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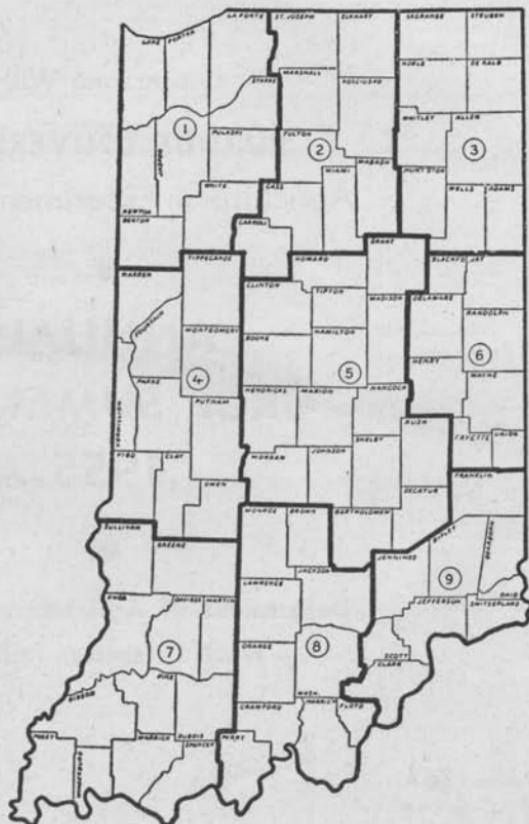


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THE 1955 CROP SEASON

THE HARVESTED ACREAGES of 1955 crops were slightly below the previous year. Wheat was reduced another 10 percent, oats were unchanged, while corn and soybeans increased 2 and 6 percent respectively. Barley was substituted for wheat with an increase of 50 percent. Rye was used enough for other purposes than grain to make a 13 percent reduction. Alfalfa hay acreage increased 4 percent, and lespedeza 22 percent. Clover and timothy hay were 25 percent less, soybean hay 12 percent less, and miscellaneous other hay was 44 percent less. Thus, it would appear that corn and soybeans replaced most other crops whose acreages were reduced.

CROP YIELDS in 1955 were 117 percent of the 1944-53 average. Only a few late crops affected by the late summer dryness made less than average yields. The yield of oats was 145 percent of the 10 year average, for a new high record of 52.0 bushels per acre. Other grain yields in percent of the 10 year average were: wheat 132, barley 122, rye 122, sorghum grain 121, corn 113, and soybeans 104. Hay yields were 115 percent of average for clover and timothy hay, and other grasses making their growth early, while lespedeza at 109, alfalfa at 107, and soybean hay at 100 percent of average showed the effect of late drought. Market vegetable yields were 105 percent of average, while processing vegetables were 136 percent.

CORN made a new high production record. Other crops had less acreage than in some past years so, even with good yields, did not make production records.

THE CUMULATIVE CONDITION of pasture through the season was 87 percent of normal, three points above average. Only in April and October was pasture condition below average.

TREE FRUITS were badly damaged by a freeze in late March, especially in the southern part of the state. Apple production was 55 percent of average; peaches 20 percent, and pears 50 percent.

IN THE FALL of 1954, while precipitation was nearly normal for the July-November period, there was a marked deficiency except in August and October. There was little leaching of accumulated plant nutrients, but moisture was adequate for vigorous growth. Fall grains came up to good stands and made good ground cover before winter. Slightly subnormal precipitation was reported each month to harvest time. There was only nominal winter loss but winter oats and barley suffered some damage from the March freeze. But favorable factors predominated, so yields of fall sown grain were better than average.

THE SPRING PLANTING SEASON was favorable since there was no excessive dryness even though rainfall was slightly below average. Temperatures were above normal from March through May with departures in minimum temperatures greater than in the maximums. In June, the situation was reversed, with averages below normal and the greater departures in the maxima. This was especially favorable for spring sown oats. After mid-August, when harvest of small grains was completed, the rainfall deficiency became greater and many fields of corn and soybeans did not have enough moisture to carry them to full development of earlier promise. This was most noticeable in the northern third of the state. Heavy rains in October delayed the finish of soybean harvest and interrupted corn husking. The forage value of corn stalks deteriorated sharply after the rains; a result of fungous growth.

THE FALL was slightly less favorable for fall grain than the last two years.

Indiana winter wheat seedings for the 1956 crop were 1,208,000 acres. This is 102 percent of last year and 76 percent of the 1944-53 average. Taking into account condition, weather, and changing varieties, the December 1 forecast was 30,200,000 bushels. This is 89 percent of last year and of average.

RYE SEEDINGS for all purposes were 284,000 acres or 89 percent of last year, but 184 percent of the 1944-53 average. Rye condition, December 1, was four points below average.

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Table 1. Indiana—Acreage and Production, 1954-1955

Name of Crop	Acreage Harvested		Yield per Acre		Production		Season Average Unit Price Dollars		Total Value Dollars		Production Unit	
	1954	1955	1954	1955	1954	1955	1954	1955	1954	1955		
Corn—All	4,834,000	4,931,000	53.5	56.0	258,619,000	276,186,000	1.37	1.25	354,308,000	345,170,000	Bushel	
Corn for Grain	4,671,000	4,808,000	53.5	56.0	250,059,000	269,248,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	Bushel
Corn for Silage	97,900	104,000	9.5	10.5	922,000	777,000	1.99	1.85	79,025,000	62,878,000	Ton	
Winter Wheat	1,302,000	1,172,000	30.5	29.0	39,711,000	33,988,000	.70	.56	40,302,000	38,293,000	Bushel	
Oats.....	1,315,000	1,315,000	44.0	52.0	57,860,000	68,380,000	1.584,000	.98	1,833,000	1,457,000	Bushel	
Rye.....	110,000	96,000	17.0	16.5	1,870,000	1,584,000	1.92	.82	1,771,000	2,084,000	Bushel	
Barley.....	55,000	82,000	35.0	31.0	1,925,000	2,542,000	32,000	14,000	1.05	34,000	15,000	
Buckwheat.....	2,000	1,000	16.0	14.5	44,000	48,000	2,475,000	2,475,000	2.35	106,000	Bushel	
Sweet Potatoes.....	400	400	110.	120.	46,128,000	43,602,000	1,222,000	1,222,000	1.51	5,191,600	113,000	
White Potatoes.....	12,500	11,000	275.	225.	16,137,000	12,160,000	2,47	2.10	113,936,000	91,564,000	Bushel	
Soybeans for Beans.....	1,922,000	2,028,000	24.0	21.5	1,600,	1,600,	1,600,	1,600,	.464,	7,488,000	Pound	
Tobacco.....	9,900	7,600	31,000	1,950.	58,500,000	58,900,000	58,500,000	58,900,000	.0285	1,667,000	Pound	
Popcorn.....	30,000	31,000	1,950.	1,900.	40,000	40,000	33,000	33,000	1.15	1,855,000	Pound	
Sorghum, Grain.....	1,000	1,000	35.0	35.0	39,600	39,600	2,568,000	2,441,000	23.80	20,50	1.667,000	
Sorghum Silage.....	3,000	5,000	13.0	11.0	1,47	1.64	1,116,000	1,160,000	.....	61,118,000	40,000
All Hay.....	1,744,000	1,491,000	580,000	580,000	2.00	2.00	1,232,000	1,073,000	.....	50,246,000	Ton
Alfalfa Hay.....	558,000	586,000	125.	125.	1.45	1.45	1,160,000	1,073,000	.....	.....	Ton
Clo-Tim Hay.....	740,000	740,000	53,000	1.30	1.40	1.40	78,000	74,000	.....	.....	Ton
Soybean Hay.....	60,000	60,000	75,000	0.50	1.20	1.20	54,000	88,000	.....	.....	Ton
Lespedeza Hay.....	60,000	60,000	45,000	1.10	1.25	1.25	88,000	56,000	.....	.....	Ton
Other Hay.....	80,000	18,000	155.	170.	45.	45.	2,790,000	3,375,000	1.74	1.055	168,000	
Red Clover Seed.....	75,000	150,000	90.	100.	100.	100.	6,750,000	6,750,000	.416	.280	1,404,000	
Sweet Clover Seed.....	6,000	6,000	110.	125.	540,000	600,000	1,688,000	1,688,000	.100	.090	54,000	
Timothy Seed.....	8,000	13,500	.....	.....	1,204,000	760,000	1.74	1.74	153,000	140,000	Pound
Apples—Commercial.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	546,000	101,000	2.10	2.35	2,528,000	1,786,000	Bushel
Peaches.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	572,000	55,000	2.20	3.30	1,201,000	333,000	Bushel
Grapes.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	13,700	85,00	1.40	1.40	101,000	77,000	Bushel
Cabbages—All.....	2,400	1,650	5.5	8.8	352,000	14,600	29,30	2.30	60,000	66,000	Ton	
Cabbage—All.....	4,400	4,400	80.	95.	404,000	308,000	1.20	1.55	384,000	499,000	Ton	
Cantaloups.....	850	700	475.	440.	440,000	404,000	250,000	288,000	1.50	648,000	Crate	
Onions.....	7,800	9,600	32.0	30.0	40.0	33.0	428,000	211,000	6.20	1,550,000	462,000	
Peppermint.....	10,700	6,400	50.	100.	575.	575.	105,000	200,000	4.10	1,753,000	Pound	
Spearmint.....	12,000	12,000	125.	130.	8.0	8.0	488,000	442,000	2.56	1,253,000	Crate	
Strawberries.....	2,100	2,000	550.	500.	236,800	253,600	236,800	253,600	4.45	2,269,000	Melon	
Watermelons.....	8,900	8,300	3,400	3,400	31,700	27.20	27.20	27.20	1.967,000	1,967,000	Bushel	
Tomatoes for Market.....	29,600	29,600	2,200	112.	95.	95.	291,000	209,000	1.45	615,000	Ton	
Cucumbers for Processing.....	2,600	2,600	2,600	2,600	1,010	1,580	2,630	2,630	81.80	149,000	149,000	
Peas for Processing.....	1,700	2,600	16,500	2.0	2.6	48,600	42,900	19.20	18.20	933,000	781,000	Ton
Sweet Corn for Processing.....	24,300	16,500	16,500	2.0	2.6	48,600	42,900	19.20	18.20	933,000	781,000	Ton

Table 2—Continued

Dist.	COUNTY	Acres Harvested Hundreds (Two ciphers left off)			Yields per Acre Bushels			Production, Bushels Hundreds (Two ciphers left off)		
		1944-53 Average	1954	1955	1944-53 Average	1954	1955	1944-1953 Average	1954	1955
6	Blackford.....	214	228	231	44.7	58.5	61.8	9556	13335	14268
	Delaware.....	577	584	630	50.9	61.7	63.0	29330	36038	39720
	Fayette.....	303	302	327	57.0	55.4	61.7	17287	16719	20165
	Henry.....	653	674	675	54.1	61.7	62.1	53336	41591	41892
	Jay.....	461	507	521	45.0	52.5	58.8	20679	26633	30641
	Randolph.....	712	718	762	51.2	60.1	57.4	36437	43185	43764
	Union.....	268	279	286	61.0	67.8	60.0	16324	18906	17158
	Wayne.....	593	611	622	54.4	61.0	63.8	32213	37286	39706
		3780	3903	4054	52.2	59.9	61.0	197162	233693	247314
7	Daviess.....	576	649	620	48.2	34.9	59.3	27883	22622	36769
	Dubois.....	368	456	446	44.7	31.6	48.3	16432	14425	21529
	Gibson.....	669	847	852	43.7	37.8	58.6	29262	32005	49940
	Greene.....	464	538	515	43.0	33.3	43.9	19945	17913	22627
	Knox.....	860	961	931	44.4	33.4	50.8	38237	32090	47325
	Martin.....	139	167	162	40.3	37.0	53.6	5635	6180	8682
	Pike.....	243	283	291	39.0	29.3	50.0	9512	8290	14563
	Posey.....	709	760	765	44.5	43.1	50.9	31591	32725	38961
	Spencer.....	431	494	463	43.5	34.4	48.2	18699	16978	22304
	Sullivan.....	549	648	600	44.4	27.4	46.9	24400	17779	28135
	Vanderburgh.....	294	281	278	46.0	44.3	49.2	13545	12456	13666
	Warrick.....	349	363	346	39.8	29.6	43.8	15874	10739	15168
		5651	6447	6269	44.0	34.8	51.0	249014	224202	319669
8	Brown.....	60	64	67	41.0	23.8	46.0	2439	1525	3082
	Crawford.....	131	141	132	34.5	23.0	39.9	4513	3249	5266
	Floyd.....	81	75	77	39.7	30.4	46.0	3232	2277	3542
	Harrison.....	293	296	277	39.5	24.9	47.5	11549	7370	13152
	Jackson.....	466	561	566	44.0	31.4	54.9	20534	17638	31057
	Lawrence.....	250	298	287	43.2	34.1	46.8	10745	10154	13429
	Monroe.....	148	164	159	42.7	37.9	49.6	6298	6213	7879
	Orange.....	224	256	255	40.8	31.4	52.0	9166	8048	13264
	Perry.....	171	182	173	41.2	35.8	40.6	7050	6521	7022
	Washington.....	376	456	442	41.5	36.8	51.1	15613	16785	22599
		2199	2493	2435	41.4	32.0	49.4	91138	79780	120292
9	Clark.....	248	284	287	42.4	34.3	45.6	10456	9733	13090
	Dearborn.....	187	194	183	46.2	37.4	46.5	8668	7255	8509
	Franklin.....	399	401	396	51.2	58.0	53.3	20419	23257	21105
	Jefferson.....	234	260	240	39.4	29.3	50.5	9249	7616	12129
	Jennings.....	278	342	339	40.6	30.9	45.0	11380	10552	15261
	Ohio.....	59	58	57	44.4	28.7	42.9	2599	1665	2448
	Ripley.....	354	427	418	46.8	37.6	49.8	16620	16052	20836
	Scott.....	133	152	146	39.6	30.0	46.6	5299	4556	6803
	Switzerland.....	99	113	107	42.6	26.8	49.4	4224	3023	5281
		1990	2231	2173	44.6	37.5	48.5	88913	83709	105462
	State.....	45541	48340	49310	49.7	53.5	56.0	2265226	2586190	2761360

Table 3. Indiana—All Wheat

Dist.	COUNTY	Acres Harvested Hundreds (Two ciphers left off)			Yields per Acre Bushels			Production Bushels Hundreds (Two ciphers left off)		
		1944-53 Average	1954	1955	1944-53 Average	1954	1955	1944-1953 Average	1954	1955
1	Benton.....	87	130	114	27.6	36.8	39.7	2497	4786	4526
	Jasper.....	164	157	143	24.9	33.2	33.6	4158	5206	4806
	Lake.....	138	116	104	25.2	32.6	34.0	3470	3776	3538
	LaPorte.....	375	320	274	24.2	30.6	26.9	9066	9801	7373
	Newton.....	84	90	80	26.5	32.9	37.6	2259	2957	3006
	Porter.....	228	205	180	26.8	31.4	30.3	6078	6445	5447
	Pulaski.....	159	154	147	24.1	29.2	33.1	3855	4498	4866
	Starke.....	103	106	91	25.5	27.6	26.7	2620	2924	2430
	White.....	139	142	135	25.0	33.9	34.9	3467	4810	4715
		1476	1420	1268	25.2	31.8	32.1	37470	45203	40707
2	Carroll.....	181	156	140	24.8	35.5	34.4	4478	5537	4819
	Cass.....	168	145	132	24.7	31.2	37.3	4122	4529	4919
	Elkhart.....	281	229	205	25.9	28.8	26.6	7262	6595	5454
	Fulton.....	140	135	130	24.5	29.5	30.9	3427	3984	4013
	Kosciusko.....	267	223	205	25.8	30.1	28.6	6881	6716	5870
	Marshall.....	210	172	152	26.1	28.7	27.7	5484	4936	4214
	Miami.....	155	133	118	26.1	32.9	32.2	4051	4370	3799
	St. Joseph.....	262	232	207	25.5	29.2	28.5	6705	6779	5907
	Wabash.....	216	186	141	25.5	32.0	32.2	5531	5960	4539
		1880	1611	1430	25.5	30.7	30.4	47940	49406	43534
3	Adams.....	182	170	102	24.5	29.6	27.2	4433	5034	2776
	Allen.....	368	336	222	26.4	30.9	29.8	9728	10393	6605
	DeKalb.....	255	212	169	25.1	27.1	28.6	6411	5740	4839
	Huntington.....	166	152	98	26.5	31.3	31.3	4407	4763	3064
	Lagrange.....	229	182	173	25.5	29.1	27.8	5852	5297	4813
	Noble.....	223	168	159	25.8	29.2	32.3	5730	4907	5134
	Steuben.....	144	112	113	26.8	29.3	30.7	3861	3282	3466
	Wells.....	153	141	82	25.4	30.7	32.2	3892	4333	2639
	Whitley.....	170	141	105	26.0	28.3	29.8	4415	3989	3134
		1890	1614	1223	25.8	29.6	29.8	48728	47738	36470
4	Clay.....	184	171	169	17.4	28.8	26.1	3265	4925	4410
	Fountain.....	205	180	174	23.5	32.0	32.3	4865	5768	5618
	Montgomery.....	222	190	181	23.3	34.2	33.2	5192	6493	6010
	Owen.....	49	50	47	15.5	25.8	22.1	761	1288	1041
	Parke.....	176	146	134	22.5	31.4	28.3	3983	4590	3797
	Putnam.....	129	100	98	20.8	30.4	29.0	2720	3042	2846
	Tippecanoe.....	266	223	207	24.0	33.8	35.2	6424	7531	7294
	Vermillion.....	113	96	93	22.6	32.2	34.7	2579	3096	3230
	Vigo.....	159	137	143	19.0	30.7	29.5	8077	4210	4225
	Warren.....	121	139	136	25.3	35.1	37.1	3171	4877	5040
		1626	1432	1382	21.9	32.0	31.5	36037	45820	43511
5	Bartholomew.....	275	222	205	17.2	28.7	26.8	4752	6371	5495
	Boone.....	125	108	100	23.9	34.2	33.6	2975	3691	3361
	Clinton.....	243	202	192	25.5	35.2	34.9	6222	7108	6707
	Decatur.....	352	277	251	18.2	30.3	27.3	6456	8399	6856
	Grant.....	148	148	113	25.4	33.0	35.2	3748	4878	3981
	Hamilton.....	172	126	121	24.1	31.7	31.9	4169	3999	3857
	Hancock.....	158	121	117	22.2	29.2	31.9	3510	3534	3731
	Hendricks.....	157	118	113	22.1	33.7	31.8	3470	3973	3591
	Howard.....	144	139	128	26.9	35.7	37.4	3891	4962	4782
	Johnson.....	202	158	140	20.4	31.1	30.0	4177	4919	4194
	Madison.....	196	159	160	25.1	33.6	36.8	4967	5337	5881
	Marion.....	128	78	67	22.7	29.3	30.8	2925	2286	2061
	Morgan.....	115	90	80	19.6	32.6	31.6	2265	2930	2526
	Rush.....	372	271	239	19.2	28.4	26.6	7233	7695	6358
	Shelby.....	320	237	216	17.3	29.2	25.5	5570	6922	5505
	Tipton.....	119	117	109	26.4	35.1	37.7	3120	4105	4106
		3226	2571	2351	21.4	31.5	31.0	69451	81109	72992

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		1944-53 Average	1954	1955	1944-53 Average	1954	1955	1944-1953 Average	1954	1955
6	Blackford.....	52	38	26	21.1	28.1	29.0	1112	1067	755
	Delaware.....	155	129	119	23.0	32.8	34.1	3622	4226	4060
	Fayette.....	157	113	101	18.7	25.6	26.4	2943	2888	2666
	Henry.....	189	138	125	22.8	29.7	30.2	4325	4100	3769
	Jay.....	168	139	96	21.3	25.8	29.4	3586	3580	2827
	Randolph.....	223	171	138	22.3	29.4	29.0	5025	5029	4008
	Union.....	158	118	108	20.4	27.9	23.7	3220	3291	2555
	Wayne.....	240	177	162	20.8	27.7	27.6	4995	4900	4474
		1344	1023	875	21.3	28.4	28.7	28829	29081	25114
7	Daviess.....	233	215	200	18.4	32.2	27.4	4305	6933	5483
	Dubois.....	217	150	144	18.2	29.0	21.2	3952	4350	3056
	Gibson.....	280	235	246	18.8	32.8	29.0	5289	7698	7144
	Greene.....	120	109	113	18.4	30.2	23.8	2239	3294	2685
	Knox.....	419	334	315	20.0	32.8	27.7	8377	10940	8732
	Martin.....	28	27	21	15.1	28.4	22.1	433	767	465
	Pike.....	95	69	75	15.5	29.4	24.2	1472	2029	1812
	Posey.....	305	249	252	19.6	32.1	23.3	6006	8005	5860
	Spencer.....	169	147	148	16.8	27.7	21.3	2874	4070	3156
	Sullivan.....	211	209	205	17.5	30.6	28.1	3746	6401	5765
	Vanderburgh.....	152	116	107	19.0	31.8	23.5	2892	3694	2510
	Warrick.....	119	89	93	17.3	30.3	24.4	2058	2699	2266
		2349	1949	1919	18.5	31.2	25.5	43642	60880	48934
8	Brown.....	4	4	4	15.2	24.8	25.8	70	99	103
	Crawford.....	42	30	25	15.5	25.0	23.6	650	751	591
	Floyd.....	25	23	20	19.4	25.3	20.8	486	581	416
	Harrison.....	100	82	74	17.7	26.4	21.0	1799	2162	1556
	Jackson.....	212	179	163	16.4	26.6	23.0	3531	4756	3757
	Lawrence.....	39	37	35	17.2	29.1	24.3	671	1077	849
	Monroe.....	19	15	13	19.0	28.8	24.5	368	432	318
	Orange.....	56	49	39	17.5	29.2	24.9	980	1431	971
	Perry.....	69	53	55	17.4	25.9	20.1	1203	1371	1106
	Washington.....	120	113	109	19.4	29.6	25.1	2372	3346	2733
		686	585	537	17.4	27.4	23.1	12132	16006	12400
9	Clark.....	90	79	69	17.8	27.4	19.8	1633	2163	1367
	Dearborn.....	90	73	67	18.4	26.6	22.0	1683	1940	1476
	Franklin.....	223	171	155	18.3	26.0	24.5	4086	4439	3793
	Jefferson.....	87	85	70	17.4	27.5	21.9	1537	2336	1535
	Jennings.....	110	105	94	16.2	25.0	22.6	1806	2630	2128
	Ohio.....	18	13	12	18.7	27.0	22.7	332	351	272
	Ripley.....	224	204	189	18.2	28.1	20.6	4108	5730	3896
	Scott.....	48	47	47	17.3	27.0	22.0	846	1268	1036
	Switzerland.....	37	38	32	17.6	26.6	22.3	662	1010	715
State.....		925	815	735	17.8	26.8	22.1	16694	21867	16218
		15402	13020	11720	22.0	30.5	29.0	340922	397110	339880

Table 4. Indiana—All Oats

Dist.	County	Acres Harvested Hundreds (Two ciphers left off)			Yields per Acre Bushels			Production Bushels Hundreds (Two ciphers left off)		
		1944-53 Average	1954	1955	1944-53 Average	1954	1955	1944-1953 Average	1954	1955
1	Benton	365	292	288	36.3	50.0	61.6	13326	14608	17739
	Jasper	266	207	238	33.9	45.5	52.0	9058	9423	12367
	Lake	265	220	259	41.3	37.2	58.5	11038	8174	15148
	LaPorte	252	222	258	39.3	39.7	54.2	9979	8806	13976
	Newton	245	204	215	36.3	43.0	58.1	8938	8774	12488
	Porter	242	233	262	41.8	40.9	51.3	10195	9534	13431
	Pulaski	168	146	164	33.6	41.9	47.7	5688	6112	7815
	Starke	91	79	90	40.5	39.9	51.1	3745	3150	4596
	White	353	313	324	35.4	45.7	58.0	12647	14315	18787
		2247	1916	2098	37.5	43.3	55.5	84614	82896	116347
2	Carroll	261	243	250	38.1	48.7	62.9	9992	11826	15725
	Cass	240	251	258	38.8	48.9	61.1	9366	12268	15762
	Elkhart	262	263	296	40.8	32.2	50.8	10780	8477	15026
	Fulton	173	173	188	34.7	36.6	45.9	6075	6357	8637
	Kosciusko	320	333	371	36.8	36.6	45.9	11930	12198	17047
	Marshall	232	232	253	39.7	35.4	50.1	9276	8207	12665
	Miami	215	217	217	39.6	52.7	59.8	8594	11446	12974
	St. Joseph	191	161	191	39.9	36.3	50.3	7694	5847	9600
	Wabash	267	260	253	38.8	49.0	55.3	10447	12735	13985
		2160	2133	2277	38.6	41.9	53.3	84153	89341	121421
3	Adams	222	211	197	36.2	47.5	47.8	8168	10025	9407
	Allen	427	341	324	38.5	45.5	51.2	16618	15525	16577
	DeKalb	230	210	222	36.1	31.7	44.6	8506	6659	9911
	Huntington	282	270	253	38.6	51.3	53.7	10955	13846	13579
	Lagrange	222	236	250	36.4	34.3	43.1	8180	8101	10785
	Noble	261	254	269	39.8	32.9	43.8	10553	8347	11793
	Steuben	168	159	178	39.3	34.7	45.9	6767	5525	8178
	Wells	251	250	227	35.7	48.4	52.8	9062	12088	11978
	Whitley	220	217	223	37.6	41.4	48.3	8443	8993	10760
		2286	2148	2143	37.7	41.5	48.0	87252	89109	102968
4	Clay	18	27	24	21.7	39.8	49.8	387	1074	1194
	Fountain	175	148	142	32.7	45.8	60.0	5773	6784	8519
	Montgomery	294	275	253	34.4	45.1	57.7	10193	12404	14594
	Owen	45	55	60	29.9	32.1	36.7	1030	1767	2203
	Parke	91	78	72	28.9	42.2	44.6	2648	3289	3214
	Putnam	182	169	179	29.2	38.0	47.5	5341	6421	8494
	Tippecanoe	252	209	196	36.6	45.6	55.2	9352	9536	10814
	Vermillion	65	46	47	33.3	42.5	63.1	2201	1955	2965
	Vigo	29	23	23	26.5	28.2	39.2	792	648	902
	Warren	190	147	131	33.4	46.4	63.2	6393	6815	8279
		1341	1177	1127	32.6	43.1	54.3	44110	50693	61178
5	Bartholomew	50	69	60	23.9	40.9	40.6	1183	2824	2438
	Boone	327	322	311	34.8	46.5	56.5	11420	14963	17565
	Clinton	275	286	264	39.7	53.9	61.2	10994	15416	16155
	Decatur	51	97	86	27.5	48.9	46.3	1401	4741	3978
	Grant	258	227	220	36.2	50.0	58.6	9314	11356	12889
	Hamilton	231	225	232	37.1	44.0	57.7	8604	9890	13384
	Hancock	163	174	168	36.1	40.7	56.4	5914	7084	9472
	Hendricks	221	214	212	31.8	41.9	54.9	7031	8959	11633
	Howard	191	169	170	41.7	57.1	63.9	8030	9657	10864
	Johnson	96	107	111	30.1	46.8	47.1	2909	5006	5223
	Madison	247	239	235	37.6	47.3	59.4	9321	11306	13956
	Marion	107	86	86	35.1	36.8	52.9	3737	3168	4546
	Morgan	93	84	81	27.8	37.5	46.2	2596	3147	3746
	Rush	144	203	193	32.2	49.1	53.8	4841	9964	10378
	Shelby	166	189	178	29.0	44.2	47.9	4894	8347	8518
	Tipton	166	157	149	42.2	54.0	64.2	7070	8478	9566
		2785	2848	2756	35.5	47.2	56.0	99258	134306	154311

Table 4—Continued

Dist.	COUNTY	Acres Harvested Hundreds (Two ciphers left off)			Yields per Acre Bushels			Production Bushels Hundreds (Two ciphers left off)		
		1944-53 Average	1954	1955	1944-53 Average	1954	1955	1944-1953 Average	1954	1955
6	Blackford.....	86	108	106	30.2	45.0	48.0	2627	4860	5083
	Delaware.....	205	207	209	35.7	44.6	57.2	7352	9229	11951
	Fayette.....	49	82	78	33.3	44.0	44.2	1680	3604	3451
	Henry.....	232	247	250	36.7	43.5	58.9	8567	10754	14722
	Jay.....	229	252	237	32.2	41.0	52.6	7485	10338	12459
	Randolph.....	300	314	294	28.5	49.2	57.0	11594	15445	16752
	Union.....	37	62	53	37.1	52.2	46.8	1386	3238	2478
	Wayne.....	177	210	193	37.2	47.6	52.6	6705	10000	10145
		1314	1482	1420	35.7	45.5	54.3	47395	67468	77041
7	Daviess.....	28	44	34	24.4	47.1	41.9	676	2072	1426
	Dubois.....	93	122	102	32.4	55.6	37.3	2993	6780	3806
	Gibson.....	24	53	52	37.6	44.5	35.4	666	2357	1842
	Greene.....	53	68	66	24.6	39.1	34.3	1302	2661	2264
	Knox.....	49	62	48	28.4	43.5	40.3	1374	2699	1936
	Martin.....	20	26	26	21.8	41.2	33.1	422	1070	861
	Pike.....	14	24	18	24.9	43.0	30.5	339	1032	549
	Posey.....	25	36	36	23.9	46.6	41.1	598	1677	1481
	Spencer.....	56	76	64	31.5	49.4	41.5	1775	3754	2658
	Sullivan.....	22	23	24	24.9	35.3	33.4	564	813	802
	Vanderburgh.....	8	21	17	25.3	53.0	42.1	205	1113	716
	Warrick.....	27	49	43	26.6	44.9	38.4	724	2200	1652
		418	604	530	28.0	46.7	37.7	11640	28228	19993
8	Brown.....	8	9	9	21.6	32.4	30.6	173	292	275
	Crawford.....	14	22	18	23.1	40.4	30.8	319	889	554
	Floyd.....	12	16	13	31.0	46.2	39.2	383	740	509
	Harrison.....	85	112	98	34.0	46.2	39.5	2919	5169	3873
	Jackson.....	46	76	67	25.2	41.8	40.5	1164	3173	2716
	Lawrence.....	51	66	74	24.6	40.9	40.3	1253	2701	2984
	Monroe.....	47	50	58	23.8	40.9	38.0	1115	2046	2205
	Orange.....	47	58	62	25.9	43.5	37.8	1214	2525	2344
	Perry.....	27	33	27	31.9	44.9	33.2	862	1482	897
	Washington.....	65	88	87	28.0	46.5	40.7	1827	4089	3543
		402	530	513	27.8	43.6	38.8	11229	23106	19900
9	Clark.....	30	56	55	26.4	46.2	41.1	801	2585	2262
	Dearborn.....	18	33	30	26.1	39.5	38.7	487	1305	1162
	Franklin.....	30	60	56	29.6	45.1	35.3	894	2706	1977
	Jefferson.....	19	31	31	25.9	42.7	33.1	509	1324	1026
	Jennings.....	20	37	29	22.0	40.8	30.7	452	1510	890
	Ohio.....	4	6	7	24.7	36.2	34.1	97	217	239
	Ripley.....	24	56	42	26.2	43.8	41.8	664	2455	1757
	Scott.....	10	20	21	27.3	41.6	35.9	278	833	754
	Switzerland.....	8	13	15	23.7	39.8	38.3	201	518	574
		164	312	286	26.3	43.1	37.2	4384	13453	10641
	State.....	13117	13150	13150	35.9	44.0	52.0	474035	578600	683800

Table 5. Indiana—Soybeans for Beans

Dist.	COUNTY	Acres Harvested Hundreds (Two ciphers left off)			Yields per Acre Bushels			Production Bushels Hundreds (Two ciphers left off)		
		1944-53 Average	1954	1955	1944-53 Average	1954	1955	1944-1953 Average	1954	1955
1	Benton.....	460	595	632	22.8	27.6	23.1	10491	16403	14605
	Jasper.....	510	637	653	19.6	27.0	22.3	10031	17178	14582
	Lake.....	196	257	292	19.9	27.1	20.5	3913	6955	5979
	LaPorte.....	298	356	398	18.1	25.6	19.7	5314	9097	7840
	Newton.....	353	484	526	22.6	28.5	23.6	8011	13781	12411
	Porter.....	170	237	274	19.9	27.1	18.3	3329	6414	5023
	Pulaski.....	372	488	524	18.7	25.0	18.5	7002	12176	9708
	Starke.....	212	252	289	17.0	23.2	17.2	3591	5857	4959
	White.....	477	631	667	21.1	26.1	22.6	10123	16443	15089
		3050	3937	4255	20.3	26.5	21.2	61805	104304	90196
2	Carroll.....	170	233	239	24.0	27.2	24.1	4103	6330	5756
	Cass.....	185	218	234	23.5	27.2	26.0	4318	5922	6092
	Elkhart.....	45	84	101	17.3	23.2	21.5	763	1952	2176
	Fulton.....	130	212	231	18.3	24.7	20.3	2396	5226	4685
	Kosciusko.....	101	131	169	18.0	25.4	22.1	1732	3321	3740
	Marshall.....	92	154	215	18.4	25.3	22.1	1639	3595	4758
	Miami.....	156	198	199	23.6	28.9	25.9	3684	5718	5161
	St. Joseph.....	96	134	178	17.8	24.1	20.3	1688	3236	3610
	Wabash.....	140	198	221	23.5	28.4	24.3	3299	5618	5366
		1114	1562	1787	21.4	26.2	23.1	23622	40918	41344
3	Adams.....	324	343	386	21.2	24.5	24.8	6839	8420	9560
	Allen.....	400	474	511	22.0	25.2	24.5	8819	11923	12507
	DeKalb.....	89	143	178	18.2	23.0	20.8	1609	3295	3697
	Huntington.....	181	257	275	23.5	27.9	24.9	4252	7163	6837
	Lagrange.....	12	18	26	16.7	21.6	21.2	189	389	550
	Noble.....	18	30	38	18.8	23.4	24.2	320	703	919
	Steuben.....	9	16	21	18.4	22.5	20.2	145	360	424
	Wells.....	320	391	416	23.1	25.3	26.3	7398	9874	10951
	Whitley.....	89	128	169	21.4	24.9	22.2	1897	3181	3757
		1442	1800	2020	21.9	25.2	24.4	31467	45308	49202
4	Clay.....	290	343	363	19.0	22.9	17.2	5548	7868	6230
	Fountain.....	315	365	380	22.6	22.9	19.4	7108	8373	7374
	Montgomery.....	301	356	354	23.6	26.2	21.2	7077	9313	7491
	Owen.....	59	105	101	17.1	18.5	17.5	1046	1944	1763
	Parke.....	239	287	292	22.1	24.2	18.9	5344	6959	5524
	Putnam.....	127	214	221	22.3	23.8	19.6	2880	5103	4331
	Tipppecanoe.....	381	456	484	22.4	24.4	20.7	8506	11149	10005
	Vermillion.....	229	233	237	22.3	23.5	21.1	5098	5485	4991
	Vigo.....	337	402	430	17.9	19.7	19.3	6079	7927	8302
	Warren.....	345	430	463	22.4	22.9	21.8	7686	9864	10112
		2623	3191	3325	21.4	23.2	19.9	56372	73985	66123
5	Bartholomew.....	106	124	137	18.2	17.0	16.0	1942	2109	2191
	Boone.....	241	305	309	23.4	26.0	22.7	5562	7917	7021
	Clinton.....	289	351	371	24.9	28.5	23.9	7192	9994	8864
	Decatur.....	33	49	55	20.4	19.3	20.1	661	947	1105
	Grant.....	297	389	395	25.3	27.9	29.3	7551	10841	11554
	Hamilton.....	244	277	267	24.8	26.3	25.5	6068	7274	6821
	Hancock.....	234	280	297	23.9	24.8	24.8	5621	6958	7356
	Hendricks.....	215	312	300	23.3	23.7	21.5	5077	7408	6436
	Howard.....	197	244	250	26.6	28.9	29.1	5245	7046	7264
	Johnson.....	115	190	182	24.3	24.8	23.6	2823	4703	4294
	Madison.....	342	407	412	25.2	27.3	27.0	8681	11099	11128
	Marion.....	202	222	198	23.2	21.5	22.9	4691	4780	4537
	Morgan.....	157	216	216	22.0	24.4	20.3	3529	5281	4381
	Rush.....	70	91	86	22.8	25.5	22.9	1590	2325	1971
	Shelby.....	144	198	192	20.3	23.3	22.5	2965	4622	4325
	Tipton.....	234	275	284	27.3	30.2	28.4	6409	8301	8058
		3118	3930	3951	24.1	25.9	24.6	75708	101605	97306

Table 5—Continued

Dist.	COUNTY	Acres Harvested Hundreds (Two ciphers left off)			Yields per Acre Bushels			Production Bushels Hundreds (Two ciphers left off)		
		1944-53 Average	1954	1955	1944-53 Average	1954	1955	1944-1953 Average	1954	1955
6	Blackford	130	187	167	20.2	23.4	24.8	2664	4384	41
	Delaware	264	340	350	21.7	25.6	25.4	5775	8689	88
	Fayette	22	23	24	22.2	23.5	24.4	485	541	5
	Henry	132	205	206	23.0	27.1	24.3	3090	5548	50
	Jay	302	368	396	18.8	21.0	21.5	5675	7738	84
	Randolph	251	327	335	20.8	24.2	22.2	5257	7929	74
	Union	7	6	5	22.1	26.7	22.6	156	160	1
	Wayne	50	57	67	20.6	23.9	21.2	1006	1365	14
		1160	1513	1550	20.7	24.0	23.3	24108	36354	360
7	Daviess	250	293	288	19.0	19.9	17.6	4746	5837	50
	Dubois	39	37	37	18.0	17.4	12.9	708	644	4
	Gibson	362	348	374	17.5	18.4	16.6	6378	6407	62
	Greene	256	270	266	17.9	18.9	14.6	4569	5107	38
	Knox	378	412	448	19.1	19.6	15.0	7255	8083	67
	Martin	22	21	22	15.8	16.8	15.1	346	353	3
	Pike	110	106	113	15.8	16.3	16.3	1764	1728	18
	Posey	265	272	300	17.0	19.3	18.1	4530	5254	54
	Spencer	214	222	208	15.0	14.7	14.7	3201	3261	30
	Sullivan	274	325	355	17.7	16.4	16.9	4879	5330	59
	Vanderburgh	156	168	179	19.6	20.8	19.4	3095	3499	34
	Warrick	178	177	159	17.4	15.8	15.8	3106	2796	25
		2505	2651	2749	17.7	18.2	16.4	44577	48299	450
8	Brown	4	9	7	174	16.0	19.6	60	144	1
	Crawford	4	3	3	13.6	9.3	11.7	51	28	5
	Floyd	10	7	6	17.4	11.4	15.5	170	80	5
	Harrison	16	15	17	17.5	16.2	14.1	281	243	24
	Jackson	197	208	210	17.4	16.7	17.7	3419	3474	372
	Lawrence	25	30	29	17.9	17.8	14.3	444	534	41
	Monroe	29	44	37	17.4	17.5	18.4	506	771	68
	Orange	6	3	2	16.6	17.7	15.5	98	53	5
	Perry	32	30	30	14.5	15.1	12.6	468	453	37
	Washington	36	37	31	16.2	17.3	16.6	582	640	51
		357	386	372	17.1	16.6	16.8	6080	6420	625
9	Clark	37	37	34	16.4	16.8	13.6	593	622	46
	Dearborn	6	4	4	15.8	14.3	17.2	100	57	6
	Franklin	4	8	12	20.2	24.3	23.0	83	194	27
	Jefferson	10	12	14	14.5	13.6	17.6	143	163	24
	Jennings	45	68	77	15.2	13.5	14.6	676	917	112
	Ohio	3	1	1	16.1	24.0	16.0	46	24	1
	Ripley	53	83	92	16.9	17.2	18.2	903	1428	167
	Scott	35	35	34	15.8	18.6	17.9	554	652	60
	Switzerland	4	2	3	15.2	15.0	16.7	56	30	5
		197	250	271	16.1	16.3	16.7	3154	4087	452
	State	15566	19220	20280	20.9	24.0	21.5	326893	461280	43602

Table 6. Indiana—All Hay

Dist.	COUNTY	Acres Harvested Hundreds (Two ciphers left off)			Yields per Acre Tons			Production Bushels Hundreds (Two ciphers left off)		
		1944-53 Average	1954	1955	1944-53 Average	1954	1955	1944-1953 Average	1954	1955
1	Benton.....	148	155	93	1.34	1.44	1.87	199	223	174
	Jasper.....	124	124	112	1.39	1.71	1.80	172	212	202
	Lake.....	215	187	146	1.53	1.89	1.73	329	353	253
	LaPorte.....	288	244	226	1.45	1.70	1.49	416	414	336
	Newton.....	102	109	103	1.50	1.80	1.82	151	196	187
	Porter.....	220	188	183	1.51	1.76	1.54	331	330	281
	Pulaski.....	151	144	109	1.42	1.74	1.55	214	250	169
	Starke.....	69	49	46	1.44	1.78	1.48	98	87	68
	White.....	157	188	133	1.42	1.36	1.81	222	256	241
		1473	1388	1151	1.45	1.67	1.66	2133	2321	1911
2	Carroll.....	179	172	148	1.50	1.52	1.76	268	262	261
	Cass.....	227	233	169	1.56	1.71	1.81	352	399	306
	Elkhart.....	359	343	310	1.47	1.81	1.58	529	620	491
	Fulton.....	230	221	177	1.46	1.73	1.77	337	383	314
	Kosciusko.....	359	354	294	1.42	1.59	1.60	509	562	470
	Marshall.....	325	293	257	1.52	1.81	1.56	492	529	402
	Miami.....	213	230	209	1.47	1.71	1.67	313	393	349
	St. Joseph.....	245	208	168	1.52	1.77	1.59	371	369	267
	Wabash.....	264	292	240	1.44	1.59	1.70	379	463	409
		2401	2346	1972	1.48	1.70	1.66	3550	3980	3269
3	Adams.....	245	246	209	1.41	1.60	1.51	346	393	315
	Allen.....	417	401	308	1.44	1.57	1.51	601	628	464
	DeKalb.....	255	260	225	1.43	1.67	1.50	365	435	338
	Huntington.....	253	267	221	1.43	1.69	1.92	361	450	424
	Lagrange.....	318	295	256	1.38	1.55	1.46	439	456	374
	Noble.....	310	328	261	1.44	1.68	1.69	448	552	441
	Steuben.....	253	226	192	1.55	1.80	1.76	391	407	337
	Wells.....	233	242	224	1.42	1.74	1.57	329	420	352
	Whitley.....	234	256	216	1.44	1.56	1.72	336	400	372
		2518	2521	2112	1.44	1.64	1.62	3617	4141	3417
4	Clay.....	127	115	102	1.32	1.40	1.55	166	161	158
	Fountain.....	182	184	145	1.26	1.28	1.49	229	235	216
	Montgomery.....	277	307	228	1.33	1.45	1.75	370	444	399
	Owen.....	177	152	129	1.22	1.19	1.32	213	181	170
	Parke.....	166	161	141	1.43	1.61	1.65	236	259	233
	Putnam.....	240	234	185	1.33	1.45	1.59	316	340	294
	Tippecanoe.....	191	206	149	1.49	1.26	1.88	284	259	280
	Vermillion.....	78	74	69	1.34	1.64	1.72	104	121	119
	Vigo.....	120	113	94	1.36	1.38	1.53	161	156	144
	Warren.....	142	165	134	1.29	1.27	1.66	183	209	223
		1699	1711	1376	1.34	1.38	1.62	2264	2365	2236
5	Bartholomew.....	171	167	148	1.50	1.38	1.66	260	230	245
	Boone.....	262	274	230	1.39	1.46	1.65	364	400	380
	Clinton.....	166	202	141	1.34	1.32	1.53	222	266	216
	Decatur.....	190	247	209	1.35	1.40	1.55	257	347	323
	Grant.....	224	243	201	1.42	1.54	1.76	319	374	353
	Hamilton.....	206	216	164	1.49	1.43	1.70	306	308	278
	Hancock.....	184	184	150	1.42	1.31	1.77	260	241	265
	Hendricks.....	246	245	206	1.42	1.37	1.89	347	335	389
	Howard.....	155	152	122	1.46	1.43	1.79	226	218	218
	Johnson.....	195	193	169	1.54	1.52	1.52	302	294	257
	Madison.....	221	220	153	1.40	1.35	1.65	308	297	253
	Marion.....	156	124	93	1.61	1.48	1.78	251	184	166
	Morgan.....	165	136	109	1.47	1.58	1.72	242	215	187
	Rush.....	214	239	211	1.41	1.63	1.81	301	390	382
	Shelby.....	230	221	187	1.49	1.47	1.58	344	324	295
	Tipton.....	129	132	102	1.40	1.47	1.93	181	194	197
		3114	3195	2595	1.44	1.45	1.70	4489	4617	4404

Table 6—Continued

Dist.	County	Acres Harvested Hundreds (Two ciphers left off)			Yields per Acre Tons			Production, Tons Hundreds (Two ciphers left off)		
		1944-53 Average	1954	1955	1944-53 Average	1954	1955	1944-1953 Average	1954	1955
6	Blackford.....	91	91	.85	1.27	1.53	2.06	116	139	175
	Delaware.....	225	215	165	1.33	1.58	1.64	299	296	270
	Fayette.....	110	116	.97	1.40	1.30	1.78	154	151	173
	Henry.....	245	247	180	1.38	1.42	1.73	337	350	311
	Jay.....	235	263	198	1.19	1.24	1.43	280	327	283
	Randolph.....	285	302	244	1.23	1.32	1.47	349	400	359
	Union.....	82	99	.81	1.32	1.41	1.67	109	140	135
	Wayne.....	266	270	239	1.35	1.42	1.60	359	384	383
		1540	1603	1289	1.30	1.36	1.62	2004	2187	2089
7	Daviess.....	186	161	160	1.40	1.41	1.80	261	227	288
	Dubois.....	254	237	232	1.30	1.33	1.68	330	316	390
	Gibson.....	170	147	143	1.47	1.37	1.80	249	201	258
	Greene.....	254	229	200	1.20	1.24	1.62	303	284	323
	Knox.....	196	189	176	1.57	1.61	2.07	307	304	365
	Martin.....	90	79	.77	1.27	1.43	1.62	116	113	125
	Pike.....	100	83	82	1.28	1.24	1.62	128	103	133
	Posey.....	126	106	100	1.56	1.57	1.77	194	166	177
	Spencer.....	226	195	182	1.31	1.26	1.43	296	246	261
	Sullivan.....	162	120	.97	1.29	1.21	1.72	210	145	167
	Vanderburgh.....	91	81	.85	1.38	1.40	1.58	125	113	134
	Warrick.....	164	114	106	1.25	1.14	1.44	204	130	153
		2017	1741	1640	1.35	1.35	1.69	2722	2348	2774
8	Brown.....	55	40	.32	1.16	1.32	1.44	63	53	46
	Crawford.....	128	104	107	1.10	1.04	1.30	142	108	139
	Floyd.....	85	63	64	1.36	1.17	1.52	115	74	97
	Harrison.....	219	198	204	1.28	1.14	1.52	282	225	310
	Jackson.....	200	181	188	1.38	1.27	1.61	275	230	302
	Lawrence.....	206	203	188	1.48	1.43	1.71	304	290	322
	Monroe.....	174	156	139	1.36	1.31	1.76	236	204	245
	Orange.....	182	162	162	1.26	1.30	1.73	230	210	281
	Perry.....	144	141	144	1.24	1.26	1.35	178	177	194
	Washington.....	244	239	226	1.36	1.43	1.77	331	342	401
		1637	1487	1454	1.32	1.29	1.61	2156	1913	2337
9	Clark.....	169	170	171	1.37	1.26	1.55	232	215	265
	Dearborn.....	208	184	169	1.39	1.28	1.74	290	235	294
	Franklin.....	231	256	223	1.34	1.32	1.61	309	339	358
	Jefferson.....	173	172	165	1.31	1.17	1.52	226	202	250
	Jennings.....	176	156	142	1.24	1.17	1.48	218	183	210
	Ohio.....	61	54	46	1.56	1.41	1.85	95	76	85
	Ripley.....	229	251	211	1.29	1.24	1.47	296	311	310
	Scott.....	85	70	.69	1.24	1.13	1.39	106	79	96
	Switzerland.....	141	135	125	1.41	1.24	1.64	199	168	205
		1473	1448	1321	1.33	1.25	1.57	1971	1808	2073
State.....		7870	17440	14910	1.40	1.47	1.64	24906	25680	24510

Table 7. Grain Stocks on Indiana Farms, 1947-1955

Crop and Crop Year	Production thousand bushels	Grain Stocks on Farms—Thousand Bushels				
		October 1 Current	January 1 Following	April 1 Following	July 1 Following	October 1 Following
CORN						
1947.....	181,761	.....	134,503	74,522	38,170	7,270
1948.....	256,728	.....	197,681	138,633	89,855	41,076
1949.....	227,100	.....	170,325	111,279	72,672	18,168
1950.....	205,010	.....	153,758	96,355	51,252	10,250
1951.....	232,988	.....	170,081	104,845	67,567	18,639
1952.....	222,900	.....	162,717	109,221	71,328	13,374
1953.....	234,943	.....	173,858	115,122	79,881	14,097
1954.....	250,059	.....	190,045	127,530	87,521	18,754
1955.....	269,248	.....	215,398	.....	.....	.....
WHEAT						
1947.....	36,133	11,201	5,420	3,071	1,084	.....
1948.....	38,162	9,159	4,579	1,717	763	.....
1949.....	37,884	10,229	4,546	2,652	568	.....
1950.....	32,193	8,048	3,219	1,610	483	.....
1951.....	23,529	4,941	2,353	706	353	.....
1952.....	36,960	7,762	4,805	2,772	1,109	.....
1953.....	46,144	15,689	12,920	7,383	461	.....
1954.....	39,711	14,693	11,119	9,531	397	.....
1955.....	33,988	8,837	6,798	.....	.....	.....
OATS						
1947.....	35,160	28,831	22,854	11,603	4,219	.....
1948.....	52,849	40,165	30,124	15,326	5,813	.....
1949.....	51,423	38,053	29,825	15,427	6,685	.....
1950.....	48,060	36,526	27,394	15,860	6,248	.....
1951.....	49,876	37,906	28,928	14,464	6,484	.....
1952.....	48,316	34,788	28,990	14,978	6,764	.....
1953.....	45,698	34,730	28,333	13,709	5,484	.....
1954.....	57,860	42,816	34,716	17,358	6,943	.....
1955.....	68,380	51,285	43,763	.....	.....	.....
SOYBEANS						
1947.....	27,806	.....	7,508	4,449	556	278
1948.....	32,098	.....	10,913	6,741	802	160
1949.....	33,887	.....	9,827	6,439	1,186	169
1950.....	37,170	.....	13,381	5,576	1,301	186
1951.....	38,385	.....	14,586	8,829	384	192
1952.....	39,550	.....	12,656	9,097	3,560	593
1953.....	37,968	.....	11,770	4,176	380	38
1954.....	46,128	.....	19,835	15,684	3,921	461
1955.....	43,602	.....	15,697	.....	.....	.....
BARLEY						
1947.....	546	257	213	147	66	.....
1948.....	486	258	175	83	34	.....
1949.....	556	228	172	56	39	.....
1950.....	624	337	200	75	50	.....
1951.....	408	204	143	53	29	.....
1952.....	567	261	204	113	28	.....
1953.....	742	415	245	148	74	.....
1954.....	1,925	982	616	346	192	.....
1955.....	2,542	1,424	966	.....	.....	.....
RYE						
1947.....	840	361	202	134	50	.....
1948.....	928	390	158	84	42	.....
1949.....	770	216	108	62	31	.....
1950.....	770	254	123	77	46	.....
1951.....	538	194	113	65	32	.....
1952.....	686	240	110	34	21	.....
1953.....	930	353	56	23	14	.....
1954.....	1,870	1,066	524	318	224	.....
1955.....	1,584	855	364	.....	.....	.....

Table 8. Stocks of Hay, Total Supply and Disappearance on Indiana Farms,
1931-1955

Crop Year	All Hay Production	Stocks of Hay on Farms		Total Hay Supply (Production Plus May 1 Carry Over)	Disappearance of Hay
		January 1 Following	May 1 Following		
1931.....	2,145	....	450	2,303	1,853
1932.....	2,171	....	369	2,621	2,252
1933.....	1,770	....	177	2,139	1,962
1934.....	1,822	....	219	1,999	1,780
1935.....	2,754	....	496	2,973	2,477
1936.....	1,871	....	206	2,367	2,161
1937.....	2,314	1,620	463	2,520	2,057
1938.....	2,817	2,056	592	3,280	2,688
1939.....	2,713	1,926	380	3,305	2,925
1940.....	2,785	1,894	446	3,165	2,719
1941.....	2,535	1,800	355	2,981	2,626
1942.....	2,859	1,944	372	3,214	2,842
1943.....	2,713	1,818	380	3,085	2,705
1944.....	2,626	1,707	446	3,006	2,560
1945.....	2,551	1,837	587	2,997	2,410
1946.....	2,511	1,833	427	3,098	2,671
1947.....	2,331	1,748	326	2,758	2,432
1948.....	2,251	1,553	360	2,577	2,217
1949.....	2,342	1,686	351	2,702	2,351
1950.....	2,638	1,767	396	2,989	2,593
1951.....	2,651	1,750	318	3,047	2,729
1952.....	2,500	1,700	300	2,818	2,518
1953.....	2,505	1,653	252	2,805	2,553
1954.....	2,568	1,875	302	2,820	2,518
1955.....	2,451	1,716	....	2,753	....

Table 9. Production, Farm Disposition and Value—Hay
Indiana, 1940-1954^a

Crop Year	Production	Farm Disposition		Season Average Price Received	Value of Production	Value of Sales
		Kept on Farms	Sold			
		Thousand Tons			Dollars	Thousand Dollars
1940.....	2,785	2,548	237	9.70	27,014	2,299
1941.....	2,535	2,320	215	13.80	34,983	2,967
1942.....	2,859	2,587	272	15.90	45,458	4,325
1943.....	2,713	2,455	258	20.80	56,430	5,366
1944.....	2,626	2,363	263	23.20	60,923	6,102
1945.....	2,551	2,296	255	20.50	52,296	5,228
1946.....	2,511	2,247	264	20.10	50,471	5,306
1947.....	2,331	2,098	233	22.60	52,681	5,266
1948.....	2,251	2,048	203	22.40	50,422	4,547
1949.....	2,253	2,028	225	21.60	48,665	4,860
1950.....	2,638	2,401	237	20.60	54,343	4,882
1951.....	2,651	2,426	225	21.80	57,792	4,905
1952.....	2,500	2,288	212	23.30	58,250	4,940
1953.....	2,505	2,292	213	24.40	61,122	5,197
1954.....	2,568	2,363	205	23.80	61,118	4,879

^a Production, Disposition, and Values for earlier years are in Indiana Crops and Livestock No. 243, December, 1945.

Table 9. Continued—Production, Farm Disposition and Value—Corn Indiana, 1943–1954^{a, b}

Crop Year	Production for all Purposes	Farm Disposition			Season Average Price Received	Value of Production	Value of Household Use	Value of Sales
		Feed and Seed ^b	Farm Household Use	Sold				
		Thousand Bushels				Dollars	Thousand Dollars	
1943.....	208,446	170,061	84	38,301	1.07	223,037	90	40,982
1944.....	184,219	148,769	82	35,368	1.08	198,957	89	38,197
1945.....	231,292	180,138	78	51,076	1.22	282,176	95	62,313
1946.....	235,682	184,270	66	49,346	1.49	348,186	98	73,526
1947.....	189,157	149,104	66	39,987	2.16	408,579	143	86,372
1948.....	265,791	196,406	68	69,317	1.25	332,239	85	86,646
1949.....	249,548	181,004	68	68,476	1.20	299,488	82	82,171
1950.....	212,430	165,214	64	47,152	1.59	337,764	102	74,972
1951.....	241,415	176,116	62	65,237	1.68	405,577	104	109,598
1952.....	230,050	158,660	62	71,328	1.50	345,075	93	106,992
1953.....	241,690	161,749	60	79,881	1.45	350,450	87	115,827
1954.....	258,619	168,537	61	90,021	1.37	354,308	84	123,329

Table 9. Continued—Production, Farm Disposition and Value—Oats Indiana, 1943–1954^a

Crop Year	Production	Farm Disposition		Season Average Price Received	Value of Production	Value of Sales
		Feed and Seed	Sold			
		Thousand Bushels			Dollars	Thousand Dollars
1943.....	33,212	28,562	4,650	.75	24,909	3,488
1944.....	30,003	25,503	4,500	.75	22,502	3,375
1945.....	57,582	43,762	13,820	.68	39,156	9,398
1946.....	55,068	42,953	12,115	.80	44,054	9,692
1947.....	35,160	24,612	10,548	1.05	36,918	11,075
1948.....	52,849	41,751	11,098	.71	37,523	7,880
1949.....	55,825	42,427	13,398	.62	34,612	8,307
1950.....	48,060	37,006	11,054	.81	38,929	8,954
1951.....	49,876	38,903	10,973	.82	40,898	8,998
1952.....	48,316	37,203	11,113	.76	36,720	8,446
1953.....	45,698	35,644	10,054	.71	32,446	7,138
1954.....	57,860	42,816	15,044	.70	40,502	10,531

Table 9. Continued—Production, Farm Disposition and Value—Barley Indiana, 1943–1954^a

Crop Year	Production	Farm Disposition		Season Average Price Received	Value of Production	Value of Sales
		Feed and Seed	Sold			
		Thousand Bushels			Dollars	Thousand Dollars
1943.....	1,398	1,258	140	1.01	1,412	141
1944.....	1,142	1,024	118	1.10	1,256	130
1945.....	1,056	950	106	1.11	1,172	118
1946.....	600	516	84	1.35	810	113
1947.....	546	475	71	1.43	781	102
1948.....	486	399	87	1.41	685	123
1949.....	578	497	81	1.00	578	81
1950.....	624	593	31	1.18	736	37
1951.....	408	359	49	1.26	514	62
1952.....	567	493	74	1.26	714	93
1953.....	742	668	74	1.07	794	79
1954.....	1,925	1,733	192	.92	1,771	177

^a Production, Disposition, and Values for earlier years are in Indiana Crops and Livestock No. 243, December, 1945.

^b Includes grain equivalent of corn silage and forage as well as grain corn.

Table 9. Continued—Production, Farm Disposition and Value—Wheat Indiana, 1940-1954^a

Crop Year	Pro- duction	Total Used For Seed	Farm Disposition			Season Average Price Re- ceived	Value of Pro- duction	Value of House- hold Use	Value of Sales				
			Used on Farm Where Grown		Sold								
			For Seed	Fed to Livestock									
Thousand Bushels													
						Dollars	Thousand Dollars						
1940	27,934	2,532	2,228	7,542	274	17,890	.74	20,671	203	13,239			
1941	34,665	2,053	1,909	6,933	270	25,553	1.01	35,012	273	25,809			
1942	14,052	1,706	1,570	3,794	210	8,478	1.21	17,003	254	10,258			
1943	15,274	2,197	1,670	3,971	140	9,493	1.53	23,369	214	14,524			
1944	25,568	2,698	2,212	6,136	124	17,096	1.48	37,840	184	25,302			
1945	34,980	2,351	1,763	6,296	132	26,789	1.56	54,569	206	41,791			
1946	29,369	2,725	2,316	4,699	61	22,293	1.98	58,151	121	44,140			
1947	36,133	3,079	2,617	5,781	68	27,667	2.27	82,022	154	62,804			
1948	38,162	2,956	2,217	6,488	59	29,398	2.07	78,995	122	60,854			
1949	39,150	2,659	2,021	4,698	60	32,371	1.77	69,296	106	57,297			
1950	32,193	2,918	2,422	3,863	34	25,874	2.00	64,386	68	51,748			
1951	23,529	2,801	2,241	3,294	31	17,963	2.17	51,058	67	38,980			
1952	36,960	2,997	2,398	3,326	32	31,204	1.99	73,550	64	62,096			
1953	46,144	2,367	1,988	3,230	26	40,900	1.88	86,751	49	76,892			
1954	39,711	2,131	1,790	3,177	26	34,718	1.99	79,025	52	69,089			

Table 9. Continued—Production, Farm Disposition and Value—Rye Indiana, 1940-1954^a

Crop Year	Pro- duction	Total Used for Seed	Farm Disposition			Season Average Price Received	Value of Pro- duction	Value of Sales			
			Used on Farm Where Grown		Sold						
			For Seed	Fed to Livestock							
Thousand Bushels											
						Dollars	Thousand Dollars				
1940	1,860	320	134	1,302	424	.45	837	191			
1941	2,015	342	137	1,491	387	.60	1,209	232			
1942	1,944	277	144	1,555	245	.64	1,244	157			
1943	1,212	233	100	885	227	1.02	1,236	232			
1944	1,015	289	101	487	427	1.06	1,076	453			
1945	875	161	56	438	381	1.37	1,199	522			
1946	621	186	74	155	392	1.79	1,112	702			
1947	840	195	70	218	552	2.13	1,789	1,176			
1948	928	186	65	288	575	1.65	1,531	949			
1949	756	203	65	136	555	1.27	960	705			
1950	770	182	56	262	452	1.38	1,063	624			
1951	538	164	52	194	292	1.65	888	482			
1952	686	214	62	165	459	1.82	1,249	835			
1953	930	358	86	251	593	1.24	1,153	735			
1954	1,870	390	136	711	1,023	.98	1,833	1,003			

^a Production, Disposition, and Values for earlier years are in Indiana Crops and Livestock No. 243, December, 1945.

Table 10. Prices Received by Indiana Farmers on 15th of Each Month, 1955

Month	Corn Bushel	Wheat Bushel	Oats Bushel	Soybeans Bushel	Rye Bushel	Barley Bushel
January	1.39	2.09	.78	2.60	1.12	1.05
February	1.39	2.05	.76	2.61	1.08	1.05
March	1.33	1.98	.73	2.55	1.05	1.05
April	1.33	1.94	.72	2.42	.95	1.05
May	1.33	1.96	.70	2.35	.95	1.00
June	1.32	1.85	.68	2.30	.95	.80
July	1.31	1.79	.55	2.26	.90	.80
August	1.15	1.71	.52	2.24	.89	.82
September	1.12	1.72	.51	1.99	.94	.91
October	1.07	1.79	.56	2.09	.98	.89
November	.98	1.81	.57	2.04	.98	.91
December	1.10	1.89	.60	2.14	1.00	.83
Average 1955	1.24	1.88	.64	2.30	.98	.93

Month	Potatoes Bushel	Apples Bushel	All Hay (Baled) Ton	Alfalfa Hay (Baled) Ton	Clo-Tim Hay (Baled) Ton	Red Clover Seed 100 lbs.
January	1.40	2.70	25.00	27.00	24.00	49.00
January	1.40	2.70	25.20	27.50	24.00	50.00
March	1.35	2.70	24.00	26.00	23.00	46.50
April	2.50	2.50	23.30	25.50	22.00	44.00
May	2.50	—	22.70	25.00	21.50	44.00
June	—	—	20.30	22.50	19.00	44.00
July	1.70	2.50	19.80	21.50	18.50	39.00
August	1.25	2.60	18.80	20.50	17.50	30.00
September	1.05	2.45	18.80	20.50	17.50	27.00
October	1.15	2.50	20.90	23.00	19.50	28.30
November	1.25	2.60	19.70	21.50	18.50	27.50
December	1.25	2.60	19.90	22.00	18.20	28.00
Average 1955	1.53	2.58	21.53	23.54	20.27	38.11

Table 11. Index of Estimated Value of All Indiana Farm Land With Improvements*
(1912-14 = 100)

Year	Index	Year and Month	Index	Year and Month	Index
1912	97	1941	77	1949	
1913	100	1942		March	176
1914	103	March	88	July	171
1915	102	July	89	November	171
1916	110	November	91	1950	
1917	116	1943		March	174
1918	128	March	98	July	177
1919	135	July	100	November	189
1920	161	November	103	1951	
1921	148	1944		March	208
1922	120	March	112	July	214
1923	116	July	115	November	219
1924	108	November	116	1952	
1925	102	1945		March	228
1926	95	March	124	July	230
1927	87	July	127	November	230
1928	84	November	129	1953	
1929	83	1946		March	233
1930	80	March	145	July	230
1931	72	July	147	November	227
1932	60	November	150	1954	
1933	53	1947		March	232
1934	56	March	158	July	236
1935	61	July	161	November	243
1936	66	November	161	1955	
1937	70	1948		March	249
1938	73	March	172	July	254
1939	73	July	176	November	260
1940	74	November	178		

* 1912-1941 Index of Value as of March 1.

Table 14. Cash Farm Income in Indiana by Commodities

Commodity	Thousands of Dollars					
	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955
Corn	71,774	91,408	110,046	111,196	124,404	.....
Soybeans	75,530	87,340	107,643	97,527	113,328	.....
Wheat	53,720	39,103	59,802	71,116	70,199	.....
Oats	8,494	9,131	8,732	7,362	9,388	.....
Mint	3,184	3,689	3,913	3,779	3,690	.....
Tobacco	6,524	6,868	5,907	7,130	5,802	.....
Hay	5,342	4,400	5,038	4,954	5,543	.....
Potatoes	4,147	5,014	5,287	4,029	4,099	.....
Red Clover Seed	1,011	1,383	940	628	686	.....
Rye	581	471	896	758	801	.....
Popcorn	1,086	1,437	2,225	2,679	1,916	.....
Truck Crops	15,959	21,928	.....	.....	.....	.....
Tomatoes . . . . .	.....	.....	11,045	10,890	8,180	.....
Onions . . . . .	.....	.....	1,113	1,011	298	.....
Watermelons . . . . .	.....	.....	1,119	1,178	1,211	.....
Cantaloups . . . . .	.....	.....	679	964	736	.....
Other Crops	815	730	10,403	9,663	8,124	.....
Apples	3,358	3,925	3,260	2,904	2,812	.....
Strawberries	1,323	1,637	1,274	1,088	998	.....
Peaches	505	156	855	843	981	.....
Other Fruits	182	236	238	238	264	.....
Forest	1,206	2,944	2,664	2,536	2,470	.....
Greenhouse, Nursery	16,086	18,371	18,953	19,221	19,162	.....
Total Crops	270,827	300,171	362,032	361,694	385,092	351,401
Hogs	297,848	349,506	322,279	355,507	355,635	.....
Cattle, Calves	156,242	169,561	146,938	137,662	149,171	.....
Dairy Products	119,569	138,341	147,620	134,112	122,270	.....
Eggs	60,885	86,401	77,280	91,908	75,959	.....
Broilers . . . . .	.....	.....	32,112	29,633	26,767	.....
Chickens	46,294	53,534	19,630	19,919	15,496	.....
Sheep, Lambs	8,475	8,835	8,101	6,968	6,726	.....
Turkeys	7,833	9,916	10,291	10,322	10,036	.....
Wool	1,328	2,806	1,153	1,546	1,814	.....
Other Poultry	995	933	976	910	816	.....
Other Livestock	1,746	2,226	2,115	2,690	2,530	.....
Total Livestock and Products	701,215	822,059	768,495	791,177	767,220	687,771
All Commodities	972,042	1,122,230	1,130,527	1,152,871	1,152,312	1,039,172
Government Payments	5,666	6,875	6,868	5,493	6,120	3,699
Total Cash Receipts	977,708	1,129,105	1,137,395	1,158,364	1,158,432	1,042,871
Value of Home Consumption	46,344	53,346	50,434	48,844	45,033	.....
Total Farm Income	1,024,052	1,182,451	1,187,829	1,207,208	1,203,465	.....

Beginning with 1952 the income from tomatoes, onions, watermelons and cantaloups are shown as separate items. In earlier years they were included in the truck crop total. The remaining truck crops are now included with other crops. Likewise, in the livestock items, broilers are shown separately from other chickens for the years beginning with 1952.

Table 15. United States—Acreage, Yield, Production and Season Price, 1954-1955

Name of Crop	Acreage Harvested			Production			Season Averages	
	1954		1955	1954		1955	1954	1955
	1954	1955	Yield Per Acre	1954	1955	Production	Unit Price, Dollars	Production
Corn, All.....	80,369,000	79,955,000	37.5	39.8	3,010,248,000	3,184,836,000	1.43	1.31
Winter Wheat.....	39,156,000	33,674,000	20.5	20.9	804,349,000	705,372,000	2.11	1.96
Spring Wheat.....	13,782,000	12,161,000	12.0	17.4	212,188,000	216,737,000	2.16	2.08
Oats.....	42,291,000	40,933,000	35.4	38.5	1,497,045,000	1,575,736,000	2.17	.592
Rye.....	1,717,000	2,066,000	14.2	14.1	27,320,000	29,187,000	1.21	.976
Barley.....	13,183,000	14,247,000	28.1	27.4	370,520,000	390,969,000	1.08	.932
Buckwheat.....	150,000	117,000	18.3	17.6	2,740,000	2,025,000	.983	.111
Sweet Potatoes.....	343,500	357,400	87.7	107.5	30,131,000	38,406,000	2.42	1.87
White Potatoes.....	1,406,100	1,406,900	252.8	271.3	356,031,000	381,631,000	1.30	.945
Soybeans for Beans.....	16,971,000	18,559,000	20.1	20.0	341,565,000	371,276,000	2.46	.10
Cowpeas for Peas.....	279,000	362,000	4.9	6.5	1,363,000	2,345,833,000	.459	.888
Tobacco.....	1,667,300	1,510,100	1,346.6	1,494.6	2,245,833,000	2,256,387,000	.511	.527
Popcorn.....	144,100	134,500	1,588.5	1,584.5	228,820,000	213,150,000	.0393	.0311
Sorghum Syrup.....	48,000	54,000	56.2	56.2	2,699,000	4,190,000	2.27	2.13
All Hay.....	72,710,000	73,984,000	1.44	1.48	104,987,000	109,697,000	22.00	21.30
Alfalfa Hay.....	23,316,000	25,119,000	2.44	2.09	49,960,000	52,978,000	.....	Ton
Clover and Timothy Hay.....	19,222,000	18,012,000	1.43	1.48	27,566,000	26,724,000	.....	Ton
Soybean Hay.....	1,041,000	811,000	1.04	1.26	1,086,000	1,019,000	.....	Ton
Cowpea Hay.....	256,000	245,000	1.57	1.91	147,000	222,000	.....	Ton
Grain Hay.....	143,000	3,783,000	1.21	1.17	3,804,000	4,419,000	.....	Ton
Lespedeza Hay.....	3,672,000	4,261,000	1.83	1.14	3,032,000	4,866,000	.....	Ton
Other Hay.....	7,362,000	7,564,000	1.12	1.19	8,447,000	9,031,000	.....	Ton
Wild Hay.....	13,229,000	12,723,000	1.77	1.76	10,211,000	9,677,000	.....	Ton
Alfalfa Seed.....	1,048,500	1,373,800	154.7	155.7	161,650,000	212,459,000	.335	.206
Aisike Clover Seed.....	51,700	58,300	183.	172.	9,461,000	10,028,000	.....	Pound
Lespedeza Seed.....	576,500	926,500	147.	182.	84,830,000	168,885,000	.193	.074
Red Clover Seed.....	933,600	1,384,000	61.	59.	56,494,000	81,922,000	.446	.294
Sweet Clover Seed.....	268,600	256,000	162.	186.	43,242,000	47,607,000	.111	.096
Timothy Seed.....	237,000	294,500	141.	150.	33,530,000	44,098,000	.171	.084
Apples—Commercial.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	105,854,000	105,293,000	2.25	2.01
Peaches.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	61,316,000	51,291,000	2.00	2.19
Grapes.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	30,434,000	30,511,000	2.10	2.14
Strawberries.....	107,050	108,860	110.	118.	2,559,400	3,175,700	51.10	41.70
Mint for Oil.....	57,500	56,700	40.7	42.6	11,810,000	12,821,000	7.08	7.20
Cabbage—All.....	158,110	145,460	8.43	7.94	2,340,000	2,416,000	4.76	5.47
Cantaloups for Market.....	153,150	152,570	105.	102.	1,333,000	1,155,300	24.48	39.37
Carrots for Market.....	80,000	79,930	388.	358.	16,062,000	15,604,000	3.34	3.54
Celery for Market.....	36,720	33,710	685.	738.	31,056,000	28,634,000	1.66	1.48
Onions.....	116,500	113,940	374.	357.	25,145,000	24,711,000	1.99	2.41
Tomatoes for Market.....	250,500	243,900	149.	161.	43,602,000	40,695,000	1.07	1.31
Watermelons for Market.....	453,650	455,600	264.	288.	37,443,000	39,232,000	3.46	3.61
Beets for Processing.....	15,570	17,520	9.43	7.96	19,803,000	131,170,000	2.94	.350
Snaps Beans for Processing.....	154,000	138,600	2.22	2.24	146,800	139,400	.....	Melon
Sweet Corn for Processing.....	453,210	388,570	3.28	3.01	341,430	310,130	.....	Crates
Cucumbers for Processing.....	140,210	126,000	91.	103.	1,488,800	1,168,700	20.70	19.40
Green Peas for Processing.....	426,720	433,700	.938	1.048	12,691,000	13,004,000	1.42	1.30
Tomatoes for Processing.....	268,550	316,820	10.05	10.18	400,130	454,230	92.20	89.50
.....							2,697,690	24.40
							3,224,540	25.00

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LIVESTOCK SUMMARY, JANUARY 1, 1955

Indiana

IN 1954 the numbers of hogs and chickens increased. The numbers of cattle, milk cows, sheep, horses, mules, and turkeys decreased.

THE NUMBERS of all cattle declined 1 percent after 5 successive years of increase. Milk cow numbers declined 6 percent, continuing the trend interrupted a year ago. Stock sheep also decreased 5 percent. Horses and mules continued the long time decline in numbers with decreases of 12 and 25 percent respectively. Turkeys on hand declined 15 percent in spite of a large crop. About two-thirds of the poult raised are shipped in from other states.

THE INCREASE in hog numbers of 14 percent reflects the sharp increase in both the spring and fall pig crops. The numbers are still 12 percent lower than in 1943. The increase of 3 percent in the number of chickens was mostly in pullets. These comprise 73 percent of the total chickens.

THE VALUE PER HEAD of horses, mules, and stock sheep were higher than a year ago, with all other species lower. The yearly changes in value per head were horses up 12 percent, mules up 15 percent and stock sheep up 6 percent. Showing declines by the percentages following were, all cattle 4, milk cows 9, hogs 15, chickens 30, turkeys 8.

THE TOTAL inventory value of all livestock was \$361,784,000 this year, and \$383,886,000 last year. The decline was 6 percent last year where the year before it was 20 percent, and the next previous year 17 percent.

THE 77,000 SHEEP AND LAMBS on feed was 10 percent less than last year. The 272,000 cattle and calves on feed was 5 percent more than last year.

THE YEARLY TOTAL of 8,257,000 pigs saved is 12 percent more than last year, and only 2 percent less than the 1951 record high number. The spring



Crop Reporting Districts

crop was 8 percent larger, and the fall crop 16 percent larger than a year earlier.

BROILERS produced in Indiana in 1954 were 36,368,000 head, an increase of 8 percent. Death losses were smaller than a year ago. The average price in 1954 was 23.2 cents per pound or 4.3 cents lower than last year. Gross income was \$27,000,000 against \$29,633,000 the previous year.

THE ESTIMATED NUMBER of calves born was 973,000 or 90 percent of the cows and heifers over 2 years old on January 1, 1954.

THE LAMB CROP was 361,000 in 1954 while in 1953 it was 371,000 head. The 1954 wool clip was 3,057,000 pounds against 3,139,000 in 1953.

United States

LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY on farms and ranches showed a net increase of 3 percent during 1954. The total for January 1, 1955 was 7 percent below the peak of January 1, 1944. The aggregate increase this past year resulted from a substantial increase in hog numbers and small increases in cattle, chickens and turkeys. Sheep and lambs, horses and mules were down from a year ago.

COMBINING THE SPECIES on the basis of their economic importance reveals that livestock numbers increased 3 percent and poultry increased 1 percent. Meat animals (cattle, hogs and sheep) were up almost 3 percent, while workstock was down 9 percent. Milk cattle (milk cows, heifers and calves) showed a decrease of 1 percent.

FEED SUPPLIES were generally ample for the country as a whole, however, drought areas in the Southern and Central Plains States and Southern States have short feed supplies, particularly hay. Western range feed conditions in the fall of 1954 were the poorest since 1934. Despite the poor condition of pasture and range feed in many parts of the country, cattle and sheep numbers have been maintained surprisingly well. Inventories have been reduced substantially in some hard-hit areas of the Mountain and Plains States. Other sections show large increases in receipts of feeder livestock, especially cattle.

DURING 1954, producers attained record highs for the number of pigs saved per litter; the egg laying rate for farm chicken flocks; milk production per cow in herd; and weight per fleece for shorn wool. The 1954 calf crop apparently was in the largest of record, while the lamb crop showed an increase over the preceding year. The pig crop was up sharply from the postwar low in 1953.

ALTHOUGH STARTING OUT lower, cattle feeding by the end of the year was larger than a year earlier. More favorable prices for fed cattle in relation to feeder cattle prices stimulated demand for placing cattle on feed. Dry weather in the Central and Southern Plains States caused sheep and lambs to move to market, limiting the number available to be put on feed. Also more of the late lambs were held for replacements. On January 1, 1955 the number of cattle on grain feed for market was 8 percent larger than a year earlier, while sheep and lambs on feed were down 4 percent.

COMMERCIAL BROILER OUTPUT set a new record high as did the number of turkeys raised. A further expansion took place in the production of Beltsville and other light breed turkeys. Commercial hatcheries turned out a record number of chicks and pouls during 1954.

FARMERS intend to increase their 1955 spring farrowings by 5 percent. They plan to buy 18 percent fewer baby chicks than in 1954. Turkey growers plan to raise 4 percent fewer turkeys this year than last, with an 11 percent decrease in light breeds, but about the same number of heavy breed turkeys. A record number of cows and heifers promises another large calf crop.

EVEN WITH a slightly larger aggregate number of livestock and poultry, the farm value of \$11.4 billion was 4 percent below a year earlier and substantially below the record high of 19.6 billion dollars on January 1, 1952. Lower average prices for cattle, hogs, chickens and turkeys more than offset higher average prices for sheep, horses and mules to hold the aggregate value below a year earlier.

THE JANUARY 1 INVENTORY of cattle and calves showed a further slight increase to a new record high of 95.4 million head. This number included 5.8 million cattle and calves on feed for market, which was almost one-half million more than were on feed January 1, 1954. The new record number of cattle and calves on January 1, 1955 marked the sixth successive annual increase from a recent low point of 76.8 million head on January 1, 1949. Compared with January 1, 1954, only milk cows, heifers over 1 year old and bulls showed decreases. Although cow slaughter increased substantially during 1954, the number of all cows on January 1, 1955 was about the same as a year earlier. Cows and heifers 2 years old and over kept for milk showed a 1 percent decline from January 1, 1954, while beef cows 2 years old and over made a further increase to 24.2 million head, the largest number for this class of record. The number of heifers 1 to 2 years being kept for milk cows decreased 1 percent, but heifer calves kept for milk cows increased 1 percent. The number of other calves under 1 year old increased 2 percent and was the largest of record. The number of steers was up 2 percent, while bulls declined 3 percent. Commercial slaughter of cattle and calves in 1954 totaled 38 million head, compared with

35 million head in 1953 and 27 million in 1952. A record high calf crop was produced in 1954. Imports of cattle and calves from Canada amounted to 83,000 head in 1954 compared with 70,000 head in 1953.

HOGS AND PIGS on farms January 1, 1955 totaled 55 million head, an increase of 6.4 million head, or 13 percent from the relatively low number January 1, 1954. The higher inventory reflected the larger 1954 pig crop. Market hogs (excluding sows) over 6 months old on January 1, 1955 were 17 percent larger than a year earlier. Sows and gilts at 9.5 million head were up about 5 percent in line with farmers' intentions for an increase in farrowings in the spring of 1954. The number of pigs under 6 months of age showed an increase of 14 percent over a year earlier. Increases in the number of hogs and pigs on farms were shown in nearly all states, with rather sharp increases in most North Central States. Only moderate increases were shown in most North Atlantic and South Atlantic States. Slaughter of 65 million head of hogs in 1954 was 2 million head less than the number slaughtered in 1953.

SHEEP AND LAMBS declined for the third successive year. The total of 30.9 million sheep and lambs on January 1, 1955 was 1 percent below a year ago. Stock sheep totaled 27 million head, about the same as a year earlier, while the number of sheep and lambs on feed for market was down 4 percent. Commercial slaughter of 15.9 million sheep and lambs in 1954 was about the same as in 1953. Even though the lamb crop of 20 million head was slightly larger than in 1953, sheep numbers declined slightly. The 21.2 million head of ewes 1 year old and over on farms and ranches January 1 was only slightly less than the number a year earlier. Most significant was the increase

of 9 percent in the number of ewe lambs. Decreases of 1 to 6 percent in stock sheep numbers were shown in a number of the Western and Mountain States. Stock sheep numbers in Texas were the same as a year earlier, and noticeable increases occurred in the Dakotas and Nebraska.

INVENTORIES of horses and mules continued to decline, with 9 percent fewer horses and 10 percent fewer mules than a year earlier. Numbers of horse and mule colts under 2 years old—particularly the number of young mules—are at very low levels. This points to a continued decline in horse and mule numbers. The proportion of total horse inventories kept or used for riding stock has been increasing steadily, while horses used for workstock continue to give way to tractors and trucks. Slaughter of horses under Federal inspection amounted to 247,000 head in 1954 compared with 271,000 head slaughtered in 1953, and 357,000 head in 1952.

CHICKENS on farms January 1, 1955 (excluding commercial broilers) totaled about 447 million, an increase of 1 percent from a year earlier, but 6 percent below average. Pullet numbers were up 3 percent, while hen numbers were down 1 percent and other chickens down 13 percent. Turkey inventories on farms January 1 total 5.4 million head—3 percent more than a year earlier. The number of breeder hens was about the same as January 1, 1954, but the heavy breeds were up 5 percent and the light breeds were down 16 percent.

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Table 6. Livestock and Tractors Assessed for Taxation, March, 1954, Indiana.

Dist.	County	Tractors	Beef Cows*	Milk Cows*	Other Cattle	All Cattle	Sheep	Sows	Other Hogs	All Swine	Poultry	No. of Doz.
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1	Benton.....	1,890	7,225	1,870	10,937	20,032	5,116	4,990	11,366	16,346	3,388	
	Jasper.....	2,370	5,641	3,871	13,935	23,447	2,651	4,217	15,243	19,460	6,622	
	Lake.....	1,614	3,182	5,276	14,235	14,777	1,346	1,656	2,862	4,518	6,769	
	La Porte.....	2,364	2,488	7,133	8,477	18,098	1,669	2,928	4,485	7,413	4,895	
	Newton.....	1,212	5,143	2,116	9,518	16,777	2,087	2,754	6,401	9,155	3,294	
	Porter.....	1,636	2,730	6,172	6,320	15,222	1,653	2,222	2,880	5,102	4,966	
	Pulaski.....	1,718	2,808	4,643	8,583	16,034	1,246	3,048	10,276	13,324	8,056	
	Starke.....	1,342	357	2,733	3,485	6,675	617	1,308	3,192	4,500	9,224	
	White.....	2,142	4,999	4,018	12,872	21,889	3,249	6,550	17,431	23,981	6,051	
2	Carroll.....	16,348	34,573	37,832	79,904	152,309	19,634	29,673	74,126	103,799	53,165	
	Cass.....	1,928	3,613	4,477	12,715	20,805	3,701	9,437	30,679	40,116	7,171	
	Eelkart.....	2,095	3,335	6,013	12,609	21,957	5,411	6,463	19,960	26,413	7,095	
	Fulton.....	2,442	1,881	13,789	14,445	29,715	4,024	2,832	9,914	12,746	13,483	
	Kosciusko.....	1,823	2,419	8,037	11,487	21,943	2,856	4,273	13,803	18,078	11,776	
	Marshall.....	2,833	2,321	11,313	17,336	30,970	5,473	6,028	20,953	26,981	35,704	
	Miami.....	2,455	1,471	9,999	15,466	26,936	3,572	5,046	18,068	23,114	16,274	
	St. Joseph.....	2,366	2,456	6,887	11,287	20,630	3,172	5,998	18,652	24,650	8,707	
	Wabash.....	2,224	1,862	7,813	8,73	16,415	1,557	2,213	6,609	8,822	8,377	
3	Adams.....	20,023	18,958	75,970	119,460	214,388	34,263	50,243	156,350	206,593	127,034	
	Allen.....	1,971	915	8,526	8,388	17,829	3,977	3,140	8,946	12,086	12,399	
	De Kalb.....	3,542	1,862	11,102	10,843	23,807	9,014	4,941	11,733	16,674	12,692	
	Huntington.....	1,927	567	7,608	7,429	15,604	5,693	2,316	6,925	9,241	8,240	
	Lagrange.....	2,489	2,713	9,140	13,169	25,022	5,622	6,187	16,958	23,145	14,321	
	Noble.....	2,180	2,147	10,674	12,142	24,963	5,668	3,997	10,732	14,729	13,725	
	Steuben.....	1,418	1,767	10,623	13,359	25,749	6,070	4,048	12,174	16,222	12,431	
	Wells.....	2,252	1,162	8,792	7,477	7,897	16,136	4,902	2,425	6,160	8,585	
	Whitley.....	1,755	1,460	5,806	12,307	9,805	4,882	4,645	12,190	16,835	9,935	

* 18,823 13,355 79,748 95,339

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Table 6. Livestock and Tractors Assessed for Taxation, March, 1954, Indiana—Continued.

Dist.	County	Tractors	Beef Cows*	Milk Cows*	Other Cattle	All Cattle	Sheep	Sows	Other Hogs	All Swine	Poultry, No. of Doz.
7	Daviess.....	1,707	3,922	5,139	7,955	17,344	2,543	4,426	11,416	15,842	8,447
	Dubois.....	1,443	2,382	5,849	12,344	811	3,457	13,951	17,408	9,353	5,703
	Gibson.....	2,063	3,936	3,521	7,696	15,113	2,984	4,550	14,628	19,178	7,739
	Greene.....	1,551	4,053	4,512	9,975	14,487	2,311	5,775	14,964	17,739	6,612
	Knox.....	1,921	4,053	4,265	7,606	15,924	1,303	4,518	10,311	14,839	6,970
	Martin.....	464	1,483	2,198	2,505	4,703	957	902	3,034	3,936	1,803
	Pike.....	836	1,483	1,978	3,403	6,864	772	2,104	6,424	8,528	4,160
	Posey.....	1,552	1,657	1,553	3,316	6,526	1,699	1,967	4,733	6,700	2,342
	Spencer.....	1,313	2,992	3,152	3,645	6,797	1,093	2,629	3,879	5,387	5,373
	Sullivan.....	1,717	616	4,710	6,307	14,009	2,627	7,518	10,147	5,331	1,485
8	Vanderburgh.....	944	616	1,365	515	2,496	286	582	1,557	2,139	3,942
	Warrick.....	1,215	747	2,019	3,103	5,869	907	861	2,682	3,543	3,942
	Brown.....	16,726	21,788	38,525	61,875	122,188	17,693	29,568	85,908	115,476	61,521
	Crawford.....	317	256	871	1,057	2,184	278	228	536	764	968
	Floyd.....	579	562	2,044	2,018	4,624	949	551	1,390	1,941	3,281
	Harrison.....	558	322	1,953	1,298	3,573	186	276	530	806	1,369
	Jackson.....	1,664	1,348	5,949	6,690	13,987	1,553	1,573	3,779	5,352	11,379
	Lawrence.....	1,269	2,073	4,994	5,445	12,512	1,301	2,195	7,224	9,419	10,145
	Monroe.....	886	3,939	4,410	5,988	14,337	1,331	1,385	4,446	5,830	4,375
	Orange.....	878	2,112	3,160	4,062	9,334	1,054	677	1,737	2,414	2,284
9	Perry.....	694	699	3,179	4,627	9,980	1,605	1,214	4,088	5,302	4,433
	Washington.....	1,477	2,555	1,813	3,053	5,665	508	714	2,255	2,969	3,067
	Clark.....	9,922	15,500	35,152	42,728	93,380	12,677	11,188	34,416	45,904	48,587
	Dearborn.....	902	1,131	4,641	4,880	9,521	1,720	956	2,883	3,839	3,920
	Franklin.....	1,075	3,199	5,770	5,524	12,425	2,006	1,068	1,983	3,051	4,440
	Jefferson.....	1,065	715	6,992	7,290	17,481	3,475	6,139	14,430	20,569	8,157
	Jennings.....	1,365	992	4,046	3,166	7,927	2,233	681	2,079	2,760	3,373
	Ohio.....	306	219	2,376	1,804	4,882	2,697	1,518	4,505	6,023	5,633
	Ripley.....	1,831	850	8,655	5,805	14,490	1,744	2,675	5,935	8,610	15,487
	Scott.....	688	597	2,117	2,178	5,145	1,071	624	2,267	2,891	2,906
	Switzerland.....	9,402	7,106	42,738	37,179	87,023	16,347	34,822	1,060,353	44,000	46,800
	State.....	149,821	215,524	477,528	746,245	1,439,297	297,416	380,119	1,060,353	1,440,472	640,274

* Beef cows not reported separately in some areas.

Table 7. Livestock Slaughtered off Farms in Indiana, 1952-1954

Month	Numbers			Average Live Weight		
	1952	1953	1954	1952	1953	1954
CATTLE						
January.....	42,000	45,000	57,000	939	928	944
February.....	36,000	44,000	52,000	839	954	931
March.....	36,000	48,000	55,000	943	948	905
April.....	36,000	49,000	56,000	928	936	896
May.....	33,000	47,000	52,000	934	931	900
June.....	28,000	48,000	57,000	902	908	866
July.....	34,000	53,000	61,000	889	885	897
August.....	36,000	52,000	62,000	877	878	874
September.....	40,000	58,000	63,000	881	863	864
October.....	45,000	59,000	60,000	881	939	900
November.....	36,000	56,000	60,000	891	902	918
December.....	40,000	60,000	57,000	917	931	921
Year.....	442,000	619,000	692,000	901	915	900
CALVES						
January.....	9,600	11,500	16,000	203	221	217
February.....	8,400	10,700	18,000	188	206	209
March.....	9,800	13,500	23,000	204	195	202
April.....	11,700	17,000	22,000	204	194	202
May.....	13,000	17,000	23,000	207	198	194
June.....	15,000	17,000	22,000	212	217	222
July.....	14,800	18,000	24,000	221	220	228
August.....	14,300	18,000	22,000	239	206	235
September.....	14,900	17,000	19,000	247	207	192
October.....	15,000	21,000	20,000	258	195	195
November.....	12,600	16,000	18,000	246	192	223
December.....	12,300	16,000	16,000	230	188	216
Year.....	151,400	192,700	243,000	225	202	212
HOGS						
January.....	363,000	334,000	247,000	250	247	250
February.....	296,000	294,000	236,000	237	237	236
March.....	341,000	324,000	265,000	232	230	232
April.....	318,000	280,000	225,000	232	235	245
May.....	273,000	218,000	198,000	234	247	265
June.....	224,000	200,000	198,000	241	261	250
July.....	229,000	227,000	217,000	248	271	276
August.....	243,000	248,000	257,000	236	248	245
September.....	280,000	268,000	289,000	228	235	241
October.....	294,000	279,000	286,000	236	238	240
November.....	269,000	293,000	284,000	250	255	251
December.....	341,000	318,000	303,000	245	250	251
Year.....	3,471,000	3,283,000	3,005,000	239	245	248
SHEEP AND LAMBS						
January.....	5,700	8,400	12,100	101	96	97
February.....	2,400	7,100	10,700	98	96	97
March.....	1,800	6,100	8,800	104	98	100
April.....	2,200	6,400	7,500	100	96	99
May.....	2,100	7,000	7,700	106	88	91
June.....	6,100	14,000	13,600	94	84	89
July.....	8,900	13,000	14,200	83	88	89
August.....	7,800	12,200	14,100	98	80	88
September.....	5,900	12,000	14,400	91	82	82
October.....	5,300	15,000	12,700	91	83	87
November.....	6,100	13,000	12,800	96	88	93
December.....	6,900	14,200	12,700	107	91	96
Year.....	61,200	128,400	141,300	96	88	92

Table 14. Receipts of Indiana Livestock at Principal Stockyards, 1953-1954.

Month	CATTLE		CALVES		SHEEP		HOGS	
	1953	1954	1953	1954	1953	1954	1953	1954
Jan.	62,220	79,747	13,055	14,017	56,187	45,919	517,979	447,936
Feb.	57,849	72,552	12,187	13,715	41,091	28,253	517,918	556,806
Mar.	55,920	71,827	12,605	16,173	20,143	16,158	560,050	546,849
April	58,667	67,507	16,073	16,772	10,169	12,257	465,205	426,110
May	51,615	65,429	14,998	16,628	11,837	11,420	325,214	329,799
June	54,893	72,709	17,232	18,361	28,400	31,452	290,245	327,965
July	54,329	74,709	18,501	17,937	43,222	46,017	342,012	377,968
Aug.	63,110	77,635	17,888	16,849	54,940	52,479	445,901	562,098
Sept.	63,459	74,367	17,508	17,117	46,346	55,532	518,682	622,411
Oct.	60,276	75,719	15,240	13,785	63,281	46,536	476,705	538,282
Nov.	66,553	76,656	15,178	12,965	57,211	49,033	454,341	440,231
Dec.	67,959	72,650	14,584	12,774	50,307	45,885	387,692	465,354
Total	716,859	881,507	185,049	187,093	483,134	440,941	5,301,944	5,641,809

Table 15. Wool Production and Value, Indiana, 1946-1954.

Year	Number of Sheep Shorn	Average Weight Per Fleece	Total Production	Price per Pound	Total Value of Production
	Thousands	Pounds	Thousand Pounds	Cents	Thousands Dollars
1946	448	7.4	3,315	46	1,525
1947	417	7.8	3,253	43	1,399
1948	367	7.6	2,789	45	1,255
1949	341	7.6	2,592	46	1,192
1950	338	7.7	2,603	61	1,588
1951	354	7.4	2,620	96	2,515
1952	375	7.6	2,850	49	1,396
1953	413	7.6	3,139	51	1,601
1954	404	7.7	3,111	50	1,556

Table 16. Honey Production in Indiana, 1950-1954*.

Year	Colonies of Bees (000)	Honey Production Per Colony Pounds	Total Honey Production (000) Pounds
1950	175	35	6125
1951	170	48	8160
1952	180	38	6840
1953	180	35	6300
1954	178	32	5696

*Data for 1939-1949 available in No. 317, Indiana Crops and Livestock Annual Livestock Summary, 1952.

Table 17. Commercial Broiler Production—Indiana, 1946-1954.

Year	Percent Change	Number Produced (000)	Wt. per bird lbs. (live)	Pounds produced (000)	Price Per lb. cents	Gross income (000)
1946	105	9,625	3.1	29,838	32.0	\$ 9,548
1947	117	11,261	3.2	36,035	33.9	12,216
1948	135	15,202	3.0	45,606	37.5	17,102
1949	133	20,219	3.2	64,701	29.5	19,087
1950	138	27,902	3.2	89,286	28.4	25,357
1951	122	34,014	3.2	108,845	28.6	31,130
1952	99	33,674	3.2	107,757	29.8	32,112
1953	100	33,674	3.2	107,757	27.5	29,633
1954	108	36,368	3.2	116,378	23.2	27,000

Table 18. Chicks Hatched by Commercial Hatcheries in Indiana, 1947-1954 Thousands.

Month	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954
January.....	3,210	2,205	3,505	4,773	4,569	6,628	5,833	7,287
February.....	9,530	6,360	9,114	9,710	10,694	12,349	10,187	12,681
March.....	17,260	15,340	19,029	18,073	16,029	19,599	18,144	21,548
April.....	20,380	19,240	21,030	18,542	20,078	19,171	18,286	19,682
May.....	16,110	15,175	18,227	14,629	18,831	13,082	14,173	14,586
June.....	6,860	7,375	9,014	7,152	9,122	7,527	8,459	8,090
July.....	3,820	4,580	4,407	5,034	6,783	5,019	5,676	6,048
August.....	3,110	3,645	3,806	4,490	6,654	3,925	5,152	5,090
September.....	1,960	2,710	3,205	4,415	4,519	4,501	4,539	5,227
October.....	2,760	2,625	3,605	4,195	4,824	4,479	5,389	3,786
November.....	2,480	3,135	2,704	3,544	3,774	4,243	5,297	3,736
December.....	1,520	2,370	2,504	2,895	3,712	4,264	5,540	3,957
Total.....	89,000	84,760	100,150	97,452	109,589	104,787	106,675	111,718

Table 19. Number and Value of Chickens and Turkeys on Farms in Indiana, 1946-1955*.

Year	Chickens					Turkeys			
	Hens	Pullets	Other	Total	Value per Head	Total Value	Number	Value per Head	Total Value
	(Thousands)					(Thousand Dollars)	(Thousand)	(Dollars)	(Thousand Dollars)
January 1									
1946.....	3,718	13,035	1,829	18,582	1.16	21,555	98	5.70	559
1947.....	3,792	12,514	1,225	17,531	1.35	23,667	101	6.40	646
1948.....	3,868	12,889	980	17,737	1.35	23,945	71	7.00	497
1949.....	4,177	11,987	637	16,801	1.58	26,546	64	9.00	576
1950.....	4,219	12,706	650	17,575	1.23	21,617	53	6.10	323
1951.....	5,021	11,690	624	17,335	1.40	24,269	55	6.80	374
1952.....	5,071	12,041	599	17,711	1.50	26,566	50	7.10	355
1953.....	4,970	12,282	539	17,791	1.35	24,018	46	6.60	304
1954.....	4,473	13,510	620	18,603	1.35	25,114	67	6.00	402
1955.....	4,562	13,915	620	19,097	.95	18,142	57	5.50	314

* Data for 1932-1945 available in No. 317, Indiana Crops and Livestock, Annual Livestock Summary, 1952.

Table 20. Number of Chickens and Turkeys Raised, Sold and Eaten on Indiana Farms, 1946-1954, Thousands*.

Year	Chickens			Turkeys		
	Raised	Sold	Eaten	Raised	Sold	Eaten
1946.....	31,118	23,557	5,453	982	964	10
1947.....	31,118	22,635	5,121	835	851	9
1948.....	26,517	18,882	4,556	835	826	13
1949.....	30,110	22,124	4,356	1,086	1,083	10
1950.....	28,002	20,548	4,530	1,249	1,235	9
1951.....	27,442	19,144	4,802	1,436	1,426	11
1952.....	26,893	19,336	4,466	1,795	1,782	14
1953.....	26,086	18,274	4,153	1,705	1,671	11
1954.....	28,173	.....	.....	1,807	.....	..

* Data for 1932-1945 available in No. 317, Indiana Crops and Livestock, Annual Livestock Summary, 1952.

Table 23. Production of Manufactured Dairy Products in Indiana by Month, 1953.

Manufactured Product	No. of Factories Reporting	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	1953 Total
(Thousand Pounds)														
Creamery Butter.....	49	2760	2837	3200	3538	4317	3559	3243	3482	2652	2632	2388	2993	38001
Total American Cheese.....	22	1480	2212	2346	2487	4443	4079	3746	3789	2693	1965	1575	1800	32615
Total Cheese.....	23	2335	2679	3108	3701	5434	4897	4518	4629	3524	2965	2620	2694	43097
Cottage Cheese—Curd.....	52	709	730	865	836	847	894	995	884	868	884	818	785	10115
Cottage Cheese—Creamed.....	68	906	918	1093	1091	1130	1168	1251	1122	1106	1196	1037	1074	13112
Condensed Milk—Sweetened:														
Case Goods—Skimmed.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Case Goods—Unskimmed.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bulk Goods—Skimmed.....	15	782	585	753	762	405	556	818	719	511	535	216	242	6884
Bulk Goods—Unskimmed.....	*	5	49	89	154	370	269	321	213	59	56	108	143	1836
Condensed Milk—Unsweetened:														
Bulk Goods—Skimmed.....	17	1065	1353	1264	1201	1500	1787	2113	1879	1599	1451	859	831	16902
Bulk Goods—Unskimmed.....	5	1371	1238	1417	1314	1326	1348	1325	1318	1278	1250	1177	1214	15576
Evaporated Milk—Unsweetened:														
Case Goods—Skimmed.....	*	275	146	87	425	229	81	18	98	193	231	172	81	2036
Case Goods—Unskimmed.....	*	4587	3834	6467	7130	10380	11406	10112	8610	5657	4629	4530	4214	81556
Concentrated Slim Milk—Animal Feed.	*	182	69	99	155	137	116	133	112	92	71	83	98	1347
Condensed Evaporated Buttermilk.....	*	79	62	7	19	11	17	10	24	16	16	16	8	285
Dried Whole Milk.....	*	74	135	106	79	74	51	167	151	68	8	30	70	1013
Dried Powdered Skim Milk:														
Human Consumption—Animal Feed.....	17	2558	2265	2769	3636	5322	4847	4313	4006	2597	1644	1480	2245	37682
Human Consumption—Animal Feed.....	5	37	17	23	22	33	28	26	36	28	20	17	23	309
Dried or Powdered Whey.....	*	565	635	757	886	1038	954	724	738	559	491	370	404	8121
Ice Cream—Total.....	576	1192	1236	1443	1599	1923	2472	2563	2273	1971	1637	1230	1200	20739
Wholesale.....	104	1099	1139	1329	1394	1677	2156	2234	1980	1717	1428	1133	1106	18392
Retail.....	472	93	97	114	205	246	316	329	293	254	209	97	94	2347
Sherbets (Milk only).....	138	29	34	43	52	75	109	114	86	78	41	36	29	726
Ice Milk.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other Frozen Dairy Products.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

* Less than five factories reporting.

**Table 26. Pounds of Grain Fed (Including Mill Feeds and Concentrates)
Per Milk Cow, 1945-1954.**

Year	February 1	April 1	June 1	October 1
1945.....	6.2	6.4	4.4	4.1
1946.....	5.8	5.9	4.3	4.9
1947.....	6.6	6.3	4.8	4.0
1948.....	6.0	5.9	4.2	4.6
1949.....	6.8	6.1	4.5	4.5
1950.....	6.3	6.4	4.4	4.4
1951.....	6.4	6.3	4.5	4.9
1952.....	7.0	6.7	4.9	4.6
1953.....	6.7	7.0	4.7	5.5
1954.....	7.1	6.9	5.0	5.2

* Complete series of available data.

Table 27. Prices Received by Indiana Farmers on 15th of Each Month, 1954, Dollars.

Month	Hogs cwt.	Beef Cattle cwt.	Sheep cwt.	Lambs cwt.	Veal Calves cwt.	Milk Cows Head	Farm Chickens Pound
January.....	\$25.50	\$17.80	\$6.30	\$21.10	\$19.80	\$155.00	\$.205
February.....	25.80	17.20	6.50	21.50	19.10	150.00	.210
March.....	25.20	16.60	7.00	24.00	21.40	150.00	.225
April.....	26.50	17.90	5.70	22.50	19.50	150.00	.200
May.....	25.50	20.00	5.70	22.50	18.90	150.00	.190
June.....	21.90	17.80	5.20	21.10	17.60	140.00	.180
July.....	22.00	17.50	4.50	21.10	16.30	135.00	.160
August.....	22.00	19.30	4.50	19.50	15.60	140.00	.165
September.....	19.70	18.30	4.90	18.00	15.90	140.00	.150
October.....	18.30	18.40	4.20	18.30	15.60	140.00	.135
November.....	19.10	16.40	4.90	19.00	16.30	140.00	.135
December.....	16.90	16.40	4.60	18.00	17.80	135.00	.140
Average 1954.....	\$22.20	\$17.80	\$5.10	\$19.90	\$17.80	\$144.00	\$.175

Month	Commercial Broilers Pound	All Chickens Pound	Turkeys Pound	Milk (Wholesale) cwt.	Butterfat Pound	Eggs Dozen	Wool Pound
January.....	\$.235	\$.225	\$.370	\$4.25	\$.59	\$.425	\$.49
February.....	.222	.218	.360	4.00	.59	.425	.48
March.....	.246	.239	.360	3.80	.56	.360	.49
April.....	.247	.234	.340	3.40	.51	.300	.50
May.....	.234	.219	.340	3.15	.51	.295	.51
June.....	.241	.213	.310	3.15	.50	.280	.49
July.....	.256	.209	.310	3.30	.50	.330	.48
August.....	.252	.197	.300	3.45	.50	.300	.47
September.....	.244	.185	.280	3.75	.50	.300	.48
October.....	.205	.164	.270	4.05	.50	.280	.47
November.....	.192	.163	.275	4.20	.51	.290	.47
December.....	.183	.168	.290	4.15	.52	.290	.47
Average 1954.....	\$.230	\$.203	\$.317	\$3.72	\$.525	\$.322	\$.50

Table 28. Prices Received by Indiana Farmers for Milk Used for Canning and American Cheese, 1950-1954. Dollars Per Hundred Pounds.

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
CONDENSARIES FOR CANNING												
1950.....	3.38	3.55	3.48	3.43	3.26	3.19	3.23	3.33	3.57	3.74	3.98	4.29
1951.....	4.41	4.51	4.55	4.44	3.98	3.84	3.91	4.06	4.21	4.38	4.80	4.98
1952.....	4.99	4.97	4.68	4.37	4.15	4.03	4.04	4.21	4.45	4.64	4.69	4.45
1953.....	4.18	3.95	3.70	3.56	3.38	3.31	3.37	3.51	3.71	3.87	3.99	4.00
1954.....	3.84	3.57	3.43	3.12	3.02	3.03	3.14	3.26	3.49	3.85	3.94	3.95
CHEESE MAKERS FOR CHEESE												
1950.....	3.51	3.44	3.34	3.24	3.08	3.02	3.02	3.15	3.40	3.66	3.85	4.18
1951.....	4.36	4.37	4.18	4.11	3.99	3.89	3.80	3.87	4.03	4.27	4.58	4.75
1952.....	4.84	4.65	4.49	4.25	4.04	3.95	3.93	4.10	4.36	4.56	4.66	4.44
1953.....	4.26	3.98	3.70	3.46	3.28	3.20	3.24	3.33	3.53	3.77	4.00	3.93
1954.....	3.69	3.45	3.18	2.97	2.89	2.86	2.89	3.02	3.25	3.54	3.82	3.82

Table 29. Prices Paid by Indiana Farmers for Feed Ingredients and Mixed Feed, 1954, Dollars Per Hundred Pounds*.

Month	Cottonseed Meal	Linseed Meal	Soybean Meal	Meat Scrap	Tankage	Bran
January.....	4.80	4.95	4.90	5.50	...	3.45
February.....	4.85	5.00	5.00	5.50	...	3.50
March.....	4.90	5.00	5.30	5.70	6.10	3.55
April.....	4.90	5.10	5.60	6.20	...	3.80
May.....	5.00	5.50	6.00	6.70	...	3.70
June.....	4.80	5.20	5.70	6.70	...	3.40
July.....	4.75	4.90	5.70	6.80	6.60	3.35
August.....	5.00	4.85	5.80	6.60	...	3.30
September.....	5.00	4.80	5.50	6.30	...	3.20
October.....	4.90	4.75	4.60	5.90	...	3.20
November.....	4.80	4.80	4.65	5.50	6.00	3.20
December.....	4.90	4.90	4.75	5.50	...	3.25

Month	Middlings	Corn Meal	Corn Gluten	Mixed Dairy Feed (16% Protein)	Laying Mash	Scratch Grain
January.....	3.55	3.15	3.60	3.80	4.70	4.00
February.....	3.60	3.20	3.65	3.80	4.70	3.95
March.....	3.65	3.20	3.85	3.85	4.75	4.05
April.....	3.95	3.10	3.85	3.85	4.85	4.15
May.....	3.85	3.25	3.85	4.00	4.90	4.05
June.....	3.70	3.25	3.70	3.95	4.85	4.15
July.....	3.50	3.25	3.70	3.80	4.85	4.00
August.....	3.45	3.25	3.80	3.80	4.80	4.10
September.....	3.35	3.25	3.70	3.75	4.75	4.10
October.....	3.30	3.20	3.70	3.70	4.65	4.05
November.....	3.35	3.25	3.60	3.80	4.65	4.00
December.....	3.35	3.20	3.70	3.70	4.60	4.00

* Data for 1953 available in No. 341, Indiana Crops and Livestock, Annual Livestock Summary, 1954. Data for 1953 available in No. 329, Indiana Crops and Livestock, 1953. Data for 1951 available in No. 317, Indiana Crops and Livestock, Annual Livestock Summary, 1952. Data for prior years available in No. 305, Indiana Crops and Livestock, Annual Livestock Summary, 1951.

Table 30. Indiana Hog-Corn Price Ratio by Months, 1945-1954*.

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Avg.
1945	13.2	13.3	13.2	13.2	13.3	13.2	13.1	13.1	13.0	13.1	13.7	14.1	13.2
1946	13.9	13.7	13.2	13.0	10.6	10.5	9.3	12.6	9.4	14.0	20.8	20.4	13.1
1947	19.1	20.8	18.1	14.5	14.3	12.3	11.6	11.5	11.1	12.2	11.3	11.1	14.2
1948	11.2	12.7	11.0	9.5	9.3	11.3	13.3	14.9	15.7	18.2	18.3	17.1	13.6
1949	16.0	19.1	17.7	15.8	15.3	15.9	16.7	17.0	17.8	16.4	16.2	12.9	16.4
1950	13.0	14.9	13.3	12.3	14.0	13.8	15.6	15.8	14.7	13.8	12.6	11.5	13.8
1951	12.8	13.8	13.0	12.5	12.4	13.4	13.1	13.0	11.8	12.4	11.1	10.2	12.5
1952	10.1	10.2	10.1	9.9	11.9	11.3	12.2	12.7	11.6	12.6	12.0	10.7	11.3
1953	12.6	14.4	14.4	14.6	16.3	16.5	17.1	16.7	16.2	17.0	15.9	17.0	15.7
1954	18.0	18.0	17.6	18.5	17.6	14.8	14.7	14.3	12.9	13.1	14.5	12.4	15.5

* The number of bushels of corn equal in value to 100 pounds of live hogs at Indiana Farm prices.

Table 31. Indiana Whole Milk-Feed Price Ratio, 1945-1954*.

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Avg.
1945	241	231	219	217	220	219	227	240	252	262	276	283	241
1946	313	302	299	292	280	288	302	324	356	383	440	435	334
1947	402	373	323	290	261	243	247	261	270	279	312	307	297
1948	295	343	298	275	272	299	318	346	337	350	347	341	318
1949	285	270	253	228	224	230	246	267	288	299	328	297	268
1950	294	290	275	252	232	237	237	255	268	281	296	305	268
1951	305	299	292	288	269	278	279	271	282	298	333	315	292
1952	324	318	307	282	261	270	286	271	286	307	321	300	294
1953	284	278	261	252	232	248	255	271	273	299	298	263	268
1954	243	227	218	202	198	209	216	213	233	255	264	259	228

* Ratio indicates number of pounds of dairy ration 100 pounds of whole milk will buy at Indiana farm price. Ration used 1942-1945 equals 2 tons baled hay, 18 bu. corn, 9 bu. oats, .5 bu. barley, .5 bu. wheat, 170 lbs. soybean oil meal, 70 lbs. bran. Ration used 1946-1954 equals 2.6 tons baled hay, 19.5 bu. corn, 12 bu. oats, 80 lbs. soybean oil meal, 30 lbs. bran, 90 lbs. commercial mix.

Table 32. Indiana Egg-Feed Price Ratio, 1945-1954*.

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Avg.
1945	12.9	11.3	11.0	10.8	11.2	11.8	12.2	13.2	13.4	13.5	15.3	15.7	12.7
1946	13.4	10.2	10.6	9.8	9.2	8.8	8.4	8.7	10.5	12.9	12.1	12.0	10.6
1947	10.7	10.7	10.2	9.7	9.8	9.2	9.6	9.4	9.9	10.9	10.7	11.1	10.2
1948	8.3	9.2	8.7	8.6	8.3	8.6	9.2	10.6	12.0	14.1	16.1	18.5	10.6
1949	12.0	11.4	11.7	11.7	12.1	12.4	12.5	13.5	15.0	15.4	18.1	11.0	12.6
1950	8.2	8.3	8.8	8.1	7.4	7.5	8.0	9.5	10.4	11.3	12.1	14.4	9.5
1951	9.9	9.5	10.0	10.0	10.3	9.8	10.9	11.3	13.1	13.3	12.4	11.0	11.0
1952	8.5	7.4	7.2	7.5	7.4	7.7	8.7	10.7	10.9	11.3	12.2	10.7	9.2
1953	10.4	10.2	10.9	11.1	11.4	11.3	11.9	12.6	12.8	13.9	12.8	12.1	11.8
1954	11.5	11.4	9.6	7.9	7.8	7.7	7.4	8.7	8.0	7.7	8.1	8.0	8.6

*Ratio indicates number of pounds of poultry ration one dozen eggs will buy at Indiana farm price. Ration used by A.M.S. equals 33.2 lbs. corn, 27.7 lbs. home-mixed mash, 23.8 lbs. commercial mash, 8.1 lbs. oats, 5.7 lbs. wheat, 1.3 lbs. commercial scratch, .2 lb. barley.

Table 33—Continued.

Prices Received by Farmers in Indiana 15th of Month, 1948-1954.
All Chickens*—Cents per Pound

	Crop Reporting Districts									State
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
1948	30.2	30.9	31.1	30.0	29.0	28.5	27.8	28.1	28.8	29.5
1949	27.0	28.1	27.5	25.5	25.9	26.2	25.2	25.9	26.3	26.6
1950	22.8	24.1	24.0	22.3	23.5	22.8	22.0	22.5	23.3	23.6
1951	27.2	26.8	26.6	26.4	26.3	25.6	25.7	25.7	26.0	26.6

COMMERCIAL BROILERS AND FRYERS*—Cents per Pound

1952	30.7	30.0	30.4	30.1	30.0	30.2	29.2	29.5	30.2	29.9
1953	28.4	27.8	28.2	27.5	27.7	27.8	27.3	27.3	27.8	27.5
1954	23.6	23.2	23.3	22.9	22.4	23.2	22.4	22.6	22.8	23.0

FARM CHICKENS*—Cents per Pound

1952	22.9	22.4	22.1	21.6	21.6	21.5	21.0	21.3	22.3	21.8
1953	23.8	22.9	23.0	22.3	22.2	22.7	21.4	22.1	21.7	22.3
1954	18.2	17.9	17.8	16.8	16.8	18.2	16.7	17.2	17.4	17.5

EGGS—Cents per Dozen

1948	41.7	46.2	47.3	40.4	43.2	44.2	42.2	42.3	44.4	43.9
1949	40.4	43.6	44.2	39.1	40.8	41.9	39.2	40.3	41.7	41.5
1950	31.4	34.8	35.2	31.5	33.0	34.0	32.2	32.8	33.3	33.3
1951	43.7	44.8	45.0	43.0	43.6	44.4	42.5	43.4	43.5	44.0
1952	36.1	39.3	40.4	35.2	37.2	38.2	35.0	36.9	37.7	37.5
1953	42.2	45.2	46.1	41.2	42.7	44.1	41.7	42.5	43.4	43.5
1954	31.2	33.8	34.2	29.9	31.6	33.3	30.2	31.5	33.9	32.2

BUTTERFAT—Cents per Pound

1948	73	79	80	72	73	75	71	71	70	74
1949	60	64	63	56	56	60	55	55	54	59
1950	58	63	63	57	56	57	54	54	54	58
1951	66	71	71	64	63	64	62	62	61	66
1952	70	76	75	65	64	65	64	64	64	68
1953	63	67	66	57	56	60	53	53	53	60
1954	54	60	59	50	49	53	44	45	46	52

WOOL—Cents per Pound

1949	45	45	47	46	45	46	44	47	47	45
1950	55	54	56	55	54	54	54	56	55	55
1951	88	89	88	88	88	89	88	88	88	88
1952	47	48	47	47	47	48	47	48	47	47
1953	50	50	50	49	48	49	49	50	47	49
1954	48	50	50	48	48	49	48	50	47	49

* Price estimates by districts not available for All Chickens after 1951. Breakdown between Commercial Broilers and Farm Chickens not available by districts prior to 1952.

