

CHART NO. 9

NUMBER OF COMPUTERS PURCHASED AND LEASED

1. Although the number of purchased computers has increased in each of the fiscal years reported, the percentage which this number bears to the total number of computers has declined, except for a slight increase anticipated in FY 1963.

2. Bureau of the Budget Circular A-54 issued in October 1961 requires that careful consideration be given to all alternative acquisition methods as a basis for choosing the method which provides the greatest advantage to the Government. It may be expected that there will be a greater proportion of purchases in the future as an objective consideration of the alternatives is applied to each case.

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Status as of June 30 Each Fiscal Year

