600	357	1,072	1,143	1,042	158	1,497	2,432	1,817
FARM OPERATORS											
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting..	436	191	4	30	52	45	44	16	53	120	72
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting..	45	12	1	4	1	3	1	2	3	15	15
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting..	322	71	.....	3	11	23	32	2	51	120	80
Off-farm work:											
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting..	331	92	.....	7	20	29	31	5	49	116	74
1 to 99 days.....operators reporting..	92	32	.....	5	6	7	9	5	10	27	23
100 days or more.....operators reporting..	239	60	.....	2	14	22	22	.....	39	89	51
Not working off their farm.....operators reporting..	179	129	5	26	38	24	21	15	9	29	12
Operators by age:											
Under 25 years.....operators reporting..	10	1	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	3	5
25 to 34 years.....operators reporting..	111	28	2	6	7	7	5	1	13	31	39
35 to 44 years.....operators reporting..	131	57	1	10	15	13	15	3	11	36	27
45 to 54 years.....operators reporting..	117	65	1	13	21	11	17	2	17	29	6
55 to 64 years.....operators reporting..	81	44	.....	5	8	15	8	8	11	23	3
65 years and over.....operators reporting..	33	12	.....	.....	2	4	2	4	2	18	1
Average age.....years..	44	47	38	44	47	48	52	56	44	46	36
Operators by years on present farm:											
Less than 5 years.....operators reporting..	289	92	.....	9	26	19	28	10	30	82	85
1 year or less.....operators reporting..	122	21	.....	3	4	6	7	1	9	13	79
5 to 9 years.....operators reporting..	80	37	.....	7	8	11	9	2	16	24	3
10 years or more.....operators reporting..	141	93	5	19	23	22	16	8	10	38	.....
Average number of years on present farm.....years..	7	9	20	11	8	9	8	8	6	8	1

Table 15.—FARMS AND FARM CHARACTERISTICS, BY ECONOMIC CLASS: CENSUS OF 1950—Continued

Item (For definitions and explanations, see text)	Total all farms	Economic class									
		Commercial farms						Other farms			
		Total	Class I	Class II	Class III	Class IV	Class V	Class VI	Part- time	Resi- dential	Ab- normal
SPECIFIED FACILITIES											
Telephone.....farms reporting..	86	54	3	10	14	12	14	1	11	14	7
Electricity.....farms reporting..	306	193	5	36	54	46	41	11	41	52	20
SPECIFIED EQUIPMENT ON FARMS											
Milking machine.....farms reporting..	51	49	4	20	22	2	1	.....	.....	1	1
Silos.....farms reporting..	50	44	2	15	20	4	3	.....	2	2	2
Motortrucks.....farms reporting..	297	165	5	31	49	41	32	7	34	67	31
.....number..	386	232	20	44	68	53	40	7	35	78	41
Year of newest model.....farms reporting..	290	160	5	30	46	41	32	6	32	67	31
Under 5 years.....farms reporting..	113	69	3	17	15	20	13	1	9	21	14
5 to 9 years.....farms reporting..	88	43	2	6	16	10	8	1	10	25	10
10 years and over.....farms reporting..	89	48	.....	7	15	11	11	4	13	21	7
Tractors.....farms reporting..	264	158	4	26	47	39	38	4	35	54	17
.....number..	321	205	13	39	55	49	45	4	36	60	20
Wheel and/or crawler tractors other than garden.....farms reporting..	248	153	4	26	47	38	35	3	31	51	13
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting..	221	145	4	26	46	36	30	3	28	39	9
.....number..	246	166	101	32	51	39	31	3	28	41	11
Year of newest model.....farms reporting..	205	135	2	24	44	33	29	3	25	36	9
Under 5 years.....farms reporting..	93	60	1	9	18	13	16	3	14	13	6
5 to 9 years.....farms reporting..	87	59	.....	12	24	13	10	.....	10	16	2
10 years and over.....farms reporting..	25	16	1	3	2	7	3	.....	1	7	1
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting..	41	21	2	5	3	5	6	.....	3	13	4
.....number..	45	25	3	6	3	6	7	.....	3	13	4
Garden tractors.....farms reporting..	30	14	.....	1	1	4	7	1	5	6	5
.....number..	30	14	.....	1	1	4	7	1	5	6	5
Automobiles.....farms reporting..	172	85	2	21	22	16	23	1	23	42	22
.....number..	191	99	5	28	22	18	25	1	26	44	22
Year of newest model.....farms reporting..	165	82	2	21	21	15	22	1	22	39	22
Under 5 years.....farms reporting..	80	42	2	15	9	10	6	.....	14	15	9
5 to 9 years.....farms reporting..	35	15	.....	4	3	1	6	1	1	9	10
10 years and over.....farms reporting..	50	25	.....	2	9	4	10	.....	7	15	3
Farms by class of work power:											
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting..	232	58	1	9	11	13	12	12	23	82	69
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting..	14	5	.....	.....	1	.....	2	2	.....	7	2
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules...farms reporting..	15	8	.....	2	1	1	2	2	1	6	.....
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting..	45	35	2	6	11	6	9	1	2	7	1
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting..	219	123	2	20	36	33	29	3	33	47	16
FARMS BY SIZE OF FARM											
Under 10 acres.....number..	58	26	1	6	6	6	7	.....	8	18	6
10 to 29 acres.....number..	29	9	.....	1	2	3	3	.....	4	13	3
30 to 49 acres.....number..	48	19	.....	1	3	6	6	3	5	17	7
50 to 69 acres.....number..	22	12	.....	.....	5	2	3	2	6	4	.....
70 to 99 acres.....number..	59	26	.....	3	10	8	3	2	9	15	9
100 to 139 acres.....number..	64	30	.....	5	7	6	10	2	2	19	13
140 to 179 acres.....number..	169	52	1	9	9	12	14	7	21	50	46
180 to 219 acres.....number..	17	13	.....	2	7	2	.....	2	.....	3	1
220 to 259 acres.....number..	13	9	.....	2	2	3	1	1	1	3	.....
260 to 499 acres.....number..	32	20	1	3	7	3	5	1	3	7	2
500 to 999 acres.....number..	10	10	2	3	2	2	1	.....	.....	.....	.....
1,000 and over.....number..	4	3	.....	2	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	1

Table 15.—FARMS AND FARM CHARACTERISTICS, BY ECONOMIC CLASS: CENSUS OF 1950—Continued

Item (For definitions and explanations, see text)	Total all farms	Economic class									
		Commercial farms						Other farms			
		Total	Class I	Class II	Class III	Class IV	Class V	Class VI	Part- time	Resi- dential	Ab- normal
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM											
Potato farms.....number..	64	64		4	16	18	19	7			
Vegetable farms.....number..	22	22		5	2	7	5	3			
Potato-vegetable farms.....number..	5	5			2	1	2				
Dairy farms.....number..	55	55	5	18	26	2	4				
Hog farms.....number..	4	4		2		2					
Sheep farms.....number..	2	2		2							
Fur farms.....number..	9	9		1	1	3	3	1			
Poultry farms.....number..	46	46		3	12	14	13	4			
Livestock farms other than dairy, hog, sheep, fur, and poultry farms.....number..	11	11				1	6	4			
General farms.....number..	11	11		2	1	5	2	1			
Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number..	296								59	149	88
VALUE OF FARM PRODUCTS SOLD IN 1949 BY SOURCE											
All farm products sold.....dollars..	1,571,931	1,518,690	246,588	547,102	424,823	190,964	96,045	13,168	34,814	4,904	13,523
All crops sold.....dollars..	507,774	483,297	25,000	154,245	145,207	103,501	48,781	6,563	20,947	2,690	840
Small grains and hay sold.....dollars..	12,411	11,171		640	505	7,576	2,270	180	300	190	750
Irish potatoes and other field crops sold.....dollars..	333,908	320,808	25,000	82,652	109,810	63,210	35,521	4,615	11,605	1,445	50
Vegetables sold.....dollars..	99,179	91,897		29,720	26,265	29,054	5,235	1,623	6,677	565	40
Fruits, berries, greenhouse and hothouse products sold.....dollars..	62,276	59,421		41,233	8,627	3,661	5,755	145	2,365	490	
All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars..	1,064,157	1,035,393	221,588	392,857	279,616	87,463	47,264	6,605	13,867	2,214	12,683
Dairy products sold.....dollars..	663,725	654,145	216,190	261,397	162,100	7,311	7,147		940	30	8,610
Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars..	237,631	227,137	990	49,541	99,785	52,949	20,521	3,351	7,561	505	2,428
Livestock and livestock products other than dairy, poultry, and poultry products sold.....dollars..	162,801	154,111	4,408	81,919	17,731	27,203	19,596	3,254	5,366	1,679	1,645
Number of farms reporting sales of any farm products..... number..	341	229	5	37	60	53	54	20	59	45	8
Average sales per farm reporting.....dollars..	4,610	6,632	49,318	14,787	7,080	3,603	1,779	658	590	109	1,690
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES IN 1949											
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting..	406	218	5	36	60	51	48	18	55	107	26
Hired labor.....farms reporting..	192	143	5	33	42	29	27	7	21	22	6
dollars..	221,658	206,713	52,718	77,156	38,305	24,237	12,248	2,049	6,924	6,231	1,790
Feed for livestock.....farms reporting..	165	117	5	26	41	15	21	9	13	30	5
dollars..	281,722	270,314	80,332	95,493	63,410	12,696	17,025	1,358	2,412	7,746	1,250
Feed for poultry.....farms reporting..	170	104	1	10	30	27	28	8	29	33	4
dollars..	157,062	138,852	685	21,227	60,458	36,551	16,811	3,120	9,594	5,706	2,910
Livestock purchased.....farms reporting..	80	57	4	16	19	8	8	2	7	12	4
dollars..	58,935	51,783	7,370	21,154	16,269	2,350	4,180	460	3,195	3,122	835
Poultry purchased.....farms reporting..	112	78	1	7	23	19	22	6	17	15	2
dollars..	25,439	23,554	530	7,014	6,719	6,865	1,935	491	1,103	699	83
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees.....farms reporting..	305	160	1	25	46	37	40	11	41	83	21
dollars..	57,720	49,784	3,870	15,534	17,000	7,295	5,395	690	3,222	4,021	693
Fertilizer purchased.....farms reporting..	261	145	1	24	44	35	34	7	41	63	12
dollars..	53,923	46,317	50	12,053	17,293	9,264	6,261	1,396	4,662	2,398	546