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Municipality	Number of farms	Improved Acres	Unimproved Acres	Average Improved acres per farm	Average acres per farm	Percent of farm acres improved	Cash Value of farms	Average farm Value
Aston	69	3311	700	48	58	83	261841	3795
Bethel	35	2395	686	68	88	78	149250	4264
Birmingham	46	3777	868	82	101	81	316942	6890
Chester	68	4653	345	68	74	93	555550	8170
Concord	84	6250	1214	74	89	84	510078	6072
Darby	106	4792	414	45	49	92	635700	5997
Edgmont	69	4622	1376	67	87	77	249867	3621
Haverford	82	4935	880	60	71	85	555535	6775
Lower Chichester	33	1807	64	55	57	97	154370	4678
Marple	97	5132	1521	53	69	77	236321	2436
Middletown	107	6037	1533	56	71	80	512340	4788
Nether Providence	57	2841	484	50	58	85	161510	2834
Newtown	67	4679	1248	70	88	79	313950	4686
Radnor	110	6685	1401	61	74	83	753395	6849
Ridley	72	4808	462	67	73	91	544265	7559
Springfield	71	4358	697	61	71	86	468252	6595
Thronbury	61	4434	880	73	87	83	393660	6453
Tinicum	11	1851	54	168	173	97	219400	19945
Upper Chichester	10	750	113	75	86	87	39535	3954
Upper Darby	80	4996	828	62	73	86	624920	7812
Upper Providence	55	2747	576	50	60	83	250730	4559
Delaware County Average	66	4089	778	67	79	85	376543	6130
PA Average				55	117	47		3200
Census column numbers	1	2	3				4	

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Municipality	Value of Farming Implements	Average Implement Value	Horses	Horses per farm	Mules	Milch Cows	Milch Cows per farm	Oxen
Aston	6927	100	166	2	0	374	5	16
Bethel	4735	135	91	3	0	225	6	0
Birmingham	5815	126	156	3	0	202	4	32
Chester	11750	173	164	2	0	589	9	90
Concord	450	5	195	2	0	400	5	43
Darby	12745	120	272	3	0	829	8	30
Edgmont	8916	129	189	3	0	601	9	52
Haverford	16071	196	255	3	9	751	9	10
Lower Chichester	3716	113	52	2	0	250	8	14
Marple	9488	98	203	2	0	675	7	42
Middletown	11160	104	232	2	0	736	7	44
Nether Providence	8537	150	164	3	0	424	7	38
Newtown	10535	157	202	3	0	673	10	72
Radnor	16225	148	277	3	0	1043	9	66
Ridley	8979	125	191	3	0	740	10	108
Springfield	9730	137	185	3	0	576	8	50
Thronbury	6497	107	165	3	0	326	5	43
Tinicum	2460	224	60	5	0	145	13	8
Upper Chichester	960	96	25	3	0	85	9	6
Upper Darby	16607	208	260	3	0	909	11	24
Upper Providence	4991	91	112	2	0	289	5	12
Delaware County Average	8443	131	172	3	0	516	8	38
PA Average		113		3			4	
Census column numbers	5		6		7	8		9

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Municipality	Other Cattle	Other Cattle per farm	Sheep	Sheep per farm	Swine	Swine per farm	Livestock Value	Wheat (bushels)
Aston	80	1	487	7	431	6	23995	4127
Bethel	119	3	123	4	205	6	13788	2644
Birmingham	481	10	92	2	411	9	39362	4505
Chester	682	10	495	7	497	7	47480	7638
Concord	551	7	224	3	576	7	167539	8366
Darby	401	4	186	2	557	5	51580	6384
Edgmont	293	4	100	1	721	10	38013	5706
Haverford	143	2	382	5	685	8	33864	8297
Lower Chichester	132	4	273	8	258	8	13307	2303
Marple	176	2	383	4	722	7	39552	6043
Middletown	234	2	133	1	740	7	42909	6348
Nether Providence	148	3	124	2	408	7	27747	4167
Newtown	259	4	464	7	782	12	43656	7202
Radnor	379	3	611	6	1042	9	63461	12139
Ridley	507	7	659	9	677	9	50303	7460
Springfield	261	4	1221	17	698	10	39115	5839
Thronbury	348	6	348	6	469	8	36083	5750
Tinicum	152	14	0	0	120	11	16351	1867
Upper Chichester	6	1	10	1	60	6	3421	854
Upper Darby	194	2	467	6	543	7	47518	8256
Upper Providence	99	2	270	5	399	7	17362	2583
Delaware County Average	269	4	336	5	524	8	40781	5642
PA Average		5		14		8		
Census column numbers	10		11		12		13	14

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Municipality	Bushels of Wheat per farm	Rye (bushels)	Bushels of Rye per farm	Corn (bushels)	Bushels of Corn per farm	Oats (bushels)	Bushels of Oats per farm	Tobacco (lbs.)
Aston	60	0	0	9775	142	6103	88	0
Bethel	76	27	1	5420	155	3131	89	0
Birmingham	98	15	0	13737	299	9105	198	0
Chester	112	0	0	13740	202	4985	73	0
Concord	100	30	0	21711	258	14262	170	0
Darby	60	0	0	18872	178	1890	18	0
Edgmont	83	62	1	16770	243	12930	187	0
Haverford	101	195	2	22820	278	12874	157	0
Lower Chichester	70	0	0	3935	119	1352	41	0
Marple	62	352	4	15931	164	9008	93	0
Middletown	59	94	1	17532	164	11216	105	0
Nether Providence	73	10	0	9935	174	4274	75	0
Newtown	107	82	1	17335	259	5095	76	0
Radnor	110	583	5	59570	542	20997	191	0
Ridley	104	0	0	14670	204	4854	67	0
Springfield	82	125	2	15266	215	6663	94	0
Thronbury	94	145	2	15150	248	10978	180	0
Tinicum	170	80	7	4220	384	1150	105	0
Upper Chichester	85	0	0	1845	185	878	88	0
Upper Darby	103	146	2	20905	261	9219	115	0
Upper Providence	47	88	2	7265	132	4702	85	0
Delaware County Average	88	97	1	15543	229	7413	109	0
PA Average	120		38		155		170	
Census column numbers		15		16		17		19

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Municipality	Wool (lbs.)	Peas/Beans (bushels)	Potatoes (bushels)	Bushels of Potatoes per farm	Sweet Potatoes (bushels)	Barley (bushels)	Buckwheat (bushels)	Bushels of Buckwheat per farm
Aston	151	6	3095	45	0	0	49	1
Bethel	0	0	1076	31	0	0	144	4
Birmingham	37	0	2424	53	0	110	30	1
Chester	203	0	9325	137	0	0	0	0
Concord	42	0	4099	49	11	0	153	2
Darby	11	0	16607	157	0	0	0	0
Edgmont	204	0	1024	15	0	0	6	0
Haverford	103	35	8367	102	0	0	0	0
Lower Chichester	30	5	1642	50	0	0	14	0
Marple	228	20	5206	54	0	0	38	0
Middletown	65	6	3168	30	6	0	34	0
Nether Providence	214	18	5431	95	2	0	20	0
Newtown	253	10	2046	31	0	0	0	0
Radnor	457	0	5872	53	0	60	0	0
Ridley	155	3	12651	176	0	0	0	0
Springfield	259	13	5974	84	0	0	0	0
Thronbury	613	0	1944	32	0	0	0	0
Tinicum	0	13	1930	175	10	0	0	0
Upper Chichester	0	0	400	40	0	0	12	1
Upper Darby	30	43	15675	196	0	0	0	0
Upper Providence	247	0	2494	45	0	0	0	0
Delaware County Average	157	8	5260	78	1	8	24	0
PA Average				47				17
Census column numbers	21	22	23		24	25	26	

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Municipality	Orchard Value	Wine	Value of Produce of Market Gardens	Butter (lbs.)	Butter per farm (lbs.)	Cheese (lbs.)	Cheese Average (lbs. per farm)	Cheese in Butter Equivalent
Aston	255	0	50	42943	622	0	0	0
Bethel	3003	0	0	22390	640	0	0	0
Birmingham	505	0	0	23276	506	50	1	1
Chester	685	0	250	56910	837	0	0	0
Concord	875	4	0	43273	515	0	0	0
Darby	1805	0	1457	230096	2171	0	0	0
Edgmont	215	5	10	80177	1162	1175	17	9
Haverford	255	2	200	94725	1155	0	0	0
Lower Chichester	449	5	0	28981	878	0	0	0
Marple	378	0	75	74175	765	0	0	0
Middletown	325	0	0	70203	656	0	0	0
Nether Providence	365	14	149	48565	852	0	0	0
Newtown	405	28	20	93118	1390	5875	88	44
Radnor	115	450	38	122740	1116	0	0	0
Ridley	515	0	245	78216	1086	0	0	0
Springfield	436	0	739	57593	811	0	0	0
Thronbury	435	0	0	36958	606	110	2	1
Tinicum	330	0	285	21600	1964	0	0	0
Upper Chichester	25	0	0	8994	899	0	0	0
Upper Darby	822	0	331	126250	1578	0	0	0
Upper Providence	125	0	0	34572	629	0	0	0
Delaware County Average	587	24	183	66465	992	343	5	3
PA Average					312			20
Census column numbers	27	28	29	30		31		

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Municipality	Dairy in Butter Equivalent	Hay (tons)	Hay Average (tons per farm)	Estimated Grass acreage @ 1 ton hay/acre	Clover Seed (bushels)	Grass Seed (bushels)	Hops (lbs.)	Hemp Total (tons)
Aston	622	1030	15	15	51	23	45	0
Bethel	640	522	15	15	14	31	0	0
Birmingham	507	1201	26	26	86	102	0	0
Chester	837	1300	19	19	9	52	0	0
Concord	515	1867	22	22	147	154	0	0
Darby	2171	3086	29	29	0	2	0	0
Edgmont	1171	1485	22	22	40	76	0	0
Haverford	1155	1650	20	20	0	0	0	0
Lower Chichester	878	364	11	11	0	27	0	0
Marple	765	1612	17	17	0	41	5	0
Middletown	656	1371	13	13	8	50	0	0
Nether Providence	852	1134	20	20	15	29	80	0
Newtown	1434	1739	26	26	0	30	20	0
Radnor	1116	2527	23	23	0	199	0	0
Ridley	1086	1411	20	20	8	13	0	0
Springfield	811	2493	35	35	3	69	10	0
Thronbury	607	1291	21	21	76	69	0	0
Tinicum	1964	455	41	41	5	0	0	0
Upper Chichester	899	152	15	15	5	7	0	0
Upper Darby	1578	1921	24	24	5	23	0	0
Upper Providence	629	727	13	13	17	31	0	0
Delaware County Average	995	1397	21	21	23	49	8	0
PA Average	332		13	14				
Census column numbers		32			33	34	35	36/37

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Municipality	Flax (lbs.)	Flax Seed (bushels)	Silk Cocoon (lbs.)	Maple Sugar (lbs.)	Maple Sugar per farm	Honey (lbs.)	Value of Home-made Manufactures	Value of Animals Slaughtered
Aston	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	15151
Bethel	0	0	0	0	0	235	0	2652
Birmingham	0	0	0	0	0	110	0	4410
Chester	0	0	0	0	0	300	0	2930
Concord	0	0	0	0	0	70	4	7209
Darby	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	11711
Edgmont	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	14372
Haverford	0	0	0	0	0	25	0	17371
Lower Chichester	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3183
Marple	0	0	0	0	0	0	881	16891
Middletown	0	0	0	0	0	126	0	15919
Nether Providence	28	2	0	0	0	116	46	8518
Newtown	0	0	0	0	0	575	1217	25265
Radnor	0	0	0	0	0	170	144	30145
Ridley	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	20399
Springfield	0	0	0	0	0	50	0	27761
Thronbury	200	3	0	0	0	25	0	59221
Tinicum	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1150
Upper Chichester	0	0	0	0	0	24	0	255
Upper Darby	0	0	0	0	0	0	23	7864
Upper Providence	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	17822
Delaware County Average	11	0	0	0	0	87	111	14771
PA Average								
Census column numbers	38	39	40	41		44	45	46