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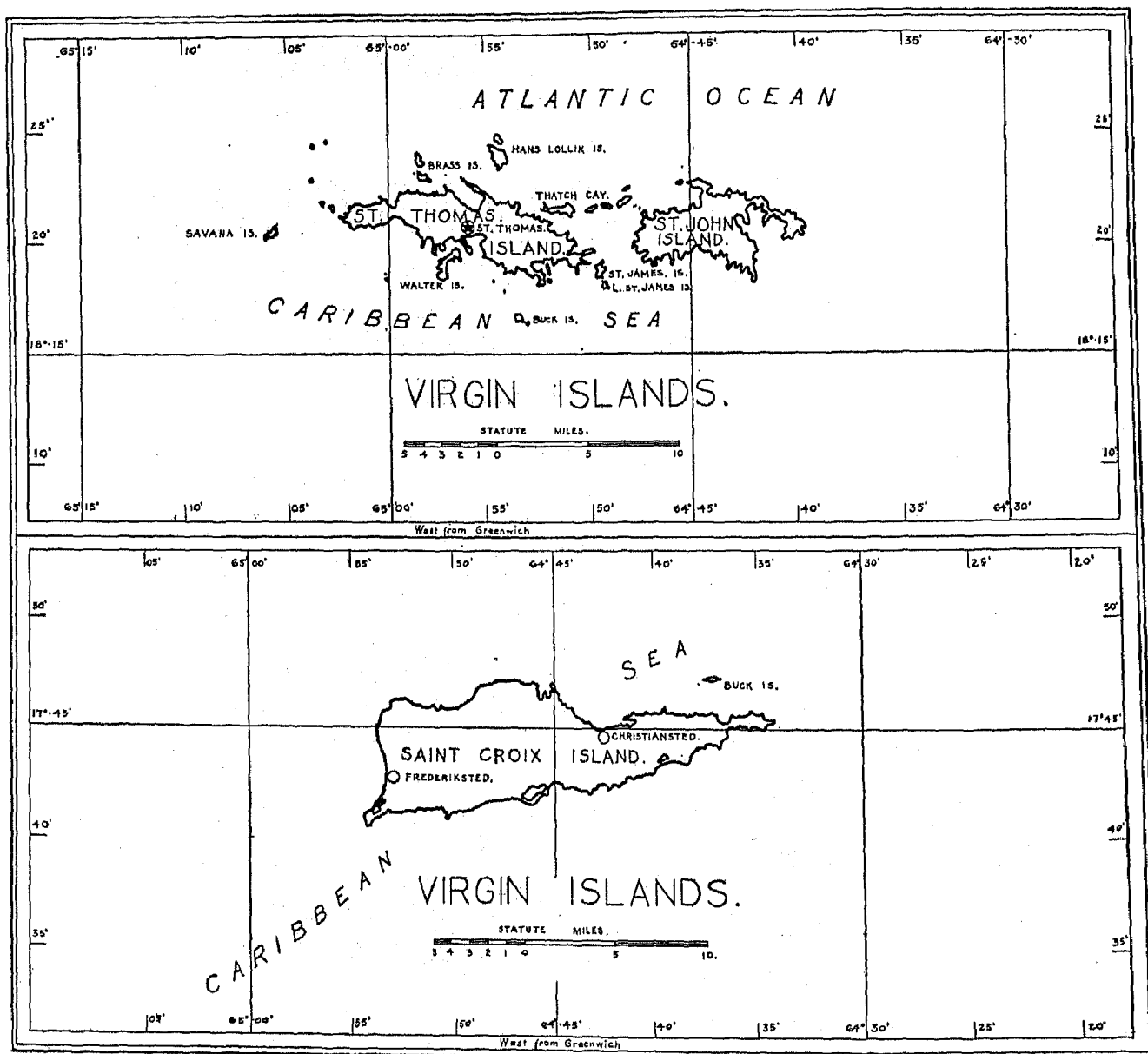
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POPULATION—VIRGIN ISLANDS OF THE UNITED STATES

COMPOSITION AND CHARACTERISTICS OF THE POPULATION

Introduction.—That group of the Virgin Islands formerly known as the Danish West Indies was acquired by the United States by purchase from Denmark, the formal transfer of possession taking place on March 31, 1917. St. Croix, St. John, and St. Thomas are the three principal islands of the group, although there are about 50 smaller islands, mostly unnamed and uninhabited.

The number of inhabitants of the Virgin Islands of the United States for 1930, without classification by sex, color, age, or other characteristics, has been presented in the First Series Population Bulletin, entitled, "Number and Distribution of Inhabitants." Figures are given in that bulletin not only for the Virgin Islands as a whole, but separately for each of the three principal islands, for each quarter, and for the three larger towns, Christiansted, Frederiksted, and St. Thomas.

This bulletin presents the complete statistics for the population of the Virgin Islands classified by sex, color, age, marital condition, inability to speak English, year of immigration, mother tongue, and occupations. Also items relating to dwellings and families, tenure of homes, unemployment, and other data are shown. These detailed statistics are given in some form for all the areas shown in the First Series Bulletin except for the smaller villages and quarters. The distinction between urban and rural population is carried through most of the classifications. In certain of the tables in this Final Bulletin comparative figures for the census of 1917 are presented. It should be noted that complete detailed statistics for the white population in 1917 are not available, as this class of population was tabulated in 1917 as one group, embracing both native and foreign-born white; in 1930, however, the white population is divided into three groups—natives of native parentage, natives of foreign or mixed parentage, and foreign born.

Both the First Series Population Bulletin and this Final Bulletin, which includes agricultural as well as detailed population statistics, were prepared under the supervision of Starke M. Grogan, in charge of the census of territories and outlying possessions.

Urban and rural areas.—The definition of urban population, as applied by the Bureau of the Census to the Virgin Islands, is that population residing in towns having 2,500 inhabitants or more, the remainder

being classified as rural. The urban population of the Virgin Islands, as shown in Table 1, forms 61.3 per cent of the total population in 1930 as compared with 59.4 per cent in 1917; the rural population decreased from 40.6 per cent in 1917 to 38.7 per cent in 1930. Table 1 shows the population of the Virgin Islands classified as urban or rural, with comparative figures for the census of 1917.

Color, nativity, and sex.—In Table 2 are presented, for the years 1930 and 1917, statistics relating to the classification of the entire population of the Virgin Islands according to color and sex, and for 1930 the classification of the white population by nativity and parentage. The divisions of the population by color are: (1) White; (2) Negro; (3) mixed, those of a mixture of white and Negro; and (4) other colored, which includes Hindus, Chinese, Filipinos, and Indians. The white population in 1930 is divided primarily into three groups: (1) Natives of native parentage—that is, having both parents born in continental United States or in the Virgin Islands or other United States possessions or territories; (2) natives of foreign or mixed parentage—that is, having one or both parents born abroad; and (3) foreign born. In Table 2, and also in Table 16 for the separate islands, the second group is divided into two classes: (a) Natives of foreign parentage—that is, having both parents born abroad; and (b) natives of mixed parentage—that is, having one parent native and the other foreign born. Statistics of the population classified by color, nativity, and sex are presented by islands in Tables 15, 16, and 17 and by towns in Table 18.

Age.—The age classification in the census returns is based on the age at last birthday, that is, age in completed years. The age statistics are presented in considerable detail both for the islands as a whole (in Table 3) and separately for each of the three islands (in Table 15). In these tables the age classification is presented not only for the total population, but also for the more important population classes (native white, foreign-born white, Negro, etc.), by sex. Comparative figures for 1917 are given so far as they are available.

Table 4 shows the population 21 years of age and over classified by color, nativity, and sex for 1930, and by color and sex for 1917. Data for the foreign-born white by citizenship for 1930 are also shown.

Statistics for males of militia age (18 to 44 years) are presented in Table 5 by color and nativity for 1930 and by color for 1917.

School attendance.—By local law all children in the Virgin Islands are compelled to attend school from the beginning of the school year nearest their sixth birthday until the close of the school year after their fifteenth birthday. Pupils may, however, be excused from school attendance before reaching the maximum school age if they have completed the course of study. In addition, children 4 and 5 years old and persons over 15 years of age may receive public instruction so far as facilities are available. The school-attendance tabulation is based on the replies to the enumerator's inquiry as to whether the person had attended school or college of any kind since September 1, 1929. The totals for the Virgin Islands, 1930 and 1917, are presented in Table 6 for the principal population groups separated into significant age periods. School attendance is shown by islands in Table 16.

Illiteracy.—The census defines as illiterate any person 10 years of age or over who is unable to read and write. The classification is based on the answers given to the enumerator in response to the question "Whether able to read and write." No specific test of ability to read and write was prescribed, but the enumerators were instructed not to return the answer "Yes" (which would classify the person as literate) simply because the person was able to write his or her name. The statistics of illiteracy are presented for the islands as a whole in Table 7, for each island separately in Tables 16 and 17, and for the towns in Table 18.

Inability to speak English.—Table 8 shows by sex, color, and nativity for 1930 the number of persons 10 years of age and over who were reported as unable to speak the English language.

Marital condition.—The census classification with respect to marital condition for the Virgin Islands covers five groups, namely, single, married, consensually married (living together as husband and wife by mutual consent), widowed, and divorced. This classification is presented for the population 15 years of age and over by sex, color, and nativity in Table 9 for the Virgin Islands as a whole, in Tables 16 and 17 for each island separately, and in Table 18 for the towns of Christiansted, Frederiksted, and St. Thomas. In Table 10 statistics of the marital condition of the entire population of the islands are presented by sex and by population classes separated into significant age periods.

Place of birth.—The country of birth of the foreign-born population, classified as to color, is presented in Table 11. The place of birth of the native population, classified as to sex and color, is shown in Table 14.

Of the total population of the Virgin Islands in 1930, there were 615 persons—201 males and 414 females—who, although born in the Virgin Islands, were reported as aliens. Many in this class are aliens for the reason that they or their parents did not elect to become citizens of the United States under the privilege extended to them through the proclamation of the President at the time of the purchase of the islands or under the act of Congress of February 25, 1927, 10 years after the purchase of the Virgin Islands by this country. Also included in this class are native women who have become aliens through marriage. According to the information secured on the census schedules, more than one-half of this alien population owe allegiance to England and more than one-fourth to Denmark.

Mother tongue.—The inquiry as to mother tongue of the foreign-born population was first made for the Virgin Islands at the census of 1930. By mother tongue is meant the language usually spoken in the home of the person before coming to the United States or to any of its outlying territories or possessions. This inquiry and that on country of birth are so closely related that it is possible that the enumerators in some instances reported the nationality of the person rather than the mother tongue. In Table 13 are presented statistics of the mother tongue of the foreign-born population by population classes.

Year of immigration.—In the distribution of the foreign-born population by year of immigration the calendar year is the basis of the classification and the date given is the year of immigration to the United States or to any of its territories or possessions, not necessarily the year of arrival in the Virgin Islands. Table 10 shows the year of immigration of the foreign-born population of the Virgin Islands according to color.

Dwellings and families, and tenure of homes.—A dwelling, for census purposes, is a place in which one or more persons regularly sleep. It need not be a house in the usual sense of the word. A boat, a tent, a freight car, or a room in a factory, store, or office building, although occupied by only one person, is also counted as a dwelling. On the other hand, an apartment house, although containing many families, constitutes but one dwelling. The term "family" as used in the census signifies a group of persons, whether related by blood or not, who live together as one household, usually sharing the same table. Also, one person living alone is counted a family. On the other hand, all the occupants and employees of a hotel, boarding house, or lodging house, if that is their usual place of abode, and all the inmates of an institution, however numerous, are treated as constituting a single family. Thus the census family in some cases differs greatly from the natural family. The structure or part of a structure occupied by each census family is considered a "home," and the number of families

shown in Table 19 is therefore equal to the total number of homes for which data as to tenure are given. In Table 19 are presented for the Virgin Islands as a whole, and for each island and town, statistics relating to dwellings and families for 1930 and 1917 and statistics showing tenure of homes for 1930.

Gainful workers by industry group.—Table 20 shows the population 10 years of age and over engaged in gainful occupations classified into about 40 industrial groups. Specific occupations in the agricultural group (farmers, farm laborers, etc.) are shown separately. The other classifications are industry or service groups, with no attempt to show specific occupations. The figures are presented for males and females and also for white, Negro, mixed, and "other colored" workers. Similar figures, though with a somewhat condensed list of industry groups, are presented by islands in Table 21. In this table the smaller groups have been consolidated and only the more important ones are shown. The specific make-up of any of these consolidated groups can be found by referring to Table 20.

Unemployment.—The purpose of the inquiry on unemployment was to ascertain the amount of enforced unemployment of persons who wanted work and could not find it. The census enumerator was instructed to report as unemployed all persons out of a job on the day of enumeration who ordinarily were employed and who were able to work. All persons who were on strike, voluntarily idle, incapacitated for work, or who were on sick leave or on vacation were not reported as unemployed. School teachers, who are often unemployed during a portion of the year, were not considered as out of a job in the sense in which the term is used for census purposes. In the Virgin Islands the unemployment inquiry covered all persons who usually work at a gainful occupation for salary, wages, or on commission. Table 22 shows, by industry groups for the Virgin Islands as a whole, the number of all such persons who were unemployed on the day of enumeration. Statistics of unemployment by periods of idleness are given for each island and town in Table 23.

TABLE 1.—POPULATION, URBAN AND RURAL: 1930 AND 1917

[A minus sign (—) denotes decrease. Per cent not shown where base is less than 100]

CLASS	1930 (April 1)	1917 (November 1)	INCREASE, 1917 TO 1930	
			Number	Per cent
Total.....	22,012	26,051	—4,039	—15.5
Urban.....	13,501	15,465	—1,964	—12.7
Rural.....	8,511	10,586	—2,075	—19.6
Per cent urban.....	61.3	59.4		
Per cent rural.....	38.7	40.6		
Places of 5,000 to 10,000.....	1	1		
Population.....	7,036	7,747	—711	—9.2
Places of 2,500 to 5,000.....	2	2		
Population.....	6,465	7,718	—1,253	—16.2

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TABLE 2.—COLOR, NATIVITY, AND SEX, URBAN AND RURAL: 1930 AND 1917

[Per cent not shown where less than 0.1; sex ratio not shown where base is less than 100]

CLASS OF POPULATION	NUMBER		PER CENT		1930		1917		MALES PER 100 FEMALES	
	1930	1917	1930	1917	Male	Female	Male	Female	1930	1917
VIRGIN ISLANDS										
Total population.....	22,012	26,051	100.0	100.0	10,208	11,804	11,989	14,052	86.5	85.4
White.....	2,010	1,922	9.1	7.4	1,156	854	1,198	724	135.4	165.5
Negro.....	17,243	19,523	78.3	74.9	7,841	9,402	8,990	10,533	83.4	85.4
Mixed.....	2,719	4,563	12.4	17.5	1,182	1,537	1,778	2,785	76.9	63.8
Other colored.....	140	43	0.2	0.2	20	11	33	10		
Filipinos.....	4	7			2	2				
Indian.....	1	8			1					
Chinese.....	17	16	0.1	0.1	11	6				
Hindu.....	18	2	0.1		15	3				
All other.....		11								
Native white.....	1,392	(¹)	6.3	(¹)	782	610	(¹)	(¹)	128.2	(¹)
Native parentage.....	878		3.1		404	274			147.4	
Foreign or mixed parentage.....	714		3.2		378	336			112.5	
Foreign parentage.....	301		1.8		204	187			109.1	
Mixed parentage.....	323		1.5		174	149			116.8	
Foreign-born white.....	618	(²)	2.8	(²)	374	244	(²)	(²)	153.3	(²)
URBAN POPULATION										
Total.....	13,501	15,465	100.0	100.0	5,701	7,800	6,427	9,038	73.1	71.1
White.....	932	1,086	6.9	7.0	533	399	694	392	133.6	177.0
Negro.....	10,724	10,930	79.4	70.7	4,444	6,280	4,514	6,416	70.8	70.4
Mixed.....	1,838	3,426	13.6	22.2	718	1,120	1,204	2,222	64.1	54.2
Other colored.....	7	23	0.1	0.1	6	1	15	8		
Native white.....	753	(¹)	5.6	(¹)	434	319	(¹)	(¹)	136.1	(¹)
Native parentage.....	493		3.7		201	202			144.1	
Foreign or mixed parentage.....	260		1.9		143	117			122.2	
Foreign parentage.....	137		1.0		80	57				
Mixed parentage.....	123		0.9		63	60				
Foreign-born white.....	179	(²)	1.3	(²)	99	80	(²)	(²)		(²)
RURAL POPULATION										
Total.....	8,511	10,586	100.0	100.0	4,507	4,004	5,572	5,014	112.6	111.1
White.....	1,078	830	12.7	7.9	623	455	504	332	136.9	151.8
Negro.....	6,519	8,593	76.6	81.2	3,397	3,122	4,476	4,117	108.8	108.7
Mixed.....	881	1,187	10.4	10.7	464	417	674	563	111.3	102.0
Other colored.....	83	20	0.4	0.2	23	10	18	2		
Native white.....	639	(¹)	7.5	(¹)	343	291	(¹)	(¹)	119.6	(¹)
Native parentage.....	185		2.2		113	72				
Foreign or mixed parentage.....	454		5.3		235	219			107.3	
Foreign parentage.....	254		3.0		124	130			95.4	
Mixed parentage.....	200		2.3		111	89				
Foreign-born white.....	439	(²)	5.2	(²)	275	164	(²)	(²)	167.7	(²)

¹ Includes 3 Chinese on St. Croix Island, and 14 Chinese and 1 Indian on St. Thomas Island.² Includes 11 Chinese and 2 Indians on St. Croix Island, and 6 Indians and 4 Chinese on St. Thomas Island.³ Nativity of the white population not available for 1917.

TABLE 3.—AGE, URBAN AND RURAL: 1930 AND 1917

[Per cent not shown where less than 0.1 or where base is less than 100]

AGE AND CENSUS YEAR	ALL CLASSES			WHITE									NEGRO			MIXED		
				Total			Native			Foreign born								
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
VIRGIN ISLANDS																		
All ages: 1930.....	22,012	10,208	11,804	2,010	1,156	854	1,392	782	610	618	374	244	17,243	7,841	9,402	2,719	1,182	1,537
Under 5 years.....	2,257	1,095	1,162	234	123	111	233	122	111	1	1		1,732	829	903	286	140	146
Under 1 year.....	414	210	204	43	24	19	43	24	19				310	168	161	52	28	24
5 to 9 years.....	2,486	1,210	1,267	103	103	90	188	101	87	5	2	3	1,951	951	1,000	338	163	175
10 to 14 years.....	2,291	1,142	1,149	145	79	66	133	60	64	12	10	2	1,844	914	930	208	147	151
15 to 19 years.....	1,883	942	941	141	87	54	90	59	40	42	28	14	1,513	737	776	227	117	110
20 to 24 years.....	1,595	781	814	216	161	55	172	131	41	44	30	14	1,100	519	671	187	90	88
25 to 29 years.....	1,367	618	749	212	126	86	142	88	54	70	38	32	900	412	578	164	80	84
30 to 34 years.....	1,239	544	695	160	80	70	80	50	39	70	39	31	942	391	551	135	62	73
35 to 44 years.....	2,731	1,224	1,507	307	167	140	144	77	67	163	90	73	2,123	928	1,195	301	129	172
45 to 54 years.....	2,721	1,276	1,445	175	105	70	81	43	38	94	62	32	2,258	1,082	1,196	285	107	178
55 to 64 years.....	1,783	813	970	122	60	53	54	26	28	68	43	25	1,417	654	763	240	86	154
65 to 74 years.....	1,120	420	700	73	39	34	33	11	22	40	28	12	880	334	546	159	40	119
75 years and over.....	535	132	403	33	8	25	24	5	19	9	3	6	399	108	291	99	12	87
Unknown.....	4	2	2										4	2	2			
All ages: 1917.....	26,051	11,989	14,052	1,922	1,188	724	(¹)			(¹)			19,523	8,990	10,533	4,563	1,778	2,785
Under 5 years.....	2,430	1,191	1,239	142	78	64							1,782	879	903	504	234	270
Under 1 year.....	405	199	206	18	6	10							287	151	136	100	42	58
5 to 9 years.....	2,430	1,104	1,206	119	66	53							1,792	841	951	518	256	262
10 to 14 years.....	2,461	1,183	1,278	126	60	66							1,829	893	936	505	229	276
15 to 19 years.....	2,209	1,023	1,186	158	115	43							1,627	733	894	418	174	244
20 to 24 years.....	2,521	1,229	1,292	363	208	55							1,808	785	1,023	343	130	213
25 to 29 years.....	2,200	1,010	1,190	231	162	69							1,653	730	923	314	116	198
30 to 34 years.....	1,915	846	1,069	158	89	69							1,471	667	814	286	100	186
35 to 44 years.....	3,719	1,755	1,964	230	138	98							2,899	1,406	1,493	580	200	371
45 to 54 years.....	2,709	1,288	1,421	162	91	71							2,104	1,024	1,080	437	167	270
55 to 64 years.....	1,894	817	1,077	124	59	65							1,434	646	788	326	102	224
65 to 74 years.....	1,084	393	721	64	19	45							812	300	512	205	41	164
75 years and over.....	470	130	340	30	13	26							312	96	216	127	20	107

¹ Nativity of the white population not available for 1917.

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TABLE 3.—AGE, URBAN AND RURAL: 1930 AND 1917—Continued

AGE AND CENSUS YEAR	ALL CLASSES						WHITE									NEGRO			MIXED		
							Total			Native			Foreign born								
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female			
VIRGIN ISLANDS—Continued																					
Per cent: 1930.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0			
Under 5 years.....	10.3	10.7	9.8	11.6	10.6	13.0	16.7	15.6	18.2	0.2	0.3	-----	10.0	10.6	9.6	10.5	11.8	9.5			
Under 1 year.....	1.0	2.1	1.7	2.1	2.1	2.2	3.1	3.1	3.1	-----	-----	-----	1.0	2.0	1.7	1.9	2.4	1.6			
5 to 9 years.....	11.3	11.9	10.7	12.6	12.6	10.5	13.5	12.9	14.3	0.8	0.5	1.2	11.3	12.1	10.6	12.4	13.8	11.4			
10 to 14 years.....	10.4	11.2	9.7	12.2	12.2	8.8	10.4	10.4	10.5	1.9	2.7	0.8	10.7	11.7	9.9	11.0	12.4	9.8			
15 to 19 years.....	8.0	9.2	8.0	7.0	7.5	6.3	7.1	7.5	6.6	6.8	7.5	5.7	8.8	9.4	8.3	8.3	9.9	7.2			
20 to 24 years.....	7.2	7.7	6.9	10.7	13.9	9.4	12.4	16.8	6.7	7.1	8.0	6.7	6.9	6.6	7.1	6.9	8.4	5.7			
25 to 29 years.....	6.2	6.1	6.8	10.5	10.9	10.1	10.2	11.3	8.9	11.3	10.2	13.1	5.7	5.3	6.1	6.0	6.8	5.5			
30 to 34 years.....	6.6	6.3	5.9	7.9	7.7	8.2	6.4	6.4	6.4	11.3	10.4	12.7	5.5	5.0	5.9	6.0	5.2	4.7			
35 to 44 years.....	12.4	12.0	12.8	15.3	14.4	16.4	10.3	9.8	11.0	26.4	24.1	29.9	12.3	11.8	12.7	11.1	10.9	11.2			
45 to 54 years.....	12.4	12.5	12.2	8.7	9.1	8.2	5.8	5.5	6.2	15.2	16.6	13.1	13.1	13.5	12.7	10.5	9.1	11.6			
55 to 64 years.....	8.1	8.0	8.2	6.1	6.0	6.2	3.9	3.3	4.6	11.0	11.5	10.2	8.2	8.3	8.1	8.8	7.3	10.0			
65 to 74 years.....	5.1	4.1	5.9	3.6	3.4	4.0	2.4	1.4	3.6	6.5	7.5	4.9	5.1	4.3	5.8	5.8	3.4	7.7			
75 years and over.....	2.4	1.3	3.4	1.6	0.7	2.9	1.7	0.6	3.1	1.5	0.8	2.5	2.3	1.4	3.1	3.6	1.0	5.7			
Unknown.....	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----			
Per cent: 1917.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	(1)	-----	(1)	-----	-----	-----	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0			
Under 5 years.....	9.3	9.9	8.8	7.4	6.5	8.8	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	9.1	9.8	8.6	11.0	13.2	9.7			
Under 1 year.....	1.6	1.7	1.6	0.8	0.6	1.4	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	1.5	1.7	1.3	2.2	2.4	2.1			
5 to 9 years.....	9.3	9.7	9.0	0.2	0.5	7.3	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	9.2	9.4	9.0	11.4	14.4	9.4			
10 to 14 years.....	8.4	9.9	9.1	0.6	0.5	9.1	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	9.4	9.9	8.9	11.1	12.9	9.9			
15 to 19 years.....	8.5	8.5	8.4	3.2	2.9	9.5	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	8.3	8.2	8.5	9.2	9.8	8.8			
20 to 24 years.....	9.7	10.2	9.2	18.9	25.7	7.6	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	9.3	8.7	9.7	7.5	7.3	7.6			
25 to 29 years.....	8.4	8.4	8.5	12.0	13.5	9.5	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	8.5	8.1	8.8	6.9	6.5	7.1			
30 to 34 years.....	7.4	7.1	7.6	8.2	7.4	9.5	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	7.5	7.3	7.7	6.3	5.6	6.7			
35 to 44 years.....	14.3	14.6	14.0	12.3	11.5	13.5	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	14.8	15.6	14.2	12.7	11.8	13.3			
45 to 54 years.....	10.4	10.7	10.1	8.4	7.6	9.8	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	10.8	11.4	10.3	9.6	9.4	9.7			
55 to 64 years.....	7.3	6.8	7.7	6.5	4.9	9.0	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	7.3	7.2	7.5	7.1	5.7	8.0			
65 to 74 years.....	4.2	3.0	5.1	3.3	1.6	6.2	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	4.2	3.3	4.9	4.5	2.3	5.9			
75 years and over.....	1.8	1.1	2.5	2.0	1.1	3.6	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	1.6	1.1	2.1	2.8	1.1	3.8			
URBAN POPULATION																					
All ages: 1930.....	13,501	5,701	7,800	932	538	399	753	434	319	179	99	80	10,724	4,444	6,280	1,638	718	1,120			
Under 5 years.....	1,392	644	748	83	39	44	82	33	44	1	1	-----	1,148	528	620	160	76	84			
Under 1 year.....	259	122	137	15	7	8	15	7	8	-----	-----	-----	215	107	114	29	14	15			
5 to 9 years.....	1,592	757	835	71	32	39	68	30	38	3	2	1	1,292	615	677	220	110	119			
10 to 14 years.....	1,379	648	731	45	21	24	43	19	24	2	2	-----	1,127	527	600	207	100	107			
15 to 19 years.....	1,160	543	617	51	40	11	49	38	11	2	2	-----	961	428	533	148	75	73			
20 to 24 years.....	1,060	483	577	128	105	23	123	102	21	5	3	2	824	324	500	108	54	84			
25 to 29 years.....	808	370	438	118	81	37	101	72	29	17	0	8	651	245	406	99	44	65			
30 to 34 years.....	729	289	440	83	44	39	62	36	26	21	8	13	563	209	354	81	34	47			
35 to 44 years.....	1,550	630	920	138	71	67	92	52	40	46	19	27	1,212	486	726	200	73	127			
45 to 54 years.....	1,564	647	917	82	42	40	53	24	29	20	18	11	1,276	535	741	204	69	135			
55 to 64 years.....	1,069	407	662	61	28	33	33	10	23	28	18	10	827	329	498	180	49	131			
65 to 74 years.....	754	217	537	49	23	26	30	9	21	19	14	5	573	169	404	131	24	107			
75 years and over.....	384	86	318	23	7	16	17	4	13	6	3	3	270	49	221	91	10	81			
All ages: 1917.....	15,485	6,427	9,058	1,086	694	392	(1)	-----	(1)	-----	-----	-----	10,930	4,614	6,416	3,426	1,204	2,222			
Under 5 years.....	1,465	704	761	57	32	25	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	1,045	511	534	161	76	200			
Under 1 year.....	289	140	149	7	3	4	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	205	110	95	27	14	48			
5 to 9 years.....	1,499	705	794	50	31	19	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	1,089	498	571	179	75	204			
10 to 14 years.....	1,547	689	858	52	27	25	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	1,109	498	611	185	103	222			
15 to 19 years.....	1,350	556	794	94	72	22	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	929	386	543	127	195	195			
20 to 24 years.....	1,427	664	763	239	208	31	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	928	359	569	255	92	163			
25 to 29 years.....	1,254	531	723	145	108	37	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	895	340	555	222	81	141			
30 to 34 years.....	1,105	442	663	81	48	33	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	815	327	488	200	67	142			
35 to 44 years.....	2,071	839	1,232	132	70	62	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	1,505	630	875	431	138	293			
45 to 54 years.....	1,528	623	905	89	50	43	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	1,118	479	639	317	94	223			
55 to 64 years.....	1,121	381	740	72	30	42	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	792	284	508	250	66	190			
65 to 74 years.....	740	188	552	45	19	25	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	513	151	362	180	25	155			
75 years and over.....	348	75	273	26	8	18	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	212	51	161	109	15	94			
Per cent: 1930.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	-----	-----	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0			
Under 5 years.....	10.3	11.3	9.6	8.9	7.3	11.0	10.9	8.8	13.8	0.6	-----	-----	10.7	11.9	9.9	8.7	10.6	7.5			
Under 1 year.....	1.0	2.1	1.8	1.6	1.5	2.0	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	1.0	2.0	1.8	1.6	1.9	1.6			
5 to 9 years.....	11.8	13.3	10.7	7.6	6.0	9.8	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	12.0	13.8	10.8	12.5	15.3	10.6			
10 to 14 years.....	10.2	11.4	9.4	4.8	3.9	6.8	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	10.5	11.9	9.6	11.1	13.9	9.6			
15 to 19 years.....	8.0	9.5	7.9	5.5	4.7	6.8	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	9.0	9.6	8.5	8.1	10.4	6.5			
20 to 24 years.....	7.9	8.6	7.4	13.7	19.7	5.3	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	7.7	7.3	8.0	5.9	7.5	4.8			
25 to 29 years.....	6.4	6.5	6.4	12.7	15.2	9.3	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	6.1	5.5	6.5	5.4	6.1	4.9			
30 to 34 years.....	6.4	6.1	5.6	8.9	8.3	9.8	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	5.2	4.7							

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TABLE 3.—AGE, URBAN AND RURAL: 1930 AND 1917—Continued

AGE AND CENSUS YEAR	ALL CLASSES			WHITE												NEGRO			MIXED		
				Total			Native			Foreign born											
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
RURAL POPULATION																					
All ages: 1930.....	8,511	4,507	4,004	1,078	623	455	639	348	291	439	275	164	6,519	3,397	3,122	881	464	417			
Under 5 years.....	865	461	414	161	84	77	151	84	67	—	—	—	684	301	283	126	64	62			
Under 1 year.....	155	83	67	28	17	11	28	17	11	—	—	—	104	57	47	25	14	9			
5 to 9 years.....	894	462	432	122	71	51	120	71	49	2	—	—	699	336	323	109	53	56			
10 to 14 years.....	912	494	418	100	58	42	90	50	40	10	8	2	717	387	330	91	47	44			
15 to 19 years.....	723	399	324	90	47	43	50	21	29	40	26	14	552	309	243	79	42	37			
20 to 24 years.....	535	293	242	88	56	32	49	29	20	39	27	12	366	195	171	70	45	34			
25 to 29 years.....	499	248	251	94	46	48	41	16	25	53	29	24	339	167	172	65	36	29			
30 to 34 years.....	510	255	255	76	45	31	27	14	13	49	31	18	379	182	197	54	28	26			
35 to 44 years.....	1,131	594	537	169	96	73	52	25	27	117	71	46	911	442	469	101	56	45			
45 to 54 years.....	1,167	629	538	93	63	30	23	10	9	65	44	21	982	527	455	81	38	43			
55 to 64 years.....	714	406	308	61	41	20	21	16	5	40	25	15	590	325	265	60	37	23			
65 to 74 years.....	366	203	163	24	16	8	3	2	1	21	14	7	307	165	142	28	16	12			
75 years and over.....	161	68	85	10	1	9	—	—	—	—	—	—	129	59	70	8	2	6			
Unknown.....	4	2	2	—	—	—	7	1	6	3	—	—	4	2	2	—	—	—			
All ages: 1917.....	10,586	5,572	5,014	836	504	332	(1)	—	—	(1)	—	—	8,593	4,476	4,117	1,137	574	563			
Under 5 years.....	965	487	478	85	46	39	—	—	—	—	—	—	737	368	369	143	73	70			
Under 1 year.....	116	60	57	9	5	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	82	41	41	25	15	10			
5 to 9 years.....	931	469	472	69	35	34	—	—	—	—	—	—	723	343	380	139	81	58			
10 to 14 years.....	914	494	420	74	33	41	—	—	—	—	—	—	720	395	325	120	66	54			
15 to 19 years.....	859	437	422	64	43	21	—	—	—	—	—	—	693	347	351	96	47	49			
20 to 24 years.....	1,094	565	529	124	100	24	—	—	—	—	—	—	880	426	454	88	38	50			
25 to 29 years.....	936	479	457	86	54	32	—	—	—	—	—	—	758	390	368	62	35	37			
30 to 34 years.....	810	404	406	77	41	36	—	—	—	—	—	—	656	330	326	77	33	44			
35 to 44 years.....	1,648	916	732	104	68	36	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,394	770	618	149	71	78			
45 to 54 years.....	1,181	665	516	69	41	28	—	—	—	—	—	—	986	545	441	120	73	47			
55 to 64 years.....	773	436	337	52	29	23	—	—	—	—	—	—	642	362	280	70	36	34			
65 to 74 years.....	344	175	169	19	9	10	—	—	—	—	—	—	299	149	150	25	16	9			
75 years and over.....	131	55	76	13	5	8	—	—	—	—	—	—	100	45	55	18	5	13			
Per cent: 1930.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Under 5 years.....	10.2	10.0	10.3	14.0	13.5	14.7	23.6	24.1	23.0	—	—	—	9.0	8.9	9.1	14.3	13.8	14.0			
Under 1 year.....	1.8	2.0	1.7	2.6	2.7	2.4	4.9	4.9	3.8	—	—	—	7.6	7.7	7.5	2.6	2.6	2.8			
5 to 9 years.....	10.6	10.3	10.8	11.3	11.4	11.2	18.3	20.4	16.8	0.5	—	—	10.1	9.9	10.3	12.4	11.4	13.4			
10 to 14 years.....	10.7	11.0	10.4	9.3	9.3	9.2	14.1	14.4	13.7	2.3	2.9	1.2	11.0	11.4	10.6	10.3	10.1	10.6			
15 to 19 years.....	8.5	8.9	8.1	8.3	7.5	9.5	7.8	6.0	10.0	9.1	9.5	8.5	8.5	9.1	7.8	9.0	9.1	8.9			
20 to 24 years.....	6.3	6.6	5.9	8.2	9.0	7.0	7.7	8.3	6.9	8.0	8.3	7.3	5.6	5.7	5.5	9.0	9.7	8.2			
25 to 29 years.....	5.9	5.5	6.3	8.7	7.2	10.8	6.4	4.6	8.6	12.1	10.5	14.6	5.2	4.9	5.5	7.4	7.8	7.0			
30 to 34 years.....	6.0	5.7	6.4	7.1	7.2	6.8	4.2	4.0	4.5	11.2	11.3	11.0	5.8	5.4	6.3	6.1	6.0	6.2			
35 to 44 years.....	13.9	13.2	14.7	15.7	15.4	16.0	8.1	7.2	9.3	23.7	25.8	28.0	14.0	13.0	15.0	11.5	12.1	10.8			
45 to 54 years.....	13.6	14.0	13.2	8.6	10.1	6.6	4.4	5.5	3.1	14.8	16.0	12.5	15.1	15.5	14.6	9.2	8.2	10.3			
55 to 64 years.....	8.4	9.0	7.7	5.7	6.6	4.4	3.3	4.6	1.7	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.6	8.5	6.8	8.0	5.5			
65 to 74 years.....	4.3	4.5	4.1	2.2	2.6	1.8	0.5	0.6	0.3	4.8	5.1	4.3	4.7	4.9	4.5	3.2	3.4	2.9			
75 years and over.....	1.8	1.5	2.1	0.9	0.2	2.0	1.1	0.3	2.1	0.7	—	—	2.0	1.7	2.2	0.9	0.4	1.4			
Unknown.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.1	0.1	0.1	—	—	—			
Per cent: 1917.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	(1)	—	—	(1)	—	—	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Under 5 years.....	9.1	8.7	9.5	10.2	9.1	11.7	—	—	—	—	—	—	8.6	8.2	9.0	12.6	12.7	12.4			
Under 1 year.....	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	0.6	1.8	—	—	—	—	—	—	1.0	0.9	1.0	2.2	2.6	1.8			
5 to 9 years.....	8.8	8.2	9.4	8.3	6.9	10.2	—	—	—	—	—	—	8.4	7.7	9.2	12.2	14.1	10.3			
10 to 14 years.....	8.6	8.9	8.4	8.9	6.5	12.3	—	—	—	—	—	—	8.4	8.8	7.9	10.6	11.5	9.6			
15 to 19 years.....	8.1	7.8	8.4	7.7	8.5	6.3	—	—	—	—	—	—	8.1	7.8	8.5	8.4	8.2	8.7			
20 to 24 years.....	10.3	10.1	10.6	14.8	19.3	7.2	—	—	—	—	—	—	10.2	9.5	11.0	7.7	6.6	8.9			
25 to 29 years.....	8.8	8.6	9.1	10.3	10.7	9.6	—	—	—	—	—	—	8.8	8.7	8.9	8.1	6.1	10.1			
30 to 34 years.....	7.7	7.3	8.1	9.2	8.1	10.8	—	—	—	—	—	—	7.6	7.4	7.9	6.8	5.7	7.8			
35 to 44 years.....	15.6	16.4	14.6	12.4	13.6	10.8	—	—	—	—	—	—	16.2	17.3	15.0	13.1	12.4	13.9			
45 to 54 years.....	11.2	11.9	10.3	8.3	8.1	8.4	—	—	—	—	—	—	11.5	12.2	10.7	10.6	12.7	8.3			
55 to 64 years.....	7.3	7.8	6.7	6.2	5.8	6.9	—	—	—	—	—	—	7.5	8.1	6.8	6.2	6.3	6.0			
65 to 74 years.....	3.2	3.1	3.4	2.3	1.8	3.0	—	—	—	—	—	—	3.5	3.3	3.6	2.2	2.8	1.6			
75 years and over.....	1.2	1.0	1.5	1.6	1.0	2.4	—	—	—	—	—	—	1.2	1.0	1.3	1.6	0.9	2.3			

1 Nativity of the white population not available for 1917.

TABLE 4.—POPULATION 21 YEARS OLD AND OVER, BY SEX, COLOR, NATIVITY, AND CITIZENSHIP, URBAN AND RURAL, 1930; AND BY SEX AND COLOR, URBAN AND RURAL, 1917
[Per cent not shown where less than 0.1]

COLOR, NATIVITY, AND CITIZENSHIP	VIRGIN ISLANDS								URBAN POPULATION								RURAL POPULATION							
	Total number		Per cent distribu- tion		Male		Female		Total number		Per cent distribu- tion		Male		Female		Total number		Per cent distribu- tion		Male		Female	
	1930	1917	1930	1917	1930	1917	1930	1917	1930	1917	1930	1917	1930	1917	1930	1917	1930	1917	1930	1917	1930	1917	1930	1917
	1930	1917	1930	1917	1930	1917	1930	1917	1930	1917	1930	1917	1930	1917	1930	1917	1930	1917	1930	1917	1930	1917	1930	1917
Total	12,717	16,004	100.0	100.0	5,608	7,186	7,108	8,818	7,748	9,324	100.0	100.0	2,980	3,817	4,756	5,707	4,971	6,680	100.0	100.0	2,619	3,569	2,352	3,111
White	1,247	1,312	9.8	8.2	727	821	520	491	654	795	8.4	8.5	377	494	277	301	593	517	11.9	7.7	350	327	243	190
Negro	9,915	12,118	78.0	75.7	4,271	5,485	5,044	6,633	6,016	6,593	77.7	70.7	2,265	2,559	3,751	4,034	3,899	5,525	78.4	82.7	2,006	2,920	1,893	2,599
Mixed	1,530	2,542	12.0	15.9	590	851	940	1,601	1,070	1,923	13.8	20.6	2,205	2,553	3,727	1,370	460	619	9.3	9.8	247	298	213	321
Other colored	25	32	0.2	0.2	21	29	4	3	6	13	0.1	0.1	3	5	11	2	19	19	0.4	0.3	16	18	3	1
Native white	700	(1)	5.5	—	400	—	300	—	486	(1)	6.3	—	287	—	199	—	214	(1)	4.3	—	113	—	101	—
Native par.	404	—	3.2	—	250	—	164	—	319	—	4.1	—	194	—	125	—	85	—	1.7	—	50	—	29	—
Foreign or mixed par.	290	—	2.3	—	150	—	146	—	167	—	2.2	—	93	—	74	—	129	—	2.6	—	57	—	72	—
Foreign-born white	547	(1)	4.3	—	327	—	220	—	168	(1)	2.2	—	90	—	78	—	379	(1)	7.6	—	237	—	142	—
Naturalized	107	—	0.8	—	80	—	27	—	70	—	0.9	—	49	—	21	—	37	—	0.7	—	31	—	6	—
First papers	20	—	0.2	—	14	—	0	—	0	—	0.1	—	6	—	3	—	11	—	0.2	—	8	—	3	—
Alien	419	—	3.3	—	233	—	186	—	89	—	1.1	—	35	—	54	—	330	—	6.6	—	108	—	132	—
Unknown	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1

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TABLE 5.—MALES OF MILITIA AGE (18 TO 44), BY COLOR AND NATIVITY, URBAN AND RURAL, 1930; AND BY COLOR, URBAN AND RURAL, 1917

COLOR AND NATIVITY	VIRGIN ISLANDS		URBAN POPULATION		RURAL POPULATION		COLOR AND NATIVITY	VIRGIN ISLANDS		URBAN POPULATION		RURAL POPULATION	
	1930	1917	1930	1917	1930	1917		1930	1917	1930	1917	1930	1917
Total.....	3,532	5,257	1,975	2,715	1,557	2,542	Native white.....	381	(1)	294	(1)	57	(1)
White.....	591	781	333	488	253	203	Native parentage.....	249		211		38	
Negro.....	2,519	3,849	1,409	1,797	1,110	2,052	Foreign or mixed parentage.....	132		83		49	
Mixed.....	418	616	231	421	187	195	Foreign-born white.....	210	(1)	39	(1)	171	(1)
Other colored.....	4	11	2	9	2	2							

¹ Nativity of the white population not available for 1917.

TABLE 6.—SCHOOL ATTENDANCE FOR THE VIRGIN ISLANDS, 1930 AND 1917; AND FOR URBAN AND RURAL POPULATION, 1930

[Per cent not shown where base is less than 100]

AGE, SEX, AND CENSUS YEAR	ALL CLASSES						WHITE									NEGRO			MIXED		
	Total number	Attending school		Total number	Attending school		Total number	Native		Foreign born		Total number	Attending school		Total number	Attending school		Total number	Attending school		
		Number	Per cent		Number	Per cent		Number	Per cent	Number	Per cent		Number	Per cent		Number	Per cent		Number	Per cent	
VIRGIN ISLANDS																					
5 to 20 years.....	1930.....	7,038	4,542	64.5	529	270	51.0	459	280	66.6	70	10	5,596	3,632	64.9	903	631	69.9			
Male.....	1917.....	7,617	3,771	49.5	488	187	40.0	(1)			(1)		5,923	2,739	46.3	1,517	843	55.6			
	1930.....	3,504	2,264	64.6	306	149	48.7	260	143	55.0	46	6	2,741	1,807	65.9	452	304	67.3			
Female.....	1917.....	3,622	1,811	50.0	299	103	34.4						2,626	1,309	49.8	693	397	57.3			
	1930.....	3,534	2,278	64.5	223	121	54.3	190	117	58.8	24	4	2,855	1,825	63.9	451	327	72.5			
	1917.....	3,995	1,960	49.1	169	84	49.7						2,997	1,430	47.7	824	440	54.1			
5 years.....	1930.....	522	114	21.8	44	9		41	7		3	2	406	87	21.4	71	18				
	1917.....	461	92	20.0	26	6							333	59	17.7	102	27	26.5			
6 years.....	1930.....	476	301	63.2	43	20		43	20				364	232	63.7	68	48				
	1917.....	480	285	59.4	23	11							355	202	56.9	102	72	70.6			
7 to 13 years.....	1930.....	3,312	3,186	96.2	222	204	91.9	214	198	92.5	8	0	2,638	2,555	96.9	447	422	94.4			
	1917.....	3,449	3,095	89.7	174	142	81.6						2,552	2,284	89.5	721	667	92.5			
14 and 15 years.....	1930.....	877	662	75.5	59	25		44	24		15	1	713	548	76.9	103	87	84.5			
	1917.....	942	246	26.1	36	20							716	166	23.2	189	60	31.7			
16 and 17 years.....	1930.....	738	175	23.7	40	6		29	5		11	1	613	130	21.2	84	38				
	1917.....	870	43	4.9	42	7							657	23	3.5	169	13	7.7			
18 to 20 years.....	1930.....	1,113	104	9.3	121	6	5.0	88	6		33		862	80	9.3	130	18	13.8			
	1917.....	1,415	10	0.7	167	1	0.6						1,010	5	0.5	234	4	1.7			
21 years and over.....	1930.....	225			6			6						36			183				
	1917.....	(2)																			
URBAN POPULATION																					
5 to 20 years, 1930.....	4,363	2,922	67.0	195	113	57.9	185	110	59.5	10	3		3,500	2,333	65.5	808	478	78.3			
Male.....	2,067	1,395	67.5	117	55	47.0	109	52	47.7	8	3		1,651	1,110	67.2	299	230	76.9			
Female.....	2,296	1,527	66.5	78	58		76	58		2			1,909	1,223	64.1	309	246	79.6			
5 years.....	331	97	29.3	14	8		11	6		3	2		278	76	27.3	39	13				
6 years.....	303	229	75.6	17	14		17	14					236	175	74.2	60	40				
7 to 13 years.....	2,071	2,015	97.3	77	74		76	73		1	1		1,681	1,631	97.0	313	310	96.0			
14 and 15 years.....	518	421	81.3	15	10		13	10		2			427	342	80.1	76	69				
16 and 17 years.....	468	126	26.9	8	2		7	2		1			409	96	23.5	51	28				
18 to 20 years.....	672	34	5.1	64	5		61	5		3			529	13	2.5	79	16				
21 years and over.....		213		5			5							25			183				
RURAL POPULATION																					
5 to 20 years, 1930.....	2,675	1,620	60.6	334	157	47.0	274	150	54.7	60	7		2,036	1,299	63.8	295	155	52.5			
Male.....	1,437	869	60.5	189	94	49.7	151	91	60.3	38	3		1,090	697	63.9	153	74	48.4			
Female.....	1,238	751	60.7	145	63	43.4	123	59	48.0	22	4		946	602	63.6	142	81	57.0			
5 years.....	191	17	8.9	30	1		30	1					128	11	8.6	32	5				
6 years.....	173	72	41.6	26	6		26	6					128	57	44.5	18	8				
7 to 13 years.....	1,241	1,171	94.4	145	130	89.7	138	125	90.6	7	5		957	924	96.6	134	112	83.6			
14 and 15 years.....	359	241	67.1	44	15		31	14		13	1		286	206	72.0	27	18				
16 and 17 years.....	270	49	18.1	32	4		22	3		10	1		204	34	16.7	33	10				
18 to 20 years.....	441	70	15.9	57	1		27	1		30			333	67	20.1	51	2				
21 years and over.....		12		1			1							11							

¹ Nativity of the white population not available for 1917.

² Data not available.

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TABLE 7.—ILLITERACY FOR THE VIRGIN ISLANDS, 1930 AND 1917; AND FOR URBAN AND RURAL POPULATION, 1930

[Per cent not shown where base is less than 100]

AGE, SEX, AND CENSUS YEAR	ALL CLASSES			WHITE									NEGRO			MIXED		
				Total			Native			Foreign born								
	Total number	Illiterate		Total number	Illiterate		Total number	Illiterate		Total number	Illiterate		Total number	Illiterate				
		Number	Per cent		Number	Per cent		Number	Per cent		Number	Per cent		Number	Per cent	Number	Per cent	
VIRGIN ISLANDS																		
10 years and over.....1930.....	17,269	2,780	16.1	1,583	284	17.9	971	37	3.8	612	247	40.4	13,580	2,307	17.0	2,095	177	8.4
.....1917.....	21,191	5,281	24.9	1,661	188	11.3	(1)	—	—	(1)	—	—	16,049	4,734	29.7	3,541	340	9.6
Male.....1930.....	7,894	1,214	15.4	930	161	17.2	559	17	3.0	371	144	38.8	6,061	942	15.5	879	100	11.4
.....1917.....	9,644	2,306	23.9	1,054	92	8.7	(1)	—	—	(1)	—	—	7,270	2,076	28.6	1,288	122	9.5
Female.....1930.....	9,375	1,566	16.7	653	123	18.8	412	20	4.9	241	103	42.7	7,499	1,365	18.2	1,216	77	6.3
.....1917.....	11,547	2,975	25.8	607	90	15.8	(1)	—	—	(1)	—	—	8,679	2,668	30.6	2,263	218	9.7
10 to 20 years.....1930.....	4,552	95	2.1	336	27	8.0	271	3	1.1	65	24	—	3,645	55	1.5	565	13	2.3
.....1917.....	5,187	287	5.5	349	27	7.7	—	—	—	—	—	—	3,831	238	6.2	999	20	2.0
21 years and over.....1930.....	12,717	2,685	21.1	1,247	257	20.6	700	34	4.9	547	223	40.8	9,915	2,262	22.7	1,530	164	10.7
.....1917.....	16,004	4,994	31.2	1,312	161	12.3	—	—	—	—	—	—	12,118	4,496	37.1	2,542	320	12.6
Male.....1930.....	5,609	1,159	20.7	727	145	19.9	400	17	4.3	327	128	39.1	4,271	911	21.3	500	92	18.0
.....1917.....	7,186	2,147	29.9	821	75	9.1	—	—	—	—	—	—	5,485	1,945	35.5	851	111	13.0
Female.....1930.....	7,108	1,526	21.5	520	112	21.5	300	17	5.7	220	95	43.2	5,644	1,341	23.8	940	72	7.7
.....1917.....	8,818	2,847	32.3	461	86	17.5	—	—	—	—	—	—	6,633	2,551	38.5	1,691	200	12.4
URBAN POPULATION																		
10 years and over, 1930.....	10,617	1,233	11.7	778	8	1.0	603	2	0.3	175	6	3.4	8,284	1,185	14.3	1,449	38	2.6
Male.....	4,300	399	9.3	462	2	0.4	366	—	—	96	2	—	3,301	387	11.7	532	8	1.5
Female.....	6,217	834	13.4	316	6	1.9	237	2	0.8	79	4	—	4,983	798	16.0	917	30	3.3
10 to 20 years.....	2,771	24	0.9	124	—	—	117	—	—	7	—	—	2,268	24	1.1	379	—	—
21 years and over.....	7,746	1,209	15.6	654	8	1.2	486	2	0.4	168	6	3.6	6,016	1,161	19.3	1,070	38	3.6
Male.....	2,990	389	13.0	377	2	0.5	287	—	—	90	2	—	2,265	377	16.6	343	8	2.3
Female.....	4,756	820	17.2	277	6	2.2	199	2	1.0	78	4	—	3,751	784	20.9	727	30	4.1
RURAL POPULATION																		
10 years and over, 1930.....	6,762	1,547	22.9	805	278	34.3	368	35	9.5	437	241	55.1	5,276	1,122	21.3	646	139	21.6
Male.....	3,594	815	22.7	468	169	34.0	193	17	8.8	275	142	51.6	2,700	555	20.1	347	92	26.6
Female.....	3,168	732	23.2	337	117	34.7	175	18	10.3	162	99	61.1	2,516	567	22.5	299	47	16.7
10 to 20 years.....	1,781	71	4.0	212	27	12.7	154	3	1.9	58	24	—	1,377	31	2.3	186	13	7.0
21 years and over.....	4,971	1,476	29.7	593	249	42.0	214	32	15.0	379	217	57.3	3,899	1,091	28.0	400	126	31.4
Male.....	2,619	770	29.4	360	143	40.9	113	17	15.0	237	126	53.2	2,006	534	26.6	247	84	34.0
Female.....	2,352	706	30.0	233	106	43.6	101	15	14.9	142	91	64.1	1,893	557	29.4	213	42	19.7

¹ Nativity of the white population not available for 1917.

TABLE 8.—PERSONS 10 YEARS OLD AND OVER UNABLE TO SPEAK ENGLISH, BY SEX, COLOR, AND NATIVITY: 1930

[Per cent not shown where base is less than 100]

COLOR AND NATIVITY	BOTH SEXES			MALE			FEMALE		
	Total number	Unable to speak English		Total number	Unable to speak English		Total number	Unable to speak English	
		Number	Per cent		Number	Per cent		Number	Per cent
Total.....	17,269	337	2.0	7,894	154	2.0	9,375	183	2.0
White.....	1,583	109	6.9	930	35	3.8	653	74	11.3
Native.....	971	15	1.5	550	8	1.4	412	7	1.7
Foreign born.....	612	94	15.4	371	27	7.3	241	67	27.8
Negro.....	13,580	44	0.3	6,061	17	0.3	7,499	27	0.4
Mixed.....	2,095	183	8.7	879	101	11.5	1,216	82	6.7
Other colored.....	31	1	—	24	1	—	7	—	—

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TABLE 9.—MARITAL CONDITION OF THE POPULATION 15 YEARS OLD AND OVER, BY SEX, COLOR, AND NATIVITY, URBAN AND RURAL, 1930; AND BY SEX AND COLOR, URBAN AND RURAL, 1917

[Totals include persons whose marital condition was not reported. Per cent not shown where base is less than 100]

CLASS OF POPULATION AND CENSUS YEAR	MALES 15 YEARS OLD AND OVER										FEMALES 15 YEARS OLD AND OVER									
	Total	Single		Married		Consensually married		Widowed		Divorced	Total	Single		Married		Consensually married		Widowed		Divorced
		Num- ber	Per cent	Num- ber	Per cent	Num- ber	Per cent	Num- ber	Per cent			Num- ber	Per cent	Num- ber	Per cent	Num- ber	Per cent	Num- ber	Per cent	
VIRGIN ISLANDS																				
Total.....	1930	6,752	3,035	44.9	2,305	35.0	942	14.0	393	5.8	17	8,228	3,683	44.5	2,458	29.9	950	11.5	1,134	13.8
	1917	8,461	4,051	47.9	2,464	29.1	1,524	18.0	409	4.8	13	10,869	4,922	47.9	2,532	24.7	1,568	15.3	1,224	11.9
White.....	1930	851	370	44.2	418	49.1	13	1.5	40	4.7	4	587	171	20.1	321	54.7	12	2.0	80	13.6
	1917	994	627	63.1	319	32.1	14	1.4	33	3.3	1	641	202	37.3	244	45.1	5	0.9	89	16.5
Native white.....	1930	490	279	56.0	185	37.8	8	1.6	15	3.1	3	348	113	32.5	179	51.4	9	2.6	44	12.6
Native parent- age.....	1930	301	178	59.1	108	35.9	7	2.3	6	2.0	2	167	50	29.9	91	54.5	7	4.2	18	10.8
Foreign or mixed parentage.....	1930	189	101	53.4	77	40.7	1	0.5	0	4.8	1	181	63	34.8	88	48.6	2	1.1	26	14.4
Foreign-born white.....	1930	361	97	26.9	233	64.5	5	1.4	25	6.9	1	239	58	24.3	142	59.4	3	1.3	36	15.1
Negro.....	1930	5,147	2,278	44.3	1,698	33.0	849	16.5	311	6.0	11	6,569	2,952	44.9	1,845	28.1	873	13.3	886	13.5
	1917	6,377	2,887	45.3	1,783	28.0	1,371	21.5	327	5.1	9	7,743	3,561	46.0	1,859	24.0	1,428	18.4	878	11.3
Mixed.....	1930	732	368	50.3	244	33.3	79	10.8	39	5.3	2	1,065	536	50.3	291	27.3	65	6.1	168	15.8
	1917	1,059	516	48.7	353	33.3	139	13.1	48	4.5	3	1,977	1,154	58.4	427	21.6	134	6.8	257	13.0
Other colored.....	1930	22	13	59.1	5	22.7	1	4.5	3	13.6	3	5	4	80.0	1	20.0	1	20.0	1	20.0
	1917	31	21	67.7	9	29.0	1	3.2	1	3.2	1	8	5	62.5	2	25.0	1	12.5	1	12.5
URBAN POPULATION																				
Total.....	1930	3,652	1,678	45.9	1,262	34.6	486	13.3	213	5.8	13	5,486	2,702	49.3	1,460	26.8	497	9.1	812	14.8
	1917	4,329	2,119	48.9	1,284	29.7	712	16.4	204	4.7	10	6,625	3,576	54.0	1,425	21.6	719	10.9	858	13.4
White.....	1930	441	242	54.9	175	39.7	3	0.7	18	4.1	3	292	109	37.3	135	46.2	3	1.0	42	14.4
	1917	604	422	69.9	177	26.0	7	1.2	17	2.8	1	323	154	47.7	110	34.1	2	0.6	56	17.3
Native white.....	1930	347	218	62.8	117	33.7	2	0.6	8	2.3	2	213	75	35.2	100	46.9	3	1.4	32	15.0
Native parent- age.....	1930	239	155	64.9	79	33.1	1	0.4	3	1.3	1	131	44	33.6	71	54.2	2	1.5	13	9.9
Foreign or mixed parentage.....	1930	108	63	58.3	38	35.2	1	0.9	5	4.6	1	82	31	37.7	29	35.6	1	0.8	19	23.1
Foreign-born white.....	1930	94	24	25.5	58	61.7	1	1.1	10	10.6	1	79	34	42.6	35	44.3	1	1.3	10	12.7
Negro.....	1930	2,774	1,223	44.1	917	33.1	455	16.4	171	6.2	8	4,383	2,155	49.2	1,122	25.6	473	10.8	626	14.3
	1917	3,007	1,346	44.8	880	29.3	623	20.7	151	5.0	7	4,700	2,437	51.9	1,005	21.4	641	13.6	603	12.8
Mixed.....	1930	432	211	48.8	168	38.9	27	6.3	24	5.6	2	810	437	54.0	203	25.1	21	2.6	144	17.8
	1917	705	342	48.5	244	34.6	82	11.6	35	5.0	2	1,596	980	61.4	309	19.4	76	4.8	227	14.2
Other colored.....	1930	5	2	40.0	2	40.0	1	20.0	1	20.0	1	1	1	100.0	1	100.0	1	100.0	1	100.0
	1917	13	9	69.2	3	23.1	1	7.7	1	7.7	1	6	5	83.3	1	16.7	1	16.7	1	16.7
RURAL POPULATION																				
Total.....	1930	3,100	1,557	43.8	1,103	35.6	456	14.7	180	5.8	4	2,740	981	35.1	988	36.4	458	16.5	322	11.8
	1917	4,132	1,932	46.8	1,180	28.6	812	19.7	205	5.0	3	3,644	1,346	38.9	1,107	30.4	849	23.3	338	9.3
White.....	1930	410	134	32.7	243	59.3	10	2.4	22	5.4	1	295	62	21.0	186	63.1	9	3.1	38	12.9
	1917	390	205	52.6	162	41.5	7	1.8	16	4.1	1	218	48	22.0	134	61.5	3	1.4	35	16.1
Native white.....	1930	143	61	42.7	68	47.6	6	4.2	7	4.9	1	135	38	28.1	79	58.5	6	4.4	12	8.9
Native parent- age.....	1930	62	23	37.0	29	46.8	6	9.7	3	4.8	1	36	6	16.7	20	55.6	5	13.9	5	13.9
Foreign or mixed parentage.....	1930	81	38	46.9	39	48.1	4	4.9	4	4.9	1	99	32	32.0	50	50.5	1	1.0	7	7.0
Foreign-born white.....	1930	267	73	27.3	175	65.5	4	1.5	15	5.6	1	160	24	15.0	107	66.9	3	1.9	26	16.3
Negro.....	1930	2,373	1,055	44.5	793	32.9	394	16.6	140	5.9	3	2,186	797	36.5	723	33.1	400	18.3	260	11.9
	1917	3,370	1,641	48.7	908	26.8	748	22.2	170	5.2	2	3,043	1,124	36.9	854	28.1	787	25.9	275	9.0
Mixed.....	1930	300	157	52.3	76	25.3	52	17.3	15	5.0	0	355	99	33.8	88	34.5	44	17.3	24	9.4
	1917	354	174	49.2	109	30.8	57	16.1	13	3.7	1	281	174	45.7	118	31.0	58	15.2	30	7.9
Other colored.....	1930	17	11	64.7	3	17.6	1	5.9	3	17.6	1	4	3	75.0	1	25.0	1	25.0	1	25.0
	1917	18	12	66.7	6	33.3	1	5.6	1	5.6	1	2	2	100.0	1	50.0	1	50.0	1	50.0

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TABLE 10.—MARITAL CONDITION OF THE TOTAL POPULATION, BY AGE PERIODS: 1930

[Totals include persons whose marital condition was not reported]

COLOR AND AGE PERIODS	MALES						FEMALES					
	Total	Single	Married	Consensu-ally married	Widowed	Divorced	Total	Single	Married	Consensu-ally married	Widowed	Divorced
All classes.....	10,208	6,481	2,374	943	393	17	11,804	7,237	2,461	951	1,134	19
Under 15 years.....	3,456	3,446	9	1			3,578	3,574	3	1		
15 years and over.....	6,752	3,035	2,365	942	393	17	8,226	3,663	2,458	950	1,134	19
15 to 19 years.....	442	929	6	7			941	850	31	58	2	
20 to 24 years.....	781	592	58	131			814	598	110	190	6	
25 to 29 years.....	618	309	161	152	4	2	749	327	242	167	11	1
30 to 34 years.....	544	192	191	145	12	4	695	250	233	143	13	5
35 to 44 years.....	1,224	369	670	245	27	4	1,507	504	664	248	85	6
45 to 54 years.....	1,273	306	707	175	84	4	1,445	430	650	111	202	2
55 to 64 years.....	813	197	437	73	105	1	970	347	308	27	284	4
65 to 74 years.....	420	106	192	13	107	2	700	251	143	5	300	1
75 years and over.....	132	33	44	1	54		403	144	27	1	231	
Age unknown.....	2	2					2	2				
White.....	1,150	681	418	13	40	4	854	438	321	12	80	3
Under 15 years.....	305	305					267	267				
15 years and over.....	851	376	418	13	40	4	587	171	321	12	80	3
15 to 19 years.....	87	87					54	41	11	2		
20 to 24 years.....	161	140	21				55	23	28	3	1	
25 to 29 years.....	123	65	58		2	1	86	14	70	1	1	
30 to 34 years.....	89	23	58	3	3	2	70	14	54			2
35 to 44 years.....	167	25	133	5	3	1	140	28	100	5	7	
45 to 54 years.....	105	14	82	3	6		70	20	35	1	13	1
55 to 64 years.....	69	11	43	2	13		53	17	10		17	
65 to 74 years.....	39	9	21		9		34	8	4		22	
75 years and over.....	8	2	2		4		25	6			19	
Negro.....	7,841	4,964	1,705	850	311	11	9,402	5,783	1,846	874	886	11
Under 15 years.....	2,604	2,680	7	1			2,833	2,831	1	1		
15 years and over.....	5,237	2,278	1,698	849	311	11	6,569	2,952	1,845	873	886	11
15 to 19 years.....	737	724	6	7			776	708	12	54	2	
20 to 24 years.....	519	370	28	121			671	428	66	172	5	
25 to 29 years.....	412	198	71	140	2	1	578	276	141	151	9	
30 to 34 years.....	391	143	113	126	8	2	551	212	189	134	12	3
35 to 44 years.....	928	309	375	223	19	2	1,195	411	491	227	62	4
45 to 54 years.....	1,032	267	563	156	72	4	1,196	390	541	104	100	1
55 to 64 years.....	654	166	348	64	86		763	261	257	25	217	3
65 to 74 years.....	334	85	154	12	81	2	546	172	123	5	240	
75 years and over.....	108	24	40	1	43		291	92	25	1	173	
Age unknown.....	2	2					2	2				
Mixed.....	1,182	816	248	79	39	2	1,537	1,004	293	65	169	5
Under 15 years.....	450	448	2				472	470	2			
15 years and over.....	732	368	244	79	39	2	1,065	536	291	65	168	5
15 to 19 years.....	117	117					110	100	8	2		
20 to 24 years.....	90	80	9	10			88	57	16	15		
25 to 29 years.....	80	46	22	12			84	36	31	15	1	1
30 to 34 years.....	62	25	10	17	1		73	23	40	9	1	
35 to 44 years.....	129	35	71	17	5	1	172	65	73	16	16	2
45 to 54 years.....	107	24	62	15	6		178	69	74	6	29	
55 to 64 years.....	86	29	43	7	6	1	154	69	32	2	50	1
65 to 74 years.....	40	7	16	1	18		119	71	15		32	1
75 years and over.....	12	5	2		5		87	46	2		39	
Other colored.....	29	20	5	1	3		11	10	1			
Under 15 years.....	7	7					6	6				
15 years and over.....	22	13	5	1	3		5	4	1			
15 to 19 years.....	1	1					1	1				
20 to 24 years.....	2	2										
25 to 29 years.....							1	1				
30 to 34 years.....	2	1	1				1	1				
35 to 44 years.....												
45 to 54 years.....	2	1		1			1	1				
55 to 64 years.....	4	1	3									
65 to 74 years.....	7	5	1		1		1		1			
75 years and over.....	4	2			2							

TABLE 11.—COUNTRY OF BIRTH OF THE FOREIGN-BORN POPULATION: 1930

COLOR	Total foreign born	England	Irish Free State	Denmark	Belgium	Germany	Lithuania	Italy	India	Central America	South America	Other West Indies	All other
Total.....	4,071	22	8	112	18	11	6	6	12	16	24	3,801	33
White.....	618	16	8	108	18	9	6	5	1	8	2	414	23
Negro.....	3,208	1						1		4	11	3,187	4
Mixed.....	226	5		4		2			2	4	10	195	4
Other colored.....	19								9		1	5	4

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TABLE 12.—YEAR OF IMMIGRATION OF THE FOREIGN-BORN POPULATION: 1930

[Per cent not shown where base is less than 100]

YEAR OF IMMIGRATION	ALL CLASSES		WHITE		NEGRO		MIXED		OTHER COLORED	
	Number	Per cent	Number	Per cent	Number	Per cent	Number	Per cent	Number	Per cent
Total.....	4,071	100.0	618	100.0	3,208	100.0	226	100.0	18	100.0
1930.....	6	0.1	3	0.5	3	0.1				
1929.....	38	0.9	8	1.3	25	0.8	2	2.2		
1928.....	48	1.2	13	2.1	33	1.0	5	0.9		
1927.....	47	1.2	11	1.8	25	0.8	10	4.4		
1925-1926.....	145	3.6	40	7.0	85	2.6	11	4.9	1	
1920-1924.....	631	15.5	149	24.1	430	13.4	52	23.0		
1915-1919.....	580	14.2	74	12.0	471	14.7	35	14.6	2	
1911-1914.....	377	9.3	55	8.9	307	9.6	15	6.6		
1901-1910.....	703	17.3	116	18.8	569	17.7	18	8.0		
1900 and prior.....	1,407	34.6	129	20.9	1,186	37.0	77	34.1	15	
Unknown.....	89	2.2	11	1.8	74	2.3	3	1.3	1	

TABLE 13.—MOTHER TONGUE OF THE FOREIGN-BORN POPULATION: 1930

MOTHER TONGUE	All classes	White	Negro	Mixed	Other colored	MOTHER TONGUE	All classes	White	Negro	Mixed	Other colored
Total.....	4,071	618	3,208	226	19	Germanic:					
English and Celtic.....	3,354	85	3,105	161	3	German.....	16	14			2
Scandinavian:						Dutch.....	18	1	17		
Norwegian.....	2	2				Flemish.....	9	9			
Swedish.....	2	2				Unclassified:					
Danish.....	113	100		4		Syrian.....	1	1			
Latin:						Jewish.....	3	3			
French.....	427	373	20	31	3	Chinese.....	3				3
Italian.....	5	4	1			Unknown.....	23	2	8	3	10
Spanish.....	93	12	56	25							
Portuguese.....	2	1	1								

TABLE 14.—PLACE OF BIRTH OF THE NATIVE POPULATION: 1930

PLACE OF BIRTH	ALL CLASSES	WHITE		NEGRO		MIXED		OTHER COLORED	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
Total.....	17,941	782	610	6,418	7,617	1,085	1,408	12	9
Virgin Islands.....	16,639	386	404	6,313	7,533	797	1,185	12	9
Porto Rico.....	731	46	50	71	71	278	215		
Other outlying possessions.....	18	2	1	3		1	1		
United States, exclusive of outlying possessions.....	536	340	148	27	10	6	5		
New York.....	87	37	22	14	5	5	4		
Pennsylvania.....	57	42	13	1	1				
Massachusetts.....	47	24	21	1			1		
Virginia.....	35	16	14	4	1				
Illinois.....	20	14	6						
Ohio.....	20	16	4						
Maryland.....	17	11	6						
North Carolina.....	17	11	6		1				
Michigan.....	14	14							
Alabama.....	13	12	1						
District of Columbia.....	13	6	7						
New Jersey.....	13	7	3	1	1	1			
South Carolina.....	13	10	2	1					
Georgia.....	10	8	1	1					
Louisiana.....	10	8	2						
Other States.....	150	104	41	4	1				
All other.....	27	8	7	4	3	3	2		

1 Comprises persons born in Panama Canal Zone, Hawaii, Philippine Islands, and American Samoa.

2 Comprises persons born in United States, State not specified.

3 American citizens born abroad.

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TABLE 15.—POPULATION BY AGE, COLOR, NATIVITY, AND SEX, FOR ISLANDS: 1930

ISLAND AND AGE (YEARS)	ALL CLASSES			NATIVE WHITE— NATIVE PARENTAGE		NATIVE WHITE— FOREIGN OR MIXED PARENTAGE		FOREIGN-BORN WHITE		NEGRO		MIXED	
	Total	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
St. Croix.....	11,413	5,441	5,972	97	94	48	52	77	46	4,561	5,031	640	748
Under 5.....	1,053	521	537	15	14	6	9	—	—	423	437	77	77
Under 1.....	187	102	85	3	2	2	2	—	—	84	76	13	15
5 to 9.....	1,215	609	606	15	12	7	4	—	—	603	499	84	91
10 to 14.....	1,180	581	579	5	6	—	3	1	—	493	497	82	73
15 to 19.....	895	437	458	1	5	6	2	—	1	372	385	58	65
20 to 24.....	660	325	335	8	4	3	4	3	1	248	281	63	45
25 to 29.....	634	288	346	11	10	4	4	1	6	220	281	52	45
30 to 34.....	640	299	341	11	7	5	2	8	12	237	290	36	29
35 to 44.....	1,504	695	809	14	17	6	4	20	11	580	700	75	77
45 to 54.....	1,613	804	809	7	10	4	5	18	6	724	713	49	74
55 to 64.....	1,068	515	553	4	6	6	6	17	5	447	461	38	76
65 to 74.....	676	281	395	3	3	1	4	9	4	289	328	22	55
75 and over.....	287	85	202	3	1	—	5	—	—	74	167	4	39
Unknown.....	3	1	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	2	—	—
St. John.....	765	395	370	9	1	5	—	1	2	338	315	42	52
Under 5.....	84	42	42	—	—	—	—	—	—	36	36	0	6
Under 1.....	17	11	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	9	6	—	—
5 to 9.....	91	46	45	—	—	—	—	—	—	45	40	1	5
10 to 14.....	105	57	48	—	—	—	—	—	—	63	39	4	9
15 to 19.....	92	59	33	1	—	—	—	—	—	53	28	5	5
20 to 24.....	67	35	32	3	—	2	—	—	—	26	27	4	5
25 to 29.....	43	18	25	1	—	—	—	—	1	15	22	2	2
30 to 34.....	38	21	17	1	—	—	—	—	—	20	16	—	2
35 to 44.....	65	29	36	1	1	—	—	—	—	25	31	3	4
45 to 54.....	85	40	45	2	—	2	—	1	1	31	36	4	8
55 to 64.....	52	27	25	—	—	—	—	—	—	17	23	10	2
65 to 74.....	29	14	15	—	—	1	—	—	—	11	12	2	3
75 and over.....	14	7	7	—	—	—	—	—	—	6	6	1	1
St. Thomas.....	9,834	4,872	5,462	298	179	325	284	296	196	2,942	4,056	500	759
Under 5.....	1,115	532	583	35	31	66	57	1	—	370	430	67	63
Under 1.....	200	97	103	8	6	11	9	—	—	65	79	13	9
5 to 9.....	1,180	504	616	23	28	56	43	2	3	403	461	78	79
10 to 14.....	1,026	504	522	10	16	54	39	9	2	368	394	61	69
15 to 19.....	866	446	450	29	5	22	28	28	13	312	363	54	40
20 to 24.....	868	421	447	75	12	40	21	27	13	245	363	32	38
25 to 29.....	660	312	378	47	15	25	25	37	25	177	275	26	37
30 to 34.....	561	224	337	20	15	13	15	31	19	134	246	26	42
35 to 44.....	1,162	500	662	33	22	23	23	70	62	323	464	61	91
45 to 54.....	1,023	432	591	10	13	12	10	43	25	307	447	54	96
55 to 64.....	663	271	392	8	6	8	11	26	20	190	279	38	76
65 to 74.....	415	125	290	2	9	4	6	19	8	84	206	16	61
75 and over.....	234	40	194	—	7	2	6	3	6	28	128	7	47
Unknown.....	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—

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TABLE 16.—COMPOSITION OF THE POPULATION, BY ISLANDS: 1930

(Per cent not shown where base is less than 100)

SUBJECT	VIRGIN ISLANDS	St. Croix	St. John	St. Thomas	SUBJECT	VIRGIN ISLANDS	St. Croix	St. John	St. Thomas
SEX, COLOR, ETC.					SCHOOL ATTENDANCE				
Total population.....	22,012	11,413	765	9,834	Total 7 to 13 years, inclusive.....	3,312	1,638	143	1,531
Male.....	10,208	5,441	395	4,372	Number attending school.....	3,186	1,571	135	1,480
Female.....	11,804	5,972	370	5,462	Per cent attending school.....	96.2	95.9	94.4	96.7
Native white.....	1,392	291	16	1,088	Total 14 and 15 years.....	877	489	47	381
Male.....	782	145	14	623	Number attending school.....	862	372	35	255
Female.....	610	146	1	463	Per cent attending school.....	75.5	79.3	70.6	70.6
Native parentage.....	678	101	10	477	Total 16 and 17 years.....	738	335	36	387
Foreign parentage.....	391	36	2	353	Number attending school.....	175	72	11	92
Mixed parentage.....	323	64	3	256	Per cent attending school.....	23.7	21.5	25.1	25.1
Foreign-born white.....	618	123	3	492	Total 18 to 20 years, inclusive.....	1,113	614	44	555
Male.....	374	77	1	296	Number attending school.....	104	85	1	18
Female.....	244	46	2	196	Per cent attending school.....	9.3	16.5	3.2	3.2
Negro.....	17,243	9,692	653	6,998	ILLITERACY				
Male.....	7,841	4,561	333	2,942	Total 10 years old and over.....	17,289	9,140	590	7,539
Female.....	9,402	5,031	315	4,056	Number illiterate.....	2,780	1,721	75	984
Mixed.....	2,719	1,896	94	1,239	Per cent illiterate.....	16.1	18.8	12.7	13.1
Male.....	1,182	640	42	500	Per cent illiterate in 1917.....	24.9	30.7	16.4	20.9
Female.....	1,537	746	52	739	Native white.....	971	209	15	747
Other colored.....	40	21	1	19	Number illiterate.....	37	9	2	26
Per cent native white.....	6.3	2.5	2.0	11.0	Per cent illiterate.....	3.8	4.3	3	3.5
Per cent foreign-born white.....	2.8	1.1	0.4	5.0	Foreign-born white.....	612	123	3	486
Per cent Negro.....	78.3	84.0	85.4	71.2	Number illiterate.....	247	4	—	243
Per cent mixed.....	12.4	12.1	12.8	12.6	Per cent illiterate.....	40.4	3.3	—	50.0
1917: Total population.....	26,051	14,801	959	10,191	Negro.....	13,560	7,730	490	5,334
White.....	1,922	625	4	1,293	Number illiterate.....	2,307	1,500	67	600
Negro.....	19,528	12,238	690	6,595	Per cent illiterate.....	17.0	20.2	11.5	12.9
Mixed.....	4,563	2,016	264	2,283	Mixed.....	2,095	1,057	78	962
Per cent white.....	7.4	4.2	0.4	12.7	Number illiterate.....	177	136	16	25
Per cent Negro.....	74.9	82.1	71.9	64.7	Per cent illiterate.....	8.4	12.9	—	2.6
Per cent mixed.....	17.5	13.5	27.5	22.4	Other colored.....	31	21	—	10
CITIZENSHIP					Number illiterate.....	12	12	—	—
Males 21 years old and over.....	5,609	3,198	184	2,227	MARITAL CONDITION				
Native white—Native parentage.....	250	60	8	182	Males 15 years old and over.....	6,752	3,730	250	2,772
Native white—Foreign or mixed par.....	150	28	4	118	Single.....	3,035	1,640	120	1,275
Foreign-born white.....	327	74	1	252	Married.....	2,365	1,267	84	1,014
Naturalized.....	80	44	—	36	Consensually married.....	942	567	34	341
First papers.....	14	7	—	7	Widowed.....	393	247	12	134
Alien.....	233	23	1	209	Divorced.....	17	9	—	8
Unknown.....	—	—	—	—	Unknown.....	—	—	—	—
Negro.....	4,271	2,697	145	1,429	Females 15 years old and over.....	8,228	4,250	235	3,741
Mixed.....	590	321	26	243	Single.....	3,663	1,712	89	1,862
Other colored.....	21	18	—	3	Married.....	2,458	1,293	83	1,082
Females 21 years old and over.....	7,108	3,725	198	3,187	Consensually married.....	950	571	34	345
Native white—Native parentage.....	154	57	1	96	Widowed.....	1,134	665	27	442
Native white—Foreign or mixed par.....	146	34	—	112	Divorced.....	19	9	1	9
Foreign-born white.....	220	45	2	173	Unknown.....	2	—	1	1
Naturalized.....	27	8	—	19	URBAN AND RURAL				
First papers.....	6	4	—	2	Urban population.....	13,501	6,485	—	7,036
Alien.....	186	33	2	151	Rural population.....	8,511	4,948	765	2,798
Unknown.....	1	—	—	1	1917: Urban population.....	15,485	7,718	—	7,747
Negro.....	5,644	3,153	166	2,325	Rural population.....	10,586	7,183	959	2,444
Mixed.....	940	433	27	480					
Other colored.....	4	3	—	1					

TABLE 17.—COMPOSITION OF THE RURAL POPULATION, BY ISLANDS: 1930

SUBJECT	VIRGIN ISLANDS	St. Croix	St. John	St. Thomas	SUBJECT	VIRGIN ISLANDS	St. Croix	St. John	St. Thomas
SEX, COLOR, ETC.					AGE, ETC.				
Total rural population.....	8,511	4,948	765	2,798	Under 5 years.....	865	434	84	347
Male.....	4,507	2,036	395	1,446	Under 1 year.....	155	71	17	67
Female.....	4,004	2,232	370	1,352	5 to 9 years.....	894	471	91	352
Native white.....	639	138	15	486	10 to 14 years.....	912	491	105	316
Native parentage.....	185	90	10	85	15 to 19 years.....	723	356	92	275
Foreign or mixed parentage.....	454	48	5	401	20 to 24 years.....	535	290	67	202
Foreign-born white.....	439	52	3	384	25 to 29 years.....	400	279	43	177
Negro.....	6,519	4,213	653	1,653	30 to 34 years.....	510	314	38	158
Mixed.....	881	550	94	297	35 to 44 years.....	1,181	762	65	354
Other colored.....	33	15	—	18	45 to 54 years.....	1,167	734	85	233
CITIZENSHIP					55 to 64 years.....	714	465	62	197
Males 21 years old and over.....	2,619	1,699	184	736	65 to 74 years.....	366	241	29	86
Native white.....	113	37	12	64	75 years and over.....	151	82	14	55
Foreign-born white.....	237	38	1	195	Unknown.....	4	3	—	1
Naturalized.....	31	24	—	7	Total 10 years old and over.....	6,752	4,043	590	2,119
Negro.....	2,006	1,450	145	411	Number illiterate.....	1,547	993	75	479
Mixed.....	247	161	26	60	Per cent illiterate.....	22.9	24.6	12.7	22.6
Females 21 years old and over.....	2,352	1,419	198	737	Males 15 years old and over.....	3,100	1,931	250	819
Native white.....	101	35	1	65	Single.....	1,357	850	120	387
Foreign-born white.....	142	12	2	128	Married.....	1,103	625	84	394
Naturalized.....	6	5	—	1	Consensually married.....	1,456	344	34	178
Negro.....	1,893	1,263	166	404	Females 15 years old and over.....	1,740	1,621	235	934
Mixed.....	213	107	27	79	Single.....	661	545	89	327
					Married.....	998	653	83	362
					Consensually married.....	453	340	34	71

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TABLE 18.—COMPOSITION OF THE POPULATION, FOR CITIES OF 2,500 OR MORE: 1930

SUBJECT	Christiansted	Frederiksted	St. Thomas	SUBJECT	Christiansted	Frederiksted	St. Thomas
SEX, COLOR, ETC.				AGE, ETC.			
Total population.....	3,767	2,698	7,086	Under 5 years.....	375	249	788
Male.....	1,010	1,165	2,926	Under 1 year.....	75	51	139
Female.....	2,157	1,633	4,110	5 to 9 years.....	403	341	848
Native white.....	117	36	600	10 to 14 years.....	384	285	710
Native parentage.....	76	26	392	15 to 19 years.....	302	237	621
Foreign or mixed parentage.....	42	10	208	20 to 24 years.....	240	154	666
Foreign-born white.....	47	24	108	25 to 29 years.....	200	146	513
Negro.....	3,129	2,253	5,345	30 to 34 years.....	173	183	403
Mixed.....	475	381	982	35 to 44 years.....	445	297	808
Other colored.....	2	4	1	45 to 54 years.....	505	324	735
CITIZENSHIP				55 to 64 years.....	360	243	460
Males 21 years old and over.....	888	611	1,401	65 to 74 years.....	284	171	319
Native white.....	35	10	236	75 years and over.....	107	98	179
Foreign-born white.....	25	11	54	Total 10 years old and over.....	2,989	2,108	5,420
Naturalized.....	13	7	29	Number illiterate.....	319	409	505
Negro.....	734	513	1,018	Per cent illiterate.....	10.7	19.4	9.3
Mixed.....	92	68	183	Males 15 years old and over.....	1,057	742	1,858
Females 21 years old and over.....	1,360	946	2,460	Single.....	438	352	888
Native white.....	43	13	143	Married.....	387	255	620
Foreign-born white.....	20	13	45	Consensually married.....	148	75	203
Naturalized.....	2	1	18	Females 15 years old and over.....	1,548	1,081	2,857
Negro.....	1,101	789	1,861	Single.....	672	495	1,535
Mixed.....	196	130	401	Married.....	449	291	720
				Consensually married.....	153	78	206

TABLE 19.—DWELLINGS AND FAMILIES, URBAN AND RURAL, 1930 AND 1917; AND TENURE OF HOMES, URBAN AND RURAL, 1930

AREA AND CENSUS YEAR		Total population	Number of dwellings	Number of families	Persons to a dwelling	Persons to a family	TENURE OF HOMES ¹		
							Owned	Rented	Unknown
Virgin Islands.....	1930.....	22,012	4,784	8,015	4.6	2.7	1,587	6,422	6
	1917.....	20,051	5,858	9,568	4.4	2.7			
Urban.....	1930.....	13,501	2,711	4,940	5.0	2.7	810	4,126	4
	1917.....	15,465	2,748	5,606	5.6	2.8			
Rural.....	1930.....	8,511	2,073	3,075	4.1	2.8	777	2,296	2
	1917.....	10,586	3,110	3,962	3.4	2.7			
St. Croix Island.....	1930.....	11,413	2,420	4,545	4.7	2.5	508	4,033	4
	1917.....	14,901	3,829	6,104	3.9	2.4			
Christiansted city.....	1930.....	3,767	842	1,431	4.5	2.5	260	1,221	
	1917.....	4,574	920	1,856	5.0	2.5			
Frederiksted city.....	1930.....	2,698	499	1,048	5.4	2.6	157	888	3
	1917.....	3,144	711	1,250	4.4	2.5			
Rural.....	1930.....	4,048	1,079	2,016	4.6	2.5	91	1,924	1
	1917.....	7,183	2,198	2,089	3.3	2.4			
St. John Island (rural).....	1930.....	765	198	217	3.9	3.5	145	72	
	1917.....	659	229	280	4.2	3.7			
St. Thomas Island.....	1930.....	9,834	2,188	3,253	4.5	3.0	934	2,317	2
	1917.....	10,191	1,800	3,204	5.7	3.2			
St. Thomas city.....	1930.....	7,036	1,370	2,411	5.1	2.9	393	2,017	1
	1917.....	7,747	1,117	2,491	6.9	3.1			
Rural.....	1930.....	2,798	798	842	3.5	3.3	541	300	1
	1917.....	2,444	683	713	3.6	3.4			

¹ Data not available for 1917.

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TABLE 20.—PERSONS 10 YEARS OLD AND OVER ENGAGED IN GAINFUL OCCUPATIONS, BY SEX, COLOR, AND INDUSTRY GROUPS, URBAN AND RURAL: 1930

[Per cent not shown where less than 0.1 or where base is less than 100]

INDUSTRY GROUP	Total	Male	Female	PER CENT DISTRIBUTION		WHITE		NEGRO		MIXED		OTHER COLORED		URBAN		RURAL	
				Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
Total population	22,012	10,208	11,804			1,150	854	7,841	2,402	1,192	1,537	29	11	5,701	7,900	4,507	4,004
Persons 10 years old and over	17,269	7,894	9,375			930	653	6,061	7,499	879	1,216	24	7	4,300	6,217	3,594	3,158
Gainful workers (persons reporting a gainful occupation)	9,981	5,914	4,067			704	103	4,474	3,435	632	387	14	2	3,167	2,806	2,747	1,261
Per cent of total population	45.3	57.9	34.5			68.7	22.6	37.1	37.1	53.5	25.2			55.6	36.0	60.9	31.5
Per cent of population 10 years old and over	57.8	74.9	43.4			85.4	29.6	73.8	46.5	71.9	31.8			73.7	45.1	76.4	30.9
GAINFUL WORKERS																	
All industries	9,981	5,914	4,067	100.0	100.0	704	103	4,474	3,435	632	387	14	2	3,167	2,806	2,747	1,261
Agriculture																	
Farmers (owners and tenants)	2,944	2,211	733	37.4	18.0	158	4	1,851	720	197	9	7		485	113	1,746	620
Farm managers and foremen	401	340	55	5.0	1.4	48	2	270	49	19	4			117	17	229	38
Farm laborers	86	83	3	1.4	0.1	10		55	2	12	1			4		79	3
Other occupations	2,440	1,765	675	29.8	16.6	90	2	1,603	669	165	4	7		338	96	1,427	579
	17	17		0.3		2		14		1				6		11	
Fishing	374	360	5	6.2	0.1	100		244	4	25	1			167	3	202	2
Manufacturing and mechanical industries																	
Building industry	1,703	1,177	526	19.9	12.9	41	97	1,004	311	128	117	4	1	310	364	367	182
Independent hand trades	516	511	5	8.0	0.1	9	1	454	4	43				308	5	113	
Chemical and allied industries	419	107	312	1.8	7.7	3	14	92	194	12	104			88	260	19	52
Cigar and tobacco factories	67	54	3	0.9	0.1	1		50	3	2		1		10		35	3
Sugar mills	13	12	1	0.2				5	1	7				11		1	
Clothing industries	190	183	7	3.1	0.2	8	1	162	6	13				55	1	128	6
Food industries	55	53	2	0.9				46		6	2	1		49	2	4	
Bakeries	162	65	97	1.1	2.4			58	88	7	10	1		52	87	13	10
Slaughter and packing houses	187	48	89	0.8	2.2			42	79	6	9	1		39	79	9	10
Other food and allied industries	5	5		0.1				4		1				4		1	
Bay rum factories	20	12	8	0.2	0.2			12	7		1			9	8	3	
Automobile repair shops	17	13	4	0.2	0.1	3		9	4	1				9	4	4	
Iron and steel industries	3	3		0.1		1				2				3			
Metal industries (except iron and steel)	12	12		0.2		1		8		3				11		1	
Leather industries	5	5		0.1				1		4				4		1	
Woodworking and furniture industries	21	21		0.4				18		2		1		8		13	
Printing, publishing, and engraving	42	25	17	0.4	0.4		10	21	7	4				20	5	5	17
Textile industries, knitting, sails, etc.	20	19	1	0.3				14		5	1			15	1	4	
Other manufacturing industries	5	5		0.1		1		3		1				3		2	
	166	89	77	1.5	1.9	14	71	63	6	11		1		66	3	24	74
Transportation																	
Construction and maintenance of streets, etc.	656	587	69	9.9	1.7	32	1	498	55	56	13	1		461	63	126	6
Garages, greasing stations, etc.	19	18	1	0.3				18	1					15	1	3	
Postal service	26	26		0.4		1		19		5		1		24		2	
Steam railroads	19	13	6	0.2	0.1	2	1	7		4	5			9	6	4	
Telegraph and telephone	2	2				1		1						1		1	
Other transportation and communication	50	38	12	0.6	0.3	7		18	4	13	8			31	12	7	
	540	490	50	8.3	1.2	21		435	50	34				381	44	109	6
Trade																	
Banking, insurance, and real estate	784	424	360	7.2	8.9	90	17	218	275	116	83			333	317	91	43
Banking and brokerage	39	32	7	0.5	0.2	12	3	8	2	12	2			28	7	4	
Insurance and real estate	30	24	6	0.4	0.1	10	3	6	1	8	2			22	6	2	
Automobile agencies and filling stations	9	8	1	0.1		2		2	1	4				6	1	2	
Wholesale and retail trade (except automobiles)	1	1								1				1			
Other trade industries	742	389	353	6.6	8.7	78	14	210	273	101	66			302	310	87	43
	2	2								2				2			
Public service (not elsewhere classified)																	
Professional service	590	575	15	9.7	0.4	284	6	226	6	63	3	2		505	14	70	1
Recreation and amusement	447	180	257	3.2	6.3	80	48	109	153	21	56			148	215	42	42
Other professional and semiprofessional service	15	7	8	0.1	0.2	1	1	4	1	2	6			4	8	3	
	432	183	249	3.1	6.1	59	47	105	152	19	50			144	207	39	42
Domestic and personal service																	
Hotels, restaurants, boarding houses, etc.	2,310	223	2,087	3.8	51.3	22	20	182	1,949	19	117		1	151	1,704	72	363
Laundries and cleaning and pressing shops	61	20	35	0.4	0.9	6	1	16	25	4	9			23	30	3	6
Other domestic and personal service	8	3	5	0.1	0.1			3	4		1			1	5	2	
	2,241	194	2,047	3.3	60.3	16	19	163	1,920	15	107		1	127	1,660	87	378
Industry not specified	173	158	15	2.7	0.4	9		142	12	7	3			127	13	31	2

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TABLE 21.—PERSONS 10 YEARS OLD AND OVER ENGAGED IN GAINFUL OCCUPATIONS, BY SEX AND INDUSTRY GROUPS, FOR ISLANDS: 1930

INDUSTRY GROUP	VIRGIN ISLANDS			ST. CROIX		ST. JOHN		ST. THOMAS	
	Total	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
ALL GAINFUL WORKERS									
All industries.....	9,981	5,914	4,067	3,269	2,156	218	86	2,427	1,625
Agriculture.....	2,944	2,211	733	1,749	698	106	7	356	28
Farmers (owners and tenants).....	401	346	55	240	43	19	2	87	10
Farm managers and foremen.....	86	83	3	65	1	7	1	11	1
Farm laborers.....	2,440	1,765	675	1,428	654	80	4	257	17
Other occupations.....	17	17		16				1	
Fishing.....	374	369	5	196	4	35		138	1
Building industry.....	516	511	5	242	2	9		280	3
Independent hand trades.....	419	107	312	54	124	1	9	52	179
Chemical and allied industries.....	57	54	3	31	1	6	2	17	
Cigar and tobacco factories.....	13	12	1	8				4	1
Sugar mills.....	190	183	7	182	7			1	
Clothing industries.....	55	53	2	24	1			20	1
Food industries.....	162	65	97	24	62		8	41	32
Bay rum factories.....	17	13	4					13	4
Automobile agency and repair shops.....	4			3				1	
Iron and steel industries.....	12	12		7				5	
Leather industries.....	21	21		18				3	
Woodworking and furniture industries.....	42	25	17	12		2	6	11	11
Printing, publishing, and engraving.....	20	19	1	11	1			8	
Other manufacturing industries.....	171	94	77	87	1	1		56	70
Construction and maintenance of streets, etc.....	19	18	1	13	1			5	
Garages, greasing stations, etc.....	26	26		3				23	
Postal service.....	19	13	6	8	3			5	3
Telegraph and telephone.....	50	38	12	20	5			18	7
Other transportation and communication.....	542	492	50	110		38		344	50
Banking, brokerage, insurance, and real estate.....	30	32	7	12				20	7
Wholesale and retail trade (except automobiles).....	749	396	353	136	156		1	260	196
Public service (not elsewhere classified).....	590	575	15	111	5	7	1	457	9
Professional service.....	447	190	257	110	131	5	11	75	115
Hotels, restaurants, boarding houses, etc.....	61	26	35	3	13			23	22
Laundries and cleaning and pressing shops.....	8	3	5					3	5
Other domestic and personal service.....	2,241	194	2,047	104	939	8	45	82	1,063
Industry not specified.....	173	158	15	41	2		1	117	12

TABLE 22.—UNEMPLOYMENT RETURNS, BY INDUSTRY GROUPS: 1930

[Per cent not shown where base is less than 100]

SEX AND INDUSTRY GROUP	Number of gainful workers on salary, wage, or commission	GAINFUL WORKERS UNEMPLOYED		SEX AND INDUSTRY GROUP	Number of gainful workers on salary, wage, or commission	GAINFUL WORKERS UNEMPLOYED	
		Number	Per cent of gainful workers			Number	Per cent of gainful workers
All industries.....	7,224	343	4.7	Manufacturing and mechanical industries.....	915	79	8.6
Male.....	4,537	192	4.2	Transportation.....	597	32	5.4
Female.....	2,687	151	5.6	Trade.....	388	11	2.8
Agriculture.....	2,538	58	2.3	Public service (not elsewhere classified).....	589	10	1.7
Fishing.....	7	1		Professional service.....	401	5	1.2
				Domestic and personal service.....	1,623	131	8.1
				Industry not specified.....	166	16	9.6

TABLE 23.—UNEMPLOYMENT RETURNS, BY SEX AND PERIOD OF IDLENESS, URBAN AND RURAL: 1930

SEX AND AREA	Total population	Number of gainful workers on salary, wage, or commission	GAINFUL WORKERS UNEMPLOYED											
			Number	Per cent of gainful workers	Period of idleness									
					Under 1 week	1 to 4 weeks	5 to 8 weeks	9 to 13 weeks	14 to 26 weeks	27 to 39 weeks	40 to 52 weeks	53 to 104 weeks	105 weeks and over	Unknown
Virgin Islands.....	22,012	7,224	343	4.7	5	103	74	42	62	24	20	7	3	3
Urban.....	13,501	4,017	225	5.6	4	63	54	28	42	18	11	2	1	2
Rural.....	8,511	3,207	118	3.7	1	40	20	14	20	6	9	5	2	1
Males.....	10,208	4,537	192	4.2	3	60	41	22	41	9	6	6	3	1
St. Croix Island.....	5,441	2,566	68	2.7	2	21	19	7	10	4	3	1	1	
Christiansted.....	1,610	629	24	3.8	2	11	3	2	5	1				
Frederiksted.....	1,165	446	28	6.3		5	11	2	4		2		1	
Rural.....	2,606	1,491	16	1.1		5	5	3	1		1			
St. John Island (rural).....	305	152	7	4.6	1	1	2		1		1			1
St. Thomas Island.....	4,372	1,819	117	6.4		38	20	15	30	5	3	4	2	
St. Thomas.....	2,926	57	67	4.6		15	14	9	16	2	2	1		
Rural.....	1,446	560	60	10.7		23	6	6	14	3	3	3	2	
Females.....	11,804	2,687	151	5.6	2	43	33	20	21	15	14	1		2
St. Croix Island.....	5,972	1,443	76	5.3	1	17	19	9	9	8	11	1		1
Christiansted.....	2,157	366	12	3.3	1	6	3		1					1
Frederiksted.....	1,533	338	48	14.2		8	11	7	8		7	1		
Rural.....	2,282	739	16	2.2		3	5	2		1	5			
St. John Island (rural).....	370	46												
St. Thomas Island.....	5,462	1,168	75	6.3	1	26	14	11	12	7	3			1
St. Thomas.....	4,110	979	56	5.7		18	12	8	8	5	3			1
Rural.....	1,352	219	19	8.7		8	2	3	4	2				

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NUMBER OF FARMS, ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND LIVESTOCK

Census dates.—The census of 1930 relates to April 1 of that year, the date of the Fifteenth Census of the United States, and to the crop year 1929. The census of 1917 relates to November 1 of that year.

Farm.—A "farm," for census purposes, is all the land which is directly farmed by one person, either by his own labor alone or with the assistance of members of his household or hired employees. The land operated by a partnership is likewise considered a farm. A "farm" may consist of a single tract of land, or of a number of separate tracts, and these several tracts may be held under different tenures, as when one tract is owned by the farmer and another tract is rented by him. When a landowner has one or more tenants, renters, or managers, the land operated by each is considered a farm. Thus on a plantation the land operated by each cropper or tenant was reported as a separate farm, and the land operated by the owner or manager by means of wage hands likewise was reported as a separate farm.

The enumerators were instructed not to report as a farm any tract of land of less than 3 acres, unless its products in 1929 were valued at \$100 or more, or unless it required the continuous services of at least one person.

Farm operator.—A "farm operator," according to the census definition, is a person who operates a farm, either performing the labor himself or directly supervising it.

Color of farm operator.—Farm operators are classified as white or colored, the colored including Negroes, persons of mixed white and Negro blood, and all other nonwhite races.

Tenure.—Farm operators are divided, according to the tenure under which they operate their farms, into four general classes, as follows:

Full owners are farm operators who own all the land which they operate.

Part owners are farm operators who own part of the land which they operate, and rent and operate additional land. Part owners, therefore, have some of the characteristics of full owners and some of the characteristics of tenants.

Managers are farm operators who operate farms or ranches for the owners, receiving wages or salaries for their services.

Tenants are farm operators who operate hired land only.

Land in farms.—The acreage designated as "All land in farms" includes considerable areas of land not ac-

tually under cultivation and some not even used for pasture, since each farmer was asked to report as a unit all the land under his control, or rather all the land which he thought of as part of his farm. Isolated tracts of timberland and other areas not connected with the farm were not included. The following classes of farm land are shown separately:

1. **Improved land.**—Under this heading are reported all land regularly tilled or mowed; land in pastures that has been cleared or tilled; land lying fallow; land in gardens and orchards; and land occupied by buildings, yards, and barnyards.

2. **Woodland.**—Under this heading are reported all farm woodlots, natural or planted, and cut-over land with young growth.

3. **Unimproved land.**—Under this heading is reported all land not improved or in woodland.

Farm values.—The farmer was asked to report, first, the total value of his farm (land and buildings), including all the land which he operated, both owned and hired, whether operated for himself or managed for others. He was asked to give the current market value—that is, the amount for which the farm would sell under normal conditions, not at forced sale. The tabulated results of this inquiry are shown as value of "land and buildings" and represent the total value of farm real estate.

The farmer was also asked to report the value of all farm buildings on his farm. These values were necessarily estimated, and the figures obtained are probably somewhat less satisfactory than the figures for the total real estate value.

Farm debt represents the mortgage indebtedness on farms operated by the owners. As information concerning mortgage debt was not secured in 1917, no comparison can be made with that year.

The value of farm implements and machinery is the combined value of automobiles, trucks, tractors, tools, wagons, harnesses, dairy equipment, and all other farm machinery. The value of commercial mills and factories located on the farm was not included.

Livestock.—In this bulletin are presented statistics for eight classes of livestock on farms, namely, horses, mules, asses and burros, cattle, sheep, goats, swine, and chickens. Cattle are divided into three classes—calves under 1 year old; cows and heifers 2 years old and over, kept mainly for milk; and all other cattle, under which are reported work oxen, beef cattle, and cows and heifers 1 to 2 years old.

In the tables presenting statistics for livestock not on farms seven classes are shown, namely, horses, mules, asses and burros, cattle, sheep, goats, and swine.

Statistics are also presented for three classes of pure-bred animals on farms—horses, cattle, and swine.

Chickens and chicken eggs.—Statistics concerning chickens on farms in 1930, chickens raised in 1929, and chicken eggs produced and sold in 1929 are given, together with certain comparative figures for 1917.

Bees.—Data concerning the number of colonies of bees on farms and not on farms also appear in this bulletin. In a few instances the keeping of bees was the main occupation of the operator.

Acreage and production of crops.—The acreage and production for all crops secured in the census of 1930

relate to the crop year 1929. The acreage shown for the crops represents the acreage harvested, which is sometimes less than the acreage planted. The low production of certain crops is largely accounted for by the hurricane of 1928 and the continued drought. The production represents the quantity actually harvested.

Fruits and nuts.—Data with regard to tropical fruit and nut trees are presented in this bulletin. The production and the number of trees and plants are shown, but the acreage could not be ascertained.

General.—The following tables record the detailed statistics of farm operation, including the number and value of farms, farm acreage, production, and number and varieties of livestock on farms and in inclosures, as obtained in the census of 1930:

TABLE 24.—NUMBER OF FARMS, FARM ACREAGE, AND SPECIFIED FARM VALUES, BY ISLANDS: 1930

ISLAND	Number of farms April 1, 1930	ALL LAND IN FARMS, APRIL 1, 1930, CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO USE IN 1929				SPECIFIED FARM VALUES, APRIL 1, 1930		
		All land in farms	Improved land	Wood-land	Unimproved land	Farm land and buildings	All farm buildings	Farm implements and machinery
		Acres	Acres	Acres	Acres	Dollars	Dollars	Dollars
Total.....	329	63,322	24,774	20,745	22,803	2,400,711	666,194	73,119
St. Croix.....	193	47,150	19,352	9,994	17,804	1,934,790	538,670	61,733
St. John.....	55	10,316	2,555	5,333	2,428	109,123	33,130	4,953
St. Thomas.....	81	10,856	2,867	5,418	2,571	356,798	94,388	6,433

TABLE 25.—FARMS AND FARM PROPERTY: 1930 AND 1917

ITEM	1930	1917	ITEM	1930	1917
FARMS AND FARM PROPERTY			LIVESTOCK		
Farms, total.....	329	430	Total.....	number.....	23,178
Operated by—			Horses.....	number.....	862
Owners.....	177	(1) 127	Mules.....	number.....	904
Full owners.....	146	(1)	Asses and burros.....	number.....	523
Part owners.....	31	(1)	Cattle.....	number.....	12,252
Managers.....	59	56	Milk cows.....	number.....	4,726
Tenants.....	93	247	Sheep.....	number.....	1,533
Approximate land area of Virgin Islands.....	64,781	84,781	Goats.....	number.....	1,476
Land in farms, total.....	63,322	60,892	Swine.....	number.....	860
In farms operated by—			Chickens.....	number.....	3,331
Owners.....	37,190	33,890	Bees.....	colonies.....	345
Managers.....	29,039	32,290	Pure-bred (registered) animals, total.....	number.....	55
Tenants.....	2,093	3,712	Horses.....	number.....	0
Value of farm property:			Cattle.....	number.....	42
Land and buildings.....	2,400,711	3,017,341	Swine.....	number.....	4
Land (excluding buildings).....	1,734,517	2,402,501		farms reporting.....	1
Buildings.....	666,194	614,840			
Implements and machinery.....	73,119	106,649			

¹ Not reported separately in 1917.

² Not reported in 1917.

TABLE 26.—SPECIFIED CROPS, 1929 AND 1917; AND VEGETABLES HARVESTED FOR SALE, 1929

ITEM	1929	1917	ITEM	1929	1917
SPECIFIED CROPS			SPECIFIED VEGETABLES HARVESTED FOR SALE		
Corn.....	20	25	Cabbages.....	acres.....	4
Guinea grass.....	139	177	Carrots.....	acres.....	3
Other grasses.....	594	7,244	Okra.....	acres.....	3
Sugarcane.....	601,120	8,138,040	Onions.....	acres.....	20
Sweetpotatoes.....	38	560	Tomatoes.....	acres.....	10
Tanya.....	41,000	280,291			
	5,823	8,685			
	50,405	84,129			
	22	(1)			
	677	(1)			
	15	(1)			
	813	(1)			

¹ Not reported separately in 1917.

TABLE 27.—FARMS AND FARM ACREAGE, 1930 AND 1917, AND CROP LAND HARVESTED, 1929, BY TENURE OF FARM OPERATOR; AND MAIN OCCUPATION OF OPERATOR AS RELATED TO AGRICULTURE, 1930

ITEM	Total	St. Croix	St. John	St. Thomas	ITEM	Total	St. Croix	St. John	St. Thomas
FARMS AND FARM OPERATORS					FARMS AND FARM ACREAGE, BY TENURE				
Farms.....1930..number..	329	193	55	81	Farm operators, by tenure:				
.....1917..number..	430	341	26	63	Full owners.....1930..number..	146	89	20	28
Farm operators, by color:					1917..number..	127	89	15	23
White.....1930..number..	90	57	5	28	Part owners.....1930..number..	31	2	0	20
.....1917..number..	102	77	5	20	1917..number..	(¹)			
Colored ¹ 1930..number..	239	136	60	53	Managers.....1930..number..	59	33	14	12
.....1917..number..	328	264	21	43	1917..number..	56	40	9	7
Farm operators, by main occupation as related to agriculture:					Tenants.....1930..number..	93	69	3	21
Agriculturist.....1930..number..	220	136	23	61	1917..number..	247	212	2	33
Nonagriculturist.....1930..number..	109	57	32	20					
FARM ACREAGE AND LAND AREA					All land in farms, by tenure:				
Approximate land area.....1930.....acres..	84,781	53,920	12,781	18,080	Full owners.....1930.....acres..	23,585	20,777	3,156	4,652
Per cent in farms.....	80.6	87.4	80.7	60.0	1917.....acres..	33,890	25,734	3,558	4,598
All land in farms.....1930.....acres..	68,322	47,150	10,316	10,856	Part owners.....1930.....acres..	8,605	4,831	1,655	2,110
.....1917.....acres..	69,892	49,206	10,003	10,683	1917.....acres..	(¹)			
Of white operators.....1930.....acres..	39,642	33,555	368	6,719	Managers.....1930.....acres..	20,039	20,173	5,112	3,754
.....1917.....acres..	47,808				1917.....acres..	32,290	21,629	5,992	4,609
Of colored operators ¹ 1930.....acres..	28,680	13,595	9,948	5,137	Tenants.....1930.....acres..	2,003	1,369	393	331
.....1917.....acres..	22,024				1917.....acres..	3,712	1,843	463	1,416
Average size of farm.....1930.....acres..	207.7	244.3	187.6	134.0	Crop land harvested, by tenure:				
.....1917.....acres..	162.5	144.3	334.7	169.6	Full owners.....1929.....acres..	1,821	1,324	64	433
Farm land according to use:					Part owners.....1929.....acres..	98		7	91
Crop land.....1929.....acres..	6,895	6,200	92	594	Managers.....1929.....acres..	4,699	4,640	15	44
.....1917.....acres..	(²)				Tenants.....1929.....acres..	277	245	6	26
Woodland.....1929.....acres..	20,745	9,904	5,333	5,418					
.....1917.....acres..	(²)								
All other land in farms.....1929.....acres..	40,682	30,947	4,891	4,844					
.....1917.....acres..	(²)								

¹ Includes Negroes, persons of mixed white and Negro blood, and all other nonwhite races.
² Data available in total only.

¹ Data not available.
² Included with full owners in 1917.

TABLE 27.—SUPPLEMENTAL.—FARM OPERATORS AND FARM ACREAGE, 1930 AND 1917, AND CROP LAND HARVESTED, 1929, BY COLOR AND TENURE OF FARM OPERATOR

ITEM	Total	St. Croix	St. John	St. Thomas	ITEM	Total	St. Croix	St. John	St. Thomas
Farm operators, total.....1930..number..					Land in farms, total—Continued.				
.....1917..number..	430	341	26	63	Part owners.....White.....1930.....acres..	5,239	4,627	38	574
Full owners.....White.....1930..number..	51	34	3	14	1917.....acres..	(¹)			
.....1917..number..	59	45	3	11	Colored.....1930.....acres..	3,366	204	1,617	1,545
Colored.....1930..number..	95	55	26	14	1917.....acres..	(¹)			
.....1917..number..	68	44	12	12	Managers.....White.....1930.....acres..	15,106	13,218		1,888
Part owners.....White.....1930..number..	10	1	1	8	1917.....acres..	21,219			
.....1917..number..	(¹)				Colored.....1930.....acres..	13,933	6,955	5,112	1,866
Colored.....1930..number..	21	1	8	12	1917.....acres..	11,071			
.....1917..number..	(¹)				Tenants.....White.....1930.....acres..	290	126	40	130
Managers.....White.....1930..number..	23	20		3	1917.....acres..	1,826			
.....1917..number..	34	30	2	2	Colored.....1930.....acres..	1,797	1,243	353	201
Colored.....1930..number..	36	13	14	9	1917.....acres..	1,880			
.....1917..number..	22	10	7	5	Crop land harvested, total.....1929.....acres..	6,895	6,200	92	594
Tenants.....White.....1930..number..	6	2	1	3	Full owners.....White.....1929.....acres..	1,506	1,070	46	390
.....1917..number..	9	2		7	Colored.....1929.....acres..	315	254	18	48
Colored.....1930..number..	87	67	2	18	Part owners.....White.....1929.....acres..	8			8
.....1917..number..	238	210	2	26	Colored.....1929.....acres..	90		7	83
Land in farms, total.....1930.....acres..	68,322	47,150	10,316	10,856	Managers.....White.....1929.....acres..	3,266	3,263		3
.....1917.....acres..	69,892	49,206	10,003	10,683	Colored.....1929.....acres..	1,433	1,377	15	41
Full owners.....White.....1930.....acres..	19,001	15,584	290	3,127	Tenants.....White.....1929.....acres..	14	5	3	6
.....1917.....acres..	24,823				Colored.....1929.....acres..	263	240	3	20
Colored.....1930.....acres..	9,584	5,198	2,866	1,525					
.....1917.....acres..	9,067								

¹ Included with full owners in 1917.

¹ Data available in total only.

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TABLE 28.—FARMS AND FARM ACREAGE, 1930 AND 1917, AND CROP LAND HARVESTED, 1929, BY SIZE OF FARM

ITEM	Total	St. Croix	St. John	St. Thomas	ITEM	Total	St. Croix	St. John	St. Thomas
FARMS AND FARM ACREAGE, BY SIZE					FARMS AND FARM ACREAGE, BY SIZE—Continued				
Farms, by size:					All land in farms, by size of farm—Continued.				
Under 3 acres.....1930.....number.....8	(1)			8	50 to 99 acres.....1930.....acres.....979	374	407	108	
1917.....number.....114		77	15	22	100 to 174 acres.....1917.....acres.....1,309				
3 to 9 acres.....1930.....number.....249		221	2	26	1930.....acres.....1,920	1,124	285	520	
1917.....number.....34		17	7	10	1917.....acres.....2,468				
10 to 19 acres.....1930.....number.....19		13	2	4	175 to 259 acres.....1930.....acres.....6,530	3,410	1,521	1,500	
1917.....number.....35		10	10	15	260 to 499 acres.....1917.....acres.....13,811	10,240	1,261	2,310	
20 to 49 acres.....1930.....number.....18		12	2	4	1917.....acres.....21,084				
1917.....number.....15		6	6	3	500 to 999 acres.....1930.....acres.....20,018	13,604	2,560	3,524	
50 to 99 acres.....1917.....number.....19		7	5	7	1917.....acres.....18,767				
100 to 174 acres.....1930.....number.....14		8	2	4	1,000 to 4,999 acres.....1930.....acres.....22,968	17,436	3,882	1,651	
1917.....number.....17		11	2	4	1917.....acres.....24,710				
175 to 259 acres.....1930.....number.....28		14	7	7	5,000 acres and over.....1930.....acres.....				
260 to 499 acres.....1917.....number.....39	(3)	30	3	6	1917.....acres.....				
1917.....number.....65		45	7	13					
500 to 999 acres.....1930.....number.....28		20	3	5	Crop land harvested, by size of farm:				
1917.....number.....27		21	2	4	Under 3 acres.....1929.....acres.....9				9
1,000 to 4,999 acres.....1930.....number.....14		11	2	1	3 to 9 acres.....1929.....acres.....198	159	9	30	
1917.....number.....16		11	4	1	10 to 19 acres.....1929.....acres.....76	37	2	37	
5,000 acres and over.....1930.....number.....					20 to 49 acres.....1929.....acres.....53	19	9	25	
1917.....number.....					50 to 99 acres.....1929.....acres.....36	8	2	20	
					100 to 174 acres.....1929.....acres.....20	10	5	5	
					175 to 259 acres.....1929.....acres.....374	270	53	51	
					260 to 499 acres.....1929.....acres.....1,293	1,229	9	55	
					500 to 999 acres.....1929.....acres.....3,251	2,892	3	350	
					1,000 to 4,999 acres.....1929.....acres.....1,585	1,585			
					5,000 acres and over.....1929.....acres.....				

¹ Included in farms 3 to 9 acres in 1917.² Included in farms 200 to 499 acres in 1917.³ Data available in total only.

TABLE 29.—VALUE OF FARM LAND AND BUILDINGS, AND IMPLEMENTS AND MACHINERY, 1930 AND 1917, BY TENURE OF FARM OPERATOR

ITEM	Total	St. Croix	St. John	St. Thomas	ITEM	Total	St. Croix	St. John	St. Thomas
Value of land and buildings, total.					Values, by tenure of farm operator:				
1930.....dollars.....2,400,711	1,934,790	109,123	356,798		Land and buildings—				
1917.....dollars.....3,017,341	2,468,531	132,790	416,020		Full owners.....1930.....dollars.....1,095,180	875,016	37,100	182,963	
Land (excluding build- 1930.....dollars.....1,734,517	1,300,114	75,993	262,410		1917.....dollars.....1,160,277	950,677	42,370	176,330	
ings). 1917.....dollars.....2,402,501	1,990,467	94,675	317,359		Part owners.....1930.....dollars.....141,312	62,500	15,725	63,087	
Buildings.....1930.....dollars.....696,194	538,676	33,180	94,388		1917.....dollars.....(2)				
1917.....dollars.....614,840	478,064	33,115	98,661		Managers.....1930.....dollars.....1,073,356	925,940	50,948	96,468	
Average value:					1917.....dollars.....1,704,935	1,467,015	85,070	160,050	
Land and build- 1930.....dollars.....7,207	10,025	1,984	4,405		Tenants.....1930.....dollars.....90,854	71,334	5,260	14,260	
ings, per farm. 1917.....dollars.....7,017	7,239	5,107	6,603		1917.....dollars.....143,120	60,039	4,350	78,740	
Land and build- 1930.....dollars.....35.14	41.03	10.58	32.87		Implements and machinery—				
ings, per acre. 1917.....dollars.....43.17	50.17	13.28	33.04		Full owners.....1930.....dollars.....29,298	24,790	2,823	1,889	
Value of implements and 1930.....dollars.....73,119	61,733	4,953	6,433		1917.....dollars.....910	600		410	
machinery. 1917.....dollars.....106,649	100,612	2,931	3,106		Part owners.....1930.....dollars.....39,776	33,783	2,110	3,883	
Value, by color of farm operator:					Managers.....1930.....dollars.....3,135	2,660	15	460	
Land and buildings—					Tenants.....1930.....dollars.....				
White.....1930.....dollars.....1,037,150	1,447,390	9,325	180,435						
1917.....dollars.....1,431,195									
Colored.....1930.....dollars.....763,561	487,400	99,798	176,363						
1917.....dollars.....1,586,146									

¹ Data available in total only.² Included with full owners.

TABLE 29.—SUPPLEMENTAL—VALUE OF FARM LAND AND BUILDINGS, AND IMPLEMENTS AND MACHINERY, 1930 AND 1917, BY COLOR AND TENURE OF FARM OPERATOR

ITEM	Total	St. Croix	St. John	St. Thomas	ITEM	Total	St. Croix	St. John	St. Thomas
Value of land and buildings, total.					Value of implements and machinery, total.				
1930.....dollars.....2,400,711	1,934,790	109,123	356,798		1930.....dollars.....73,119	61,733	4,953	6,433	
1917.....dollars.....3,017,341	2,468,531	132,790	416,020		1917.....dollars.....106,649	100,612	2,931	3,106	
Full owners.....White.....1930.....dollars.....805,055	701,530	6,975	96,550		Full owners.....White.....1930.....dollars.....20,355	19,380	75	900	
Colored.....1930.....dollars.....1,933,880	173,486	30,215	86,433		Colored.....1930.....dollars.....8,943	5,410	2,763	780	
1917.....dollars.....290,134					Part owners.....White.....1930.....dollars.....800	500		309	
Part owners.....White.....1930.....dollars.....65,447	60,500	1,150	4,797		Colored.....1930.....dollars.....110			110	
1917.....dollars.....74,865	2,000	14,575	58,290		Managers.....White.....1930.....dollars.....20,265	25,593		3,672	
Colored.....1930.....dollars.....74,865					Colored.....1930.....dollars.....10,511	8,190	2,110	211	
1917.....dollars.....74,865					Tenants.....White.....1930.....dollars.....525	65		460	
Managers.....White.....1930.....dollars.....751,948	650,880		71,088		Colored.....1930.....dollars.....2,610	2,595	15		
1917.....dollars.....1,352,385									
Colored.....1930.....dollars.....321,408	245,080	50,948	25,380						
1917.....dollars.....352,550									
Tenants.....White.....1930.....dollars.....13,700	4,500	1,200	8,000						
1917.....dollars.....194,930									
Colored.....1930.....dollars.....77,154	66,834	4,000	6,260						
1917.....dollars.....148,199									

¹ Data available in total only.² Included with full owners.

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TABLE 30.—HORSES, MULES, CATTLE, AND OTHER DOMESTIC ANIMALS ON FARMS, CHICKENS, AND COLONIES OF BEES, 1930 AND 1917; AND CHICKEN EGGS, 1929 AND 1917

ITEM	Total	St. Croix	St. John	St. Thomas	ITEM	Total	St. Croix	St. John	St. Thomas
DOMESTIC ANIMALS					DOMESTIC ANIMALS—Continued				
Horses on farms, 1930.....number..	802	610	140	112	Swine on farms, 1930.....number..	860	665	140	55
farms reporting..	173	115	26	32	farms reporting..	120	77	25	18
1917.....number..	1,872	1,527	154	101	1917.....number..	2,145	1,036	55	155
Mules on farms, 1930.....number..	994	950	23	21	CHICKENS AND CHICKEN EGGS				
farms reporting..	100	82	6	12	Chickens on farms, 1930.....number..	3,331	2,033	339	959
1917.....number..	1,568	1,482	23	63	farms reporting..	152	83	30	39
Asses and burros on farms, 1930.....number..	523	200	170	153	1917.....number..	6,137	5,531	119	487
farms reporting..	150	65	35	50	Chicken eggs produced in 1929.....dozens..	10,835	5,172	1,027	4,686
1917.....number..	748	470	63	215	farms reporting..	127	64	26	37
Cattle on farms, 1930.....number..	12,252	8,391	1,583	2,278	1917.....dozens..	10,980			
Calves under 1 year old.....number..	2,770	1,919	351	500	Chicken eggs sold in 1929.....dozens..	4,353	1,071	359	2,023
Cows and heifers 2 years old and over—					farms reporting..	70	36	15	28
Kept mainly for milk produc-					Chicken's raised in 1929.....number..	3,398	1,949	481	968
tion.....number..	4,726	3,098	593	1,035	farms reporting..	122	62	25	35
All other cattle.....number..	4,756	3,374	639	743	BEES				
farms reporting..	170	85	40	54	Bees, 1930.....colonies..	345	1	205	138
Cattle on farms, 1917.....number..	12,187	8,968	1,149	2,070	farms reporting..	10	1	4	5
Sheep and lambs on farms, 1930.....number..	1,533	1,262	64	207	1917.....colonies..	41	40		1
farms reporting..	28	17	6	5					
1917.....number..	1,046	879	45	122					
Goats and kids on farms, 1930.....number..	1,476	399	589	488					
farms reporting..	105	64	29	22					
1917.....number..	1,584	1,122	297	165					

¹ Data available in total only.

TABLE 31.—COWS MILKED, AND MILK PRODUCED AND SOLD, WITH NUMBER OF FARMS REPORTING, 1929, BY COLOR AND TENURE OF FARM OPERATOR

ITEM	Total	St. Croix	St. John	St. Thomas	ITEM	Total	St. Croix	St. John	St. Thomas
Cows milked, total.....number..	2,040	2,064	221	655	Milk sold, total.....quarts..	1,237,454	946,633	66,852	223,969
farms reporting..	141	58	35	48	farms reporting..	107	53	12	42
By color and tenure of farm operator:					Average per cow.....quarts..	420.9	468.6	302.5	341.9
Owner.....White.....number..	1,342	1,248	3	91	By color and tenure of farm operator:				
Colored.....number..	623	254	103	266	Owner.....White.....quarts..	595,312	537,903		57,409
Manager.....White.....number..	413	257		150	Colored.....quarts..	188,697	103,005	17,132	68,560
Colored.....number..	444	280	88	76	Manager.....White.....quarts..	177,070	131,800		45,770
Tenant.....White.....number..	29		2	27	Colored.....quarts..	212,545	160,315	26,490	25,740
Colored.....number..	89	25	25	39	Tenant.....White.....quarts..	11,315		730	10,585
					Colored.....quarts..	52,515	14,110	22,500	15,905
Milk produced, total.....quarts..	1,423,604	1,032,468	111,448	270,688					
farms reporting..	141	58	35	48					
Average per cow.....quarts..	484.2	500.2	504.3	427.0					
By color and tenure of farm operator:									
Owner.....White.....quarts..	641,320	571,606	2,100	67,614					
Colored.....quarts..	240,837	116,575	43,633	80,829					
Manager.....White.....quarts..	218,482	148,637		69,845					
Colored.....quarts..	248,886	178,130	42,120	28,636					
Tenant.....White.....quarts..	14,417		1,095	13,322					
Colored.....quarts..	59,662	17,520	22,500	19,642					

TABLE 32.—NUMBER AND VARIETIES OF LIVESTOCK AND COLONIES OF BEES NOT ON FARMS OR RANGES, 1930 AND 1917

ITEM	Total	St. Croix	St. John	St. Thomas	ITEM	Total	St. Croix	St. John	St. Thomas
DOMESTIC ANIMALS					DOMESTIC ANIMALS—Continued				
Inclosures reporting.....1930.....number..	1,417	1,105	83	229	Swine.....1930.....number..	968	740	40	170
1917.....number..	2,063	1,027	54	982	inclosures reporting..	544	437	21	86
Cattle.....1930.....number..	189	4	48	137	1917.....number..	184	10	7	158
inclosures reporting..	67	2	25	40	inclosures reporting..	182			
Cattle.....1917.....number..	134	2	75	57	Sheep.....1930.....number..	47	38		9
inclosures reporting..	155				inclosures reporting..	16	10		6
Horses.....1930.....number..	667	628	9	30	1917.....number..	150			
inclosures reporting..	563	533	7	23	inclosures reporting..	114			
Horses.....1917.....number..	257	205	7	45	Goats.....1930.....number..	1,324	897	204	223
inclosures reporting..	190				inclosures reporting..	507	388	47	72
Mules.....1930.....number..	172	169		3	Goats.....1917.....number..	1,675			
inclosures reporting..	143	140		3	inclosures reporting..	1218			
Mules.....1917.....number..	132				BEES				
inclosures reporting..	128				Bees.....1930.....colonies..	67	52	15	
Asses and burros.....1930.....number..	570	374	55	141	inclosures reporting..	7	3	4	
inclosures reporting..	433	288	35	110	Bees.....1917.....colonies..	154	79		75
Asses and burros.....1917.....number..	1,226				inclosures reporting..	14			
inclosures reporting..	177								

¹ Data available in total only.

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TABLE 33.—ACREAGE AND PRODUCTION OF GRAIN AND SEED CROPS, HAY AND FORAGE CROPS, AND MISCELLANEOUS CROPS, 1929 AND 1917; WITH NUMBER OF FARMS REPORTING, 1929

ITEM	Total	St. Croix	St. John	St. Thomas	ITEM	Total	St. Croix	St. John	St. Thomas
CROPS					Miscellaneous crops:				
Grain and seed crops:					Sugarcane.....1929.....acres..	5,423	5,820	2	1
✓ Corn.....1929.....acres..	20	19		1	Harvested.....tons..	56,405	56,396	5	4
Harvested.....hundredweight..	139	137	1	1	farms reporting..	115	107	4	4
.....farms reporting..	6	4	1	1	Sugarcane.....1917.....acres..	8,685	8,684	1	
Corn.....1917.....acres..	25	21		1	Harvested.....tons..	84,129	84,126	3	
Harvested.....hundredweight..	177	175		2	Sweet potatoes.....1929.....acres..	22	11	7	4
✓ Beans (dry).....1929.....acres..	3	1	1	1	Harvested.....hundredweight..	677	498	57	122
Harvested.....pounds..	430	50	190	190	farms reporting..	33	12	12	9
.....farms reporting..	7	1	4	2	Sweet potatoes.....1917.....acres..	(3)			
Beans (dry).....1917.....acres..	11				Harvested.....hundredweight..				
Harvested.....pounds..	190				Yams.....1929.....acres..	6	3	1	2
Hay and forage crops:					Harvested.....hundredweight..	154	67	9	78
Guinea grass.....1929.....acres..	594	145		449	farms reporting..	13	6	3	4
Harvested.....bundles..	601,120	299,930		301,190	Yams.....1917.....acres..	(3)			
.....farms reporting..	22	3		19	Harvested.....hundredweight..				
Guinea grass.....1917.....acres..	7,214	4,039	1,300	1,815	Tanya.....1929.....acres..	15	4	1	10
Harvested.....bundles..	8,138,040	6,342,796	725,350	1,009,900	Harvested.....hundredweight..	313	97	11	265
✓ Other grasses.....1929.....acres..	38	10		28	farms reporting..	30	7	3	20
Harvested.....bundles..	41,000	14,000		27,000	Tanya.....1917.....acres..	(3)			
.....farms reporting..	5	1		4	Harvested.....hundredweight..				
Other grasses.....1917.....acres..	560		2	558	Cassava.....1929.....acres..	2	1		1
Harvested.....bundles..	280,291		1,000	270,291	Harvested.....pounds..	2,690	900		1,790
✓ Coarse forage.....1929.....acres..	(2)				farms reporting..	6	2		4
Harvested.....tons..	285	285			Cassava.....1917.....acres..	(3)			
.....farms reporting..	4	4			Harvested.....pounds..				
Coarse forage.....1917.....acres..	30								
Harvested.....tons..	300	300							

1 Data available in total only.

2 Sugarcane tops. Acreage included in sugarcane column.

3 Not reported in 1917.

TABLE 34.—ACREAGE AND VALUE OF VEGETABLES HARVESTED FOR SALE, AND VALUE OF VEGETABLES GROWN FOR HOME USE, WITH NUMBER OF FARMS REPORTING, 1929

ITEM	Total	St. Croix	St. John	St. Thomas	ITEM	Total	St. Croix	St. John	St. Thomas
VEGETABLES HARVESTED FOR SALE					VEGETABLES HARVESTED FOR SALE—Con.				
Total.....acres..	50	25	1	24	Onions.....acres..	20	19		1
value of crop.....dollars..	2,690	760	140	1,790	farms reporting..	8	4		4
✓ Cabbages.....acres..	4	1	(1)	3	Peppers.....acres..	2	1		1
.....farms reporting..	14	1	2	11	farms reporting..	7	3		4
Cantaloupes and muskmelons.....acres..	1			1	Squashes and pumpkins.....acres..	1	(1)		1
.....farms reporting..	1			1	farms reporting..	7	1		6
✓ Carrots.....acres..	3			3	Tomatoes.....acres..	10	2	(1)	8
.....farms reporting..	15			15	farms reporting..	24	5	1	18
✓ Egg plant.....acres..	2	1		1	Other vegetables.....acres..	2		1	1
.....farms reporting..	6	2		4	farms reporting..	4		1	3
✓ Beans (green).....acres..	2	1	(1)	1	VEGETABLES GROWN FOR HOME USE				
.....farms reporting..	5	2	1	2	All vegetables.....value of crop.....dollars..	2,177	650	598	929
✓ Okra.....acres..	3	(1)	(1)	3	farms reporting..	42	12	13	17
.....farms reporting..	10	1	1	8					

1 Less than one-half of an acre.

TABLE 35.—FRUIT AND NUT TREES AND PLANTS, 1930 AND 1917; AND QUANTITY PRODUCED AND VALUE OF FRUITS AND NUTS SOLD, 1929 AND 1917

ITEM	Total	St. Croix	St. John	St. Thomas	ITEM	Total	St. Croix	St. John	St. Thomas
Trees and plants, total 1930..of bearing age..number.	34,884	15,309	6,168	13,407	Oranges:				
Value of fruits and nuts sold.....1929.....dollars.	4,906	1,791	215	2,900	Trees.....1930..not of bearing age..number.	127	71	6	50
Trees and plants, total 1917..of bearing age..number.	18,632	8,104	2,839	7,689	1930.....of bearing age..number.	51	38	3	10
Value of fruits and nuts sold.....1917.....dollars.	1,474	431	939	104	1929.....of bearing age..number.	64	53	1	10
FRUITS					Quantity har-vested,.....farms reporting.	9	5	2	2
Bananas:					Oranges:				
Plants.....1930..not of bearing age..number.	11,505	1,872	791	8,842	Trees.....1917..not of bearing age..number.	164			
1930.....of bearing age..number.	10,946	2,208	533	8,207	1917.....of bearing age..number.	176			
Quantity har-vested,.....bunches.	6,790	1,057	358	5,375	Quantity har-vested,.....farms reporting.	168			
1929.....farms reporting.	73	21	17	35	1917.....farms reporting.	9			
Bananas:					Limes and lemons:				
Plants.....1917..not of bearing age..number.	(1)				Trees.....1930..not of bearing age..number.	121	32	52	37
1917.....of bearing age..number.	7,207	616	1,000	5,592	1930.....of bearing age..number.	322	77	140	105
Quantity har-vested,.....bunches.	818	690	63	65	1929.....of bearing age..number.	104	67	90	37
1917.....farms reporting.	24				Quantity har-vested,.....farms reporting.	43	8	18	17
Plantains:					Limes and lemons:				
Plants.....1930..not of bearing age..number.	277	8	10	259	Trees.....1917..not of bearing age..number.	(1)			
1930.....of bearing age..number.	1,215	11		1,204	1917.....of bearing age..number.	(1)			
Quantity har-vested,.....bunches.	823			823	Quantity har-vested,.....farms reporting.	(1)			
1929.....farms reporting.	19	2	2	12	Grapefruit:				
Plantains:					Trees.....1930..not of bearing age..number.	4		4	
Plants.....1917..not of bearing age..number.	(1)				1930.....of bearing age..number.	12		4	8
1917.....of bearing age..number.	(1)				1929.....of bearing age..number.	13		12	4
Quantity har-vested,.....bunches.	(1)				Quantity har-vested,.....farms reporting.	2		1	1
1917.....farms reporting.	(1)				Grapefruit:				
Cacao:					Trees.....1917..not of bearing age..number.	(1)			
Trees.....1930..not of bearing age..number.	970	930	10		1917.....of bearing age..number.	(1)			
1930.....of bearing age..number.	325	300	25		Quantity har-vested,.....farms reporting.	(1)			
Quantity har-vested,.....pounds.	160	150	10		Pineapples:				
1929.....farms reporting.	3	2	1		Plants.....1930..not of bearing age..number.	181	130	50	1
Cacao:					1930.....of bearing age..number.	2,550	1,550	50	950
Trees.....1917..not of bearing age..number.	(1)				1929.....of bearing age..number.	2,404	1,550	60	804
1917.....of bearing age..number.	2,574				Quantity har-vested,.....farms reporting.	8	2	1	5
Quantity har-vested,.....pounds.	5,265				Pineapples:				
1917.....farms reporting.	7				Plants.....1917..not of bearing age..number.	400			
Mangoes:					1917.....of bearing age..number.	300			
Trees.....1930..not of bearing age..number.	1,068	186	135	747	Quantity har-vested,.....farms reporting.	300			
1930.....of bearing age..number.	2,335	782	527	1,026	1917.....farms reporting.	2			
Quantity har-vested,.....number.	407,683	83,085	205,548	119,050	Other fruits:				
1929.....farms reporting.	78	16	23	39	Trees and plants.....1930..not of bearing age..number.	576	30	107	433
Mangoes:					1930.....of bearing age..number.	4,596	201	4,052	343
Trees.....1917..not of bearing age..number.	630				Quantity har-vested,.....farms reporting.	(1)			
1917.....of bearing age..number.	966	200	32	734	1929.....farms reporting.	33	5	14	14
Quantity har-vested,.....number.	2,750			2,750	Other fruits:				
1917.....farms reporting.	20				Trees and plants.....1917..not of bearing age..number.	2,573			
Guavas:					1917.....of bearing age..number.	2,339			
Trees.....1930..not of bearing age..number.	6,746	5,000	1,008	738	Quantity har-vested,.....farms reporting.	(1)			
1930.....of bearing age..number.	11,380	10,007	375	998	NUTS				
Quantity har-vested,.....5-gallon cans.	645		116	520	Coconuts:				
1929.....farms reporting.	30	3	13	14	Trees.....1930..not of bearing age..number.	472	59	96	317
Guavas:					1930.....of bearing age..number.	1,152	137	459	550
Trees.....1917..not of bearing age..number.	(1)				1929.....of bearing age..number.	27,008	3,600	5,305	18,103
1917.....of bearing age..number.	(1)				Quantity har-vested,.....farms reporting.	35	7	10	12
Quantity har-vested,.....5-gallon cans.	(1)				Coconuts:				
1917.....farms reporting.	(1)				Trees.....1917..not of bearing age..number.	1,214			
					1917.....of bearing age..number.	1,070	462	390	218
					Quantity har-vested,.....number.	12,180	2,900	8,000	1,280
					1917.....farms reporting.	10			

¹ Data not available.

² Data available in total only.

³ Data not feasible. Various units of production involved.

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TABLE 36.—NUMBER OF FARM OPERATORS, 1930 AND 1917, AND ACREAGE IN FARMS AND VALUE OF PROPERTY, 1930, BY TERM OF OCCUPANCY OF FARM OPERATOR

ITEM	Total	St. Croix	St. John	St. Thomas	ITEM	Total	St. Croix	St. John	St. Thomas
Number of farm operators, total.....1930.....number..	320	193	55	81	Value of land and buildings, total.....1930.....dollars..	2,400,711	1,034,790	109,123	356,798
.....1917.....number..	430	341	20	68	By term of occupancy of operator:				
By term of occupancy of operator:					Less than 1 year.....1930.....dollars..	173,270	156,938	10,560	6,782
Less than 1 year.....1930.....number..	26	10	5	4	1 to 2 years.....1930.....dollars..	304,180	226,010	10,575	67,595
.....1917.....number..	21	15	3	18	3 to 5 years.....1930.....dollars..	184,792	156,922	13,030	14,840
1 to 2 years.....1930.....number..	(?) 36	24	7	15	6 to 10 years.....1930.....dollars..	871,521	638,965	20,680	211,876
.....1917.....number..	(?) 46	56	12	16	Over 10 years.....1930.....dollars..	861,948	766,955	64,288	60,705
3 to 5 years.....1930.....number..	(?) 84	82	28	27	Not reported.....1930.....dollars..	5,000			5,000
.....1917.....number..	(?) 137				Value of buildings alone, total.....1930.....dollars..	666,194	538,076	33,130	94,388
6 to 10 years.....1930.....number..	(?) 1			1	By term of occupancy of operator:				
.....1917.....number..	11				Less than 1 year.....1930.....dollars..	47,065	45,325	1,225	515
Not reported.....1930.....number..					1 to 2 years.....1930.....dollars..	98,133	76,140	7,400	14,603
.....1917.....number..					3 to 5 years.....1930.....dollars..	60,515	46,840	4,285	9,410
All land in farms, total.....1930.....acres..	68,322	47,150	10,316	10,856	6 to 10 years.....1930.....dollars..	231,235	163,745	7,059	55,440
By term of occupancy of operator:					Over 10 years.....1930.....dollars..	226,746	201,626	13,190	11,836
Less than 1 year.....1930.....acres..	6,622	4,273	1,459	890	Not reported.....1930.....dollars..	2,500			2,500
1 to 2 years.....1930.....acres..	6,220	4,063	330	1,224	Value of land alone, total.....1930.....dollars..	1,734,517	1,396,114	75,903	262,410
3 to 5 years.....1930.....acres..	8,618	7,855	818	450	By term of occupancy of operator:				
6 to 10 years.....1930.....acres..	21,739	15,389	1,162	5,238	Less than 1 year.....1930.....dollars..	124,805	109,213	9,325	6,267
Over 10 years.....1930.....acres..	24,873	15,467	6,662	2,854	1 to 2 years.....1930.....dollars..	207,447	151,270	3,175	53,002
Not reported.....1930.....acres..	200			200	3 to 5 years.....1930.....dollars..	124,277	110,082	8,765	5,420
					6 to 10 years.....1930.....dollars..	640,144	470,078	13,630	155,436
					Over 10 years.....1930.....dollars..	635,344	555,471	41,098	33,776
					Not reported.....1930.....dollars..	2,500			2,500

1 Data available in total only.

2 Term of occupancy, 1917, reported as follows: 1 year, 42; 2 to 4 years, 113; 5 to 9 years, 78; 10 years and over, 165

TABLE 37.—FARM FACILITIES: 1930

ITEM	Total	St. Croix	St. John	St. Thomas	ITEM	Total	St. Croix	St. John	St. Thomas
Automobiles on farms, total.....number..	62	44	1	7	Motor trucks on farms, total—Continued.				
.....farms reporting.....	36	28	1	7	By color and tenure of farm operator—Contd.				
By color and tenure of farm operator:					Manager.....White.....number..	5	4		1
Owner.....White.....number..	14	13		1	Colored.....number..	2	1	1	
.....Colored.....number..	11	8		3	Tenant.....White.....number..				
Manager.....White.....number..	20	19		1	Colored.....number..	2	2		
.....Colored.....number..	5	4	1		Tractors on farms, total.....number..	9	9		
Tenant.....White.....number..	1			1	farms reporting.....	8	8		
.....Colored.....number..	1			1	By color and tenure of farm operator:				
Motor trucks on farms, total.....number..	18	14	1	3	Owner.....White.....number..	2	2		
.....farms reporting.....	16	12	1	3	Colored.....number..				
By color and tenure of farm operator:					Manager.....White.....number..	6	6		
Owner.....White.....number..	3	2		1	Colored.....number..	1	1		
.....Colored.....number..	6	5		1	Tenant.....White.....number..				
					Colored.....number..				

TABLE 38.—FARM MORTGAGE DEBT, 1930, BY COLOR OF FARM OPERATOR; AND FARM EXPENDITURES FOR LABOR, FERTILIZER, AND FEED, 1929 AND 1917, BY COLOR AND TENURE OF FARM OPERATOR

ITEM	Total	St. Croix	St. John	St. Thomas	ITEM	Total	St. Croix	St. John	St. Thomas
FARM MORTGAGE DEBT, 1930					FARM EXPENDITURES—Continued				
All farms operated by owners, total.....number..	177	91	38	48	Fertilizer, total, 1929.....dollars..	273	273		
Farms not reporting mortgage.....number..	12	3	1	8	1917.....farms reporting.....	6	6		
Farms free from mortgage.....number..	107	43	34	30	Owner.....White.....1929.....dollars..	115,439			
Farms reporting mortgage.....number..	58	46	3	10	Colored.....1929.....dollars..	100	100		
Land in mortgaged farms, total.....acres..	21,133	17,605	358	3,170	Manager.....White.....1929.....dollars..	53	53		
White operators.....acres..	15,583	13,909		1,674	Colored.....1929.....dollars..	60	60		
Colored operators.....acres..	5,550	3,696	358	1,496	Tenant.....White.....1929.....dollars..	30	30		
Land and buildings, mortgaged farms, total value.....dollars..	760,670	580,520	5,000	175,150	Colored.....1929.....dollars..	30	30		
White operators.....dollars..	511,130	454,130		57,000	Feed, total, 1929.....dollars..	4,173	1,629	164	2,380
Colored operators.....dollars..	249,540	126,390	5,000	118,150	1917.....farms reporting.....	64	25	3	30
Mortgage debt, total.....dollars..	222,114	195,127	2,007	24,980	Owner.....White.....1929.....dollars..	737	247	100	390
White operators.....dollars..	170,173	163,173		7,000	Colored.....1929.....dollars..	1,624	628	49	947
Colored operators.....dollars..	51,941	31,954	2,007	17,980	Manager.....White.....1929.....dollars..	350	50		201
FARM EXPENDITURES					Colored.....1929.....dollars..	206	75	15	116
Labor, total, 1929.....dollars..	242,803	198,990	11,067	32,751	Tenant.....White.....1929.....dollars..	80	25		55
.....1917.....farms reporting.....	131	90	23	57	Colored.....1929.....dollars..	1,176	596		581
Owner.....White.....1929.....dollars..	572,046	41,756	600	9,337					
.....Colored.....1929.....dollars..	51,093	13,180	5,873	8,080					
Manager.....White.....1929.....dollars..	27,133	107,674		7,114					
.....Colored.....1929.....dollars..	114,688	33,242	3,794	5,401					
Tenant.....White.....1929.....dollars..	42,437	260		1,495					
.....Colored.....1929.....dollars..	1,725	2,978	800	1,854					

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