

for food away from home compared to about a tenth of that farm families (Fig. 6).

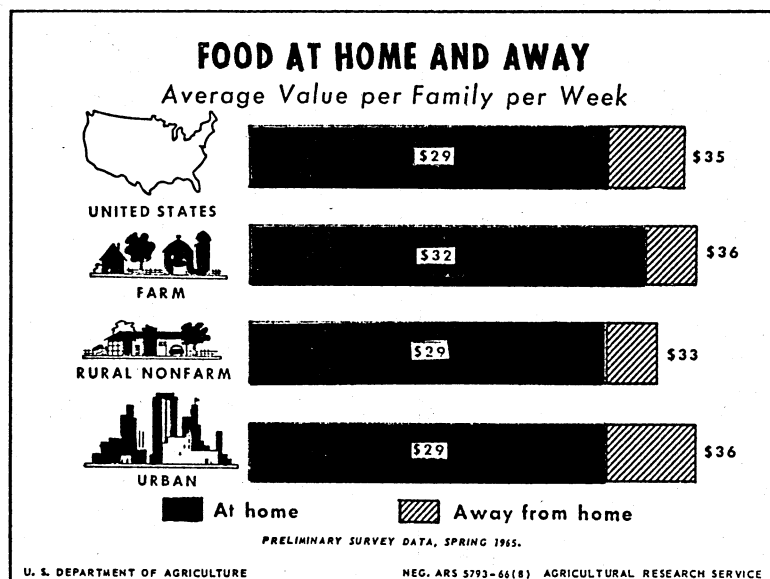


Figure 6

Between 1955 and 1965, the proportion of the food used in farm homes that was home produced declined considerably—from 41 percent in 1955 to 31 percent in 1965 (Fig. 7). The proportion that was purchased increased from 56 to 67 percent. These figures support observations that farm families are becoming more like city families in their way of life.

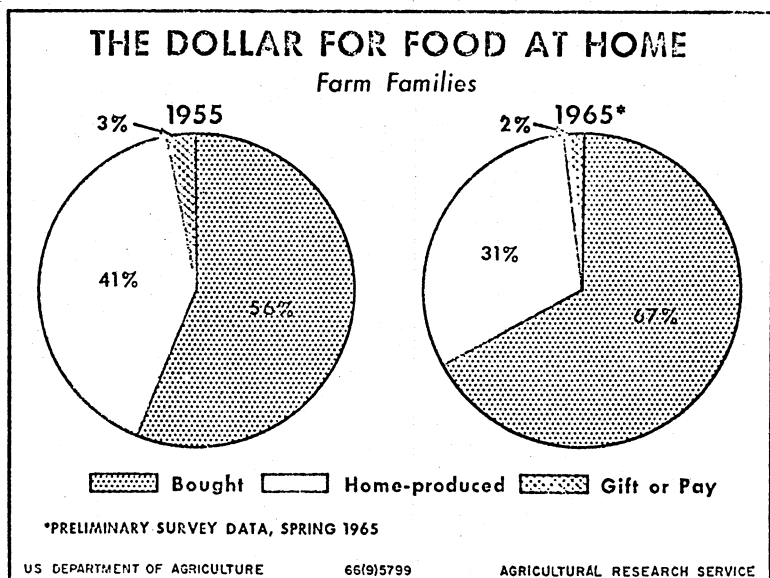


Figure 7