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Table 32. --Expenditures of farm-operator families for family consumption, for personal insurance and for gifts and contributions, by education of operator, Southern region: 1955¹

Category	Years of schooling				Category	Years of schooling			
	Under 9	9 or more	Under 9	9 or more		Under 9	9 or more	Under 9	9 or more
Total number of farm-operator families.....	1,583,392	666,642	XXX	XXX					
Percent of all families.....	70	29	--	--					
	Average expenditure per family (dollars)		Percent of families purchasing			Average expenditure per family (dollars)		Percent of families purchasing	
Expenditures for consumption, for personal insurance and for gifts and contributions ²	2,287	3,862	100	100	Boys, ages 2-15.....	35	51	39	46
Expenditures for consumption--total.....	2,164	3,501	100	100	Men and boys ages 16 and over.....	115	166	97	96
Food and beverages--total ³	689	918	(NA)	(NA)	Infants and children under 2 years.....	3	3	10	12
Food at home.....	588	731	100	99	Upkeep and materials.....	40	76	96	98
Food and beverages away from home ³	97	182	86	92	Transportation--total.....	280	489	(NA)	(NA)
Alcoholic beverages at home.....	4	6	10	16	Automobile and truck (family use)--total.....	270	472	(NA)	(NA)
Dwelling upkeep ⁴	102	230	78	91	Purchase.....	123	248	24	32
Housefurnishings and equipment--total.....	161	257	(NA)	(NA)	Upkeep.....	147	224	72	93
Household textiles.....	20	31	82	87	Other transportation.....	11	16	28	39
Furniture.....	41	63	45	53	Medical care--total.....	189	299	(NA)	(NA)
Floor coverings.....	7	20	33	33	Prepaid or insurance.....	28	48	39	59
Equipment--major items ⁵	59	73	25	27	Other medical care.....	161	251	98	100
Equipment--minor items ⁶	16	29	91	94	Personal care.....	56	92	100	100
Miscellaneous ⁷	19	42	89	94	Tobacco.....	49	59	80	69
Household operation--total.....	181	350	(NA)	(NA)	Recreation.....	69	149	79	94
Fuel, light, refrigeration, and water.....	110	186	98	99	Reading and education--total.....	21	64	(NA)	(NA)
Other household operation ⁸	71	164	100	100	Reading.....	10	22	69	91
Clothing--total.....	332	539	(NA)	(NA)	Education.....	12	42	34	43
Girls, ages 2-15.....	37	53	35	39	Other goods and services ⁹	34	54	73	90
Women and girls ages 16 and over.....	103	190	95	97	Personal insurance.....	36	128	62	74
					Gifts and contributions ¹⁰	86	234	92	99

NA Not available.
¹ Excludes Maryland and Delaware.
² This total differs from the "total expenditures for family living" shown in tables 17-20 of this report. Tables 21-49 exclude the purchase cost of acquiring on-and off-farm dwellings, either by purchase of new or existing dwellings, by new construction, or by additions and capital improvements to existing structures.
³ This total differs from the "Food" total shown in tables 17-20. In tables 17-20, "Food" excludes alcoholic beverages purchased for consumption at home, as well as alcoholic beverages purchased in restaurants and bars; alcoholic beverage expenses in tables 17-20 are included in the group "Tobacco and Alcoholic Beverages".
⁴ "Dwelling Upkeep" differs from the "Shelter" total shown in tables 17-20. "Dwelling Upkeep" includes for owned dwellings the dwelling share of the cost of real estate taxes and special assessments, insurance premiums, mortgage interest, legal and settlement charges. It also includes for both owned and rented dwellings the cost of repairs, replacements, and alterations, and cash rent for off-farm dwellings. "Dwelling Upkeep" does not include the purchase cost of dwellings or the cost of additions to existing structures. See footnote 2.
⁵ Includes cost of mechanical refrigerators, home freezers, cook stoves, and washing machines.
⁶ Includes all other kitchen, cleaning, and laundry equipment except mechanical refrigerators, home freezers, cook stoves and washing machines.
⁷ Includes glassware, china, and silverware, and miscellaneous home furnishings.
⁸ Includes household services and laundry supplies, cleaning and other supplies.
⁹ Includes funerals for family members, legal and banking charges, occupational expenses, poll taxes and personal property taxes.
¹⁰ This total includes all contributions and gifts, whether in the form of cash or purchased gifts. In tables 17-20, purchased gifts are included in the commodity subgroup and group. For example, purchased gifts of clothing are included under "Clothing".

Table 36. --Expenditures of farm-operator families for family consumption, for personal insurance and for gifts and contributions, by color of operator, United States: 1955

Category	Color of operator				Category	Color of operator			
	White	Non-white	White	Non-white		White	Non-white	White	Non-white
Total number of farm-operator families	4,293,425	466,625	XXX	XXX					
Percent of all families	90	10	--	--					
	Average expenditure per family (dollars)		Percent of families purchasing			Average expenditure per family (dollars)		Percent of families purchasing	
Expenditures for consumption, for personal insurance and for gifts and contributions ¹	3,289	1,778	100	100	Boys, ages 2-15.....	42	43	38	52
Expenditures for consumption--total	3,035	1,692	100	100	Men and boys, ages 16 and over.....	139	112	98	95
Food and beverages--total ²	873	597	(NA)	(NA)	Infants and children under 2 years...	4	4	11	17
Food at home.....	734	523	100	100	Upkeep and materials.....	50	36	96	96
Food and beverages away from home ²	130	69	87	84	Transportation--total.....	398	174	(NA)	(NA)
Alcoholic beverages at home.....	9	6	26	14	Automobile and truck (family use)--				
Dwelling upkeep ³	207	46	90	59	total.....	381	162	(NA)	(NA)
Housefurnishings and equipment--total.....	214	141	(NA)	(NA)	Purchase.....	177	73	27	16
Household textiles.....	26	16	85	76	Upkeep.....	204	90	91	51
Furniture.....	55	29	54	34	Other transportation.....	17	11	36	32
Floor coverings.....	18	6	30	43	Medical care--total.....	253	118	(NA)	(NA)
Equipment--major items ⁴	57	62	24	25	Prepaid or insurance.....	44	23	53	31
Equipment--minor items ⁵	28	13	94	84	Other medical care.....	209	95	99	97
Miscellaneous ⁶	30	14	94	83	Personal care.....	71	47	100	100
Household operation--total.....	323	107	(NA)	(NA)	Tobacco.....	50	45	68	82
Fuel, light, refrigeration, and water.....	208	63	99	96	Recreation.....	130	47	90	77
Other household operation ⁷	120	44	100	100	Reading and education--total.....	46	15	(NA)	(NA)
Clothing--total.....	412	134	(NA)	(NA)	Reading.....	20	5	91	45
Girls, ages 2-15.....	43	39	35	46	Education.....	26	11	36	42
Women and girls, ages 16 and over.....	135	100	96	98	Other goods and services ⁸	56	22	87	60
					Personal insurance.....	92	33	64	62
					Gifts and contributions ⁹	163	53	96	96

NA Not available.

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Table 44.--Expenditures of farm-operator families for family consumption, for personal insurance and for gifts and contributions, by disposable family money income and family size, United States: 1955--Continued

Category of expense and size of economic family	Family money income after taxes													
	All income classes ¹	Under \$1,000					All income classes ¹	Under \$1,000						
		All	\$250-999	\$1,000-1,999	\$2,000-2,999	\$3,000-3,999		\$4,000-7,499	All	\$250-999	\$1,000-1,999	\$2,000-2,999	\$3,000-3,999	\$4,000-7,499
Average expenditure per family (dollars)							Percent of families purchasing							
Expenditures for consumption, for personal insurance and for gifts and contributions--Continued														
Gifts and contributions ¹⁰														
2 persons.....	154	74	87	120	177	195	104	95	89	94	97	99	98	99
3 persons.....	174	88	77	116	167	235	271	93	84	91	99	99	100	100
4 persons.....	161	82	62	124	183	178	221	83	84	93	98	100	98	97
5 persons.....	174	157	139	91	141	118	221	97	96	98	93	96	95	100
6 persons or more.....	118	59	63	97	61	141	138	95	92	93	90	97	99	97

NA Not available.
 Z Less than \$0.50 or 0.5 percent

¹ Includes families not reporting income status and families in income classes not shown separately, if any. Total money income, as collected in this survey, was subject to under-reporting, particularly for income from operation of the farm. The income distributions given here are not corrected for this under-reporting, but should nevertheless be useful for classifying families into homogeneous groups with respect to 1955 income, for the presentation of expenditure data. See text discussion on page 3.

² This total differs from the "total expenditures for family living" shown in tables 17-20 of this report. Tables 21-49 exclude the purchase cost of acquiring on- and off-farm dwellings, either by purchase of new or existing dwellings, by new construction, or by additions and capital improvements to existing structures.

³ This total differs from the "Food" total shown in tables 17-20. In tables 17-20, "Food" excludes alcoholic beverages purchased for consumption at home, as well as alcoholic beverages purchased in restaurants and bars; alcoholic beverage expenses in tables 17-20 are included in the group "Tobacco and Alcoholic Beverages."

⁴ "Dwelling Upkeep" differs from the "Shelter" total shown in tables 17-20. "Dwelling Upkeep" includes the dwelling share for owned dwellings of the cost of real estate taxes and special assessments, insurance premiums, mortgage interest, legal and settlement charges. It also includes for both owned and rented dwellings the cost of repairs, replacements, and alterations, and cash rent for off-farm dwellings. "Dwelling Upkeep" does not include the purchase cost of dwellings or the cost of additions to existing structures. See footnote 2.

⁵ Includes cost of mechanical refrigerators, home freezers, cook stoves, and washing machines.

⁶ Includes all other kitchen, cleaning, and laundry equipment except mechanical refrigerators, home freezers, cook stoves and washing machines.

⁷ Includes glassware, china, and silverware, and miscellaneous home furnishings.

⁸ Includes household services and laundry supplies, cleaning and other supplies.

⁹ Includes funerals for family members, legal and banking charges, occupational expenses, poll taxes and personal property taxes.

¹⁰ This total includes all contributions and gifts, whether in the form of cash, or purchased gifts. In Tables 17-20, purchased gifts are included in the commodity outgroup and group. For example, purchased gifts of clothing are included under "Clothing."

Footnotes to table A-1.

- 1. Not available.
- 2. Less than \$0.50 or 5.0 percent.
- 3. Includes families not reporting income status and families in income classes not shown separately, if any. Total money income, as collected in this survey, was subject to under-reporting, particularly for income from operation of the farm; the income distributions given here are not corrected for this under-reporting, but should nevertheless be useful for classifying families into homogeneous groups (with respect to 1976 income), for the presentation of expenditure data. See text discussion on page 1.
- 4. This total differs from the "total expenditures for family living" shown in tables 17-20 of this report. Tables 21-49 exclude the purchase cost of acquiring on- and off-farm dwellings, either by purchase of new or existing dwellings, by new construction, or by additions and capital improvements to existing structures.
- 5. This total differs from the "Food" total shown in tables 17-20. In tables 17-20, "Food" excludes alcoholic beverages purchased for consumption at home, as well as alcoholic beverages purchased in restaurants and bars; alcoholic beverage expenses in tables 17-20 are included in the group "Tobacco and Alcoholic Beverages."
- 6. "Dwelling upkeep" differs from the "Housing" total shown in tables 17-20. "Dwelling upkeep" includes for owned dwellings the dwelling share of the cost of real estate taxes and special assessments, insurance premiums, mortgage interest, legal and settlement charges. It also includes for both owned and rented dwellings the cost of repairs, replacements, and alterations, and cash rent for off-farm dwellings. "Dwelling upkeep" does not include the purchase cost of dwellings or the cost of additions to existing structures. See footnote 2.
- 7. Includes cost of mechanical refrigerators, home freezers, cook stoves, and washing machines.
- 8. Includes all other kitchen, cleaning, and laundry equipment except mechanical refrigerators, home freezers, cook stoves and washing machines.
- 9. Includes glassware, china, and silverware, and miscellaneous home furnishings.
- 10. Includes household services and laundry supplies, cleaning and other supplies.
- 11. Includes funerals for family members, legal and banking charges, occupational expenses, poll taxes and personal property taxes.
- 12. This total includes all contributions and gifts, whether in the form of cash or purchased gifts. In Tables 17-20, purchased gifts are included in the commodity subgroup and group. For example, purchased gifts of clothing are included under "Clothing."

Footnotes for table 46.

NA Not available.

¹ Includes families not reporting income status and families in income classes not shown separately, if any. Total money income, as collected in this survey, was subject to under-reporting, particularly for income from operation of the farm. The income distributions given here are not corrected for this under-reporting, but should nevertheless be useful for classifying families into homogeneous groups (with respect to 1955 income), for the presentation of expenditure data. See text discussion on page 3.

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Table 59. --Comparison of annual average food expenditures obtained on annual basis from farm expenditures survey, 1955, with spring 1955 food survey based on one week detailed record, for specified regions and the United States

Item	United States		Northeast		North Central		South		West	
	Farm expenditure survey	Spring ¹ 1955	Farm expenditure survey	Spring ¹ 1955	Farm expenditure survey	Spring ¹ 1955	Farm expenditure survey	Spring ¹ 1955	Farm expenditure survey	Spring ¹ 1955
Average family size.....	3.83	4.01	3.77	3.83	3.74	3.88	3.94	4.17	3.72	3.91
Expenditure for food at home ²	<i>Dollars</i> 724	<i>Dollars</i> 781	<i>Dollars</i> 912	<i>Dollars</i> 976	<i>Dollars</i> 741	<i>Dollars</i> 824	<i>Dollars</i> 636	<i>Dollars</i> 666	<i>Dollars</i> 964	<i>Dollars</i> 1,010
Expenditure for food away from home ²	124	111	132	110	118	115	122	99	151	160
Total.....	848	892	1,044	1,086	859	939	758	765	1,115	1,170
Average per person.....	221	222	277	284	230	242	192	183	300	299
1 person families.....	391	453	(NA)	837	475	474	306	352	(NA)	528
2 person families.....	580	617	(NA)	742	568	645	516	554	(NA)	676
3 person families.....	822	830	(NA)	957	766	860	758	731	(NA)	1,118
4 person families.....	970	999	(NA)	1,480	973	974	878	894	(NA)	1,266
5 person families.....	1,088	1,016	(NA)	1,269	1,131	1,105	966	750	(NA)	1,522
6 person families.....	1,086	1,171	(NA)	(NA)	1,070	1,332	906	934	(NA)	(NA)
7 person or more families.....	1,172	1,215	(NA)	(NA)	1,381	1,416	1,018	1,029	(NA)	(NA)

NA Not available.

¹ Expanded by 52.

² Includes alcoholic beverages.

Table 50. --Expenditures for cash wages paid hired farm workers--comparison of census of agriculture, 1954, with farm expenditure sample survey, 1955--with averages per farm and percent distribution, for eight regions, North, South, West, and the United States

Region	Total (000 dollars)			Average per farm reporting (dollars)			Percent of total		
	Census, 1954		Survey 1955	Census, 1954		Survey 1955	Census, 1954		Survey 1955
	Actual ¹	Survey sample ²		Actual ¹	Survey sample ²		Actual	Survey sample	
United States.....	2,279,344	(NA)	2,561,623	1,026	(NA)	1,028	100	(NA)	100
North.....	787,627	842,100	819,573	831	851	786	34	(NA)	32
Northeast ³	306,263	341,100	324,549	1,773	1,906	1,726	13	(NA)	13
East North Central.....	237,812	221,400	220,781	696	622	569	10	(NA)	8
West North Central.....	243,552	279,600	274,243	562	615	587	11	(NA)	11
South.....	768,412	(NA)	953,301	735	(NA)	802	34	(NA)	37
South Atlantic ⁴	278,465	(NA)	355,773	690	(NA)	784	12	(NA)	14
East South Central.....	134,403	(NA)	183,354	401	(NA)	453	6	(NA)	7
West South Central.....	355,544	(NA)	414,174	1,197	(NA)	1,255	16	(NA)	16
West.....	721,305	669,000	788,749	3,181	2,819	3,034	32	(NA)	31
Mountain.....	200,996	187,900	254,662	2,070	1,925	2,254	9	(NA)	10
Pacific.....	522,309	481,100	534,087	4,010	3,443	3,633	23	(NA)	21

NA Not available.

¹ Adapted from Chapter XI, Table 8, Volume II, General Report, United States Census of Agriculture: 1954.

² Data for farms included in Expenditure Survey expanded to Census number of farms.

³ Includes Maryland and Delaware.

⁴ Excludes Maryland and Delaware.

Table 51. --Expenditures for machine hire and custom work--comparison of census of agriculture, 1954, with farm expenditure sample survey, 1955--with averages per farm and percent distribution for eight regions, North, South, West, and the United States

Region	Total (000 dollars)			Average per farm reporting (dollars)			Percent of total		
	Census, 1954		Survey 1955	Census, 1954		Survey 1955	Census, 1954		Survey 1955
	Actual ¹	Survey sample ²		Actual ¹	Survey Sample ²		Actual	Survey sample	
United States.....	638,097	(NA)	677,338	251	(NA)	(NA)	100	(NA)	100
North.....	282,503	274,000	330,835	223	207	(NA)	44	(NA)	49
Northeast ³	35,930	37,400	39,857	190	174	(NA)	5	(NA)	6
East North Central.....	95,945	95,300	127,208	194	188	(NA)	15	(NA)	19
West North Central.....	150,628	141,300	163,770	259	235	(NA)	24	(NA)	24
South.....	223,438	(NA)	240,066	209	(NA)	(NA)	35	(NA)	35
South Atlantic ⁴	55,086	(NA)	77,017	140	(NA)	(NA)	9	(NA)	11
East South Central.....	47,473	(NA)	62,226	130	(NA)	(NA)	7	(NA)	9
West South Central.....	120,879	(NA)	100,823	390	(NA)	(NA)	19	(NA)	15
West.....	132,116	106,700	106,437	626	216	(NA)	21	(NA)	16
Mountain.....	95,499	50,400	43,122	576	521	(NA)	9	(NA)	6
Pacific.....	76,657	56,300	63,315	668	441	(NA)	12	(NA)	10

NA Not available.

¹ Adapted from Chapter XI, Table 8, Volume II, General Report, United States Census of Agriculture: 1954.

² Data for farms included in Expenditure Survey expanded to Census number of farms.

³ Includes Maryland and Delaware.

⁴ Excludes Maryland and Delaware.

Table 62. --Expenditures for feed for livestock and poultry--comparison of census of agriculture, 1954, with farm expenditure sample survey, 1955, with averages per farm and percent distribution for eight regions, North, South, West, and the United States

Region	Total (000 dollars)			Average per farm purchasing (dollars)			Percent of total		
	Census, 1954		Survey 1955	Census, 1954		Survey 1955	Census, 1954		Survey 1955
	Actual ¹	Survey sample ²		Actual ¹	Survey sample ²		Actual	Survey sample	
United States.....	3,906,048	(NA)	4,248,296	1,069	(NA)	1,012	100	(NA)	100
North.....	2,343,645	2,252,000	2,499,250	1,355	1,276	1,339	60	(NA)	59
Northeast ³	720,062	701,000	737,147	2,530	2,280	2,254	18	(NA)	17
East North Central.....	695,924	669,700	636,012	1,052	963	896	18	(NA)	15
West North Central.....	927,659	881,300	1,126,091	1,185	1,158	1,358	24	(NA)	27
South.....	939,202	(NA)	986,324	585	(NA)	495	24	(NA)	23
South Atlantic ⁴	345,098	(NA)	381,183	634	(NA)	527	9	(NA)	9
East South Central.....	192,858	(NA)	236,596	366	(NA)	346	5	(NA)	5
West South Central.....	401,446	(NA)	368,545	750	(NA)	627	10	(NA)	9
West.....	623,201	612,600	762,722	2,127	2,056	2,270	16	(NA)	18
Mountain.....	194,325	159,300	219,496	1,468	1,160	1,360	5	(NA)	5
Pacific.....	428,876	453,300	543,226	2,670	2,821	3,069	11	(NA)	13

NA Not available.

¹ Adapted from Chapter XI, Table 8, Volume II, General Report, United States Census of Agriculture: 1954.

² Data for farms included in Expenditures Survey expanded to Census number of farms.

³ Includes Maryland and Delaware.

⁴ Excludes Maryland and Delaware.

Table 63. --Expenditures for petroleum fuels and lubricants--comparison of census of agriculture, 1954, with farm expenditure sample survey, 1955--with averages per farm and percent distribution for eight regions, North, South, West, and the United States

Region	Total (000 dollars)			Average per farm purchasing (dollars)			Percent of total		
	Census 1954		Survey 1955	Census, 1954		Survey 1955	Census, 1954		Survey 1955
	Actual ¹	Survey sample ²		Actual ¹	Survey sample ²		Actual	Survey sample	
United States.....	1,366,244	(NA)	1,767,936	418	(NA)	424	100	(NA)	100
North.....	778,897	804,200	953,600	445	460	478	57	(NA)	54
Northeast ³	104,184	102,800	133,522	359	338	377	7	(NA)	8
East North Central.....	267,428	283,300	317,861	399	427	416	20	(NA)	18
West North Central.....	407,285	418,100	502,217	517	536	573	30	(NA)	28
South.....	374,695	(NA)	573,763	315	(NA)	325	27	(NA)	32
South Atlantic ⁴	119,032	(NA)	195,451	270	(NA)	319	9	(NA)	11
East South Central.....	77,170	(NA)	139,416	219	(NA)	230	5	(NA)	8
West South Central.....	178,493	(NA)	238,896	450	(NA)	434	13	(NA)	13
West.....	212,652	211,100	240,573	648	625	591	16	(NA)	14
Mountain.....	104,867	110,000	126,400	697	710	726	8	(NA)	8
Pacific.....	107,785	101,100	114,173	606	553	490	8	(NA)	6

NA Not available.

¹ Adapted from Chapter XI, Table 8, Volume II, General Report, United States Census of Agriculture: 1954.

² Data for farms included in Expenditure Survey expanded to Census number of farms.

³ Includes Maryland and Delaware.

⁴ Excludes Maryland and Delaware.

Table 64.--Expenditures for commercial fertilizer--comparison of census of agriculture, 1954, with farm expenditure sample survey, 1955--with averages per farm and percent distribution for eight regions, North, South, West, and the United States

Region	Total (000 dollars)			Average per farm purchasing (dollars)			Percent of total		
	Census, 1954		Survey 1955	Census, 1954		Survey 1955	Census, 1954		Survey 1955
	Actual ¹	Survey sample ²		Actual ¹	Survey sample ²		Actual	Survey sample	
United States.....	1,079,265	(NA)	1,240, 43	370	(NA)	378	100	(NA)	100
North.....	499,452	524,400	560,195	409	404	393	46	(NA)	45
Northeast ³	108,527	118,700	123,264	456	436	410	10	(NA)	10
East North Central.....	228,329	231,000	262,473	400	387	395	21	(NA)	21
West North Central.....	162,696	174,700	174,458	395	407	378	15	(NA)	14
South.....	458,759	(NA)	546,156	295	(NA)	327	43	(NA)	44
South Atlantic ⁴	244,385	(NA)	287,087	375	(NA)	439	23	(NA)	23
East South Central.....	135,477	(NA)	166,469	218	(NA)	254	13	(NA)	13
West South Central.....	78,897	(NA)	92,600	280	(NA)	258	7	(NA)	8
West.....	121,054	130,800	134,592	854	885	712	11	(NA)	11
Mountain.....	32,175	32,100	38,978	651	654	672	3	(NA)	3
Pacific.....	88,879	98,700	95,614	964	1,000	730	8	(NA)	8

NA Not available.

¹ Adapted from Chapter XI, Table 8, Volume II, General Report, United States Census of Agriculture: 1954.

² Data for farms included in Expenditure Survey expanded to Census number of farms.

³ Includes Maryland and Delaware.

⁴ Excludes Maryland and Delaware.

Table 65.--Expenditures for lime and liming materials--comparison of census of Agriculture, 1954, with farm expenditure sample survey, 1955,--with averages per farm and percent distribution for eight regions, North, South, West, and the United States

Region	Total (000 dollars)			Average per farm purchasing (dollars)			Percent of total		
	Census, 1954		Survey 1955	Census, 1954		Survey 1955	Census, 1954		Survey 1955
	Actual ¹	Survey sample ²		Actual ¹	Survey sample ²		Actual	Survey sample	
United States.....	69,477	(NA)	77,555	133	(NA)	98	100	(NA)	100
North.....	50,636	46,300	48,049	137	125	99	73	(NA)	62
Northeast ³	13,303	13,900	14,773	133	124	102	19	(NA)	19
East North Central.....	24,981	23,300	24,350	158	133	101	36	(NA)	31
West North Central.....	12,352	9,100	8,926	140	110	90	18	(NA)	12
South.....	17,353	(NA)	22,398	119	(NA)	83	25	(NA)	29
South Atlantic ⁴	9,865	(NA)	9,913	117	(NA)	72	14	(NA)	13
East South Central.....	6,015	(NA)	10,088	117	(NA)	107	9	(NA)	13
West South Central.....	1,473	(NA)	2,397	150	(NA)	61	2	(NA)	3
West.....	1,488	2,000	7,108	273	213	197	2	(NA)	9
Mountain.....	26	--	743	122	--	106	(2)	(NA)	1
Pacific.....	1,462	2,000	6,365	279	213	219	2	(NA)	8

NA Not available.

¹ Less than 0.5 percent.

² Adapted from Chapter XI, Table 8, Volume II, General Report, United States Census of Agriculture: 1954.

³ Data for farms included in Expenditure Survey expanded to Census number of farms.

⁴ Includes Maryland and Delaware.

⁵ Excludes Maryland and Delaware.

Table 66. --Value of farm products sold--census of agriculture, 1954, and expenditure survey and official estimates, 1955, with averages per farm and percent distribution, for regions, North, South, West, and the United States

Region	Total (million dollars)				Average per farm (dollars)				Percent of total			
	Census 1954 ¹	Survey, 1955		Official estimates 1955 ²	Census 1954 ¹	Survey, 1955		Official estimates 1955	Census 1954	Survey, 1955		Official estimates 1955
		A Sample	B Sample			A Sample	B Sample ³			A Sample	B Sample	
United States.....	24,814	26,443	25,593	29,542	5,189	5,655	5,377	5,810	100	100	100	100
North.....	13,092	14,409	13,962	15,540	6,289	7,069	6,765	7,054	53	54	54	53
Northeast.....	2,353	2,481	2,394	2,901	6,223	6,809	6,350	7,041	10	9	9	10
East North Central.....	4,614	4,882	4,715	5,384	5,777	6,247	5,962	6,402	18	18	18	18
West North Central.....	6,125	7,046	6,853	7,255	6,766	7,896	7,649	7,637	25	27	27	25
South.....	6,752	7,388	7,551	8,522	2,964	3,324	3,319	3,510	27	28	30	29
South Atlantic.....	2,337	2,532	2,368	3,187	2,849	3,207	2,842	3,635	9	9	9	11
East South Central.....	1,544	2,008	1,668	2,025	1,956	2,553	2,132	2,420	7	8	7	7
West South Central.....	2,871	2,848	3,515	3,310	4,297	4,407	5,330	4,635	11	11	14	11
West.....	4,970	4,646	4,080	5,480	11,757	11,198	9,692	12,074	20	18	16	18
Mountain.....	1,799	1,710	1,445	1,922	9,993	9,647	7,993	9,876	7	7	6	6
Pacific.....	3,171	2,936	2,635	3,558	13,066	12,350	10,971	13,723	13	11	10	12

¹ Adapted from Chapter XI, Table 9, Volume II, General Report, United States Census of Agriculture: 1954.

² Cash receipts from farm marketings. Adapted from table 5 of the Farm Income Situation (FIS-165), September 1957. Not adjusted for differences in coverage.

³ Average per farm-operator family.

⁴ Includes Maryland and Delaware.

⁵ Excludes Maryland and Delaware.

Table 67. --Number of livestock on farms--survey and official estimates, United States, and percent distribution by eight regions, North, South, and West, January 1, 1956¹

Region	All cattle and calves		Cows and heifers Keep. for milk		Calves under 1 year old		All other cattle		Hogs and pigs		Sheep and lambs	
	Survey	Official estimates	Survey	Official estimates	Survey	Official estimates	Survey	Official estimates	Survey	Official estimates	Survey	Official estimates
Number (thousands)												
United States.....	99,296	96,804	26,576	28,693	26,140	25,023	46,580	43,088	53,236	55,173	25,427	31,273
Percent of total												
United States.....	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
North.....	52	51	66	64	50	54	44	41	74	76	35	32
Northeast ²	7	6	17	16	3	4	2	2	2	3	2	2
East North Central.....	16	15	27	25	14	15	12	9	30	29	15	10
West North Central.....	29	30	22	23	33	35	30	30	42	44	18	20
South.....	31	31	24	26	31	28	36	36	23	21	19	25
South Atlantic ³	9	7	8	7	8	6	11	8	10	9	4	2
East South Central.....	8	8	9	10	8	7	8	8	8	8	3	4
West South Central.....	14	16	7	9	15	15	17	20	5	4	12	19
West.....	17	18	10	10	19	18	20	23	3	3	46	43
Mountain.....	10	11	6	4	12	12	13	15	1	1	34	33
Pacific.....	7	7	4	6	7	6	7	8	2	2	12	10

¹ The official estimates have been adapted from AMS publication, Livestock and Poultry Inventory, January 1, February 1957.

² Includes Maryland and Delaware.

³ Excludes Maryland and Delaware.

Table 88. --Farm production expenditures--average expenditure per farm before allocation of unitemized expenses, specified items and subgroups of expenditures for eight regions, North, South, West, and the United States: 1955

Expenditure group and item	United States	North			South			West				
		Total	Northeast ¹	East North Central	West North Central	Total	South Atlantic ²	East South Central	West South Central	Total	Mountain	Pacific
Number of farms.....	4,675,700	2,098,200	364,300	781,500	892,400	2,222,600	789,600	786,800	646,200	414,900	177,200	237,700
	Average expenditure per farm (dollars)											
Feed for livestock and poultry.....	908.43	1,226.21	2,023.47	813.84	1,261.90	443.78	482.78	300.71	570.36	1,838.39	1,238.70	2,285.35
Grains, total.....	151.37	264.48	81.09	173.02	419.45	41.92	40.31	40.74	45.32	181.85	234.54	342.56
Corn.....	106.71	192.90	33.62	134.24	309.27	29.71	30.78	34.89	22.09	28.14	40.56	18.87
Oats.....	26.54	47.53	35.58	27.32	71.04	7.27	7.83	4.67	9.77	24.62	31.74	19.31
Barley.....	8.07	1.83	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.78	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	68.00	(NA)	(NA)
Grain sorghums.....	8.75	10.95	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	3.03	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	23.57	(NA)	(NA)
Wheat.....	2.38	1.55	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.27	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	17.72	(NA)	(NA)
Mixed grains.....	1.71	1.81	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.09	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	9.07	(NA)	(NA)
Other grains and not specified.....	1.04	1.75	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.66	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.35	(NA)	(NA)
Unitemized expense for feed grain.....	2.17	3.76	2.19	8.08	.62	.11	.24	--	.09	5.38	12.49	.08
Hay and other roughages.....	85.51	56.98	61.07	42.72	67.75	42.76	30.46	23.07	81.78	454.60	370.70	517.12
Alfalfa hay, including mixtures.....	52.30	35.43	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	11.37	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	356.76	(NA)	(NA)
Other hay.....	27.33	18.54	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	26.44	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	75.26	(NA)	(NA)
Silage.....	2.66	1.96	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.32	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	18.56	(NA)	(NA)
Other roughages.....	3.02	1.05	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	4.63	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	4.02	(NA)	(NA)
Commercial mixed feeds and supplements.....	499.37	664.71	1567.65	430.77	500.98	283.11	358.54	178.98	317.74	845.48	315.10	1240.81
Poultry feeds.....	276.44	331.19	960.97	157.04	226.56	177.72	245.94	93.74	196.62	536.18	141.66	830.27
Laying mash and supplements.....	101.24	143.04	370.35	79.55	97.65	43.12	58.46	25.00	46.43	307.27	53.15	322.17
Scratch grains.....	12.42	18.66	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	5.04	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	21.23	(NA)	(NA)
Starter mash.....	20.78	33.84	50.56	27.98	32.14	8.05	7.55	5.97	11.20	24.76	10.83	35.14
Grower mash.....	19.91	26.50	86.40	10.59	15.98	13.77	20.47	12.82	6.74	20.37	8.37	29.32
Broiler mash.....	55.33	28.80	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	78.03	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	63.84	(NA)	(NA)
Oyster shell and grit.....	3.15	5.65	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.93	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	2.79	(NA)	(NA)
Turkey mash.....	14.98	20.28	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	6.89	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	32.28	(NA)	(NA)
Unitemized expense for chicken feed.....	48.66	54.42	201.16	13.76	30.12	21.91	2.31	1.67	70.50	163.64	21.65	269.47
Dairy feed and supplements, total.....	111.64	142.38	523.00	73.56	47.26	61.76	53.40	62.24	71.40	227.80	55.70	356.08
Protein content under 16 percent.....	11.81	11.45	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	3.37	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	58.81	(NA)	(NA)
Protein content, 16-17 percent.....	40.73	42.24	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	25.59	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	119.38	(NA)	(NA)
Protein content, 18-19 percent.....	12.21	17.48	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	7.11	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	13.61	(NA)	(NA)
Protein content, 20-21 percent.....	10.24	16.54	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	5.36	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	5.38	(NA)	(NA)
Protein content, 22-26 percent.....	2.97	2.57	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	1.62	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.31	(NA)	(NA)
Protein content, over 26 percent.....	15.12	29.03	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	4.79	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	2.08	(NA)	(NA)
Protein content not specified.....	18.66	24.07	37.72	31.41	12.06	11.92	15.09	4.18	17.46	28.23	26.44	29.57
Mixed hog feeds and supplements.....	68.80	124.34	32.13	142.78	145.85	28.85	48.37	19.37	16.53	9.99	7.09	32.15
Other commercial mixed feed and supplements.....	39.80	62.69	49.54	55.67	74.20	14.30	10.70	3.31	32.08	67.96	95.69	40.10
Mixed sheep and beef cattle feed and supplements.....	27.98	47.07	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	7.18	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	45.66	(NA)	(NA)
Mixed horse and mule feed.....	.36	.37	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.64	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.34	(NA)	(NA)
Miscellaneous mixed feeds.....	11.32	15.25	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	6.48	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	17.95	(NA)	(NA)
Unitemized expense for mixed feeds.....	2.69	4.11	2.01	1.70	7.09	.48	.15	.31	1.09	7.55	14.95	2.03
Other feeds.....	82.64	92.47	134.52	75.97	93.85	62.69	40.68	48.72	106.62	341.30	164.31	122.65
Protein feeds, total.....	33.46	32.54	24.02	29.89	38.35	32.36	14.90	21.33	67.17	43.83	62.88	29.62
Soybean meal, pellets, and cake.....	7.27	12.44	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	3.13	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	4.00	(NA)	(NA)
Dextrose meal, pellets, and cake.....	20.59	9.48	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	27.62	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	37.47	(NA)	(NA)
Linsed meal, pellets, and cake.....	1.70	2.83	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.66	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	1.75	(NA)	(NA)
Other oil meals.....	.03	.01	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.05	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	--	(NA)	(NA)
FORAGE.....	1.43	2.80	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.40	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.17	(NA)	(NA)
Mast scrap.....	1.52	3.30	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.15	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.20	(NA)	(NA)
Miscellaneous protein feed.....	.92	1.68	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.35	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.24	(NA)	(NA)
Grain by-product feeds, total.....	12.94	16.81	55.10	9.21	7.84	9.56	4.82	8.25	16.93	12.09	9.77	15.83
Bran.....	4.13	6.03	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	2.31	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	4.59	(NA)	(NA)
Middlings and short.....	4.54	3.27	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	6.42	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.67	(NA)	(NA)
Molasses.....	.70	.19	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.33	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	5.28	(NA)	(NA)
Gluten feed and meal.....	1.36	2.98	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.12	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.13	(NA)	(NA)
Brewers' and distillers' grain.....	1.37	2.82	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.22	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.32	(NA)	(NA)
Other grain by-product feeds.....	.84	1.52	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.16	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	1.30	(NA)	(NA)

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 88. --Farm production expenditures--average expenditure per farm before allocation of unitemized expenses, specified items and subgroups of expenditures for eight regions, North, South, West, and the United States; 1955--Continued

Expenditure group and item	United States	North				South				West		
		Total	Northeast ¹	East North Central	West North Central	Total	South Atlantic ²	East South Central	West South Central	Total	Mountain	Pacific
Repair and operating expenses (other than fuel and lubricants) for motor vehicles and farm machinery--Continued												
Tires, including recapping.....	41.90	49.43	43.67	42.25	58.07	31.23	27.46	22.79	46.10	62.02	67.44	43.06
Automobiles.....	12.18	15.87	10.53	11.28	22.07	7.52	6.81	6.13	9.82	19.00	25.63	14.06
Motor trucks.....	15.16	14.50	17.73	12.57	24.87	13.76	12.37	10.03	19.99	25.91	36.81	17.79
Tractors.....	12.46	15.92	12.95	15.19	27.76	8.99	7.76	5.81	24.26	24.14	20.66	9.22
Farm machinery and implements.....	2.10	3.34	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.96	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	2.97	(NA)	(NA)
Inner tubes.....	2.13	2.38	1.81	1.84	2.61	1.95	1.57	1.47	3.00	2.83	3.35	2.45
Automobiles.....	.60	.73	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.45	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.79	(NA)	(NA)
Motor trucks.....	.77	.57	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.87	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	1.16	(NA)	(NA)
Tractors.....	.59	.60	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.53	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.65	(NA)	(NA)
Farm machinery and implements.....	.17	.28	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.10	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.23	(NA)	(NA)
Tire chains.....	.46	1.00	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.07	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	1.08	(NA)	(NA)
Automobiles.....	.08	.31	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.04	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.18	(NA)	(NA)
Motor trucks.....	.20	.27	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.03	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.74	(NA)	(NA)
Tractors.....	.23	.61	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(2)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.16	(NA)	(NA)
Farm machinery and implements.....	(2)	.01	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	--	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	--	(NA)	(NA)
Antifreeze.....	5.87	8.31	5.87	7.41	10.20	3.36	2.48	3.98	3.68	7.32	12.38	3.54
Automobiles.....	1.38	2.04	1.21	1.51	2.84	.73	.65	.72	.85	1.61	2.63	.65
Motor trucks.....	1.40	2.06	2.00	1.73	2.38	1.43	.98	2.49	1.54	2.69	4.42	1.39
Tractors.....	2.46	4.06	2.58	4.14	4.60	.90	.84	.77	1.15	2.86	5.07	1.22
Farm machinery and implements.....	.10	.15	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.04	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.16	(NA)	(NA)
Batteries.....	9.82	11.91	10.20	4.58	14.63	7.20	6.63	5.16	10.38	13.57	16.72	11.22
Automobiles.....	1.82	2.30	1.80	1.67	3.05	1.33	1.47	1.02	1.55	2.64	2.07	2.02
Motor trucks.....	2.53	2.57	2.58	1.61	3.28	2.11	1.97	1.29	3.26	4.51	5.39	3.85
Tractors.....	5.04	4.51	5.49	5.85	7.50	3.53	3.17	2.83	4.82	5.95	7.82	4.56
Farm machinery and implements.....	.43	.51	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.23	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	1.07	(NA)	(NA)
Spark plugs.....	3.44	4.52	3.23	4.65	4.91	2.35	2.24	1.69	3.33	4.00	4.67	3.50
Automobiles.....	.77	.73	.53	.80	1.20	.42	.40	.34	.53	.75	.86	.67
Motor trucks.....	.82	.87	.85	.79	.95	.67	.63	.46	.98	1.37	1.56	1.23
Tractors.....	1.80	2.87	1.77	2.88	2.55	1.17	1.13	.85	1.59	1.59	1.85	1.40
Farm machinery and implements.....	.15	.19	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.02	(NA)	(NA)	.28	(NA)	(NA)
Lubrication jobs.....	4.89	5.76	4.42	5.00	6.76	3.50	3.16	2.54	5.07	8.13	9.27	7.27
Automobiles.....	2.73	3.73	2.75	3.21	4.58	1.52	1.28	1.27	2.14	4.37	4.81	4.04
Motor trucks.....	2.16	2.03	2.17	1.80	2.18	1.98	1.90	1.27	2.93	3.75	4.46	3.23
Brake adjustments.....	.53	.61	.64	.49	.76	.55	.57	.29	.86	1.15	1.22	1.09
Automobiles.....	.26	.30	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.19	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.40	(NA)	(NA)
Motor trucks.....	.37	.31	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.36	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.74	(NA)	(NA)
Brake relining.....	2.13	2.14	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	1.77	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	3.66	(NA)	(NA)
Automobiles.....	.70	.82	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.77	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	1.22	(NA)	(NA)
Motor trucks.....	1.10	1.03	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.96	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	2.19	(NA)	(NA)
Tractors.....	.33	.34	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.34	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.19	(NA)	(NA)
Other parts, services, repairs, accessories.....	172.29	233.43	133.34	228.24	299.34	98.91	81.69	60.39	186.86	291.91	324.75	245.02
Automobiles.....	13.72	19.30	12.63	15.39	21.79	7.23	6.78	4.87	10.66	21.26	22.75	20.14
Motor trucks.....	21.93	23.33	23.12	18.33	29.79	15.59	12.09	9.16	27.71	49.63	60.78	41.32
Tractors.....	94.29	65.49	37.71	65.14	76.66	37.20	20.23	22.13	64.08	89.62	85.23	92.88
Farm machinery and implements.....	87.57	131.59	44.77	124.55	149.10	38.89	32.59	24.26	64.41	131.40	185.99	90.70
Unitemized expense.....	17.68	15.77	26.13	13.80	13.30	13.21	12.95	1.40	25.44	75.53	52.30	85.35
Automobiles.....	1.12	1.04	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.74	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	4.20	(NA)	(NA)
Motor trucks.....	3.56	3.22	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	2.49	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	15.22	(NA)	(NA)
Tractors.....	7.37	5.26	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	5.49	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	26.84	(NA)	(NA)
Farm machinery and implements.....	7.63	7.37	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	4.23	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	27.17	(NA)	(NA)
Registration and license fees.....	16.13	21.39	24.90	29.21	22.74	7.76	7.33	4.39	12.58	33.00	21.84	33.86
Automobiles.....	5.63	7.22	5.75	5.22	6.58	2.30	1.78	1.58	3.82	8.86	8.12	9.41
Motor trucks.....	10.50	14.17	19.15	24.13	12.16	5.46	5.55	2.81	8.56	24.14	23.72	24.45

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 68. --Farm production expenditures--average expenditure per farm before allocation of unitemized expense, specified items and subgroups of expenditures for eight regions, North, South, West, and the United States: 1955--Continued

Expenditure group and item	United States	North				South				West		
		Total	Northeast ¹	East North Central	West North Central	Total	South Atlantic ²	East South Central	West South Central	Total	Mountain	Pacific
Average expenditure per farm (dollars)												
Repair and operating expenses (other than fuel and lubricants) for motor vehicles and farm machinery--Continued												
Insurance, net cost.....	34.60	44.48	48.36	38.80	47.84	18.63	18.22	13.08	25.90	71.72	66.51	75.59
Premiums for automobiles.....	16.13	22.64	21.99	20.59	24.69	8.22	7.86	6.04	11.30	26.59	25.16	27.66
Premiums for motor trucks.....	15.70	17.96	25.89	15.01	17.29	9.76	9.78	6.80	13.35	36.50	33.10	39.02
Claims collected for automobiles and trucks.....	2.77	3.88	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.65	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	8.63	(NA)	(NA)
Miscellaneous current operating expenses not elsewhere included.	366.29	416.07	517.37	361.80	422.20	181.04	199.44	128.35	222.75	1,114.05	1,077.17	1,141.46
Pesticides.....	51.40	40.75	71.70	31.92	35.84	43.71	45.02	32.17	56.16	145.06	94.71	182.55
For livestock and poultry.....	8.04	10.62	11.05	9.56	11.37	5.10	5.04	3.43	7.19	11.20	10.86	11.45
Cattle and calves.....	5.74	7.25	8.42	7.13	6.88	4.06	3.53	2.95	6.05	7.36	9.45	5.61
Chickens.....	1.12	1.48	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.42	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	3.13	(NA)	(NA)
All other and not specified.....	1.18	1.89	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.61	(NA)	(NA)	.71	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
For growing crops.....	31.94	16.71	43.93	13.04	8.81	33.21	37.05	24.90	38.65	99.96	52.96	134.98
For killing weeds, brush, etc.....	7.90	9.48	8.86	6.46	12.37	3.00	1.21	2.21	6.17	26.41	26.86	26.07
For other purposes.....	2.57	2.95	2.73	2.86	3.12	1.95	1.56	1.53	2.97	3.99	2.95	4.75
For insects in stored farms products.....	.67	.73	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.63	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.61	(NA)	(NA)
For rodents and other animal pests.....	1.37	1.85	1.79	1.84	1.88	.85	.93	.87	.72	1.81	1.30	2.18
For termites, other insects, fungi, etc., in wood.....	.53	.37	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.48	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	1.57	(NA)	(NA)
Unitemized expenses.....	.95	.99	5.13	--	.17	.44	.16	.10	1.18	3.50	1.08	5.30
Hand tools and miscellaneous supplies and equipment.....	58.59	67.54	86.64	62.25	64.37	39.46	55.82	27.15	34.49	116.98	125.68	110.50
Hand tools.....	13.39	15.91	13.04	15.32	17.60	9.64	10.12	7.96	11.11	21.03	22.36	20.04
Hoes.....	.32	.31	.32	.30	.31	1.41	.91	1.57	1.84	1.29	.99	1.51
Hand sprayers.....	.57	.64	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.43	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.98	(NA)	(NA)
Hand dusters.....	.24	.29	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.20	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.20	(NA)	(NA)
Other hand field and garden tools.....	.37	.50	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.18	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.76	(NA)	(NA)
Pitchforks and other hand forks.....	.97	1.53	1.39	1.37	1.74	.39	.52	.40	.20	1.39	1.69	1.17
Spades and shovels.....	1.05	1.45	1.78	1.35	1.41	.48	.46	.37	.64	2.13	2.20	2.07
Fencing tools.....	.50	.52	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.43	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.73	(NA)	(NA)
Axes.....	.66	.43	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.91	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.48	(NA)	(NA)
Hammers.....	.36	.43	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.26	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.54	(NA)	(NA)
Hand saws.....	.38	.41	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.34	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.43	(NA)	(NA)
Other carpenter tools.....	.71	.98	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.40	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	1.06	(NA)	(NA)
Paint brushes, scrapers, etc., and handles for hand tools.....	1.37	1.53	1.34	1.30	1.81	1.06	1.53	.62	1.02	2.22	2.46	2.04
Wrenches, pliers, etc.....	3.60	4.76	2.94	4.74	5.52	2.14	2.05	1.62	2.87	5.75	7.18	4.69
Grease guns, hand.....	1.10	1.42	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.71	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	1.65	(NA)	(NA)
Other hand tools.....	.59	.72	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.31	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	1.43	(NA)	(NA)
Miscellaneous supplies and equipment.....	42.71	49.58	70.77	45.91	44.14	28.77	44.79	18.56	21.65	83.53	92.55	76.81
Non-petroleum fuel.....	1.83	2.90	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.74	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	2.48	(NA)	(NA)
Baling wire.....	5.62	5.04	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	3.60	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	19.29	(NA)	(NA)
Baler twine.....	10.53	17.26	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	4.21	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	11.33	(NA)	(NA)
Blinder twine.....	2.31	4.00	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.73	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	2.46	(NA)	(NA)
Other wire, twine, etc.....	1.02	.34	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.86	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	5.14	(NA)	(NA)
Rope, steel cable, pulleys, etc.....	1.35	1.70	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.73	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	2.97	(NA)	(NA)
Milk pails, strainers, filters, etc.....	4.57	7.02	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	1.83	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	7.19	(NA)	(NA)
Milk and cream cans.....	1.82	2.81	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.89	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	1.95	(NA)	(NA)
Field bags and sacks.....	1.18	.16	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	1.93	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	2.12	(NA)	(NA)
Field boxes, flats, crates.....	.82	.91	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.04	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	4.52	(NA)	(NA)
Other field containers and not specified.....	.49	.41	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.10	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	3.01	(NA)	(NA)
Harness, bridles, etc.....	1.99	1.04	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	2.77	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	2.45	(NA)	(NA)
Tobacco cloth, canvas and other textiles.....	3.81	.08	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	7.55	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	2.16	(NA)	(NA)
Fuel barrels, tanks and pumps.....	2.04	2.43	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.93	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	6.08	(NA)	(NA)
Ladders for farm use.....	.57	.79	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.12	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	1.86	(NA)	(NA)
Fire extinguishers.....	.43	.64	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.14	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.92	(NA)	(NA)
Other equipment and not specified.....	2.33	2.05	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	1.60	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	7.60	(NA)	(NA)
Unitemized expense.....	2.49	2.05	2.83	1.02	2.63	1.05	.91	.63	1.73	12.42	10.77	13.65

² Less than 0.5 percent.

NA Not available.

¹ Includes Maryland and Delaware.

² Excludes Maryland and Delaware.

³ Also included in Other petroleum fuels and lubricants.

⁴ Not adjusted for insurance claims collected.

Table 69.--Farm production expenditures--total expenditures with percent distribution, and average expenditure per farm, by groups of expenditures, by economic class of farm for the United States: 1955¹

Group	Aggregate expenditures (000 dollars)				Average expenditure per farm (dollars)				Percent of total money expenditures			
	All farms	Economic class of farm			All farms	Economic class of farm			All farms	Economic class of farm		
		I and II	III to V	VI, Part-time and residential		I and II	III to V	VI, Part-time and residential		I and II	III to V	VI, Part-time and residential
Total expenditures--incl. share rent ²	27,538,196	13,909,730	10,962,909	2,665,577	5,389.73	21,306.94	5,167.70	1,401.82	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Total expenditures--excl. share rent ²	24,699,661	12,397,215	9,838,216	2,464,230	5,282.65	19,990.07	4,637.54	1,295.94	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Cash wages paid hired farm workers.....	2,561,623	1,710,912	714,256	136,455	547.85	2,620.78	336.69	71.76	10.4	13.8	7.3	5.5
Machine hire and custom work for farm operations.....	677,338	247,572	326,978	92,989	144.87	379.23	158.84	48.80	2.7	2.0	3.4	3.8
Livestock and poultry.....	2,593,781	1,637,651	775,412	180,718	554.73	2,508.55	365.51	95.04	10.5	13.2	7.9	7.3
Feed for livestock and poultry.....	4,248,296	2,179,703	1,603,434	465,181	908.63	3,338.87	755.82	244.64	17.2	17.6	16.3	18.9
Grains.....	803,471	457,000	285,745	60,726	171.85	700.03	134.69	31.93	3.3	3.7	2.9	2.5
Hay and other roughages.....	444,634	200,312	165,588	78,734	95.10	306.84	78.06	41.41	1.8	1.6	1.7	1.2
Commercial mixed feed and supplements.....	2,576,293	1,330,291	935,419	260,583	551.02	2,037.74	464.51	137.04	10.4	10.7	10.0	10.6
Other feeds.....	423,898	192,098	166,662	65,138	90.66	294.26	78.56	34.26	1.7	1.6	1.7	2.6
Seeds, plants, trees, etc.....	846,572	372,587	381,838	94,147	181.48	570.73	179.99	49.51	3.4	2.0	3.9	3.8
Fertilizer and lime.....	1,320,759	606,832	547,150	166,777	282.47	929.55	257.92	87.71	5.3	4.9	5.6	6.8
Petroleum fuels and lubricants, less fuel tax refunds.....	1,767,936	666,761	885,083	216,692	378.13	1,023.34	417.21	113.64	7.2	5.4	9.0	8.8
Repair and operating expenses (other than fuel and lubricants) for motor vehicles and farm machinery.....	1,465,073	634,084	689,204	141,785	313.34	971.29	324.88	74.56	5.9	5.1	7.0	5.8
Marketing costs.....	1,106,099	613,403	409,645	78,051	236.57	947.27	193.10	41.05	4.5	5.0	4.2	3.2
Miscellaneous current operating expenses not elsewhere included.....	1,712,599	865,961	678,379	168,259	366.29	1,326.48	319.77	86.49	6.9	7.0	6.9	6.8
Miscellaneous expenses for livestock.....	332,865	164,950	141,021	26,894	71.20	252.67	66.47	14.14	1.3	1.3	1.4	1.1
Pesticides.....	240,198	138,740	80,727	20,731	51.37	212.52	38.05	20.90	1.0	1.2	.8	.8
Hand tools and miscellaneous supplies and equipment.....	273,909	113,594	122,409	37,906	58.59	174.00	57.70	19.94	1.1	.9	1.3	1.5
Insurance (except for motor vehicles), net cost.....	172,374	95,989	61,563	14,822	36.86	147.04	29.02	7.80	.7	.8	.6	.6
Miscellaneous services and expenses.....	693,253	352,688	272,659	67,906	148.27	540.25	128.53	35.71	2.8	2.9	2.8	2.8
Rent ³	3,296,849	1,760,743	1,276,351	259,255	705.10	2,697.11	601.65	136.61	--	--	--	--
Cash.....	458,314	248,228	153,658	56,428	93.02	380.24	71.49	30.73	1.9	2.0	1.5	2.4
Value of share rent.....	2,838,535	1,512,515	1,124,693	201,327	607.08	2,316.87	530.16	105.88	--	--	--	--
Property taxes due in 1955.....	950,665	435,090	434,040	81,525	203.33	666.47	204.60	42.87	3.9	3.5	4.4	3.3
Interest.....	497,613	229,062	219,015	49,536	106.42	390.68	103.24	26.05	2.0	1.8	2.2	2.0
Repair, maintenance, and construction of farm service buildings and other farm improvements.....	1,727,739	816,564	693,377	217,798	369.52	1,250.81	326.84	114.54	7.0	6.6	7.0	8.3
Repair, maintenance, and remodeling.....	411,349	211,680	155,938	43,731	87.98	324.25	73.50	23.00	1.7	1.7	1.6	1.8
New construction.....	1,316,390	604,884	537,439	174,067	281.54	926.56	253.34	91.54	5.3	4.9	5.4	7.0
Motor vehicles, farm machinery and equipment.....	2,763,264	1,127,808	1,318,767	316,689	591.00	1,727.58	621.64	166.55	11.2	9.1	13.4	12.8
Automobiles, net cost.....	436,806	160,476	200,186	76,144	93.42	245.82	94.36	40.05	1.8	1.5	2.1	3.1
Motortrucks, net cost.....	279,637	114,675	129,278	35,734	59.82	175.66	60.94	18.79	1.1	.9	1.3	1.4
All tractors, net cost.....	688,468	278,397	345,635	64,436	147.25	426.45	162.93	33.89	2.8	2.3	3.5	2.6
Farm machinery and implements, net cost.....	1,283,849	538,534	610,594	134,721	274.58	824.93	287.82	70.85	5.2	4.3	6.2	5.5
Livestock and poultry equipment.....	74,454	35,726	33,074	5,654	15.93	54.72	15.59	2.97	.3	.3	.3	.2

¹ For items included in each group and subgroup see Table 15.

² Farm production expenditures include expenditures and obligations incurred in 1955 for farm operation, including capital outlays, and outlays for the production of commodities for consumption by farm-operator families.

³ Includes on-farm rent assignable to operators' dwellings.

Table 70. --Family living expenditures of farm-operator families--total expenditures with percent distribution, and average expenditure per family, by groups of expenditures, by economic class of farm, for the United States: 1955¹

Group	Aggregate expenditures (000 dollars)				Average expenditure per family (dollars)				Percent of total expenditures			
	All families	Economic class of farm			All families	Economic class of farm			All families	Economic class of farm		
		I and II	III to V	VI, part-time and residential		I and II	III to V	VI, part-time and residential		I and II	III to V	VI, part-time and residential
Number of farm-operator families.....	4,760,050	656,267	2,159,426	1,944,357	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Total expenditures for family living ²	15,722,505	3,323,314	6,920,828	5,478,363	3,303.01	5,063.97	3,204.94	2,817.57	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Food.....	3,963,519	709,424	1,734,205	1,519,890	832.66	1,081.00	803.09	781.69	25.2	21.3	25.0	27.7
Food and nonalcoholic beverages at home.....	3,405,006	601,679	1,495,270	1,308,056	715.33	916.82	692.44	672.74	21.7	18.1	21.6	23.8
Food away from home.....	558,513	107,745	238,935	211,834	117.33	164.18	110.65	108.95	3.5	3.2	3.4	3.9
Housing.....	4,133,006	975,325	1,811,563	1,346,119	868.27	1,486.18	838.91	692.32	26.3	29.4	26.2	24.6
Shelter.....	1,672,109	431,827	708,809	531,474	351.28	658.01	328.24	273.34	10.6	13.0	10.2	9.7
Housefurnishings and equipment.....	1,022,130	232,564	441,413	348,153	214.73	354.37	204.41	179.06	6.5	7.0	6.4	6.4
Household operations.....	1,438,767	310,934	661,341	466,492	302.26	473.80	306.26	239.92	9.2	9.4	9.6	8.5
Clothing.....	2,034,681	415,604	939,546	679,531	427.45	633.29	435.09	349.49	13.0	12.5	13.6	12.4
Women and girls, ages 16 and over.....	677,447	140,539	311,340	225,568	142.32	214.15	144.18	116.01	4.3	4.2	4.5	4.1
Girls, ages 2-15.....	204,164	44,915	90,150	69,099	42.89	68.44	41.75	35.54	1.3	1.4	1.3	1.3
Men and boys, ages 16 and over.....	686,944	135,980	318,871	232,094	144.31	207.20	147.66	119.37	4.4	4.1	4.6	4.2
Boys, ages 2-15.....	200,741	38,915	94,520	67,305	42.17	59.30	43.77	34.62	1.3	1.2	1.4	1.2
Infants and children under 2 years.....	32,917	7,750	15,501	9,666	6.92	11.81	7.18	4.97	.2	.2	.2	.2
Material and services.....	232,468	47,505	109,164	75,799	48.84	72.39	50.55	38.98	1.5	1.4	1.6	1.4
Transportation.....	1,798,149	356,514	717,135	724,500	377.76	543.24	332.10	372.62	11.4	10.7	10.3	13.2
Auto and truck purchase.....	794,672	177,143	291,634	325,895	166.95	269.92	135.05	167.61	5.0	5.3	4.2	5.9
Auto and truck upkeep and running expenses.....	922,478	157,729	397,050	367,699	193.79	240.34	183.87	189.11	5.9	4.7	5.7	6.7
Other travel and transportation.....	80,999	21,642	28,451	30,906	17.02	32.98	13.18	15.90	.5	.7	.4	.6
Medical care.....	1,143,235	213,524	520,320	409,391	240.17	325.36	240.95	210.55	7.3	6.4	7.5	7.5
Personal care.....	332,302	67,518	152,285	112,498	69.81	102.88	70.52	57.86	2.1	2.0	2.2	2.0
Tobacco and alcoholic beverages.....	311,168	56,020	136,101	119,047	65.37	85.36	63.03	61.23	2.0	1.7	2.0	2.2
Recreation.....	586,998	137,326	269,743	179,929	123.32	209.25	124.91	92.54	3.7	4.1	3.9	3.3
Reading and Education.....	207,441	50,377	94,611	62,453	43.58	76.76	43.81	32.12	1.3	1.5	1.4	1.1
Other goods and services.....	280,368	58,201	131,572	90,595	58.90	88.69	60.93	46.59	1.8	1.8	1.9	1.7
Personal insurance.....	408,210	144,447	171,391	92,372	85.76	220.10	79.37	47.51	2.6	4.4	2.5	1.7
Cash gifts and contributions.....	523,428	139,034	242,356	142,038	109.96	211.86	112.23	73.05	3.3	4.2	3.5	2.6

¹ For items included in each group see table 19.

² Family living expenditures include all money expenditures or obligations incurred in 1955 for family living purposes, except income taxes, and cash or share rent for on-farm rental dwellings. Total on-farm cash or share rental expenditures are included under production expenses.

Table 71. --Family living expenditures of farm-operator families--average expenditure per family and per person of farm-operator families in the United States, 1941 and 1955¹

Category	1941 ²		1955		1941	1955	Category	1941 ²		1955		1941	1955
	per family	Per person	Per family	Per person				Per family	Per person	Per family	Per person		
Average size of family.....	4.0		3.8					Average expenditure (dollars)				Percent distribution	
	Average expenditure (dollars)				Percent distribution								
Total expenditures for consumption	817	204	2,759	726	100.0	100.0	Transportation.....	109	27	376	99	13.3	13.6
Food and beverages.....	250	62	846	223	30.6	30.7	Medical care.....	60	15	240	63	7.3	8.7
Dwelling upkeep.....	15	4	71	19	1.8	2.6	Personal care.....	20	5	69	18	2.4	2.5
Household operation ³	87	22	289	76	10.6	10.5	Tobacco.....	17	4	50	13	2.1	1.8
House furnishings and equipment ⁴	66	16	219	58	8.1	7.9	Recreation ⁵	26	6	120	32	3.2	4.3
Clothing ⁶	135	34	407	107	16.5	14.8	Reading.....	7	2	19	5	.9	.7
							Education.....	8	2	24	6	1.0	.9
							Other goods and services ⁶	17	4	29	8	2.1	1.1

¹ Adjusted for comparability. Slight differences exist between the population coverage of the two surveys. In the 1941 study, hired managers of farms, and families operating farms who received no income from the sale of farm products, were classified as rural non-farm. In 1955, hired managers, and operators of farms who did not receive income from the sale of farm products, were included in the survey.

² "Rural Family Spending and Saving in Wartime", Misc. Publication No. 520, United States Department of Agriculture, June 1943.

³ Expenditures for insurance on the farm home were deducted from the 1941 figure; expenses for real estate taxes, insurance premiums, mortgage interest charges, legal and settlement charges and an estimated expense for alterations were deducted from the 1955 figure in order to get comparable data. The 1955 study classified structural improvements which did not result in the creation of additional space, into the category "repairs, replacement, and alterations".

⁴ Expenditures in 1955 for freezer supplies, and for tools and garden equipment are included in this table under "House furnishings and equipment".

⁵ Expenditures in 1955 for athletic clothes, sports uniforms, and special athletic shoes have been transferred from the "Recreation" category to the "Clothing" category in this table.

⁶ Expenditures in 1955 for occupational expense, poll taxes, and personal property taxes, have been excluded in this table.

Table 72. -- Farm production expenditures--comparison between the expenditure survey, 1955, and official estimates, 1955, 1947-49 and 1937-41, by specified expenditure categories, United States

Category	Survey 1955 ¹	Official estimates ²			Distribution of total production expenditures			
		1955	1947-49 average	1937-41 average	Survey 1955 ¹	Official estimates ²		
						1955	1947-49 average	1937-41 average
		<i>Million dollars</i>				<i>Percent of total</i>		
Total production expenditures.....	21,225	21,136	18,845	6,294	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Production expenses.....	19,744	17,641	15,494	5,522	85.0	83.5	82.2	87.7
Current operating expenses ³	17,005	14,977	13,187	4,325	73.2	70.9	70.0	68.7
Feed purchased.....	4,298	3,728	3,588	816	18.5	17.6	19.0	13.3
Livestock purchased.....	1,647	1,930	1,499	463	7.1	7.2	7.9	7.3
Seed purchased.....	847	597	546	194	3.6	2.8	2.9	3.1
Fertilizer and lime.....	1,321	1,266	825	290	5.7	6.0	4.4	4.6
Hired labor.....	2,873	2,736	2,897	1,047	12.4	13.0	15.4	16.6
Cash wages.....	2,562	2,299	2,444	827	11.0	10.9	13.0	13.1
Perquisites.....	311	437	453	220	1.4	2.1	2.4	3.5
Repairs and operation of farm capital items.....	4,029	3,194	2,426	824	17.3	15.2	12.9	13.1
Service buildings and other structures.....	412	420	373	185	1.8	2.0	2.0	2.9
Petroleum fuel and oil.....	2,050	1,408	989	346	8.8	6.7	5.3	5.5
Other motor vehicle operation.....	1,182	984	703	220	5.1	4.7	3.7	3.5
Repairs on other farm machinery.....	385	382	361	73	1.6	1.8	1.9	1.2
Miscellaneous ⁴	1,988	1,926	1,406	671	8.6	9.1	7.5	10.7
Property taxes.....	1,163	1,187	804	454	5.0	5.6	4.3	7.2
Interest on farm-mortgage debt.....	389	410	231	309	1.7	1.9	1.2	4.9
Net rent to nonfarm landlords.....	1,187	1,067	1,270	434	5.1	5.1	6.7	6.9
Capital expenditures.....	3,481	3,495	3,351	772	15.0	16.5	17.8	12.3
Service buildings and other structures.....	782	852	815	104	3.4	4.0	4.3	1.7
Automobiles.....	443	392	328	115	1.9	1.8	1.8	1.8
Motortrucks.....	354	473	513	93	1.5	2.2	2.7	1.3
Tractors.....	639	647	625	204	2.8	3.2	3.3	3.3
Other farm machinery and livestock equipment.....	1,263	1,111	1,070	266	5.4	5.3	5.7	4.2

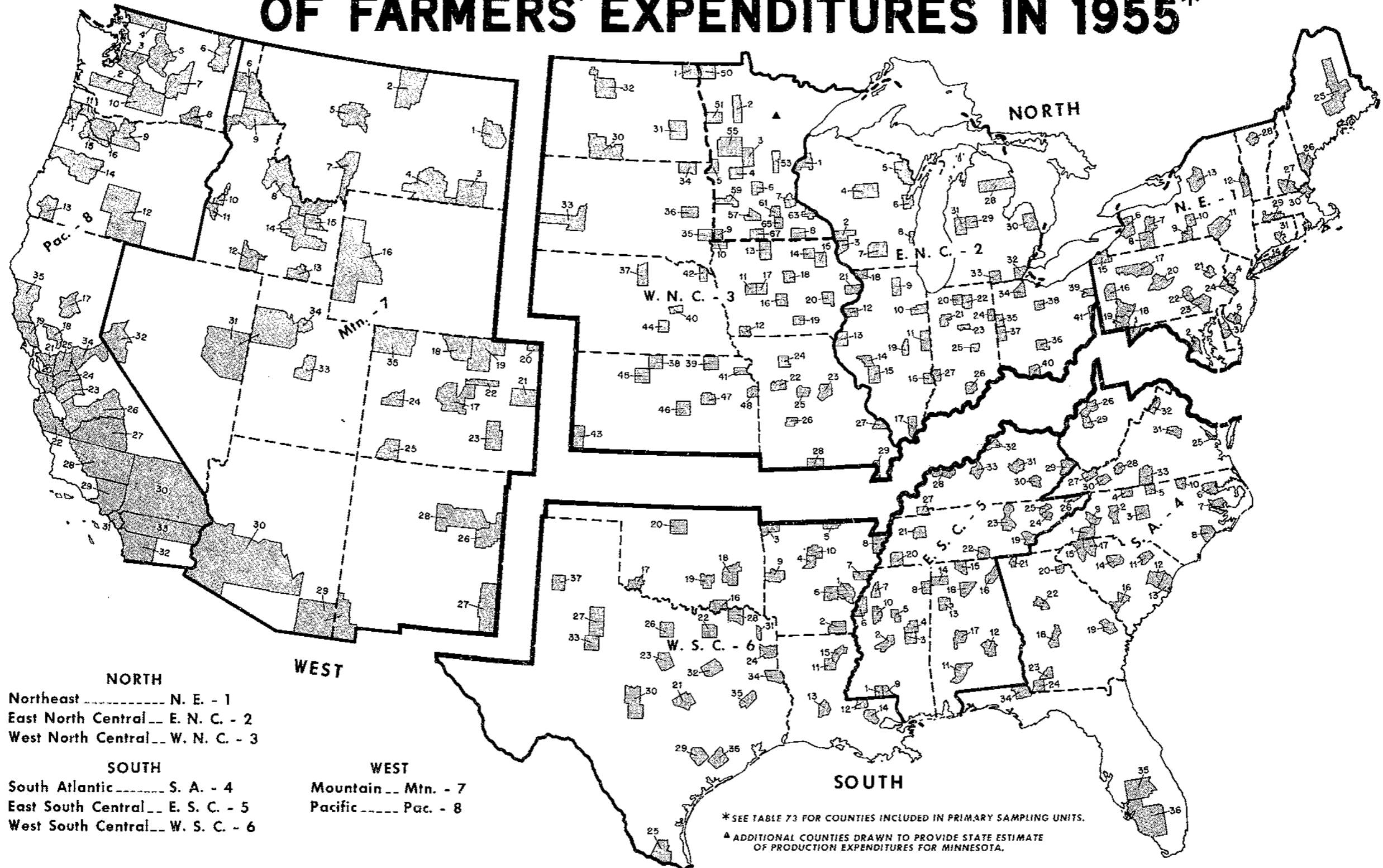
¹ Adjusted to acre basis as official estimates and is not necessarily comparable with other tables for production expenditures in this report.

² Adapted from FIS-164, AMS, U.S. Department of Agriculture, July 1957.

³ Excludes depreciation.

⁴ Not comparable to published official tables (excludes expenditures for Horses and Mules, Federal Crop Insurance, Toll for Sugar Cane and Sorgho sirup, Greenhouse and Nursery supplies).

PRIMARY SAMPLING UNITS AND REGIONS FOR SURVEY OF FARMERS' EXPENDITURES IN 1955*



NORTH
 Northeast N. E. - 1
 East North Central .. E. N. C. - 2
 West North Central .. W. N. C. - 3

SOUTH
 South Atlantic S. A. - 4
 East South Central .. E. S. C. - 5
 West South Central .. W. S. C. - 6

WEST
 Mountain .. Mtn. - 7
 Pacific Pac. - 8

* SEE TABLE 73 FOR COUNTIES INCLUDED IN PRIMARY SAMPLING UNITS.
 ▲ ADDITIONAL COUNTIES DRAWN TO PROVIDE STATE ESTIMATE OF PRODUCTION EXPENDITURES FOR MINNESOTA.

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