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## Appendix C. Statistical Methodology

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### THE SCREENING PHASE AND THE MAIL LIST MODEL

The 1997 Census of Agriculture featured a pre-census screening phase that surveyed selected records, by mail or telephone, for presence or absence of agricultural activity. Records selected for screening had a low probability of qualifying as farms. All records responding to the screener and reporting no agricultural activity were removed from the census mail list. Eliminating nonfarm records from the mail list reduced respondent burden and data collection costs.

The screening phase included nearly 500,000 records. Records were selected for screening using one of the following criteria:

- 1) Records on selected agriculture specialty lists that had no other list source,
- 2) Records identified by a mail list model as having a low probability of being a farm.

A mail list model predicted the probability that an addressee on the 1997 preliminary census mail list operated a farm. The model defined groups based on combinations of characteristics such as source(s) of the mail list record, expected value of agricultural production, and geographic location. Farm proportions were estimated for these groups by calculating the proportion of 1992 census respondent records that were farms which exhibited the characteristics defined by the group. This proportion, also called the in-scope rate, provided an estimate of the probability that an addressee in the group operated a farm.

Each address record on the 1997 preliminary census mail list was assigned to a model group by matching record characteristics to model group characteristics. Records belonging to the groups with the highest farm probability were those more likely to be farms. Records with a farm probability of approximately 30 percent or less were selected for screening, along with records included on selected agriculture specialty lists as noted above.

Before screening, the preliminary census mail list consisted of 3,314,790 records. There were 478,298 records selected for screening. Of these, 125,570 records were determined to be nonfarms as a result of the screening phase and were removed. These records were removed from the final census mail list. The remaining 3,189,220 records received census report forms.

### CENSUS SAMPLE DESIGN

All name and address records on the final census mail list were designated to receive a 1997 Census of Agriculture report form. Two different types of census report forms, sample and nonsample, were used to collect data. Sections 1 through 20 and 28 through 32 of the sample form were identical to sections on the nonsample census form. Sample form sections 21 through 27 contained additional questions on usage of fertilizers and chemicals, farm production expenditures, value of machinery and equipment, value of land and buildings, farm-related income, and hired workers. There were 11 regional versions of the nonsample form and 13 regional versions of the sample form with listings of crops varying by region. These different forms were used to reduce the response burden of the census, while providing reliable information on a large number of data items.

The sample form was mailed to all mail list records in Alaska, Hawaii, and Rhode Island and to a sample of records in other States selected from the final mail list. Mail list records were selected into the sample with certainty if they (1) were expected to have large total value of agricultural products sold or large acreage, (2) were multi-unit operations (i.e., separate farms producing under one company organization), (3) were in a county with less than 100 farms in 1992, or (4) had other special characteristics. Farms with special characteristics were abnormal farms, such as institutional farms, experimental and research farms, and Indian reservations. Mail list records in counties containing 100 to 199 farms in 1992 were systematically sampled at a rate of 1 in 2; records in counties containing 200 to 299 farms in 1992 were systematically sampled at a rate of 1 in 4; and records in counties containing 300 or more farms in 1992 were systematically sampled at a rate of 1 in 6. The remaining mail list records not chosen to receive the sample form received the nonsample census form. This differential sampling scheme was used to provide reliable data for the sample sections of the report form for all counties.

### EDITING DATA AND IMPUTATION FOR ITEM NONRESPONSE

The census of agriculture complex edit and imputation system is an automated computerized system that performed the following functions:

- Ensured reasonable relationships between/among data items, values for various sizes of farms, combinations of commodities, and economic interactions.
- Ensured necessary consistencies were present (there were more than 70 distinct consistency requirements).
- Ensured climatic, geographic, legal, and physical constraints were met.

The system performed these and similar functions for more than 900 data key codes for sample records and approximately 850 data key codes for nonsample records.

For the 1997 Census of Agriculture, as in previous censuses, all reported data were keyed and then edited by computer. The edits were used to determine whether the reports met the minimum criteria to be counted as farms in the census. The complex edit and imputation system provided the basis for deciding to accept, impute (supply), delete, or alter the reported value for each data record item.

Whenever possible, edit imputations, deletions, and changes were based on component or related data on the respondent's report form. For some items, such as operator characteristics, data for that record from the previous census were used when available. Values for other missing or unacceptable reported data items were calculated based on reported quantities and known fixed price parameters.

When these and similar methods were not available and values had to be supplied, the imputation process used information reported for another farm operation in a geographically adjacent area with characteristics similar to those of the farm operation with incomplete data. For example, a farm operation that reported acres of corn harvested, but did not report quantity of corn harvested, was assigned the same bushels of corn per acre harvested as that of the last nearby farm with similar characteristics that reported acceptable yields during that particular execution of the computer edit. The imputation for missing items in each section of the report form was conducted separately; thus, assigned values for one operation could come from more than one respondent.

Prior to the imputation operation, a set of default values and relationships was assigned to the possible imputation variables. The relationships and values varied depending on the item being imputed. For example, different default values were assigned for several Standard Industrial Classifications and total value of sales categories when imputing hired farm labor expenses. These values and item relationships for the possible imputation variables were stored in the computer in a series of matrices.

Each execution of the computer edit consisted of records from only one State sorted by reported State and county. For a given execution of the edit, the stored entries in the various matrices were retained in memory only until a succeeding record having acceptable characteristics for the same sections of the report form was processed by the

computer. Then the acceptable responses of the succeeding operation replaced those previously stored. When a record processed through the edit had unreported or unacceptable data, the record was assigned the last acceptable ratio or response from an operation with a similar set of characteristics. Once each execution of the computer edit for a State was completed, the possible imputation variables were reset to the default values and relationships for subsequent executions. An edit run usually consisted of 10,000 or more records.

After the initial computer edit, all keyed reports not meeting the census farm definition were reviewed to ensure that the data had been keyed correctly. Edit referrals were generated for 17 percent of the reports included as farms; they were reviewed for keying accuracy and to ensure that the computer edit actions were correct. If the results of the computer edit were not acceptable, corrections were made and the record re-edited.

## CENSUS ESTIMATION

The 1997 Census of Agriculture used two types of statistical estimation procedures to account for whole farm nonresponse and sample data collection. The procedures were necessary because some farm operators did not respond to the census despite numerous attempts to contact them, and estimates for certain data items were based on a sample of farm operators rather than a full enumeration.

### Whole Farm Nonresponse Estimation

Whole farm nonresponse to the census occurred when a response was never received for a record. If the record was a large farm, as defined by value of production or acreage, or a unique farm operation, intensive telephone or personal followup was conducted during census processing to obtain a response. If these attempts failed, either the NASS survey database, the census historic database, or other more current sources were used to impute data for the record.

During mail list development, the State Statistical Offices (SSOs), in an effort to reduce respondent burden, identified records that participated in multiple NASS surveys and/or situations where there were special reporting relationships between an enumerator and a respondent. These records were referred to as tagged records. The SSOs had full responsibility for the data collection for these records, including imputation of data for the record if a response was not obtainable.

Whole farm nonresponse that occurred within the remaining universe of records was accounted for by a statistical weighting procedure. The weights of the responding farms were adjusted to account for farms that did not respond. The information needed for this process was obtained from the 1997 Nonresponse Survey. The SSOs conducted the nonresponse survey using computer-assisted telephone interviewing (Blaise-CATI) or personal enumeration when telephone contact was not possible. Alaska and Rhode

Island were not eligible for the survey because all nonrespondents were subject to extensive followup. In these cases, data were collected by telephone or other methods. The nonresponse survey collected information from a sample of census nonrespondents to determine farm status and estimate the proportion of farms in the nonresponse universe. The information was then used to estimate the number of nonresponding farm operations by State and county.

The 1997 Nonresponse Survey consisted of a stratified systematic sample of the nonresponse records within each State. The sample was selected near the end of the census follow-up operations. Five strata were defined to be homogeneous on probability of farm status and were based on screener status, total value produced, and list source(s) of the mail list record.

Based on survey results, estimates of the proportion of census nonrespondents operating farms were made for each stratum in the State. The estimates were applied to the total number of census nonrespondents in that stratum, providing a State estimate of the number of census nonrespondents that operated farms. The number of census nonrespondents that operated farms was then derived for each county by stratum. This estimation procedure assumed that the distribution of farms in a stratum by county was the same for census nonrespondents as for census respondents.

Within each stratum in a county, a noninteger nonresponse weight was calculated and assigned to each eligible respondent farm record. Census respondent farms that were designated as large farms or tagged records or as farms that exhibited "rare" commodities were ineligible to represent nonrespondent farms and were excluded from the nonresponse weighting procedure. These records were assigned nonresponse weights of 1.0.

The noninteger nonresponse weight is the ratio of the sum of the estimated number of nonrespondent farms from the nonresponse survey and the number of eligible census respondent farms, divided by the number of eligible census respondent farms. Stratum controls were established to ensure that this weight never exceeded 2.0. For the published tabulations of the complete count items, the noninteger nonresponse weight was randomly rounded to an integer weight of either 1 or 2 for each record. For the sample count items, the noninteger nonresponse weight was used in the calculation of the final sample weight.

Table A quantifies the effect of the nonresponse estimation procedure on selected census data items. The percentages in this table are percents of the census values contributed by nonresponse estimation. These indicate the potential for bias in published figures resulting from nonresponse to the census. The estimates provided in this table do not reflect the effect of item nonresponse to individual census data items. The effect of this item nonresponse is discussed in the "Census Nonsampling Error" section.

## Sample Estimation

Sample data estimation determined the population totals that would have resulted from a complete census for the items in sections 21 through 27 of the sample form. The estimates were obtained from a weighting procedure that assigned a weight to each respondent record containing sample items. For any given county, a sample item total was estimated by multiplying the data items for each farm in the county by the corresponding sample weight and summing over all sample records.

Each respondent sample farm was assigned a sample weight for use in producing estimates for all sample items. For example, if the weight given to a sample farm had the value 6, all sample data items reported by that farm were multiplied by 6.

The noninteger sample weight is calculated for each respondent sample farm by multiplying the noninteger nonrespondent weight by the sampling factor. For published tabulations of the sample count items, the noninteger sample weight was randomly rounded to an integer weight for each record. For certainty farms, the sampling factor equals 1 so the sample weight is just equal to the nonresponse weight. Sampling factor calculation for non-certainty farms is described below.

Within a county, the weighting procedure for non-certainty farms was performed in three steps using three variables. The first variable contained eight 1997 total value of agricultural production (TVP) groups. The second and third variables, Standard Industrial Classification (SIC) code and farm acreage, contained two groups. The three sets of groups were:

TVP	SIC	Acres
\$1 to \$999	01, 08 All crops	1 to 69
\$1,000 to \$2,499	02 All livestock	70 or more
\$2,500 to \$4,999		
\$5,000 to \$9,999		
\$10,000 to \$24,999		
\$25,000 to \$49,999		
\$50,000 to \$99,999		
\$100,000 or more		

The first step in the estimation procedure classified the sample records into 32 mutually exclusive initial strata formed by the three variable groups. The total and sample farm counts were expanded to account for nonresponse. Each cell containing sample farm records was assigned an initial sample factor equal to the ratio of the total farm count to the sample farm count. This factor was approximately equal to the inverse of the probability of selecting a farm for the census sample.

The second step in the estimation procedure combined, when necessary, the 32 initial strata to increase the reliability of the weighting procedure. Any stratum that contained less than 10 sample farms or had a factor greater than twice the mail sample rate was collapsed with another stratum. The mail sample rate was either 2, 4, or 6,

depending on whether the county had a 1 in 2, 1 in 4, or 1 in 6 sample selection rate. The collapsing occurred within the 32 initial strata according to a specified collapsing pattern. After the collapsing process was completed, new total farm counts and sample farm counts were computed from each final strata and used to calculate final sample factors.

The final step calculated the noninteger sample weight as the product of the final sampling factor and the noninteger nonresponse weight. As described previously, the noninteger sample weight for each record is randomly rounded to an integer weight which is used in published tabulations. For example, if the final weight for a farm was 7.2, then the record would be rounded to either 7 or 8.

## CENSUS SAMPLING ERROR

The sample for the 1997 Census of Agriculture was only one of a large number of possible samples of the same size that could have been selected using the same sample design. In this context, "sample" refers to the sample for both the nonresponse survey and the selection of farms to receive sample forms.

The standard error, or sampling error, of a survey estimate is a measure of the variation among the estimates from all possible samples. It is a measure of precision - that is, how well an estimate from a particular sample approximates the true population parameter. The percent relative standard error of an estimate is defined as the standard error of the estimate divided by the value of the estimate, then multiplied by 100. The true population parameter can be defined or conceptualized several different ways. One way is to think of the true population parameter as the average result of all possible samples (selected using a given sample design). A second way is to think of the true population parameter as the figure obtained from carrying out a complete enumeration of the population.

If all possible samples were selected, each of the samples surveyed under essentially the same conditions, and an estimate and its standard error calculated from each sample, then:

1. Approximately 90 percent of the intervals from 1.65 standard errors below the estimate to 1.65 standard errors above the estimate would include the true population parameter.
2. Approximately 95 percent of the intervals from 1.96 standard errors below the estimate to 1.96 standard errors above the estimate would include the true population parameter.

The following example illustrates the computations necessary to produce a confidence statement for an estimate. Assume that the estimate of number of farms for a State is 94,382 and the relative standard error of the estimate is 0.1 percent (0.001). Multiplying 94,382 by 0.001 yields 94, the standard error; therefore, a 90-percent confidence interval is 94,227 to 94,537 (i.e., 94,382 plus or minus 1.65 x 94).

If corresponding confidence intervals were constructed for all possible samples of the same size and design, approximately 90 percent of these intervals would contain the true population parameter. Similarly, a 95-percent confidence interval is 94,198 to 94,566 (i.e., 94,382 plus or minus 1.96 x 94).

Census items were classified as either complete count or sample count items. All farm operators were asked the complete count items. Examples of complete count items were: land in farms, harvested cropland, livestock inventory and sales, crop acreage, quantities harvested and crop sales, land use, irrigation, government loans and payments, conservation acreage, type of organization, and operator characteristics.

Only a sample of farm operators were asked the sample count items. These items appeared only in sections 21 through 27 of the sample form. Sample count items were included under the following section headings: commercial fertilizers, chemicals, production expenses, farm machinery and equipment, value of land and buildings, farm-related income, and hired workers.

Variability in the estimates of complete count items was due only to the nonresponse survey estimation procedure. With regard to the estimates of sample count items, variability was due to both the nonresponse survey estimation procedure and the census sample selection and estimation procedure. Therefore, variability in the sample count item estimates tends to be larger than the variability in the complete count item estimates. Percent relative standard error is a common measure of variability.

Table B provides the generalized reliability estimates of the estimated number of farms in a county that reported complete count and sample count items. The top half of the table shows the percent relative standard errors for estimated number of farms in a county that reported a complete count item, and the bottom half relates to sample count items. These reliability estimates are derived from regression equations. Separate regression equations were used to produce each section of table B. Each regression equation was fit with the estimated number of farms in a county reporting an item as the independent variable and the relative variance of that estimate as the dependent variable for the appropriate counties in the State. To illustrate the use of this table, assume that the estimate of the number of farms reporting hogs and pigs for a particular county, as given in county table 15, is 89. Since hogs and pigs is a complete count data item, refer to the first part of table B and use the estimated percent relative standard error of the estimate from the row with farm count equal to or just less than the estimated number of farms, 89. For this example, the percent relative standard error of the estimate comes from the row for 75 farms reporting. For sample count items, follow the same procedure using the second part of table B. For counties with fewer than 100 farms in the 1992 Census of Agriculture, variability in sample count

item estimates came only from nonresponse survey estimation procedures. The estimated relative standard error for a sample count item in these counties may be obtained using the first part of table B.

Use caution when referring to the "Sample Count Item" section of table B to make inferences on counties. Some counties may have been sampled at the rate of 1 in 2 or 1 in 4, but the reliability estimates shown were computed using only data from counties sampled at the rate of 1 in 6. Therefore, the reliability estimates shown would likely be overstated (or conservative) if the county was actually sampled at a higher rate.

Table C presents the percent relative standard error of selected State data items for all farms, and table D presents the percent relative standard error of selected State data items for all farms with sales of \$10,000 or more.

Table E presents the standard error for percent change in State totals from 1992 to 1997. The general purpose of the percent change estimate is to provide a relative measure of the difference in a characteristic between censuses. The relative change for a given characteristic is defined as the ratio of the difference of the 1997 and the 1992 estimate for that characteristic to the 1992 estimate. This ratio is multiplied by 100 to obtain the percent change. The standard error of a percent change estimate is the standard error of the ratio multiplied by 100.

Table F presents the percent relative standard error for State and county totals for selected data items. The percent relative standard error of the estimate for the same item differs among counties in the State. Reasons for this are differences among counties in the (1) total number of farms, (2) number of large farms included with certainty, (3) size classifications of the farms sampled, (4) amount of nonresponse, (5) general agricultural characteristics, and (6) specific characteristic being measured.

The farm counts and related estimates displayed in tables A through F relate to unadjusted census totals. These totals are the same as the "Census total" displayed in the first column of table G (which will be discussed later in this appendix).

For most of the tables in this appendix, and also many of the tables throughout the publication, there is a footnote that reads "Data are based on a sample of farms." The table entries that this footnote relate to are estimates of totals. To illustrate, suppose that the entry "other farm-related income" is shown with this footnote and has some number of farms given. This number given would represent an estimated total number of farms with "other farm-related income," based on the farms that were in the sample. This number should not be interpreted as the number of farms in the sample that have "other farm-related income."

## CENSUS NONSAMPLING ERROR

The accuracy of the census counts is affected jointly by sampling errors (described in the previous section) and nonsampling errors. Extensive efforts were made to compile a complete and accurate mail list for the census, to

design an understandable report form with instructions, and to minimize processing errors through the use of quality control measures. Nonsampling errors arise from many sources, including respondent or enumerator error or incorrect data keying, editing, or imputing for missing data. These nonsampling errors are further discussed in this section. Nonsampling error due to mail list incompleteness and duplication as well as misclassification of records on the mail list is called coverage error. The section titled "Coverage Evaluation" discusses the evaluation studies conducted to measure the extent of this error in the census.

### Respondent and Enumerator Error

Incorrect or incomplete responses to the census report form or to the questions posed by an enumerator can introduce error into the census data. To reduce reporting error, detailed instructions for completing the report form were provided to each respondent. Questions were phrased as clearly as possible based on previous tests of the report form. In addition, each respondent's answers were checked for completeness and consistency by the complex edit and imputation system.

### Item Nonresponse

As information flowed from data collection to tabulation, various types of item nonresponses were identified on the census report forms. Nonresponse to particular questions on the census report form that logically should have been present created a type of nonsampling error in both complete count and sample count data. In this case, information from a similar farm was used to impute for these missing data items. The resulting data may have been biased if the characteristics of the nonreporting respondents were different from those of reporting respondents for those items.

### Processing Error

All phases of processing for each census report form were potential sources for the introduction of nonsampling error. An automated check-in recorded that the report had been returned and excluded from further followup mailings. Approximately one-third of the mail returns were reviewed to resolve questions dealing with multiple reports, respondent remarks, or no reported data. The remaining mail returns (about two-thirds) were batched and sent directly to data keying, along with some of the reviewed cases containing farm data. Keyed records were transmitted, formatted, and run through the complex edit and imputation system. About one-fifth of all forms edited were clerically reviewed for inconsistencies, omissions, or questionable values. While reviewing these forms, the edit review staff determined if the action taken by the computer edit and imputation system was correct. Edited records were tabulated to the county level. Each county was reviewed and, when necessary, individual records were corrected prior to publication.

Developing accurate processing methods is complicated by the complex structure of agriculture. Among the complexities are the many places to be included, the variety of arrangements under which farms are operated, the continuing changes in the relationship of operators to the farm operated, the expiration of leases and the initiation or renewal of leases, the problem of obtaining a complete list of agriculture operations, the difficulty of contacting and identifying some types of contractor/contractee relationships, the operator's absence from the farm during the data collection period, and the operator's opinion that part or all of the operation does not qualify and should not be included in the census. During data collection and processing of the census, all operations underwent a number of quality control checks to ensure as accurate an application as possible.

## COVERAGE EVALUATION

### Coverage Overview

The primary objectives of the census of agriculture are to accurately count U.S. farms, measure commodity production and sales, and measure demographic characteristics of farm operators. Since 1945, an evaluation of census coverage has been conducted for each census of agriculture to provide estimates of the completeness of census farm counts. These results help to identify problems and focus improvements for future censuses.

According to coverage evaluation results, the past five censuses of agriculture included an average of 92 percent of U.S. farms and 98 percent of agriculture production. Complete enumeration of agricultural operations satisfying the farm definition of \$1,000 or more in agricultural sales is complicated by the variety of arrangements under which farms are operated, the multiplicity of names used for an operation, the number of operations in which an operator participates, and the difficulty in classifying those operations just around the \$1,000 sales range. In 1997, extensive efforts were made to compile as complete and accurate a mail list as possible, while reducing the duplication and number of nonfarm operations on the list.

The 1997 coverage evaluation program was designed to measure four components of error in the census farm counts. These components include:

1. Undercount due to farms Not on the Mail List (NML)
2. Overcount due to farms Duplicated or enumerated more than once (DUP)
3. Undercount due to farms Incorrectly Classified as nonfarms (ICU)
4. Overcount due to nonfarms Incorrectly Classified as farms (ICO).

The first component, mail list undercount, is by far the largest component of coverage error. Duplication, though occurring far less frequently, can involve larger farms and have a larger impact on acreage and sales estimates. The

last two components involve the misclassification of either farms or nonfarms. Misclassification can arise from errors in either reporting or processing the data.

Table G - Coverage Estimates - illustrates the effect of coverage adjustments on census farm counts by demographic characteristics, land in farms, and total value of sales. The coverage total is defined as the net difference between undercounted and overcounted farms. The adjusted census total is the sum of the census total and the net coverage total. The relative standard error is shown for the final census coverage adjusted number. This number will be similar to the relative standard error for the census number, except when the coverage total is negative or close to zero. The coverage adjustment percentage shows the coverage total as a percentage of total census adjusted farms for that characteristic.

The 1997 Census of Agriculture is the first census to include all four components of coverage error in table G. Previous publications only included the coverage error component due to farms not on the mail list (NML). Because of this, caution should be taken when comparing coverage estimates from table G with previous years. In addition, the coverage total is a negative number for some characteristics. This means that the number of farms overcounted for this characteristic was greater than the number of farms undercounted.

### Area Frame Surveys to Measure Mail List Undercoverage

Names and addresses collected in the 1997 June Agricultural Survey and 1997 Fall Area Survey were used to estimate the undercount due to farms not on the census mail list (NML). These names were matched to the census mail list, and those that did not match were contacted by telephone or person. The enumerator verified whether the operation had reported in the census, and if not, a census of agriculture report form was completed.

The percentage of farms missed in the census varies considerably by State. In general, farms not on the mail list tended to be small in acreage, production, and sales of agricultural products. Farm operations could be missed for various reasons, including the possibility that the operation started after the mail list was developed, the operation may be so small as not to appear in any agriculture-related source lists, or the operation may have been falsely classified as a nonfarm prior to mailout.

### Classification Error Survey to Measure Three Types of Coverage Error

The remaining three types of coverage error were measured by the Classification Error Survey. This survey was used to estimate the number of farms counted more than once (DUP), the number of farms misclassified as nonfarms (ICU), and the number of nonfarms misclassified as farms (ICO). A sample of census of agriculture respondents was selected for reinterview to determine their farm/nonfarm status and collect information to identify

potential duplication. The farm classification from this interview was compared with the classification on the census of agriculture report form. Any differences between these two classifications were reconciled to determine the true farm status. Each operation was reviewed for duplication by matching the additional information received from the reinterview (landlords, tenants, other names, etc.) to the list of census respondents. Potential duplication was reviewed and discrepancies reconciled.

In general, the classification error rate is higher for small farms close to the \$1,000 agricultural sales requirement. This rate is also higher for farms with small acreage (less than 49 acres), higher for tenant farms than for full- or part-owner farms, and higher for farms where farming is not the operator's principal occupation.

### Coverage Estimation

The adjusted census total,  $T$ , is estimated as the census farm count,  $C$ , plus undercount and minus overcount adjustments. Undercount includes 1) farms not on the mail

list (NML) and 2) farms incorrectly classified as nonfarms (ICU). Overcount includes 3) nonfarms incorrectly classified as farms (ICO) and 4) farms duplicated in the census (DUP). Altogether, the adjusted census total is:

$$T = C + (NML + ICU) - (ICO + DUP).$$

In some States, estimates of misclassification of farms owned by operators having rare demographic characteristics were based on particularly small sample sizes. Where such small sample sizes occurred, a form of small area estimation was used in which data from similar States contributed to that State's estimates. In these cases, the coverage totals are weighted totals of the direct State estimate and the direct estimate from the region. Direct estimates were used to the largest extent possible, based on the amount of survey cases available for the particular item being estimated.

**Table A. Percent of State Totals Contributed by Whole Farm Nonresponse Estimation: 1997**

Item	Percent of total	Item	Percent of total
Farms ..... number..	10.6	Corn for grain or seed ..... acres..	5.4
Land in farms ..... acres..	6.6	Wheat for grain ..... acres..	5.7
Estimated market value of land and buildings <sup>1</sup> ..... \$1,000..	6.4	Livestock and poultry inventory:	7.8
Market value of agricultural products sold ..... \$1,000..	4.2	Cattle and calves..... number..	number..
Harvested cropland..... acres..	5.7	Hogs and pigs .....	2.7
		Layers 20 weeks old and older..... number..	.2

<sup>1</sup>Data are based on a sample of farms.

**Table B. Reliability Estimates for Number of Farms in a County Reporting a Complete Count Item or Sample Count Item: 1997**

Farms	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Farms	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)
<b>COMPLETE COUNT ITEM</b>			
Number of farms reporting:			
25 .....	5.8	25 .....	42.1
50 .....	3.8	50 .....	29.1
75 .....	2.9	75 .....	23.3
100 .....	2.3	100 .....	19.7
150 .....	1.4	150 .....	15.4
200 .....	.6	200 .....	12.6
300 .....	.5	300 .....	9.1
500 .....	.4	500 .....	4.6
750 .....	.3	750 .....	3.8
1,000.....	.3	1,000.....	3.3
1,500.....	.2	1,500.....	2.7
2,000.....	(X)	2,000.....	(X)

**Table C. Reliability Estimates of State Totals for All Farms: 1997**

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

Item	Total	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Item	Total	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)			
<b>F FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS</b>								
Farms .....	57 916	.4	Farm production expenses <sup>1</sup>					
Land in farms .....	15 111 022	.3	Total farm production expenses .....	farms..	57 922 .4			
Average size of farm .....	261	.6	\$1,000..	4 011 772 .4				
			Average per farm .....	dollars..	69 262 .6			
<b>M MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD</b>								
Total sales (see text) .....	57 916	.4	Livestock and poultry purchased .....	farms..	14 780 1.6			
\$1,000.	5 229 977	.2	\$1,000..	282 253 1.1				
Average per farm .....	90 303	.5	Feed for livestock and poultry .....	farms..	25 765 1.1			
			\$1,000..	818 113 .5				
Farms by value of sales:			Commercially mixed formula feeds .....	farms..	16 811 1.5			
Less than \$1,000 (see text) .....	7 545	.7	\$1,000..	533 016 .6				
\$1,000.	1 285	.9						
\$1,000 to \$2,499 .....	5 477	.7	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees .....	farms..	38 483 .7			
\$1,000.	9 169	.7	\$1,000..	254 268 .7				
\$2,500 to \$4,999 .....	5 710	.7	Commercial fertilizer .....	farms..	41 337 .7			
\$1,000.	20 426	.7	\$1,000..	451 832 .7				
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	6 579	.7	Agricultural chemicals .....	farms..	36 541 .8			
\$1,000.	47 283	.7	\$1,000..	291 799 .8				
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....	6 658	.6	Petroleum products .....	farms..	53 806 .5			
\$1,000.	95 482	.7	\$1,000..	192 729 .6				
\$20,000 to \$24,999 .....	2 099	.9	Electricity .....	farms..	39 997 .7			
\$1,000.	46 832	.9	\$1,000..	56 716 .8				
\$25,000 to \$39,999 .....	4 101	.8	Hired farm labor .....	farms..	16 964 1.4			
\$1,000.	130 184	.8	\$1,000..	248 070 .8				
\$40,000 to \$49,999 .....	1 956	1.0	Contract labor .....	farms..	3 726 3.4			
\$1,000.	87 355	1.0	\$1,000..	17 334 3.0				
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	5 728	.8	Repair and maintenance .....	farms..	47 778 .6			
\$1,000.	410 171	.8	\$1,000..	257 352 .7				
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....	6 772	.7	Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment .....	farms..	19 743 1.3			
\$1,000.	1 084 271	.7	\$1,000..	58 005 1.6				
\$250,000 to \$499,999 .....	3 307	—	Interest .....	farms..	27 599 1.0			
\$1,000.	1 154 721	—	\$1,000..	272 608 1.0				
\$500,000 or more .....	1 984	—	Secured by real estate .....	farms..	21 382 1.2			
\$1,000.	2 142 798	—	\$1,000..	184 350 1.2				
Sales by commodity or commodity group:			Not secured by real estate .....	farms..	14 862 1.5			
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops .....	40 750	.5	\$1,000..	88 257 1.2				
\$1,000.	3 246 617	.3	Cash rent .....	farms..	16 729 1.3			
Grains .....	33 540	.5	\$1,000..	358 739 1.0				
\$1,000.	2 982 707	.3	Property taxes .....	farms..	55 473 .5			
Corn for grain .....	27 392	.5	\$1,000..	138 472 .9				
\$1,000.	1 515 617	.3	All other farm production expenses .....	farms..	52 467 .5			
Wheat .....	10 563	.5	\$1,000..	313 484 .6				
\$1,000.	91 903	.3						
Soybeans .....	28 024	.5	<b>NET CASH RETURN FROM AGRICULTURAL SALES FOR THE FARM UNIT (SEE TEXT)<sup>1</sup></b>					
\$1,000.	1 344 904	.3						
Sorghum for grain .....	112	2.4	All farms .....	number..	57 922 .4			
\$1,000.	2 090	1.9	\$1,000..	1 163 605 .9				
Barley .....	48	3.9	Average per farm .....	dollars..	20 089 1.0			
\$1,000.	150	4.0						
Oats .....	643	1.2	Farms with net gains <sup>2</sup> .....	number..	31 555 .8			
\$1,000.	1 185	2.0	\$1,000..	1 396 731 .7				
Other grains .....	558	1.0	Average net gain .....	dollars..	44 263 1.1			
\$1,000.	26 858	.6	Farms with net losses .....	number..	26 367 1.0			
Cotton and cottonseed .....	—	—	\$1,000..	233 126 1.4				
\$1,000.	—	—	Average net loss .....	dollars..	8 842 1.7			
Tobacco .....	2 011	.7						
\$1,000.	28 408	1.1	<b>GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS AND OTHER FARM-RELATED INCOME</b>					
Hay, silage, and field seeds .....	9 580	.5						
\$1,000.	46 774	.6	Government payments .....	farms..	30 295 .5			
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons .....	1 125	.9	\$1,000..	188 508 .3				
\$1,000.	43 622	.6	Other farm-related income <sup>1</sup> .....	farms..	16 093 1.6			
Fruits, nuts, and berries .....	536	1.4	\$1,000..	92 792 3.2				
\$1,000.	11 885	1.9	Customwork and other agricultural services .....	farms..	5 282 2.8			
Nursery and greenhouse crops .....	1 195	1.0	\$1,000..	33 706 5.3				
\$1,000.	110 877	.6	Gross cash rent or share payments .....	farms..	6 458 2.8			
Other crops .....	299	1.5	\$1,000..	43 618 5.1				
\$1,000.	22 343	.5	Forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products .....	farms..	1 136 6.6			
Livestock, poultry, and their products .....	28 449	.4	\$1,000..	6 825 9.8				
\$1,000.	1 983 359	.2	Other farm-related income sources .....	farms..	6 495 2.4			
Poultry and poultry products .....	1 379	.8	\$1,000..	8 642 5.5				
\$1,000.	515 456	.1						
Dairy products .....	2 749	.7						
\$1,000.	255 784	.5						
Cattle and calves .....	21 585	.5						
\$1,000.	331 134	.3						
Hogs and pigs .....	6 623	.5						
\$1,000.	843 002	.2						
Sheep, lambs, and wool .....	1 896	.8						
\$1,000.	3 812	2.1						
Other livestock and livestock products (see text) .....	3 181	.7	<b>COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS</b>					
\$1,000.	34 172	.8						
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text) .....	2 767	.7	Total .....	farms..	3 356 .6			
\$1,000.	12 953	1.0	\$1,000..	149 820 .4				

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**Table C. Reliability Estimates of State Totals for All Farms: 1997—Con.**

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

Item	Total	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Item	Total	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)			
<b>LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE</b>								
Total cropland .....	farms..	53 256	All operators .....	farms..	57 916			
	acres..	12 848 950		acres..	15 111 022			
Harvested cropland .....	farms..	47 613	Full owners .....	farms..	33 840			
	acres..	11 716 704		acres..	3 624 043			
Farms by acres harvested:			Part owners .....	farms..	19 019			
1 to 9 acres .....	farms..	5 935		acres..	9 981 173			
	acres..	28 565	Tenants .....	farms..	5 057			
10 to 19 acres .....	farms..	5 314		acres..	1 505 806			
	acres..	71 493						
20 to 29 acres .....	farms..	3 721	<b>OWNED AND RENTED LAND</b>					
	acres..	87 043	Land owned .....	farms..	53 116			
30 to 49 acres .....	farms..	5 127		acres..	8 200 611			
	acres..	193 216	Owned land in farms .....	farms..	52 859			
50 to 99 acres .....	farms..	7 040		acres..	7 219 208			
	acres..	494 959	Land rented or leased from others .....	farms..	24 282			
100 to 199 acres .....	farms..	6 053		acres..	7 944 726			
	acres..	849 739	Rented or leased land in farms .....	farms..	90 095			
200 to 499 acres .....	farms..	7 196		acres..	24 076			
	acres..	2 306 945	Rented or leased land in farms .....	farms..	7 891 814			
500 to 999 acres .....	farms..	4 350		acres..	10 097			
	acres..	3 024 716	Land rented or leased to others .....	farms..	1 034 315			
1,000 acres or more .....	farms..	2 877		acres..	.8			
	acres..	4 660 028						
Cropland:								
Pasture or grazing only .....	farms..	18 876	<b>OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS</b>					
	acres..	621 266	Operators by place of residence:					
Other cropland .....	farms..	12 737	On farm operated .....	farms..	44 066			
	acres..	510 980	Not on farm operated .....	farms..	9 670			
Total woodland .....	farms..	28 861	Not reported .....	farms..	4 180			
	acres..	1 283 246	Operators by principal occupation:					
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and			Farming .....	farms..	26 993			
woodland pastured .....	farms..	10 219	Other .....	farms..	30 923			
	acres..	364 067	Operators by days worked off farm:					
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. ....	farms..	39 772	Any .....	farms..	33 959			
	acres..	614 759	200 days or more .....	farms..	24 216			
Irrigated land .....	farms..	1 753	Operators by sex:					
	acres..	250 050	Male .....	farms..	54 695			
Acres irrigated:				acres..	14 711 758			
1 to 9 acres .....	farms..	737	Female .....	farms..	3 221			
	acres..	1 840		acres..	399 264			
10 to 49 acres .....	farms..	250	Average age of operator .....	years..	52.8			
	acres..	6 145			.6			
50 to 99 acres .....	farms..	142	Individual or family (sole proprietorship) .....	farms..	49 293			
	acres..	10 170		acres..	10 821 789			
100 to 199 acres .....	farms..	232	Partnership .....	farms..	5 235			
	acres..	32 108		acres..	2 187 125			
200 to 499 acres .....	farms..	259	Corporation:					
	acres..	79 331	Family held .....	farms..	2 797			
500 to 999 acres .....	farms..	100		acres..	1 946 569			
	acres..	65 142	More than 10 stockholders .....	farms..	59			
1,000 acres or more .....	farms..	33		acres..	2 738			
	acres..	55 314	Other than family held .....	farms..	221			
Harvested cropland irrigated .....	farms..	1 719		acres..	67 093			
	acres..	248 383	More than 10 stockholders .....	farms..	24			
Pasture and other land irrigated .....	farms..	59		acres..	197			
	acres..	1 667	Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. ....	farms..	370			
Land under Conservation Reserve or Wetlands				acres..	88 446			
Reserve Programs .....	farms..	7 722			1.3			
	acres..	364 177						
<b>VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS<sup>1</sup></b>								
Estimated market value of land and buildings .....	farms..	57 922	<b>HIRE FARM LABOR<sup>1</sup></b>					
\$1,000.		.4						
Average per farm .....	dollars..	30 852 897	Hired workers by days worked:					
Average per acre .....	dollars..	532 663	150 days or more .....	farms..	6 214			
		2 064		workers..	14 476			
			Less than 150 days .....	farms..	15 273			
				workers..	48 667			
					2.1			
<b>VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup></b>								
Estimated market value of all machinery and			<b>INJURIES AND DEATHS</b>					
equipment .....	farms..	57 921						
\$1,000.		.6	Farm-related injuries:					
Average per farm .....	dollars..	3 709 854	Operator and family members .....	farms..	586			
		64 050		number..	657			
			Hired workers .....	farms..	13			
				number..	214			
					1.4			
			Farm-related deaths:					
			Operator and family members .....	farms..	26			
				number..	26			
			Hired workers .....	farms..	6			
				number..	6			
<b>AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS<sup>1</sup></b>								
Commercial fertilizer .....	farms..	41 241						
acres on which used .....	acres..	9 088 706						

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**Table C. Reliability Estimates of State Totals for All Farms: 1997—Con.**

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

Item	Total	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Item	Total	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)
<b>F FARMS BY SIZE</b>					
1 to 9 acres .....	farms..		LIVESTOCK		
	4 183	.7	Cattle and calves inventory..... farms..	23 025	.5
	19 450	.8	number..	976 701	.4
10 to 49 acres .....	farms..		Beef cows .....	15 164	.5
	13 987	.6	number..	277 797	.5
50 to 69 acres .....	farms..		Milk cows .....	3 216	.7
	4 397	.7	number..	131 630	.5
70 to 99 acres .....	farms..		Cattle and calves sold .....	21 585	.5
	6 293	.6	number..	667 846	.4
100 to 139 acres .....	farms..		\$1,000..	331 134	.3
	517 708	.6	farms..	6 442	.5
140 to 179 acres .....	farms..		number..	3 972 060	.2
	3 765	.7	Hogs and pigs inventory .....	6 623	.5
180 to 219 acres .....	farms..		number..	7 584 642	.2
	2 587	.8	\$1,000..	843 002	.2
220 to 259 acres .....	farms..		Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory..... farms..	1 927	.8
	1 975	.9	number..	54 227	1.3
260 to 499 acres .....	farms..		Sheep and lambs sold .....	1 814	.8
	6 537	.9	number..	45 792	2.0
500 to 999 acres .....	farms..		Horses and ponies inventory .....	9 176	.6
	5 268	.6	number..	58 628	.7
	3 645 156	.5	Horses and ponies sold .....	2 342	.8
			number..	10 117	1.2
<b>F FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM</b>					
Oilseed and grain farming (1111) .....	farms..		POULTRY		
	30 336	.5	Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text) .....	farms..	
Vegetable and melon farming (1112) .....	farms..		number..	1 846	.8
	492	.3	Layers 20 weeks old and older .....	farms..	
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113) .....	farms..		number..	22 731 425	.2
	71 454	.4	tons, green..	1 1 785	.8
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114) .....	farms..		farms..	20 613 402	.2
	23 494	2.3	bushels..		
	982	1.1	102 464		
Other crop farming (1119) .....	farms..		tons, green..	1 639 160	.5
	53 400	1.7	farms..	10 658	.5
Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111) .....	farms..		acres..	545 027	.4
	630 568	.6	bushels..	29 209 090	.4
Cattle feedlots (112112) .....	farms..		farms..	1 739	.9
	1 986	.8	acres..	23 551	1.1
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212) .....	farms..		bushels..	1 445 213	1.0
	247 705	.9	farms..	2 017	.7
Hog and pig farming (1122) .....	farms..		acres..	8 507	1.0
	446 447	.7	pounds..	17 275 291	1.1
Poultry and egg production (1123) .....	farms..		farms..	28 056	.5
	874 007	.6	acres..	5 003 186	.3
Sheep and goat farming (1124) .....	farms..		bushels..	210 645 005	.3
	92 485	.5	farms..	115	2.6
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129) .....	farms..		acres..	4 041	.4
	2 811	.8	cwt..	1 010 898	.4
	147 040	1.2	Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) .....	farms..	
			acres..	22 923	.5
			tons, dry..	674 789	.5
			farms..	1 756 825	.5
			acres..	14 384	.5
			Alfalfa hay .....	farms..	
			acres..	331 998	.5
			tons, dry..	1 025 634	.5
			farms..	1 125	.9
			acres..	30 139	.7
			Land in orchards .....	farms..	
			acres..	571	1.3
			acres..	5 835	2.1

<sup>1</sup>Data are based on a sample of farms.

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

**Table D. Reliability Estimates of State Totals for Farms With Sales of \$10,000 or More:  
1997**

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

Item	Total	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Item	Total	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)
<b>F FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS</b>					
Farms .....	32 605	.5	FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES <sup>1</sup>		
Land in farms .....	13 537 803	.3	Total farm production expenses .....	farms..	32 560
Average size of farm .....	415	.6	\$1,000..	3 863 199	.4
			Average per farm .....	dollars..	118 649
			Livestock and poultry purchased .....	farms..	9 859
			\$1,000..	273 232	1.8
			Feed for livestock and poultry .....	farms..	14 976
			\$1,000..	804 689	.5
			Commercially mixed formula feeds .....	farms..	10 036
			\$1,000..	526 754	.8
			Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees .....	farms..	29 187
			\$1,000..	249 924	.7
			Commercial fertilizer .....	farms..	29 077
			\$1,000..	441 162	.7
			Agricultural chemicals .....	farms..	27 104
			\$1,000..	286 544	.8
			Petroleum products .....	farms..	32 129
			\$1,000..	182 311	.5
			Electricity .....	farms..	27 179
			\$1,000..	52 719	.8
			Hired farm labor .....	farms..	13 165
			\$1,000..	245 681	.8
			Contract labor .....	farms..	2 759
			\$1,000..	16 483	3.1
			Repair and maintenance .....	farms..	30 032
			\$1,000..	236 806	.6
			Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment .....	farms..	13 995
			\$1,000..	54 666	1.5
			Interest .....	farms..	20 501
			\$1,000..	252 819	1.1
			Secured by real estate .....	farms..	15 240
			\$1,000..	166 437	1.4
			Not secured by real estate .....	farms..	12 792
			\$1,000..	86 382	1.5
Sales by commodity or commodity group:					
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops .....	farms..				
\$1,000..					
Grains .....	farms..				
\$1,000..					
Corn for grain .....	farms..				
\$1,000..					
Wheat .....	farms..				
\$1,000..					
Soybeans .....	farms..				
\$1,000..					
Sorghum for grain .....	farms..				
\$1,000..					
Barley .....	farms..				
\$1,000..					
Oats .....	farms..				
\$1,000..					
Other grains .....	farms..				
\$1,000..					
Cotton and cottonseed .....	farms..				
\$1,000..					
Tobacco .....	farms..				
\$1,000..					
Hay, silage, and field seeds .....	farms..				
\$1,000..					
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons .....	farms..				
\$1,000..					
Fruits, nuts, and berries .....	farms..				
\$1,000..					
Nursery and greenhouse crops .....	farms..				
\$1,000..					
Other crops .....	farms..				
\$1,000..					
Livestock, poultry, and their products .....	farms..				
\$1,000..					
Poultry and poultry products .....	farms..				
\$1,000..					
Dairy products .....	farms..				
\$1,000..					
Cattle and calves .....	farms..				
\$1,000..					
Hogs and pigs .....	farms..				
\$1,000..					
Sheep, lambs, and wool .....	farms..				
\$1,000..					
Other livestock and livestock products (see text) .....	farms..				
\$1,000..					
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text) .....	farms..				
\$1,000..					
	1 373	.9	Total .....	farms..	3 159
	10 807	1.1	\$1,000..	149 609	.6

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

Item	Total	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Item	Total	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)			
<b>LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE</b>								
Total cropland .....	31 544	.5	Farms by type of organization					
farms..	12 049 099	.3	Individual or family (sole proprietorship) .....	farms..	26 050			
acres..	30 984	.5	acres..	9 404 219	.4			
Harvested cropland .....	11 366 961	.3	Partnership .....	farms..	3 780			
farms..			acres..	2 086 852	.4			
acres..			Corporation:					
Cropland:			Family held .....	farms..	2 439			
Pasture or grazing only .....	9 654	.6	acres..	1 911 139	.7			
farms..	405 894	.7	More than 10 stockholders .....	farms..	53			
acres..			10 or less stockholders .....	farms..	2 386			
Total woodland .....	16 038	.5	Other than family held .....	farms..	169			
farms..	822 500	.6	acres..	62 891	2.0			
acres..			More than 10 stockholders .....	farms..	20			
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and	4 937	.6	10 or less stockholders .....	farms..	149			
woodland pastured .....	231 376	.7	Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. ....	farms..	167			
farms..			acres..	72 702	2.3			
acres..					1.4			
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. ....	21 756	.5	<b>Hired farm labor<sup>1</sup></b>					
farms..	434 828	.5	Hired workers by days worked:					
acres..	1 426	.7	150 days or more .....	farms..	5 213			
Irrigated land .....	247 837	.5	workers..	13 402	2.1			
farms..	1 415	.7	Less than 150 days .....	farms..	11 499			
acres..	246 393	.5	workers..	40 364	1.6			
Pasture and other land irrigated .....	1 31	4.8			2.1			
farms..	1 444	4.3	<b>Injuries and deaths</b>					
acres..			Farm-related injuries:					
Land under Conservation Reserve or Wetlands	3 083	.7	Operator and family members .....	farms..	406			
Reserve Programs .....	136 779	.9	number..	457	1.5			
farms..			Hired workers .....	farms..	194			
acres..			number..	511	1.4			
<b>Value of Land and Buildings<sup>1</sup></b>								
Estimated market value of land and buildings .....	32 560	.5	Farm-related deaths:					
farms..	26 796 274	.7	Operator and family members .....	farms..	18			
\$1,000..	822 981	.8	number..	(D)	—			
Average per farm .....	2 007	.9	Hired workers .....	farms..	4			
dollars..			number..	(D)	(D)			
Average per acre .....								
<b>Value of Machinery and Equipment<sup>1</sup></b>								
Estimated market value of all machinery and	32 559	.5	<b>Farms by size</b>					
equipment .....	3 209 236	.8	1 to 9 acres .....		1 008			
farms..	98 567	1.0	2 519	1.1				
\$1,000..			50 to 69 acres .....		1 468			
Average per farm .....			70 to 99 acres .....		3 074			
dollars..			100 to 139 acres .....		3 412			
			140 to 179 acres .....		2 704			
			180 to 219 acres .....		2 032			
			220 to 259 acres .....		1 694			
			260 to 499 acres .....		6 062			
			500 to 999 acres .....		5 182			
			1,000 to 1,999 acres .....		2 738			
			2,000 acres or more .....		712			
					—			
<b>Agricultural Chemicals<sup>1</sup></b>								
Commercial fertilizer .....	29 043	.7	<b>Farms by North American Industry Classification System</b>					
farms..	8 824 966	.7	Oilseed and grain farming (1111) .....		21 680			
acres on which used..			Vegetable and melon farming (1112) .....		249			
			Fruit and tree nut farming (1113) .....		124			
			Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114) .....		604			
			Other crop farming (1119) .....		1 693			
			Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111) .....		1 813			
All operators .....	32 605	.5	Cattle feedlots (112112) .....		757			
farms..	13 537 803	.3	Dairy cattle and milk production (11212) .....		1 832			
acres..	12 696	.6	Hog and pig farming (1122) .....		2 868			
Full owners .....	2 333 502	.6	Poultry and egg production (1123) .....		521			
farms..	16 181	.6	Sheep and goat farming (1124) .....		59			
acres..	9 750 367	.3	Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129) .....		405			
Part owners .....	3 728	.7			1.6			
farms..	1 453 934	.5						
Tenants .....		.5	<b>Livestock</b>					
farms..			Cattle and calves inventory .....	farms..	12 402			
acres..			number..	803 565	.6			
<b>Owned and Rented Land</b>			Beef cows .....	farms..	7 207			
Land owned .....	29 060	.5	number..	193 482	.6			
farms..	6 334 421	.4	Milk cows .....	farms..	2 733			
acres..	28 877	.5	number..	130 124	.7			
Owned land in farms .....	5 811 362	.4			.5			
farms..								
Land rented or leased from others .....	20 011	.5	Cattle and calves sold .....	farms..	12 272			
farms..	7 767 906	.3	number..	590 195	.5			
acres..	82 841	.4	\$1,000..	303 477	.4			
Rented or leased land in farms .....	19 909	.4			3			
farms..	7 726 441	.3	Hogs and pigs inventory .....	farms..	5 382			
acres..			number..	3 946 202	.2			
Land rented or leased to others .....	4 243	.7	Hogs and pigs sold .....	farms..	5 610			
farms..	564 524	.9	number..	7 555 519	.5			
acres..			\$1,000..	840 510	.2			
<b>Operator Characteristics</b>			Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory .....	farms..	862			
Operators by place of residence:			number..	32 039	1.1			
On farm operated .....	25 300	.5						
farms..	5 243	.7						
Not on farm operated .....	2 062	.6						
Not reported .....								
Operators by principal occupation:								
Farming .....	21 076	.5						
Other .....	11 529	.6						
Operators by days worked off farm:								
Any .....	16 141	.6						
200 days or more .....	9 950	.6						
Operators by sex:								
Male .....	31 523	.5						
Female .....	1 082	1.1						
Average age of operator .....	years..	.7						

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table D. Reliability Estimates of State Totals for Farms With Sales of \$10,000 or More:  
1997—Con.**

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

Item	Total	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Item	Total	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)
<b>POULTRY</b>					
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text) .....	farms..	811	Oats for grain .....	farms..	1 436
number..		.2	acres..	21 099	.9
Layers 20 weeks old and older .....	farms..	781	bushels..	1 321 298	1.1
number..		.2	farms..	1 167	.8
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold .....	farms..	129	acres..	7 287	1.1
number..		2.6	pounds..	15 188 332	1.2
<b>SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED</b>					
Corn for grain or seed .....	farms..	26 009	farms..	24 329	.5
acres..		.5	acres..	4 933 262	.3
bushels..		.3	bushels..	208 333 338	.3
Corn for silage or green chop .....	farms..	3 048	farms..	77	3.0
acres..		.7	acres..	4 012	.4
tons, green..		.5	cwt..	1 006 706	.3
Wheat for grain .....	farms..	1 593 950	Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) .....	farms..	12 385
acres..		.6	acres..	483 373	.6
bushels..		.4	tons, dry..	1 355 148	.5
9 679		.5	farms..	8 849	.6
532 868		.4	acres..	260 786	.6
28 703 750		.4	tons, dry..	849 142	.6
			Vegetables harvested for sale (see text) .....	farms..	757
			acres..	29 282	.7
			Land in orchards .....	farms..	193
			acres..	4 430	2.1
					2.5

<sup>1</sup>Data are based on a sample of farms.

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

**Table E. Reliability Estimates of Percent Change in State Totals: 1992 to 1997**

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

Item	All farms		Farms with sales of \$10,000 or more	
	Percent change from 1992 to 1997	Standard error of estimate	Percent change from 1992 to 1997	Standard error of estimate
Farms .....	-7.7	1.1	-11.1	1.3
Land in farms .....	-3.3	.9	-4.0	.9
Average size of farm .....	4.8	1.6	8.1	1.9
Estimated market value of land and buildings <sup>1</sup> :				
Average per farm .....	dollars..	53.9	2.6	57.5
Average per acre .....	dollars..	48.0	2.4	47.2
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment <sup>1</sup> :				
Average per farm .....	dollars..	15.5	2.1	20.8
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres .....		-18.6	1.2	-27.1
10 to 49 acres .....		-1.7	1.3	3.4
50 to 179 acres .....		-6.4	.8	-11.0
180 to 499 acres .....		-14.1	1.1	-16.8
500 to 999 acres .....		-12.2	1.1	-12.7
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....		-2.5	.2	2.4
2,000 acres or more .....		37.1	-	36.9
Total cropland .....	farms..	-8.4	1.1	-10.6
	acres..	-3.9	.9	-3.9
Harvested cropland .....	farms..	-12.2	1.1	-10.2
	acres..	-1.0	.9	-3
Irrigated land .....	farms..	.6	1.2	1.5
	acres..	3.8	.8	3.8
Market value of agricultural products sold .....	\$1,000..	12.9	.8	13.5
Average per farm .....	dollars..	22.4	1.7	27.7
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops .....	\$1,000..	20.3	.9	21.2
Livestock, poultry, and their products .....	\$1,000..	2.5	.6	.9
Farms by value of sales:				
Less than \$2,500 .....		16.4	1.3	(X)
\$2,500 to \$4,999 .....		-16.6	1.2	(X)
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....		-18.3	1.2	(X)
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....		-17.7	1.2	1.2
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		-17.0	1.3	-17.0
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....		-14.4	1.7	-14.4
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....		-11.6	1.2	-11.6
\$250,000 to \$499,999 .....		7.1	-	7.1
\$500,000 or more .....		51.9	-	51.9
Total farm production expenses <sup>1</sup> .....	\$1,000..	10.1	.9	10.4
Average per farm .....	dollars..	19.3	1.8	24.2
Net cash return from agricultural sales for the farm unit (see text) <sup>1</sup> .....	farms..	-7.7	1.2	-11.1
	\$1,000..	21.0	1.6	21.8
Average per farm .....	dollars..	31.1	2.4	37.0
Operators by principal occupation:				
Farming .....		-14.4	1.0	-14.7
Other .....		-1.0	1.3	-3.7
Operators by days worked off farm:				
Any .....		-4.1	1.3	-6.7
200 days or more .....		-4.0	1.3	-5.8
Livestock and poultry:				
Cattle and calves inventory .....	farms..	-11.4	1.1	-15.3
	number..	-12.3	.9	-14.1
Beef cows .....	farms..	-9.6	1.1	-13.4
	number..	-5.5	1.2	-7.8
Milk cows .....	farms..	-18.7	1.3	-20.5
	number..	-8.9	1.0	-9.1
Cattle and calves sold .....	farms..	-10.9	1.1	-15.1
	number..	-12.6	.7	-14.6
Hogs and pigs inventory .....	farms..	-46.3	.7	-44.5
	number..	-14.0	.5	-13.2
Hogs and pigs sold .....	farms..	-47.3	.7	-44.8
	number..	-13.4	.6	-12.7
Sheep and lambs inventory .....	farms..	-24.5	1.1	-31.5
	number..	-25.1	1.5	-28.1
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text) .....	farms..	-21.4	1.1	-22.6
	number..	2.1	.3	2.2
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold .....	farms..	8.5	3.5	-
	number..	-50.7	1.1	-50.7
Selected crops harvested:				
Corn for grain or seed .....	farms..	-17.2	1.1	-13.3
	acres..	-6.1	.8	-5.4
	bushels..	-19.0	.6	-18.6
Corn for silage or green chop .....	farms..	-16.7	1.2	-18.0
	acres..	-7.6	1.0	-8.1
	tons, green..	-15.7	.9	-15.9
Wheat for grain .....	farms..	-17.6	1.1	-14.3
	acres..	.5	.9	2.3
	bushels..	16.6	1.0	18.2
Oats for grain .....	farms..	-40.1	.9	-40.5
	acres..	-43.3	.9	-43.6
	bushels..	-44.5	.8	-44.8
Soybeans for beans .....	farms..	-16.4	1.1	-10.7
	acres..	5.8	.9	7.2
	bushels..	8.0	.9	9.1
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) .....	farms..	-5.7	1.1	-10.7
	acres..	-1.7	1.2	-5.9
	tons, dry..	2.6	1.2	-3.6
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text) .....	farms..	-13.6	1.4	-10.5
	acres..	-11.0	1.1	-10.3

<sup>1</sup>Data are based on a sample of farms.

**Table F. Reliability Estimates for the State and County Totals: 1997**

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

Geographic area	Farms		Land in farms		Average size of farm		Average market value of land and buildings per farm <sup>1</sup>		Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment <sup>1</sup>	
	Total (number)	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Total (acres)	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Total (acres)	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Value (dollars)	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Total (\$1,000)	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)
Indiana .....	57 916	.4	15 111 022	.3	261	.6	532 663	.8	3 709 854	.8
Adams .....	1 093	.6	208 653	.9	191	1.1	386 965	4.8	60 678	5.0
Allen .....	1 440	.7	276 385	.9	192	1.1	487 172	5.5	72 163	5.3
Bartholomew .....	577	.3	166 612	.6	289	.7	673 626	6.0	45 681	3.6
Benton .....	433	.5	256 820	.6	593	.7	1 377 939	3.7	65 444	7.2
Blackford .....	303	.5	85 958	1.1	284	1.2	475 311	4.4	18 174	6.2
Boone .....	611	.5	228 328	.7	374	.8	912 026	2.2	50 623	4.6
Brown .....	173	.4	21 707	2.6	125	2.7	286 938	5.9	4 320	6.1
Carroll .....	563	.3	218 170	.4	388	.5	892 164	2.7	52 946	2.8
Cass .....	700	.5	205 380	.8	293	.9	608 898	6.1	43 635	4.2
Clark .....	647	.4	108 773	.9	168	1.0	378 203	7.9	21 392	8.5
Clay .....	520	.4	159 441	.9	307	1.0	489 489	4.9	34 248	6.6
Clinton .....	585	.4	236 320	.6	404	.7	877 712	4.3	66 330	5.2
Crawford .....	410	.5	61 320	1.3	150	1.4	219 120	9.8	8 469	8.3
Daviess .....	1 101	.6	217 131	.8	197	1.0	361 590	3.0	64 546	5.0
Dearborn .....	679	.4	81 383	1.1	120	1.2	315 397	8.9	16 807	11.1
Decatur .....	654	.5	198 614	.7	304	.9	686 923	3.2	53 798	6.2
De Kalb .....	785	.4	162 936	.8	208	.9	354 733	5.1	33 977	8.6
Delaware .....	635	.4	173 443	.7	273	.8	585 061	3.1	40 985	4.3
Dubois .....	812	.3	191 053	.6	235	.7	393 152	4.0	49 468	4.0
Elkhart .....	1 335	.4	182 771	.7	137	.9	376 179	4.4	63 882	4.9
Fayette .....	420	.7	106 737	1.4	254	1.6	454 627	6.6	22 357	9.0
Floyd .....	310	.4	28 708	2.2	93	2.3	345 271	10.4	9 407	22.6
Fountain .....	550	.5	204 554	.9	372	1.0	756 142	5.2	54 646	8.2
Franklin .....	776	.4	138 635	.9	179	1.0	350 732	7.1	36 811	9.0
Fulton .....	622	.5	170 645	.8	274	.9	414 617	4.2	42 306	5.1
Gibson .....	579	.3	232 839	.5	402	.6	744 849	3.9	59 664	5.6
Grant .....	575	.3	192 292	.6	334	.7	766 578	3.2	56 591	6.6
Greene .....	878	.4	205 628	.8	234	.9	326 884	4.9	41 230	7.8
Hamilton .....	591	.5	140 813	.8	238	.9	788 291	5.2	36 434	4.7
Hancock .....	549	.5	163 704	.7	298	.8	820 486	2.8	48 254	5.1
Harrison .....	1 108	.4	161 378	.8	146	.9	247 454	4.9	41 209	5.4
Hendricks .....	631	.5	167 228	.7	265	.8	756 625	6.3	42 201	6.4
Henry .....	770	.5	177 601	.9	231	1.0	434 342	5.0	36 392	3.6
Howard .....	486	.4	147 750	.7	304	.8	773 005	3.8	39 164	5.3
Huntington .....	651	.5	184 137	.8	283	.9	516 640	4.2	52 236	5.8
Jackson .....	809	.5	201 006	.9	248	1.1	442 245	5.6	52 408	5.7
Jasper .....	618	.4	282 915	.6	458	.7	812 357	3.7	58 650	5.3
Jay .....	839	.5	179 794	.8	214	1.0	388 377	4.1	38 505	4.2
Jefferson .....	796	.5	126 379	.9	159	1.1	232 524	4.3	27 830	6.2
Jennings .....	605	.5	130 373	1.1	215	1.2	322 546	7.3	38 771	10.2
Johnson .....	526	.5	135 563	1.0	258	1.2	723 711	4.6	34 806	7.6
Knox .....	584	.4	280 628	.6	481	.7	945 362	4.9	65 687	3.4
Kosciusko .....	1 130	.4	246 907	.6	219	.7	401 682	4.0	55 967	3.6
Lagrange .....	1 392	.5	189 932	.8	136	.9	331 512	4.1	50 585	4.6
Lake .....	442	.4	148 872	.8	337	.9	936 590	8.7	28 693	7.5
La Porte .....	749	.5	247 756	.7	331	.9	735 780	3.7	67 913	3.7
Lawrence .....	875	.4	170 811	1.2	195	1.2	257 659	10.5	34 686	14.2
Madison .....	738	.4	223 751	.7	303	.8	744 224	3.6	60 811	6.0
Marion .....	225	.5	29 034	1.9	129	2.0	679 205	8.9	9 337	5.1
Marshall .....	865	.5	201 637	.9	233	1.0	439 129	4.3	44 428	5.6
Martin .....	335	.5	70 105	1.4	209	1.5	316 036	13.3	13 526	9.4
Miami .....	678	.3	197 198	.6	291	.7	551 451	3.8	44 019	3.5
Monroe .....	473	.4	62 149	1.5	131	1.6	295 504	10.5	13 017	8.2
Montgomery .....	681	.4	273 258	.6	401	.7	781 847	4.3	60 348	6.7
Morgan .....	601	.5	133 958	1.0	223	1.1	556 216	6.7	32 549	8.2
Newton .....	381	.5	207 315	.7	544	.8	1 055 528	4.4	48 106	8.1
Noble .....	942	.4	181 963	1.0	193	1.1	354 512	3.5	42 051	6.5
Ohio .....	252	.6	29 880	1.4	119	1.5	235 744	6.0	5 386	7.4
Orange .....	531	.6	123 343	1.3	232	1.4	262 223	6.4	22 644	8.1
Owen .....	569	.5	107 265	1.2	189	1.3	325 083	12.8	19 482	9.5
Parke .....	471	.5	188 816	.9	401	1.0	691 386	5.7	34 431	8.2
Perry .....	484	.4	84 251	1.2	174	1.3	230 083	7.8	17 005	13.1
Pike .....	288	.5	84 237	1.4	292	1.5	377 386	11.9	17 070	11.5
Porter .....	476	.4	134 505	.8	283	.9	651 204	4.6	34 046	7.8
Posey .....	437	.5	195 305	.7	447	.9	739 931	3.4	60 880	4.9
Pulaski .....	531	.5	236 332	.7	445	.8	727 287	3.3	51 212	8.4
Putnam .....	794	.5	195 377	.8	246	.9	518 222	5.2	37 884	4.6
Randolph .....	851	.4	223 817	.7	263	.8	485 559	5.2	56 884	5.2
Ripley .....	821	.5	159 460	.9	194	1.0	347 165	6.2	39 412	5.7
Rush .....	663	.8	227 874	.8	344	1.1	835 721	3.0	56 050	5.2
St. Joseph .....	666	.4	154 142	.7	231	.8	537 115	7.2	45 757	6.2
Scott .....	348	.7	57 372	1.5	165	1.7	298 828	8.7	12 282	8.2
Shelby .....	641	.4	200 661	.7	313	.8	794 434	2.9	59 227	6.7
Spencer .....	638	.5	172 687	.8	271	.9	411 276	4.1	44 156	3.8
Starke .....	410	.5	135 643	.8	331	.9	522 279	6.8	31 980	9.8
Steuben .....	581	.5	123 953	1.0	213	1.1	380 311	5.2	24 097	4.8
Sullivan .....	473	.5	176 895	.8	374	.9	603 165	3.9	42 625	6.8
Switzerland .....	541	.6	67 881	1.4	125	1.5	238 061	6.6	13 692	8.4
Tipppecanoe .....	665	.4	241 539	.7	363	.8	955 334	4.0	49 451	4.5
Tipton .....	415	.4	158 440	.7	382	.8	1 093 274	4.3	48 037	5.2
Union .....	268	.5	82 500	1.3	308	1.4	562 855	4.6	21 272	7.4
Vanderburgh .....	271	.4	72 112	1.1	266	1.2	661 549	9.1	21 601	12.4
Vermillion .....	249	.3	118 065	.8	474	.9	728 321	13.8	27 302	14.0
Vigo .....	455	.5	114 889	1.2	253	1.3	532 292	5.0	30 290	9.7

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**Table F. Reliability Estimates for the State and County Totals: 1997—Con.**

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Geographic area	Farms		Land in farms		Average size of farm		Average market value of land and buildings per farm <sup>1</sup>		Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment <sup>1</sup>	
	Total (number)	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Total (acres)	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Total (acres)	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Value (dollars)	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Total (\$1,000)	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)
Wabash.....	762	.5	188 230	.8	247	.9	545 956	5.6	67 972	9.1
Warren.....	378	.5	184 653	.7	489	.9	936 710	4.0	41 121	4.6
Warrick.....	356	.4	98 549	1.2	277	1.2	494 724	6.5	25 306	7.5
Washington.....	914	.4	181 298	.9	198	1.0	269 647	5.0	37 918	6.5
Wayne.....	814	.5	172 860	.9	212	1.0	411 831	4.2	43 798	5.5
Wells.....	660	.3	195 901	.6	297	.7	651 072	4.8	58 331	6.8
White.....	620	.5	272 072	.5	439	.7	957 254	3.8	63 220	4.2
Whitley.....	787	.5	165 067	.8	210	1.0	393 792	5.3	38 876	6.8
Geographic area	Average market value of all machinery and equipment per farm <sup>1</sup>		Market value of agricultural products sold		Average market value of agricultural products sold per farm		Farm production expenses <sup>1</sup>			
	Value (dollars)	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Total (\$1,000)	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Value (dollars)	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Total farm production expenses		Farms	
							Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Total (\$1,000)	Value Relative standard error of estimate (percent)
Indiana.....	64 050	.9	5 229 977	.2	90 303	.5	57 922	.4	4 011 772	.4
Adams.....	55 515	5.1	95 237	.6	87 134	.9	1 093	.7	82 215	1.9
Allen.....	50 148	5.4	89 877	.8	62 414	1.0	1 439	.8	60 745	1.9
Bartholomew.....	79 308	3.7	46 702	.6	80 939	.7	576	.7	34 427	3.1
Benton.....	150 793	7.3	79 373	.5	183 310	.7	434	.8	51 356	3.4
Blackford.....	59 979	6.3	25 295	.9	83 481	1.0	303	1.0	19 207	3.0
Boone.....	82 988	4.7	81 519	.5	133 419	.7	610	.7	60 028	1.6
Brown.....	24 547	6.4	2 203	1.9	12 733	2.0	176	1.8	2 002	4.8
Carroll.....	93 876	2.8	116 937	.3	207 704	.4	564	.5	83 763	1.0
Cass.....	62 425	4.3	77 559	.5	110 799	.7	699	.7	56 196	2.0
Clark.....	33 012	8.5	21 878	1.0	33 815	1.1	648	.6	16 770	5.2
Clay.....	65 862	6.6	42 549	.8	81 824	.9	520	.8	32 276	3.0
Clinton.....	113 385	5.2	106 004	.4	181 203	.6	585	.6	75 387	2.5
Crawford.....	20 655	8.3	3 502	2.9	8 541	2.9	410	.8	3 975	7.4
Daviess.....	58 678	5.0	117 889	.5	107 075	.7	1 101	.7	107 796	1.3
Dearborn.....	24 752	11.2	8 965	2.2	13 203	2.3	679	.7	6 642	9.7
Decatur.....	82 386	6.2	82 874	.5	126 719	.7	653	.7	63 221	2.3
De Kalb.....	43 283	8.6	38 669	.8	49 261	.9	785	.7	28 864	3.0
Delaware.....	64 544	4.3	52 625	.6	82 874	.7	635	.6	39 876	2.3
Dubois.....	60 997	4.0	144 151	.3	177 526	.4	811	.6	137 339	.9
Elkhart.....	47 851	4.9	124 038	.5	92 912	.7	1 335	.6	96 862	1.8
Fayette.....	53 230	9.0	26 419	1.4	62 903	1.6	420	1.0	20 781	3.9
Floyd.....	30 247	22.6	3 716	3.0	11 986	3.0	311	.8	2 852	9.6
Fountain.....	99 357	8.3	49 371	.8	89 765	1.0	550	.7	40 388	2.9
Franklin.....	47 376	9.0	31 237	1.0	40 253	1.1	777	.7	23 593	3.9
Fulton.....	68 016	5.2	55 452	.7	89 151	.8	622	.7	40 923	3.4
Gibson.....	103 047	5.6	69 056	.4	119 268	.6	579	.6	50 020	2.1
Grant.....	98 419	6.7	62 549	.5	108 781	.6	575	.6	43 229	2.9
Greene.....	46 959	7.9	77 483	.4	88 249	.5	878	.6	67 192	1.3
Hamilton.....	61 752	4.7	59 491	.5	100 662	.7	590	.7	42 544	2.8
Hancock.....	88 055	5.1	55 797	.6	101 634	.8	548	.8	39 294	1.9
Harrison.....	37 158	5.5	46 049	.5	41 561	.7	1 109	.6	41 536	1.9
Hendricks.....	67 092	6.5	49 154	.6	77 899	.8	629	.6	37 945	2.7
Henry.....	47 323	3.7	52 177	.8	67 763	1.0	769	.7	38 875	3.4
Howard.....	80 585	5.3	62 587	.6	128 779	.7	486	.7	39 899	2.3
Huntington.....	80 239	5.8	69 752	.6	107 146	.7	651	.7	46 742	1.8
Jackson.....	64 622	5.7	92 711	.5	114 599	.7	811	.6	93 578	1.1
Jasper.....	94 749	5.4	111 015	.4	179 636	.6	619	.6	76 403	1.6
Jay.....	45 894	4.2	83 241	.5	99 215	.7	839	.6	74 367	1.8
Jefferson.....	34 963	6.3	23 445	1.2	29 453	1.3	796	.7	18 014	4.0
Jennings.....	63 873	10.2	45 214	.7	74 734	.9	607	.7	40 577	4.4
Johnson.....	66 297	7.7	46 342	.7	88 103	.8	525	.7	34 050	3.3
Knox.....	112 477	3.5	101 195	.4	173 280	.5	584	.6	75 737	1.6
Kosciusko.....	49 573	3.6	146 062	.3	129 259	.5	1 129	.5	123 303	.9
Lagrange.....	36 366	4.6	103 278	.5	74 194	.7	1 391	.6	83 668	1.5
Lake.....	64 917	7.5	47 827	.7	108 206	.8	442	.6	34 712	5.9
La Porte.....	90 551	3.8	95 814	.5	127 922	.7	750	.7	71 666	1.4
Lawrence.....	39 641	14.2	22 317	1.0	25 506	1.1	875	.6	20 308	5.5
Madison.....	82 399	6.1	77 512	.6	105 030	.7	738	.6	55 411	2.1
Marion.....	41 681	5.2	32 681	.5	145 247	.8	224	1.0	17 298	3.4
Marshall.....	51 362	5.7	62 187	.8	71 892	.9	865	.7	44 444	2.7
Martin.....	40 375	9.4	23 997	1.0	71 632	1.1	335	.8	21 446	6.0
Miami.....	64 925	3.5	74 763	.5	110 270	.6	678	.6	58 182	2.6
Monroe.....	27 404	8.2	8 406	1.8	17 771	1.8	475	.7	7 550	10.9
Montgomery.....	88 486	6.8	85 081	.5	124 935	.6	682	.6	62 899	2.8
Morgan.....	54 159	8.2	34 315	.9	57 096	1.1	601	.8	24 078	5.1
Newton.....	125 932	8.1	84 301	.5	221 262	.7	382	.7	56 869	2.4
Noble.....	44 688	6.5	58 841	.8	62 464	.9	941	.6	40 698	2.5
Ohio.....	21 371	7.5	3 764	2.2	14 935	2.3	252	1.0	3 217	10.8
Orange.....	42 644	8.2	22 143	1.2	41 700	1.3	531	.7	18 636	6.0

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**Table F. Reliability Estimates for the State and County Totals: 1997—Con.**

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

Geographic area	Average market value of all machinery and equipment per farm <sup>1</sup>		Market value of agricultural products sold		Average market value of agricultural products sold per farm		Farm production expenses <sup>1</sup>					
	Value (dollars)	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Total (\$1,000)	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Value (dollars)	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Total farm production expenses					
							Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Total (\$1,000)	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)		
Owen .....	34 238	9.5	16 417	1.2	28 853	1.3	569	.6	13 727	8.1		
Parke .....	73 101	8.3	43 384	.8	92 110	.9	471	.7	35 997	5.3		
Perry .....	35 133	13.1	13 184	1.4	27 240	1.4	484	.7	11 323	8.4		
Pike .....	59 271	11.5	20 050	1.2	69 620	1.3	288	.7	17 205	8.6		
Porter .....	71 227	7.8	42 227	.8	88 712	.9	478	.8	28 314	3.4		
Posey .....	139 313	5.0	59 770	.6	136 774	.8	437	.8	42 529	2.1		
Pulaski .....	96 445	8.5	98 057	.4	184 665	.7	531	.7	73 362	1.8		
Putnam .....	47 773	4.7	48 773	.7	61 427	.9	793	.7	38 645	2.6		
Randolph .....	66 923	5.3	67 766	.6	79 631	.8	850	.6	51 795	2.2		
Ripley .....	48 005	5.8	56 909	.6	69 317	.8	821	.7	50 662	2.1		
Rush .....	84 539	5.3	85 928	.7	129 605	1.0	663	.8	60 643	2.1		
St. Joseph .....	68 498	6.2	55 178	.6	82 849	.7	668	.6	40 479	2.8		
Scott .....	35 091	8.3	9 183	1.5	26 388	1.6	350	1.0	8 399	8.9		
Shelby .....	92 397	6.7	66 936	.6	104 425	.7	641	.7	46 281	3.1		
Spencer .....	69 319	3.8	51 896	.7	81 341	.8	637	.7	41 617	1.7		
Starke .....	77 999	9.9	33 138	.7	80 825	.9	410	.8	23 611	3.7		
Steuben .....	41 475	4.8	25 641	1.2	44 133	1.3	581	.7	20 288	5.6		
Sullivan .....	90 116	6.9	43 806	.7	92 614	.9	473	.8	33 063	2.7		
Switzerland .....	25 308	8.4	13 331	1.7	24 641	1.8	541	.8	9 260	7.3		
Tipppecanoe .....	74 251	4.5	79 502	.5	119 552	.7	666	.7	60 210	3.0		
Tipton .....	115 473	5.3	65 838	.5	158 646	.7	416	.7	44 779	2.2		
Union .....	79 670	7.4	25 709	1.1	95 929	1.2	267	1.1	17 617	3.3		
Vanderburgh .....	80 005	12.4	20 875	1.0	77 030	1.1	270	1.0	16 303	8.2		
Vermillion .....	109 646	14.0	30 490	.7	122 449	.7	249	.7	24 988	7.6		
Vigo .....	66 718	9.7	26 017	1.1	57 180	1.2	454	.8	20 484	4.4		
Wabash .....	89 320	9.1	97 747	.5	128 276	.7	761	.7	74 384	1.6		
Warren .....	108 499	4.7	57 996	.5	153 429	.7	379	.8	41 617	2.4		
Warrick .....	71 083	7.5	23 671	1.2	66 491	1.3	356	.8	20 020	5.8		
Washington .....	41 440	6.6	40 119	.7	43 894	.8	915	.6	35 631	2.2		
Wayne .....	53 872	5.5	51 021	.8	62 680	.9	813	.6	39 326	3.0		
Wells .....	88 380	6.8	74 294	.5	112 567	.6	660	.6	51 711	2.3		
White .....	101 804	4.3	118 603	.4	191 296	.6	621	.7	88 137	1.7		
Whitley .....	49 398	6.9	51 930	.7	65 985	.9	787	.7	37 495	3.6		
Farm production expenses <sup>1</sup> —Con.												
Geographic area	Livestock and poultry purchased				Feed for livestock and poultry				Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees			
	Farms		Value		Farms		Value		Farms			
	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Total (\$1,000)	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Total (\$1,000)	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)		
Indiana .....	<b>14 780</b>	<b>1.6</b>	<b>282 253</b>	<b>1.1</b>	<b>25 765</b>	<b>1.1</b>	<b>818 113</b>	<b>.5</b>	<b>38 483</b>	<b>.7</b>	<b>254 268</b>	<b>.7</b>
Adams .....	497	8.1	8 800	9.9	627	5.3	30 284	3.7	765	3.7	3 341	6.3
Allen .....	289	11.6	6 239	5.3	463	8.9	8 781	11.7	1 035	2.8	4 829	6.7
Bartholomew .....	150	13.6	918	2.8	244	9.8	2 458	10.6	432	4.6	3 083	6.4
Benton .....	49	37.2	738	16.5	84	27.0	916	12.4	404	3.0	4 513	3.9
Blackford .....	58	16.7	1 142	11.6	109	13.4	2 525	7.0	200	3.4	1 428	6.1
Boone .....	192	11.8	2 430	8.1	287	8.7	6 614	2.2	420	4.7	4 223	3.1
Brown .....	34	15.3	110	5.8	82	8.5	308	3.7	72	8.0	92	18.8
Carroll .....	184	11.7	6 717	2.7	255	9.3	20 512	2.3	428	4.0	4 299	3.0
Cass .....	192	12.9	3 527	3.9	364	8.5	8 709	8.1	489	4.1	3 748	4.2
Clark .....	135	18.1	755	8.4	324	9.3	1 266	3.9	335	7.2	1 326	7.7
Clay .....	160	13.6	1 972	7.3	254	9.3	6 578	3.4	385	4.5	2 371	5.8
Clinton .....	140	16.0	3 781	4.2	224	11.8	17 575	1.3	483	3.5	4 731	4.4
Crawford .....	86	22.6	238	28.9	215	9.2	588	18.6	147	14.7	97	14.7
Daviess .....	467	6.9	10 054	3.4	683	5.0	50 466	2.0	695	4.7	3 172	6.6
Dearborn .....	118	20.5	468	46.5	378	8.9	834	32.5	271	10.2	284	17.0
Decatur .....	262	9.7	5 006	3.7	316	8.6	11 975	4.4	519	3.5	3 719	5.2
De Kalb .....	153	15.7	1 901	15.2	268	11.2	4 680	7.4	425	4.4	2 127	5.6
Delaware .....	122	17.3	1 486	35.1	188	13.0	2 987	10.2	428	5.2	3 562	6.4
Dubois .....	341	7.3	14 686	3.2	540	5.1	81 418	1.1	516	5.1	2 651	5.0
Elkhart .....	664	6.1	11 021	8.7	920	3.8	34 576	3.6	849	3.9	2 902	5.6
Fayette .....	98	20.4	1 429	13.7	225	10.8	2 366	13.4	271	7.4	1 323	8.3
Floyd .....	41	33.5	266	59.9	148	14.3	236	18.8	150	14.0	119	12.8
Fountain .....	115	19.1	738	18.5	195	13.2	2 610	20.4	405	5.1	3 731	5.6
Franklin .....	243	11.9	1 454	20.5	419	7.9	4 097	10.8	513	4.6	1 537	7.4
Fulton .....	204	13.3	2 638	11.7	262	10.9	5 028	4.0	519	3.8	2 979	4.8
Gibson .....	139	15.5	1 954	11.5	210	11.6	4 850	5.2	457	4.1	4 458	2.8
Grant .....	70	22.0	1 314	2.2	161	14.9	2 846	3.6	402	4.2	3 859	4.3
Greene .....	170	15.5	5 168	5.2	470	6.9	31 905	.6	412	6.6	2 026	9.2
Hamilton .....	114	20.5	943	30.6	283	10.8	2 931	11.1	377	4.9	3 967	4.4
Hancock .....	154	14.4	997	9.5	228	8.8	3 686	2.5	405	4.3	3 349	5.0
Harrison .....	282	11.0	5 044	3.0	536	6.3	17 215	3.4	514	6.1	1 295	10.2
Hendricks .....	127	19.2	957	12.6	277	11.0	2 915	4.9	447	5.1	3 265	5.2
Henry .....	192	15.1	2 070	6.8	322	10.2	2 349	19.1	562	3.9	3 341	3.2
Howard .....	93	19.1	2 409	15.3	222	10.1	6 910	6.7	419	3.2	2 817	4.6

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**Table F. Reliability Estimates for the State and County Totals: 1997—Con.**

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

Geographic area	Farm production expenses <sup>1</sup> —Con.											
	Livestock and poultry purchased				Feed for livestock and poultry				Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees			
	Farms		Value		Farms		Value		Farms		Value	
	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Total (\$1,000)	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Total (\$1,000)	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Total (\$1,000)	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)
Huntington .....	124	17.2	3 657	2.3	239	11.1	5 275	9.8	453	5.2	3 393	3.8
Jackson .....	229	11.9	6 281	9.4	459	5.9	23 004	2.1	521	4.0	3 493	7.9
Jasper .....	119	16.8	6 903	3.5	157	13.7	11 954	4.2	523	2.8	5 009	4.4
Jay .....	237	10.0	8 059	4.0	297	8.6	32 382	1.8	563	4.2	2 891	4.6
Jefferson .....	121	19.5	417	29.0	389	8.1	1 289	8.1	493	4.5	1 427	4.7
Jennings .....	164	15.2	5 129	4.2	337	7.9	12 010	1.5	309	7.5	1 788	13.6
Johnson .....	129	19.1	1 154	9.5	209	11.8	2 262	5.6	368	6.1	2 367	4.9
Knox .....	145	14.3	7 547	2.9	232	11.1	8 997	3.0	468	4.4	6 101	3.3
Kosciusko .....	335	9.4	10 466	2.7	555	6.8	47 207	1.7	677	3.9	3 899	4.5
Lagrange .....	808	4.8	13 261	4.8	1 024	3.1	23 338	4.1	983	3.5	2 490	6.1
Lake .....	79	24.4	1 070	39.6	178	14.4	2 094	17.7	298	6.6	3 007	6.7
La Porte .....	136	17.1	2 981	4.9	262	11.1	8 454	2.7	548	4.3	4 566	2.3
Lawrence .....	257	12.3	3 283	4.9	533	6.1	2 550	7.4	329	8.4	1 202	13.0
Madison .....	134	17.0	2 140	8.1	221	11.7	1 986	3.4	581	3.9	7 188	2.7
Marion .....	35	31.8	170	20.6	80	15.8	1 068	7.3	143	8.6	1 354	4.7
Marshall .....	171	15.2	1 515	9.2	278	11.4	4 929	8.2	613	3.1	3 033	3.4
Martin .....	118	19.2	1 761	17.1	204	10.6	10 369	4.2	197	6.3	726	12.8
Miami .....	209	12.2	4 893	23.6	346	8.2	10 346	6.0	540	3.5	3 526	5.3
Monroe .....	169	13.2	660	35.9	291	8.3	965	27.8	220	9.6	435	23.1
Montgomery .....	179	13.3	3 981	12.8	297	9.5	9 757	10.8	489	4.6	5 141	4.3
Morgan .....	160	14.9	1 162	13.3	315	8.7	1 783	4.7	382	6.1	2 152	8.4
Newton .....	70	22.7	4 537	3.4	116	16.2	12 261	2.7	335	3.4	3 612	4.6
Noble .....	272	11.7	2 885	11.6	400	8.0	6 112	7.0	626	3.8	2 903	7.7
Ohio .....	30	32.6	323	68.7	123	11.9	214	17.5	152	8.4	176	7.5
Orange .....	111	19.7	1 772	34.1	228	10.7	5 134	3.6	211	9.5	977	10.8
Owen .....	154	15.9	1 499	9.2	314	9.1	1 752	8.0	253	9.1	1 043	16.0
Parke .....	121	16.9	2 084	19.1	212	10.7	2 289	8.3	333	4.2	2 838	5.7
Perry .....	132	15.9	1 086	6.0	304	7.6	2 945	7.5	280	7.2	460	29.9
Pike .....	72	29.5	606	13.9	100	25.1	4 192	6.2	208	10.7	1 227	15.8
Porter .....	68	23.5	551	9.9	109	17.9	1 616	20.5	359	4.8	2 461	5.3
Posey .....	80	19.7	1 267	9.6	143	13.7	3 876	2.7	347	3.6	4 494	3.0
Pulaski .....	110	16.9	4 325	1.4	186	12.9	15 851	5.1	407	4.1	4 323	5.9
Putnam .....	238	12.8	1 917	11.6	413	8.2	4 555	3.9	444	5.9	3 534	9.4
Randolph .....	167	13.0	2 360	8.2	284	10.3	8 415	9.1	630	3.5	4 054	5.7
Ripley .....	239	11.5	10 624	2.6	433	6.5	11 049	2.7	547	4.5	2 513	5.6
Rush .....	229	9.9	5 080	9.1	344	7.1	8 208	4.5	518	4.1	4 461	4.4
St. Joseph .....	99	24.5	630	2.4	198	15.1	4 397	8.2	490	3.9	2 843	5.1
Scott .....	73	23.8	87	35.1	163	14.0	191	27.3	191	8.9	761	11.7
Shelby .....	127	16.3	1 383	6.5	231	11.3	3 048	6.9	480	4.1	4 115	3.3
Spencer .....	204	11.9	3 480	5.7	268	10.2	10 242	4.8	420	6.3	2 564	4.3
Starke .....	44	31.1	240	20.4	101	20.1	497	29.4	237	9.1	1 881	4.5
Steuben .....	56	25.5	1 041	11.0	179	14.8	2 329	25.2	299	5.4	1 437	8.7
Sullivan .....	48	27.8	1 031	38.0	165	15.1	2 009	9.6	345	5.4	3 196	4.6
Switzerland .....	52	27.8	201	53.5	199	14.1	909	13.7	326	6.2	404	7.9
Tiptoe .....	185	14.1	1 934	15.1	263	11.4	7 331	5.9	503	4.9	4 058	5.8
Tipton .....	76	16.7	1 318	10.4	113	14.5	4 797	1.0	352	3.6	3 069	5.4
Union .....	62	15.9	578	12.2	113	11.5	2 812	16.2	213	4.8	1 259	5.8
Vanderburgh .....	32	32.2	278	13.5	78	21.0	894	42.9	197	6.2	1 550	9.5
Vermillion .....	66	27.5	1 014	4.7	78	24.8	2 679	2.9	211	5.6	2 516	24.9
Vigo .....	87	19.5	571	9.0	173	12.0	1 043	10.1	291	7.1	2 288	9.4
Wabash .....	217	10.6	11 053	6.1	277	9.1	19 785	2.8	508	4.5	3 511	5.3
Warren .....	67	24.1	1 030	3.8	162	12.7	8 968	5.6	272	5.8	2 765	4.3
Warick .....	29	38.3	487	30.2	156	12.4	1 297	24.6	232	7.6	1 681	6.8
Washington .....	190	15.3	2 626	7.5	506	6.1	11 019	1.9	420	7.1	1 482	4.4
Wayne .....	194	14.4	1 628	15.6	369	9.6	5 815	6.0	498	5.1	2 650	4.9
Wells .....	99	18.6	2 923	1.9	180	13.9	8 748	4.2	552	3.6	3 700	4.4
White .....	145	14.7	8 535	2.3	200	12.4	18 581	1.2	511	3.4	5 149	5.6
Whitley .....	142	16.4	3 411	15.1	198	12.8	6 239	9.0	436	4.9	2 560	9.7
Geographic area	Farm production expenses <sup>1</sup> —Con.											
	Commercial fertilizer				Agricultural chemicals				Petroleum products			
	Farms		Value		Farms		Value		Farms		Value	
	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Total (\$1,000)	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Total (\$1,000)	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Total (\$1,000)	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)
Indiana .....	41 337	.7	451 832	.7	36 541	.8	291 799	.8	53 806	.5	192 729	.6
Adams .....	772	4.2	5 420	6.2	779	3.7	3 782	6.3	1 049	1.2	3 055	3.7
Allen .....	1 040	2.9	6 372	5.0	953	4.0	4 253	8.7	1 363	1.4	3 352	4.9
Bartholomew .....	451	4.4	5 715	3.5	407	5.0	3 418	5.1	509	2.7	2 299	5.2
Benton .....	397	2.9	8 195	5.2	393	4.1	6 736	5.0	425	2.0	2 677	3.7
Blackford .....	190	4.5	2 148	7.4	191	6.0	1 738	6.4	278	3.8	960	3.7
Boone .....	413	5.0	7 391	3.3	416	5.0	5 236	3.3	569	2.3	2 819	2.2
Brown .....	94	7.2	153	10.1	68	9.3	83	21.6	169	2.1	143	7.8
Carroll .....	440	4.8	8 905	3.6	430	4.6	5 516	4.5	525	2.8	3 534	3.5
Cass .....	518	4.5	6 744	3.9	498	3.9	4 619	4.9	637	2.6	2 702	2.5

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**Table F. Reliability Estimates for the State and County Totals: 1997—Con.**

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

Geographic area	Farm production expenses <sup>1</sup> —Con.											
	Commercial fertilizer				Agricultural chemicals				Petroleum products			
	Farms		Value		Farms		Value		Farms		Value	
	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Total (\$1,000)	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Total (\$1,000)	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Total (\$1,000)	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)
Clark .....	388	5.9	2 218	6.8	324	7.7	1 405	10.3	606	2.3	953	10.1
Clay .....	405	5.0	4 688	6.5	350	6.2	2 456	8.3	484	2.7	1 849	5.0
Clinton .....	486	3.5	8 185	3.0	444	5.1	5 003	5.2	553	2.2	3 448	4.7
Crawford .....	205	9.9	351	11.0	89	21.4	213	58.8	350	4.7	271	9.4
Daviess .....	827	3.7	7 720	5.4	684	4.8	3 925	5.3	1 034	1.6	2 982	3.2
Dearborn .....	428	6.6	708	15.8	229	11.7	325	31.0	657	1.8	476	9.8
Decatur .....	533	3.2	7 466	4.5	516	3.6	4 953	6.2	633	1.3	3 550	4.9
De Kalb .....	439	4.5	3 102	7.4	422	5.4	2 353	7.5	685	2.6	1 453	6.2
Delaware .....	414	5.9	5 275	3.7	391	6.4	3 943	4.1	552	3.1	2 059	2.7
Dubois .....	577	4.2	5 658	5.3	486	5.3	2 857	4.4	774	1.7	3 540	2.8
Elkhart .....	887	3.5	5 508	4.7	900	4.1	3 038	5.8	1 254	1.6	3 887	4.9
Fayette .....	289	6.7	2 698	11.4	241	8.8	1 677	9.7	392	3.3	1 314	8.3
Floyd .....	177	10.7	212	16.4	110	13.3	136	19.0	311	.8	198	11.7
Fountain .....	421	4.9	7 188	5.5	395	5.5	4 705	5.9	508	2.6	2 175	3.9
Franklin .....	601	4.0	2 881	8.4	530	4.8	1 661	8.8	745	1.3	1 391	6.3
Fulton .....	511	4.3	5 953	5.0	496	4.7	3 526	6.2	607	1.6	2 295	4.2
Gibson .....	440	3.8	9 269	3.6	449	4.6	5 751	4.3	553	2.1	2 957	4.2
Grant .....	434	5.1	5 899	3.9	392	6.1	4 344	4.2	541	2.9	2 352	3.5
Greene .....	536	5.5	4 258	6.8	420	7.1	2 352	7.3	832	2.0	2 737	3.5
Hamilton .....	370	5.0	4 755	5.4	377	5.1	3 230	7.2	502	3.0	2 033	3.8
Hancock .....	401	4.5	5 057	3.8	408	5.1	3 841	4.1	477	3.5	2 176	3.3
Harrison .....	713	4.5	2 672	9.3	484	6.4	1 794	13.6	1 022	1.7	1 436	4.5
Hendricks .....	476	5.1	5 487	5.4	417	5.8	3 723	5.5	610	1.8	1 909	4.4
Henry .....	534	4.9	6 193	5.1	477	6.4	3 443	6.4	696	2.5	2 450	4.8
Howard .....	399	4.5	5 412	6.6	404	3.8	2 973	4.9	466	1.9	1 825	3.2
Huntington .....	481	5.0	5 672	5.5	440	5.4	4 182	5.9	604	2.5	2 424	3.0
Jackson .....	597	3.8	5 524	5.7	485	5.3	3 696	6.3	760	1.6	4 092	3.8
Jasper .....	511	2.6	10 010	4.6	499	3.5	6 195	4.4	576	2.4	3 649	3.5
Jay .....	580	4.0	4 572	5.5	611	4.1	3 075	4.6	792	2.1	2 156	3.6
Jefferson .....	627	3.4	2 629	6.5	476	5.3	1 440	7.6	741	2.2	1 165	4.6
Jennings .....	371	7.3	3 235	10.7	255	10.6	1 617	13.9	520	3.6	1 617	11.0
Johnson .....	416	4.6	3 929	4.5	363	7.3	2 898	5.6	510	2.1	1 755	5.0
Knox .....	474	3.1	11 611	3.2	424	5.4	6 512	5.9	543	2.6	3 666	3.2
Kosciusko .....	695	4.4	6 555	5.7	610	5.9	4 354	6.1	1 016	2.1	3 820	4.0
Lagrange .....	1 028	3.5	4 656	4.3	907	3.9	2 929	6.3	1 321	1.3	3 359	3.2
Lake .....	319	6.7	3 819	7.5	310	7.0	2 909	8.2	432	1.4	2 400	8.0
La Porte .....	572	3.8	8 594	5.2	544	4.1	6 477	4.2	696	2.6	4 320	4.6
Lawrence .....	517	5.2	2 494	8.9	297	9.3	1 014	11.1	811	2.3	1 394	7.7
Madison .....	573	4.1	8 044	4.8	516	4.6	4 999	4.6	708	1.9	2 643	3.1
Marion .....	132	8.3	773	14.1	121	9.3	519	7.6	185	6.8	589	11.5
Marshall .....	684	3.7	6 571	4.3	630	3.9	3 989	5.5	804	1.9	2 519	5.6
Martin .....	207	9.7	1 487	25.4	153	14.1	797	9.3	299	3.6	660	7.6
Miami .....	555	3.3	6 967	5.1	527	3.3	4 112	5.3	652	1.6	2 824	4.8
Monroe .....	307	6.8	916	27.7	164	10.8	333	16.3	455	2.3	491	12.0
Montgomery .....	554	3.9	8 213	4.5	452	5.5	5 745	4.8	648	1.6	2 960	6.4
Morgan .....	405	6.7	3 367	8.7	369	6.8	2 682	8.1	544	3.4	1 347	5.9
Newton .....	330	3.7	6 824	8.7	325	4.7	5 171	4.8	353	3.5	2 232	5.6
Noble .....	679	2.9	4 807	6.7	602	4.2	3 048	6.8	844	2.1	2 203	5.9
Ohio .....	202	5.8	284	19.8	157	8.5	149	8.4	219	5.1	166	10.0
Orange .....	298	8.0	1 778	9.5	173	10.7	999	9.1	464	3.4	686	5.5
Owen .....	356	6.2	1 771	11.3	225	12.4	1 089	17.8	521	2.7	956	13.6
Parke .....	330	5.0	5 904	6.7	277	6.2	3 019	5.6	458	2.1	1 847	6.8
Perry .....	354	5.8	1 358	22.2	256	7.7	384	27.8	460	2.3	655	10.5
Pike .....	216	9.5	3 084	18.8	197	12.1	1 268	14.2	268	5.1	744	7.9
Porter .....	345	6.2	4 252	5.8	325	6.5	2 716	6.6	433	3.0	2 106	6.8
Posey .....	357	4.2	8 352	4.1	324	5.0	4 842	2.6	420	1.9	2 274	2.7
Pulaski .....	437	3.7	8 002	5.4	406	4.6	5 308	4.2	494	2.6	3 284	3.9
Putnam .....	491	5.4	5 432	4.2	449	6.9	3 108	6.8	756	1.9	1 913	4.3
Randolph .....	655	3.4	6 960	4.1	617	3.8	5 393	6.4	772	2.3	3 072	4.6
Ripley .....	635	4.4	4 120	6.4	540	3.9	2 202	7.1	793	1.8	2 601	3.8
Rush .....	549	3.8	8 129	3.8	507	4.6	4 920	5.8	640	1.7	3 367	3.7
St. Joseph .....	472	4.3	5 394	6.0	439	5.2	3 669	6.6	625	1.7	2 631	6.0
Scott .....	239	7.2	1 480	15.1	175	11.2	1 072	14.8	326	3.9	460	8.1
Shelby .....	470	5.3	6 908	8.3	453	4.9	4 607	6.2	572	3.0	2 967	4.4
Spencer .....	461	5.1	5 435	4.8	397	6.0	3 003	3.9	622	1.6	1 938	3.4
Starke .....	241	8.1	4 038	3.4	199	5.9	2 338	6.8	345	6.1	1 815	6.6
Steuben .....	296	7.0	2 095	6.9	272	7.7	2 271	12.6	489	4.1	1 283	7.5
Sullivan .....	359	5.5	6 964	5.2	310	6.5	4 400	4.1	447	3.2	1 616	5.1
Switzerland .....	393	4.4	775	10.5	291	7.5	465	9.7	495	3.8	663	8.3
Tipppecanoe .....	534	4.1	7 848	4.9	518	4.0	5 423	7.6	636	1.7	2 973	3.5
Tipton .....	333	5.0	5 759	5.3	358	3.7	4 395	5.3	396	2.5	2 333	5.2
Union .....	211	5.1	2 482	4.9	215	4.8	1 339	6.1	248	3.1	1 242	5.9
Vanderburgh .....	222	4.8	2 708	11.6	196	7.0	1 743	8.5	257	2.7	1 022	10.2
Vermillion .....	222	5.3	3 379	12.6	190	7.2	4 210	6.4	249	.7	1 161	12.8
Vigo .....	282	7.1	3 331	7.8	252	8.5	2 158	12.4	414	2.2	1 371	7.6
Wabash .....	515	4.3	5 299	3.0	452	5.5	3 578	5.0	679	2.4	2 928	2.1
Warren .....	276	6.0	4 996	4.5	267	6.6	3 818	5.5	361	2.9	2 105	3.7
Warrick .....	262	5.6	4 462	11.0	214	9.1	1 815	10.1	338	3.2	1 389	9.4
Washington .....	515	6.5	3 213	5.7	323	7.9	1 644	5.5	825	2.1	1 567	6.3
Wayne .....	523	5.3	4 763	6.2	447	6.7	3 114	10.1	707	3.1	2 212	6.1
Wells .....	513	4.1	6 490	4.1	512	4.9	3 929	5.6	595	3.0	2 647	3.8
White .....	495	4.7	9 241	5.3	490	4.6	6 691	5.7	583	2.9	3 403	4.0
Whitley .....	458	5.6	4 217	7.1	468	6.0	3 021	6.3	717	3.0	1 784	4.0

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**Table F. Reliability Estimates for the State and County Totals: 1997—Con.**

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Geographic area	Farm production expenses <sup>1</sup> —Con.											
	Electricity				Hired farm labor				Contract labor			
	Farms		Value		Farms		Value		Farms		Value	
	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Total (\$1,000)	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Total (\$1,000)	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Total (\$1,000)	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)
Indiana .....	39 997	.7	56 716	.8	16 964	1.4	248 070	.8	3 726	3.4	17 334	3.0
Adams .....	707	5.0	1 128	5.3	307	10.2	3 625	7.3	47	26.8	126	14.8
Allen .....	931	4.0	864	7.5	332	10.8	3 582	18.0	50	29.8	319	2.9
Bartholomew .....	399	4.5	485	5.5	195	10.9	1 874	1.7	30	35.9	108	10.8
Benton .....	358	6.4	422	7.5	195	11.4	1 749	3.7	47	33.7	265	57.0
Blackford .....	184	6.6	255	4.1	76	12.9	997	3.8	9	32.4	57	43.7
Boone .....	509	3.8	713	4.3	192	11.1	3 744	5.7	49	23.5	256	11.0
Brown .....	103	7.0	46	10.3	34	16.0	138	10.6	23	19.5	23	22.0
Carroll .....	469	4.2	1 026	3.1	226	9.9	4 756	1.7	53	26.2	809	4.8
Cass .....	561	4.2	722	4.4	268	10.3	3 330	4.8	71	24.6	529	25.1
Clark .....	425	7.0	248	8.0	174	13.6	991	9.7	47	33.6	101	24.0
Clay .....	405	5.2	375	5.3	143	13.0	1 650	10.2	59	21.5	107	15.1
Clinton .....	433	5.5	816	5.7	277	9.7	3 883	3.0	40	37.3	185	18.4
Crawford .....	212	10.5	68	14.8	76	18.1	159	30.8	24	41.6	6	43.6
Daviess .....	567	6.3	1 058	5.1	249	10.3	3 055	3.2	89	19.7	572	9.0
Dearborn .....	467	6.3	152	11.1	149	17.9	156	32.5	20	56.9	(D)	(D)
Decatur .....	518	4.2	930	6.2	198	11.5	4 741	5.9	60	25.3	226	23.7
De Kalb .....	424	6.0	440	8.0	164	15.7	1 552	5.1	39	41.7	162	12.3
Delaware .....	462	4.6	590	7.0	172	12.9	2 204	7.2	47	30.6	236	21.3
Dubois .....	651	3.2	1 598	3.1	266	8.7	6 128	3.9	25	—	104	—
Elkhart .....	940	4.0	1 815	4.6	412	8.0	4 218	7.6	103	21.1	243	18.4
Fayette .....	328	5.3	320	9.7	111	17.2	767	14.3	17	43.5	31	25.1
Floyd .....	165	13.6	73	16.6	50	32.4	153	8.0	45	33.8	57	54.8
Fountain .....	422	4.5	442	7.2	128	15.9	1 154	3.6	40	36.4	218	22.4
Franklin .....	517	4.9	558	10.6	189	14.8	840	3.6	15	47.9	19	41.0
Fulton .....	465	4.5	651	4.7	215	12.5	1 272	1.6	22	26.4	32	20.7
Gibson .....	454	4.2	706	8.7	231	10.1	2 821	6.5	65	18.7	207	13.4
Grant .....	387	6.9	615	7.1	156	14.0	1 593	1.5	15	50.9	28	9.5
Greene .....	578	5.4	843	7.1	242	11.6	3 788	2.0	70	27.2	61	35.6
Hamilton .....	431	5.9	547	4.6	170	15.6	6 782	2.4	63	27.8	624	13.8
Hancock .....	429	5.3	557	7.2	146	12.0	2 000	6.2	38	27.2	95	41.2
Harrison .....	692	4.9	525	7.6	334	10.6	1 495	8.3	38	29.2	62	11.9
Hendricks .....	440	6.7	419	5.6	187	14.2	1 538	2.2	38	31.7	153	28.3
Henry .....	498	6.1	441	8.1	244	11.9	2 327	15.1	86	23.4	215	25.9
Howard .....	369	4.8	446	5.3	142	14.2	1 822	1.5	20	35.0	188	2.1
Huntington .....	498	4.7	648	3.0	190	12.2	3 298	11.1	23	44.0	143	7.9
Jackson .....	570	5.0	2 348	3.1	229	11.5	11 719	1.8	36	34.3	689	2.0
Jasper .....	442	5.4	1 021	4.2	235	10.4	4 246	1.8	60	27.3	182	35.3
Jay .....	599	5.1	901	4.3	284	10.4	1 827	2.0	47	28.6	210	10.1
Jefferson .....	563	5.2	353	11.5	325	9.0	1 213	7.1	67	24.5	87	19.1
Jennings .....	326	9.5	575	3.1	146	17.3	2 824	5.7	33	38.4	231	6.4
Johnson .....	343	7.4	429	5.9	123	15.0	3 364	1.2	47	31.8	523	3.6
Knox .....	447	5.6	750	3.7	201	9.6	5 784	3.3	58	26.6	686	25.5
Kosciusko .....	735	4.2	1 561	3.0	347	10.4	10 844	5.4	80	23.9	273	21.2
Lagrange .....	846	4.3	1 451	3.1	330	9.7	9 902	1.2	55	27.7	483	62.9
Lake .....	270	9.8	466	9.0	178	13.9	3 044	20.0	44	36.1	302	14.5
La Porte .....	542	4.8	1 301	6.6	206	10.2	5 100	4.8	38	26.4	209	14.4
Lawrence .....	467	6.7	296	6.9	218	12.5	927	15.0	8	70.9	68	12.5
Madison .....	604	4.0	613	5.2	195	13.1	4 928	6.6	45	31.3	199	12.5
Marion .....	168	6.3	291	5.0	85	16.3	6 700	4.5	4	—	(D)	(D)
Marshall .....	572	4.8	698	6.8	237	12.5	2 892	27.5	46	34.1	123	28.6
Martin .....	210	10.3	263	12.1	79	23.2	464	7.8	26	43.7	62	39.0
Miami .....	519	4.7	757	5.8	233	11.4	3 497	4.6	30	34.3	133	17.0
Monroe .....	307	7.4	181	18.2	73	22.7	553	9.8	28	43.9	58	57.0
Montgomery .....	505	4.8	827	6.2	202	13.0	2 618	10.5	45	32.5	264	15.3
Morgan .....	409	6.1	353	6.9	178	15.0	1 882	5.0	74	25.6	152	17.0
Newton .....	296	6.4	807	11.9	142	13.1	3 543	1.6	42	27.4	71	6.2
Noble .....	593	5.2	733	5.2	219	12.7	2 375	9.5	62	27.4	72	21.7
Ohio .....	163	7.6	80	11.0	80	15.0	269	22.0	21	30.7	64	12.1
Orange .....	247	10.6	296	6.3	136	15.4	1 441	11.6	28	43.2	125	15.2
Owen .....	307	6.5	169	7.4	133	17.5	684	29.1	37	46.0	65	65.7
Parke .....	323	5.2	501	9.6	167	13.0	1 719	10.0	51	29.4	177	23.2
Perry .....	340	6.5	216	7.2	119	17.9	420	28.7	25	40.8	42	25.0
Pike .....	185	11.6	180	14.6	88	22.2	1 019	27.9	5	—	37	—
Porter .....	300	5.8	461	6.7	107	15.0	1 421	16.1	31	32.4	147	19.0
Posey .....	346	4.6	544	3.5	161	11.9	2 589	1.2	34	30.0	154	22.8
Pulaski .....	441	4.2	1 013	4.4	231	9.9	5 540	3.1	37	34.7	71	29.2
Putnam .....	579	5.4	609	5.4	230	12.6	1 490	5.2	69	26.4	186	7.9
Randolph .....	660	3.9	708	5.8	293	9.2	2 487	5.3	39	29.9	87	14.6
Ripley .....	603	4.7	835	4.3	274	11.0	2 197	3.3	61	24.2	178	9.5
Rush .....	561	3.7	793	4.3	242	10.6	3 057	11.6	30	25.6	49	22.2
St. Joseph .....	467	6.1	798	5.4	120	17.8	3 819	10.7	78	26.3	245	32.7
Scott .....	205	8.9	119	11.0	105	12.9	386	6.5	32	29.6	25	11.9
Shelby .....	479	4.1	764	8.5	215	11.0	3 467	3.4	19	38.0	131	12.4
Spencer .....	451	5.1	512	5.0	222	10.2	2 099	3.3	34	25.2	190	27.6
Starke .....	216	11.2	338	9.1	165	13.3	1 802	2.7	36	35.8	75	22.1
Steuben .....	306	8.5	360	6.8	116	15.8	1 011	11.6	24	47.0	53	61.5
Sullivan .....	320	7.4	550	30.2	147	14.3	1 517	4.7	60	27.5	423	29.9
Switzerland .....	345	7.0	229	9.4	195	10.5	846	7.8	60	24.7	202	32.1
Tippecanoe .....	482	5.9	892	7.0	207	12.6	3 795	4.8	50	31.6	456	6.8

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table F. Reliability Estimates for the State and County Totals: 1997—Con.**

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

Geographic area	Farm production expenses <sup>1</sup> —Con.											
	Electricity				Hired farm labor				Contract labor			
	Farms		Value		Farms		Value		Farms		Value	
	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Total (\$1,000)	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Total (\$1,000)	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Total (\$1,000)	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)
Tipton .....	309	5.6	544	6.7	132	13.4	4 455	.6	17	—	701	—
Union .....	222	4.8	333	5.3	93	13.0	632	12.2	7	40.3	9	18.2
Vanderburgh .....	188	5.7	261	12.3	103	16.0	1 234	18.5	14	40.9	39	7.5
Vermillion .....	210	8.1	208	13.2	72	22.6	1 271	1.0	12	69.1	21	9.7
Vigo .....	308	6.4	298	5.9	94	16.2	1 319	7.0	19	30.1	97	2.6
Wabash.....	547	4.5	1 065	3.1	246	10.1	5 406	6.7	64	25.7	448	5.0
Warren .....	299	5.5	571	4.1	120	14.0	3 055	3.4	14	45.0	294	1.5
Warrick .....	233	6.1	302	11.8	86	19.1	819	15.4	26	38.0	63	23.9
Washington .....	608	5.0	581	5.0	247	12.5	1 699	8.1	52	28.6	130	28.4
Wayne .....	605	4.9	699	5.6	230	11.7	1 564	8.6	24	38.4	75	24.1
Wells .....	484	5.0	729	7.5	173	13.3	2 197	9.5	49	28.6	109	20.7
White .....	460	5.9	1 123	1.9	167	10.9	5 123	.9	43	32.5	250	44.1
Whitley .....	477	6.9	518	6.8	143	16.7	1 791	5.0	22	47.2	74	22.5
Geographic area	Farm production expenses <sup>1</sup> —Con.											
	Repair and maintenance				Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment				Interest			
	Farms		Value		Farms		Value		Farms		Value	
	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Total (\$1,000)	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Total (\$1,000)	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Total (\$1,000)	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)
Indiana .....	47 778	.6	257 352	.7	19 743	1.3	58 005	1.6	27 599	1.0	272 608	1.0
Adams .....	966	2.7	4 249	5.8	470	7.8	904	14.4	560	7.0	4 559	7.4
Allen .....	1 132	2.9	5 462	5.9	465	8.4	858	8.1	512	7.7	3 792	7.9
Bartholomew .....	460	4.2	2 619	4.7	179	13.2	408	6.6	276	7.7	2 988	13.8
Benton .....	383	2.5	3 837	5.0	220	11.7	1 360	9.3	324	6.9	3 877	7.4
Blackford.....	251	5.3	1 200	5.6	109	10.8	546	6.3	166	7.9	1 728	5.8
Boone .....	512	3.8	3 810	3.1	247	9.5	1 160	6.4	318	6.7	4 359	5.4
Brown .....	145	4.3	214	7.9	32	16.1	36	23.9	51	12.2	168	14.6
Carroll .....	486	3.7	5 237	6.1	198	11.4	1 015	9.9	337	6.9	5 044	6.1
Cass .....	598	3.8	3 558	4.6	281	10.2	976	8.1	374	7.8	3 809	7.1
Clark .....	527	4.5	1 474	8.7	179	16.0	225	26.1	241	11.2	1 658	10.2
Clay .....	426	4.6	2 160	6.7	161	12.3	426	24.0	238	8.9	2 361	13.4
Clinton .....	522	3.3	4 069	4.4	227	10.3	770	9.5	341	7.5	5 475	8.2
Crawford .....	305	6.9	548	13.6	80	23.0	48	26.3	120	16.8	316	20.4
Daviess .....	887	3.4	4 620	3.7	374	9.4	710	8.5	522	6.9	5 096	7.0
Dearborn .....	514	5.0	766	9.2	155	16.7	(D)	(D)	145	17.5	501	23.1
Decatur .....	556	3.0	3 384	5.0	234	11.0	1 037	7.4	416	6.6	3 843	6.9
De Kalb .....	589	4.2	1 838	5.7	218	14.4	622	18.4	306	10.2	2 261	9.0
Delaware .....	478	4.8	2 733	6.1	226	11.5	677	10.7	285	8.8	3 077	7.7
Dubois .....	677	3.6	3 892	4.7	308	9.1	881	9.4	384	6.9	3 916	5.1
Elkhart .....	1 095	3.1	5 713	4.2	545	7.7	1 098	9.1	813	5.0	6 249	5.2
Fayette .....	327	5.6	1 512	11.7	140	17.9	362	17.4	291	6.6	2 486	10.9
Floyd .....	248	8.2	353	15.6	48	34.4	23	32.3	43	32.6	91	44.2
Fountain .....	446	4.1	2 782	8.2	200	13.6	470	14.8	264	9.7	3 396	13.3
Franklin .....	657	3.4	2 431	12.5	230	11.9	248	18.1	332	9.0	1 927	13.1
Fulton .....	563	3.2	3 010	7.8	238	12.3	1 384	26.8	343	8.0	3 880	10.1
Gibson .....	489	3.7	3 551	4.8	184	12.6	603	9.4	299	8.0	4 194	4.8
Grant .....	480	4.2	2 700	4.6	182	12.8	819	15.6	293	8.8	4 525	6.8
Greene .....	719	3.9	2 615	6.5	264	11.1	586	10.3	344	9.7	2 557	10.8
Hamilton .....	433	5.1	2 978	11.7	213	13.1	642	23.2	258	11.2	3 037	10.9
Hancock .....	455	3.9	2 886	4.2	170	11.1	670	14.0	287	8.3	3 368	5.6
Harrison .....	909	3.1	2 138	6.5	276	12.1	316	17.3	366	8.6	1 756	10.3
Hendricks .....	536	3.6	2 493	5.4	236	12.8	675	19.6	244	10.5	3 238	9.0
Henry .....	559	4.7	2 664	5.4	332	9.5	884	9.2	291	9.9	2 785	8.9
Howard .....	395	3.7	2 866	4.6	211	11.3	846	7.7	272	8.1	2 892	8.0
Huntington .....	543	3.7	3 021	6.4	237	11.1	889	14.5	358	7.3	3 906	5.7
Jackson .....	735	2.7	6 150	3.2	307	10.2	658	12.3	407	7.0	2 911	9.1
Jasper .....	530	3.2	4 677	4.4	257	9.6	1 025	10.0	372	6.9	4 855	4.3
Jay .....	748	2.9	3 108	6.4	274	10.1	655	13.9	487	5.9	4 827	5.6
Jefferson .....	665	3.4	1 539	7.0	204	13.7	308	17.6	296	10.7	1 792	10.2
Jennings .....	520	3.9	2 443	9.0	113	19.6	148	20.7	263	10.6	2 218	9.6
Johnson .....	445	4.8	2 276	6.5	188	14.5	776	12.8	288	8.8	3 690	9.2
Knox .....	520	3.2	4 970	4.0	158	15.1	1 172	7.3	357	7.5	5 062	5.1
Kosciusko .....	921	3.5	7 310	4.3	522	7.3	1 807	6.8	558	6.5	6 133	4.7
Lagrange .....	1 088	3.0	4 482	4.8	489	8.1	787	7.4	802	5.0	5 034	5.2
Lake .....	367	5.0	2 486	9.5	134	18.0	614	21.3	200	12.5	1 893	15.0
La Porte .....	598	4.2	5 295	3.7	263	9.8	1 232	6.8	329	8.2	4 739	6.7
Lawrence .....	655	4.7	1 479	8.8	225	13.1	283	20.7	278	11.1	1 603	16.8
Madison .....	644	3.3	3 844	5.8	239	11.2	985	22.8	372	8.2	3 982	6.3
Marion .....	165	6.5	1 622	3.9	39	27.7	(D)	(D)	78	17.4	588	10.7
Marshall .....	704	3.6	3 213	7.7	342	9.1	1 603	4.5	456	7.6	3 354	7.8
Martin .....	253	7.4	925	11.2	87	24.0	144	17.4	132	17.0	1 328	18.0
Miami .....	590	3.0	3 839	5.6	270	10.3	739	13.2	371	6.2	4 341	6.8
Monroe .....	332	6.9	695	14.0	131	18.4	123	29.7	114	16.1	672	18.0
Montgomery .....	578	3.6	4 168	5.1	236	11.7	905	17.6	391	7.2	4 783	6.3

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**Table F. Reliability Estimates for the State and County Totals: 1997—Con.**

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Geographic area	Farm production expenses <sup>1</sup> —Con.											
	Repair and maintenance				Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment				Interest			
	Farms		Value		Farms		Value		Farms		Value	
	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Total (\$1,000)	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Total (\$1,000)	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Total (\$1,000)	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)
Morgan .....	459	5.1	1 889	9.9	205	13.3	465	8.3	289	9.4	1 687	11.9
Newton .....	321	4.0	3 024	3.3	140	14.3	603	2.9	235	9.3	3 063	11.6
Noble .....	769	2.9	2 847	5.2	343	9.8	1 046	15.5	443	7.7	3 382	12.6
Ohio .....	204	5.9	330	10.1	63	18.6	51	13.1	94	15.0	379	14.8
Orange .....	416	5.3	1 145	6.9	135	15.8	236	15.2	177	14.1	1 009	13.8
Owen .....	458	3.9	1 274	12.4	194	15.1	212	21.7	229	12.3	993	14.4
Parke .....	397	4.7	2 560	10.0	175	13.7	546	17.6	236	9.2	4 187	10.5
Perry .....	430	3.6	831	10.5	164	13.5	173	29.6	187	12.3	931	14.2
Pike .....	212	10.5	1 025	15.2	85	26.2	308	41.6	155	14.3	884	15.9
Porter .....	362	5.1	2 491	7.9	119	15.2	417	4.6	208	8.9	1 921	6.8
Posey .....	365	3.8	3 064	4.5	181	12.2	432	8.0	227	9.5	2 767	6.7
Pulaski .....	434	4.2	4 572	4.3	203	11.6	865	8.9	351	6.0	4 318	6.0
Putnam .....	698	3.2	2 740	7.2	231	12.6	613	29.8	316	9.6	3 259	8.1
Randolph .....	719	3.1	3 209	4.4	367	7.7	902	8.3	502	5.4	4 537	7.7
Ripley .....	702	3.4	2 709	5.7	210	13.3	533	13.7	332	9.5	2 230	8.9
Rush .....	608	2.9	3 832	4.7	275	8.9	949	15.0	422	6.3	5 251	8.3
St. Joseph .....	566	3.6	2 994	5.6	219	14.6	567	19.5	308	9.7	3 297	6.4
Scott .....	297	6.1	723	11.0	107	15.0	153	17.6	132	15.2	864	14.5
Shelby .....	531	3.1	3 818	7.1	214	11.6	604	13.5	306	7.1	3 956	7.3
Spencer .....	569	3.1	2 674	4.9	233	10.6	555	15.0	303	9.0	2 313	5.8
Starke .....	351	5.8	2 000	7.6	156	14.5	791	13.1	205	11.9	2 002	11.2
Steuben .....	460	5.1	1 964	16.6	182	14.0	477	19.4	220	11.5	1 494	12.0
Sullivan .....	383	5.7	2 495	5.6	177	13.1	451	15.3	227	10.0	2 819	10.2
Switzerland .....	470	4.3	1 019	9.8	128	17.3	137	13.9	235	11.8	1 085	15.4
Tippecanoe .....	547	3.0	4 021	5.7	233	11.5	1 048	7.9	355	8.1	5 676	11.2
Tipton .....	331	5.8	3 227	4.2	174	12.3	854	10.3	193	10.7	2 922	5.1
Union .....	237	3.9	1 540	7.0	86	13.7	240	14.4	145	8.6	1 473	8.0
Vanderburgh .....	237	4.8	1 216	10.3	62	22.6	111	10.1	106	14.4	1 324	14.0
Vermillion .....	193	9.8	1 876	11.2	106	16.0	486	26.8	104	18.6	1 224	12.5
Vigo .....	382	3.8	1 808	6.6	79	18.5	239	16.8	221	9.4	1 662	10.4
Wabash .....	590	3.8	4 138	5.9	288	9.5	802	7.9	396	7.1	4 442	6.2
Warren .....	335	4.5	2 605	5.7	134	15.0	381	11.7	255	7.5	2 936	6.8
Warrick .....	307	5.1	1 629	12.4	127	16.9	296	16.2	171	10.5	1 349	19.6
Washington .....	774	3.2	2 618	6.5	282	11.3	626	21.8	422	7.9	2 673	6.9
Wayne .....	647	4.7	2 930	6.1	352	10.1	823	14.8	317	10.1	3 461	7.8
Wells .....	525	4.7	3 254	5.1	237	10.8	855	12.9	374	8.0	3 816	9.3
White .....	523	4.7	4 584	3.9	285	9.3	1 051	10.1	349	8.9	5 277	3.1
Whitley .....	643	4.6	2 772	6.7	245	10.7	791	13.4	287	10.6	2 823	7.4
Geographic area	Farm production expenses <sup>1</sup> —Con.											
	Cash rent				Property taxes paid				All other farm production expenses			
	Farms		Value		Farms		Value		Farms		Value	
	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Total (\$1,000)	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Total (\$1,000)	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Total (\$1,000)	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)
Indiana .....	16 729	1.3	358 739	1.0	55 473	.5	138 472	.9	52 467	.5	313 484	.6
Adams .....	290	11.5	6 109	9.9	1 064	1.4	2 071	3.7	1 011	2.2	4 761	5.7
Allen .....	296	10.9	3 876	7.6	1 396	1.2	3 118	4.2	1 281	2.1	5 048	4.4
Bartholomew .....	206	9.2	4 690	11.5	545	2.1	1 250	4.4	535	2.6	2 116	4.2
Benton .....	218	11.7	9 419	8.8	401	3.6	1 472	7.2	426	2.0	5 181	5.0
Blackford .....	94	12.1	2 109	6.6	303	1.0	756	7.2	268	3.9	1 619	3.3
Boone .....	227	8.5	11 039	3.7	576	2.0	2 094	5.0	564	2.3	4 140	4.1
Brown .....	7	32.9	33	25.5	176	1.8	230	6.0	158	3.1	228	6.6
Carroll .....	204	9.1	8 432	3.5	555	1.1	1 901	4.1	555	1.5	6 060	2.9
Cass .....	227	9.8	7 034	4.3	659	2.0	1 768	5.0	655	2.4	4 420	3.6
Clark .....	103	16.7	1 471	16.0	633	1.7	1 307	8.1	603	2.8	1 371	6.6
Clay .....	147	13.4	2 033	19.7	492	2.5	1 181	5.2	460	3.5	2 068	5.0
Clinton .....	244	7.5	10 045	7.6	544	2.7	2 124	8.3	563	2.0	5 299	3.7
Crawford .....	23	40.6	40	24.3	389	3.1	572	8.2	346	5.1	461	11.8
Daviess .....	210	10.7	4 296	6.0	1 069	1.3	2 445	8.1	1 024	2.2	7 625	7.1
Dearborn .....	103	21.9	320	18.8	656	1.9	945	9.5	597	3.7	599	7.1
Decatur .....	238	10.5	6 158	10.0	611	2.4	1 610	5.9	614	2.1	4 621	6.4
De Kalb .....	157	15.7	2 371	19.2	769	1.5	1 539	6.6	635	3.2	2 464	12.8
Delaware .....	216	9.9	6 443	4.5	613	1.3	1 522	5.1	532	3.9	3 083	3.4
Dubois .....	279	8.5	2 731	7.2	780	1.8	2 024	3.3	757	2.1	5 255	3.1
Ekhart .....	414	8.1	4 430	7.5	1 269	1.3	3 175	3.8	1 266	1.6	8 988	3.3
Fayette .....	109	20.0	1 558	24.2	399	2.8	1 088	12.0	376	3.4	1 849	9.9
Floyd .....	31	40.8	144	32.2	311	.8	473	7.8	258	6.8	318	10.3
Fountain .....	160	13.4	5 444	7.1	525	2.1	1 498	7.5	504	2.6	3 838	6.9
Franklin .....	193	14.3	1 634	20.7	738	1.9	1 129	8.9	684	2.7	1 788	5.9
Fulton .....	274	8.3	3 994	7.6	579	2.6	1 574	5.6	576	2.7	2 706	7.4
Gibson .....	197	9.4	3 042	6.5	546	2.4	1 607	6.9	544	2.3	4 051	4.4
Grant .....	271	8.2	7 207	9.3	549	2.0	1 839	8.8	495	3.4	3 291	5.0
Greene .....	152	13.5	1 306	11.9	819	2.0	1 939	6.1	771	2.9	5 051	3.0
Hamilton .....	217	12.5	4 559	5.9	543	3.2	1 741	9.7	546	2.4	3 775	5.8

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	Cash rent				Property taxes paid				All other farm production expenses			
	Farms		Value		Farms		Value		Farms		Value	
	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Total (\$1,000)	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Total (\$1,000)	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Total (\$1,000)	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)
Hancock .....	189	9.4	6 282	4.9	524	1.8	1 566	8.4	493	3.1	2 765	8.4
Harrison .....	171	14.1	1 530	11.5	1 069	1.5	1 586	4.4	962	2.6	2 672	3.3
Hendricks .....	231	11.9	6 506	4.3	617	1.3	1 708	10.0	588	2.8	2 958	3.5
Henry .....	265	9.5	5 215	9.6	724	2.4	1 701	7.9	671	3.3	2 797	9.6
Howard .....	188	11.3	4 674	4.6	464	2.1	1 274	5.3	425	3.1	2 547	3.3
Huntington .....	212	9.9	5 612	8.3	622	1.3	1 426	6.3	600	2.8	3 196	3.3
Jackson .....	207	11.4	2 857	14.7	785	1.1	1 378	5.7	729	2.8	18 778	1.3
Jasper .....	304	8.1	8 440	6.7	581	2.4	1 771	10.8	572	1.9	6 466	4.8
Jay .....	208	11.0	3 588	9.0	809	1.4	1 912	5.8	745	3.2	4 204	6.1
Jefferson .....	134	16.3	1 398	21.8	767	1.7	1 280	5.3	696	2.9	1 676	7.8
Jennings .....	127	17.7	2 540	15.3	590	1.7	928	8.0	555	2.7	3 274	5.5
Johnson .....	202	10.9	4 435	8.9	485	3.5	1 096	6.4	469	3.5	3 097	5.4
Knox .....	220	9.8	5 968	9.3	551	2.7	1 870	5.1	555	2.2	5 041	2.5
Kosciusko .....	317	9.8	5 363	8.9	1 127	.5	3 521	5.2	1 029	2.2	10 180	1.4
Lagrange .....	310	9.8	3 140	8.8	1 368	.9	3 183	3.8	1 279	1.7	5 172	3.6
Lake .....	191	13.0	5 530	10.5	416	3.0	1 685	10.6	409	2.3	3 391	7.6
La Porte .....	301	7.8	9 164	4.2	705	2.1	2 428	4.3	692	2.6	6 808	3.2
Lawrence .....	86	23.5	937	6.6	854	1.3	1 351	6.1	794	2.6	1 428	7.0
Madison .....	286	8.5	7 522	6.4	700	2.1	2 113	5.5	690	2.2	4 225	3.7
Marion .....	60	18.0	823	9.8	219	2.3	465	11.2	203	3.3	2 071	9.6
Marshall .....	332	10.0	4 096	7.1	830	1.6	2 061	5.6	829	1.5	3 847	4.4
Martin .....	40	31.5	734	27.4	325	3.0	704	9.5	286	5.6	1 023	17.7
Miami .....	277	7.3	6 632	7.1	628	2.3	1 648	5.3	640	2.0	3 927	3.7
Monroe .....	56	27.8	179	21.5	454	2.6	607	10.0	383	5.3	683	8.5
Montgomery .....	261	8.3	7 030	9.2	629	2.7	1 954	6.7	655	1.6	4 553	4.3
Morgan .....	135	12.5	2 059	8.6	584	2.0	1 076	11.7	547	2.6	2 021	7.3
Newton .....	169	11.7	3 997	6.2	331	4.6	1 876	27.3	356	2.7	5 246	3.2
Noble .....	229	12.8	2 696	12.5	912	1.4	2 189	4.8	813	2.6	3 400	5.7
Ohio .....	34	29.8	110	7.3	246	1.5	255	6.2	208	5.4	366	5.4
Orange .....	52	25.6	903	5.1	525	1.2	785	6.2	429	4.5	1 350	3.9
Owen .....	33	31.4	118	5.4	569	.6	1 007	9.2	449	4.3	1 096	11.5
Parke .....	198	10.6	4 440	10.0	449	2.5	1 502	10.8	399	4.3	2 385	10.2
Perry .....	91	19.6	277	25.6	483	.7	663	8.7	471	1.7	883	8.5
Pike .....	142	15.3	1 074	12.1	256	5.3	519	23.5	223	7.5	1 039	24.7
Porter .....	166	10.3	4 057	10.1	465	1.6	1 135	6.3	402	3.9	2 562	6.5
Posey .....	168	10.9	3 059	11.0	401	3.3	1 380	9.0	421	2.2	3 435	4.1
Pulaski .....	211	8.7	7 310	4.9	511	1.9	1 534	5.8	492	2.3	7 043	3.2
Putnam .....	202	12.1	4 613	8.3	763	1.8	1 696	7.0	708	2.9	2 980	6.1
Randolph .....	307	8.2	3 789	5.3	809	1.7	2 186	5.4	754	2.7	3 634	5.6
Ripley .....	207	11.4	3 721	8.3	798	1.4	1 487	5.6	752	2.5	3 663	7.0
Rush .....	235	10.1	6 427	5.8	651	1.4	2 241	5.1	641	1.7	3 878	5.7
St. Joseph .....	305	8.4	4 443	6.9	620	3.0	2 070	5.8	631	1.7	2 683	3.9
Scott .....	73	15.9	1 006	17.8	340	2.7	511	8.4	303	5.1	560	5.6
Shelby .....	227	9.9	5 906	6.8	626	1.4	1 651	6.0	592	2.5	2 954	3.7
Spencer .....	182	11.9	2 574	7.7	618	1.8	1 289	4.1	619	1.4	2 749	5.9
Starke .....	119	14.5	2 883	8.5	352	5.2	1 050	12.5	389	3.1	1 861	11.0
Steuben .....	141	11.8	1 746	11.0	549	2.4	1 209	8.0	519	3.2	1 517	8.2
Sullivan .....	124	16.1	1 972	9.5	473	.8	1 402	5.2	403	4.4	2 218	3.3
Switzerland .....	79	22.1	487	16.4	523	2.3	569	5.6	462	4.4	1 270	10.3
Tippecanoe .....	257	8.4	7 573	10.6	641	1.8	2 053	7.6	618	2.4	5 128	4.9
Tipton .....	207	9.8	6 117	4.9	388	3.0	1 640	6.7	376	3.5	2 647	3.9
Union .....	112	11.1	1 621	11.5	243	3.4	712	5.3	249	2.9	1 343	6.8
Vanderburgh .....	100	16.2	1 973	15.1	252	3.4	596	14.5	237	4.5	1 354	11.8
Vermillion .....	95	20.2	2 397	15.3	246	.7	775	16.4	249	.7	1 772	8.7
Vigo .....	85	18.4	1 670	13.5	424	2.5	837	8.2	389	3.5	1 791	8.5
Wabash .....	200	10.4	5 356	9.8	730	1.8	1 805	5.9	655	2.8	4 769	3.6
Warren .....	132	12.6	3 518	7.8	350	2.8	1 094	5.5	365	2.5	3 480	3.9
Warrick .....	100	16.0	2 028	16.2	348	1.5	857	12.1	336	3.3	1 546	6.6
Washington .....	126	15.8	1 349	8.6	908	.9	1 684	5.0	848	2.2	2 720	4.3
Wayne .....	166	12.6	3 705	10.6	781	1.9	2 268	4.3	732	3.0	3 618	5.5
Wells .....	226	10.1	7 361	7.1	645	1.7	1 503	4.8	611	2.8	3 450	4.4
White .....	250	8.6	9 823	5.9	561	3.6	2 095	7.8	565	2.5	7 209	2.8
Whitley .....	162	12.1	2 421	10.5	750	1.9	2 061	6.5	701	3.4	3 011	11.1
Geographic area	Net cash return from agricultural sales for the farm unit (see text) <sup>1</sup>				Total cropland				Harvested cropland			
	Farms		Value		Farms		Acres		Farms		Acres	
	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Total (\$1,000)	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Number	
	Indiana .....	.4	1 163 605	.9	53 256	.4	12 848 950	.3	47 613	.5	11 716 704	.3
Adams .....	1 093	.7	13 609	15.8	992	.7	191 192	.9	909	.7	179 996	1.0
Allen .....	1 439	.8	29 796	4.6	1 342	.7	246 668	.9	1 192	.8	230 054	.9
Bartholomew .....	576	.7	11 811	5.4	542	.4	146 039	.7	506	.5	138 189	.7
Benton .....	434	.8	25 926	6.0	416	.6	247 562	.6	409	.6	241 562	.6

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Geographic area	Net cash return from agricultural sales for the farm unit (see text) <sup>1</sup>				Total cropland				Harvested cropland			
	Farms		Value		Farms		Acres		Farms		Acres	
	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Total (\$1,000)	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)
Blackford.....	303	1.0	4 897	7.6	279	.7	76 593	1.1	227	1.0	69 696	1.2
Boone.....	610	.7	19 920	5.6	556	.6	212 137	.7	515	.7	206 132	.7
Brown.....	176	1.8	114	61.1	165	.6	10 381	2.2	141	1.1	6 668	2.7
Carroll.....	564	.5	32 003	2.6	497	.5	198 014	.5	474	.5	186 176	.5
Cass.....	699	.7	20 304	4.1	627	.6	179 249	.7	570	.7	170 009	.7
Clark.....	648	.6	2 835	17.6	593	.5	75 586	.9	499	.7	58 120	1.1
Clay.....	520	.8	9 343	11.0	482	.6	134 623	.9	440	.7	126 260	1.0
Clinton.....	585	.6	26 282	4.9	543	.6	222 586	.6	514	.6	217 580	.6
Crawford.....	410	.8	—740	48.8	382	.6	29 601	1.4	295	1.0	12 726	1.8
Daviess.....	1 101	.7	9 511	9.3	1 008	.6	188 972	.8	899	.7	168 261	.8
Dearborn.....	679	.7	—419	82.1	635	.5	44 856	1.4	578	.6	29 435	1.9
Decatur.....	653	.7	19 293	6.2	593	.6	170 873	.8	558	.7	159 475	.8
De Kalb.....	785	.7	8 479	11.3	733	.5	135 205	.8	511	.8	104 717	1.0
Delaware.....	635	.6	13 114	5.5	586	.6	159 571	.7	526	.7	152 438	.7
Dubois.....	811	.6	6 308	11.9	728	.4	138 274	.7	656	.5	118 376	.7
Ekhart.....	1 335	.6	24 287	6.7	1 185	.5	160 160	.8	1 049	.6	143 324	.9
Fayette.....	420	1.0	4 814	19.4	377	.9	85 029	1.6	348	1.1	75 806	1.7
Floyd.....	311	.8	—422	59.2	286	.5	18 472	2.8	244	.8	12 750	4.1
Fountain.....	550	.7	13 711	9.9	501	.7	177 202	.9	468	.7	162 606	1.0
Franklin.....	777	.7	5 776	15.6	728	.5	91 558	1.0	677	.6	74 811	1.1
Fulton.....	622	.7	14 873	6.4	570	.6	151 322	.8	523	.7	140 458	.9
Gibson.....	579	.6	16 327	7.6	541	.5	211 810	.5	506	.6	198 806	.5
Grant.....	575	.6	18 750	4.9	541	.5	178 082	.6	486	.6	172 544	.6
Greene.....	878	.6	7 646	14.2	805	.5	146 620	.9	737	.6	120 576	.9
Hamilton.....	590	.7	16 946	8.4	539	.6	126 509	.8	487	.7	120 531	.8
Hancock.....	548	.8	15 977	6.3	505	.6	155 422	.7	482	.7	152 356	.7
Harrison.....	1 109	.6	3 522	17.3	1 030	.5	109 853	.9	857	.6	75 449	1.1
Hendricks.....	629	.6	11 211	8.8	581	.6	150 491	.7	537	.7	140 890	.7
Henry.....	769	.7	11 947	8.5	702	.6	161 322	.9	644	.7	151 430	1.0
Howard.....	486	.7	18 296	5.0	453	.5	137 933	.7	436	.6	135 655	.7
Huntington.....	651	.7	23 613	4.0	600	.6	168 886	.8	542	.7	160 643	.8
Jackson.....	811	.6	1 538	59.5	741	.6	157 403	1.0	663	.7	139 436	1.1
Jasper.....	619	.6	29 956	3.6	570	.5	257 576	.6	549	.6	248 730	.6
Jay.....	839	.6	7 898	15.6	792	.6	157 345	.9	659	.7	140 899	.9
Jefferson.....	796	.7	3 813	18.8	765	.5	80 534	.9	705	.6	61 469	1.0
Jennings.....	607	.7	4 883	19.7	552	.6	91 446	1.3	458	.9	79 439	1.4
Johnson.....	525	.7	11 490	7.7	465	.7	121 046	1.0	425	.8	114 775	1.0
Knox.....	584	.6	26 057	3.8	528	.6	255 766	.6	511	.6	243 509	.6
Kosciusko.....	1 129	.5	20 968	5.0	1 011	.4	210 148	.7	846	.6	188 205	.7
Lagrange.....	1 391	.6	18 174	7.0	1 267	.6	156 233	.8	1 107	.6	127 875	.9
Lake.....	442	.6	13 510	11.5	414	.6	138 929	.8	377	.7	132 551	.8
La Porte.....	750	.7	27 337	3.9	694	.6	226 816	.7	651	.7	212 940	.7
Lawrence.....	875	.6	2 694	39.3	779	.6	100 355	1.2	661	.7	64 725	1.2
Madison.....	738	.6	21 865	5.5	693	.5	208 843	.7	654	.5	202 098	.8
Marion.....	224	1.0	15 113	3.2	194	1.0	24 102	2.0	168	1.3	21 822	2.2
Marshall.....	865	.7	15 396	6.0	794	.6	176 837	.8	716	.7	160 601	.9
Martin.....	335	.8	3 131	26.8	302	.8	46 451	1.6	262	1.1	35 897	1.8
Miami.....	678	.6	16 994	6.7	639	.4	175 108	.6	588	.5	165 003	.6
Monroe.....	475	.7	6 696	80.0	425	.6	36 214	1.9	362	.8	22 807	2.3
Montgomery.....	682	.6	23 708	5.8	611	.6	243 976	.6	574	.7	232 300	.6
Morgan.....	601	.8	7 345	16.5	545	.7	110 972	1.0	481	.8	101 157	1.1
Newton.....	382	.7	28 858	6.3	353	.7	192 801	.7	340	.7	184 854	.7
Noble.....	941	.6	17 616	5.4	883	.5	147 016	1.0	729	.7	126 941	1.1
Ohio.....	252	1.0	8 806	58.7	241	.7	15 949	1.5	229	.8	9 358	1.6
Orange.....	531	.7	3 649	17.3	491	.7	77 911	1.3	410	.9	54 994	1.4
Owen.....	569	.6	2 708	33.9	506	.7	70 022	1.3	430	.9	52 250	1.5
Parke.....	471	.7	9 184	12.7	427	.7	146 125	.9	390	.8	136 104	.9
Perry.....	484	.7	2 041	31.4	443	.6	44 187	1.6	388	.8	28 278	2.1
Pike.....	288	.7	2 662	23.6	266	.7	70 123	1.5	227	1.1	63 185	1.7
Porter.....	478	.8	14 020	6.7	442	.5	122 766	.8	407	.6	117 591	.9
Posey.....	437	.8	14 991	6.2	409	.6	180 104	.7	386	.7	175 881	.7
Pulaski.....	531	.7	25 080	4.1	500	.6	216 338	.7	482	.7	207 706	.7
Putnam.....	793	.7	9 022	10.2	701	.6	152 919	.9	616	.7	136 146	.9
Randolph.....	850	.6	14 778	8.0	799	.5	202 017	.7	707	.6	187 956	.8
Ripley.....	821	.7	4 386	23.3	769	.6	123 794	1.0	705	.6	106 398	1.1
Rush.....	663	.8	23 465	5.0	621	.8	207 225	.9	594	.9	198 032	.9
St. Joseph.....	668	.6	15 461	9.0	615	.5	139 661	.8	563	.6	131 004	.8
Scott.....	350	1.0	1 161	34.8	307	.9	41 364	1.5	255	1.2	33 879	1.7
Shelby.....	641	.7	20 418	6.7	601	.5	185 603	.7	560	.6	180 102	.7
Spencer.....	637	.7	7 875	7.2	599	.5	142 200	.8	542	.7	124 768	.9
Starke.....	410	.8	8 384	7.7	386	.7	116 495	.8	320	1.0	103 811	.9
Steuben.....	581	.7	5 226	19.3	535	.6	99 218	1.0	366	1.0	71 944	1.2
Sullivan.....	473	.8	10 858	6.7	438	.6	154 407	.8	397	.8	146 668	.8
Switzerland.....	541	.8	3 392	13.2	516	.7	33 929	1.7	496	.7	20 701	2.1
Tippicanoe.....	666	.7	19 845	7.1	612	.5	220 806	.7	582	.6	213 122	.7
Tipton.....	416	.7	20 444	6.3	388	.6	147 636	.7	376	.6	146 096	.7
Union.....	267	1.1	6 515	8.2	251	.7	68 968	1.3	236	.8	63 111	1.3
Vanderburgh.....	270	1.0	4 446	9.8	259	.6	66 532	1.2	243	.8	64 540	1.2
Vermillion.....	249	.7	7 055	17.2	234	.5	101 027	.8	225	.6	95 431	.8
Vigo.....	454	.8	6 070	13.6	408	.7	99 012	1.2	374	.9	93 732	1.3

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Geographic area	Net cash return from agricultural sales for the farm unit (see text) <sup>1</sup>				Total cropland				Harvested cropland			
	Farms		Value		Farms		Acres		Farms		Acres	
	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Total (\$1,000)	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)
Wabash.....	761	.7	23 280	4.1	683	.6	163 227	.8	584	.8	150 107	.8
Warren.....	379	.8	16 331	7.2	335	.8	162 247	.7	315	.9	153 224	.8
Warrick.....	356	.8	3 687	21.4	323	.7	80 901	1.3	283	.8	73 939	1.3
Washington.....	915	.6	1 392	47.9	838	.5	125 278	1.0	689	.6	90 019	1.2
Wayne.....	813	.6	13 599	8.0	743	.6	142 427	.9	616	.7	123 991	1.0
Wells.....	660	.6	22 817	6.6	612	.4	182 069	.7	575	.5	175 631	.7
White.....	621	.7	28 145	3.7	578	.6	253 021	.6	543	.7	244 828	.6
Whitley.....	787	.7	11 712	8.7	720	.6	138 872	.9	574	.8	119 639	.9
Irrigated land												
Geographic area	Farms		Acres		Cattle and calves inventory				Beef cows inventory			
	Farms		Acres		Farms		Total		Farms		Total	
	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)
Indiana.....	1 753	.7	250 050	.5	23 025	.5	976 701	.4	15 164	.5	277 797	.5
Adams.....	15	8.5	190	24.6	425	1.4	15 212	4.5	46	373	4.8	
Allen.....	39	5.4	1 167	6.1	362	1.7	19 838	3.4	87	1 648	2.4	
Bartholomew.....	30	3.5	5 953	1.1	220	1.4	6 736	1.8	165	2 114	2.0	
Benton.....	2	—	(D)	(D)	81	3.0	3 865	3.2	56	1 341	4.2	
Blackford.....	—	—	—	—	54	3.6	1 769	6.0	34	4.5	(D)	(D)
Boone.....	5	11.8	(D)	(D)	186	1.9	6 292	2.7	152	2.2	2 303	2.8
Brown.....	4	14.7	8	19.5	72	2.5	2 087	2.8	60	2.9	(D)	(D)
Carroll.....	8	9.4	507	4.7	151	1.7	6 084	1.7	91	2.4	1 596	2.6
Cass.....	21	5.6	1 596	2.3	260	1.6	12 323	2.0	180	2.1	3 934	3.2
Clark.....	19	6.8	257	2.4	342	1.1	14 056	1.3	286	1.3	6 794	1.5
Clay.....	1	—	(D)	(D)	200	1.7	7 421	2.2	149	2.1	2 711	3.0
Clinton.....	7	11.9	185	12.9	105	2.6	2 484	4.3	72	3.4	(D)	(D)
Crawford.....	3	22.0	6	21.4	267	1.2	8 926	2.0	226	1.4	4 418	2.4
Daviess.....	19	5.6	1 628	1.7	571	1.1	20 298	1.5	266	1.8	4 803	3.2
Dearborn.....	21	6.5	84	15.5	426	.9	11 046	2.0	362	1.1	4 864	1.9
Decatur.....	4	17.0	4	17.0	281	1.4	16 193	1.6	164	2.1	3 750	2.3
De Kalb.....	14	7.5	560	3.2	163	1.9	8 762	1.8	68	3.3	749	4.2
Delaware.....	13	6.4	288	6.3	145	2.2	4 857	3.5	93	2.9	1 591	5.2
Dubois.....	15	6.9	491	7.1	467	.9	26 807	1.2	376	1.0	9 535	1.6
Elskhart.....	135	2.1	23 524	1.3	757	.8	42 719	1.0	153	2.3	1 932	3.0
Fayette.....	3	14.8	(D)	(D)	226	1.7	9 201	2.6	194	1.9	3 647	2.7
Floyd.....	7	9.4	12	12.6	164	1.3	3 332	1.8	144	1.5	1 632	2.0
Fountain.....	4	17.6	484	18.0	235	1.6	9 075	2.6	196	1.8	4 303	2.6
Franklin.....	20	6.3	222	13.3	452	.9	16 193	1.4	341	1.2	5 207	1.8
Fulton.....	37	3.4	9 913	2.5	241	1.6	10 394	2.0	133	2.4	2 302	3.4
Gibson.....	23	4.9	2 416	1.6	151	1.9	6 620	2.1	108	2.4	1 870	2.9
Grant.....	6	12.0	24	13.8	134	2.1	4 728	1.9	86	2.8	1 131	3.0
Greene.....	5	8.3	596	1.8	546	.8	21 561	1.2	466	1.0	10 091	1.4
Hamilton.....	13	8.2	717	2.0	154	2.0	4 267	2.4	100	2.6	1 480	3.0
Hancock.....	16	7.3	515	8.0	139	2.3	3 437	2.9	103	2.7	1 341	3.4
Harrison.....	17	6.9	64	11.3	678	.8	24 294	1.5	578	.9	10 520	1.4
Hendricks.....	7	10.2	28	11.8	219	1.7	7 176	3.0	163	2.0	2 918	4.0
Henry.....	8	10.1	1 052	9.2	325	1.4	11 078	1.9	234	1.7	3 243	2.0
Howard.....	4	16.2	58	17.9	137	2.1	5 000	2.4	79	2.9	792	4.1
Huntington.....	7	11.2	20	15.1	154	2.0	7 070	1.7	101	2.6	1 417	2.8
Jackson.....	11	8.7	518	5.8	398	1.2	18 996	1.5	282	1.6	4 802	2.6
Jasper.....	57	3.0	16 523	1.8	132	2.3	10 734	1.2	100	2.7	2 230	3.1
Jay.....	7	9.7	202	10.7	225	1.8	8 873	2.0	101	3.0	1 136	5.2
Jefferson.....	25	5.9	335	3.7	413	1.1	14 068	1.7	364	1.3	6 546	2.0
Jennings.....	8	10.0	671	10.6	317	1.3	9 529	1.9	256	1.5	3 931	2.1
Johnson.....	8	8.6	1 241	3.6	188	1.8	8 884	2.5	120	2.5	2 092	5.7
Knox.....	70	2.4	13 687	1.4	184	1.7	10 379	1.6	136	2.1	3 652	2.4
Kosciusko.....	46	2.9	12 476	1.8	397	1.1	26 429	1.0	185	1.9	3 216	3.0
Lagrange.....	71	3.0	23 478	1.8	925	.8	39 275	1.0	91	2.8	1 205	4.2
Lake.....	38	4.1	6 211	2.3	88	2.9	3 204	2.8	49	4.3	714	5.4
La Porte.....	111	2.2	27 090	1.4	234	1.8	24 980	1.1	120	2.8	1 675	3.8
Lawrence.....	14	7.4	2 968	11.4	582	.8	27 336	2.0	498	.9	13 425	2.0
Madison.....	10	5.2	936	.1	213	1.7	6 485	1.7	154	2.0	2 299	2.0
Marion.....	41	3.7	263	3.1	42	4.2	965	6.3	24	5.7	297	6.3
Marshall.....	25	5.5	4 662	4.6	313	1.5	15 452	1.7	148	2.4	2 350	4.0
Martin.....	—	—	—	—	218	1.4	8 017	2.3	178	1.7	3 502	2.6
Miami.....	16	5.7	1 867	7.7	243	1.3	14 578	2.0	139	1.9	2 074	2.9
Monroe.....	13	6.9	91	22.4	275	1.2	10 717	2.3	232	1.4	5 329	2.2
Montgomery.....	12	8.2	870	5.7	247	1.6	8 701	2.0	187	1.9	3 613	2.2
Morgan.....	5	11.9	35	9.4	279	1.5	9 063	2.2	220	1.8	3 724	2.3
Newton.....	24	4.9	7 324	1.2	90	2.7	3 660	3.6	79	3.0	(D)	(D)
Noble.....	26	5.1	4 244	2.2	335	1.3	16 262	1.7	144	2.2	2 236	3.1
Ohio.....	20	6.6	390	4.8	150	1.7	3 327	2.6	133	1.9	1 712	2.8
Orange.....	3	13.9	(D)	(D)	311	1.3	12 965	2.4	257	1.5	5 644	2.5

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table F. Reliability Estimates for the State and County Totals: 1997—Con.**

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

Geographic area	Irrigated land				Livestock and poultry							
	Farms		Acres		Cattle and calves inventory				Beef cows inventory			
					Farms		Total		Farms		Total	
	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)
Owen.....	7	10.7	93	3.0	309	1.2	10 917	2.0	264	1.4	5 040	2.1
Parke.....	17	7.4	803	8.7	221	1.6	9 518	2.1	176	1.8	3 637	2.7
Perry.....	11	7.9	187	11.0	347	.9	12 521	1.6	314	1.1	5 868	1.9
Pike.....	2	17.2	(D)	(D)	107	2.5	3 509	3.4	87	2.9	1 597	3.7
Porter.....	39	3.9	6 827	3.3	124	2.1	4 416	2.2	84	2.7	1 347	3.7
Posey.....	19	2.5	3 445	.1	99	2.4	4 040	2.8	63	3.2	1 112	3.7
Pulaski.....	53	3.1	10 999	1.7	138	2.2	6 106	3.0	88	3.0	1 293	4.1
Putnam.....	6	12.5	50	18.5	379	1.2	12 155	1.5	300	1.4	5 256	1.7
Randolph.....	8	10.5	90	6.1	230	1.6	7 862	2.6	151	2.1	1 850	2.9
Ripley.....	21	5.5	80	5.8	410	1.2	15 012	1.8	331	1.4	5 548	2.3
Rush.....	2	26.8	(D)	(D)	232	1.8	14 194	1.4	127	2.5	3 211	2.1
St. Joseph.....	61	3.0	12 941	1.6	170	1.9	6 440	2.6	78	3.1	724	4.3
Scott.....	8	9.3	70	13.1	177	1.8	4 675	2.4	147	2.1	(D)	(D)
Shelby.....	12	7.8	1 672	.1	205	1.7	6 283	2.3	130	2.4	1 978	2.8
Spencer.....	6	13.7	142	18.5	316	1.3	14 051	1.9	259	1.5	6 343	1.7
Starke.....	51	2.9	10 795	2.2	63	3.7	1 702	4.0	39	4.8	(D)	(D)
Steuben.....	17	7.1	1 225	5.3	166	1.9	9 257	2.5	72	3.2	1 110	4.8
Sullivan.....	29	4.7	5 575	3.1	153	2.1	5 386	2.8	128	2.3	2 467	3.1
Switzerland.....	35	5.8	140	8.1	287	1.4	7 809	2.4	247	1.6	3 903	3.0
Tippecanoe.....	32	4.3	3 689	1.5	202	1.7	7 761	1.6	155	2.0	3 626	2.1
Tipton.....	3	17.0	(D)	(D)	69	3.2	2 004	3.6	35	4.8	(D)	(D)
Union.....	5	12.3	40	12.1	124	2.0	4 259	2.6	90	2.6	1 581	3.4
Vanderburgh.....	10	10.4	(D)	(D)	57	3.4	1 808	4.3	36	4.6	364	6.6
Vermillion.....	3	12.7	(D)	(D)	102	2.0	4 442	2.8	85	2.4	(D)	(D)
Vigo.....	15	7.3	357	2.1	138	2.4	3 050	3.6	116	2.6	1 307	3.6
Wabash.....	15	7.1	782	7.1	195	1.9	22 465	1.1	80	3.3	1 138	4.3
Warren.....	1	—	(D)	(D)	127	2.4	5 000	2.8	112	2.6	(D)	(D)
Warwick.....	11	8.7	27	10.5	144	1.9	4 630	2.4	117	2.2	1 596	2.8
Washington.....	6	9.7	7	8.3	565	.8	30 138	1.3	456	1.0	11 227	1.7
Wayne.....	10	8.6	314	10.4	374	1.2	16 425	1.6	245	1.6	4 606	2.4
Wells.....	3	17.2	4	17.2	111	2.2	8 287	1.4	37	4.2	420	4.9
White.....	14	5.7	2 333	2.5	173	2.0	6 965	2.1	129	2.4	2 518	2.9
Whitley.....	8	10.2	718	.4	222	1.8	9 534	2.0	77	3.5	1 109	3.4
Livestock and poultry—Con.												
Geographic area	Milk cows inventory				Hogs and pigs inventory				Sheep and lambs inventory			
	Farms		Total		Farms		Total		Farms		Total	
	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)
	Indiana.....	3 216	.7	131 630	.5	6 442	.5	3 972 060	.2	1 927	.8	54 227
Adams.....	261	1.9	5 968	1.8	261	1.8	105 431	1.4	27	6.0	1 143	15.0
Allen.....	135	2.8	3 919	2.4	127	2.7	49 783	2.0	46	4.9	897	8.3
Bartholomew.....	15	5.3	1 125	4.4	45	3.1	24 052	1.5	29	4.7	609	8.5
Benton.....	5	10.5	250	8.6	18	4.9	6 982	2.9	11	9.3	866	15.3
Blackford.....	2	24.0	(D)	(D)	27	5.3	33 458	1.4	12	9.0	217	9.1
Boone.....	14	9.4	316	13.5	93	2.5	69 682	.7	23	5.6	608	8.8
Brown.....	6	8.2	(D)	(D)	8	10.3	203	15.8	7	9.1	189	11.1
Carroll.....	17	6.1	538	6.5	163	1.4	255 176	.4	29	4.6	751	6.3
Cass.....	17	6.6	1 122	2.3	113	2.3	72 036	.8	42	4.6	1 502	7.4
Clark.....	16	5.9	732	5.2	26	4.9	3 506	3.4	11	7.8	330	9.3
Clay.....	9	9.1	690	1.7	52	3.5	18 415	1.7	11	9.2	278	11.7
Clinton.....	1	33.7	(D)	(D)	119	1.9	181 579	.5	31	5.2	860	8.5
Crawford.....	16	7.2	272	8.1	13	9.0	948	11.5	3	17.2	(D)	(D)
Daviess.....	209	2.2	3 110	2.2	303	1.6	154 715	1.2	39	5.0	776	9.0
Dearborn.....	13	7.2	490	4.3	29	5.2	1 868	8.0	16	6.9	394	9.6
Decatur.....	22	6.2	1 126	4.9	145	2.0	147 844	.7	21	5.9	591	6.3
De Kalb.....	31	4.7	2 727	2.0	47	4.0	18 355	2.5	24	5.9	584	8.4
Delaware.....	11	7.9	569	5.4	63	3.1	24 502	1.3	26	6.1	506	7.1
Dubois.....	33	3.8	2 753	2.1	177	1.6	110 646	.9	20	6.6	791	18.8
Elkhart.....	348	1.3	18 297	1.1	184	2.0	73 951	1.2	50	4.1	889	5.1
Fayette.....	14	9.5	631	11.3	65	3.8	24 878	2.7	17	8.9	460	15.0
Floyd.....	5	11.1	55	13.5	14	5.6	1 864	3.1	4	11.6	(D)	(D)
Fountain.....	9	10.9	172	17.5	46	4.3	25 918	1.5	11	8.6	258	12.6
Franklin.....	30	4.2	1 831	2.9	101	2.4	38 620	2.4	32	4.7	667	5.6
Fulton.....	34	4.6	1 606	3.2	74	2.8	33 912	1.0	26	5.8	570	10.5
Gibson.....	21	5.0	963	3.7	61	2.8	38 267	.7	7	11.1	197	13.8
Grant.....	8	8.4	982	2.6	65	2.6	27 858	1.3	19	6.7	390	8.0
Greene.....	24	5.1	871	4.2	56	3.4	96 385	.3	18	6.2	1 820	7.0
Hamilton.....	5	11.8	294	7.5	58	3.4	24 010	1.7	38	5.0	900	7.2
Hancock.....	9	9.8	114	18.5	61	3.1	54 942	1.1	45	4.3	1 521	6.9
Harrison.....	35	4.4	1 560	3.9	46	3.9	5 953	3.6	10	8.9	395	14.4
Hendricks.....	19	5.7	559	5.5	50	4.0	25 011	1.9	33	5.1	845	8.0
Henry.....	19	6.5	984	4.1	65	3.4	18 097	2.9	36	5.2	1 076	10.2
Howard.....	16	7.8	611	8.6	96	2.2	73 259	1.0	8	11.3	251	14.0

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**Table F. Reliability Estimates for the State and County Totals: 1997—Con.**

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

Geographic area	Livestock and poultry—Con.											
	Milk cows inventory				Hogs and pigs inventory				Sheep and lambs inventory			
	Farms		Total		Farms		Total		Farms		Total	
	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)
Huntington .....	16	4.1	1 049	3.5	83	2.7	36 854	1.8	36	4.7	652	5.6
Jackson .....	34	4.3	2 717	2.3	67	3.3	34 410	1.9	10	9.6	896	4.6
Jasper .....	5	9.7	199	.2	80	2.6	83 813	.5	9	9.1	201	12.1
Jay .....	61	3.7	2 082	2.7	126	2.3	53 052	1.5	36	5.0	670	8.5
Jefferson .....	26	5.6	826	6.1	21	6.8	3 699	8.3	14	7.9	248	11.9
Jennings .....	10	8.3	387	6.2	50	4.0	11 430	4.3	7	13.2	270	22.8
Johnson .....	11	6.6	1 134	2.8	41	4.4	14 037	2.0	11	10.2	580	31.9
Knox .....	7	10.0	234	11.4	84	2.5	44 215	.8	7	11.7	111	15.5
Kosciusko .....	74	3.0	3 482	2.4	129	2.0	102 998	.7	56	3.5	1 951	10.1
Lagrange .....	528	1.2	11 396	1.3	259	1.8	69 338	1.5	63	3.9	1 243	7.6
Lake .....	16	6.4	826	4.4	26	5.0	9 435	1.1	11	9.5	208	13.3
La Porte .....	47	4.0	5 365	1.8	57	3.6	27 110	1.5	27	5.7	780	4.2
Lawrence .....	16	7.1	741	8.0	32	5.1	4 218	8.4	18	6.9	190	9.8
Madison .....	6	10.6	104	10.3	63	3.0	26 111	1.3	33	4.5	785	5.6
Marion .....	3	20.4	90	23.4	8	9.1	764	4.7	9	11.1	312	12.6
Marshall .....	81	3.3	4 589	2.6	89	3.2	15 124	3.2	44	4.4	1 708	7.1
Martin .....	16	7.7	166	9.5	43	4.4	24 716	3.0	5	10.7	75	20.4
Miami .....	38	3.3	2 547	2.3	107	1.9	99 543	.8	24	5.5	808	8.4
Monroe .....	11	9.1	354	10.1	16	6.3	279	10.7	15	6.9	308	7.7
Montgomery .....	6	10.2	51	12.5	69	3.0	91 444	.5	38	5.1	1 240	10.1
Morgan .....	13	8.3	256	5.3	50	4.1	10 515	2.5	32	5.4	927	7.2
Newton .....	1	36.9	(D)	(D)	19	3.8	22 013	.1	14	8.1	293	9.1
Noble .....	104	2.7	4 716	2.2	75	3.0	43 481	1.5	40	4.5	1 243	6.1
Ohio .....	5	14.2	135	18.6	6	12.3	(D)	(D)	—	—	—	—
Orange .....	23	6.3	713	7.9	45	4.4	16 330	2.9	8	11.5	262	13.7
Owen .....	16	7.5	410	10.5	34	4.6	12 934	1.6	21	6.0	551	5.7
Parke .....	32	5.5	1 228	5.1	50	3.9	25 025	2.4	17	6.8	183	8.3
Perry .....	11	8.4	769	4.7	51	3.6	28 890	1.8	9	9.9	90	11.4
Pike .....	4	14.8	200	14.6	18	7.2	5 986	4.8	4	14.4	70	16.4
Porter .....	16	5.2	950	2.8	51	3.3	14 134	2.6	21	6.0	558	9.8
Posey .....	16	6.5	1 036	5.4	31	4.5	12 359	2.3	6	10.9	101	15.2
Pulaski .....	17	7.1	1 406	4.0	75	2.9	54 160	1.2	13	9.2	486	0.7
Putnam .....	12	8.2	333	7.4	93	2.6	40 026	1.5	53	3.9	1 163	5.0
Randolph .....	24	5.1	845	5.1	97	2.6	50 936	1.2	31	5.4	1 039	8.4
Ripley .....	19	6.7	970	4.3	94	2.8	33 316	2.5	25	5.9	875	9.5
Rush .....	32	5.6	1 525	3.8	158	2.0	109 134	.9	23	6.8	634	10.7
St. Joseph .....	43	3.8	2 222	3.4	64	3.3	27 430	1.7	17	8.1	293	9.8
Scott .....	2	14.8	(D)	(D)	16	7.4	1 253	18.6	11	9.4	217	11.1
Shelby .....	18	7.0	781	7.3	49	3.1	63 453	.7	25	5.6	677	8.0
Spencer .....	22	6.4	1 183	7.0	75	3.0	48 437	1.4	10	10.1	219	10.0
Starke .....	1	34.4	(D)	(D)	32	5.2	2 268	3.4	7	11.2	70	14.8
Steuben .....	48	3.4	2 618	2.6	31	5.1	6 859	6.1	7	10.1	187	12.7
Sullivan .....	11	8.2	362	7.7	35	4.9	13 898	3.1	12	9.6	272	18.1
Switzerland .....	22	6.9	622	7.9	23	5.9	(D)	(D)	7	11.7	96	11.5
Tiptpecanoe .....	6	12.8	239	6.9	70	2.7	90 874	.5	39	3.8	1 941	8.0
Tipton .....	3	19.3	(D)	(D)	57	3.0	56 821	.8	14	8.5	445	7.3
Union .....	10	8.3	508	6.9	53	3.0	28 912	2.4	7	9.7	180	11.1
Vanderburgh .....	8	7.3	478	7.3	12	6.4	3 804	7.7	6	11.8	81	16.4
Vermillion .....	1	—	(D)	(D)	15	6.5	24 205	.8	9	8.5	352	8.5
Vigo .....	6	12.7	149	20.7	34	4.9	15 563	1.6	7	11.6	126	10.6
Wabash .....	39	4.3	2 079	3.5	119	2.3	127 954	.8	29	5.3	1 650	12.5
Warren .....	2	19.7	(D)	(D)	16	7.4	(D)	(D)	9	9.6	163	13.3
Warick .....	9	7.2	586	5.9	32	5.0	11 829	4.9	7	9.9	95	4.4
Washington .....	52	3.5	2 410	2.4	73	3.0	17 299	2.1	15	7.7	510	11.7
Wayne .....	53	3.7	2 764	2.9	90	2.7	36 397	1.7	41	4.4	1 015	5.1
Wells .....	22	4.8	1 703	2.6	80	2.5	65 972	1.1	14	7.1	172	9.0
White .....	9	9.0	606	3.6	102	2.1	110 596	.5	24	6.4	519	7.9
Whitley .....	43	4.3	2 197	3.4	96	2.7	59 829	1.3	38	5.0	934	5.9
Geographic area	Livestock and poultry—Con.											
	Layers 20 weeks old and older inventory					Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold						
	Farms		Total			Farms		Total				
	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Number	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	
Indiana .....	1 785	.8	20 613 402	.2		204	2.2	10 391 178	2.1			
Adams .....	81	3.3	942 178	4.3		14	8.8	357 530	11.0			
Allen .....	50	4.9	19 780	19.0		7	11.0	380	13.5			
Bartholomew .....	11	8.0	204	8.0		1	24.5	(D)	(D)			
Benton .....	4	16.9	127	31.8		—	—	(D)	(D)			
Blackford .....	6	11.4	(D)	(D)		—	—	—	—			
Boone .....	17	6.9	680	10.9		—	—	—	—			
Brown .....	8	10.1	234	14.4		1	29.5	(D)	(D)			
Carroll .....	16	6.6	636	8.1		—	—	(D)	(D)			
Cass .....	12	9.5	381	16.7		3	20.8	(D)	(D)			

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Geographic area	Livestock and poultry—Con.							
	Layers 20 weeks old and older inventory				Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold			
	Farms		Total		Farms		Total	
	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)
Clark .....	15	6.8	(D)	(D)	1	—	(D)	(D)
Clay .....	14	7.0	(D)	(D)	1	—	(D)	(D)
Clinton .....	15	7.4	(D)	(D)	—	—	—	—
Crawford .....	18	6.7	350	9.1	—	—	—	—
Daviess .....	59	4.4	1 061	4.5	2	27.3	(D)	(D)
Dearborn .....	18	6.8	783	10.3	—	—	—	—
Decatur .....	9	10.5	214	14.3	—	—	—	—
De Kalb .....	16	7.1	382	8.5	3	13.2	150	20.4
Delaware .....	22	6.8	686	9.6	—	—	—	—
Dubois .....	37	3.1	2 841 959	(L)	2	—	(D)	(D)
Elkhart .....	88	3.2	77 185	5.2	45	4.3	3 005 354	4.5
Fayette .....	5	16.7	190	24.9	—	—	—	—
Floyd .....	5	12.2	75	14.5	1	17.3	(D)	(D)
Fountain .....	8	10.8	118	12.2	—	—	—	—
Franklin .....	26	5.5	906	8.6	2	21.6	(D)	(D)
Fulton .....	14	8.4	(D)	(D)	3	20.8	(D)	(D)
Gibson .....	10	8.6	167	10.4	—	—	—	—
Grant .....	9	9.5	(D)	(D)	—	—	—	—
Greene .....	29	5.2	671	8.8	2	14.7	(D)	(D)
Hamilton .....	15	7.9	393	11.4	2	26.4	(D)	(D)
Hancock .....	13	9.5	261	11.5	—	—	—	—
Harrison .....	36	4.4	(D)	(D)	10	6.3	1 952 978	2.4
Hendricks .....	17	6.8	257	7.9	—	—	—	—
Henry .....	17	7.8	404	11.4	1	31.8	(D)	(D)
Howard .....	13	8.6	5 357	22.1	1	28.6	(D)	(D)
Huntington .....	13	6.1	65 334	(L)	—	—	—	—
Jackson .....	22	6.3	(D)	(D)	—	—	—	—
Jasper .....	7	12.4	(D)	(D)	1	34.3	(D)	(D)
Jay .....	42	3.6	1 779 966	(L)	1	33.2	(D)	(D)
Jefferson .....	20	6.9	276	7.0	—	—	—	—
Jennings .....	13	8.6	(D)	(D)	—	—	—	—
Johnson .....	15	7.7	218	11.8	—	—	—	—
Knox .....	9	10.0	141	17.4	—	—	—	—
Kosciusko .....	30	4.6	2 461 526	(L)	5	14.1	(D)	(D)
Lagrange .....	207	2.0	258 050	1.2	32	5.7	1 870 836	7.0
Lake .....	15	8.3	999	18.6	—	—	—	—
La Porte .....	26	6.5	782	11.0	4	16.8	(D)	(D)
Lawrence .....	22	6.0	318	6.8	—	—	—	—
Madison .....	21	6.0	479	7.5	2	26.3	(D)	(D)
Marion .....	2	26.7	(D)	(D)	—	—	—	—
Marshall .....	25	6.1	(D)	(D)	8	11.0	(D)	(D)
Martin .....	12	8.3	(D)	(D)	—	—	—	—
Miami .....	25	4.9	529	5.7	5	11.7	260	14.2
Monroe .....	12	8.1	226	12.8	—	—	—	—
Montgomery .....	19	8.4	456	14.9	—	—	—	—
Morgan .....	10	11.2	181	12.3	1	35.7	(D)	(D)
Newton .....	3	17.1	(D)	(D)	1	38.8	(D)	(D)
Noble .....	32	5.5	997	8.8	3	21.1	(D)	(D)
Ohio .....	4	16.1	102	23.8	1	37.0	(D)	(D)
Orange .....	15	7.4	(D)	(D)	1	36.0	(D)	(D)
Owen .....	22	6.7	563	7.4	—	—	—	—
Parke .....	17	8.8	444	12.2	1	37.7	(D)	(D)
Perry .....	17	7.0	460	7.1	—	—	—	—
Pike .....	3	16.8	66	21.2	—	—	—	—
Porter .....	19	5.1	288	6.3	2	13.5	(D)	(D)
Posey .....	7	9.5	153	11.4	—	—	—	—
Pulaski .....	10	9.0	(D)	(D)	1	27.9	(D)	(D)
Putnam .....	26	5.9	504	7.1	—	—	—	—
Randolph .....	12	7.8	(D)	(D)	1	30.2	(D)	(D)
Ripley .....	27	5.8	1 014	9.1	—	—	—	—
Rush .....	10	12.0	355	17.3	2	26.8	(D)	(D)
St. Joseph .....	26	5.5	(D)	(D)	6	10.3	852	11.0
Scott .....	17	8.0	343	9.9	—	—	—	—
Shelby .....	5	11.9	179	17.3	—	—	—	—
Spencer .....	4	13.3	(D)	(D)	—	—	—	—
Starke .....	12	9.2	892	13.8	2	28.4	(D)	(D)
Steuben .....	11	8.8	262	15.0	1	29.7	(D)	(D)
Sullivan .....	6	13.1	99	14.7	—	—	—	—
Switzerland .....	20	6.8	462	9.3	2	21.0	(D)	(D)
Tipppecanoe .....	17	6.6	(D)	(D)	2	14.7	(D)	(D)
Tipton .....	4	14.5	(D)	(D)	—	—	—	—
Union .....	4	15.1	(D)	(D)	—	—	—	—
Vanderburgh .....	3	18.1	(D)	(D)	—	—	—	—
Vermillion .....	5	11.2	70	12.4	—	—	—	—
Vigo .....	12	9.3	450	15.4	—	—	—	—
Wabash .....	13	9.0	(D)	(D)	2	24.7	(D)	(D)
Warren .....	1	34.3	(D)	(D)	—	—	—	—
Warrick .....	7	12.0	103	14.0	2	21.6	(D)	(D)
Washington .....	30	5.1	69 439	4.6	5	6.4	2 023 254	(L)
Wayne .....	16	8.4	471	10.2	2	25.6	(D)	(D)
Wells .....	20	5.5	170 689	2.2	2	22.5	(D)	(D)
White .....	14	7.1	(D)	(D)	2	25.3	(D)	(D)
Whitley .....	14	8.0	(D)	(D)	2	25.7	(D)	(D)

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	Farms		Acres		Quantity		Farms		Acres		Quantity	
	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Bushels	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Tons, green	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)
Indiana .....	30 642	.5	5 473 792	.3	652 547 322	.3	3 365	.7	102 464	.5	1 639 160	.5
Adams .....	696	.9	70 784	1.0	9 626 844	1.0	121	2.6	3 135	2.1	47 680	2.0
Allen .....	845	1.0	85 866	1.0	11 597 698	1.0	73	3.8	1 874	3.9	28 224	3.3
Bartholomew .....	367	.8	67 794	.8	7 684 825	.8	24	4.4	786	3.5	12 363	3.5
Benton .....	382	.7	120 732	.6	15 810 028	.6	8	8.0	203	7.6	3 285	7.3
Blackford .....	159	1.5	28 065	1.2	3 450 962	1.2	4	14.6	84	20.4	1 000	16.5
Boone .....	379	1.0	98 481	.8	11 738 962	.8	14	7.7	642	9.0	15 390	6.6
Brown .....	37	4.2	1 840	5.0	184 079	4.5	2	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Carroll .....	376	.7	103 130	.5	14 569 784	.4	27	3.3	974	6.0	15 598	10.2
Cass .....	419	1.0	84 862	.8	11 328 965	.7	25	5.2	909	3.6	17 416	2.9
Clark .....	176	1.7	16 708	1.5	1 527 244	1.4	19	4.4	677	4.8	11 161	3.9
Clay .....	332	1.0	64 916	1.0	7 078 022	1.0	26	4.9	923	2.9	14 391	2.3
Clinton .....	423	.8	108 819	.6	13 735 695	.6	8	12.2	71	14.6	981	14.2
Crawford .....	31	5.0	713	5.0	52 805	4.9	8	10.7	244	9.7	4 690	21.4
Daviess .....	639	1.0	89 873	.9	8 742 059	.9	177	2.3	2 987	2.2	43 805	1.9
Dearborn .....	150	1.9	7 361	3.5	638 892	3.6	20	5.9	623	6.6	7 710	5.8
Decatur .....	441	.9	83 777	.8	10 437 791	.8	49	3.8	2 231	2.2	37 572	2.5
De Kalb .....	324	1.2	36 636	1.2	4 327 664	1.2	37	4.1	1 971	2.5	29 599	2.4
Delaware .....	356	1.0	63 858	.7	7 273 557	.7	15	6.4	563	5.1	7 919	4.7
Dubois .....	440	.8	59 549	.8	5 451 897	.8	56	2.9	2 896	1.9	42 627	2.0
Ekhart .....	695	.8	64 955	1.0	8 539 274	1.0	319	1.4	10 826	1.4	192 227	1.4
Fayette .....	235	1.5	38 122	1.8	3 917 276	1.8	17	8.3	554	5.5	7 072	4.6
Floyd .....	58	2.5	3 264	7.9	280 902	11.2	3	16.2	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Fountain .....	363	1.0	79 676	1.0	8 655 044	.9	22	6.2	401	10.1	5 908	9.5
Franklin .....	387	1.0	35 220	1.3	3 511 824	1.4	60	3.1	1 876	2.3	23 769	2.2
Fulton .....	396	.9	70 435	.9	8 901 341	.9	44	4.0	1 584	4.4	23 854	4.4
Gibson .....	385	.8	95 804	.6	10 528 687	.6	25	4.0	814	5.2	12 552	4.6
Grant .....	337	.9	71 940	.7	9 648 372	.7	7	8.6	750	2.7	13 140	2.7
Greene .....	292	1.2	51 262	1.2	4 787 550	1.2	39	3.9	1 062	5.2	12 687	7.0
Hamilton .....	300	1.2	57 296	.9	7 205 479	.9	8	7.3	257	5.9	5 666	6.1
Hancock .....	347	1.0	71 651	.8	8 934 774	.7	17	6.4	329	6.0	5 230	6.2
Harrison .....	249	1.5	18 929	1.8	1 221 649	1.8	39	4.0	1 434	4.4	13 731	4.4
Hendricks .....	307	1.2	66 663	.8	8 034 070	.9	9	8.2	242	12.0	3 865	9.8
Henry .....	441	1.0	70 172	1.0	8 580 044	1.0	27	5.2	882	3.9	11 087	4.1
Howard .....	347	.8	64 341	.8	9 159 882	.8	20	6.1	842	4.2	15 358	3.5
Huntington .....	394	.9	64 040	.9	8 383 839	.9	27	4.7	683	4.8	10 956	7.1
Jackson .....	439	1.0	59 118	1.3	5 987 878	1.4	42	3.8	1 890	2.4	29 824	1.6
Jasper .....	465	.8	138 246	.7	17 532 560	.7	26	4.1	1 007	2.0	19 292	1.9
Jay .....	441	1.0	55 697	1.0	6 464 525	1.0	40	3.7	1 350	2.7	22 892	2.3
Jefferson .....	194	1.8	11 714	2.1	1 029 827	1.9	20	6.2	769	4.1	8 530	5.1
Jennings .....	234	1.5	32 757	1.6	3 385 159	1.7	23	5.4	761	7.6	10 830	7.8
Johnson .....	286	1.2	59 275	1.1	7 051 574	1.2	27	4.8	965	2.9	18 575	2.1
Knox .....	421	.8	109 195	.6	11 954 848	.6	19	5.0	578	2.6	10 665	1.9
Kosciusko .....	584	.8	93 186	.7	12 224 215	.7	76	2.9	3 019	2.3	52 684	2.6
Lagrange .....	817	.8	61 262	1.1	7 350 203	1.0	484	1.2	5 230	1.3	84 709	1.2
Lake .....	249	1.1	68 344	.9	8 926 139	.8	18	5.8	429	5.6	7 812	6.1
La Porte .....	454	1.0	113 242	.7	15 190 619	.7	64	3.5	3 176	2.1	59 964	1.9
Lawrence .....	210	1.6	18 610	2.2	1 729 070	1.8	37	4.4	1 056	5.8	14 125	7.0
Madison .....	471	.8	95 169	.8	12 384 287	.7	13	7.3	478	5.9	6 285	3.7
Marion .....	64	2.9	9 248	2.5	1 095 409	2.7	8	9.9	164	17.6	2 230	21.0
Marshall .....	540	.9	84 829	1.0	10 473 157	1.0	86	3.2	3 092	3.1	48 174	3.1
Martin .....	120	2.2	16 105	2.2	1 328 087	2.1	12	9.5	322	8.2	5 276	9.5
Miami .....	442	.7	73 862	.7	9 579 147	.7	41	3.0	2 655	4.3	49 363	5.5
Monroe .....	93	2.4	6 047	3.8	588 191	3.9	19	6.6	370	9.0	5 746	8.5
Montgomery .....	449	.8	115 932	.7	12 580 944	.6	23	5.9	336	6.9	4 974	7.1
Morgan .....	275	1.3	50 799	1.2	6 149 122	1.2	8	3.9	186	1.2	2 970	.9
Newton .....	305	.9	106 200	.7	13 665 526	.7	17	6.7	539	9.6	7 382	10.7
Noble .....	519	.9	58 456	1.2	7 102 292	1.2	92	2.9	2 198	2.7	34 896	2.8
Ohio .....	28	5.3	2 066	2.6	170 353	2.7	5	13.6	113	21.2	1 578	17.3
Orange .....	148	2.0	22 017	1.8	1 828 735	1.8	17	7.2	686	5.9	11 155	5.6
Owen .....	192	1.6	20 534	1.9	2 310 391	1.8	19	5.7	587	6.1	7 602	6.3
Parke .....	271	1.2	66 914	1.0	7 285 614	1.0	26	6.0	654	6.5	11 047	7.0
Perry .....	137	1.9	8 232	2.9	735 609	3.1	11	8.5	423	8.8	5 471	8.9
Pike .....	152	1.7	29 996	1.9	2 547 963	1.7	9	9.6	226	10.6	4 088	12.1
Porter .....	288	.9	60 976	.9	8 186 659	.9	20	5.9	541	9.5	6 887	4.3
Posey .....	311	1.0	81 561	.8	8 707 068	.8	20	5.5	709	4.0	9 448	4.8
Pulaski .....	412	.8	106 040	.7	13 303 268	.7	26	5.7	1 074	4.1	21 106	4.2
Putnam .....	324	1.2	63 661	1.0	7 076 555	1.0	23	5.3	539	3.8	8 211	3.3
Randolph .....	530	.8	78 429	.8	8 769 232	.9	28	4.5	885	4.9	13 595	5.9
Ripley .....	431	1.1	48 345	1.2	4 630 138	1.3	38	4.5	1 499	5.8	27 250	6.1
Rush .....	516	1.0	95 585	.9	12 282 075	.9	42	4.2	1 783	2.1	27 635	2.2
St. Joseph .....	370	1.0	69 251	.8	8 685 397	.8	43	3.6	1 402	3.4	23 303	3.5
Scott .....	94	2.5	9 693	2.3	816 533	2.2	9	8.6	206	7.8	3 502	9.1
Shelby .....	420	.9	92 051	.7	11 069 155	.7	21	6.5	646	5.8	8 899	6.4
Spencer .....	319	1.2	55 715	1.0	5 134 350	.9	20	6.5	739	5.1	13 217	5.0
Starke .....	233	1.4	59 664	1.0	7 059 966	1.0	11	7.9	183	9.3	3 342	11.4
Steuben .....	252	1.4	32 152	1.3	3 704 294	1.3	37	4.2	1 477	3.4	24 019	3.7
Sullivan .....	299	1.1	69 759	.9	7 114 423	.9	13	6.7	377	5.8	4 319	4.0
Switzerland .....	71	3.6	4 304	4.2	396 013	3.9	15	7.7	470	6.4	5 178	5.9
Tippecanoe .....	393	.9	104 188	.7	11 677 362	.7	12	8.3	696	8.8	10 274	9.0

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	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Bushels	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Tons, green	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)
Tipton .....	316	.9	70 977	.7	9 957 250	.7	4	12.3	120	19.9	2 350	18.8
Union .....	183	1.2	33 895	1.3	4 465 355	1.4	13	6.8	326	6.2	5 950	7.2
Vanderburgh .....	162	1.3	31 645	1.3	3 319 954	1.3	8	6.9	191	6.3	3 390	4.5
Vermillion .....	185	.9	47 354	.9	5 058 426	.9	13	5.9	286	6.6	3 923	4.7
Vigo .....	236	1.4	43 440	1.5	4 432 944	1.4	7	10.9	221	18.1	4 026	22.8
Wabash.....	407	1.1	69 202	.9	8 999 887	.9	51	3.7	1 761	2.7	30 274	3.0
Warren .....	243	1.2	75 814	.7	8 234 505	.8	13	8.6	506	14.1	7 370	15.1
Warrick .....	191	1.3	33 671	1.5	3 491 964	1.5	15	7.2	499	6.8	6 300	7.9
Washington .....	269	1.4	34 083	1.5	2 991 977	1.5	47	3.4	2 435	1.8	34 213	2.0
Wayne .....	406	1.1	55 693	1.1	6 822 792	1.1	54	3.6	1 853	3.3	31 894	3.5
Wells .....	433	.8	75 280	.7	10 086 371	.7	23	4.5	931	3.2	13 747	3.0
White .....	458	.8	118 282	.6	15 653 945	.6	20	4.3	606	3.6	9 500	3.2
Whitley .....	385	1.1	48 496	1.0	6 220 240	.9	41	4.1	1 516	4.4	21 193	4.3
Selected crops harvested—Con.												
Geographic area	Wheat for grain						Oats for grain					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity		Farms		Acres		Quantity	
	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Bushels	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Bushels	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)
	<b>Indiana .....</b>	<b>10 658</b>	<b>.5</b>	<b>545 027</b>	<b>.4</b>	<b>29 209 090</b>	<b>.4</b>	<b>1 739</b>	<b>.9</b>	<b>23 551</b>	<b>1.1</b>	<b>1 445 213</b>
Adams.....	285	1.6	11 593	1.7	697 543	1.5	134	2.7	1 390	3.5	86 789	3.5
Allen .....	528	1.3	29 837	1.2	1 730 562	1.2	162	2.6	2 157	2.5	135 995	2.5
Bartholomew .....	141	1.6	7 670	1.2	389 617	1.1	5	8.8	140	2.6	6 956	2.4
Benton.....	31	4.1	2 055	2.7	121 581	2.1	18	5.7	323	4.3	18 662	4.4
Blackford.....	54	3.3	3 207	1.7	164 802	1.7	5	11.1	63	10.7	4 350	9.5
Boone .....	97	2.3	4 109	2.1	255 032	2.1	9	10.8	116	12.9	5 438	12.0
Brown .....	4	13.7	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	—	—	—	—	—
Carroll .....	128	1.6	4 185	1.6	271 548	1.7	18	4.8	231	2.7	12 421	2.3
Cass .....	142	2.1	5 110	1.7	296 410	1.7	12	7.7	304	3.5	17 539	4.2
Clark .....	102	2.4	5 898	1.7	244 767	1.5	6	12.5	44	11.2	1 800	12.6
Clay .....	97	2.5	4 529	1.8	209 535	1.6	4	14.6	28	18.4	1 364	17.0
Clinton .....	128	2.1	4 732	2.1	297 499	2.1	10	8.8	138	6.6	8 612	7.6
Crawford .....	2	18.0	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	5	12.3	82	13.6	2 470	9.9
Daviess .....	138	2.2	11 650	1.3	582 711	1.3	8	11.5	66	8.1	3 840	7.1
Dearborn.....	62	3.2	1 135	3.8	44 602	3.9	7	11.0	71	13.3	3 364	13.7
Decatur .....	206	1.6	9 023	1.6	497 771	1.5	16	7.5	196	7.6	10 505	6.9
De Kalb.....	218	1.6	11 254	1.6	601 969	1.7	30	5.5	361	6.1	18 351	6.7
Delaware .....	103	2.4	4 404	3.1	236 433	3.3	23	5.5	348	3.7	21 339	4.2
Dubois.....	202	1.4	9 845	1.3	418 040	1.2	7	7.2	104	4.6	1 942	8.2
Ekhart.....	162	2.0	3 861	2.8	195 209	2.7	83	3.2	826	3.4	50 194	3.5
Fayette .....	125	2.6	4 237	2.5	229 285	2.4	7	12.6	111	12.4	6 560	10.8
Floyd .....	29	3.8	454	7.1	18 815	7.7	1	20.4	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Fountain .....	76	3.1	3 205	3.1	176 712	3.1	15	7.7	325	7.3	23 468	7.7
Franklin .....	190	1.6	4 382	2.5	205 680	2.5	24	5.1	206	6.3	11 117	6.1
Fulton .....	95	2.4	2 727	2.6	138 209	2.6	9	8.5	115	4.7	9 762	2.1
Gibson .....	254	1.1	30 044	.7	1 648 691	.7	—	—	—	—	—	—
Grant .....	104	2.2	4 218	2.2	236 283	2.2	11	7.9	227	10.8	17 005	12.8
Greene .....	67	3.0	3 272	2.8	151 052	3.0	5	14.1	96	18.4	6 160	21.2
Hamilton .....	108	2.4	3 759	3.3	229 494	3.8	6	10.1	83	4.2	3 120	7.6
Hancock .....	109	2.2	4 535	1.8	265 542	1.6	22	6.1	248	6.5	14 995	7.7
Harrison .....	117	2.3	5 831	2.0	247 832	1.8	13	7.5	145	8.6	4 708	8.9
Hendricks .....	100	2.4	5 086	1.5	283 757	1.5	8	10.1	155	9.5	8 410	10.1
Henry .....	87	2.9	3 091	2.6	175 749	2.6	20	7.1	239	7.5	15 599	8.5
Howard .....	95	2.1	2 835	2.3	180 442	2.3	15	6.7	261	4.7	19 253	4.9
Huntington .....	213	1.6	8 692	1.9	470 345	1.9	32	4.3	585	3.8	30 927	4.7
Jackson .....	178	2.0	7 351	2.1	326 469	2.1	6	12.6	43	12.6	2 553	10.5
Jasper .....	58	3.1	1 901	4.3	89 844	4.1	12	2.9	213	.8	14 142	.5
Jay .....	172	1.8	7 218	1.6	367 008	1.5	53	3.9	792	6.0	51 833	5.7
Jefferson .....	48	3.6	3 247	1.7	125 080	1.6	7	11.8	65	13.5	3 110	13.8
Jennings .....	59	3.8	2 222	3.3	95 464	3.4	4	13.6	59	17.6	1 529	17.3
Johnson .....	106	2.5	4 516	2.5	251 496	2.5	6	9.9	87	7.8	5 910	5.6
Knox .....	307	1.1	34 287	.8	1 884 175	.8	—	—	—	—	—	—
Kosciusko .....	156	1.9	6 528	2.2	338 512	1.9	34	4.7	508	4.2	29 532	3.5
Lagrange .....	166	2.1	3 993	2.0	208 074	1.9	223	2.0	2 106	2.2	147 534	2.3
Lake .....	70	2.6	3 101	2.4	167 974	2.3	23	5.9	270	6.4	19 430	6.7
La Porte .....	114	2.5	4 186	2.4	234 245	2.6	26	6.3	343	6.8	20 161	6.0
Lawrence .....	51	3.3	2 538	2.8	112 692	2.2	7	9.6	133	10.0	7 000	10.7
Madison .....	117	2.3	5 232	2.1	317 658	2.0	13	7.0	130	6.4	9 236	5.4
Marion .....	15	6.1	491	5.5	26 856	6.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Marshall .....	145	2.3	5 158	1.9	275 315	1.9	44	4.5	627	4.1	35 656	4.6
Martin .....	31	4.7	2 165	2.9	102 654	2.8	1	40.6	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Miami .....	125	1.8	5 706	1.6	325 933	1.7	15	5.3	209	4.9	13 192	4.8
Monroe .....	23	5.6	439	7.3	19 971	7.5	6	10.5	78	9.6	3 400	7.4
Montgomery .....	121	2.1	5 893	2.4	334 942	1.4	14	7.9	176	8.6	12 968	9.0

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table F. Reliability Estimates for the State and County Totals: 1997—Con.**

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

Geographic area	Selected crops harvested—Con.											
	Wheat for grain						Oats for grain					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity		Farms		Acres		Quantity	
	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Bushels	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Bushels	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)
Morgan .....	72	3.1	3 969	3.2	184 452	3.2	4	15.3	49	17.3	2 244	12.5
Newton .....	36	4.0	1 560	3.4	90 608	3.7	13	7.0	163	9.1	12 396	9.2
Noble .....	206	1.8	6 481	2.0	352 768	2.1	49	4.0	564	4.1	35 481	4.1
Ohio .....	5	12.2	110	2.8	(D)	(D)	—	—	—	—	—	—
Orange .....	34	4.4	3 719	1.8	199 457	1.7	4	16.9	75	18.5	4 590	18.2
Owen .....	58	3.3	2 414	4.0	113 683	3.9	8	9.5	161	11.0	5 485	12.5
Parke .....	91	2.5	8 599	1.7	425 794	1.6	6	11.5	80	13.3	2 360	11.1
Perry .....	36	4.8	706	6.2	26 627	6.9	7	12.2	51	13.9	1 900	16.1
Pike .....	66	3.1	4 942	2.9	234 460	3.0	2	18.6	(D)	(D)	(D)	—
Porter .....	111	2.1	3 964	2.8	226 428	2.7	28	4.6	482	3.9	29 569	4.6
Posey .....	263	1.2	34 300	.9	1 955 081	.8	2	23.0	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Pulaski .....	76	2.9	2 486	2.6	137 128	2.8	14	5.0	334	3.5	18 918	3.8
Putnam .....	97	2.5	5 086	2.2	281 428	1.9	15	7.6	228	10.9	12 674	10.2
Randolph .....	215	1.6	9 422	1.7	527 826	1.6	53	3.8	687	4.1	50 176	4.5
Ripley .....	161	2.0	5 292	1.9	218 313	2.1	20	7.1	172	9.0	6 585	8.6
Rush .....	204	1.8	7 884	1.9	486 735	1.9	18	7.5	245	9.0	13 725	10.9
St. Joseph .....	108	2.4	4 073	3.1	205 029	3.0	15	7.4	144	8.9	9 657	8.8
Scott .....	34	4.2	1 800	3.3	69 890	3.3	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shelby .....	121	2.3	6 710	2.1	371 207	2.1	11	8.9	123	8.1	8 000	7.0
Spencer .....	157	2.0	12 781	1.2	621 523	1.2	3	16.5	29	15.2	1 636	22.4
Starke .....	17	6.0	616	4.4	25 943	3.2	3	16.5	25	15.8	2 105	15.9
Steuben .....	126	2.2	4 483	2.0	227 402	2.1	33	4.4	529	4.8	31 744	5.0
Sullivan .....	103	2.4	9 049	2.1	419 649	1.6	2	18.9	(D)	(D)	(D)	—
Switzerland .....	19	6.6	453	2.5	22 821	2.0	4	15.7	17	16.3	935	10.5
Tipppecanoe .....	122	2.2	6 350	2.2	383 049	2.3	16	6.4	310	5.7	19 290	6.3
Tipton .....	59	3.0	3 246	2.3	220 251	2.1	10	7.3	105	7.1	8 390	6.5
Union .....	82	2.6	2 517	3.2	142 143	3.0	9	10.3	86	11.0	6 295	11.9
Vanderburgh .....	108	2.0	7 217	1.9	373 972	1.8	—	—	—	—	—	—
Vermillion .....	48	3.0	1 728	2.8	94 013	2.9	7	10.3	78	12.7	4 880	17.1
Vigo .....	69	3.4	3 365	2.6	181 224	2.4	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wabash .....	193	1.8	8 460	1.7	483 278	1.6	21	6.9	344	8.0	17 971	8.0
Warren .....	57	3.5	3 854	5.9	199 864	4.0	13	7.1	391	3.2	28 983	2.5
Warwick .....	73	2.9	5 867	2.1	259 451	2.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Washington .....	92	2.7	4 097	2.8	155 855	3.0	7	10.7	52	14.8	3 005	22.7
Wayne .....	149	2.1	6 044	2.6	345 231	2.5	32	5.0	818	17.4	46 525	16.9
Wells .....	180	1.6	7 831	1.4	478 562	1.3	21	5.6	285	3.9	18 869	3.2
White .....	111	2.3	3 961	1.8	235 425	1.7	21	5.0	479	3.1	43 944	2.6
Whitley .....	238	1.6	12 588	1.6	693 544	1.5	24	6.0	399	4.7	22 507	4.2
Geographic area	Selected crops harvested—Con.											
	Soybeans for beans						Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text)					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity		Farms		Acres		Quantity	
	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Bushels	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Tons, dry	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)
Indiana .....	28 056	.5	5 003 186	.3	210 645 005	.3	22 923	.5	674 789	.5	1 756 825	.5
Adams .....	649	1.0	85 457	1.1	3 665 042	1.0	407	1.4	10 073	1.9	30 345	1.9
Allen .....	773	1.0	102 944	1.1	4 440 568	1.0	448	1.5	10 510	1.9	28 736	1.9
Bartholomew .....	332	.8	58 378	.8	2 470 848	.8	225	1.3	5 271	2.1	13 900	2.0
Benton .....	377	.7	116 750	.6	5 298 827	.6	71	3.1	2 074	2.3	6 546	2.3
Blackford .....	176	1.4	38 889	1.4	1 577 874	1.3	67	3.0	1 402	3.8	4 200	4.8
Boone .....	359	1.0	98 462	.8	4 304 167	.8	188	1.9	5 122	2.6	14 409	2.6
Brown .....	15	6.8	1 022	6.5	43 345	6.0	108	1.7	3 221	2.8	6 628	2.9
Carroll .....	352	.8	73 613	.6	3 686 483	.6	125	1.9	2 787	2.5	8 750	2.6
Cass .....	416	1.0	71 078	.8	3 368 654	.7	224	1.8	6 306	2.6	20 939	2.8
Clark .....	214	1.5	26 368	1.4	923 446	1.4	316	1.2	11 241	2.1	25 961	1.9
Clay .....	322	.9	52 915	1.1	2 046 732	1.1	194	1.7	6 122	2.7	14 197	3.0
Clinton .....	429	.8	102 392	.7	4 759 377	.7	104	2.7	1 849	3.9	5 714	4.1
Crawford .....	12	8.1	968	7.2	27 410	5.1	273	1.1	10 362	2.0	21 106	2.3
Daviess .....	331	1.5	54 040	1.1	1 972 280	1.1	518	1.2	10 897	1.7	23 175	1.8
Dearborn .....	115	2.3	6 785	3.5	214 862	3.6	469	.8	13 380	1.9	28 652	2.3
Decatur .....	398	1.0	62 057	.9	3 006 111	.9	221	1.6	5 393	2.1	14 717	2.3
De Kalb .....	375	1.0	50 246	1.1	1 982 863	1.1	203	1.7	5 659	2.3	16 420	2.7
Delaware .....	391	.9	77 999	.8	3 301 621	.7	175	1.9	3 602	2.3	10 802	2.4
Dubois .....	325	1.1	38 911	1.0	1 531 790	.9	419	1.0	16 215	1.2	40 261	1.5
Ekhart .....	424	1.2	42 251	1.2	1 819 951	1.2	688	.9	22 047	1.2	60 449	1.3
Fayette .....	210	1.7	29 014	2.1	1 247 880	2.0	201	1.9	5 517	3.2	16 794	3.6
Floyd .....	44	2.9	4 228	6.5	131 023	6.8	187	1.2	4 685	2.1	10 654	2.5
Fountain .....	327	1.1	75 286	1.1	2 966 173	1.0	198	1.8	5 146	2.8	13 116	3.0
Franklin .....	271	1.3	22 139	1.5	878 169	1.5	448	.9	11 670	1.4	29 076	1.6
Fulton .....	377	1.0	57 125	1.1	2 430 917	1.0	223	1.7	5 951	2.5	18 773	2.7
Gibson .....	384	.8	85 338	.6	3 252 986	.6	123	2.2	4 562	2.5	11 268	2.4
Grant .....	378	.8	91 265	.7	4 223 302	.7	139	2.1	3 459	3.0	9 112	2.4
Greene .....	264	1.3	44 818	1.2	1 586 204	1.2	550	.8	21 797	1.4	47 316	1.6
Hamilton .....	314	1.1	56 282	.9	2 598 856	.9	175	1.9	3 201	2.3	10 044	2.6

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**Table F. Reliability Estimates for the State and County Totals: 1997—Con.**

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

Geographic area	Selected crops harvested—Con.											
	Soybeans for beans						Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text)					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity		Farms		Acres		Quantity	
	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Bushels	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Tons, dry	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)
Hancock .....	345	1.0	73 661	.8	3 288 860	.7	151	2.1	3 300	2.9	8 812	3.2
Harrison .....	208	1.7	23 913	1.8	647 390	1.8	622	.9	24 281	1.3	53 958	1.4
Hendricks .....	306	1.2	64 551	.8	2 786 357	.7	267	1.4	6 489	2.6	18 629	2.4
Henry .....	433	1.0	70 678	1.1	3 212 483	1.1	286	1.5	6 674	2.8	18 635	3.6
Howard .....	348	.8	64 600	.8	3 176 575	.8	137	2.1	3 061	4.6	7 926	4.0
Huntington .....	445	.8	80 190	.9	3 424 401	.8	168	1.9	4 397	2.3	12 908	2.9
Jackson .....	422	1.1	64 134	1.2	2 478 796	1.2	351	1.3	9 121	2.0	23 269	2.1
Jasper .....	428	.8	100 441	.7	4 269 993	.7	110	2.4	2 625	3.5	7 036	4.2
Jay .....	484	1.0	69 516	1.1	2 713 945	1.1	248	1.7	6 780	2.6	18 246	2.5
Jefferson .....	219	1.7	33 164	1.2	1 006 561	1.3	419	1.1	11 375	1.8	21 946	2.2
Jennings .....	233	1.5	38 660	1.6	1 415 431	1.4	262	1.5	6 305	2.2	16 224	2.3
Johnson .....	276	1.2	46 312	1.2	2 060 791	1.1	190	1.8	5 225	3.5	15 547	3.6
Knox .....	401	.9	107 839	.6	4 170 570	.6	155	2.0	4 865	2.2	11 488	2.4
Kosciusko .....	521	.9	71 941	.9	3 199 532	.8	380	1.2	11 851	1.4	34 144	1.5
Lagrange .....	222	1.8	32 666	1.3	1 412 842	1.3	888	.8	22 071	1.1	66 143	1.2
Lake .....	251	1.1	55 698	.9	2 277 975	.9	155	1.9	3 754	2.8	12 263	3.0
La Porte .....	411	1.1	76 809	.9	3 296 709	.8	276	1.6	10 490	1.9	34 871	2.0
Lawrence .....	165	1.7	20 293	1.7	723 627	1.6	572	.8	24 104	1.5	61 233	1.7
Madison .....	476	.8	97 000	.8	4 595 354	.8	218	1.6	3 884	2.3	10 770	2.3
Marion .....	59	3.1	9 482	2.6	379 779	2.7	63	3.4	1 357	7.9	3 473	7.9
Marshall .....	454	1.1	55 686	1.1	2 380 064	1.0	331	1.5	10 776	1.9	33 925	2.0
Martin .....	84	2.8	12 623	2.3	446 583	2.2	204	1.5	6 838	2.4	13 320	2.3
Miami .....	452	.7	76 551	.7	3 493 602	.7	221	1.4	7 456	1.9	19 607	2.1
Monroe .....	73	2.8	5 228	4.8	203 068	5.7	310	1.0	11 487	2.1	26 898	2.3
Montgomery .....	425	.9	106 616	.7	4 369 010	.6	223	1.7	5 557	3.3	16 259	3.0
Morgan .....	238	1.5	39 978	1.2	1 780 192	1.3	282	1.5	7 085	1.9	18 648	2.4
Newton .....	278	1.0	74 694	.8	3 330 517	.8	69	3.2	1 423	3.9	4 185	4.0
Noble .....	437	1.0	48 990	1.3	2 071 311	1.2	389	1.2	11 470	1.7	35 135	1.9
Ohio .....	17	6.7	1 704	3.9	74 464	3.6	176	1.4	5 071	2.4	10 759	2.6
Orange .....	126	2.2	17 977	2.0	681 285	2.1	325	1.2	12 170	2.1	26 687	2.4
Owen .....	165	1.8	18 068	2.0	667 238	2.0	318	1.2	11 652	1.7	25 348	1.9
Parke .....	243	1.3	55 717	.9	2 203 740	1.0	214	1.6	6 085	2.6	14 647	2.4
Perry .....	102	2.4	7 164	4.5	253 157	4.3	335	1.0	12 249	1.6	30 751	1.8
Pike .....	144	1.7	27 609	1.8	930 563	1.9	91	2.9	2 857	4.5	5 483	5.1
Porter .....	270	1.0	47 866	1.0	2 032 430	1.0	152	1.8	3 381	2.7	9 848	3.0
Posey .....	311	1.0	82 709	.8	3 169 805	.8	95	2.5	2 717	3.1	7 443	3.1
Pulaski .....	372	.9	83 250	.8	3 465 847	.8	130	2.3	3 556	3.0	12 174	3.0
Putnam .....	330	1.2	58 850	1.0	2 496 232	1.0	372	1.2	10 346	1.7	26 133	1.7
Randolph .....	563	.7	96 447	.8	3 940 478	.8	223	1.6	4 631	2.2	12 646	2.6
Ripley .....	421	1.1	45 078	1.3	1 608 347	1.3	374	1.3	8 829	2.3	22 501	2.2
Rush .....	473	1.1	88 600	.9	4 229 922	.9	216	1.8	6 007	2.1	17 923	2.0
St. Joseph .....	339	1.0	45 696	1.0	1 864 996	1.1	214	1.7	5 832	2.2	17 926	2.2
Scott .....	118	2.2	19 156	2.0	661 614	2.0	151	2.1	3 946	3.0	9 837	3.4
Shelby .....	404	.9	78 870	.8	3 533 601	.7	199	1.7	3 784	3.0	9 582	3.7
Spencer .....	293	1.3	53 838	1.1	1 912 968	1.1	319	1.2	11 415	2.0	26 503	2.4
Starke .....	185	1.6	25 900	1.4	970 785	1.2	93	2.9	2 448	3.7	6 649	4.6
Steuben .....	212	1.6	25 120	1.7	977 891	1.7	201	1.7	9 598	2.8	27 897	2.9
Sullivan .....	279	1.2	65 830	.9	2 438 033	.8	139	2.1	4 533	3.1	11 632	3.2
Switzerland .....	53	4.3	4 478	4.4	165 769	3.9	327	1.3	9 503	2.6	22 830	3.1
Tippencanoe .....	398	.9	95 325	.8	3 884 537	.8	230	1.6	5 516	2.4	15 063	2.6
Tipton .....	320	.8	70 257	.7	3 490 850	.7	59	3.5	1 029	6.2	3 155	6.2
Union .....	163	1.4	24 261	1.7	1 130 507	1.7	124	2.0	3 223	2.9	8 921	2.9
Vanderburgh .....	163	1.3	29 518	1.4	1 080 061	1.3	73	2.8	1 348	3.3	3 635	2.9
Vermillion .....	169	1.1	42 563	1.0	1 580 906	1.0	94	2.1	3 943	2.0	9 921	2.8
Vigo .....	234	1.4	43 874	1.3	1 531 631	1.3	146	2.3	3 488	3.0	7 801	4.0
Wabash .....	428	1.0	65 519	1.0	2 824 776	.9	197	1.9	5 553	2.5	16 290	2.7
Warren .....	229	1.2	70 243	.9	2 999 843	.8	128	2.3	3 694	3.4	9 810	3.5
Warrick .....	172	1.5	34 408	1.4	1 275 474	1.3	131	2.1	5 504	7.7	11 547	7.2
Washington .....	213	1.6	30 036	1.5	1 033 746	1.6	515	.9	21 895	1.5	55 114	1.6
Wayne .....	383	1.1	51 196	1.2	2 344 595	1.2	367	1.2	10 801	1.6	30 519	1.7
Wells .....	486	.7	87 566	.7	3 778 911	.7	128	2.1	3 257	2.6	11 556	2.2
White .....	426	.9	108 409	.6	4 805 806	.6	178	1.9	4 423	2.4	13 856	2.2
Whitley .....	404	1.1	51 150	1.0	2 234 118	.9	255	1.7	6 883	2.1	16 880	2.1
Geographic area	Selected crops harvested—Con.											
	Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)											
	Farms					Acres					Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	
	Number					Number						
Indiana .....	1 125					30 139					.7	
Adams .....	11					38					14.8	
Allen .....	25					167					9.4	
Bartholomew .....	27					730					3.0	
Benton .....	—					—					—	

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table F. Reliability Estimates for the State and County Totals: 1997—Con.**

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

Geographic area	Selected crops harvested—Con.			
	Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)			
	Farms		Acres	
	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)
Blackford.....	4	13.8	(D)	(D)
Boone.....	5	14.8	37	19.1
Brown.....	9	9.6	34	12.1
Carroll.....	11	8.0	66	13.3
Cass.....	11	8.3	650	1.3
Clark.....	28	5.1	476	2.4
Clay.....	2	22.7	(D)	(D)
Clinton.....	8	10.3	65	19.3
Crawford.....	6	14.8	18	17.1
Daviess.....	39	5.1	735	9.0
Dearborn.....	11	9.7	37	13.8
Decatur.....	9	10.1	52	12.6
De Kalb.....	12	7.8	150	10.0
Delaware.....	12	6.8	1 000	.3
Dubois.....	3	16.9	(D)	(D)
Elkhart.....	62	3.6	1 338	1.8
Fayette.....	—	—	—	—
Floyd.....	20	4.5	98	4.2
Fountain.....	5	14.1	14	22.5
Franklin.....	16	6.5	57	10.9
Fulton.....	12	7.0	447	3.5
Gibson.....	28	4.8	1 003	5.3
Grant.....	9	8.9	(D)	(D)
Greene.....	7	9.9	18	13.7
Hamilton.....	11	9.5	207	12.6
Hancock.....	9	10.9	61	16.4
Harrison.....	18	6.9	171	2.7
Hendricks.....	15	7.5	120	3.4
Henry.....	9	10.0	281	6.2
Howard.....	14	5.8	674	2.4
Huntington.....	4	14.4	(D)	(D)
Jackson.....	25	5.9	713	6.6
Jasper.....	9	8.5	393	.9
Jay.....	8	9.4	(D)	(D)
Jefferson.....	10	10.2	38	18.3
Jennings.....	2	23.4	(D)	(D)
Johnson.....	13	9.1	50	16.2
Knox.....	66	3.0	5 055	2.3
Kosciusko.....	17	6.6	356	1.9
Lagrange.....	38	4.7	1 182	1.4
Lake.....	29	4.9	1 256	4.4
La Porte.....	24	5.4	1 125	1.3
Lawrence.....	5	10.4	28	5.7
Madison.....	15	6.8	1 220	2.1
Marion.....	17	6.0	487	4.0
Marshall.....	12	8.8	45	14.4
Martin.....	1	48.8	(D)	(D)
Miami.....	4	13.6	11	8.1
Monroe.....	5	13.9	7	16.3
Montgomery.....	5	12.2	49	9.5
Morgan.....	20	6.8	221	10.6
Newton.....	8	9.4	384	1.9
Noble.....	12	8.7	145	11.4
Ohio.....	5	10.1	17	12.9
Orange.....	4	12.7	11	4.9
Owen.....	4	12.7	5	13.2
Parke.....	20	7.9	148	12.6
Perry.....	—	—	—	—
Pike.....	3	16.8	(D)	(D)
Porter.....	19	5.8	900	3.5
Posey.....	3	23.4	12	26.0
Pulaski.....	4	16.7	5	20.1
Putnam.....	9	11.3	28	15.3
Randolph.....	8	7.4	409	.2
Ripley.....	16	6.6	196	3.9
Rush.....	2	—	(D)	(D)
St. Joseph.....	22	5.7	480	6.6
Scott.....	4	12.7	16	22.5
Shelby.....	13	8.5	171	1.7
Spencer.....	7	12.3	14	19.3
Starke.....	14	8.2	278	23.5
Steuben.....	11	9.5	304	14.5
Sullivan.....	29	4.9	1 785	4.1
Switzerland.....	5	15.3	9	17.4
Tipppecanoe.....	10	8.1	94	2.1
Tipton.....	10	6.3	861	.4
Union.....	—	—	—	—
Vanderburgh.....	7	10.1	114	2.3
Vermillion.....	2	14.4	(D)	(D)
Vigo.....	8	9.2	80	13.0

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**Table F. Reliability Estimates for the State and County Totals: 1997—Con.**

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

Geographic area	Selected crops harvested—Con.			
	Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)			
	Farms		Acres	
	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)	Number	Relative standard error of estimate (percent)
Wabash.....	5	15.7	15	17.0
Warren .....	4	16.9	28	28.6
Warrick .....	4	13.1	(D)	(D)
Washington .....	19	6.2	242	3.5
Wayne.....	12	8.8	68	8.6
Wells .....	4	13.0	(D)	(D)
White .....	14	6.8	169	6.0
Whitley .....	7	12.8	16	16.1

<sup>1</sup>Data are based on a sample of farms.

**Table G. Coverage Estimates: 1997**

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

Item	Census total	Coverage total <sup>1</sup>	Adjusted census		Relative standard error (percent)	Coverage adjustment (percent)
			Total			
Farms ..... number..	57 916	8 771	66 687		1.9	13.2
Land in farms ..... acres..	15 111 022	332 773	15 443 795		2.1	2.2
Average size of farm .....	261	38	232		(X)	(X)
Farms by size of farm:						
Less than 10 acres .....	4 183	2 306	6 489		9.9	35.5
10 to 49 acres .....	13 987	3 906	17 893		4.4	21.8
50 to 179 acres .....	19 913	2 197	22 110		3.1	9.9
180 acres or more .....	19 833	362	20 195		1.5	1.8
Farms by value of sales:						
Less than \$2,500 .....	13 022	5 634	18 656		5.5	30.2
\$2,500 to \$9,999 .....	12 289	1 598	13 887		3.5	11.5
\$10,000 or more .....	32 605	1 539	34 144		1.7	4.5
Market value of agricultural products sold.....\$1,000..	5 229 977	-823	5 229 154		1.3	-
Farms by type of organization:						
Individual or family .....	49 293	8 723	58 016		2.1	15.0
Partnership, corporation, or other .....	8 623	48	8 671		3.4	.6
Farms by tenure of operator:						
Full owners .....	33 840	6 882	40 722		2.8	16.9
Part owners .....	19 019	1 425	20 444		2.2	7.0
Tenants .....	5 057	464	5 521		4.2	8.4
Operators by place of residence:						
On farm operated .....	44 066	6 373	50 439		2.2	12.6
Not on farm operated .....	9 670	1 106	10 776		3.9	10.3
Not reported .....	4 180	1 292	5 472		8.6	23.6
Operators by principal occupation:						
Farming .....	26 993	1 471	28 464		2.0	5.2
Other .....	30 923	7 300	38 223		2.9	19.1
Operators by sex:						
Male .....	54 695	7 657	62 352		1.9	12.3
Female .....	3 221	1 114	4 335		10.4	25.7
Operators by race:						
White .....	57 744	8 739	66 483		1.9	13.1
Black and other races .....	172	32	204		44.1	15.7
Operators by years on present farm:						
4 years or less .....	5 482	1 484	6 966		5.6	21.3
5 years or more .....	43 011	6 504	49 515		2.0	13.1
Not reported .....	9 423	783	10 206		6.1	7.7

<sup>1</sup> See text in Appendix C regarding coverage estimates.