

Table 4. Net Cash Return From Agricultural Sales, Government Payments, Other Farm-Related Income, Direct Sales, and Commodity Credit Corporation Loans: 1997 and 1992

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	Alaska	Western Coast and Chain	South Central	Interior	South East	Kenai Peninsula
NET CASH RETURN¹						
Net cash return from agricultural sales for the farm unit (see text)						
farms, 1997..	548	36	222	179	22	89
1992..	512	26	217	168	8	93
\$1,000, 1997..	2 829	417	2 605	-97	31	-128
1992..	-957	-36	-326	-386	14	-224
Average per farm	5 162	11 590	11 733	-540	1 419	-1 437
1992..	-1 869	-1 367	-1 505	-2 295	1 770	-2 405
Farms with net gains ²	216	19	97	59	13	28
1992..	175	10	79	52	6	28
\$1,000, 1997..	6 046	517	4 084	1 057	93	295
1992..	2 915	(D)	1 647	951	(D)	176
Average per farm	27 992	27 235	42 107	17 917	7 125	10 522
1992..	16 655	(D)	20 850	18 290	(D)	6 278
Farms with net losses	332	17	125	120	9	61
1992..	337	16	138	116	2	65
\$1,000, 1997..	3 218	100	1 480	1 154	61	423
1992..	3 872	(D)	1 974	1 337	(D)	399
Average per farm	9 692	5 895	11 838	9 615	6 824	6 927
1992..	11 488	(D)	14 302	11 522	(D)	6 145
GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS						
Total received	farms, 1997..	116	8	32	62	2
	1992..	89	1	23	50	—
	\$1,000, 1997..	1 195	(D)	194	969	(D)
	1992..	976	(D)	114	831	—
Average per farm	dollars, 1997..	10 305	(D)	6 073	15 622	(D)
	1992..	10 966	(D)	4 936	16 614	—
Amount from Conservation Reserve and Wetlands Reserve Programs	farms, 1997..	39	—	7	30	1
	1992..	27	—	6	20	1
	\$1,000, 1997..	793	—	(D)	728	(D)
	1992..	595	—	(D)	534	(D)
Average per farm	dollars, 1997..	20 336	—	(D)	24 260	(D)
	1992..	22 035	—	(D)	26 724	(D)
OTHER FARM-RELATED INCOME¹						
Gross before taxes and expenses	farms, 1997..	88	4	39	30	2
	1992..	102	—	37	47	3
	\$1,000, 1997..	673	(D)	204	337	(D)
	1992..	355	—	127	168	11
Average per farm	dollars, 1997..	7 647	(D)	5 224	11 240	(D)
	1992..	3 485	—	3 440	3 574	3 626
Customwork and other agricultural services	farms, 1997..	50	2	18	21	2
	1992..	49	—	11	27	3
	\$1,000, 1997..	287	(D)	108	113	(D)
	1992..	145	—	24	80	(D)
Rental of farmland	farms, 1997..	26	1	15	9	—
	1992..	25	—	14	9	1
	\$1,000, 1997..	248	(D)	(D)	199	—
	1992..	74	—	58	(D)	(D)
Sales of forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products ³	farms, 1997..	16	1	5	4	—
	1992..	19	—	8	8	1
	\$1,000, 1997..	81	(D)	(D)	(D)	50
	1992..	(D)	—	24	48	(D)
Other farm-related income sources	farms, 1997..	10	1	5	2	—
	1992..	21	—	8	9	4
	\$1,000, 1997..	56	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
	1992..	(D)	—	21	(D)	(D)
DIRECT SALES						
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text)	farms, 1997..	102	6	42	29	7
	1992..	76	1	37	22	2
	\$1,000, 1997..	500	26	315	103	24
	1992..	216	(D)	116	67	(D)
Average per farm	dollars, 1997..	4 900	4 375	7 492	3 537	3 486
	1992..	2 837	(D)	3 134	3 064	(D)
COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS						
Total	, farms, 1997..	1	—	—	1	—
	1992..	—	—	—	(D)	—
	\$1,000, 1997..	(D)	—	—	—	—
	1992..	—	—	—	—	—
Corn	farms, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—
	1992..	—	—	—	—	—
	\$1,000, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—
	1992..	—	—	—	—	—
Wheat	farms, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—
	1992..	—	—	—	—	—
	\$1,000, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—
	1992..	—	—	—	—	—
Soybeans	farms, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—
	1992..	—	—	—	—	—
	\$1,000, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—
	1992..	—	—	—	—	—

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COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS—Con.						
Total—Con.						
Sorghum, barley, and oats						
farms, 1997..	1	—	—	1	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	(D)	—	—
\$1,000, 1997..	(D)	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton						
farms, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sunflower seed, flaxseed, safflower, canola, other rapeseed, and mustard seed						
farms, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Peanuts, rice, and tobacco ⁴						
farms, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—	—

¹Data are based on a sample of farms.

²Farms with total production expenses equal to market value of agricultural products sold are included as farms with gains.

³Data for 1992 include Christmas trees and maple products.

⁴Data for 1992 include CCC loans for rye and honey.