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Table 1. **Historical Highlights: 1997 and Earlier Census Years**

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

All farms	1997	1992	1987	1982	1978	1974	1969	1964
Farms ..... number..	22 314	22 124	24 142	24 714	24 249	23 680	25 475	29 661
Land in farms ..... acres..	11 830 167	13 468 992	13 931 875	13 921 639	14 699 100	14 274 258	14 416 521	15 301 513
Average size of farm ..... acres..	530	609	577	563	606	603	566	516
Estimated market value of land and buildings[1]:								
Average per farm ..... dollars..	536 521	410 206	336 615	459 965	348 408	204 091	99 916	68 178
Average per acre ..... dollars..	1 017	682	572	814	574	339	177	132
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment[1]. $1,000..	1 740 107	1 496 916	1 330 607	1 454 150	1 275 154	762 410	389 697	(NA)
Average per farm ..... dollars..	77 916	67 841	55 327	59 016	52 760	33 594	15 752	(NA)
Farms by size:								
1 to 9 acres	3 092	2 785	3 021	2 953	1 708	1 286	1 807	2 050
10 to 49 acres	5 621	5 017	5 268	5 296	4 528	4 251	4 382	5 331
50 to 179 acres	4 757	5 070	5 685	6 129	6 792	7 443	8 044	9 997
180 to 499 acres	3 812	4 182	4 716	4 887	5 520	5 286	5 835	6 605
500 to 999 acres	2 199	2 270	2 446	2 562	2 622	2 516	2 568	2 741
1,000 to 1,999 acres	1 582	1 524	1 697	1 568	1 766	1 652	1 621	1 666
2,000 acres or more	1 251	1 276	1 309	1 319	1 313	1 246	1 218	1 271
Total cropland ..... farms..	18 994	19 204	21 085	22 031	22 545	22 312	23 734	27 660
acres..	6 308 877	6 301 862	6 742 285	6 484 076	6 540 493	6 247 705	6 172 473	5 877 633
Harvested cropland ..... farms..	15 494	16 023	18 270	19 596	20 815	20 854	21 640	25 636
acres..	4 478 862	4 225 273	4 349 122	4 887 805	4 820 928	4 531 164	3 954 957	3 934 659
Irrigated land ..... farms..	15 191	15 487	16 620	17 355	18 215	16 825	17 840	22 251
acres..	3 493 542	3 260 006	3 219 192	3 450 443	3 475 392	2 859 047	2 760 852	2 801 500
Market value of agricultural products sold[2] ..... $1,000..	3 345 864	2 964 216	2 269 404	2 231 605	1 633 160	1 381 209	649 571	478 181
Average per farm ..... dollars..	149 945	133 982	94 002	90 297	67 350	58 328	25 498	16 122
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops... $1,000..	1 773 699	1 492 103	1 097 255	1 160 742	796 800	875 759	295 922	265 900
Livestock, poultry, and their products ..... $1,000..	1 572 166	1 472 113	1 172 149	1 070 863	836 360	502 917	352 072	211 132
Farms by value of sales[3]:								
Less than $2,500	5 663	4 726	5 329	4 910	3 801	4 304	6 110	8 766
$2,500 to $4,999	2 350	2 186	2 519	2 435	2 606	2 100	2 941	4 080
$5,000 to $9,999	2 362	2 433	2 627	2 635	2 988	2 791	4 022	5 404
$10,000 to $24,999	3 182	3 266	3 646	3 655	4 371			
$25,000 to $49,999	2 068	2 370	2 781	3 042	3 857	11 611	11 389	10 805
$50,000 to $99,999	1 898	2 253	2 787	3 306	3 248			
$100,000 to $499,999	3 510	3 790	3 791	3 963	2 897	2 421	809	505
$500,000 or more	1 281	1 100	662	664	358	330	75	
Farms by type of organization:								
Individual or family (sole proprietorship)	18 631	18 534	20 368	20 950	20 506	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Partnership	1 956	2 074	2 314	2 312	2 409	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Corporation	1 459	1 287	1 207	1 175	1 118	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc.	268	229	253	277	216	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Operators by days worked off farm[4]:								
None	8 856	9 297	10 101	10 044	10 598	8 712	(NA)	(NA)
Any	12 230	11 342	12 614	12 567	12 495	9 820	13 952	15 216
200 days or more	7 885	7 214	7 555	7 425	6 829	5 637	7 248	7 540
Operators by principal occupation[4]:								
Farming	12 049	13 082	14 550	15 268	15 720	15 961	(NA)	(NA)
Other	10 265	9 042	9 592	9 446	8 529	6 840	(NA)	(NA)
Average age of operator[4] ..... years..	53.2	52.2	51.1	49.6	49.6	50.8	50.3	49.9
Total farm production expenses[1] ..... $1,000..	2 705 028	2 445 017	1 862 264	(NA)	(NA)	993 575	545 319	(NA)
Selected farm production expenses[1]:								
Livestock and poultry purchased ..... $1,000..	469 600	527 312	394 684	326 442	311 262	153 470	130 722	61 688
Feed for livestock and poultry..... $1,000..	450 829	347 903	230 572	233 142	182 418	153 117	63 464	46 678
Commercial fertilizer[5] .... $1,000..	245 440	190 698	148 396	160 602	107 141	91 490	32 798	21 603
Petroleum products ..... $1,000..	100 076	95 329	83 022	118 529	67 230	46 304	26 309	26 308
Hired farm labor ..... $1,000..	270 843	245 990	181 790	147 584	108 936	85 782	52 857	39 475
Interest[6] ..... $1,000..	178 482	157 683	158 965	218 310	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Agricultural chemicals[5] ... $1,000..	118 406	82 374	65 098	52 652	28 849	18 127	8 333	(NA)
Livestock and poultry:								
Cattle and calves inventory ..... farms..	12 063	12 527	13 481	15 980	15 535	16 621	17 673	23 592
number..	1 908 097	1 812 720	1 772 756	1 925 419	1 853 621	1 917 279	1 731 284	1 602 721
Beef cows ..... farms..	8 405	8 393	8 604	10 201	10 117	11 115	(NA)	12 460
number..	555 676	565 016	558 229	614 385	605 859	724 012	565 038	515 512
Milk cows ..... farms..	1 404	1 990	2 769	4 199	4 663	5 833	7 617	13 748
number..	265 854	181 785	157 665	178 082	137 492	137 712	128 614	164 560
Cattle and calves sold ..... farms..	11 684	12 230	13 321	15 262	15 103	16 244	17 606	21 942
number..	1 578 375	1 646 112	1 502 218	1 490 079	1 482 254	1 239 761	1 246 601	960 584
Hogs and pigs inventory ... farms..	714	1 141	1 258	1 648	2 426	2 089	3 034	4 247
number..	29 026	67 343	76 882	80 957	96 456	79 302	118 485	105 814
Hogs and pigs sold..... farms..	573	940	1 113	1 355	1 992	1 718	2 817	3 110
number..	44 626	104 723	119 188	114 391	133 861	125 089	176 406	169 465
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text)[7]..... farms..	886	1 119	1 839	2 731	2 723	2 855	3 114	8 125
number..	(D)	1 488 472	1 425 572	1 131 996	987 584	1 098 055	1 008 130	1 115 267
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold ..... farms..	55	59	85	107	83	105	67	39
number..	6 043	27 206	8 733	14 634	15 570	20 152	1 766 522	4 600 934

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 1. **Historical Highlights: 1997 and Earlier Census Years**—Con.

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

All farms	1997	1992	1987	1982	1978	1974	1969	1964
Selected crops harvested:								
Wheat for grain ..... farms..	5 199	6 106	7 706	7 870	8 367	10 430	11 830	14 793
acres..	1 410 978	1 384 893	1 239 480	1 507 775	1 362 793	1 413 811	960 758	1 041 424
bushels..	108 941 849	94 094 326	83 250 152	87 980 724	69 166 361	57 552 348	38 091 608	40 977 149
Barley for grain ..... farms..	4 178	5 149	7 852	9 379	9 817	(NA)	(NA)	8 466
acres..	711 504	691 273	833 225	1 090 811	1 008 445	(NA)	(NA)	463 739
bushels..	54 317 070	48 647 384	59 437 911	73 169 464	61 765 733	(NA)	(NA)	19 570 516
Potatoes, excluding sweetpotatoes..... farms..	1 402	1 616	1 792	1 892	2 271	2 296	(NA)	4 434
acres..	394 977	372 028	352 670	320 019	363 309	315 921	(NA)	228 250
cwt..	135 578 736	119 060 333	99 392 607	89 540 662	96 201 115	78 025 304	(NA)	37 339 271
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) ..... farms..	11 960	11 940	13 717	14 635	16 022	16 733	17 228	(NA)
acres..	1 260 010	1 063 292	1 173 475	1 222 726	1 322 426	1 323 140	1 179 630	1 327 619
tons, dry..	4 395 396	3 389 557	3 563 558	3 846 435	3 956 186	3 760 095	3 336 854	3 417 672

[1]Data are based on a sample of farms.
[2]Data for 1974 and prior years include the value of forest products sold.
[3]Data for 1982 and prior years exclude abnormal farms.
[4]Data for 1974 apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorship) and partnerships.
[5]Data for 1964 to 1982 do not include cost of custom applications; data for agricultural chemicals include the cost of lime for 1969 to 1978.
[6]Data for 1982 do not include imputation for item nonresponse.
[7]Data for 1969 to 1992 are for chickens 3 months old or older inventory; data for 1964 are for chickens 4 months old or older.

Table 2. Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold and Direct Sales: 1997, 1992, and 1987

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

Item		1997	Percent of total in 1997	1992	1987
Total sales (see text)	farms	22 314	100.0	22 124	24 142
	$1,000	3 345 864	100.0	2 964 216	2 269 404
Average per farm	dollars	149 945	(X)	133 982	94 002
Value of sales:					
Less than $1,000 (see text)	farms	3 243	14.5	2 503	2 909
	$1,000	612	(Z)	597	782
$1,000 to $2,499	farms	2 420	10.8	2 223	2 420
	$1,000	3 992	.1	3 716	3 994
$2,500 to $4,999	farms	2 350	10.5	2 186	2 519
	$1,000	8 371	.3	7 866	9 101
$5,000 to $9,999	farms	2 362	10.6	2 433	2 627
	$1,000	16 776	.5	17 500	18 798
$10,000 to $19,999	farms	2 455	11.0	2 460	2 741
	$1,000	34 559	1.0	34 627	38 918
$20,000 to $24,999	farms	727	3.3	806	905
	$1,000	16 157	.5	17 906	20 246
$25,000 to $39,999	farms	1 407	6.3	1 654	1 910
	$1,000	44 591	1.3	52 828	60 951
$40,000 to $49,999	farms	661	3.0	716	871
	$1,000	29 358	.9	31 880	38 861
$50,000 to $99,999	farms	1 898	8.5	2 253	2 787
	$1,000	136 716	4.1	161 692	201 400
$100,000 to $249,999	farms	2 312	10.4	2 551	2 691
	$1,000	370 413	11.1	405 932	420 589
$250,000 to $499,999	farms	1 198	5.4	1 239	1 100
	$1,000	420 925	12.6	426 871	378 669
$500,000 to $999,999	farms	710	3.2	669	449
	$1,000	502 553	15.0	462 670	304 225
$1,000,000 or more	farms	571	2.6	431	213
	$1,000	1 760 840	52.6	1 340 131	772 872
$1,000,000 to $2,499,999	farms	418	1.9	343	(NA)
	$1,000	641 890	19.2	502 694	(NA)
$2,500,000 to $4,999,999	farms	95	.4	61	(NA)
	$1,000	322 075	9.6	206 837	(NA)
$5,000,000 or more	farms	58	.3	27	(NA)
	$1,000	796 875	23.8	630 600	(NA)
Sales by commodity or commodity group:					
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops	farms	11 927	53.5	12 168	14 015
	$1,000	1 773 699	53.0	1 492 103	1 097 255
Grains	farms	7 199	32.3	8 311	10 364
	$1,000	573 088	17.1	517 822	407 776
Corn for grain	farms	590	2.6	589	893
	$1,000	17 592	.5	10 176	10 041
Wheat	farms	5 171	23.2	6 066	7 574
	$1,000	346 339	10.4	319 593	216 314
Soybeans	farms	–	–	–	9
	$1,000	–	–	–	100
Sorghum for grain	farms	–	–	3	–
	$1,000	–	–	(D)	–
Barley	farms	3 613	16.2	4 205	6 390
	$1,000	140 145	4.2	117 799	113 575
Oats	farms	298	1.3	298	512
	$1,000	1 832	.1	(D)	1 936
Other grains	farms	1 625	7.3	2 275	2 835
	$1,000	67 179	2.0	68 936	65 811
Cotton and cottonseed	farms	–	–	–	–
	$1,000	–	–	–	–
Tobacco	farms	–	–	–	–
	$1,000	–	–	–	–
Hay, silage, and field seeds	farms	7 647	34.3	6 960	7 615
	$1,000	255 141	7.6	158 792	120 329
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons	farms	641	2.9	789	794
	$1,000	50 636	1.5	51 890	39 169
Fruits, nuts, and berries	farms	287	1.3	339	397
	$1,000	24 408	.7	12 424	21 748
Nursery and greenhouse crops	farms	706	3.2	537	469
	$1,000	57 189	1.7	31 679	24 819
Other crops	farms	2 148	9.6	2 820	3 153
	$1,000	813 238	24.3	719 497	483 414
Livestock, poultry, and their products	farms	13 691	61.4	14 322	15 596
	$1,000	1 572 166	47.0	1 472 113	1 172 149
Poultry and poultry products	farms	412	1.8	409	605
	$1,000	15 000	.4	16 312	14 314
Dairy products	farms	1 056	4.7	1 419	1 919
	$1,000	557 339	16.7	334 867	241 252
Cattle and calves	farms	11 684	52.4	12 230	13 321
	$1,000	910 805	27.2	1 036 015	828 875
Hogs and pigs	farms	573	2.6	940	1 113
	$1,000	4 473	.1	9 746	11 901
Sheep, lambs, and wool	farms	1 077	4.8	1 293	1 518
	$1,000	29 977	.9	19 418	24 104
Other livestock and livestock products (see text)	farms	2 335	10.5	2 299	2 509
	$1,000	54 571	1.6	55 756	51 703
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text)[1]	farms	1 205	5.4	1 120	(NA)
	$1,000	3 047	.1	2 107	(NA)
Average per farm	dollars	2 529	(X)	1 881	(NA)
Value of sales:					
$1 to $499	farms	363	1.6	438	(NA)
	$1,000	(D)	(Z)	96	(NA)
$500 to $999	farms	258	1.2	222	(NA)
	$1,000	178	(Z)	154	(NA)
$1,000 to $4,999	farms	472	2.1	381	(NA)
	$1,000	992	(Z)	797	(NA)

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 2. **Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold and Direct Sales: 1997, 1992, and 1987**—Con.

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

Item	1997	Percent of total in 1997	1992	1987
Total sales (see text)—Con.				
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text)[1]—Con.				
Value of sales—Con.				
$5,000 to $9,999 ..... farms..	61	.3	45	(NA)
$1,000..	398	(Z)	304	(NA)
$10,000 to $24,999 ..... farms..	39	.2	26	(NA)
$1,000..	581	(Z)	362	(NA)
$25,000 to $49,999 ..... farms..	2	(Z)	4	(NA)
$1,000..	(D)	(Z)	130	(NA)
$50,000 or more ..... farms..	10	(Z)	4	(NA)
$1,000..	762	(Z)	265	(NA)

[1]Data for 1987 were not collected.

Table 3. **Farm Production Expenses: 1997, 1992, and 1987**

[Data are based on a sample of farms. For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	1997		1992	1987
	Farms	Expenses ($1,000)		
Total farm production expenses ..... farms..	22 334	(X)	22 129	24 139
$1,000..	(X)	2 705 028	2 445 017	1 862 264
Average per farm ..... dollars..	(X)	121 117	110 489	77 148
Farms with expenses of—				
$1 to $4,999	6 239	15 953	5 434	6 341
$5,000 to $9,999	3 752	26 952	3 463	3 792
$10,000 to $24,999	4 110	65 642	4 376	4 614
$25,000 to $49,999	2 220	78 233	2 789	3 153
$50,000 to $99,999	1 987	142 755	2 048	2 802
$100,000 to $249,999	2 175	334 684	2 267	2 227
$250,000 to $499,999	865	305 708	905	766
$500,000 or more	986	1 735 101	847	444
$500,000 to $999,999	565	392 163	542	(NA)
$1,000,000 to $2,499,999	314	462 537	241	(NA)
$2,500,000 or more	107	880 401	64	(NA)
Livestock and poultry purchased ..... farms..	7 820	(X)	8 621	9 061
$1,000..	(X)	469 600	527 312	394 684
percent of total..	(X)	17.4	21.6	21.2
Farms with expenses of—				
$1 to $999	1 891	841	1 818	2 634
$1,000 to $4,999	3 148	7 428	3 468	3 081
$5,000 to $9,999	1 018	7 092	1 197	1 097
$10,000 to $24,999	912	13 885	1 013	1 204
$25,000 to $49,999	354	12 387	419	500
$50,000 to $99,999	242	16 777	392	290
$100,000 to $249,999	145	22 662	167	144
$250,000 or more	110	388 528	147	111
$250,000 to $499,999	41	14 140	67	(NA)
$500,000 to $999,999	31	22 028	39	(NA)
$1,000,000 or more	38	352 360	41	(NA)
Feed for livestock and poultry ..... farms..	11 438	(X)	12 731	12 837
$1,000..	(X)	450 829	347 903	230 572
percent of total..	(X)	16.7	14.2	12.4
Farms with expenses of—				
$1 to $999	3 872	1 629	4 594	5 528
$1,000 to $4,999	4 284	10 016	4 347	3 849
$5,000 to $9,999	1 007	6 940	1 221	1 196
$10,000 to $24,999	946	14 444	1 174	1 121
$25,000 to $49,999	453	14 973	585	532
$50,000 to $99,999	372	25 026	342	346
$100,000 or more	504	377 801	468	265
$100,000 to $249,999	246	38 428	263	(NA)
$250,000 to $499,999	111	38 191	115	(NA)
$500,000 to $999,999	65	43 736	53	(NA)
$1,000,000 or more	82	257 446	37	(NA)
Commercially mixed formula feeds ..... farms..	5 461	(X)	4 107	4 984
$1,000..	(X)	102 153	55 307	56 606
percent of total..	(X)	3.8	2.3	3.0
Farms with expenses of—				
$1 to $999	3 042	1 055	2 209	2 466
$1,000 to $4,999	1 228	2 423	963	1 103
$5,000 to $9,999	266	1 884	286	499
$10,000 to $24,999	340	5 382	278	459
$25,000 to $49,999	201	7 157	164	259
$50,000 to $79,999	139	8 569	83	90
$80,000 or more	245	75 684	124	108
$80,000 to $99,999	50	4 525	18	(NA)
$100,000 to $249,999	120	18 046	70	(NA)
$250,000 to $499,999	38	12 599	18	(NA)
$500,000 or more	37	40 514	18	(NA)

Table 3. **Farm Production Expenses: 1997, 1992, and 1987**—Con.

[Data are based on a sample of farms. For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	1997			
	Farms	Expenses ($1,000)	1992	1987
Total farm production expenses—Con.				
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees ..... farms..	9 308	(X)	10 638	12 511
$1,000..	(X)	94 322	81 901	63 248
percent of total..	(X)	3.5	3.3	3.4
Farms with expenses of—				
$1 to $499	2 295	505	2 785	3 681
$500 to $999	1 048	713	1 466	2 154
$1,000 to $4,999	3 181	7 406	3 612	4 241
$5,000 to $9,999	1 038	6 996	1 111	1 104
$10,000 to $24,999	916	14 339	892	791
$25,000 or more	830	64 363	772	540
$25,000 to $49,999	425	14 858	398	(NA)
$50,000 or more	405	49 505	374	(NA)
Commercial fertilizer ..... farms..	11 564	(X)	11 732	13 109
$1,000..	(X)	245 440	190 698	148 396
percent of total..	(X)	9.1	7.8	8.0
Farms with expenses of—				
$1 to $499	2 294	524	1 984	2 355
$500 to $999	1 312	935	1 225	1 572
$1,000 to $4,999	3 032	7 479	3 673	4 115
$5,000 to $9,999	1 241	8 394	1 439	1 639
$10,000 to $24,999	1 637	26 081	1 589	1 869
$25,000 to $49,999	878	30 303	866	922
$50,000 to $99,999	599	40 866	551	434
$100,000 or more	571	130 859	405	203
Agricultural chemicals ..... farms..	11 383	(X)	11 435	14 634
$1,000..	(X)	118 406	82 374	65 098
percent of total..	(X)	4.4	3.4	3.5
Farms with expenses of—				
$1 to $499	4 684	841	4 127	5 508
$500 to $999	1 238	840	1 401	2 133
$1,000 to $4,999	2 503	5 665	3 002	4 059
$5,000 to $9,999	876	6 005	979	1 302
$10,000 to $24,999	980	14 953	1 041	1 079
$25,000 to $49,999	552	18 718	517	393
$50,000 or more	550	71 383	368	160
$50,000 to $99,999	339	23 142	271	(NA)
$100,000 or more	211	48 241	97	(NA)
Petroleum products ..... farms..	20 090	(X)	20 715	22 259
$1,000..	(X)	100 076	95 329	83 022
percent of total..	(X)	3.7	3.9	4.5
Farms with expenses of—				
$1 to $999	9 341	3 386	8 892	9 660
$1,000 to $4,999	6 141	14 729	6 943	7 882
$5,000 to $9,999	2 145	15 151	2 447	2 541
$10,000 to $24,999	1 712	26 738	1 741	1 776
$25,000 to $49,999	527	17 974	508	317
$50,000 or more	224	22 099	184	83
Electricity ..... farms..	15 661	(X)	16 250	17 717
$1,000..	(X)	89 854	84 103	60 316
percent of total..	(X)	3.3	3.4	3.2
Farms with expenses of—				
$1 to $499	6 565	1 384	6 943	8 128
$500 to $999	2 565	1 693	2 809	3 040
$1,000 to $4,999	3 931	8 504	3 815	4 249
$5,000 to $9,999	953	6 624	922	1 010
$10,000 to $24,999	861	12 952	987	798
$25,000 or more	786	58 697	774	492
$25,000 to $49,999	406	14 010	417	(NA)
$50,000 or more	380	44 688	357	(NA)
Hired farm labor ..... farms..	9 410	(X)	10 005	11 212
$1,000..	(X)	270 843	245 990	181 790
percent of total..	(X)	10.0	10.1	9.8
Farms with expenses of—				
$1 to $999	2 827	1 052	3 215	3 978
$1,000 to $4,999	2 117	5 017	2 259	2 790
$5,000 to $9,999	848	5 806	1 032	1 129
$10,000 to $24,999	1 495	24 845	1 406	1 723
$25,000 to $49,999	831	29 299	921	788
$50,000 to $99,999	666	45 991	628	493
$100,000 or more	626	158 832	544	311
$100,000 to $249,999	452	68 508	407	(NA)
$250,000 to $499,999	119	40 751	102	(NA)
$500,000 or more	55	49 574	35	(NA)
Contract labor ..... farms..	3 501	(X)	3 947	4 906
$1,000..	(X)	32 680	32 386	27 061
percent of total..	(X)	1.2	1.3	1.5
Farms with expenses of—				
$1 to $999	1 177	488	1 166	1 621
$1,000 to $4,999	1 223	2 976	1 461	1 886
$5,000 to $9,999	422	2 906	554	689
$10,000 to $24,999	390	6 010	476	531
$25,000 to $49,999	169	5 773	174	121
$50,000 or more	120	14 527	116	58
$50,000 to $99,999	83	5 717	80	(NA)
$100,000 or more	37	8 810	36	(NA)

Table 3. **Farm Production Expenses: 1997, 1992, and 1987**—Con.

[Data are based on a sample of farms. For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	1997 Farms	1997 Expenses ($1,000)	1992	1987
Total farm production expenses—Con.				
Repair and maintenance ..... farms..	18 147	(X)	18 514	20 130
$1,000..	(X)	152 222	133 411	107 814
percent of total..	(X)	5.6	5.5	5.8
Farms with expenses of—				
$1 to $999	6 141	2 502	6 513	7 712
$1,000 to $4,999	6 284	14 269	6 582	7 359
$5,000 to $9,999	2 303	15 425	2 295	2 387
$10,000 to $24,999	2 110	31 541	1 951	1 992
$25,000 to $49,999	750	25 260	689	469
$50,000 or more	559	63 225	484	211
$50,000 to $99,999	377	24 967	339	(NA)
$100,000 or more	182	38 258	145	(NA)
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment ..... farms..	8 597	(X)	9 393	10 790
$1,000..	(X)	69 649	56 439	46 313
percent of total..	(X)	2.6	2.3	2.5
Farms with expenses of—				
$1 to $999	3 285	1 285	3 408	4 609
$1,000 to $4,999	2 806	6 573	3 537	4 261
$5,000 to $9,999	910	6 070	1 194	999
$10,000 to $24,999	988	15 086	832	626
$25,000 to $49,999	357	11 814	238	173
$50,000 or more	251	28 820	184	122
Interest ..... farms..	11 087	(X)	11 980	14 542
$1,000..	(X)	178 482	157 683	158 965
percent of total..	(X)	6.6	6.4	8.5
Farms with expenses of—				
$1 to $999	1 872	921	2 182	2 942
$1,000 to $4,999	3 516	9 079	4 110	5 178
$5,000 to $9,999	2 035	14 004	2 029	2 507
$10,000 to $24,999	2 074	31 089	2 151	2 339
$25,000 to $49,999	852	29 759	877	998
$50,000 to $99,999	433	29 506	446	415
$100,000 or more	305	64 123	185	163
Interest paid on debt:				
Secured by real estate ..... farms..	7 784	(X)	8 521	10 961
$1,000..	(X)	98 667	90 962	106 063
percent of total..	(X)	3.6	3.7	5.7
Farms with expenses of—				
$1 to $999	1 000	495	1 264	(NA)
$1,000 to $4,999	2 829	7 725	3 300	(NA)
$5,000 to $9,999	1 628	11 289	1 588	(NA)
$10,000 to $24,999	1 435	21 333	1 536	(NA)
$25,000 to $49,999	548	18 552	512	(NA)
$50,000 to $99,999	225	14 873	238	(NA)
$100,000 or more	119	24 399	83	(NA)
Not secured by real estate ..... farms..	6 719	(X)	7 532	8 123
$1,000..	(X)	79 815	66 722	52 902
percent of total..	(X)	3.0	2.7	2.8
Farms with expenses of—				
$1 to $999	1 606	741	2 052	(NA)
$1,000 to $4,999	2 439	5 749	2 801	(NA)
$5,000 to $9,999	915	6 111	1 054	(NA)
$10,000 to $24,999	1 013	14 688	1 065	(NA)
$25,000 to $49,999	421	14 423	367	(NA)
$50,000 to $99,999	201	13 733	142	(NA)
$100,000 or more	124	24 370	51	(NA)
Cash rent ..... farms..	5 387	(X)	6 082	6 308
$1,000..	(X)	124 518	100 998	68 772
percent of total..	(X)	4.6	4.1	3.7
Farms with expenses of—				
$1 to $499	591	133	753	829
$500 to $999	408	280	511	570
$1,000 to $4,999	1 632	4 158	1 860	2 169
$5,000 to $9,999	759	5 158	944	976
$10,000 to $24,999	957	14 676	1 045	1 072
$25,000 to $49,999	461	16 377	496	435
$50,000 or more	579	83 737	473	257
Property taxes paid ..... farms..	21 097	(X)	20 516	22 294
$1,000..	(X)	55 081	48 131	41 597
percent of total..	(X)	2.0	2.0	2.2
Farms with expenses of—				
$1 to $499	4 645	1 158	5 337	6 481
$500 to $999	5 098	3 674	4 903	5 895
$1,000 to $4,999	8 843	18 896	8 032	8 118
$5,000 to $9,999	1 540	10 289	1 394	1 243
$10,000 to $24,999	752	10 946	688	482
$25,000 or more	219	10 118	162	75
All other farm production expenses ..... farms..	20 669	(X)	20 839	22 744
$1,000..	(X)	253 025	260 360	184 616
percent of total..	(X)	9.4	10.6	9.9
Farms with expenses of—				
$1 to $999	7 758	3 309	7 334	8 158
$1,000 to $4,999	6 591	14 868	7 116	8 350
$5,000 to $9,999	2 198	15 082	2 271	2 557
$10,000 to $24,999	2 151	33 289	2 220	2 362
$25,000 to $49,999	889	30 107	904	806
$50,000 to $99,999	625	42 212	540	323
$100,000 or more	457	114 158	454	188
$100,000 to $249,999	333	48 620	342	(NA)
$250,000 or more	124	65 539	112	(NA)

Table 4. **Net Cash Return From Agricultural Sales: 1997 and 1992**

[Data are based on a sample of farms. For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	1997			1992		
	All farms	Farms with sales of $10,000 or more	Farms with sales of less than $10,000	All farms	Farms with sales of $10,000 or more	Farms with sales of less than $10,000
Net cash return from agricultural sales for the farm unit (see text) ..... farms..	22 334	11 924	10 410	22 129	12 797	9 332
$1,000..	590 283	621 425	–31 142	493 797	519 307	–25 510
Average per farm ..... dollars..	26 430	52 115	–2 992	22 314	40 580	–2 734
Farms with net gains[1] ..... number..	11 024	8 609	2 415	11 932	9 614	2 318
$1,000..	707 464	702 727	4 736	575 277	571 108	4 169
Average per farm ..... dollars..	64 175	81 627	1 961	48 213	59 404	1 799
Gain of—						
Less than $1,000	1 161	285	876	1 133	212	921
$1,000 to $4,999	2 599	1 231	1 368	2 580	1 309	1 271
$5,000 to $9,999	1 375	1 204	171	1 615	1 489	126
$10,000 to $24,999	1 828	1 828	–	2 138	2 138	–
$25,000 to $49,999	1 233	1 233	–	1 677	1 677	–
$50,000 or more	2 828	2 828	–	2 789	2 789	–
Farms with net losses ..... number..	11 310	3 315	7 995	10 197	3 183	7 014
$1,000..	117 181	81 302	35 879	81 480	51 801	29 679
Average per farm ..... dollars..	10 361	24 526	4 488	7 991	16 274	4 231
Loss of—						
Less than $1,000	1 919	200	1 719	1 896	216	1 680
$1,000 to $4,999	4 812	769	4 043	4 188	912	3 276
$5,000 to $9,999	2 084	666	1 418	1 969	585	1 384
$10,000 to $24,999	1 635	922	713	1 511	865	646
$25,000 to $49,999	533	438	95	442	419	23
$50,000 or more	327	320	7	191	186	5

[1]Farms with total production expenses equal to market value of agricultural products sold are included as farms with gains of less than $1,000.

Table 5. **Government Payments and Other Farm-Related Income: 1997 and 1992**

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

Item		All farms		Farms with sales of $10,000 or more	
		Farms	Value ($1,000)	Farms	Value ($1,000)
Government payments	1997	7 848	73 124	5 936	59 068
	1992	5 698	74 188	4 485	66 076
Average per farm[1]	1997	(X)	9 317	(X)	9 951
	1992	(X)	13 020	(X)	14 733
1997 farms with receipts of—					
$1 to $999		1 962	790	1 312	578
$1,000 to $4,999		2 585	6 504	1 974	5 009
$5,000 to $9,999		1 183	8 353	939	6 615
$10,000 to $24,999		1 311	20 511	1 067	16 794
$25,000 to $49,999		608	20 946	478	16 437
$50,000 or more		199	16 019	166	13 636
Amount from Conservation Reserve and Wetlands Reserve Programs	1997	2 426	30 310	1 302	18 050
	1992	1 773	22 280	1 189	16 237
Average per farm[1]	1997	(X)	12 494	(X)	13 863
	1992	(X)	12 566	(X)	13 656
Other farm-related income, gross before taxes and expenses[2]	1997	6 508	58 462	4 327	49 424
	1992	5 939	50 036	3 893	42 761
Average per farm[1]	1997	(X)	8 983	(X)	11 422
	1992	(X)	8 425	(X)	10 984
1997 farms with receipts of—					
$1 to $999		2 089	726	1 219	387
$1,000 to $4,999		2 032	5 085	1 266	3 277
$5,000 to $9,999		959	6 364	700	4 745
$10,000 to $24,999		844	12 432	615	9 313
$25,000 to $49,999		345	11 365	300	9 959
$50,000 or more		239	22 490	227	21 744
Customwork and other agricultural services	1997	1 981	24 521	1 536	22 973
	1992	2 263	21 255	1 677	20 180
Average per farm[1]	1997	(X)	12 378	(X)	14 956
	1992	(X)	9 393	(X)	12 033
1997 farms with receipts of—					
$1 to $999		322	151	175	86
$1,000 to $4,999		708	1 876	521	1 452
$5,000 to $9,999		382	2 568	331	2 285
$10,000 to $24,999		307	4 500	247	3 724
$25,000 to $49,999		140	4 645	140	4 645
$50,000 or more		122	10 782	122	10 782
Rental of farmland	1997	2 800	24 182	1 545	19 149
	1992	2 884	21 898	1 654	17 827
Average per farm[1]	1997	(X)	8 637	(X)	12 394
	1992	(X)	7 593	(X)	10 778
1997 farms with receipts of—					
$1 to $999		728	366	224	119
$1,000 to $4,999		1 104	2 832	578	1 625
$5,000 to $9,999		430	2 856	328	2 227
$10,000 to $24,999		299	4 557	225	3 504
$25,000 or more		239	13 571	190	11 675
Sales of forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products[3]	1997	597	6 200	293	4 066
	1992	558	4 646	276	3 048
Average per farm[1]	1997	(X)	10 386	(X)	13 877
	1992	(X)	8 326	(X)	11 042
1997 farms with receipts of—					
$1 to $999		65	22	39	8
$1,000 to $4,999		172	419	72	179
$5,000 to $9,999		123	834	40	270
$10,000 to $24,999		189	2 506	102	1 442
$25,000 or more		48	2 420	40	2 167
Other farm-related income sources	1997	2 608	3 558	2 154	3 236
	1992	1 298	2 236	1 018	1 706
Average per farm[1]	1997	(X)	1 364	(X)	1 502
	1992	(X)	1 723	(X)	1 676
1997 farms with receipts of—					
$1 to $999		1 980	435	1 573	387
$1,000 to $4,999		456	963	439	906
$5,000 to $9,999		99	639	77	505
$10,000 to $24,999		51	769	43	686
$25,000 or more		22	752	22	752

[1]Data are in whole dollars.
[2]Data are based on a sample of farms.
[3]Data for 1992 include Christmas trees and maple products.

Table 6. **Commodity Credit Corporation Loans: 1997 and 1992**

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

CCC loans	1997		1992	
	Farms	Value ($1,000)	Farms	Value ($1,000)
Total	**889**	**29 610**	**797**	**23 830**
Average per farm[1]	(X)	33 307	(X)	29 900
Farms with loans of—				
$1 to $999	112	54	61	28
$1,000 to $4,999	192	503	161	426
$5,000 to $9,999	121	866	112	812
$10,000 to $19,999	106	1 509	141	1 958
$20,000 to $24,999	42	952	57	1 269
$25,000 to $49,999	127	4 434	125	4 472
$50,000 or more	189	21 293	140	14 865
Corn	32	(D)	18	104
Average per farm[1]	(X)	(D)	(X)	5 762
Farms with loans of—				
$1 to $999	17	(D)	4	1
$1,000 to $9,999	15	51	10	45
$10,000 to $24,999	–	–	4	58
$25,000 or more	–	–	–	–
Wheat	782	25 584	672	18 736
Average per farm[1]	(X)	32 716	(X)	27 881
Farms with loans of—				
$1 to $999	83	41	48	25
$1,000 to $9,999	270	1 102	223	1 061
$10,000 to $24,999	145	2 454	182	2 975
$25,000 or more	284	21 986	219	14 675
Soybeans	–	–	–	–
Average per farm[1]	(X)	–	(X)	–
Farms with loans of—				
$1 to $999	–	–	–	–
$1,000 to $9,999	–	–	–	–
$10,000 to $24,999	–	–	–	–
$25,000 or more	–	–	–	–
Sorghum, barley, and oats	241	3 968	230	3 609
Average per farm[1]	(X)	16 465	(X)	15 690
Farms with loans of—				
$1 to $999	56	26	33	19
$1,000 to $9,999	109	393	118	455
$10,000 to $24,999	42	674	37	583
$25,000 or more	34	2 875	42	2 552
Cotton	–	–	–	–
Average per farm[1]	(X)	–	(X)	–
Farms with loans of—				
$1 to $999	–	–	–	–
$1,000 to $9,999	–	–	–	–
$10,000 to $24,999	–	–	–	–
$25,000 or more	–	–	–	–
Sunflower seed, flaxseed, safflower, canola, other rapeseed, and mustard seed	1	(D)	11	51
Average per farm[1]	(X)	(D)	(X)	4 621
Farms with loans of—				
$1 to $999	1	(D)	4	(D)
$1,000 to $9,999	–	–	6	29
$10,000 to $24,999	–	–	1	(D)
$25,000 or more	–	–	–	–
Peanuts, rice, and tobacco[2]	–	–	38	1 331
Average per farm[1]	(X)	–	(X)	35 023
Farms with loans of—				
$1 to $999	–	–	8	3
$1,000 to $9,999	–	–	19	69
$10,000 to $24,999	–	–	5	65
$25,000 or more	–	–	6	1 194

[1]Data are in whole dollars.
[2]Data for 1992 include CCC loans for rye and honey.

Table 7. **Land Use: 1997, 1992, and 1987**

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

All farms		1997	Percent of total in 1997	1992	1987
Farms	number	22 314	100.0	22 124	24 142
Land in farms	acres	11 830 167	100.0	13 468 992	13 931 875
Total cropland	farms	18 994	85.1	19 204	21 085
	acres	6 308 877	53.3	6 301 862	6 742 285
Harvested cropland	farms	15 494	69.4	16 023	18 270
	acres	4 478 862	37.9	4 225 273	4 349 122
Farms by acres harvested:					
1 to 49 acres		6 388	28.6	6 130	6 764
1 to 9 acres		2 282	10.2	1 825	1 903
10 to 19 acres		1 582	7.1	1 470	1 644
20 to 29 acres		1 052	4.7	1 178	1 302
30 to 49 acres		1 472	6.6	1 657	1 915
50 to 99 acres		2 038	9.1	2 414	2 817
100 to 199 acres		2 111	9.5	2 387	3 002
200 to 499 acres		2 519	11.3	2 747	3 329
500 to 999 acres		1 336	6.0	1 384	1 502
1,000 acres or more		1 102	4.9	961	856
1,000 to 1,999 acres		768	3.4	704	653
2,000 acres or more		334	1.5	257	203
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing	farms	9 257	41.5	9 462	10 180
	acres	816 471	6.9	814 777	816 308
Other cropland	farms	4 596	20.6	6 896	9 310
	acres	1 013 544	8.6	1 261 812	1 576 855
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured	farms	1 410	6.3	1 661	1 985
	acres	362 371	3.1	371 785	333 839
Cropland on which all crops failed	farms	420	1.9	1 219	780
	acres	28 229	.2	135 626	68 367
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow	farms	1 383	6.2	2 145	3 754
	acres	306 898	2.6	374 262	603 896
Cropland idle	farms	2 294	10.3	3 793	5 325
	acres	316 046	2.7	380 139	570 753
Total woodland	farms	2 584	11.6	2 543	2 802
	acres	514 787	4.4	1 033 770	1 153 837
Woodland pastured	farms	1 629	7.3	1 725	1 884
	acres	356 407	3.0	891 978	976 757
Woodland not pastured	farms	1 352	6.1	1 216	1 342
	acres	158 380	1.3	141 792	177 080
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured	farms	6 517	29.2	6 247	6 923
	acres	4 589 326	38.8	5 811 794	5 528 460
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc.	farms	13 330	59.7	12 528	14 964
	acres	417 177	3.5	321 566	507 293
Land under Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs[1]	farms	2 426	(X)	1 919	1 043
	acres	705 407	(X)	545 880	338 030

[1]Data for 1987 are for Conservation Reserve Program only.

Table 8. **Land in Farms, Harvested Cropland, and Irrigated Land, by Size of Farm: 1997 and 1992**

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

All farms	Farms		Land in farms (acres)		Harvested cropland (acres)		Irrigated land (acres)	
	1997	1992	1997	1992	1997	1992	1997	1992
Land in farms	22 314	22 124	11 830 167	13 468 992	4 478 862	4 225 273	3 493 542	3 260 006
Farms by size:								
1 to 9 acres	3 092	2 785	13 925	12 074	3 586	2 778	7 788	6 309
10 to 49 acres	5 621	5 017	138 567	126 401	56 080	52 030	76 988	68 807
50 to 69 acres	1 006	1 003	58 063	58 181	24 081	26 048	28 810	30 358
70 to 99 acres	1 406	1 554	114 250	126 231	54 946	64 326	61 056	69 614
100 to 139 acres	1 159	1 268	134 194	147 575	58 951	72 629	62 645	74 147
140 to 179 acres	1 186	1 245	187 383	196 309	91 468	100 843	90 988	98 477
180 to 219 acres	786	864	155 337	170 752	77 549	91 610	77 424	90 802
220 to 259 acres	695	728	164 847	173 980	83 154	93 462	84 551	94 121
260 to 499 acres	2 331	2 590	844 472	942 358	434 471	496 210	409 731	458 413
500 to 999 acres	2 199	2 270	1 543 958	1 599 747	809 868	803 478	692 979	662 217
1,000 to 1,999 acres	1 582	1 524	2 182 497	2 098 046	1 054 533	1 035 486	722 437	700 647
2,000 acres or more	1 251	1 276	6 292 674	7 817 338	1 730 175	1 386 373	1 178 145	906 094
5,000 acres or more	307	364	3 461 020	5 066 678	597 588	457 744	464 999	328 425
Farms with harvested cropland	15 494	16 023	9 875 781	10 825 083	4 478 862	4 225 273	3 388 452	3 159 134
Farms by size:								
1 to 9 acres	963	757	5 167	4 051	3 586	2 778	3 615	2 790
10 to 49 acres	3 456	3 009	89 911	81 302	56 080	52 030	57 644	51 707
50 to 69 acres	685	737	39 772	43 041	24 081	26 048	24 450	26 383
70 to 99 acres	1 100	1 303	89 461	105 991	54 946	64 326	56 023	64 859
100 to 139 acres	851	1 019	98 857	118 694	58 951	72 629	57 967	70 094
140 to 179 acres	928	1 067	146 485	168 060	91 468	100 843	86 834	95 108
180 to 219 acres	613	756	121 260	149 377	77 549	91 610	72 672	87 568
220 to 259 acres	579	665	137 278	158 927	83 154	93 462	82 120	91 421
260 to 499 acres	1 938	2 254	703 035	821 142	434 471	496 210	397 929	449 031
500 to 999 acres	1 900	2 008	1 341 068	1 414 191	809 868	803 478	680 887	652 266
1,000 to 1,999 acres	1 395	1 390	1 928 596	1 908 918	1 054 533	1 035 486	711 821	690 947
2,000 acres or more	1 086	1 058	5 174 891	5 851 389	1 730 175	1 386 373	1 156 490	876 960
5,000 acres or more	248	264	2 673 135	3 463 684	597 588	457 744	450 009	313 637
Farms with irrigated land	15 191	15 487	7 928 607	8 579 225	3 370 595	3 191 973	3 493 542	3 260 006
Farms by size:								
1 to 9 acres	1 842	1 523	9 751	8 085	3 186	2 500	7 788	6 309
10 to 49 acres	4 128	3 706	100 795	92 992	47 713	44 981	76 988	68 807
50 to 69 acres	666	736	38 602	42 977	20 107	22 655	28 810	30 358
70 to 99 acres	1 010	1 222	82 115	99 222	48 033	58 135	61 056	69 614
100 to 139 acres	776	910	90 009	105 841	50 897	62 992	62 645	74 147
140 to 179 acres	799	913	126 339	143 765	78 835	88 616	90 988	98 477
180 to 219 acres	538	665	106 222	131 374	68 182	81 753	77 424	90 802
220 to 259 acres	494	576	117 138	137 755	73 949	85 762	84 551	94 121
260 to 499 acres	1 632	1 889	590 875	686 797	375 780	434 177	409 731	458 413
500 to 999 acres	1 525	1 594	1 067 273	1 116 082	657 478	645 886	692 979	662 217
1,000 to 1,999 acres	968	971	1 333 046	1 334 334	709 914	721 031	722 437	700 647
2,000 acres or more	813	782	4 266 442	4 680 001	1 236 521	943 485	1 178 145	906 094
5,000 acres or more	220	213	2 482 567	2 943 546	471 659	321 687	464 999	328 425

Table 9. **Irrigation: 1997, 1992, and 1987**

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

Farms with irrigation		1997	1992	1987
Farms	number	15 191	15 487	16 620
Proportion of farms	percent	68.1	70.0	68.8
Irrigated land	acres	3 493 542	3 260 006	3 219 192
Average per farm	acres	230	210	194
Acres irrigated:				
1 to 9 acres	farms	2 971	2 615	2 360
	acres	14 342	12 538	11 328
10 to 49 acres	farms	4 308	4 316	4 622
	acres	105 140	107 073	117 495
50 to 99 acres	farms	1 879	2 231	2 571
	acres	131 588	158 107	180 454
100 to 199 acres	farms	1 977	2 243	2 649
	acres	280 130	315 636	373 182
Irrigated land—Con.				
Acres irrigated—Con.				
200 to 499 acres	farms	2 224	2 392	2 873
	acres	691 861	743 303	885 384
500 to 999 acres	farms	1 100	1 039	1 032
	acres	758 265	715 560	694 872
1,000 acres or more	farms	732	651	513
	acres	1 512 216	1 207 789	956 477
Irrigated land use:				
Harvested cropland	farms	12 182	12 776	14 308
	acres	3 057 436	2 882 199	2 811 354
Pastureland and other land	farms	7 621	6 613	6 958
	acres	436 106	377 807	407 838
Land in irrigated farms	acres	7 928 607	8 579 225	9 052 895
Cropland	acres	4 415 255	4 500 150	4 702 339
Harvested cropland	acres	3 370 595	3 191 973	3 191 829

Table 10. **Selected Characteristics of Irrigated and Nonirrigated Farms: 1997 and 1992**

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

Characteristics	All farms		Irrigated farms				Nonirrigated farms	
			Any land irrigated		All harvested cropland irrigated			
	1997	1992	1997	1992	1997	1992	1997	1992
Farms ..... number..	22 314	22 124	15 191	15 487	10 893	11 482	7 123	6 637
Land in farms ..... acres..	11 830 167	13 468 992	7 928 607	8 579 225	5 226 199	6 219 910	3 901 560	4 889 767
Estimated market value of land and buildings[1]:								
Average per farm ..... dollars..	536 521	410 206	590 408	435 267	635 946	458 517	419 648	349 221
Average per acre ..... dollars..	1 017	682	1 146	810	1 302	885	756	462
Irrigated land ..... acres..	3 493 542	3 260 006	3 493 542	3 260 006	2 932 896	2 816 171	(X)	(X)
Land in farms according to use:								
Total cropland ..... farms..	18 994	19 204	14 305	14 845	10 893	11 482	4 689	4 359
acres..	6 308 877	6 301 862	4 415 255	4 500 150	3 260 759	3 384 425	1 893 622	1 801 712
Harvested cropland ..... farms..	15 494	16 023	12 316	12 901	10 893	11 482	3 178	3 122
acres..	4 478 862	4 225 273	3 370 595	3 191 973	2 646 593	2 571 232	1 108 267	1 033 300
Pastureland, excluding woodland pastured ..... farms..	13 901	13 783	9 944	9 869	6 086	6 394	3 957	3 914
acres..	5 405 797	6 626 571	3 743 183	3 832 091	2 121 442	2 540 663	1 662 614	2 794 480
Land under Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs ..... farms..	2 426	1 919	979	990	575	577	1 447	929
acres..	705 407	545 880	287 392	271 295	145 853	129 776	418 015	274 585
Owned and rented land in farms:								
Owned land in farms ..... farms..	20 167	19 502	13 650	13 607	9 675	9 935	6 517	5 895
acres..	7 897 630	8 522 632	5 468 549	5 762 272	3 472 765	4 113 451	2 429 081	2 760 360
Rented or leased land in farms ..... farms..	8 439	9 125	6 305	6 789	4 860	5 349	2 134	2 336
acres..	3 932 537	4 946 360	2 460 058	2 816 953	1 753 434	2 106 459	1 472 479	2 129 407
Market value of agricultural products sold ..... $1,000..	3 345 864	2 964 216	2 581 323	2 429 587	2 198 694	1 923 693	764 541	534 629
Average per farm ..... dollars..	149 945	133 982	169 925	156 879	201 845	167 540	107 334	80 553
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops ..... farms..	11 927	12 168	9 540	9 938	8 440	8 838	2 387	2 230
$1,000..	1 773 699	1 492 103	1 608 084	1 353 829	1 403 731	1 205 237	165 615	138 274
Livestock, poultry, and their products ..... farms..	13 691	14 322	9 385	9 717	5 981	6 496	4 306	4 605
$1,000..	1 572 166	1 472 113	973 239	1 075 758	794 963	718 456	598 926	396 355
Total farm production expenses[1] ..... $1,000..	2 705 028	2 445 017	2 034 672	1 994 185	1 730 910	1 546 658	670 356	450 832
Average per farm ..... dollars..	121 117	110 489	133 107	127 148	157 184	131 184	95 113	69 951
Livestock and poultry purchased ..... farms..	7 820	8 621	5 624	6 260	3 612	4 196	2 196	2 361
$1,000..	469 600	527 312	223 069	404 424	192 406	254 263	246 531	122 888
Feed for livestock and poultry ..... farms..	11 438	12 731	7 816	8 608	4 881	5 593	3 622	4 123
$1,000..	450 829	347 903	279 459	240 657	234 669	150 715	171 370	107 246
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees ..... farms..	9 308	10 638	7 651	8 787	6 737	7 698	1 657	1 851
$1,000..	94 322	81 901	85 673	74 483	73 923	65 806	8 650	7 418
Commercial fertilizer ..... farms..	11 564	11 732	9 389	9 602	8 035	8 385	2 175	2 130
$1,000..	245 440	190 698	216 958	167 403	188 567	149 154	28 482	23 295
Agricultural chemicals ..... farms..	11 383	11 435	8 732	8 983	7 068	7 407	2 651	2 452
$1,000..	118 406	82 374	100 682	67 197	87 907	60 506	17 725	15 177
Petroleum products ..... farms..	20 090	20 715	14 114	14 777	10 409	11 305	5 976	5 938
$1,000..	100 076	95 329	82 738	78 397	69 115	65 831	17 338	16 932
Electricity ..... farms..	15 661	16 250	11 469	11 904	8 444	9 108	4 192	4 346
$1,000..	89 854	84 103	83 653	78 667	71 760	69 023	6 201	5 435
Hired farm labor ..... farms..	9 410	10 005	7 213	7 699	5 822	6 322	2 197	2 306
$1,000..	270 843	245 990	231 957	211 597	197 240	181 098	38 885	34 393
Contract labor ..... farms..	3 501	3 947	2 832	3 390	2 373	2 888	669	557
$1,000..	32 680	32 386	29 645	29 979	24 926	25 852	3 036	2 407
Repairs and maintenance ..... farms..	18 147	18 514	13 006	13 427	9 642	10 337	5 141	5 087
$1,000..	152 222	133 411	127 866	112 582	108 284	95 406	24 356	20 829
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment ..... farms..	8 597	9 393	6 953	7 669	5 908	6 524	1 644	1 724
$1,000..	69 649	56 439	63 003	48 381	53 475	42 559	6 646	8 058
Interest ..... farms..	11 087	11 980	8 447	9 069	6 733	7 253	2 640	2 911
$1,000..	178 482	157 683	150 804	136 094	125 493	108 538	27 677	21 589
Cash rent ..... farms..	5 387	6 082	4 244	4 844	3 467	3 970	1 143	1 238
$1,000..	124 518	100 998	108 094	89 669	94 933	79 494	16 424	11 328
Property taxes paid ..... farms..	21 097	20 516	14 440	14 530	10 386	10 927	6 657	5 986
$1,000..	55 081	48 131	42 192	38 003	33 568	30 803	12 888	10 128
All other farm production expenses ..... farms..	20 669	20 839	14 575	15 039	10 624	11 410	6 094	5 800
$1,000..	253 025	260 360	208 879	216 650	174 644	167 610	44 146	43 710
Commodity Credit Corporation loans[2] ..... farms..	889	797	665	537	554	408	224	260
$1,000..	29 610	23 830	19 173	16 201	13 859	11 054	10 438	7 629
Government payments received ..... farms..	7 848	5 698	5 226	3 700	4 212	2 788	2 622	1 998
$1,000..	73 124	74 188	41 974	43 557	29 729	29 371	31 150	30 631
Other farm-related income[1] ..... farms..	6 508	5 939	4 437	4 345	3 393	3 425	2 071	1 594
$1,000..	58 462	50 036	42 114	38 545	33 974	32 922	16 348	11 491
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment[1] ..... farms..	22 333	22 065	15 286	15 636	11 012	11 742	7 047	6 429
$1,000..	1 740 107	1 496 916	1 380 353	1 202 292	1 140 317	1 000 700	359 754	294 624
Average per farm ..... dollars..	77 916	67 841	90 302	76 893	103 552	85 224	51 051	45 827
Livestock inventory:								
Cattle and calves ..... farms..	12 063	12 527	8 444	8 704	5 539	5 966	3 619	3 823
number..	1 908 097	1 812 720	1 369 123	1 359 072	1 045 074	1 026 232	538 974	453 648
Milk cows ..... farms..	1 404	1 990	1 061	1 512	774	1 114	343	478
number..	265 854	181 785	203 373	134 996	173 666	107 997	62 481	46 789
Hogs and pigs ..... farms..	714	1 141	457	712	289	478	257	429
number..	29 026	67 343	14 865	32 869	12 518	24 756	14 161	34 474
Sheep and lambs ..... farms..	1 097	1 316	796	930	439	613	301	386
number..	273 804	347 678	218 326	240 323	113 198	176 637	55 478	107 355

[1]Data are based on a sample of farms.
[2]Data for 1992 include CCC loans for rye and honey.

Table 11. **Value of Land and Buildings: 1997, 1992, and 1987**

[Data are based on a sample of farms. For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Value of land and buildings	1997		1992	1987
	Farms	Value ($1,000)		
Estimated market value of land and buildings ..... farms..	22 334	(X)	22 129	24 140
$1,000..	(X)	11 982 650	9 077 459	8 125 875
Average per farm ..... dollars..	(X)	536 521	410 206	336 615
Average per acre ..... dollars..	(X)	1 017	682	572
Farms by value group:				
$1 to $39,999	2 406	45 188	2 775	3 712
$40,000 to $69,999	1 686	88 915	2 746	3 261
$70,000 to $99,999	1 552	127 525	2 445	2 627
$100,000 to $149,999	2 739	322 231	3 002	3 136
$150,000 to $199,999	2 092	349 386	1 785	2 095
$200,000 to $499,999	6 148	1 869 336	4 789	5 204
$500,000 to $999,999	2 892	1 987 724	2 508	2 441
$1,000,000 to $1,999,999	1 626	2 193 116	1 318	1 101
$2,000,000 to $4,999,999	958	2 807 185	639	492
$5,000,000 or more	235	2 192 044	122	71

Table 12. **Value of Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1997 and 1992**

[Data are based on a sample of farms. For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Value of machinery and equipment	1997		1992	
	Farms	Value ($1,000)	Farms	Value ($1,000)
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment	22 333	1 740 107	22 065	1 496 916
Average per farm[1]	(X)	77 916	(X)	67 841
By value group:				
$1 to $4,999	2 553	7 199	2 601	7 233
$5,000 to $9,999	2 788	18 663	2 880	21 153
$10,000 to $19,999	3 823	50 728	4 543	59 594
$20,000 to $29,999	2 699	61 815	2 522	57 408
$30,000 to $49,999	2 828	103 301	2 478	91 101
$50,000 to $69,999	1 917	108 068	1 644	91 453
$70,000 to $99,999	1 354	108 727	1 309	105 410
$100,000 to $199,999	2 176	283 215	2 166	291 822
$200,000 to $499,999	1 638	465 280	1 494	408 120
$500,000 to $999,999	390	258 592	332	208 895
$1,000,000 or more	167	274 518	96	154 727

[1]Data are in whole dollars.

Table 13. **Selected Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1997 and 1992**

[Data are based on a sample of farms. For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Selected machinery and equipment	1997						1992		
	Total		Manufactured 1993 to 1997		Manufactured prior to 1993				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Number manufactured 1988 to 1992
Motortrucks, including pickups	20 936	60 044	6 821	9 351	19 110	50 693	20 660	57 330	9 946
2 or 3	8 345	19 686	1 094	2 488	7 104	16 744	7 770	18 397	2 729
4 or more	4 735	32 502	236	1 372	3 921	25 864	4 901	30 944	1 743
Wheel tractors	18 680	43 547	2 541	4 187	17 769	39 360	18 995	49 234	4 259
2 or 3	8 020	18 844	617	1 409	7 624	17 871	7 821	18 502	1 438
4 or more	3 128	17 171	184	1 038	2 681	14 025	4 276	23 834	946
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO)	9 113	12 607	602	656	8 649	11 951	9 996	15 144	728
40 horsepower (PTO) or more	14 302	30 940	2 095	3 531	13 551	27 409	14 355	34 090	3 531
40 to 99 horsepower (PTO)	11 737	18 287	1 095	1 344	11 075	16 943	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
100 horsepower (PTO) or more	6 931	12 653	1 268	2 187	6 342	10 466	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Grain and bean combines	4 495	5 919	464	569	4 139	5 350	5 658	7 502	581
Cotton pickers and strippers	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Mower conditioners	7 183	7 911	981	1 085	6 283	6 826	7 831	8 514	1 052
Pickup balers	8 067	9 299	1 487	1 601	6 786	7 698	9 307	10 891	1 512

Table 14. **Petroleum Products Expenses: 1997, 1992, and 1987**

[Data are based on a sample of farms. For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	1997		1992	1987
	Farms	Expenses ($1,000)		
Petroleum products ..... farms..	20 090	(X)	20 715	22 259
$1,000..	(X)	100 076	95 329	83 022
Average per farm ..... dollars..	(X)	4 981	4 602	3 730
Gasoline and gasohol ..... farms..	17 486	(X)	18 307	20 195
$1,000..	(X)	36 930	37 989	37 087
Average per farm ..... dollars..	(X)	2 112	2 075	1 836
Farms with expenses of—				
$1 to $499	7 041	1 392	6 756	7 452
$500 to $999	2 739	1 801	3 020	3 487
$1,000 to $1,999	2 674	3 468	3 154	3 538
$2,000 to $4,999	3 101	9 115	3 437	3 909
$5,000 to $9,999	1 189	7 710	1 239	1 275
$10,000 to $24,999	626	8 659	594	472
$25,000 or more	116	4 784	107	62
Diesel fuel ..... farms..	14 659	(X)	14 949	15 582
$1,000..	(X)	52 460	47 586	37 328
Average per farm ..... dollars..	(X)	3 579	3 183	2 396
Farms with expenses of—				
$1 to $499	5 347	1 004	5 277	5 434
$500 to $999	2 259	1 475	2 150	2 432
$1,000 to $1,999	1 940	2 532	2 022	2 595
$2,000 to $4,999	2 506	7 457	2 881	2 984
$5,000 to $9,999	1 325	8 996	1 435	1 384
$10,000 to $24,999	985	14 254	933	642
$25,000 or more	297	16 740	251	111
Natural gas ..... farms..	598	(X)	572	611
$1,000..	(X)	1 306	981	880
Average per farm ..... dollars..	(X)	2 184	1 715	1 440
Farms with expenses of—				
$1 to $99	126	4	135	141
$100 to $499	169	37	137	190
$500 to $999	85	52	80	78
$1,000 to $1,999	87	115	84	86
$2,000 to $4,999	78	213	105	81
$5,000 to $9,999	33	246	23	18
$10,000 or more	20	640	8	17
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc. ..... farms..	14 866	(X)	15 717	16 915
$1,000..	(X)	9 380	8 773	7 727
Average per farm ..... dollars..	(X)	631	558	457
Farms with expenses of—				
$1 to $99	4 569	215	4 891	5 261
$100 to $499	6 186	1 378	6 402	7 409
$500 to $999	1 819	1 192	2 145	2 233
$1,000 to $1,999	1 204	1 582	1 249	1 257
$2,000 to $4,999	820	2 292	812	624
$5,000 to $9,999	187	1 232	166	108
$10,000 or more	81	1 489	52	23

Table 15. **Agricultural Chemicals Used, Including Fertilizer: 1997, 1992, and 1987**

[Data are based on a sample of farms. For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Chemicals used	1997	1992	1987
Any chemicals or fertilizer used[1] ..... farms..	14 460	14 565	16 749
Commercial fertilizer ..... farms..	11 564	11 732	13 109
acres on which used..	3 526 053	3 329 048	3 314 974
$1,000..	245 440	190 698	148 396
Agricultural chemicals ..... farms..	11 383	11 435	14 634
$1,000..	118 406	82 374	65 098
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—			
Insects on hay and other crops ..... farms..	3 626	4 513	5 815
acres on which used..	967 881	1 018 332	1 049 980
Nematodes in crops ..... farms..	793	1 051	901
acres on which used..	194 614	185 194	137 818
Diseases in crops and orchards ..... farms..	1 517	1 332	1 582
acres on which used..	461 292	260 843	285 955
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture ..... farms..	8 716	8 812	11 505
acres on which used..	2 499 076	2 331 090	2 425 044
Chemicals used on crops to control growth, thin fruit, or defoliate ..... farms..	952	742	1 357
acres on which used..	241 305	118 994	215 271

[1]Data for 1987 include farms on which lime was applied alone or together with fertilizer and/or chemicals.

Table 16. Tenure and Characteristics of Operator and Type of Organization for All Farms and Farms Operated by Black and Other Races: 1997, 1992, and 1987

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

Characteristics		All farms			Farms operated by Black and other races[1]		
		1997	1992	1987	1997	1992	1987
Tenure of operator:							
All operators	farms	22 314	22 124	24 142	352	322	256
	acres	11 830 167	13 468 992	13 931 875	480 880	1 019 040	942 995
Harvested cropland	farms	15 494	16 023	18 270	259	257	212
	acres	4 478 862	4 225 273	4 349 122	97 294	69 148	64 223
Full owners	farms	13 875	13 000	14 406	201	149	111
	acres	4 699 642	4 434 206	4 759 865	406 280	219 026	163 286
Harvested cropland	farms	8 430	8 350	9 915	133	100	77
	acres	1 120 855	1 127 204	1 303 782	38 340	9 203	13 156
Part owners	farms	6 292	6 502	6 817	105	126	96
	acres	6 037 239	7 670 690	7 647 839	63 192	(D)	765 705
Harvested cropland	farms	5 458	5 624	6 044	92	115	89
	acres	2 772 389	2 498 359	2 413 935	49 481	46 688	39 153
Tenants	farms	2 147	2 622	2 919	46	47	49
	acres	1 093 286	1 364 096	1 524 171	11 408	(D)	14 004
Harvested cropland	farms	1 606	2 049	2 311	34	42	46
	acres	585 618	599 710	631 405	9 473	13 257	11 914
Percent of tenancy	percent	9.6	11.9	12.1	13.1	14.6	19.1
Operators by place of residence:							
On farm operated		17 068	16 905	18 227	262	243	179
Not on farm operated		3 801	3 826	4 300	70	63	58
Not reported		1 445	1 393	1 615	20	16	19
Operators by principal occupation:							
Farming		12 049	13 082	14 550	196	208	176
Other		10 265	9 042	9 592	156	114	80
Operators by days worked off farm:							
None		8 856	9 297	10 101	130	153	127
Any		12 230	11 342	12 614	204	146	113
1 to 49 days		1 517	1 474	1 888	31	21	23
50 to 99 days		747	684	849	9	10	3
100 to 149 days		770	734	898	19	10	6
150 to 199 days		1 311	1 236	1 424	24	17	17
200 days or more		7 885	7 214	7 555	121	88	64
Not reported		1 228	1 485	1 427	18	23	16
Operators by years on present farm:							
2 years or less		1 269	1 420	1 460	30	28	21
3 or 4 years		1 752	1 834	1 559	33	34	21
5 to 9 years		3 592	2 991	3 957	61	44	35
10 years or more		12 603	12 912	13 392	174	172	128
Average years on present farm		18.7	18.3	17.8	16.4	16.0	17.0
Not reported		3 098	2 967	3 774	54	44	51
Operators by age group:							
Under 25 years		236	233	307	7	2	8
25 to 34 years		1 362	2 139	2 966	25	39	34
35 to 44 years		4 986	5 013	5 339	91	84	52
45 to 49 years		2 971	2 600	2 681	48	45	22
50 to 54 years		2 879	2 572	2 689	41	25	26
55 to 59 years		2 640	2 497	2 795	38	34	34
60 to 64 years		2 264	2 228	2 666	41	32	36
65 to 69 years		1 855	1 867	2 098	20	31	28
70 years and over		3 121	2 975	2 601	41	30	16
Average age		53.2	52.2	51.1	51.3	50.3	50.2
Operators by sex:							
Male	farms	20 565	20 745	22 989	323	305	240
	acres	11 310 688	13 006 401	13 607 078	473 396	1 013 811	942 390
Female	farms	1 749	1 379	1 153	29	17	16
	acres	519 479	462 591	324 797	7 484	5 229	605
Operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin (see text)	farms	328	282	174	110	85	39
	acres	171 165	98 523	75 382	12 853	15 276	5 852
Operators not of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin	farms	19 039	16 272	16 975	211	167	152
Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin not reported	farms	2 947	5 570	6 993	31	70	65
Type of organization:							
Individual or family (sole proprietorship)	farms	18 631	18 534	20 368	290	252	194
	acres	6 226 860	6 819 467	7 488 284	53 090	63 753	43 423
Partnership	farms	1 956	2 074	2 314	26	36	29
	acres	2 302 246	2 452 554	2 474 456	14 708	(D)	12 721
Corporation	farms	1 459	1 287	1 207	27	26	25
	acres	2 343 664	2 364 646	2 165 050	36 307	24 670	18 026
Family held:							
More than 10 stockholders	farms	41	40	26	–	–	1
	acres	158 733	217 744	114 018	–	–	(D)
10 or less stockholders	farms	1 310	1 137	1 112	24	24	23
	acres	2 063 418	2 035 219	1 975 603	(D)	(D)	16 965
Other than family held:							
More than 10 stockholders	farms	24	19	12	–	–	–
	acres	20 484	18 061	11 212	–	–	–
10 or less stockholders	farms	84	91	57	3	2	1
	acres	101 029	93 622	64 217	(D)	(D)	(D)
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc.	farms	268	229	253	9	8	8
	acres	957 397	1 832 325	1 804 085	376 775	(D)	868 825

[1]For classification of social and ethnic groups, see text.

Table 17. **Selected Characteristics of Farms by Specified Racial Groups, Sex of Operators, and Persons of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin: 1997 and 1992**

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

Characteristics	Farms operated by specified racial groups					Operators by sex		Operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin[1]
	Total	Black	American Indian	Asian or Pacific Islander	Other (see text)	Female	Male	
FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS								
Farms ..... number, 1997..	352	16	122	99	115	1 749	20 565	328
1992..	322	20	93	119	90	1 379	20 745	282
Land in farms ..... acres, 1997..	480 880	2 207	403 502	58 865	16 306	519 479	11 310 688	171 165
1992..	1 019 040	(D)	(D)	43 295	17 401	462 591	13 006 401	98 523
Harvested cropland ..... farms, 1997..	259	10	90	88	71	866	14 628	223
1992..	257	16	72	109	60	776	15 247	189
acres, 1997..	97 294	1 552	39 697	49 882	6 163	95 679	4 383 183	60 929
1992..	69 148	7 495	18 211	34 551	8 891	95 298	4 129 975	29 365
1997 FARMS BY SIZE								
1 to 9 acres	47	7	15	6	19	368	2 724	50
10 to 49 acres	105	3	42	20	40	555	5 066	94
50 to 139 acres	63	1	21	13	28	302	3 269	63
140 to 219 acres	33	1	13	11	8	141	1 831	25
220 to 499 acres	43	3	9	18	13	171	2 855	37
500 acres or more	61	1	22	31	7	212	4 820	59
1997 OWNED AND RENTED LAND IN FARMS								
Owned land in farms ..... farms..	306	16	102	82	106	1 638	18 529	300
acres..	430 582	(D)	392 185	28 534	(D)	448 308	7 449 322	118 476
Rented or leased land in farms ..... farms..	151	2	52	64	33	373	8 066	116
acres..	50 298	(D)	11 317	30 331	(D)	71 171	3 861 366	52 689
TENURE OF OPERATOR								
Full owners ..... farms, 1997..	201	14	70	35	82	1 376	12 499	212
1992..	149	11	52	40	46	1 020	11 980	153
acres, 1997..	406 280	(D)	387 943	10 801	(D)	394 039	4 305 603	58 169
1992..	219 026	(D)	(D)	6 298	4 312	223 306	4 210 900	27 675
Part owners ..... farms, 1997..	105	2	32	47	24	262	6 030	88
1992..	126	4	34	55	33	267	6 235	86
acres, 1997..	63 192	(D)	12 906	40 171	(D)	102 729	5 934 510	98 718
1992..	(D)	2 632	(D)	29 566	11 417	219 960	7 450 730	58 784
Tenants ..... farms, 1997..	46	–	20	17	9	111	2 036	28
1992..	47	5	7	24	11	92	2 530	43
acres, 1997..	11 408	–	2 653	7 893	862	22 711	1 070 575	14 278
1992..	(D)	(D)	(D)	7 431	1 672	19 325	1 344 771	12 064
1997 FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION								
Individual or family (sole proprietorship)	290	15	102	64	109	1 496	17 135	276
Partnership	26	–	7	16	3	137	1 819	30
Family held corporation	24	1	3	17	3	70	1 281	17
Other than family held corporation	3	–	2	1	–	9	99	2
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc.	9	–	8	1	–	37	231	3
1997 MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD								
Total sales ..... farms..	352	16	122	99	115	1 749	20 565	328
$1,000..	74 717	1 109	14 410	47 596	11 602	68 013	3 277 852	63 380
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops ..... farms..	194	9	52	81	52	599	11 328	176
$1,000..	57 652	1 013	8 277	46 087	2 275	25 794	1 747 905	32 936
Livestock, poultry, and their products ..... farms..	193	9	76	24	84	1 111	12 580	209
$1,000..	17 064	96	6 132	1 509	9 327	42 219	1 529 947	30 443
Farms by value of sales:								
Less than $1,000	45	3	23	7	12	458	2 785	35
$1,000 to $2,499	37	4	13	3	17	309	2 111	36
$2,500 to $9,999	78	2	40	2	34	415	4 297	67
$10,000 to $19,999	34	1	11	7	15	168	2 287	36
$20,000 to $24,999	9	–	1	7	1	53	674	6
$25,000 or more	149	6	34	73	36	346	8 411	148
1997 FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM								
Oilseed and grain farming (1111)	47	4	14	12	17	222	3 703	47
Vegetable and melon farming (1112)	38	1	3	29	5	27	953	21
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113)	4	1	–	–	3	33	238	4
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114)	3	–	–	3	–	65	379	8
Other crop farming (1119)	88	4	27	36	21	256	4 490	76
Tobacco farming (11191)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton farming (11192)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199)	88	4	27	36	21	256	4 490	76
Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111)	116	5	55	12	44	583	7 114	108
Cattle feedlots (112112)	4	–	1	–	3	39	404	7
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212)	10	–	3	–	7	35	891	21
Hog and pig farming (1122)	5	1	2	–	2	18	162	1
Poultry and egg production (1123)	–	–	–	–	–	12	72	–
Sheep and goat farming (1124)	7	–	–	–	7	91	374	15
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129)	30	–	17	7	6	368	1 785	20

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 17. **Selected Characteristics of Farms by Specified Racial Groups, Sex of Operators, and Persons of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin: 1997 and 1992**—Con.

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

Characteristics	Farms operated by specified racial groups					Operators by sex		Operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin[1]
	Total	Black	American Indian	Asian or Pacific Islander	Other (see text)	Female	Male	
1997 OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS								
Operators by place of residence:								
On farm operated	262	14	90	74	84	1 361	15 707	261
Not on farm operated	70	1	21	21	27	277	3 524	57
Not reported	20	1	11	4	4	111	1 334	10
Operators by principal occupation:								
Farming	196	7	60	76	53	830	11 219	181
Other	156	9	62	23	62	919	9 346	147
Operators by days worked off farm:								
None	130	5	37	53	35	714	8 142	127
Any	204	10	77	38	79	940	11 290	190
1 to 99 days	40	2	15	11	12	158	2 106	34
100 to 199 days	43	1	13	13	16	203	1 878	41
200 days or more	121	7	49	14	51	579	7 306	115
Not reported	18	1	8	8	1	95	1 133	11
Operators by years on present farm:								
2 years or less	30	–	15	8	7	128	1 141	22
3 or 4 years	33	3	7	5	18	170	1 582	38
5 to 9 years	61	3	23	8	27	351	3 241	66
10 years or more	174	8	54	67	45	836	11 767	168
Average years on present farm	16.4	17.9	15.3	22.6	11.8	16.8	18.9	15.5
Not reported	54	2	23	11	18	264	2 834	34
Operators by age group:								
Under 25 years	7	–	1	2	4	18	218	10
25 to 34 years	25	–	7	6	12	91	1 271	28
35 to 44 years	91	5	35	22	29	380	4 606	82
45 to 54 years	89	2	21	31	35	453	5 397	91
55 to 59 years	38	3	19	4	12	197	2 443	37
60 to 64 years	41	2	22	5	12	153	2 111	35
65 to 69 years	20	1	8	8	3	124	1 731	23
70 years and over	41	3	9	21	8	333	2 788	22
Average age	51.3	56.1	51.7	53.4	48.4	54.7	53.1	49.7
Operators by sex:								
Male	323	14	113	91	105	(X)	20 565	300
Female	29	2	9	8	10	1 749	(X)	28
Operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin (see text)	110	1	5	3	101	28	300	328
1997 COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS								
Amount received from Commodity Credit Corporation loans ... farms	16	1	2	12	1	16	873	11
... $1,000	148	(D)	(D)	118	(D)	175	29 435	228
Government payments received ... farms	93	5	22	41	25	417	7 431	95
... $1,000	966	42	407	419	98	3 109	70 014	798

[1]See chapter 1, table 16 for operators not of or not reporting Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin.

Table 18. Selected Characteristics of Farms by North American Industry Classification System: 1997

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

NAICS code (see text)	Farms	Land in farms (acres)	Harvested cropland (acres)	Estimated market value of selected capital assets[1], average per farm (dollars): Land and buildings	Estimated market value of selected capital assets[1], average per farm (dollars): Machinery and equipment	Market value of agricultural products sold ($1,000): Total	Market value of agricultural products sold ($1,000): Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops	Market value of agricultural products sold ($1,000): Livestock, poultry, and their products
Total	**22 314**	**11 830 167**	**4 478 862**	**536 521**	**77 916**	**3 345 864**	**1 773 699**	**1 572 166**
Crop production (111)	10 366	6 443 240	3 719 345	717 347	119 857	1 780 562	1 707 716	72 846
Oilseed and grain farming (1111)	3 925	3 059 691	1 521 320	652 752	90 826	343 338	324 019	19 319
Soybean farming (11111)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Oilseed (except soybean) farming (11112)	3	6 277	969	499 585	46 158	118	118	–
Dry pea and bean farming (11113)	215	71 969	57 223	448 130	69 016	15 897	15 367	531
Wheat farming (11114)	1 425	1 422 728	822 766	787 864	115 934	161 165	155 242	5 923
Corn farming (11115)	212	51 729	35 969	363 600	51 326	14 897	13 326	1 570
Rice farming (11116)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other grain farming (11119)	2 070	1 506 988	604 393	615 368	80 734	151 261	139 966	11 295
Vegetable and melon farming (11121)	980	1 103 642	889 025	1 856 682	374 626	681 496	671 976	9 520
Potato farming (111211)	784	1 066 762	859 953	2 320 469	462 969	649 486	640 355	9 131
Other vegetable (except potato) and melon farming (111219)	196	36 880	29 072	402 263	97 586	32 010	31 621	389
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113)	271	18 400	10 390	241 186	31 559	23 836	23 691	145
Orange groves (11131)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Citrus (except orange) groves (11132)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Noncitrus fruit and tree nut farming (11133)	271	18 400	10 390	241 186	31 559	23 836	23 691	145
Apple orchards (111331)	129	10 334	7 155	324 696	47 238	17 064	16 987	78
Grape vineyards (111332)	10	161	101	380 000	35 500	87	87	–
Strawberry farming (111333)	6	(D)	(D)	104 118	18 235	(D)	(D)	(D)
Berry (except strawberry) farming (111334)	13	477	94	50 800	6 240	73	(D)	(D)
Tree nut farming (111335)	1	(D)	(D)	–	–	(D)	(D)	–
Fruit and tree nut combination farming (111336)	1	(D)	(D)	–	–	(D)	(D)	–
Other noncitrus fruit farming (111339)	111	7 186	2 988	168 499	15 759	6 589	6 531	58
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114)	444	34 785	14 794	285 643	52 945	47 448	47 236	212
Food crops grown under cover (11141)	18	379	19	215 608	30 531	1 543	1 543	–
Nursery and floriculture production (11142)	426	34 406	14 775	290 512	54 503	45 905	45 694	212
Nursery and tree production (111421)	294	25 853	9 362	281 833	46 815	28 519	28 372	147
Floriculture production (111422)	132	8 553	5 413	309 109	70 976	17 387	17 322	65
Other crop farming (1119)	4 746	2 226 722	1 283 816	608 069	103 565	684 444	640 793	43 651
Tobacco farming (11191)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton farming (11192)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sugarcane farming (11193)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Hay farming (11194)	3 408	1 179 361	507 282	381 799	53 660	152 281	134 074	18 207
All other crop farming (11199)	1 338	1 047 361	776 534	1 176 945	229 035	532 163	506 719	25 443
Animal production (112)	11 948	5 386 927	759 517	385 418	42 874	1 565 302	65 983	1 499 319
Cattle ranching and farming (1121)	9 066	4 855 262	727 248	442 170	47 255	1 465 361	62 493	1 402 868
Beef cattle ranching and farming, including feedlots (11211)	8 140	4 548 963	559 517	417 529	36 647	862 778	44 431	818 348
Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111)	7 697	4 362 989	526 381	408 402	35 892	375 866	39 687	336 179
Cattle feedlots (112112)	443	185 974	33 136	577 599	49 895	486 912	4 744	482 168
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212)	926	306 299	167 731	658 266	140 287	602 583	18 062	584 520
Hog and pig farming (1122)	180	9 251	2 624	132 839	17 252	3 397	370	3 027
Poultry and egg production (1123)	84	11 622	1 163	186 851	40 957	15 048	189	14 858
Chicken egg production (11231)	36	1 166	422	278 004	110 300	13 966	(D)	(D)
Broilers and other meat-type chicken production (11232)	1	(D)	(D)	90 000	6 000	(D)	(D)	(D)
Turkey production (11233)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Poultry hatcheries (11234)	5	(D)	(D)	40 000	1 000	(D)	–	(D)
Other poultry production (11239)	42	10 301	696	172 330	9 460	1 066	54	1 013
Sheep and goat farming (1124)	465	342 182	14 242	359 279	32 670	28 619	1 954	26 665
Sheep farming (11241)	401	341 218	14 030	401 573	35 209	28 348	1 947	26 400
Goat farming (11242)	64	964	212	101 211	17 175	271	6	265
Animal aquaculture (1125)	41	5 636	1 071	358 227	260 353	31 511	284	31 228
Other animal production (1129)	2 112	162 974	13 169	179 534	24 991	21 366	693	20 673
Apiculture (11291)	72	1 345	82	51 031	64 358	5 304	(D)	(D)
Horse and other equine production (11292)	1 860	143 337	9 399	181 755	22 318	7 756	212	7 543
Fur-bearing animal and rabbit production (11293)	42	981	148	101 424	42 798	5 752	(D)	(D)
All other animal production (11299)	138	17 311	3 540	241 880	33 580	2 555	427	2 128

[1]Data are based on a sample of farms.

Table 19. **Selected Characteristics of Reservations and Abnormal Farms: 1997 and 1992**

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

Characteristics	1997 Reservations	1997 Abnormal farms	1992 Reservations and abnormal farms[1]
Farms ..... number..	4	46	83
Land in farms[2] ..... acres..	(D)	402 370	1 743 409
Average size of farm ..... acres..	(D)	8 747	21 005
Estimated market value of land and buildings[2 3] ..... $1,000..	150 808	75 053	347 547
Average per farm ..... dollars..	37 701 953	1 631 583	4 187 316
Average per acre ..... dollars..	(D)	187	199
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment[2 3] ..... $1,000..	728	3 490	5 790
Land in farms according to use:[2]			
Total cropland ..... farms..	3	11	14
acres..	33 972	5 503	15 523
Harvested cropland ..... farms..	3	9	8
acres..	25 112	2 730	(D)
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing ..... farms..	1	3	7
acres..	(D)	1 659	(D)
Other cropland ..... farms..	3	7	9
acres..	(D)	1 114	3 298
Total woodland ..... farms..	1	5	10
acres..	(D)	15 740	(D)
Woodland pastured ..... farms..	1	5	9
acres..	(D)	(D)	(D)
Woodland not pastured ..... farms..	–	1	1
acres..	–	(D)	(D)
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured..... farms..	4	37	76
acres..	(D)	375 324	1 216 022
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. ..... farms..	3	10	9
acres..	3 000	5 803	(D)
Irrigated land ..... farms..	2	12	13
acres..	(D)	4 761	19 073
Market value of agricultural products sold[2] . $1,000..	(D)	1 903	7 689
Average per farm ..... dollars..	(D)	41 377	92 633
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops..... $1,000..	(D)	761	(D)
Livestock, poultry, and their products .... $1,000..	1 165	1 142	(D)
Total farm production expenses[2 3] ..... $1,000..	(D)	3 399	6 331
Average per farm ..... dollars..	(D)	73 900	76 272
Government payments received[2] ..... farms..	2	15	10
$1,000..	(D)	81	117
Average per farm ..... dollars..	(D)	5 430	11 737
Other farm-related income[2 3] ..... farms..	–	2	3
$1,000..	–	(D)	(D)
Average per farm ..... dollars..	–	(D)	(D)
Tenure of operator:			
Full owners	4	22	35
Part owners	–	15	23
Tenants	–	9	25
Farms by North American Industry Classification System:			
Oilseed and grain farming (1111)	1	13	(NA)
Vegetable and melon farming (1112)	–	2	(NA)
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113).....	–	–	(NA)
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114)	–	–	(NA)
Other crop farming (1119)	1	2	(NA)
Tobacco farming (11191)	–	–	(NA)
Cotton farming (11192)	–	–	(NA)
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199)	1	2	(NA)
Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111).....	1	22	(NA)
Cattle feedlots (112112)	–	1	(NA)
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212)	–	1	(NA)
Hog and pig farming (1122)	–	–	(NA)
Poultry and egg production (1123)	–	–	(NA)
Sheep and goat farming (1124).....	–	2	(NA)
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129)	1	3	(NA)

[1]In 1992 reservations were included in abnormal farms.
[2]Data have been adjusted to exclude the agricultural activity of American Indians farming on reservations that were counted individually.
[3]Data are based on a sample of farms.

Table 20. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1997 and 1992**

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

Item	1997 Farms	1997 Number	1992 Farms	1992 Number
INVENTORY				
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older (see text)	886	(D)	1 119	1 488 472
Layers 20 weeks old and older ...	865	922 612	1 103	1 347 715
Farms with inventory of—				
1 to 49	821	11 791	1 007	14 757
50 to 99	35	1 989	65	3 803
100 to 399	5	625	20	2 985
400 to 3,199	–	–	6	6 700
3,200 to 9,999.....	1	(D)	1	(D)
10,000 to 19,999	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1	(D)	2	(D)
100,000 or more	2	(D)	2	(D)
Pullets 13 weeks old and older but less than 20 weeks old (see text).....	155	(D)	187	140 757
Pullet chicks and pullets less than 13 weeks old.....	59	288 312	46	281 770
Broilers and other meat-type chickens.....	210	7 924	263	11 730
Turkeys	157	1 872	183	3 836
For slaughter.....	122	1 559	138	2 026
Hens kept for breeding	64	313	67	1 810
Ducks, geese, and other poultry	384	(X)	339	(X)
SALES				
Layers 20 weeks old and older	68	(D)	105	572 726
Pullet chicks and pullets less than 20 weeks old.....	16	(D)	17	(D)
Broilers and other meat-type chickens.....	55	6 043	59	27 206
Farms by number sold—				
1 to 1,999.....	54	(D)	54	5 706
2,000 to 15,999.....	1	(D)	5	21 500
16,000 to 29,999	–	–	–	–
30,000 to 59,999	–	–	–	–
60,000 to 99,999	–	–	–	–
100,000 to 199,999	–	–	–	–
200,000 to 299,999	–	–	–	–
300,000 to 499,999	–	–	–	–
500,000 or more	–	–	–	–
500,000 to 749,999	–	–	–	–
750,000 or more	–	–	–	–
Turkeys	40	400	49	1 675
For slaughter.....	37	389	47	(D)
Hens kept for breeding	3	11	2	(D)
Ducks, geese, and other poultry	92	(X)	60	(X)

Table 21. **Layers, Pullets, and Pullet Chicks—Number Sold: 1997 and 1992**

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

Item	1997		1992		Item	1997		1992	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Layers 20 weeks old and older	68	(D)	105	572 726	Pullet chicks and pullets less than 20 weeks old	16	(D)	17	(D)
Farms by number sold—					Farms by number sold—				
1 to 99	63	976	94	1 896	1 to 1,999	15	400	16	433
100 to 399	2	(D)	4	630	2,000 to 15,999	–	–	–	–
400 to 3,199	–	–	2	(D)	16,000 to 29,999	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1	(D)	1	(D)	30,000 to 59,999	1	(D)	–	–
10,000 to 19,999	–	–	–	–	60,000 to 99,999	–	–	1	(D)
20,000 to 49,999	–	–	2	(D)	100,000 or more	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	–	–	–	–					
100,000 or more	2	(D)	2	(D)					

Table 22. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales by Farms With Layers and Pullets 13 Weeks Old and Older: 1997**

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

Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text)	Inventory									
	Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older (see text)						Pullet chicks and pullets less than 13 weeks old		Broilers and other meat-type chickens	
	Total		Layers 20 weeks old and older		Pullets 13 weeks old and older but less than 20 weeks old					
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Total	**886**	**(D)**	**865**	**922 612**	**155**	**(D)**	**45**	**(D)**	**167**	**5 633**
Farms with inventory of—										
1 to 49	820	12 429	801	11 090	125	1 339	34	465	148	4 330
50 to 99	53	3 094	51	2 540	23	554	7	200	17	(D)
100 to 399	9	1 025	9	775	4	250	1	(D)	2	(D)
400 to 1,599	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	–	–
10,000 to 19,999	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–
100,000 or more	2	(D)	2	(D)	1	(D)	2	(D)	–	–
No layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older as of Dec. 31, 1997	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	14	(D)	43	2 291

Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text)	Sales									
	Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks (see text)						Broilers and other meat-type chickens		Poultry and poultry products	
	Total		Layers 20 weeks old and older		Pullet chicks and pullets less than 20 weeks old					
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Value ($1,000)
Total	**64**	**(D)**	**57**	**(D)**	**13**	**356**	**38**	**4 887**	**296**	**13 848**
Farms with inventory of—										
1 to 49	51	1 124	45	(D)	11	(D)	30	2 017	247	69
50 to 99	7	489	6	(D)	2	(D)	4	(D)	36	21
100 to 399	3	120	3	120	–	–	3	450	9	13
400 to 1,599	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,600 to 3,199	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	1	(D)	1	(D)
10,000 to 19,999	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	(D)
100,000 or more	2	(D)	2	(D)	–	–	–	–	2	(D)
No layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older as of Dec. 31, 1997	12	(D)	11	99	3	(D)	17	1 156	116	1 153

Table 23. **Turkeys—Number Sold: 1997**

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

Turkeys	Total		Turkeys sold for slaughter		Sales of hens kept for breeding	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Total sold	**40**	**400**	**37**	**389**	**3**	**11**
Farms by number of turkeys sold—						
1 to 1,999	40	400	37	389	3	11
2,000 to 7,999	–	–	–	–	–	–
8,000 to 15,999	–	–	–	–	–	–
16,000 to 29,999	–	–	–	–	–	–
30,000 to 59,999	–	–	–	–	–	–
60,000 to 99,999	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 or more	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table 24. **Cattle and Calves—Inventory: 1997 and 1992**

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

Item	1997		1992	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Cattle and calves	12 063	1 908 097	12 527	1 812 720
Farms with—				
1 to 9	2 414	12 041	2 231	11 339
10 to 19	1 733	23 594	1 705	23 362
20 to 49	2 752	87 138	2 867	89 656
50 to 99	1 750	121 473	2 035	141 666
100 to 199	1 419	192 735	1 637	223 793
200 to 499	1 305	395 331	1 418	429 870
500 to 999	413	272 338	408	270 521
1,000 to 2,499	198	293 621	173	248 944
2,500 to 4,999	56	175 643	34	109 686
5,000 or more	23	334 183	19	263 883
Cows and heifers that had calved	9 375	821 530	9 709	746 801
Farms with—				
1 to 9	2 475	10 626	2 482	10 457
10 to 19	1 439	19 241	1 454	19 799
20 to 49	2 162	67 242	2 263	70 523
50 to 99	1 256	85 071	1 460	98 973
100 to 199	1 019	135 992	1 113	149 974
200 to 499	750	216 828	723	207 718
500 to 999	171	112 836	152	100 564
1,000 to 2,499	92	129 962	59	79 731
2,500 or more	11	43 732	3	9 062
Beef cows	8 405	555 676	8 393	565 016
Farms with—				
1 to 9	2 347	10 260	2 272	9 907
10 to 19	1 421	18 957	1 413	19 110
20 to 49	2 042	62 876	2 001	61 356
50 to 99	1 067	71 640	1 149	77 425
100 to 199	818	107 852	847	113 812
200 to 499	563	160 024	564	160 305
500 to 999	111	72 455	109	71 484
1,000 to 2,499	35	(D)	37	(D)
2,500 or more	1	(D)	1	(D)
Cows and heifers that had calved—Con.				
Milk cows	1 404	265 854	1 990	181 785
Farms with—				
1 to 9	413	853	696	1 451
10 to 19	39	526	94	1 326
20 to 49	211	7 070	371	12 602
50 to 99	236	16 546	362	24 822
100 to 199	206	27 623	263	34 977
200 to 499	172	51 968	136	40 775
500 to 999	63	42 754	45	30 150
1,000 or more	64	118 514	23	35 682
Heifers and heifer calves	9 102	551 508	9 744	516 107
Farms with—				
1 to 9	3 745	15 577	3 783	15 657
10 to 19	1 631	21 485	1 767	23 413
20 to 49	1 778	53 820	2 108	63 690
50 to 99	901	59 782	1 022	68 748
100 to 199	596	77 823	640	83 981
200 to 499	295	85 103	304	85 576
500 to 999	88	60 156	76	49 222
1,000 to 2,499	50	68 055	30	42 622
2,500 or more	18	109 707	14	83 198
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	10 110	535 059	10 517	549 812
Farms with—				
1 to 9	5 147	19 795	5 002	19 493
10 to 19	1 724	22 581	1 889	25 327
20 to 49	1 734	51 515	1 964	58 964
50 to 99	786	52 771	863	57 725
100 to 199	415	54 097	463	61 242
200 to 499	205	58 578	222	61 873
500 to 999	54	37 266	60	40 265
1,000 to 2,499	26	39 468	34	47 716
2,500 or more	19	198 988	20	177 207

Table 25. **Cattle and Calves—Sales: 1997 and 1992**

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

Number sold	1997			1992		
	Farms	Number	Value ($1,000)	Farms	Number	Value ($1,000)
Cattle and calves	11 684	1 578 375	910 805	12 230	1 646 112	1 036 015
Farms by number sold—						
1 to 9	3 545	16 403	7 508	3 375	15 872	7 893
10 to 19	2 087	28 414	12 637	2 250	30 757	14 888
20 to 49	2 624	80 492	35 614	2 927	90 808	43 850
50 to 99	1 464	100 653	46 138	1 591	109 282	54 409
100 to 199	985	134 842	62 459	1 075	147 411	73 309
200 to 499	662	196 765	89 786	693	202 276	102 513
500 to 999	191	128 898	59 979	182	121 120	62 710
1,000 to 2,499	81	124 992	60 988	92	137 791	80 501
2,500 to 4,999	19	62 835	33 070	22	70 614	43 644
5,000 or more	26	704 081	502 626	23	720 181	552 297
Cattle, including calves weighing 500 pounds or more	9 902	1 338 083	851 712	10 638	1 413 360	966 276
Farms by number sold—						
1 to 9	3 502	14 895	7 703	3 621	15 755	8 796
10 to 19	1 735	23 476	11 836	1 989	26 872	14 573
20 to 49	2 038	62 758	31 455	2 269	70 144	38 459
50 to 99	1 120	76 621	39 888	1 225	83 494	47 093
100 to 199	771	106 070	55 022	778	105 547	59 376
200 to 499	505	148 712	78 473	521	149 243	86 611
500 to 999	137	92 976	51 489	125	82 809	50 161
1,000 to 2,499	56	85 369	51 273	70	106 482	71 212
2,500 to 4,999	14	45 325	27 267	17	54 506	37 969
5,000 or more	24	681 881	497 306	23	718 508	552 026
Cattle fattened on grain and concentrates for slaughter	984	632 606	473 467	1 300	727 952	577 529
Farms by number sold—						
1 to 9	644	1 967	1 305	732	2 396	1 488
10 to 19	83	1 074	689	145	1 845	1 112
20 to 49	99	3 033	1 940	149	4 699	3 025
50 to 99	45	3 077	2 111	104	7 084	4 480
100 to 199	38	5 304	3 633	57	8 003	5 484
200 to 499	32	9 710	6 725	44	12 927	9 634
500 to 999	9	6 436	4 876	20	12 787	10 176
1,000 to 2,499	10	14 857	10 615	24	39 974	31 993
2,500 to 4,999	7	21 442	16 786	8	25 272	20 987
5,000 or more	17	565 706	424 785	17	612 965	489 151
Calves weighing less than 500 pounds	4 519	240 292	59 093	5 245	232 752	69 739
Farms by number sold—						
1 to 9	1 904	7 710	2 195	2 161	8 621	2 789
10 to 19	839	11 017	3 145	1 001	13 113	4 241
20 to 49	906	26 837	7 675	1 042	31 074	9 891
50 to 99	379	25 855	7 450	503	33 364	11 160
100 to 199	248	32 614	8 906	306	40 390	12 891
200 to 499	165	48 806	11 902	171	50 445	14 704
500 to 999	52	33 315	7 815	44	28 218	7 701
1,000 or more	26	54 138	10 006	17	27 527	6 362

Table 26. **Cattle and Calves Herd Size by Inventory and Sales: 1997**

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

Herd size	Cattle and calves inventory								Cattle and calves sales		
	Total		Cows and heifers that had calved		Heifers and heifer calves		Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Value ($1,000)
Total	**12 063**	**1 908 097**	**9 375**	**821 530**	**9 102**	**551 508**	**10 110**	**535 059**	**11 163**	**1 520 221**	**875 271**
Farms with herd size of—											
1 to 9	2 414	12 041	1 264	3 922	1 186	2 935	1 782	5 184	1 517	12 913	7 234
10 to 19	1 733	23 594	1 250	9 407	1 244	6 576	1 419	7 611	1 733	18 319	8 402
20 to 49	2 752	87 138	2 247	41 121	2 169	22 367	2 358	23 650	2 752	53 523	23 468
50 to 99	1 750	121 473	1 535	61 803	1 475	31 536	1 551	28 134	1 750	69 518	30 428
100 to 199	1 419	192 735	1 266	99 895	1 221	51 323	1 234	41 517	1 418	101 614	46 268
200 to 499	1 305	395 331	1 210	211 903	1 170	103 826	1 159	79 602	1 304	204 983	94 789
500 to 999	413	272 338	375	143 782	380	73 153	371	55 403	412	140 712	67 208
1,000 to 2,499	198	293 621	176	148 544	182	90 526	170	54 551	198	161 831	80 016
2,500 to 4,999	56	175 643	42	69 261	53	58 982	46	47 400	56	136 117	80 645
5,000 or more	23	334 183	10	31 892	22	110 284	20	192 007	23	620 691	436 814
No cattle and calves herd as of Dec. 31, 1997	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	521	58 154	35 534

Table 27. **Cow Herd Size by Inventory and Sales: 1997**

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

Cow herd[1]	Cattle and calves inventory								Cattle and calves sales		
	Total		Cows and heifers that had calved		Heifers and heifer calves		Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Value ($1,000)
Total	**9 375**	**1 463 331**	**9 375**	**821 530**	**7 593**	**372 848**	**7 969**	**268 953**	**8 909**	**740 772**	**334 500**
Farms with cow herd size of—											
1 to 9	2 475	33 228	2 475	10 626	1 803	11 757	1 956	10 845	2 010	23 533	10 696
10 to 19	1 439	40 769	1 439	19 241	1 178	10 829	1 234	10 699	1 439	24 381	10 841
20 to 49	2 162	133 814	2 162	67 242	1 763	35 428	1 898	31 144	2 162	70 137	31 538
50 to 99	1 256	152 049	1 256	85 071	1 069	36 844	1 103	30 134	1 256	70 691	30 795
100 to 199	1 019	241 579	1 019	135 992	881	57 013	898	48 574	1 018	119 984	54 820
200 to 499	750	387 984	750	216 828	656	97 140	657	74 016	750	201 624	96 117
500 to 999	171	201 013	171	112 836	156	51 223	145	36 954	171	105 282	49 852
1,000 to 2,499	92	208 730	92	129 962	79	54 527	72	24 241	92	91 806	37 391
2,500 or more	11	64 165	11	43 732	8	18 087	6	2 346	11	33 334	12 450
No cow herd as of Dec. 31, 1997	2 688	444 766	(X)	(X)	1 509	178 660	2 141	266 106	2 775	837 603	576 306

[1]Cow herd includes beef cows, milk cows, and heifers that had calved.

Table 28. **Beef Cow Herd Size by Inventory and Sales: 1997**

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

Beef cow herd	Cattle and calves inventory									
	Total		Cows and heifers that had calved				Heifers and heifer calves		Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	
			Total		Beef cows					
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Total	**8 405**	**1 108 496**	**8 405**	**587 709**	**8 405**	**555 676**	**6 766**	**275 037**	**7 261**	**245 750**
Farms with beef herd size of—										
1 to 9	2 347	(D)	2 347	(D)	2 347	10 260	1 714	(D)	1 864	(D)
10 to 19	1 421	42 014	1 421	20 022	1 421	18 957	1 167	11 222	1 221	10 770
20 to 49	2 042	151 092	2 042	76 254	2 042	62 876	1 659	43 131	1 816	31 707
50 to 99	1 067	144 740	1 067	78 640	1 067	71 640	892	34 838	959	31 262
100 to 199	818	205 007	818	114 667	818	107 852	703	46 326	743	44 014
200 to 499	563	291 715	563	160 676	563	160 024	489	69 040	515	61 999
500 to 999	111	146 390	111	72 961	111	72 455	107	36 628	108	36 801
1,000 to 2,499	35	89 275	35	48 962	35	(D)	34	21 866	34	18 447
2,500 or more	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
No beef cow herd as of Dec. 31, 1997	3 658	799 601	970	233 821	(X)	(X)	2 336	276 471	2 849	289 309

Beef cow herd	Cattle and calves sales											
	Total			Cattle						Calves		
				Total			Fattened on grain and concentrates					
	Farms	Number	Value ($1,000)	Farms	Number	Value ($1,000)	Farms	Number	Value ($1,000)	Farms	Number	Value ($1,000)
Total	**7 983**	**605 437**	**291 459**	**6 847**	**482 694**	**254 579**	**611**	**40 343**	**27 972**	**3 088**	**122 743**	**36 880**
Farms with beef herd size of—												
1 to 9	1 926	(D)	(D)	1 638	(D)	(D)	190	(D)	(D)	755	6 886	1 497
10 to 19	1 421	24 674	10 880	1 198	16 638	8 593	121	1 583	1 179	619	8 036	2 287
20 to 49	2 042	74 340	32 377	1 720	52 516	27 102	128	1 708	1 117	832	21 824	5 274
50 to 99	1 067	68 753	30 590	928	50 565	25 439	62	2 037	1 485	396	18 188	5 152
100 to 199	817	104 672	47 739	717	82 026	40 683	58	3 543	2 538	269	22 646	7 056
200 to 499	563	171 259	85 943	505	144 797	76 846	39	18 769	13 154	168	26 462	9 097
500 to 999	111	83 241	44 341	106	74 150	41 192	11	9 467	6 531	32	9 091	3 149
1,000 to 2,499	35	47 019	23 449	34	37 409	20 080	2	(D)	(D)	17	9 610	3 368
2,500 or more	1	(D)	(D)	1	(D)	(D)	–	–	–	–	–	–
No beef cow herd as of Dec. 31, 1997	3 701	972 938	619 347	3 055	855 389	597 133	373	592 263	445 495	1 431	117 549	22 214

Table 29. **Milk Cow Herd Size by Inventory and Sales: 1997**

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

Milk cow herd	Cattle and calves inventory									
	Total		Cows and heifers that had calved				Heifers and heifer calves		Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	
			Total		Milk cows					
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Total	**1 404**	**459 116**	**1 404**	**288 075**	**1 404**	**265 854**	**1 194**	**129 574**	**1 097**	**41 467**
Farms with milk cow herd size of—										
1 to 9	413	21 876	413	10 527	413	853	324	5 333	348	6 016
10 to 19	39	1 679	39	1 088	39	526	31	380	30	211
20 to 49	211	19 991	211	11 217	211	7 070	182	5 101	164	3 673
50 to 99	236	34 997	236	19 476	236	16 546	214	11 190	182	4 331
100 to 199	206	51 932	206	30 135	206	27 623	189	15 295	164	6 502
200 to 499	172	90 616	172	53 056	172	51 968	152	26 632	129	10 928
500 to 999	63	64 489	63	43 756	63	42 754	53	17 100	40	3 633
1,000 or more	64	173 536	64	118 820	64	118 514	49	48 543	40	6 173
No milk cow herd as of Dec. 31, 1997	10 659	1 448 981	7 971	533 455	(X)	(X)	7 908	421 934	9 013	493 592

Milk cow herd	Cattle and calves sales							Dairy product sales	
	Total			Cattle		Calves			
	Farms	Number	Value ($1,000)	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Value ($1,000)
Total	**1 342**	**174 170**	**59 365**	**1 087**	**83 945**	**806**	**90 225**	**1 010**	**553 100**
Farms with milk cow herd size of—									
1 to 9	351	13 646	6 273	285	9 368	175	4 278	19	69
10 to 19	39	755	339	36	427	22	328	39	619
20 to 49	211	7 742	3 278	163	4 948	121	2 794	211	11 638
50 to 99	236	10 654	3 966	193	6 196	141	4 458	236	29 066
100 to 199	206	18 954	8 521	171	10 920	119	8 034	206	52 093
200 to 499	172	28 872	9 525	145	14 241	124	14 631	172	106 082
500 to 999	63	26 701	8 766	46	11 198	52	15 503	63	93 859
1,000 or more	64	66 846	18 698	48	26 647	52	40 199	64	259 674
No milk cow herd as of Dec. 31, 1997	10 342	1 404 205	851 441	8 815	1 254 138	3 713	150 067	46	4 239

Table 30. **Cattle and Calves—Number Sold Per Farm by Sales: 1997**

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

Number sold	Cattle and calves			Cattle						Calves weighing less than 500 pounds		
				Total			Fattened on grain and concentrates					
	Farms	Number	Value ($1,000)	Farms	Number	Value ($1,000)	Farms	Number	Value ($1,000)	Farms	Number	Value ($1,000)
Total	**11 684**	**1 578 375**	**910 805**	**9 902**	**1 338 083**	**851 712**	**984**	**632 606**	**473 467**	**4 519**	**240 292**	**59 093**
Farms by number of cattle and calves sold—												
1 to 9	3 545	16 403	7 508	2 929	11 994	6 296	444	1 231	806	1 203	4 409	1 212
10 to 19	2 087	28 414	12 637	1 740	20 357	10 369	140	884	575	880	8 057	2 268
20 to 49	2 624	80 492	35 614	2 226	58 459	29 347	139	2 168	1 433	1 099	22 033	6 267
50 to 99	1 464	100 653	46 138	1 268	75 010	38 876	83	2 835	1 902	587	25 643	7 261
100 to 199	985	134 842	62 459	874	103 814	53 725	76	5 465	3 784	366	31 028	8 734
200 to 499	662	196 765	89 786	576	147 970	77 925	50	8 960	6 050	252	48 795	11 861
500 to 999	191	128 898	59 979	168	93 606	51 804	12	6 578	4 883	82	35 292	8 176
1,000 to 2,499	81	124 992	60 988	78	91 128	52 947	14	16 087	11 474	40	33 864	8 041
2,500 or more	45	766 916	535 696	43	735 745	530 422	26	588 398	442 560	10	31 171	5 274

Table 31. **Hogs and Pigs—Inventory: 1997 and 1992**

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

Hogs and pigs	1997		1992	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Total hogs and pigs	714	29 026	1 141	67 343
Farms with—				
1 to 24	588	3 481	819	5 296
25 to 49	49	1 679	96	3 290
50 to 99	21	1 393	87	5 787
100 to 199	25	3 201	65	8 512
200 to 499	20	5 613	53	15 212
500 to 999	4	2 439	7	4 084
1,000 to 1,999	4	4 346	8	10 862
2,000 to 4,999	3	6 874	6	14 300
5,000 or more	–	–	–	–
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	290	4 456	515	8 409
Farms with—				
1 to 24	250	1 361	436	2 913
25 to 49	21	678	45	1 439
50 to 99	12	731	17	973
100 to 199	3	(D)	10	1 383
200 to 499	3	760	7	1 701
500 or more	1	(D)	–	–
Other hogs and pigs	653	24 570	1 073	58 934
Farms with—				
1 to 24	549	3 102	782	4 602
25 to 49	35	1 191	91	3 123
50 to 99	22	1 567	75	5 209
100 to 199	22	3 042	63	8 479
200 to 499	15	4 234	43	12 207
500 to 999	6	4 500	5	2 797
1,000 or more	4	6 934	14	22 517

Table 32. **Hogs and Pigs—Sales: 1997 and 1992**

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

Hogs and pigs	1997			1992		
	Farms	Number	Value ($1,000)	Farms	Number	Value ($1,000)
Total hogs and pigs sold	573	44 626	4 473	940	104 723	9 746
Farms with—						
1 to 24	386	2 544	316	535	3 875	370
25 to 49	74	2 565	263	109	3 861	340
50 to 99	42	2 839	268	106	7 227	606
100 to 199	25	3 557	339	80	11 114	967
200 to 499	25	7 370	748	72	21 126	1 777
500 to 999	11	6 850	652	20	13 951	1 225
1,000 to 1,999	6	7 650	591	8	(D)	(D)
2,000 to 4,999	4	11 251	1 295	8	22 039	2 303
5,000 or more	–	–	–	2	(D)	(D)
5,000 to 7,499	–	–	–	2	(D)	(D)
7,500 or more	–	–	–	–	–	–
Feeder pigs sold	90	9 305	345	240	15 852	530
Farms with—						
1 to 9	20	(D)	(D)	59	333	12
10 to 24	18	291	12	55	868	29
25 to 49	22	782	30	47	1 590	56
50 to 99	10	713	26	36	2 429	82
100 to 199	9	1 068	42	24	3 098	102
200 to 499	7	2 298	84	13	3 866	121
500 to 999	1	(D)	(D)	6	3 668	128
1,000 or more	3	3 250	127	–	–	–
1,000 to 1,999	3	3 250	127	–	–	–
2,000 or more	–	–	–	–	–	–
Hogs and pigs other than feeder pigs sold	543	35 321	4 128	861	88 871	9 216
Farms with—						
1 to 24	394	2 499	331	545	3 462	396
25 to 49	64	2 235	270	86	(D)	(D)
50 to 99	29	1 929	216	82	5 500	566
100 to 199	20	2 875	356	61	8 534	892
200 to 499	20	5 792	685	55	16 042	1 656
500 to 999	10	6 112	662	14	9 771	961
1,000 to 1,999	3	4 900	539	8	10 715	1 191
2,000 to 4,999	3	8 979	1 069	8	21 608	2 283
5,000 or more	–	–	–	2	(D)	(D)
5,000 to 7,499	–	–	–	2	(D)	(D)
7,500 or more	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table 33. **Hogs and Pigs—Litters Farrowed: 1997 and 1992**

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

Litters	1997		1992	
	Farms	Number of litters	Farms	Number of litters
Litters farrowed between Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30	309	5 892	550	12 459
Farms with—				
1 to 9	214	677	329	1 054
10 to 19	39	500	90	1 182
20 to 49	36	1 094	80	2 349
50 to 99	10	721	29	1 777
100 to 199	3	(D)	6	(D)
200 to 499	5	1 349	14	4 237
500 to 999	2	(D)	2	(D)
1,000 or more	–	–	–	–
Dec. 1 of preceding year and May 31	274	3 112	484	6 422
June 1 and Nov. 30	240	2 780	438	6 037

Table 34. **Hogs and Pigs Herd Size by Inventory and Sales: 1997**

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

Herd size	Hogs and pigs inventory						Hogs and pigs sales					
	Total		Used or to be used for breeding		Other hogs and pigs		Total			Feeder pigs		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Value ($1,000)	Farms	Number	Value ($1,000)
Total inventory	714	29 026	290	4 456	653	24 570	494	43 390	4 317	88	(D)	(D)
Farms with—												
1 to 24	588	3 481	189	717	531	2 764	368	5 677	604	45	1 097	40
25 to 49	49	1 679	33	(D)	48	(D)	49	2 649	203	15	1 208	39
50 to 99	21	1 393	18	427	18	966	21	1 969	198	5	424	15
100 to 199	25	3 201	23	446	25	2 755	25	4 892	545	12	1 036	53
200 to 499	20	5 613	18	788	20	4 825	20	11 332	918	8	3 974	133
500 to 999	4	2 439	2	(D)	4	(D)	4	2 170	234	–	–	–
1,000 to 1,999	4	4 346	4	626	4	3 720	4	5 850	559	1	(D)	(D)
2,000 to 4,999	3	6 874	3	1 060	3	5 814	3	8 851	1 055	2	(D)	(D)
5,000 or more	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
No hogs or pigs on Dec. 31, 1997	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	79	1 236	156	2	(D)	(D)

Table 35. **Hogs and Pigs—Inventory and Sales by Number Sold Per Farm: 1997**

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

Hogs and pigs	Hogs and pigs inventory						Hogs and pigs sales					
	Total		Used or to be used for breeding		Other hogs and pigs		Total			Feeder pigs		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Value ($1,000)	Farms	Number	Value ($1,000)
Total sold	**494**	**28 388**	**254**	**4 390**	**449**	**23 998**	**573**	**44 626**	**4 473**	**90**	**9 305**	**345**
Farms with sales of—												
1 to 9	217	1 209	50	150	205	1 059	282	979	146	6	(D)	1
10 to 24	98	1 361	52	194	88	1 167	104	1 565	170	21	212	8
25 to 49	71	1 724	56	365	63	1 359	74	2 565	263	19	505	20
50 to 99	41	1 625	37	397	30	1 228	42	2 839	268	15	745	27
100 to 199	22	1 892	20	425	19	1 467	25	3 557	339	11	963	35
200 to 499	24	4 393	21	592	23	3 801	25	7 370	748	9	1 637	64
500 to 999	11	4 764	8	531	11	4 233	11	6 850	652	3	(D)	41
1,000 or more	10	11 420	10	1 736	10	9 684	10	18 901	1 887	6	4 026	149
1,000 to 1,999	6	3 286	6	536	6	2 750	6	7 650	591	4	(D)	(D)
2,000 to 4,999	4	8 134	4	1 200	4	6 934	4	11 251	1 295	2	(D)	(D)
5,000 to 7,499	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
7,500 or more	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
None sold	220	638	36	66	204	572	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)

Table 36. **Hogs and Pigs—Inventory, Sales, and Litters by Total Litters Farrowed: 1997**

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

Litters farrowed	Hogs and pigs inventory						Hogs and pigs sales					
	Total		Used or to be used for breeding		Other hogs and pigs		Total			Feeder pigs		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Value ($1,000)	Farms	Number	Value ($1,000)
Total litters farrowed	303	24 359	290	4 456	242	19 903	272	39 491	3 900	90	9 305	345
Farms with—												
1 to 9	210	2 602	197	699	160	1 903	177	3 981	404	47	878	33
10 to 19	38	2 070	38	452	32	1 618	39	3 573	365	18	909	34
20 to 49	36	5 074	36	1 016	31	4 058	36	7 743	730	17	2 474	98
50 to 99	9	3 373	9	528	9	2 845	10	5 493	591	2	(D)	(D)
100 to 199	3	(D)	3	(D)	3	(D)	3	(D)	(D)	3	3 000	97
200 to 499	5	5 646	5	786	5	4 860	5	9 050	882	2	(D)	(D)
500 to 999	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
1,000 or more	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
No litters farrowed	411	4 667	–	–	411	4 667	301	5 135	573	–	–	–

Litters farrowed	Litters farrowed between Dec. 1, 1996, and Nov. 30, 1997					
	Total		Dec. 1, 1996, and May 31, 1997		June 1, 1997, and Nov. 30, 1997	
	Farms	Litters	Farms	Litters	Farms	Litters
Total litters farrowed	309	5 892	274	3 112	240	2 780
Farms with—						
1 to 9	214	677	181	360	151	317
10 to 19	39	500	38	275	34	225
20 to 49	36	1 094	35	535	36	559
50 to 99	10	721	10	345	10	376
100 to 199	3	(D)	3	(D)	3	(D)
200 to 499	5	1 349	5	777	4	572
500 to 999	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)
1,000 or more	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table 37. **Sheep and Lambs—Inventory, Shorn, and Sales: 1997 and 1992**

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

Item	1997		1992	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Sheep and lambs inventory	1 097	273 804	1 316	347 678
Farms with—				
1 to 24	585	5 500	658	6 168
25 to 99	333	16 806	371	18 193
100 to 299	97	15 312	170	26 983
300 to 999	28	13 286	53	26 537
1,000 to 2,499	21	31 512	28	43 763
2,500 to 4,999	17	60 307	15	52 303
5,000 or more	16	131 081	21	173 731
Ewes 1 year old or older	940	212 487	1 112	217 442
Sheep and lambs shorn	881	240 028	1 072	256 123
Pounds of wool	(X)	2 260 626	(X)	2 434 376
Sheep and lambs sold	1 035	291 435	1 253	282 227
Value of sales from sheep, lambs, and wool ($1,000)	1 077	29 977	1 293	19 418

Table 38. **Sheep and Lambs—Inventory, Shorn, and Sales by Size of Flock: 1997**

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

Sheep and lambs inventory	Sheep and lambs inventory				Sheep and lambs shorn			Sales			
	Total		Ewes 1 year old or older					Sheep and lambs		Sheep, lambs, and wool	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Pounds of wool	Farms	Number	Farms	Value ($1,000)
Total	**1 097**	**273 804**	**940**	**212 487**	**852**	**239 124**	**2 252 620**	**946**	**287 648**	**988**	**29 638**
Farms with inventory of—											
1 to 24	585	5 500	440	3 340	353	5 577	49 266	434	7 157	476	594
25 to 99	333	16 806	323	10 913	322	13 605	119 198	333	15 165	333	1 286
100 to 299	97	15 312	96	12 303	96	13 979	127 534	97	16 665	97	1 445
300 to 999	28	13 286	28	11 490	28	12 869	158 323	28	12 423	28	1 284
1,000 to 2,499	21	31 512	20	25 492	20	26 835	248 235	21	26 586	21	2 405
2,500 to 4,999	17	60 307	17	46 864	17	54 634	481 624	17	56 452	17	5 620
5,000 or more	16	131 081	16	102 085	16	111 625	1 068 440	16	153 200	16	17 003
No sheep and lambs as of Dec. 31, 1997	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	29	904	8 006	89	3 787	89	339

Table 39. **Ewes 1 Year Old or Older—Inventory, Shorn, and Sales by Size of Ewe Flock: 1997**

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

Ewes 1 year old or older inventory	Sheep and lambs inventory				Sheep and lambs shorn			Sales			
	Total		Ewes 1 year old or older					Sheep and lambs		Sheep, lambs, and wool	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Pounds of wool	Farms	Number	Farms	Value ($1,000)
Total	**940**	**270 581**	**940**	**212 487**	**830**	**238 927**	**2 251 138**	**853**	**285 545**	**890**	**29 442**
Farms with inventory of—											
1 to 24	547	8 651	547	5 242	437	8 153	69 979	460	9 503	497	798
25 to 99	241	15 410	241	10 830	241	12 858	113 238	241	14 180	241	1 208
100 to 199	57	9 129	57	7 376	57	8 446	78 038	57	9 734	57	912
200 to 499	35	11 242	35	9 723	35	10 951	105 961	35	12 361	35	1 122
500 to 999	11	9 889	11	7 895	11	9 776	114 976	11	8 381	11	789
1,000 to 2,499	24	48 282	24	38 292	24	41 514	368 632	24	38 564	24	3 730
2,500 to 4,999	14	66 643	14	53 094	14	60 944	594 914	14	67 322	14	6 981
5,000 or more	11	101 335	11	80 035	11	86 285	805 400	11	125 500	11	13 901
No ewes 1 year old or older as of Dec. 31, 1997	157	3 223	(X)	(X)	51	1 101	9 488	182	5 890	187	535

Table 40. **Other Livestock and Livestock Products—Inventory and Sales: 1997 and 1992**

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

Item	Inventory		Sales	
	1997	1992	1997	1992
Horses and ponies ... farms	8 682	7 762	1 783	1 801
number	59 559	45 621	6 196	6 525
$1,000	(X)	(X)	9 516	6 262
Mules, burros, and donkeys ... farms	641	547	79	84
number	1 952	1 604	163	271
$1,000	(X)	(X)	162	61
Colonies of bees ... farms	183	264	9	22
number	117 034	111 037	(D)	6 286
Honey sold ... farms	(X)	(X)	108	134
pounds	(X)	(X)	6 850 017	5 803 534
Bees and honey sold ... farms	(X)	(X)	112	142
$1,000	(X)	(X)	5 365	3 509
Goats ... farms	657	555	213	193
number	6 269	4 600	2 492	2 305
Angora goats ... farms	54	35	15	7
number	986	580	126	58
Mohair sold ... farms	(X)	(X)	32	24
pounds	(X)	(X)	7 900	4 778
Angora goats and mohair sold ... farms	(X)	(X)	36	26
$1,000	(X)	(X)	23	9
Milk goats ... farms	215	219	71	86
number	2 134	2 097	744	816
Goats milk sold ... farms	(X)	(X)	44	29
gallons	(X)	(X)	105 428	61 825
Milk goats and goats milk sold ... farms	(X)	(X)	93	92
$1,000	(X)	(X)	286	178
Other goats ... farms	491	392	152	124
number	3 149	1 923	1 622	1 431
$1,000	(X)	(X)	73	48
Mink and their pelts ... farms	26	32	26	33
number	70 540	153 308	176 270	208 995
$1,000	(X)	(X)	5 625	4 510
Rabbits and their pelts ... farms	214	253	57	71
number	5 085	4 731	7 366	10 668
$1,000	(X)	(X)	33	50
Fish and other aquaculture products sold ... farms	(X)	(X)	68	53
$1,000	(X)	(X)	30 930	38 445
Other livestock and livestock products ... farms	209	76	102	65
$1,000	(X)	(X)	2 557	2 684

Table 41. **Specified Crops Harvested—Yield Per Acre Irrigated and Nonirrigated: 1997**

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

Crop	Entire crop irrigated			Part of crop irrigated				None of crop irrigated		
	Farms	Acres	Average yield per acre	Farms	Acres irrigated	Acres not irrigated	Average yield per acre	Farms	Acres	Average yield per acre
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	694	41 162	155.2	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	1 041	79 086	25.2	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sorghum for grain or seed (bushels)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	2	(D)	(D)
Wheat for grain (bushels)	3 672	727 367	100.0	180	59 988	65 035	61.6	1 347	558 588	51.0
Oats for grain (bushels)	301	8 098	78.2	8	218	390	83.6	240	11 700	67.4
Barley for grain (bushels)	2 874	358 557	94.2	224	56 543	50 973	66.6	1 080	245 431	54.5
Rice (cwt)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Dry edible beans, excluding dry limas (cwt)	1 093	86 742	22.4	–	–	–	–	45	6 001	15.7
Cotton (bales)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Tobacco (pounds)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Potatoes, excluding sweetpotatoes (cwt)	1 401	(D)	(D)	1	(D)	(D)	(D)	–	–	–
Sugar beets for sugar (tons)	921	195 651	26.0	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sugarcane for sugar (tons)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	7 853	711 080	4.5	453	42 233	46 481	2.5	1 695	147 088	1.9
Tame hay other than alfalfa, small grain, and wild hay (tons, dry) (see text)	819	45 584	2.1	52	2 221	2 091	1.5	1 021	62 436	1.6
Wild hay (tons, dry)	451	46 848	1.7	42	8 053	3 333	1.3	416	27 993	1.3
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)	623	34 741	(X)	9	23	(D)	(X)	13	(D)	(X)
Land in orchards	329	9 442	(X)	6	111	41	(X)	42	310	(X)

Table 42. **Specified Crops by Acres Harvested: 1997 and 1992**

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

Crop	1997					1992				
				Irrigated land					Irrigated land	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	694	41 162	6 390 279	694	41 162	761	38 069	4 547 254	761	38 069
1 to 14 acres	176	(D)	(D)	176	(D)	187	1 546	144 001	187	1 546
15 to 24 acres	113	2 173	273 416	113	2 173	151	2 816	289 370	151	2 816
25 to 49 acres	169	5 933	893 469	169	5 933	200	6 946	811 903	200	6 946
50 to 99 acres	137	9 463	1 493 874	137	9 463	111	7 401	873 957	111	7 401
100 to 249 acres	78	11 215	1 849 857	78	11 215	96	13 251	1 610 101	96	13 251
250 to 499 acres	11	4 187	673 439	11	4 187	13	3 775	487 875	13	3 775
500 to 999 acres	8	4 608	677 696	8	4 608	2	(D)	(D)	2	(D)
1,000 acres or more	2	(D)	(D)	2	(D)	1	(D)	(D)	1	(D)
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	1 041	79 086	1 991 808	1 041	79 086	1 115	58 644	1 240 461	1 115	58 644
1 to 14 acres	137	(D)	(D)	137	(D)	215	(D)	(D)	215	(D)
15 to 24 acres	153	2 899	57 646	153	2 899	210	3 950	72 437	210	3 950
25 to 49 acres	285	9 822	231 564	285	9 822	311	10 530	215 199	311	10 530
50 to 99 acres	246	16 238	404 464	246	16 238	226	14 867	314 001	226	14 867
100 to 249 acres	169	24 690	646 046	169	24 690	126	17 547	383 134	126	17 547
250 to 499 acres	34	11 633	309 678	34	11 633	25	8 572	191 526	25	8 572
500 to 999 acres	15	9 525	237 475	15	9 525	2	(D)	(D)	2	(D)
1,000 acres or more	2	(D)	(D)	2	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
Wheat for grain (bushels)	5 199	1 410 978	108 941 849	3 852	787 355	6 106	1 384 893	94 094 326	4 479	748 239
1 to 14 acres	350	3 288	255 899	303	2 843	463	4 300	260 289	396	3 699
15 to 24 acres	416	7 919	626 508	355	6 739	553	10 565	655 571	467	8 866
25 to 49 acres	818	28 897	2 493 543	692	24 399	1 038	36 869	2 619 798	874	30 842
50 to 99 acres	905	63 985	5 653 492	744	51 947	1 159	81 326	6 114 756	934	64 866
100 to 249 acres	1 176	185 136	15 583 257	883	134 805	1 328	207 879	14 974 957	945	140 700
250 to 499 acres	716	252 937	20 036 208	442	146 461	799	278 669	19 297 175	461	147 882
500 to 999 acres	520	352 580	26 459 208	276	173 094	546	372 672	25 669 998	296	188 730
1,000 acres or more	298	516 236	37 833 734	157	247 067	220	392 613	24 501 782	106	162 654
1,000 to 1,999 acres	230	301 965	22 304 331	114	135 424	174	227 083	14 387 025	84	94 772
2,000 to 2,999 acres	42	96 242	7 081 510	26	48 284	29	71 001	4 819 298	14	33 051
3,000 to 4,999 acres	17	60 439	4 962 724	13	43 009	12	49 091	2 666 659	6	(D)
5,000 acres or more	9	57 590	3 485 169	4	20 350	5	45 438	2 628 800	2	(D)
Winter wheat for grain (bushels)	3 593	843 609	63 671 036	2 389	368 849	3 610	849 314	53 601 161	2 143	318 036
Spring wheat for grain (bushels)	2 708	567 369	45 270 813	2 101	418 506	3 966	534 879	40 423 325	3 269	429 503
Barley for grain (bushels)	4 178	711 504	54 317 070	3 098	415 100	5 149	691 273	48 647 384	3 845	411 597
1 to 14 acres	440	3 861	282 419	374	3 325	686	6 107	403 119	590	5 327
15 to 24 acres	453	8 529	627 905	391	7 331	648	12 264	845 946	525	9 909
25 to 49 acres	786	27 668	2 214 663	630	21 822	1 055	36 914	2 579 518	819	27 804
50 to 99 acres	827	58 221	4 782 919	630	43 425	997	68 594	4 908 831	763	50 636
100 to 249 acres	933	144 934	11 224 067	603	86 382	1 065	161 931	11 343 892	697	100 689
250 to 499 acres	418	145 085	11 142 840	262	83 003	413	138 694	9 836 442	266	81 548
500 to 999 acres	213	140 075	10 873 258	144	84 240	200	128 863	9 488 358	135	75 464
1,000 acres or more	108	183 131	13 168 999	64	85 572	85	137 906	9 241 278	50	60 220
1,000 to 1,999 acres	81	108 901	7 869 569	46	49 605	65	85 025	5 840 454	38	38 938
2,000 to 2,999 acres	18	40 040	3 053 310	12	18 777	16	37 146	2 376 824	8	13 162
3,000 to 4,999 acres	8	(D)	(D)	5	(D)	3	(D)	(D)	3	(D)
5,000 acres or more	1	(D)	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)	1	(D)
Oats for grain (bushels)	549	20 406	1 472 775	309	8 316	626	20 943	1 403 491	393	10 583
Dry edible beans, excluding dry limas (cwt)	1 138	92 743	2 036 315	1 093	86 742	1 494	114 896	2 064 725	1 494	114 896
1 to 14 acres	100	941	20 818	97	919	162	1 466	25 558	162	1 466
15 to 24 acres	138	2 663	62 746	137	2 642	198	3 784	70 578	198	3 784
25 to 49 acres	296	10 562	254 597	290	10 356	401	14 459	263 303	401	14 459
50 to 99 acres	306	21 185	465 046	294	20 319	387	27 029	485 888	387	27 029
100 to 249 acres	237	35 221	758 195	221	32 655	281	41 178	726 446	281	41 178
250 to 499 acres	53	17 216	369 041	46	14 896	49	16 142	286 682	49	16 142
500 to 999 acres	7	(D)	(D)	7	(D)	15	(D)	(D)	15	(D)
1,000 acres or more	1	(D)	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)	1	(D)
Dry edible peas (pounds)	380	71 507	147 806 541	150	8 027	517	77 379	119 750 175	239	12 356
Lentils (pounds)	259	65 540	87 926 307	5	252	374	76 428	86 706 899	9	516
Potatoes, excluding sweetpotatoes (cwt)	1 402	394 977	135 578 736	1 402	394 817	1 616	372 028	119 060 333	1 616	372 028
0.1 to 0.9 acres	18	5	926	18	5	11	3	392	11	3
1.0 to 4.9 acres	27	56	17 249	27	56	24	54	12 529	24	54
5.0 to 14.9 acres	33	310	80 489	33	310	42	409	120 831	42	409
15.0 to 24.9 acres	50	989	316 915	50	989	74	1 388	395 278	74	1 388
25.0 to 49.9 acres	150	5 395	1 735 959	150	5 395	221	8 160	2 406 203	221	8 160
50.0 to 99.9 acres	253	17 806	6 124 672	253	17 806	285	19 877	6 689 707	285	19 877
100.0 to 249.9 acres	403	63 560	21 304 395	403	63 560	478	74 479	23 279 729	478	74 479
250.0 to 499.9 acres	265	93 312	32 313 589	265	93 312	301	105 774	33 908 541	301	105 774
500.0 to 749.9 acres	115	70 167	23 607 742	115	70 167	103	60 781	19 251 089	103	60 781
750.0 to 999.9 acres	33	27 468	9 746 845	33	27 308	34	28 229	8 482 394	34	28 229
1,000.0 acres or more	55	115 909	40 329 955	55	115 909	43	72 876	24 513 640	43	72 876
1,000.0 to 1,999.9 acres	36	44 954	15 422 794	36	44 954	37	51 427	17 120 791	37	51 427
2,000.0 to 2,999.9 acres	11	26 536	9 099 511	11	26 536	3	7 089	2 251 018	3	7 089
3,000.0 acres or more	8	44 419	15 807 650	8	44 419	3	14 360	5 141 831	3	14 360
Sugar beets for sugar (tons)	921	195 651	5 078 013	921	195 651	1 406	202 115	4 828 489	1 406	202 115
1 to 14 acres	37	312	8 165	37	312	70	537	12 037	70	537
15 to 24 acres	40	734	20 705	40	734	108	2 072	44 963	108	2 072
25 to 49 acres	102	3 662	96 971	102	3 662	237	8 356	192 686	237	8 356
50 to 99 acres	194	13 629	360 090	194	13 629	360	25 826	610 630	360	25 826
100 to 249 acres	304	46 882	1 200 049	304	46 882	411	63 766	1 505 299	411	63 766
250 to 499 acres	157	53 994	1 373 711	157	53 994	160	54 563	1 317 809	160	54 563
500 to 999 acres	66	44 370	1 143 032	66	44 370	51	33 795	788 856	51	33 795
1,000 acres or more	21	32 068	875 290	21	32 068	9	13 200	356 209	9	13 200
Hops (pounds)	7	3 781	5 382 200	7	3 781	11	3 054	4 812 950	11	3 054
Mint for oil (pounds of oil)	189	23 790	2 142 957	189	23 790	169	16 826	1 329 274	169	16 826

Table 42. **Specified Crops by Acres Harvested: 1997 and 1992**—Con.

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

Crop	1997					1992				
				Irrigated land					Irrigated land	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) (tons, dry)	11 960	1 260 010	4 395 396	9 307	949 485	11 940	1 063 292	3 389 557	9 381	815 964
1 to 14 acres	2 858	21 530	65 574	2 277	16 982	2 576	19 934	56 857	2 050	15 601
15 to 24 acres	1 506	28 353	87 252	1 100	20 366	1 650	31 101	96 586	1 240	22 957
25 to 49 acres	2 039	71 253	239 017	1 538	52 541	2 477	86 378	271 445	1 884	64 578
50 to 99 acres	2 136	146 294	516 991	1 668	110 208	2 214	151 659	517 489	1 769	117 533
100 to 249 acres	2 192	334 689	1 162 404	1 703	245 307	2 088	314 474	1 001 872	1 660	237 293
250 to 499 acres	813	271 193	956 757	664	206 499	646	214 077	667 283	529	164 183
500 to 999 acres	314	207 408	723 522	268	161 665	224	145 796	458 688	192	114 734
1,000 acres or more	102	179 290	643 879	89	135 917	65	99 873	319 337	57	79 085
1,000 to 1,999 acres	77	98 224	347 199	65	72 081	54	69 853	201 891	48	55 485
2,000 to 2,999 acres	16	36 566	152 577	15	27 836	10	(D)	(D)	8	(D)
3,000 to 4,999 acres	5	16 100	75 530	5	15 400	–	–	–	–	–
5,000 acres or more	4	28 400	68 573	4	20 600	1	(D)	(D)	1	(D)
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	10 001	946 882	3 721 968	8 306	753 313	10 337	834 450	2 954 965	8 557	673 875
1 to 14 acres	2 427	18 470	62 888	2 054	15 614	2 348	18 208	56 968	1 932	14 824
15 to 24 acres	1 282	24 135	82 730	1 023	18 948	1 471	27 744	95 473	1 184	22 086
25 to 49 acres	1 811	63 287	233 151	1 479	50 768	2 145	74 312	257 543	1 755	60 029
50 to 99 acres	1 867	127 666	500 150	1 549	102 703	1 951	131 821	489 945	1 636	107 850
100 to 249 acres	1 765	265 460	1 036 811	1 484	212 557	1 759	261 563	914 066	1 473	208 493
250 to 499 acres	562	188 800	757 918	472	149 333	468	155 303	533 535	404	123 060
500 to 999 acres	219	142 730	559 253	188	113 283	155	100 528	357 847	137	81 591
1,000 acres or more	68	116 334	489 067	57	90 107	40	64 971	249 588	36	55 942
1,000 to 1,999 acres	51	65 216	262 653	40	46 219	33	44 578	154 725	30	37 549
2,000 to 2,999 acres	11	24 918	123 524	11	20 688	6	(D)	(D)	5	(D)
3,000 to 4,999 acres	4	(D)	(D)	4	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
5,000 acres or more	2	(D)	(D)	2	(D)	1	(D)	(D)	1	(D)
Small grain hay (tons, dry)	1 471	60 970	153 874	1 081	45 572	1 351	46 649	102 882	1 032	34 536
Tame hay other than alfalfa, small grain, and wild hay (see text) (tons, dry)	1 892	112 332	204 133	871	47 805	1 429	82 943	129 068	629	32 246
Wild hay (tons, dry)	909	86 227	129 910	493	54 901	738	56 470	70 228	454	37 586
Grass silage, haylage, and green chop hay (tons, green)	582	53 599	556 544	518	47 894	548	42 780	397 276	469	37 721
Field seed and grass seed crops	590	81 635	(X)	388	43 426	739	77 598	(X)	497	42 967
1 to 14 acres	59	496	(X)	51	(D)	97	835	(X)	76	641
15 to 24 acres	60	1 153	(X)	48	918	81	1 584	(X)	65	1 250
25 to 49 acres	104	3 817	(X)	77	2 821	170	5 890	(X)	127	4 416
50 to 99 acres	140	9 815	(X)	84	5 791	176	12 097	(X)	115	7 829
100 to 249 acres	136	21 839	(X)	79	12 775	147	22 311	(X)	79	11 666
250 to 499 acres	66	22 653	(X)	38	13 057	43	14 871	(X)	22	7 635
500 to 999 acres	18	11 657	(X)	10	6 445	18	11 201	(X)	9	5 351
1,000 acres or more	7	10 205	(X)	1	(D)	7	8 809	(X)	4	4 179
Alfalfa seed (pounds)	291	31 210	21 336 965	283	30 816	391	27 676	21 695 511	371	26 884
Kentucky bluegrass seed (pounds)	135	32 796	13 596 284	24	7 220	141	29 197	11 054 459	60	12 667
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)	645	37 783	(X)	632	34 764	790	50 825	(X)	773	45 728
0.1 to 0.9 acres	51	(D)	(X)	49	22	35	17	(X)	34	(D)
1.0 to 4.9 acres	85	195	(X)	83	181	81	185	(X)	79	178
5.0 to 14.9 acres	91	796	(X)	89	781	93	890	(X)	93	881
15.0 to 24.9 acres	61	1 188	(X)	61	1 185	112	2 186	(X)	112	2 186
25.0 to 49.9 acres	127	4 537	(X)	127	4 537	174	6 108	(X)	172	6 058
50.0 to 99.9 acres	129	8 824	(X)	128	8 774	161	11 152	(X)	158	10 906
100.0 to 249.9 acres	77	11 347	(X)	76	11 227	100	13 884	(X)	99	13 755
250.0 to 499.9 acres	19	5 914	(X)	16	4 723	24	8 135	(X)	21	7 027
500.0 to 749.9 acres	3	1 814	(X)	2	(D)	6	3 625	(X)	3	1 777
750.0 to 999.9 acres	1	(D)	(X)	–	–	2	(D)	(X)	–	–
1,000.0 acres or more	1	(D)	(X)	1	(D)	2	(D)	(X)	2	(D)
1,000.0 to 1,999.9 acres	–	–	(X)	–	–	2	(D)	(X)	2	(D)
2,000.0 to 2,999.9 acres	1	(D)	(X)	1	(D)	–	–	(X)	–	–
3,000.0 acres or more	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	(X)	–	–
Dry onions	135	8 090	(X)	135	8 090	167	9 198	(X)	167	9 198
Sweet corn	361	18 002	(X)	361	18 002	462	25 023	(X)	462	25 023
Green peas, excluding green cowpeas	67	4 295	(X)	58	1 303	96	11 755	(X)	83	6 699
Land in orchards	377	9 903	(X)	335	9 553	472	10 939	(X)	409	10 432
0.1 to 0.9 acres	38	15	(X)	33	14	62	(D)	(X)	55	(D)
1.0 to 4.9 acres	170	334	(X)	143	286	183	387	(X)	143	303
5.0 to 14.9 acres	68	541	(X)	59	470	94	788	(X)	86	707
15.0 to 24.9 acres	26	478	(X)	26	478	27	530	(X)	26	498
25.0 to 49.9 acres	33	1 175	(X)	33	1 173	48	1 683	(X)	43	1 521
50.0 to 99.9 acres	27	1 745	(X)	27	1 717	40	2 690	(X)	38	2 572
100.0 to 249.9 acres	10	1 630	(X)	9	1 430	12	1 981	(X)	12	1 954
250.0 to 499.9 acres	2	(D)	(X)	2	(D)	5	2 051	(X)	5	2 051
500.0 to 749.9 acres	2	(D)	(X)	2	(D)	–	–	(X)	–	–
750.0 to 999.9 acres	–	–	(X)	–	–	1	(D)	(X)	1	(D)
1,000.0 acres or more	1	(D)	(X)	1	(D)	–	–	(X)	–	–
1,000.0 to 1,999.9 acres	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	(X)	–	–
2,000.0 to 2,999.9 acres	1	(D)	(X)	1	(D)	–	–	(X)	–	–
3,000.0 acres or more	–	–	(X)	–	–	–	–	(X)	–	–

Table 43. **Specified Fruits and Nuts by Acres: 1997 and 1992**

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

Crop	Total			Trees or vines of nonbearing age		Trees or vines of bearing age		Harvested	
	Farms	Acres	Trees or vines	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Pounds
Apples 1997	300	7 201	1 165 324	159	152 611	283	1 012 713	196	105 239 098
1992	374	7 475	891 863	187	166 403	352	725 460	234	68 717 544
1997 acres harvested:									
0.1 to 0.9 acres	73	29	2 246	33	1 019	65	1 227	39	32 600
1.0 to 4.9 acres	107	213	19 965	59	4 553	99	15 412	53	761 704
5.0 to 14.9 acres	40	321	39 287	25	6 349	39	32 938	31	3 044 083
15.0 to 24.9 acres	19	363	64 987	10	13 705	19	51 282	18	3 358 524
25.0 to 49.9 acres	35	1 249	198 036	16	21 958	35	176 078	29	10 799 612
50.0 to 99.9 acres	14	987	137 487	9	22 111	14	115 376	14	12 669 725
100.0 acres or more	12	4 039	703 316	7	82 916	12	620 400	12	74 572 850
1992 acres harvested:									
0.1 to 0.9 acres	97	34	2 377	48	547	84	1 830	44	99 517
1.0 to 4.9 acres	112	235	22 855	39	2 754	107	20 101	67	1 096 112
5.0 to 14.9 acres	63	522	65 803	29	9 181	61	56 622	42	2 896 953
15.0 to 24.9 acres	25	496	66 956	19	18 366	25	48 590	18	4 112 285
25.0 to 49.9 acres	45	1 666	208 122	29	49 011	43	159 111	32	13 212 956
50.0 to 99.9 acres	16	1 069	132 033	11	12 113	16	119 920	15	8 395 194
100.0 acres or more	16	3 454	393 717	12	74 431	16	319 286	16	38 904 527
Plums and prunes (see text) (fresh weight) 1997	100	589	83 459	37	4 603	95	78 856	59	4 615 755
1992	143	1 072	135 700	57	20 523	129	115 177	85	5 829 453

Table 44. **Nursery and Greenhouse Crops, Cut Christmas Trees Harvested, Mushrooms, and Sod Grown for Sale by Value of Sales: 1997 and 1992**

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

Crop	Under glass or other protection		In the open		Sales	
	Farms	Square feet	Farms	Acres	Farms	Value ($1,000)
Nursery and greenhouse crops, cut Christmas trees harvested, mushrooms, and sod grown for sale (see text) 1997	161	2 318 198	591	23 660	706	57 189
1992	101	1 486 536	469	18 356	537	31 679
1997 value of sales:						
$1 to $2,499 sales	32	64 302	143	732	168	174
$2,500 to $9,999 sales	27	35 220	110	792	127	703
$10,000 to $39,999 sales	44	250 440	149	3 521	181	3 739
$40,000 to $99,999 sales	16	166 036	92	7 114	105	6 563
$100,000 to $199,999 sales	14	271 300	47	4 370	56	7 455
$200,000 to $499,999 sales	22	979 900	32	3 774	46	13 709
$500,000 sales or more	6	551 000	18	3 357	23	24 846
1992 value of sales:						
$1 to $2,499 sales	16	10 937	53	145	67	75
$2,500 to $9,999 sales	26	69 755	122	1 232	140	810
$10,000 to $39,999 sales	26	168 540	151	4 821	169	3 545
$40,000 to $99,999 sales	9	102 720	91	6 294	96	5 859
$100,000 to $199,999 sales	9	208 700	28	3 004	33	4 666
$200,000 to $499,999 sales	11	454 424	17	1 376	22	7 350
$500,000 sales or more	4	471 460	7	1 485	10	9 375
Cut Christmas trees harvested 1997	(X)	(X)	94	1 020	94	1 750
Nursery crops 1997	14	105 000	171	2 501	177	15 736
1992	15	92 680	120	1 846	126	7 783
Vegetable and flower seeds 1997	8	63 660	208	16 354	214	13 445
1992	5	32 420	304	15 200	307	12 053
1997 value of sales:						
$1 to $2,499 sales	3	(D)	10	46	13	9
$2,500 to $9,999 sales	3	(D)	23	417	25	178
$10,000 to $39,999 sales	–	–	67	2 664	67	1 574
$40,000 to $99,999 sales	2	(D)	66	6 499	67	4 248
$100,000 sales or more	–	–	42	6 728	42	7 434
1992 value of sales:						
$1 to $2,499 sales	1	(D)	17	83	18	28
$2,500 to $9,999 sales	2	(D)	75	1 105	77	449
$10,000 to $39,999 sales	–	–	115	4 500	115	2 438
$40,000 to $99,999 sales	2	(D)	75	5 909	75	4 451
$100,000 sales or more	–	–	22	3 604	22	4 687

Table 45. **Farms by Concentration of Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997**

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

Characteristics		All farms	Fewest number of farms accounting for— 10 percent of sales	25 percent of sales	50 percent of sales	75 percent of sales
Farms	number	22 314	5	67	490	1 878
	percent	100.0	(Z)	.3	2.2	8.4
Land in farms	acres	11 830 167	3 330	241 456	1 548 946	4 138 830
Average size of farm	acres	530	666	3 604	3 161	2 204
Estimated market value of land and buildings[1]	farms	22 334	5	67	490	1 788
	$1,000	11 982 650	16 128	404 108	1 985 598	4 500 411
Average per farm	dollars	536 521	3 225 575	6 031 469	4 052 241	2 517 009
Average per acre	dollars	1 017	4 843	1 674	1 282	1 116
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment[1]	$1,000	1 740 107	3 843	93 108	358 159	764 979
	percent	100.0	.2	5.4	20.6	44.0
Land in farms according to use:						
Total cropland	acres	6 308 877	(D)	198 972	997 761	2 486 667
Harvested cropland	acres	4 478 862	(D)	186 231	919 624	2 200 746
Pastureland, excluding woodland pastured	acres	5 405 797	–	38 785	541 865	1 613 959
Market value of agricultural products sold	$1,000	3 345 864	352 182	838 691	1 673 796	2 509 464
Average per farm	dollars	149 945	70 436 425	12 517 776	3 415 910	1 336 243
Grains	farms	7 199	–	26	309	1 344
	$1,000	573 088	–	24 727	135 029	328 794
Cotton and cottonseed	farms	–	–	–	–	–
	$1,000	–	–	–	–	–
Tobacco	farms	–	–	–	–	–
	$1,000	–	–	–	–	–
Hay, silage, and field seeds	farms	7 647	2	22	200	850
	$1,000	255 141	(D)	7 637	51 089	124 953
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons	farms	641	–	2	34	152
	$1,000	50 636	–	(D)	13 646	35 339
Fruits, nuts, and berries	farms	287	–	1	8	18
	$1,000	24 408	–	(D)	15 261	18 328
Nursery and greenhouse crops	farms	706	–	–	20	103
	$1,000	57 189	–	–	15 548	37 009
Other crops	farms	2 148	–	22	288	1 033
	$1,000	813 238	–	121 834	439 270	721 164
Poultry and poultry products	farms	412	–	2	3	8
	$1,000	15 000	–	(D)	13 528	13 533
Dairy products	farms	1 056	–	24	139	382
	$1,000	557 339	–	150 781	364 242	486 207
Cattle and calves	farms	11 684	5	48	257	882
	$1,000	910 805	352 063	495 339	593 831	683 774
Hogs and pigs	farms	573	–	1	2	19
	$1,000	4 473	–	(D)	(D)	1 424
Sheep, lambs, and wool	farms	1 077	–	–	9	48
	$1,000	29 977	–	–	(D)	22 112
Other livestock and livestock products (see text)	farms	2 335	1	6	29	101
	$1,000	54 571	(D)	17 965	22 550	36 827
Total farm production expenses[1]	farms	22 334	5	67	490	1 788
	$1,000	2 705 028	360 457	752 404	1 388 732	1 999 459
Selected farm production expenses[1]:						
Livestock and poultry purchased	farms	7 820	5	46	205	648
	$1,000	469 600	256 655	336 215	389 568	419 625
Feed for livestock and poultry	farms	11 438	5	52	252	809
	$1,000	450 829	85 753	202 710	314 067	379 423
Commercial fertilizer	farms	11 564	1	38	384	1 527
	$1,000	245 440	(D)	22 065	89 143	169 826
Agricultural chemicals	farms	11 383	2	42	380	1 425
	$1,000	118 406	(D)	13 442	49 507	85 629
Petroleum products	farms	20 090	5	66	485	1 774
	$1,000	100 076	656	7 291	26 392	53 204
Electricity	farms	15 661	5	66	482	1 740
	$1,000	89 854	393	11 674	39 265	65 056
Hired farm labor	farms	9 410	5	66	483	1 747
	$1,000	270 843	4 244	42 545	126 990	210 360
Interest	farms	11 087	4	64	475	1 693
	$1,000	178 482	(D)	20 357	63 646	112 586
Payments from government programs	farms	7 848	–	26	280	1 178
	$1,000	73 124	–	1 729	8 565	23 551
Inventory of selected livestock:						
Cattle and calves	farms	12 063	5	45	251	873
	number	1 908 097	189 950	373 103	656 404	963 827
Milk cows	farms	1 404	–	24	138	379
	number	265 854	–	66 178	162 963	223 591
Hogs and pigs	farms	714	–	1	3	24
	number	29 026	–	(D)	26	8 447

[1]Data are based on a sample of farms.

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Table 46. **Summary by Tenure of Operator: 1997**

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Item	All farms				Farms with sales of $10,000 or more			
	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants
FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS								
Farms ..... number..	22 314	13 875	6 292	2 147	11 939	5 599	4 838	1 502
..... percent..	100.0	62.2	28.2	9.6	53.5	25.1	21.7	6.7
Land in farms ..... acres..	11 830 167	4 699 642	6 037 239	1 093 286	10 344 465	3 808 239	5 576 091	960 135
Average size of farm ..... acres..	530	339	960	509	866	680	1 153	639
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD								
Total sales (see text) ..... farms..	22 314	13 875	6 292	2 147	11 939	5 599	4 838	1 502
..... $1,000..	3 345 864	1 308 133	1 511 998	525 734	3 316 113	1 285 739	1 506 885	523 489
Average per farm ..... dollars..	149 945	94 280	240 305	244 869	277 755	229 637	311 469	348 528
Farms by value of sales:								
Less than $1,000 (see text)	3 243	2 770	336	137	–	–	–	–
$1,000 to $2,499	2 420	1 986	278	156	–	–	–	–
$2,500 to $4,999	2 350	1 769	412	169	–	–	–	–
$5,000 to $9,999	2 362	1 751	428	183	–	–	–	–
$10,000 to $19,999	2 455	1 634	581	240	2 455	1 634	581	240
$20,000 to $24,999	727	445	191	91	727	445	191	91
$25,000 to $39,999	1 407	832	423	152	1 407	832	423	152
$40,000 to $49,999	661	359	209	93	661	359	209	93
$50,000 to $99,999	1 898	807	833	258	1 898	807	833	258
$100,000 to $249,999	2 312	774	1 204	334	2 312	774	1 204	334
$250,000 to $499,999	1 198	338	686	174	1 198	338	686	174
$500,000 to $999,999	710	201	414	95	710	201	414	95
$1,000,000 to $2,499,999	418	135	232	51	418	135	232	51
$2,500,000 to $4,999,999	95	46	43	6	95	46	43	6
$5,000,000 or more	58	28	22	8	58	28	22	8
Grains ..... farms..	7 199	2 658	3 523	1 018	6 501	2 162	3 398	941
..... $1,000..	573 088	109 668	379 669	83 751	570 712	107 996	379 291	83 425
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	2 792	525	1 853	414	2 792	525	1 853	414
..... $1,000..	501 238	81 845	347 155	72 238	501 238	81 845	347 155	72 238
Corn for grain ..... farms..	590	185	317	88	555	157	313	85
..... $1,000..	17 592	5 218	10 050	2 324	17 502	(D)	10 036	(D)
Wheat ..... farms..	5 171	1 693	2 708	770	4 809	1 436	2 652	721
..... $1,000..	346 339	66 156	232 782	47 402	345 050	65 234	232 603	47 213
Soybeans ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
..... $1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sorghum for grain ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
..... $1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Barley ..... farms..	3 613	1 241	1 882	490	3 332	1 048	1 822	462
..... $1,000..	140 145	29 410	91 842	18 893	139 318	28 833	91 703	18 782
Oats ..... farms..	298	104	161	33	246	71	144	31
..... $1,000..	1 832	419	1 257	156	1 762	(D)	1 227	(D)
Other grains ..... farms..	1 625	376	921	328	1 592	352	915	325
..... $1,000..	67 179	8 465	43 738	14 976	67 078	8 394	43 722	14 963
Cotton and cottonseed ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
..... $1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
..... $1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Tobacco ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
..... $1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
..... $1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Hay, silage, and field seeds ..... farms..	7 647	3 984	2 846	817	5 224	2 066	2 466	692
..... $1,000..	255 141	77 801	144 938	32 401	248 940	73 035	143 943	31 962
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	1 258	336	771	151	1 258	336	771	151
..... $1,000..	187 892	48 358	116 993	22 541	187 892	48 358	116 993	22 541
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ..... farms..	641	206	311	124	531	121	300	110
..... $1,000..	50 636	6 416	35 531	8 689	50 390	6 245	35 511	8 634
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	226	31	153	42	226	31	153	42
..... $1,000..	44 879	4 943	32 511	7 426	44 879	4 943	32 511	7 426
Fruits, nuts, and berries ..... farms..	287	220	55	12	142	92	40	10
..... $1,000..	24 408	18 305	3 922	2 181	24 118	(D)	(D)	(D)
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	48	29	13	6	48	29	13	6
..... $1,000..	22 529	16 923	3 462	2 144	22 529	16 923	3 462	2 144
Nursery and greenhouse crops ..... farms..	706	404	210	92	474	203	189	82
..... $1,000..	57 189	23 537	24 778	8 874	56 626	23 052	24 718	8 856
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	198	76	90	32	198	76	90	32
..... $1,000..	51 156	20 642	22 715	7 799	51 156	20 642	22 715	7 799
Other crops ..... farms..	2 148	478	1 283	387	2 095	443	1 274	378
..... $1,000..	813 238	105 701	576 362	131 175	813 091	105 622	576 347	131 122
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	1 684	298	1 095	291	1 684	298	1 095	291
..... $1,000..	803 069	102 324	572 006	128 739	803 069	102 324	572 006	128 739
Poultry and poultry products ..... farms..	412	298	86	28	114	61	43	10
..... $1,000..	15 000	14 707	228	66	14 864	14 591	(D)	(D)
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	12	9	3	–	12	9	3	–
..... $1,000..	14 550	14 380	170	–	14 550	14 380	170	–
Dairy products ..... farms..	1 056	597	365	94	1 043	585	365	93
..... $1,000..	557 339	392 100	127 154	38 084	557 300	(D)	127 154	(D)
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	870	479	314	77	870	479	314	77
..... $1,000..	552 802	389 434	125 734	37 634	552 802	389 434	125 734	37 634
Cattle and calves ..... farms..	11 684	7 119	3 591	974	7 119	3 651	2 809	659
..... $1,000..	910 805	495 650	199 082	216 073	895 486	484 189	196 315	214 982
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	1 732	850	742	140	1 732	850	742	140
..... $1,000..	804 530	437 225	160 276	207 028	804 530	437 225	160 276	207 028

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Item	All farms				Farms with sales of $10,000 or more			
	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD—Con.								
Total sales (see text)—Con.								
Hogs and pigs ..... farms..	573	365	155	53	252	119	98	35
$1,000..	4 473	2 571	1 503	399	3 993	2 199	1 432	362
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	19	11	6	2	19	11	6	2
$1,000..	2 517	1 588	(D)	(D)	2 517	1 588	(D)	(D)
Sheep, lambs, and wool ..... farms..	1 077	715	291	71	467	257	173	37
$1,000..	29 977	17 102	12 240	636	29 092	16 437	12 059	596
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	64	38	24	2	64	38	24	2
$1,000..	26 141	14 983	(D)	(D)	26 141	14 983	(D)	(D)
Other livestock and livestock products (see text) ..... farms..	2 335	1 608	571	156	972	565	333	74
$1,000..	54 571	44 574	6 592	3 404	51 500	42 267	6 001	3 232
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	103	81	15	7	103	81	15	7
$1,000..	45 319	38 108	4 462	2 748	45 319	38 108	4 462	2 748
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text) ..... farms..	1 205	757	348	100	488	206	221	61
$1,000..	3 047	1 482	1 301	265	2 149	803	1 137	209
FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES[1]								
Total farm production expenses ..... farms..	22 334	13 997	6 194	2 143	11 924	5 560	4 887	1 477
$1,000..	2 705 028	1 071 766	1 184 310	448 952	2 643 560	1 025 378	1 172 555	445 627
Average per farm ..... dollars..	121 117	76 571	191 203	209 497	221 701	184 421	239 933	301 711
Livestock and poultry purchased ..... farms..	7 820	4 868	2 322	630	4 761	2 465	1 874	422
$1,000..	469 600	264 569	70 203	134 829	463 129	259 434	69 202	134 493
Farms with expenses of—								
$1 to $4,999	5 039	3 337	1 309	393	2 270	1 166	909	195
$5,000 to $24,999	1 930	1 094	689	147	1 647	869	641	137
$25,000 to $99,999	596	294	234	68	589	287	234	68
$100,000 to $249,999	145	80	57	8	145	80	57	8
$250,000 or more	110	63	33	14	110	63	33	14
Feed for livestock and poultry ..... farms..	11 438	7 041	3 455	942	6 345	3 191	2 593	561
$1,000..	450 829	292 536	80 350	77 943	443 922	288 029	78 518	77 374
Farms with expenses of—								
$1 to $4,999	8 156	5 369	2 145	642	3 176	1 558	1 328	290
$5,000 to $24,999	1 953	941	839	173	1 841	902	795	144
$25,000 to $99,999	825	413	337	75	825	413	337	75
$100,000 to $249,999	246	138	83	25	246	138	83	25
$250,000 or more	258	180	51	27	257	180	50	27
Commercially mixed formula feeds ..... farms..	5 461	3 224	1 741	496	3 108	1 553	1 250	305
$1,000..	102 153	73 915	21 360	6 878	100 945	73 093	21 060	6 791
Farms with expenses of—								
$1 to $4,999	4 270	2 595	1 315	360	1 920	926	825	169
$5,000 to $24,999	606	272	254	80	604	270	254	80
$25,000 to $99,999	390	220	131	39	389	220	130	39
$100,000 or more	195	137	41	17	195	137	41	17
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees ..... farms..	9 308	4 158	3 956	1 194	7 589	2 814	3 691	1 084
$1,000..	94 322	17 831	61 724	14 766	93 507	17 152	61 638	14 718
Farms with expenses of—								
$1 to $999	3 343	2 209	860	274	1 817	1 021	618	178
$1,000 to $4,999	3 181	1 293	1 417	471	2 998	1 147	1 394	457
$5,000 to $24,999	1 954	510	1 118	326	1 945	501	1 118	326
$25,000 to $49,999	425	85	268	72	425	85	268	72
$50,000 or more	405	61	293	51	404	60	293	51
Commercial fertilizer ..... farms..	11 564	5 815	4 479	1 270	8 386	3 305	3 966	1 115
$1,000..	245 440	46 847	164 590	34 003	243 074	45 185	163 966	33 922
Farms with expenses of—								
$1 to $4,999	6 638	4 457	1 648	533	3 496	1 954	1 164	378
$5,000 to $24,999	2 878	971	1 467	440	2 842	964	1 438	440
$25,000 to $49,999	878	182	568	128	878	182	568	128
$50,000 or more	1 170	205	796	169	1 170	205	796	169
Agricultural chemicals ..... farms..	11 383	5 934	4 139	1 310	7 937	3 104	3 713	1 120
$1,000..	118 406	19 337	81 904	17 166	117 347	18 473	81 780	17 094
Farms with expenses of—								
$1 to $4,999	8 425	5 320	2 298	807	4 987	2 495	1 875	617
$5,000 to $24,999	1 856	462	1 074	320	1 848	457	1 071	320
$25,000 to $49,999	552	68	377	107	552	68	377	107
$50,000 or more	550	84	390	76	550	84	390	76
Petroleum products ..... farms..	20 090	12 087	6 007	1 996	11 621	5 355	4 843	1 423
$1,000..	100 076	30 795	56 510	12 771	95 161	27 208	55 551	12 402
Farms with expenses of—								
$1 to $4,999	15 482	10 650	3 442	1 390	7 041	3 933	2 291	817
$5,000 to $24,999	3 857	1 261	2 079	517	3 829	1 246	2 066	517
$25,000 to $49,999	527	132	337	58	527	132	337	58
$50,000 or more	224	44	149	31	224	44	149	31
Gasoline and gasohol ..... farms..	17 486	10 204	5 546	1 736	10 285	4 538	4 496	1 251
$1,000..	36 930	12 611	20 023	4 296	34 094	10 537	19 464	4 093
Diesel fuel ..... farms..	14 659	7 966	5 141	1 552	10 198	4 499	4 434	1 265
$1,000..	52 460	14 358	30 906	7 196	50 966	13 257	30 641	7 069
Natural gas ..... farms..	598	330	214	54	441	203	197	41
$1,000..	1 306	425	666	215	1 273	405	656	212
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc. ..... farms..	14 866	7 901	5 354	1 611	10 396	4 506	4 581	1 309
$1,000..	9 380	3 401	4 915	1 064	8 829	3 009	4 791	1 029

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Item	All farms				Farms with sales of $10,000 or more			
	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants
FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES[1] —Con.								
Total farm production expenses—Con.								
Electricity ..... farms..	15 661	9 044	5 168	1 449	9 808	4 475	4 215	1 118
$1,000..	89 854	29 652	50 367	9 835	87 606	27 874	50 029	9 702
Farms with expenses of—								
$1 to $999	9 130	6 030	2 385	715	3 803	1 869	1 513	421
$1,000 to $4,999	3 931	1 948	1 502	481	3 405	1 540	1 421	444
$5,000 to $24,999	1 814	849	797	168	1 814	849	797	168
$25,000 to $49,999	406	125	240	41	406	125	240	41
$50,000 or more	380	92	244	44	380	92	244	44
Hired farm labor ..... farms..	9 410	4 509	3 811	1 090	7 335	2 924	3 423	988
$1,000..	270 843	95 541	141 291	34 011	269 394	94 449	140 972	33 973
Farms with expenses of—								
$1 to $4,999	4 944	2 923	1 543	478	2 887	1 355	1 156	376
$5,000 to $24,999	2 343	908	1 078	357	2 327	892	1 078	357
$25,000 to $99,999	1 497	461	847	189	1 495	460	846	189
$100,000 to $249,999	452	148	258	46	452	148	258	46
$250,000 or more	174	69	85	20	174	69	85	20
Workers by days worked:								
150 days or more ..... farms..	4 531	1 798	2 175	558	4 128	1 481	2 114	533
workers..	16 401	5 890	8 557	1 954	15 975	5 556	8 490	1 929
Less than 150 days ..... farms..	8 249	4 076	3 237	936	6 213	2 518	2 857	838
workers..	47 014	17 272	23 158	6 584	42 684	13 987	22 329	6 368
Contract labor ..... farms..	3 501	1 629	1 443	429	2 695	1 044	1 277	374
$1,000..	32 680	9 421	18 162	5 097	32 068	8 996	18 024	5 048
Farms with expenses of—								
$1 to $999	1 177	714	346	117	543	263	210	70
$1,000 to $4,999	1 223	575	489	159	1 055	442	462	151
$5,000 to $24,999	812	278	425	109	808	277	422	109
$25,000 to $49,999	169	38	109	22	169	38	109	22
$50,000 or more	120	24	74	22	120	24	74	22
Repair and maintenance ..... farms..	18 147	10 645	5 703	1 799	11 168	5 116	4 691	1 361
$1,000..	152 222	50 944	82 885	18 393	144 243	44 861	81 414	17 968
Farms with expenses of—								
$1 to $4,999	12 425	8 533	2 758	1 134	5 722	3 191	1 822	709
$5,000 to $24,999	4 413	1 759	2 153	501	4 146	1 580	2 078	488
$25,000 to $49,999	750	203	453	94	742	196	452	94
$50,000 or more	559	150	339	70	558	149	339	70
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment..... farms..	8 597	4 412	3 204	981	6 066	2 471	2 759	836
$1,000..	69 649	23 200	37 152	9 297	68 096	22 045	36 858	9 193
Farms with expenses of—								
$1 to $999	3 285	2 243	801	241	1 209	611	459	139
$1,000 to $4,999	2 806	1 322	1 085	399	2 361	1 023	982	356
$5,000 to $24,999	1 898	692	940	266	1 888	682	940	266
$25,000 to $49,999	357	91	229	37	357	91	229	37
$50,000 or more	251	64	149	38	251	64	149	38
Interest ..... farms..	11 087	5 732	4 336	1 019	8 280	3 471	3 893	916
$1,000..	178 482	65 244	96 805	16 432	171 102	59 259	95 525	16 318
Farms with expenses of—								
$1 to $4,999	5 388	3 333	1 531	524	3 002	1 421	1 156	425
$5,000 to $24,999	4 109	1 883	1 868	358	3 700	1 545	1 801	354
$25,000 to $99,999	1 285	422	749	114	1 273	411	748	114
$100,000 or more	305	94	188	23	305	94	188	23
Secured by real estate ..... farms..	7 784	4 526	3 257	1	5 639	2 701	2 937	1
$1,000..	98 667	(D)	56 507	(D)	92 429	(D)	55 563	(D)
Farms with expenses of—								
$1 to $999	1 000	744	256	–	425	239	186	–
$1,000 to $4,999	2 829	1 929	900	–	1 571	873	698	–
$5,000 to $24,999	3 063	1 531	1 532	–	2 762	1 278	1 484	–
$25,000 to $49,999	548	198	350	–	537	187	350	–
$50,000 or more	344	124	219	1	344	124	219	1
Not secured by real estate ..... farms..	6 719	2 738	2 962	1 019	5 591	1 961	2 714	916
$1,000..	79 815	(D)	40 299	(D)	78 673	(D)	39 962	(D)
Farms with expenses of—								
$1 to $999	1 606	919	526	161	914	404	398	112
$1,000 to $4,999	2 439	1 060	1 016	363	2 022	800	909	313
$5,000 to $24,999	1 928	560	1 010	358	1 909	558	997	354
$25,000 to $49,999	421	110	226	85	421	110	226	85
$50,000 or more	325	89	184	52	325	89	184	52
Cash rent ..... farms..	5 387	–	4 000	1 387	4 492	–	3 444	1 048
$1,000..	124 518	–	90 294	34 224	123 397	–	89 632	33 765
Farms with expenses of—								
$1 to $4,999	2 631	–	2 019	612	1 769	–	1 475	294
$5,000 to $9,999	759	–	541	218	727	–	530	197
$10,000 to $24,999	957	–	686	271	957	–	686	271
$25,000 or more	1 040	–	754	286	1 039	–	753	286
Property taxes..... farms..	21 097	13 941	6 193	963	11 240	5 557	4 887	796
$1,000..	55 081	27 917	24 875	2 288	45 923	19 970	23 767	2 187
Farms with expenses of—								
$1 to $4,999	18 586	12 841	4 882	863	8 841	4 565	3 580	696
$5,000 to $9,999	1 540	709	765	66	1 449	620	763	66
$10,000 to $24,999	752	307	419	26	731	288	417	26
$25,000 or more	219	84	127	8	219	84	127	8
All other farm production expenses..... farms..	20 669	12 533	6 100	2 036	11 923	5 560	4 886	1 477
$1,000..	253 025	97 931	127 198	27 897	245 591	92 444	125 678	27 469
Farms with expenses of—								
$1 to $4,999	14 349	10 069	3 006	1 274	5 657	3 131	1 811	715
$5,000 to $24,999	4 349	1 849	1 969	531	4 301	1 815	1 955	531
$25,000 to $49,999	889	251	536	102	886	251	533	102
$50,000 to $99,999	625	196	356	73	622	195	354	73
$100,000 or more	457	168	233	56	457	168	233	56

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Item	All farms				Farms with sales of $10,000 or more			
	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants
NET CASH RETURN FROM AGRICULTURAL SALES FOR THE FARM UNIT (SEE TEXT)[1]								
All farms ..... number..	22 334	13 997	6 194	2 143	11 924	5 560	4 887	1 477
$1,000..	590 283	219 204	300 458	70 620	621 425	242 309	307 395	71 722
Average per farm ..... dollars..	26 430	15 661	48 508	32 954	52 115	43 581	62 900	48 559
Farms with net gains[2] ..... number..	11 024	5 875	3 844	1 305	8 609	3 896	3 630	1 083
Average net gain ..... dollars..	64 175	47 872	88 337	66 400	81 627	71 243	93 404	79 510
Gain of—								
Less than $1,000	1 161	891	176	94	285	147	124	14
$1,000 to $9,999	3 974	2 565	1 009	400	2 435	1 330	847	258
$10,000 to $49,999	3 061	1 471	1 194	396	3 061	1 471	1 194	396
$50,000 or more	2 828	948	1 465	415	2 828	948	1 465	415
Farms with net losses ..... number..	11 310	8 122	2 350	838	3 315	1 664	1 257	394
Average net loss ..... dollars..	10 361	7 639	16 642	19 131	24 526	21 186	25 188	36 516
Loss of—								
Less than $1,000	1 919	1 598	187	134	200	128	57	15
$1,000 to $9,999	6 896	5 174	1 228	494	1 435	776	471	188
$10,000 to $49,999	2 168	1 228	780	160	1 360	641	578	141
$50,000 or more	327	122	155	50	320	119	151	50
GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS AND OTHER FARM-RELATED INCOME								
Government payments ..... farms..	7 848	3 915	3 172	761	5 936	2 289	2 958	689
$1,000..	73 124	29 961	36 589	6 573	59 068	17 839	34 955	6 274
Other farm-related income[1] ..... farms..	6 508	3 672	2 318	518	4 327	1 840	2 074	413
$1,000..	58 462	26 523	26 338	5 601	49 424	19 048	25 257	5 119
Customwork and other agricultural services ..... farms..	1 981	682	1 065	234	1 536	380	968	188
$1,000..	24 521	7 529	13 896	3 097	22 973	6 579	13 540	2 854
Gross cash rent or share payments ..... farms..	2 800	2 017	646	137	1 545	897	560	88
$1,000..	24 182	14 614	7 771	1 798	19 149	9 901	7 597	1 650
Forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products ..... farms..	597	390	185	22	293	134	141	18
$1,000..	6 200	3 331	2 518	351	4 066	1 762	1 980	323
Other farm-related income sources ..... farms..	2 608	1 216	1 192	200	2 154	816	1 153	185
$1,000..	3 558	1 050	2 153	355	3 236	805	2 140	291
COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS								
Total ..... farms..	889	194	566	129	871	182	560	129
$1,000..	29 610	4 615	21 280	3 714	29 597	4 608	21 274	3 714
Corn ..... farms..	32	4	25	3	32	4	25	3
$1,000..	(D)	(D)	(D)	2	(D)	(D)	(D)	2
Wheat ..... farms..	782	158	504	120	768	149	499	120
$1,000..	25 584	3 876	18 298	3 410	25 573	3 869	18 293	3 410
Soybeans ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sorghum, barley, and oats ..... farms..	241	61	156	24	237	58	155	24
$1,000..	3 968	(D)	(D)	302	3 966	(D)	(D)	302
Cotton ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sunflower seed, flaxseed, safflower, canola, other rapeseed, and mustard seed ..... farms..	1	–	1	–	1	–	1	–
$1,000..	(D)	–	(D)	–	(D)	–	(D)	–
Peanuts, rice, and tobacco ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE								
Total cropland ..... farms..	18 994	11 257	5 924	1 813	10 968	4 889	4 711	1 368
acres..	6 308 877	1 994 266	3 621 483	693 128	5 779 762	1 590 612	3 522 673	666 477
Harvested cropland ..... farms..	15 494	8 430	5 458	1 606	10 235	4 365	4 571	1 299
acres..	4 478 862	1 120 855	2 772 389	585 618	4 362 559	1 039 028	2 746 418	577 113
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 49 acres	6 388	4 813	1 125	450	1 718	1 152	386	180
50 to 99 acres	2 038	1 283	535	220	1 587	960	435	192
100 to 199 acres	2 111	1 052	806	253	1 992	980	765	247
200 to 499 acres	2 519	768	1 399	352	2 500	759	1 392	349
500 to 999 acres	1 336	321	831	184	1 336	321	831	184
1,000 to 1,999 acres	768	143	522	103	768	143	522	103
2,000 acres or more	334	50	240	44	334	50	240	44
Cropland:								
Pasture or grazing only ..... farms..	9 257	5 842	2 821	594	4 838	2 407	2 043	388
acres..	816 471	398 818	368 030	49 623	656 200	284 860	332 277	39 063
In cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured ..... farms..	1 410	826	496	88	825	333	428	64
acres..	362 371	188 097	161 792	12 482	236 696	86 840	140 738	9 118
On which all crops failed ..... farms..	420	201	191	28	304	110	168	26
acres..	28 229	11 952	13 404	2 873	24 572	(D)	12 618	(D)
In cultivated summer fallow ..... farms..	1 383	529	732	122	1 159	366	690	103
acres..	306 898	96 216	186 512	24 170	282 398	(D)	183 214	(D)
Idle ..... farms..	2 294	1 431	694	169	1 345	603	602	140
acres..	316 046	178 328	119 356	18 362	217 337	94 478	107 408	15 451
Total woodland ..... farms..	2 584	1 666	808	110	1 100	465	573	62
acres..	514 787	228 041	244 589	42 157	354 409	115 516	205 049	33 844
Woodland pastured ..... farms..	1 629	986	567	76	746	314	394	38
acres..	356 407	138 936	189 161	28 310	271 179	88 859	161 400	20 920
Woodland not pastured ..... farms..	1 352	930	376	46	516	215	271	30
acres..	158 380	89 105	55 428	13 847	83 230	26 657	43 649	12 924

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LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE—Con.								
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured ..... farms..	6 517	3 886	2 102	529	3 724	1 776	1 632	316
acres..	4 589 326	2 240 351	2 011 670	337 305	3 890 271	1 946 307	1 701 873	242 091
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. ..... farms..	13 330	8 884	3 740	706	7 149	3 663	2 951	535
acres..	417 177	236 984	159 497	20 696	320 023	155 804	146 496	17 723
Irrigated land ..... farms..	15 191	8 886	4 764	1 541	9 215	4 207	3 849	1 159
acres..	3 493 542	1 026 778	2 051 481	415 283	3 366 976	938 777	2 026 193	402 006
Harvested cropland irrigated ..... farms..	12 182	6 591	4 280	1 311	8 451	3 704	3 675	1 072
acres..	3 057 436	820 526	1 863 688	373 222	2 995 217	775 848	1 851 931	367 438
Pasture and other land irrigated ..... farms..	7 621	4 925	2 151	545	3 805	1 948	1 528	329
acres..	436 106	206 252	187 793	42 061	371 759	162 929	174 262	34 568
Land under Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs ..... farms..	2 426	1 555	766	105	1 302	550	671	81
acres..	705 407	419 062	264 381	21 964	422 505	176 012	230 523	15 970
VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS[1]								
Estimated market value of land and buildings ..... farms..	22 334	13 997	6 194	2 143	11 924	5 560	4 887	1 477
$1,000..	11 982 650	4 724 117	6 074 097	1 184 436	10 083 100	3 285 013	5 707 150	1 090 936
Average per farm ..... dollars..	536 521	337 509	980 642	552 700	845 614	590 830	1 167 823	738 616
Average per acre ..... dollars..	1 017	1 014	1 009	1 068	979	873	1 025	1 121
Farms by value group:								
$1 to $39,999	2 406	1 915	154	337	503	394	44	65
$40,000 to $69,999	1 686	1 372	149	165	399	267	65	67
$70,000 to $99,999	1 552	1 253	163	136	469	306	93	70
$100,000 to $149,999	2 739	2 091	465	183	886	526	248	112
$150,000 to $199,999	2 092	1 501	372	219	800	508	116	176
$200,000 to $499,999	6 148	3 864	1 801	483	3 749	1 984	1 368	397
$500,000 to $999,999	2 892	1 174	1 413	305	2 454	844	1 321	289
$1,000,000 to $1,999,999	1 626	519	929	178	1 503	437	899	167
$2,000,000 to $4,999,999	958	244	595	119	933	235	582	116
$5,000,000 or more	235	64	153	18	228	59	151	18
VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT[1]								
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ..... farms..	22 333	13 997	6 193	2 143	11 923	5 560	4 886	1 477
$1,000..	1 740 107	638 348	897 364	204 395	1 512 389	457 931	867 208	187 251
Farms by value group:								
$1 to $4,999	2 553	2 021	378	154	420	248	137	35
$5,000 to $9,999	2 788	2 141	398	249	778	509	184	85
$10,000 to $19,999	3 823	2 781	795	247	1 501	887	461	153
$20,000 to $49,999	5 527	3 724	1 226	577	2 681	1 449	873	359
$50,000 to $99,999	3 271	1 925	1 002	344	2 442	1 267	865	310
$100,000 to $199,999	2 176	790	1 090	296	1 976	637	1 072	267
$200,000 to $499,999	1 638	491	930	217	1 568	439	920	209
$500,000 or more	557	124	374	59	557	124	374	59
SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT[1]								
Motortrucks, including pickups ..... farms..	20 936	12 923	5 974	2 039	11 535	5 363	4 732	1 440
number..	60 044	28 255	25 170	6 619	44 339	15 956	22 855	5 528
Wheel tractors ..... farms..	18 680	11 448	5 486	1 746	10 827	5 002	4 529	1 296
number..	43 547	22 207	16 919	4 421	31 277	12 253	15 398	3 626
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms..	9 113	5 986	2 387	740	4 586	2 261	1 813	512
number..	12 607	7 945	3 531	1 131	6 915	3 247	2 833	835
40 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms..	14 302	8 043	4 790	1 469	9 619	4 259	4 227	1 133
number..	30 940	14 262	13 388	3 290	24 362	9 006	12 565	2 791
40 to 99 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms..	11 737	6 853	3 758	1 126	7 630	3 515	3 281	834
number..	18 287	9 932	6 621	1 734	12 999	5 685	5 988	1 326
100 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms..	6 931	3 012	3 098	821	5 803	2 131	2 922	750
number..	12 653	4 330	6 767	1 556	11 363	3 321	6 577	1 465
Grain and bean combines ..... farms..	4 495	1 542	2 399	554	4 097	1 231	2 343	523
number..	5 919	1 821	3 341	757	5 480	1 486	3 275	719
Cotton pickers and strippers ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Mower conditioners ..... farms..	7 183	3 884	2 773	526	5 118	2 288	2 395	435
number..	7 911	4 210	3 115	586	5 736	2 544	2 706	486
Pickup balers ..... farms..	8 067	4 394	2 993	680	5 726	2 557	2 625	544
number..	9 299	4 880	3 629	790	6 776	2 929	3 209	638
AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS[1]								
Commercial fertilizer ..... farms..	11 502	5 771	4 461	1 270	8 368	3 296	3 957	1 115
acres on which used..	3 526 053	797 492	2 250 617	477 944	3 453 912	750 621	2 227 890	475 401
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—								
Insects on hay and other crops ..... farms..	3 626	1 119	1 887	620	3 253	820	1 862	571
acres on which used..	967 881	154 279	677 729	135 873	962 150	150 010	677 464	134 676
Nematodes in crops ..... farms..	793	186	463	144	760	161	463	136
acres on which used..	194 614	28 534	137 975	28 105	194 418	28 450	137 975	27 993
Diseases in crops and orchards ..... farms..	1 517	449	817	251	1 386	342	802	242
acres on which used..	461 292	67 966	330 449	62 877	460 244	67 046	330 434	62 764
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture ..... farms..	8 716	4 215	3 440	1 061	6 368	2 292	3 131	945
acres on which used..	2 499 076	485 774	1 646 338	366 964	2 456 596	451 604	1 639 762	365 230
Chemicals used on crops to control growth, thin fruit, or defoliate ..... farms..	952	315	506	131	858	243	484	131
acres on which used..	241 305	34 073	182 450	24 782	240 563	33 620	182 161	24 782

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	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants
TENURE AND RACE OF OPERATOR								
All operators	22 314	13 875	6 292	2 147	11 939	5 599	4 838	1 502
Full owners	13 875	13 875	–	–	5 599	5 599	–	–
Part owners	6 292	–	6 292	–	4 838	–	4 838	–
Tenants	2 147	–	–	2 147	1 502	–	–	1 502
White	21 962	13 674	6 187	2 101	11 747	5 514	4 760	1 473
Full owners	13 674	13 674	–	–	5 514	5 514	–	–
Part owners	6 187	–	6 187	–	4 760	–	4 760	–
Tenants	2 101	–	–	2 101	1 473	–	–	1 473
Black and other races	352	201	105	46	192	85	78	29
Full owners	201	201	–	–	85	85	–	–
Part owners	105	–	105	–	78	–	78	–
Tenants	46	–	–	46	29	–	–	29
OWNED AND RENTED LAND								
Land owned ... farms	20 264	13 875	6 292	97	10 501	5 599	4 838	64
acres	9 027 774	5 677 616	3 319 431	30 727	7 619 172	4 528 160	3 076 404	14 608
Owned land in farms ... farms	20 167	13 875	6 292	–	10 437	5 599	4 838	–
acres	7 897 630	4 699 642	3 197 988	–	6 777 225	3 808 239	2 968 986	–
Land rented or leased from others ... farms	8 535	96	6 292	2 147	6 395	55	4 838	1 502
acres	4 007 597	28 965	2 862 729	1 115 903	3 628 031	20 584	2 628 480	978 967
landlords	21 918	148	16 484	5 286	18 530	85	14 144	4 301
Rented or leased land in farms ... farms	8 439	–	6 292	2 147	6 340	–	4 838	1 502
acres	3 932 537	–	2 839 251	1 093 286	3 567 240	–	2 607 105	960 135
Land rented or leased to others ... farms	3 433	2 543	716	174	1 903	1 173	601	129
acres	1 205 204	1 006 939	144 921	53 344	902 738	740 505	128 793	33 440
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS								
Operators by place of residence:								
On farm operated	17 068	10 789	5 175	1 104	9 019	4 287	3 964	768
Not on farm operated	3 801	2 094	789	918	2 213	939	619	655
Not reported	1 445	992	328	125	707	373	255	79
Operators by principal occupation:								
Farming	12 049	6 268	4 460	1 321	9 012	3 818	4 043	1 151
Other	10 265	7 607	1 832	826	2 927	1 781	795	351
Operators by days worked off farm:								
None	8 856	5 118	2 970	768	6 187	2 811	2 711	665
Any	12 230	7 961	2 987	1 282	4 999	2 400	1 844	755
1 to 99 days	2 264	1 098	825	341	1 531	539	714	278
100 to 199 days	2 081	1 283	578	220	1 023	478	394	151
200 days or more	7 885	5 580	1 584	721	2 445	1 383	736	326
Not reported	1 228	796	335	97	753	388	283	82
Operators by years on present farm:								
2 years or less	1 269	752	217	300	545	246	107	192
3 or 4 years	1 752	1 168	300	284	727	386	166	175
5 to 9 years	3 592	2 305	818	469	1 580	754	496	330
10 years or more	12 603	7 517	4 277	809	7 622	3 462	3 539	621
Average years on present farm	18.7	18.9	20.5	11.9	20.8	21.8	22.2	12.4
Not reported	3 098	2 133	680	285	1 465	751	530	184
Operators by age group:								
Under 25 years	236	67	44	125	146	29	37	80
25 to 34 years	1 362	559	377	426	766	206	273	287
35 to 44 years	4 986	2 630	1 648	708	2 758	965	1 271	522
45 to 49 years	2 971	1 717	980	274	1 620	651	771	198
50 to 54 years	2 879	1 790	916	173	1 560	734	695	131
55 to 59 years	2 640	1 722	777	141	1 381	691	596	94
60 to 64 years	2 264	1 537	623	104	1 210	667	472	71
65 to 69 years	1 855	1 358	423	74	991	601	342	48
70 years and over	3 121	2 495	504	122	1 507	1 055	381	71
Average age	53.2	55.7	51.1	43.8	52.6	56.3	51.1	43.5
Operators by sex:								
Male	20 565	12 499	6 030	2 036	11 372	5 215	4 708	1 449
Female	1 749	1 376	262	111	567	384	130	53
Operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin (see text)	328	212	88	28	190	101	71	18
FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION								
Individual or family (sole proprietorship) ... farms	18 631	11 983	5 028	1 620	9 099	4 374	3 662	1 063
acres	6 226 860	2 438 757	3 257 978	530 125	5 376 608	1 824 306	3 069 931	482 371
Partnership ... farms	1 956	1 021	670	265	1 457	625	616	216
acres	2 302 246	830 394	1 245 921	225 931	2 151 105	717 156	1 217 183	216 766
Corporation:								
Family held ... farms	1 351	614	523	214	1 176	464	516	196
acres	2 222 151	827 236	1 158 986	235 929	2 149 469	765 043	1 152 042	232 384
More than 10 stockholders ... farms	41	24	14	3	38	21	14	3
10 or less stockholders ... farms	1 310	590	509	211	1 138	443	502	193
Other than family held ... farms	108	68	20	20	86	50	19	17
acres	121 513	48 406	46 485	26 622	111 257	45 296	(D)	(D)
More than 10 stockholders ... farms	24	14	10	–	21	11	10	–
10 or less stockholders ... farms	84	54	10	20	65	39	9	17
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. ... farms	268	189	51	28	121	86	25	10
acres	957 397	554 849	327 869	74 679	556 026	456 438	(D)	(D)

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Item	All farms				Farms with sales of $10,000 or more			
	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants
INJURIES AND DEATHS								
Farm-related injuries:								
Operator and family members ..... farms..	280	136	121	23	205	86	102	17
number..	317	155	137	25	232	97	116	19
Hired workers ..... farms..	446	159	220	67	434	153	219	62
number..	723	234	370	119	708	227	(D)	(D)
Farm-related deaths:								
Operator and family members ..... farms..	6	1	5	–	5	1	4	–
number..	6	(D)	(D)	–	(D)	(D)	(D)	–
Hired workers ..... farms..	4	1	3	–	4	1	3	–
number..	5	(D)	(D)	–	(D)	(D)	(D)	–
FARMS BY SIZE								
1 to 9 acres	3 092	2 741	173	178	459	399	16	44
10 to 49 acres	5 621	4 282	879	460	1 297	921	205	171
50 to 69 acres	1 006	663	237	106	462	278	114	70
70 to 99 acres	1 406	983	276	147	829	550	175	104
100 to 139 acres	1 159	729	282	148	697	369	218	110
140 to 179 acres	1 186	782	273	131	764	439	219	106
180 to 219 acres	786	409	277	100	572	245	239	88
220 to 259 acres	695	370	241	84	525	233	212	80
260 to 499 acres	2 331	1 073	975	283	1 831	695	878	258
500 to 999 acres	2 199	916	1 041	242	1 905	693	990	222
1,000 to 1,999 acres	1 582	522	898	162	1 417	406	859	152
2,000 acres or more	1 251	405	740	106	1 181	371	713	97
FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM								
Oilseed and grain farming (1111)	3 925	1 966	1 436	523	2 661	899	1 317	445
Vegetable and melon farming (1112)	980	274	518	188	898	212	512	174
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113)	271	224	38	9	99	68	25	6
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114)	444	336	63	45	251	164	51	36
Other crop farming (1119)	4 746	2 670	1 551	525	2 857	1 140	1 298	419
Tobacco farming (11191)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton farming (11192)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199)	4 746	2 670	1 551	525	2 857	1 140	1 298	419
Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111)	7 697	5 293	1 832	572	3 575	2 126	1 171	278
Cattle feedlots (112112)	443	309	101	33	178	100	57	21
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212)	926	542	296	88	918	535	296	87
Hog and pig farming (1122)	180	130	32	18	51	29	15	7
Poultry and egg production (1123)	84	73	5	6	22	17	3	2
Sheep and goat farming (1124)	465	345	91	29	118	71	41	6
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129)	2 153	1 713	329	111	311	238	52	21
LIVESTOCK								
Cattle and calves inventory ..... farms..	12 063	7 417	3 659	987	7 035	3 589	2 793	653
number..	1 908 097	1 019 841	651 477	236 779	1 812 497	952 886	631 535	228 076
Farms with—								
1 to 9	2 414	1 866	410	138	371	185	147	39
10 to 49	4 485	2 958	1 141	386	1 826	1 013	626	187
50 to 99	1 750	926	638	186	1 486	766	564	156
100 to 199	1 419	684	613	122	1 371	651	602	118
200 to 499	1 305	615	585	105	1 296	609	582	105
500 or more	690	368	272	50	685	365	272	48
Cows and heifers that had calved ..... farms..	9 375	5 517	3 077	781	5 840	2 933	2 382	525
number..	821 530	457 425	303 403	60 702	777 767	427 528	293 901	56 338
Beef cows ..... farms..	8 405	4 904	2 800	701	4 996	2 428	2 119	449
number..	555 676	272 355	240 112	43 209	512 450	242 899	230 690	38 861
Farms with—								
1 to 9	2 347	1 662	523	162	492	256	185	51
10 to 49	3 463	2 024	1 105	334	1 994	1 004	785	205
50 to 99	1 067	506	463	98	1 006	473	445	88
100 to 199	818	368	394	56	801	356	389	56
200 to 499	563	270	251	42	556	265	251	40
500 or more	147	74	64	9	147	74	64	9
Milk cows ..... farms..	1 404	852	446	106	1 147	651	400	96
number..	265 854	185 070	63 291	17 493	265 317	184 629	63 211	17 477
Farms with—								
1 to 4	375	263	95	17	141	83	51	7
5 to 9	38	31	5	2	18	13	3	2
10 to 49	250	145	85	20	247	142	85	20
50 to 99	236	114	97	25	236	114	97	25
100 to 199	206	98	89	19	206	98	89	19
200 to 499	172	101	57	14	172	101	57	14
500 or more	127	100	18	9	127	100	18	9
Heifers and heifer calves ..... farms..	9 102	5 300	3 018	784	5 726	2 834	2 354	538
number..	551 508	298 501	186 332	66 675	527 260	281 486	181 280	64 494
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves ..... farms..	10 110	6 077	3 219	814	6 012	2 973	2 488	551
number..	535 059	263 915	161 742	109 402	507 470	243 872	156 354	107 244

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LIVESTOCK—Con.								
Cattle and calves sold ..... farms..	11 684	7 119	3 591	974	7 119	3 651	2 809	659
number..	1 578 375	880 184	387 043	311 148	1 537 894	850 513	379 370	308 011
$1,000..	910 805	495 650	199 082	216 073	895 486	484 189	196 315	214 982
Calves ..... farms..	4 519	2 777	1 307	435	2 612	1 391	956	265
number..	240 292	154 346	70 038	15 908	224 240	143 252	66 774	14 214
$1,000..	59 093	36 101	19 302	3 690	55 281	33 403	18 607	3 270
Cattle ..... farms..	9 902	5 980	3 123	799	6 249	3 188	2 482	579
number..	1 338 083	725 838	317 005	295 240	1 313 654	707 261	312 596	293 797
$1,000..	851 712	459 549	179 780	212 384	840 205	450 785	177 708	211 712
Fattened on grain and concentrates .... farms..	984	571	333	80	513	231	228	54
number..	632 606	336 937	55 586	240 083	631 108	335 857	55 237	240 014
$1,000..	473 467	251 375	41 570	180 521	472 505	250 680	41 348	180 477
Hogs and pigs inventory ..... farms..	714	462	196	56	292	136	120	36
number..	29 026	16 129	10 889	2 008	24 810	12 640	10 320	1 850
Farms with—								
1 to 24	588	388	157	43	204	94	86	24
25 to 49	49	32	13	4	24	12	9	3
50 to 99	21	16	3	2	14	10	2	2
100 to 199	25	14	7	4	20	9	7	4
200 to 499	20	5	12	3	19	4	12	3
500 or more	11	7	4	–	11	7	4	–
Used or to be used for breeding ..... farms..	290	191	75	24	136	65	55	16
number..	4 456	2 454	1 716	286	3 536	1 675	1 619	242
Other ..... farms..	653	414	186	53	267	119	113	35
number..	24 570	13 675	9 173	1 722	21 274	10 965	8 701	1 608
Hogs and pigs sold..... farms..	573	365	155	53	252	119	98	35
number..	44 626	24 203	16 364	4 059	39 358	20 148	15 819	3 391
$1,000..	4 473	2 571	1 503	399	3 993	2 199	1 432	362
Feeder pigs ..... farms..	90	64	20	6	41	20	17	4
number..	9 305	3 092	5 170	1 043	7 212	(D)	5 141	(D)
$1,000..	345	119	197	30	273	(D)	195	(D)
Litters of pigs farrowed between—								
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30 .... farms..	309	203	78	28	144	70	57	17
number..	5 892	3 045	2 454	393	4 982	2 283	2 376	323
Dec. 1 and May 31..... farms..	274	177	73	24	132	62	53	17
number..	3 112	1 640	1 268	204	2 639	1 240	1 228	171
June 1 and Nov. 30 ..... farms..	240	149	67	24	118	54	50	14
number..	2 780	1 405	1 186	189	2 343	1 043	1 148	152
Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory..... farms..	1 097	734	289	74	469	262	169	38
number..	273 804	161 014	103 638	9 152	259 060	150 491	100 320	8 249
Ewes 1 year old or older ..... farms..	940	617	259	64	432	238	158	36
number..	212 487	133 204	72 886	6 397	203 519	126 648	70 955	5 916
Sheep and lambs sold..... farms..	1 035	684	284	67	456	250	171	35
number..	291 435	164 617	119 457	7 361	280 185	156 304	117 095	6 786
Sheep and lambs shorn ..... farms..	881	577	244	60	421	230	157	34
number..	240 028	140 973	91 690	7 365	229 485	133 410	89 267	6 808
pounds of wool..	2 260 626	1 352 526	812 368	95 732	2 172 311	1 288 664	792 294	91 353
Horses and ponies inventory ..... farms..	8 682	5 537	2 560	585	3 984	1 925	1 730	329
number..	59 559	38 240	17 721	3 598	32 052	18 096	11 876	2 080
Horses and ponies sold..... farms..	1 783	1 183	486	114	730	404	280	46
number..	6 196	3 921	1 905	370	4 025	2 361	1 442	222
Goats inventory ..... farms..	657	460	151	46	179	92	68	19
number..	6 269	4 762	1 213	294	2 226	1 608	492	126
Goats sold ..... farms..	213	155	38	20	58	33	16	9
number..	2 492	1 837	333	322	1 004	609	180	215
POULTRY								
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text) ..... farms..	886	635	204	47	242	126	99	17
number..	(D)	(D)	3 909	964	(D)	(D)	1 890	(D)
Farms with—								
1 to 399	882	631	204	47	238	122	99	17
400 to 3,199	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999.....	1	1	–	–	1	1	–	–
10,000 to 19,999	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1	1	–	–	1	1	–	–
100,000 or more	2	2	–	–	2	2	–	–
Layers 20 weeks old and older ..... farms..	865	622	200	43	235	121	98	16
number..	922 612	918 294	3 526	792	912 480	910 427	1 767	286
Pullets 13 weeks old and older but less than 20 weeks old ..... farms..	155	108	36	11	43	25	14	4
number..	(D)	(D)	383	172	(D)	(D)	123	(D)
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold (see text)..... farms..	76	58	14	4	21	16	3	2
number..	404 434	403 621	(D)	(D)	403 381	402 954	(D)	(D)
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold .. farms..	55	32	16	7	26	11	12	3
number..	6 043	4 468	1 234	341	3 807	2 553	1 183	71
Farms with—								
1 to 1,999.....	54	31	16	7	25	10	12	3
2,000 to 59,999.....	1	1	–	–	1	1	–	–
60,000 to 99,999	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 or more	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens kept for breeding ..... farms..	64	45	14	5	15	8	5	2
number..	313	127	177	9	171	13	(D)	(D)
Turkeys sold ..... farms..	40	22	13	5	13	3	8	2
number..	400	118	243	39	144	(D)	101	(D)

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SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED								
Corn for grain or seed ..... farms..	694	228	368	98	649	195	362	92
acres..	41 162	11 182	24 829	5 151	40 788	10 911	24 774	5 103
bushels..	6 390 279	1 671 086	3 887 433	831 760	6 357 457	1 647 261	3 882 949	827 247
Irrigated ..... farms..	694	228	368	98	649	195	362	92
acres..	41 162	11 182	24 829	5 151	40 788	10 911	24 774	5 103
Corn for silage or green chop..... farms..	1 041	432	484	125	989	388	479	122
acres..	79 086	27 566	42 538	8 982	78 250	26 903	42 448	8 899
tons, green..	1 991 808	678 917	1 080 752	232 139	1 973 683	665 454	1 078 130	230 099
Irrigated ..... farms..	1 041	432	484	125	989	388	479	122
acres..	79 086	27 566	42 538	8 982	78 250	26 903	42 448	8 899
Wheat for grain ..... farms..	5 199	1 709	2 716	774	4 824	1 444	2 656	724
acres..	1 410 978	282 668	934 419	193 891	1 402 261	276 713	932 878	192 670
bushels..	108 941 849	21 457 846	72 604 277	14 879 726	108 465 177	21 120 448	72 536 202	14 808 527
Irrigated ..... farms..	3 852	1 294	1 978	580	3 587	1 109	1 936	542
acres..	787 355	176 701	515 822	94 832	782 189	173 270	514 898	94 021
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres	766	429	224	113	510	244	184	82
25 to 99 acres	1 723	675	768	280	1 613	601	750	262
100 to 249 acres.....	1 176	312	708	156	1 167	306	706	155
250 to 499 acres.....	716	161	444	111	716	161	444	111
500 acres or more	818	132	572	114	818	132	572	114
Barley for grain ..... farms..	4 178	1 510	2 147	521	3 830	1 267	2 074	489
acres..	711 504	161 147	457 519	92 838	703 734	156 076	455 776	91 882
bushels..	54 317 070	12 180 369	35 123 039	7 013 662	53 919 010	11 917 045	35 050 083	6 951 882
Irrigated ..... farms..	3 098	1 178	1 549	371	2 847	1 005	1 492	350
acres..	415 100	99 531	264 428	51 141	410 658	96 630	263 428	50 600
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres	893	480	304	109	651	309	250	92
25 to 99 acres	1 613	651	773	189	1 513	582	756	175
100 to 249 acres.....	933	240	568	125	928	237	567	124
250 to 499 acres.....	418	68	292	58	417	68	291	58
500 acres or more	321	71	210	40	321	71	210	40
Oats for grain ..... farms..	549	214	283	52	458	160	252	46
acres..	20 406	5 331	13 218	1 857	19 133	4 583	12 773	1 777
bushels..	1 472 775	382 558	965 050	125 167	1 405 590	344 167	940 505	120 918
Irrigated ..... farms..	309	145	139	25	261	114	125	22
acres..	8 316	3 670	4 189	457	7 774	3 280	4 047	447
Dry edible beans, excluding dry limas ..... farms..	1 138	289	626	223	1 117	273	623	221
acres..	92 743	13 918	59 565	19 260	92 584	(D)	59 530	(D)
cwt..	2 036 315	297 351	1 306 140	432 824	2 033 178	(D)	1 305 499	(D)
Irrigated ..... farms..	1 093	285	593	215	1 073	270	590	213
acres..	86 742	13 777	54 900	18 065	86 589	(D)	54 865	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres	238	106	91	41	217	90	88	39
25 to 99 acres	602	153	327	122	602	153	327	122
100 to 249 acres.....	237	25	169	43	237	25	169	43
250 to 499 acres.....	53	5	33	15	53	5	33	15
500 acres or more	8	–	6	2	8	–	6	2
Potatoes, excluding sweetpotatoes..... farms..	1 402	323	846	233	1 364	295	840	229
acres..	394 977	53 542	284 546	56 888	394 866	53 453	284 531	56 882
cwt..	135 578 736	17 474 371	98 096 305	20 008 060	135 564 580	17 464 492	98 094 547	20 005 541
Irrigated ..... farms..	1 402	323	846	233	1 364	295	840	229
acres..	394 817	53 542	284 386	56 888	394 706	53 453	284 371	56 882
Farms by acres harvested:								
0.1 to 4.9 acres.....	45	26	11	8	15	5	6	4
5.0 to 24.9 acres.....	83	35	33	15	75	28	32	15
25.0 to 99.9 acres	403	106	229	68	403	106	229	68
100.0 to 249.9 acres	403	87	237	79	403	87	237	79
250.0 acres or more.....	468	69	336	63	468	69	336	63
Sugar beets for sugar ..... farms..	921	167	587	167	911	163	585	163
acres..	195 651	22 078	137 936	35 637	195 605	(D)	(D)	35 608
tons..	5 078 013	562 414	3 614 178	901 421	5 076 851	(D)	(D)	900 644
Irrigated ..... farms..	921	167	587	167	911	163	585	163
acres..	195 651	22 078	137 936	35 637	195 605	(D)	(D)	35 608
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) ... farms..	11 960	6 704	4 248	1 008	7 592	3 358	3 443	791
acres..	1 260 010	520 735	630 374	108 901	1 164 390	453 173	608 263	102 954
tons, dry..	4 395 396	1 713 189	2 263 289	418 918	4 194 217	1 570 585	2 217 684	405 948
Irrigated ..... farms..	9 307	5 169	3 298	840	6 296	2 864	2 761	671
acres..	949 485	402 451	463 138	83 896	899 615	366 352	453 543	79 720
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres	4 364	3 136	952	276	1 167	610	421	136
25 to 99 acres	4 175	2 264	1 473	438	3 111	1 504	1 239	368
100 to 249 acres.....	2 192	864	1 143	185	2 093	810	1 104	179
250 to 499 acres.....	813	287	443	83	805	281	442	82
500 acres or more	416	153	237	26	416	153	237	26
Alfalfa hay ..... farms..	10 001	5 432	3 669	900	6 788	2 986	3 076	726
acres..	946 882	381 189	479 245	86 448	886 916	337 891	466 899	82 126
tons, dry..	3 721 968	1 410 094	1 940 291	371 583	3 573 493	1 303 875	1 908 560	361 058
Irrigated ..... farms..	8 306	4 519	3 003	784	5 820	2 616	2 562	642
acres..	753 313	307 551	375 083	70 679	715 566	280 325	368 011	67 230

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Item		All farms				Farms with sales of $10,000 or more			
		Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants
SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED—Con.									
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)	farms	645	208	313	124	533	121	302	110
	acres	37 783	5 448	25 748	6 587	37 565	5 302	25 727	6 536
Irrigated	farms	632	201	308	123	524	118	297	109
	acres	34 764	5 253	23 375	6 135	34 565	5 126	23 354	6 085
Farms by acres harvested:									
0.1 to 4.9 acres		136	94	26	16	36	14	16	6
5.0 to 24.9 acres		152	56	56	40	140	49	55	36
25.0 to 99.9 acres		256	46	161	49	256	46	161	49
100.0 to 249.9 acres		77	9	54	14	77	9	54	14
250.0 acres or more		24	3	16	5	24	3	16	5
Green peas, excluding green cowpeas, harvested for sale	farms	67	25	28	14	50	13	26	11
	acres	4 295	334	3 202	759	4 279	(D)	(D)	751
Irrigated	farms	58	21	24	13	43	11	22	10
	acres	1 303	158	837	308	1 294	(D)	(D)	300
Sweet corn harvested for sale	farms	361	122	172	67	300	74	164	62
	acres	18 002	3 381	11 520	3 102	17 890	3 306	11 504	3 080
Irrigated	farms	361	122	172	67	300	74	164	62
	acres	18 002	3 381	11 520	3 102	17 890	3 306	11 504	3 080
Field seed and grass seed crops	farms	590	100	383	107	565	81	377	107
	acres	81 635	8 097	60 691	12 847	81 161	7 690	60 624	12 847
Irrigated	farms	388	76	247	65	368	60	243	65
	acres	43 426	5 242	32 988	5 196	43 187	5 042	32 949	5 196
Land in orchards	farms	377	305	55	17	146	98	38	10
	acres	9 903	7 008	1 861	1 035	8 916	6 085	1 818	1 014
Irrigated	farms	335	266	54	15	140	93	38	9
	acres	9 553	6 890	1 829	834	8 669	6 066	1 790	814
Farms by bearing and nonbearing acres:									
0.1 to 4.9 acres		208	180	20	8	27	20	5	2
5.0 to 24.9 acres		94	75	16	3	52	36	14	2
25.0 to 99.9 acres		60	42	15	3	52	34	15	3
100.0 to 249.9 acres		10	5	3	2	10	5	3	2
250.0 acres or more		5	3	1	1	5	3	1	1

[1]Data are based on a sample of farms.
[2]Farms with total production expenses equal to market value of agricultural products sold are included as farms with gains of less than $1,000.

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FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS									
Farms ..... number..	22 314	18 631	1 956	1 459	1 351	1 310	108	84	268
percent..	100.0	83.5	8.8	6.5	6.1	5.9	.5	.4	1.2
Land in farms ..... acres..	11 830 167	6 226 860	2 302 246	2 343 664	2 222 151	2 063 418	121 513	101 029	957 397
Average size of farm ..... acres..	530	334	1 177	1 606	1 645	1 575	1 125	1 203	3 572
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD									
Total sales (see text) ..... farms..	22 314	18 631	1 956	1 459	1 351	1 310	108	84	268
$1,000..	3 345 864	1 497 564	698 479	1 124 755	935 702	691 939	189 053	67 695	25 067
Average per farm ..... dollars..	149 945	80 380	357 095	770 908	692 599	528 198	1 750 489	805 892	93 535
Farms by value of sales:									
Less than $1,000 (see text)	3 243	2 871	179	97	86	84	11	10	96
$1,000 to $2,499	2 420	2 281	97	24	18	18	6	5	18
$2,500 to $4,999	2 350	2 211	100	24	21	21	3	3	15
$5,000 to $9,999	2 362	2 169	123	52	50	49	2	1	18
$10,000 to $19,999	2 455	2 216	157	58	54	52	4	4	24
$20,000 to $24,999	727	624	67	25	21	21	4	2	11
$25,000 to $39,999	1 407	1 192	144	58	57	57	1	–	13
$40,000 to $49,999	661	563	54	35	32	32	3	1	9
$50,000 to $99,999	1 898	1 529	201	147	135	129	12	10	21
$100,000 to $249,999	2 312	1 689	296	305	284	278	21	16	22
$250,000 to $499,999	1 198	729	194	264	247	241	17	13	11
$500,000 to $999,999	710	346	174	184	182	177	2	2	6
$1,000,000 to $2,499,999	418	168	111	136	123	115	13	13	3
$2,500,000 to $4,999,999	95	27	45	22	19	18	3	1	1
$5,000,000 or more	58	16	14	28	22	18	6	3	–
Grains ..... farms..	7 199	5 399	920	811	772	751	39	28	69
$1,000..	573 088	303 932	141 371	121 467	116 661	111 918	4 805	3 952	6 317
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	2 792	1 713	519	538	511	493	27	22	22
$1,000..	501 238	246 052	134 299	115 189	110 735	106 015	4 454	3 746	5 698
Corn for grain ..... farms..	590	459	61	64	62	61	2	2	6
$1,000..	17 592	11 655	1 656	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Wheat ..... farms..	5 171	3 737	733	653	626	611	27	21	48
$1,000..	346 339	173 722	98 074	70 163	66 826	64 577	3 337	2 865	4 380
Soybeans ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sorghum for grain ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Barley ..... farms..	3 613	2 650	497	437	420	405	17	10	29
$1,000..	140 145	75 105	28 798	34 945	33 762	32 061	1 183	806	1 296
Oats ..... farms..	298	224	40	27	27	26	–	–	7
$1,000..	1 832	1 223	266	(D)	(D)	(D)	–	–	(D)
Other grains ..... farms..	1 625	1 213	206	194	186	185	8	6	12
$1,000..	67 179	42 226	12 578	12 025	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	350
Cotton and cottonseed ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Tobacco ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Hay, silage, and field seeds ..... farms..	7 647	6 266	709	600	566	552	34	22	72
$1,000..	255 141	159 374	38 723	52 397	48 781	44 131	3 616	2 553	4 647
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	1 258	783	195	267	250	241	17	10	13
$1,000..	187 892	106 167	30 838	46 733	43 438	38 882	3 295	2 331	4 154
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ..... farms..	641	488	54	96	90	89	6	2	3
$1,000..	50 636	26 779	7 843	15 807	13 728	(D)	2 079	(D)	206
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	226	135	29	60	56	56	4	1	2
$1,000..	44 879	22 249	(D)	14 956	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Fruits, nuts, and berries ..... farms..	287	223	24	32	28	27	4	4	8
$1,000..	24 408	5 551	808	17 996	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	53
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	48	24	6	18	14	13	4	4	–
$1,000..	22 529	4 088	603	17 837	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	–
Nursery and greenhouse crops ..... farms..	706	541	57	98	91	91	7	4	10
$1,000..	57 189	27 975	3 655	25 061	22 089	22 089	2 972	2 846	498
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	198	111	17	66	61	61	5	4	4
$1,000..	51 156	22 902	3 221	24 567	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	466
Other crops ..... farms..	2 148	1 360	366	404	385	376	19	17	18
$1,000..	813 238	337 283	218 708	252 290	240 802	233 528	11 488	(D)	4 956
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	1 684	972	323	377	359	351	18	16	12
$1,000..	803 069	328 923	217 644	251 618	(D)	232 889	(D)	(D)	4 883
Poultry and poultry products ..... farms..	412	377	12	21	20	19	1	1	2
$1,000..	15 000	904	18	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	12	4	–	8	8	7	–	–	–
$1,000..	14 550	548	–	14 003	14 003	(D)	–	–	–
Dairy products ..... farms..	1 056	785	172	92	84	83	8	5	7
$1,000..	557 339	295 695	196 098	63 929	46 869	(D)	17 060	4 474	1 617
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	870	621	159	85	78	77	7	4	5
$1,000..	552 802	291 912	195 664	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Cattle and calves ..... farms..	11 684	9 944	1 031	612	573	558	39	32	97
$1,000..	910 805	308 982	75 622	520 338	388 406	177 900	131 932	37 590	5 863
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	1 732	1 108	298	299	280	266	19	15	27
$1,000..	804 530	219 464	65 204	514 900	383 240	172 740	131 660	37 407	4 963

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MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD—Con.									
Total sales (see text)—Con.									
Hogs and pigs ..... farms..	573	524	32	16	15	15	1	1	1
$1,000..	4 473	3 892	277	(D)	81	81	(D)	(D)	(D)
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	19	16	1	2	1	1	1	1	–
$1,000..	2 517	2 068	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	–
Sheep, lambs, and wool ..... farms..	1 077	953	80	39	36	34	3	3	5
$1,000..	29 977	8 918	4 601	15 939	15 930	(D)	9	9	518
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	64	26	15	21	21	20	–	–	2
$1,000..	26 141	5 660	(D)	15 855	15 855	(D)	–	–	(D)
Other livestock and livestock products (see text) ..... farms..	2 335	2 026	150	138	126	122	12	10	21
$1,000..	54 571	18 278	10 753	25 148	12 230	11 433	12 919	(D)	391
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	103	51	9	39	32	31	7	6	4
$1,000..	45 319	10 472	10 073	24 515	11 626	(D)	12 889	(D)	259
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text)..... farms..	1 205	1 069	77	54	51	48	3	2	5
$1,000..	3 047	2 123	(D)	500	495	484	5	(D)	(D)
FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES[1]									
Total farm production expenses ..... farms..	22 334	18 802	1 909	1 313	1 229	1 190	84	61	310
$1,000..	2 705 028	1 202 262	519 833	958 238	779 741	544 841	178 497	58 179	24 695
Average per farm ..... dollars..	121 117	63 943	272 306	729 808	634 451	457 850	2 124 967	953 747	79 663
Livestock and poultry purchased ..... farms..	7 820	6 671	663	427	407	399	20	16	59
$1,000..	469 600	116 114	27 268	324 560	230 135	81 395	94 426	22 900	1 658
Farms with expenses of—									
$1 to $4,999	5 039	4 526	377	113	111	111	2	1	23
$5,000 to $24,999	1 930	1 578	143	182	177	175	5	5	27
$25,000 to $99,999	596	434	89	69	66	64	3	1	4
$100,000 to $249,999	145	85	29	27	22	21	5	5	4
$250,000 or more	110	48	25	36	31	28	5	4	1
Feed for livestock and poultry ..... farms..	11 438	9 883	892	578	556	542	22	16	85
$1,000..	450 829	188 467	92 256	167 907	123 690	69 539	44 216	13 679	2 200
Farms with expenses of—									
$1 to $4,999	8 156	7 443	521	156	154	152	2	1	36
$5,000 to $24,999	1 953	1 564	167	193	190	189	3	3	29
$25,000 to $99,999	825	602	96	113	111	106	2	1	14
$100,000 to $249,999	246	145	40	57	56	53	1	1	4
$250,000 or more	258	129	68	59	45	42	14	10	2
Commercially mixed formula feeds ..... farms..	5 461	4 627	481	320	307	299	13	9	33
$1,000..	102 153	58 877	21 641	21 014	16 918	13 472	4 096	1 952	620
Farms with expenses of—									
$1 to $4,999	4 270	3 794	320	139	138	136	1	–	17
$5,000 to $24,999	606	448	61	91	90	86	1	1	6
$25,000 to $99,999	390	278	48	55	50	50	5	5	9
$100,000 or more	195	107	52	35	29	27	6	3	1
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees ..... farms..	9 308	7 215	1 117	875	817	798	58	39	101
$1,000..	94 322	45 379	23 678	24 616	23 402	22 607	1 214	1 023	649
Farms with expenses of—									
$1 to $999	3 343	2 945	219	142	140	139	2	1	37
$1,000 to $4,999	3 181	2 536	378	229	212	207	17	5	38
$5,000 to $24,999	1 954	1 362	300	271	246	242	25	21	21
$25,000 to $49,999	425	226	99	97	89	87	8	7	3
$50,000 or more	405	146	121	136	130	123	6	5	2
Commercial fertilizer ..... farms..	11 564	9 311	1 231	914	856	825	58	41	108
$1,000..	245 440	122 276	59 570	61 226	58 565	55 800	2 661	2 153	2 368
Farms with expenses of—									
$1 to $4,999	6 638	5 916	471	194	182	171	12	11	57
$5,000 to $24,999	2 878	2 199	356	284	257	253	27	14	39
$25,000 to $49,999	878	607	108	158	149	148	9	8	5
$50,000 or more	1 170	589	296	278	268	253	10	8	7
Agricultural chemicals ..... farms..	11 383	9 140	1 173	905	850	822	55	37	165
$1,000..	118 406	54 846	28 525	33 558	31 981	30 590	1 576	1 132	1 478
Farms with expenses of—									
$1 to $4,999	8 425	7 257	650	389	371	359	18	5	129
$5,000 to $24,999	1 856	1 355	250	222	198	192	24	22	29
$25,000 to $49,999	552	324	102	125	121	119	4	3	1
$50,000 or more	550	204	171	169	160	152	9	7	6
Petroleum products ..... farms..	20 090	16 778	1 803	1 255	1 175	1 136	80	57	254
$1,000..	100 076	57 783	20 075	21 122	19 650	18 575	1 472	891	1 096
Farms with expenses of—									
$1 to $4,999	15 482	13 776	1 021	480	443	430	37	23	205
$5,000 to $24,999	3 857	2 700	563	554	522	508	32	27	40
$25,000 to $49,999	527	227	151	143	140	133	3	3	6
$50,000 or more	224	75	68	78	70	65	8	4	3
Gasoline and gasohol ..... farms..	17 486	14 580	1 568	1 110	1 058	1 020	52	42	228
$1,000..	36 930	22 638	6 855	7 015	6 550	6 249	465	302	422
Diesel fuel ..... farms..	14 659	11 840	1 518	1 123	1 055	1 017	68	49	178
$1,000..	52 460	29 010	11 130	11 773	11 022	10 382	751	490	547
Natural gas ..... farms..	598	428	72	66	64	61	2	1	32
$1,000..	1 306	626	245	403	(D)	280	(D)	(D)	33
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc. ..... farms..	14 866	12 050	1 521	1 146	1 086	1 048	60	38	149
$1,000..	9 380	5 509	1 845	1 931	(D)	1 664	(D)	(D)	95

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FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES[1] —Con.									
Total farm production expenses—Con.									
Electricity ..... farms..	15 661	12 887	1 482	1 133	1 054	1 017	79	59	159
$1,000..	89 854	42 916	22 285	23 579	21 649	19 706	1 931	1 249	1 073
Farms with expenses of—									
$1 to $999	9 130	8 206	554	272	268	256	4	3	98
$1,000 to $4,999	3 931	3 146	385	369	355	351	14	13	31
$5,000 to $24,999	1 814	1 189	321	282	232	227	50	35	22
$25,000 to $49,999	406	212	102	90	86	82	4	4	2
$50,000 or more	380	134	120	120	113	101	7	4	6
Hired farm labor ..... farms..	9 410	7 131	1 131	1 024	958	920	66	46	124
$1,000..	270 843	110 954	62 415	93 609	81 642	74 546	11 967	5 324	3 864
Farms with expenses of—									
$1 to $4,999	4 944	4 386	348	139	139	128	–	–	71
$5,000 to $24,999	2 343	1 674	334	319	295	290	24	13	16
$25,000 to $99,999	1 497	864	280	327	307	299	20	16	26
$100,000 to $249,999	452	168	117	159	146	138	13	13	8
$250,000 or more	174	39	52	80	71	65	9	4	3
Workers by days worked:									
150 days or more ..... farms..	4 531	2 895	727	834	793	768	41	32	75
workers..	16 401	7 659	3 589	4 907	4 472	4 133	435	174	246
Less than 150 days ..... farms..	8 249	6 396	933	817	756	727	61	43	103
workers..	47 014	27 458	7 513	11 460	9 495	8 940	1 965	1 751	583
Contract labor ..... farms..	3 501	2 703	389	369	353	338	16	10	40
$1,000..	32 680	17 634	6 045	8 744	7 548	7 157	1 196	837	258
Farms with expenses of—									
$1 to $999	1 177	1 055	60	45	44	35	1	1	17
$1,000 to $4,999	1 223	970	122	119	116	115	3	2	12
$5,000 to $24,999	812	541	140	123	117	115	6	2	8
$25,000 to $49,999	169	90	37	40	37	36	3	3	2
$50,000 or more	120	47	30	42	39	37	3	2	1
Repair and maintenance ..... farms..	18 147	15 101	1 600	1 207	1 125	1 086	82	59	239
$1,000..	152 222	83 532	30 916	35 613	32 526	29 949	3 088	1 375	2 160
Farms with expenses of—									
$1 to $4,999	12 425	11 119	771	376	351	338	25	13	159
$5,000 to $24,999	4 413	3 373	495	478	446	437	32	27	67
$25,000 to $49,999	750	396	164	186	172	167	14	12	4
$50,000 or more	559	213	170	167	156	144	11	7	9
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment ..... farms..	8 597	6 884	865	764	708	691	56	37	84
$1,000..	69 649	39 868	12 132	16 933	15 066	13 732	1 868	614	715
Farms with expenses of—									
$1 to $999	3 285	3 005	186	74	72	72	2	2	20
$1,000 to $4,999	2 806	2 274	285	199	186	185	13	12	48
$5,000 to $24,999	1 898	1 279	260	348	317	311	31	18	11
$25,000 to $49,999	357	216	72	67	61	60	6	3	2
$50,000 or more	251	110	62	76	72	63	4	2	3
Interest ..... farms..	11 087	8 864	1 172	959	900	868	59	51	92
$1,000..	178 482	97 672	39 613	38 675	36 004	30 538	2 670	2 050	2 522
Farms with expenses of—									
$1 to $4,999	5 388	4 783	392	176	169	158	7	6	37
$5,000 to $24,999	4 109	3 203	432	445	418	414	27	26	29
$25,000 to $99,999	1 285	764	249	249	235	224	14	12	23
$100,000 or more	305	114	99	89	78	72	11	7	3
Secured by real estate ..... farms..	7 784	6 342	765	610	570	559	40	35	67
$1,000..	98 667	58 767	21 865	16 581	15 295	14 501	1 286	1 000	1 453
Farms with expenses of—									
$1 to $999	1 000	896	69	32	31	31	1	–	3
$1,000 to $4,999	2 829	2 493	170	141	130	130	11	11	25
$5,000 to $24,999	3 063	2 493	298	254	240	237	14	13	18
$25,000 to $49,999	548	317	124	97	91	88	6	5	10
$50,000 or more	344	143	104	86	78	73	8	6	11
Not secured by real estate ..... farms..	6 719	5 163	780	724	679	652	45	41	52
$1,000..	79 815	38 905	17 748	22 094	20 709	16 037	1 385	1 050	1 069
Farms with expenses of—									
$1 to $999	1 606	1 439	109	56	54	44	2	2	2
$1,000 to $4,999	2 439	2 034	232	140	123	122	17	17	33
$5,000 to $24,999	1 928	1 338	247	331	319	316	12	11	12
$25,000 to $49,999	421	222	94	105	101	97	4	3	–
$50,000 or more	325	130	98	92	82	73	10	8	5
Cash rent ..... farms..	5 387	4 229	602	533	520	511	13	9	23
$1,000..	124 518	62 865	28 633	32 184	30 517	29 715	1 667	1 025	835
Farms with expenses of—									
$1 to $4,999	2 631	2 344	168	110	109	107	1	–	9
$5,000 to $9,999	759	615	97	41	41	40	–	–	6
$10,000 to $24,999	957	689	126	139	134	133	5	4	3
$25,000 or more	1 040	581	211	243	236	231	7	5	5
Property taxes ..... farms..	21 097	17 838	1 770	1 211	1 138	1 099	73	50	278
$1,000..	55 081	34 087	9 956	10 127	9 425	8 641	702	311	911
Farms with expenses of—									
$1 to $4,999	18 586	16 477	1 250	650	602	588	48	31	209
$5,000 to $9,999	1 540	950	271	266	257	248	9	7	53
$10,000 to $24,999	752	351	175	214	203	196	11	10	12
$25,000 or more	219	60	74	81	76	67	5	2	4
All other farm production expenses ..... farms..	20 669	17 304	1 835	1 275	1 192	1 153	83	60	255
$1,000..	253 025	127 868	56 466	65 783	57 940	52 350	7 844	3 615	2 908
Farms with expenses of—									
$1 to $4,999	14 349	12 919	931	326	307	294	19	16	173
$5,000 to $24,999	4 349	3 340	487	469	435	430	34	22	53
$25,000 to $49,999	889	575	134	166	161	157	5	2	14
$50,000 to $99,999	625	308	144	162	153	148	9	9	11
$100,000 or more	457	162	139	152	136	124	16	11	4

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NET CASH RETURN FROM AGRICULTURAL SALES FOR THE FARM UNIT (SEE TEXT)[1]									
All farms ..... number..	22 334	18 802	1 909	1 313	1 229	1 190	84	61	310
$1,000..	590 283	280 831	167 922	139 577	131 073	123 155	8 504	7 214	1 952
Average per farm ..... dollars..	26 430	14 936	87 963	106 304	106 650	103 491	101 239	118 260	6 297
Farms with net gains[2] ..... number..	11 024	8 815	1 211	871	815	784	56	36	127
Average net gain ..... dollars..	64 175	40 575	147 821	188 457	(D)	170 371	(D)	255 469	52 250
Gain of—									
Less than $1,000	1 161	1 112	29	19	18	18	1	–	1
$1,000 to $9,999	3 974	3 524	324	71	71	62	–	–	55
$10,000 to $49,999	3 061	2 446	316	261	248	246	13	12	38
$50,000 or more	2 828	1 733	542	520	478	458	42	24	33
Farms with net losses ..... number..	11 310	9 987	698	442	414	406	28	25	183
Average net loss ..... dollars..	10 361	7 694	15 888	55 587	(D)	25 656	(D)	79 321	25 594
Loss of—									
Less than $1,000	1 919	1 754	88	49	48	48	1	1	28
$1,000 to $9,999	6 896	6 316	318	182	179	177	3	1	80
$10,000 to $49,999	2 168	1 726	249	138	120	118	18	18	55
$50,000 or more	327	191	43	73	67	63	6	5	20
GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS AND OTHER FARM-RELATED INCOME									
Government payments ..... farms..	7 848	5 943	1 021	770	734	714	36	32	114
$1,000..	73 124	41 434	18 265	12 001	11 477	11 156	524	482	1 423
Other farm-related income[1] ..... farms..	6 508	5 377	656	401	380	367	21	18	74
$1,000..	58 462	40 067	8 895	8 741	8 313	7 653	428	385	760
Customwork and other agricultural services ..... farms..	1 981	1 706	150	122	119	118	3	2	3
$1,000..	24 521	18 714	(D)	2 829	2 792	(D)	37	(D)	(D)
Gross cash rent or share payments ..... farms..	2 800	2 324	265	158	144	138	14	13	53
$1,000..	24 182	15 102	4 100	4 360	3 996	3 655	365	(D)	621
Forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products ..... farms..	597	465	93	22	22	21	–	–	17
$1,000..	6 200	4 112	1 239	799	799	(D)	–	–	50
Other farm-related income sources ..... farms..	2 608	2 075	321	196	189	182	7	4	16
$1,000..	3 558	2 139	(D)	752	725	704	26	13	(D)
COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS									
Total ..... farms..	889	627	134	120	119	119	1	1	8
$1,000..	29 610	14 729	8 452	6 289	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	140
Corn ..... farms..	32	25	3	4	4	4	–	–	–
$1,000..	(D)	(D)	(D)	7	7	7	–	–	–
Wheat ..... farms..	782	543	122	110	109	109	1	1	7
$1,000..	25 584	12 443	(D)	5 335	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Soybeans ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sorghum, barley, and oats ..... farms..	241	179	28	32	32	32	–	–	2
$1,000..	3 968	2 241	(D)	947	947	947	–	–	(D)
Cotton ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sunflower seed, flaxseed, safflower, canola, other rapeseed, and mustard seed ..... farms..	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	(D)	(D)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Peanuts, rice, and tobacco ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE									
Total cropland ..... farms..	18 994	15 781	1 722	1 294	1 203	1 170	91	71	197
acres..	6 308 877	3 662 797	1 404 702	1 135 331	1 073 732	1 028 612	61 599	48 241	106 047
Harvested cropland ..... farms..	15 494	12 664	1 499	1 186	1 110	1 080	76	59	145
acres..	4 478 862	2 507 560	1 012 316	894 194	851 839	814 126	42 355	30 699	64 792
Farms by acres harvested:									
1 to 49 acres	6 388	5 878	296	160	150	149	10	10	54
50 to 99 acres	2 038	1 780	167	67	59	59	8	5	24
100 to 199 acres	2 111	1 738	214	141	130	128	11	11	18
200 to 499 acres	2 519	1 951	263	277	255	248	22	14	28
500 to 999 acres	1 336	830	235	262	247	240	15	11	9
1,000 to 1,999 acres	768	386	188	188	184	176	4	3	6
2,000 acres or more	334	101	136	91	85	80	6	5	6
Cropland:									
Pasture or grazing only ..... farms..	9 257	7 978	720	472	442	436	30	24	87
acres..	816 471	574 091	123 908	104 907	95 059	90 784	9 848	9 108	13 565
In cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured ..... farms..	1 410	1 014	216	140	131	128	9	6	40
acres..	362 371	206 280	86 814	56 101	52 995	52 295	3 106	2 644	13 176
On which all crops failed ..... farms..	420	322	51	41	35	35	6	6	6
acres..	28 229	18 879	4 107	4 926	2 992	2 992	1 934	1 934	317
In cultivated summer fallow ..... farms..	1 383	988	235	139	130	125	9	6	21
acres..	306 898	171 054	93 876	36 319	33 378	32 201	2 941	(D)	5 649
Idle ..... farms..	2 294	1 792	280	186	176	169	10	8	36
acres..	316 046	184 933	83 681	38 884	37 469	36 214	1 415	(D)	8 548
Total woodland ..... farms..	2 584	2 210	197	131	127	125	4	2	46
acres..	514 787	345 449	79 252	61 353	60 471	(D)	882	(D)	28 733
Woodland pastured ..... farms..	1 629	1 405	128	71	69	68	2	2	25
acres..	356 407	235 357	58 081	38 455	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	24 514
Woodland not pastured ..... farms..	1 352	1 153	95	75	73	72	2	–	29
acres..	158 380	110 092	21 171	22 898	(D)	(D)	(D)	–	4 219

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LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE—Con.									
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured ..... farms..	6 517	5 304	639	451	427	414	24	21	123
acres..	4 589 326	1 958 587	744 578	1 078 873	1 026 503	920 871	52 370	48 850	807 288
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. ..... farms..	13 330	11 264	1 066	856	795	771	61	43	144
acres..	417 177	260 027	73 714	68 107	61 445	(D)	6 662	(D)	15 329
Irrigated land ..... farms..	15 191	12 718	1 290	1 048	970	945	78	59	135
acres..	3 493 542	1 997 951	697 997	742 492	698 929	654 212	43 563	31 908	55 102
Harvested cropland irrigated ..... farms..	12 182	9 937	1 153	985	912	890	73	56	107
acres..	3 057 436	1 706 795	632 485	675 147	634 473	602 207	40 674	29 321	43 009
Pasture and other land irrigated ..... farms..	7 621	6 685	518	351	331	321	20	14	67
acres..	436 106	291 156	65 512	67 345	64 456	52 005	2 889	2 587	12 093
Land under Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs ..... farms..	2 426	1 796	356	218	208	199	10	9	56
acres..	705 407	408 921	185 623	86 282	82 373	80 213	3 909	(D)	24 581
VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS[1]									
Estimated market value of land and buildings ..... farms..	22 334	18 802	1 909	1 313	1 229	1 190	84	61	310
$1,000..	11 982 650	7 445 171	2 086 195	2 079 434	1 940 384	1 840 450	139 050	109 906	371 850
Average per farm ..... dollars..	536 521	395 978	1 092 821	1 583 728	1 578 831	1 546 597	1 655 361	1 801 732	1 199 516
Average per acre ..... dollars..	1 017	1 199	926	885	863	877	1 366	1 299	382
Farms by value group:									
$1 to $39,999	2 406	2 211	122	46	44	44	2	1	27
$40,000 to $69,999	1 686	1 500	137	30	30	29	–	–	19
$70,000 to $99,999	1 552	1 414	115	21	20	20	1	1	2
$100,000 to $149,999	2 739	2 479	134	79	67	66	12	12	47
$150,000 to $199,999	2 092	1 940	101	50	50	41	–	–	1
$200,000 to $499,999	6 148	5 424	419	218	191	191	27	13	87
$500,000 to $999,999	2 892	2 190	322	302	286	284	16	14	78
$1,000,000 to $1,999,999	1 626	1 103	255	244	236	230	8	6	24
$2,000,000 to $4,999,999	958	455	236	252	240	227	12	10	15
$5,000,000 or more	235	86	68	71	65	58	6	4	10
VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT[1]									
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ..... farms..	22 333	18 802	1 908	1 313	1 229	1 190	84	61	310
$1,000..	1 740 107	1 081 455	315 851	323 012	299 137	283 457	23 875	16 574	19 789
Farms by value group:									
$1 to $4,999	2 553	2 394	122	9	8	8	1	1	28
$5,000 to $9,999	2 788	2 520	162	72	72	72	–	–	34
$10,000 to $19,999	3 823	3 378	250	137	133	130	4	2	58
$20,000 to $49,999	5 527	4 896	363	194	178	167	16	14	74
$50,000 to $99,999	3 271	2 732	313	161	142	141	19	8	65
$100,000 to $199,999	2 176	1 681	232	232	213	209	19	17	31
$200,000 to $499,999	1 638	976	301	347	334	328	13	11	14
$500,000 or more	557	225	165	161	149	135	12	8	6
SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT[1]									
Motortrucks, including pickups ..... farms..	20 936	17 602	1 772	1 269	1 187	1 157	82	60	293
number..	60 044	43 746	7 755	7 628	7 201	6 987	427	312	915
Wheel tractors ..... farms..	18 680	15 594	1 634	1 188	1 109	1 076	79	58	264
number..	43 547	33 103	5 297	4 590	4 237	4 109	353	242	557
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms..	9 113	7 703	785	512	475	464	37	32	113
number..	12 607	10 358	1 167	924	844	817	80	54	158
40 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms..	14 302	11 684	1 369	1 036	962	929	74	54	213
number..	30 940	22 745	4 130	3 666	3 393	3 292	273	188	399
40 to 99 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms..	11 737	9 755	1 066	761	707	694	54	48	155
number..	18 287	14 522	1 898	1 629	1 490	1 465	139	103	238
100 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms..	6 931	5 142	896	782	726	699	56	38	111
number..	12 653	8 223	2 232	2 037	1 903	1 827	134	85	161
Grain and bean combines ..... farms..	4 495	3 270	654	515	500	490	15	13	56
number..	5 919	4 121	988	743	720	706	23	(D)	67
Cotton pickers and strippers ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Mower conditioners ..... farms..	7 183	6 047	659	419	400	383	19	17	58
number..	7 911	6 573	783	496	475	454	21	(D)	59
Pickup balers ..... farms..	8 067	6 855	695	447	426	409	21	19	70
number..	9 299	7 824	852	539	512	494	27	(D)	84
AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS[1]									
Commercial fertilizer ..... farms..	11 502	9 257	1 223	914	856	825	58	41	108
acres on which used..	3 526 053	1 913 274	829 489	736 797	703 792	672 215	33 005	23 361	46 493
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—									
Insects on hay and other crops ..... farms..	3 626	2 522	504	540	494	484	46	29	60
acres on which used..	967 881	460 810	237 568	254 141	234 519	226 631	19 622	11 304	15 362
Nematodes in crops ..... farms..	793	476	167	144	135	131	9	6	6
acres on which used..	194 614	85 005	56 581	51 401	48 627	46 287	2 774	1 999	1 627
Diseases in crops and orchards ..... farms..	1 517	979	256	269	249	239	20	17	13
acres on which used..	461 292	200 585	119 442	132 266	123 661	118 859	8 605	5 649	8 999
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture ..... farms..	8 716	6 910	946	742	692	678	50	33	118
acres on which used..	2 499 076	1 345 234	603 945	509 221	479 067	465 429	30 154	19 509	40 676
Chemicals used on crops to control growth, thin fruit, or defoliate ..... farms..	952	647	151	149	142	139	7	5	5
acres on which used..	241 305	111 995	(D)	75 333	72 867	67 965	2 466	(D)	(D)

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TENURE AND RACE OF OPERATOR									
All operators	22 314	18 631	1 956	1 459	1 351	1 310	108	84	268
Full owners	13 875	11 983	1 021	682	614	590	68	54	189
Part owners	6 292	5 028	670	543	523	509	20	10	51
Tenants	2 147	1 620	265	234	214	211	20	20	28
White	21 962	18 341	1 930	1 432	1 327	1 286	105	81	259
Full owners	13 674	11 805	1 010	675	609	585	66	52	184
Part owners	6 187	4 948	659	531	511	497	20	10	49
Tenants	2 101	1 588	261	226	207	204	19	19	26
Black and other races	352	290	26	27	24	24	3	3	9
Full owners	201	178	11	7	5	5	2	2	5
Part owners	105	80	11	12	12	12	–	–	2
Tenants	46	32	4	8	7	7	1	1	2
OWNED AND RENTED LAND									
Land owned ... farms	20 264	17 091	1 698	1 232	1 144	1 106	88	64	243
acres	9 027 774	4 438 640	1 658 324	1 734 435	1 647 625	1 485 723	86 810	70 231	1 196 375
Owned land in farms ... farms	20 167	17 011	1 691	1 225	1 137	1 099	88	64	240
acres	7 897 630	3 981 415	1 522 265	1 636 791	1 557 656	1 414 261	79 135	65 649	757 159
Land rented or leased from others ... farms	8 535	6 731	944	781	740	723	41	30	79
acres	4 007 597	2 295 217	795 084	715 295	669 469	653 049	45 826	35 380	202 001
landlords	21 918	16 180	2 995	2 527	2 345	2 312	182	77	216
Rented or leased land in farms ... farms	8 439	6 648	935	777	737	720	40	30	79
acres	3 932 537	2 245 445	779 981	706 873	664 495	649 157	42 378	35 380	200 238
Land rented or leased to others ... farms	3 433	2 752	354	258	236	224	22	15	69
acres	1 205 204	506 997	151 162	106 066	94 943	75 354	11 123	4 582	440 979
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS									
Operators by place of residence:									
On farm operated	17 068	14 787	1 240	912	881	857	31	24	129
Not on farm operated	3 801	2 727	546	420	355	343	65	51	108
Not reported	1 445	1 117	170	127	115	110	12	9	31
Operators by principal occupation:									
Farming	12 049	9 364	1 367	1 173	1 107	1 072	66	51	145
Other	10 265	9 267	589	286	244	238	42	33	123
Operators by days worked off farm:									
None	8 856	6 839	972	919	864	837	55	42	126
Any	12 230	10 855	817	441	395	386	46	36	117
1 to 99 days	2 264	1 867	212	155	142	139	13	10	30
100 to 199 days	2 081	1 811	148	100	92	89	8	7	22
200 days or more	7 885	7 177	457	186	161	158	25	19	65
Not reported	1 228	937	167	99	92	87	7	6	25
Operators by years on present farm:									
2 years or less	1 269	1 090	94	66	57	55	9	8	19
3 or 4 years	1 752	1 521	140	64	58	57	6	5	27
5 to 9 years	3 592	3 136	249	178	156	149	22	17	29
10 years or more	12 603	10 434	1 134	906	863	839	43	33	129
Average years on present farm	18.7	18.3	20.8	20.8	21.4	21.4	12.4	12.1	19.3
Not reported	3 098	2 450	339	245	217	210	28	21	64
Operators by age group:									
Under 25 years	236	199	31	5	5	5	–	–	1
25 to 34 years	1 362	1 162	115	72	69	67	3	2	13
35 to 44 years	4 986	4 214	398	338	313	301	25	16	36
45 to 49 years	2 971	2 444	247	250	225	222	25	20	30
50 to 54 years	2 879	2 436	227	185	170	165	15	12	31
55 to 59 years	2 640	2 229	206	171	157	154	14	13	34
60 to 64 years	2 264	1 887	210	131	120	110	11	9	36
65 to 69 years	1 855	1 525	181	121	112	111	9	9	28
70 years and over	3 121	2 535	341	186	180	175	6	3	59
Average age	53.2	53.1	54.3	53.0	53.0	53.0	51.8	52.5	57.8
Operators by sex:									
Male	20 565	17 135	1 819	1 380	1 281	1 243	99	77	231
Female	1 749	1 496	137	79	70	67	9	7	37
Operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin (see text)	328	276	30	19	17	14	2	2	3
FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION									
Individual or family (sole proprietorship) ... farms	18 631	18 631	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	6 226 860	6 226 860	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Partnership ... farms	1 956	–	1 956	–	–	–	–	–	–
acres	2 302 246	–	2 302 246	–	–	–	–	–	–
Corporation:									
Family held ... farms	1 351	–	–	1 351	1 351	1 310	–	–	–
acres	2 222 151	–	–	2 222 151	2 222 151	2 063 418	–	–	–
More than 10 stockholders ... farms	41	–	–	41	41	–	–	–	–
10 or less stockholders ... farms	1 310	–	–	1 310	1 310	1 310	–	–	–
Other than family held ... farms	108	–	–	108	–	–	108	84	–
acres	121 513	–	–	121 513	–	–	121 513	101 029	–
More than 10 stockholders ... farms	24	–	–	24	–	–	24	–	–
10 or less stockholders ... farms	84	–	–	84	–	–	84	84	–
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. ... farms	268	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	268
acres	957 397	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	957 397

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INJURIES AND DEATHS									
Farm-related injuries:									
Operator and family members ..... farms..	280	202	38	38	37	35	1	1	2
number..	317	230	(D)	43	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Hired workers ..... farms..	446	215	86	137	113	108	24	17	8
number..	723	305	132	274	233	189	41	25	12
Farm-related deaths:									
Operator and family members ..... farms..	6	5	–	1	1	1	–	–	–
number..	6	(D)	–	(D)	(D)	(D)	–	–	–
Hired workers ..... farms..	4	2	1	1	1	1	–	–	–
number..	5	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	–	–	–
FARMS BY SIZE									
1 to 9 acres	3 092	2 869	134	73	68	66	5	4	16
10 to 49 acres	5 621	5 235	227	122	108	108	14	12	37
50 to 69 acres	1 006	916	59	26	26	24	–	–	5
70 to 99 acres	1 406	1 271	90	34	30	30	4	3	11
100 to 139 acres	1 159	1 008	93	49	44	44	5	5	9
140 to 179 acres	1 186	995	104	65	58	57	7	6	22
180 to 219 acres	786	673	55	46	42	42	4	1	12
220 to 259 acres	695	578	65	44	38	38	6	5	8
260 to 499 acres	2 331	1 884	234	174	156	152	18	14	39
500 to 999 acres	2 199	1 590	281	290	270	263	20	13	38
1,000 to 1,999 acres	1 582	1 041	267	256	247	235	9	8	18
2,000 acres or more	1 251	571	347	280	264	251	16	13	53
FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM									
Oilseed and grain farming (1111)	3 925	3 075	454	322	300	290	22	16	74
Vegetable and melon farming (1112)	980	586	194	191	180	174	11	10	9
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113)	271	227	20	21	17	16	4	4	3
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114)	444	335	37	65	61	61	4	4	7
Other crop farming (1119)	4 746	3 967	401	337	314	308	23	15	41
Tobacco farming (11191)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton farming (11192)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199)	4 746	3 967	401	337	314	308	23	15	41
Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111)	7 697	6 766	549	287	269	258	18	15	95
Cattle feedlots (112112)	443	382	25	31	25	23	6	5	5
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212)	926	685	153	82	75	74	7	4	6
Hog and pig farming (1122)	180	166	7	7	6	6	1	1	–
Poultry and egg production (1123)	84	65	4	15	13	12	2	2	–
Sheep and goat farming (1124)	465	418	25	19	19	18	–	–	3
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129)	2 153	1 959	87	82	72	70	10	8	25
LIVESTOCK									
Cattle and calves inventory ..... farms..	12 063	10 316	1 036	613	575	561	38	30	98
number..	1 908 097	1 039 368	330 392	515 801	430 020	290 050	85 781	37 706	22 536
Farms with—									
1 to 9	2 414	2 273	97	34	33	33	1	–	10
10 to 49	4 485	4 070	279	100	91	91	9	8	36
50 to 99	1 750	1 519	150	69	68	68	1	–	12
100 to 199	1 419	1 179	140	86	84	83	2	2	14
200 to 499	1 305	930	203	157	150	146	7	5	15
500 or more	690	345	167	167	149	140	18	15	11
Cows and heifers that had calved ..... farms..	9 375	7 913	884	498	466	454	32	27	80
number..	821 530	508 731	178 816	122 246	106 685	99 634	15 561	9 838	11 737
Beef cows ..... farms..	8 405	7 168	746	420	397	386	23	21	71
number..	555 676	358 605	93 863	92 401	84 273	(D)	8 128	(D)	10 807
Farms with—									
1 to 9	2 347	2 165	125	42	39	38	3	2	15
10 to 49	3 463	3 085	255	102	96	96	6	6	21
50 to 99	1 067	896	108	56	55	55	1	1	7
100 to 199	818	621	111	73	70	70	3	3	13
200 to 499	563	352	109	92	86	83	6	5	10
500 or more	147	49	38	55	51	44	4	4	5
Milk cows ..... farms..	1 404	1 108	184	101	92	90	9	6	11
number..	265 854	150 126	84 953	29 845	22 412	(D)	7 433	(D)	930
Farms with—									
1 to 4	375	346	14	10	8	7	2	2	5
5 to 9	38	32	5	1	1	1	–	–	–
10 to 49	250	223	19	7	7	7	–	–	1
50 to 99	236	190	29	14	13	13	1	–	3
100 to 199	206	141	36	28	27	27	1	1	1
200 to 499	172	113	30	29	27	26	2	2	–
500 or more	127	63	51	12	9	9	3	1	1
Heifers and heifer calves ..... farms..	9 102	7 683	830	514	480	469	34	27	75
number..	551 508	290 668	92 491	162 808	135 882	100 101	26 926	12 786	5 541
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves ..... farms..	10 110	8 620	884	521	492	479	29	23	85
number..	535 059	239 969	59 085	230 747	187 453	90 315	43 294	15 082	5 258

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LIVESTOCK—Con.									
Cattle and calves sold ..... farms..	11 684	9 944	1 031	612	573	558	39	32	97
number..	1 578 375	644 163	172 306	749 813	568 802	282 558	181 011	58 979	12 093
$1,000..	910 805	308 982	75 622	520 338	388 406	177 900	131 932	37 590	5 863
Calves ..... farms..	4 519	3 867	424	191	175	171	16	12	37
number..	240 292	152 687	58 974	25 784	19 145	18 692	6 639	2 809	2 847
$1,000..	59 093	38 820	12 517	7 021	6 081	5 924	940	645	736
Cattle ..... farms..	9 902	8 399	878	540	511	497	29	24	85
number..	1 338 083	491 476	113 332	724 029	549 657	263 866	174 372	56 170	9 246
$1,000..	851 712	270 162	63 105	513 317	382 325	171 975	130 992	36 945	5 128
Fattened on grain and concentrates .... farms..	984	810	98	69	61	58	8	6	7
number..	632 606	61 948	8 344	561 038	412 136	133 620	148 902	(D)	1 276
$1,000..	473 467	45 494	6 968	420 088	304 543	98 322	115 545	(D)	917
Hogs and pigs inventory ..... farms..	714	658	40	14	13	12	1	1	2
number..	29 026	23 755	2 076	(D)	1 187	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Farms with—									
1 to 24	588	544	33	9	9	8	–	–	2
25 to 49	49	48	–	1	1	1	–	–	–
50 to 99	21	18	1	2	2	2	–	–	–
100 to 199	25	21	4	–	–	–	–	–	–
200 to 499	20	19	1	–	–	–	–	–	–
500 or more	11	8	1	2	1	1	1	1	–
Used or to be used for breeding ..... farms..	290	266	18	5	4	4	1	1	1
number..	4 456	3 651	267	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Other ..... farms..	653	599	38	14	13	12	1	1	2
number..	24 570	20 104	1 809	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Hogs and pigs sold..... farms..	573	524	32	16	15	15	1	1	1
number..	44 626	39 140	2 510	(D)	774	774	(D)	(D)	(D)
$1,000..	4 473	3 892	277	(D)	81	81	(D)	(D)	(D)
Feeder pigs ..... farms..	90	85	3	2	1	1	1	1	–
number..	9 305	8 812	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	–
$1,000..	345	332	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	–
Litters of pigs farrowed between—									
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30 .... farms..	309	283	18	7	6	6	1	1	1
number..	5 892	5 031	408	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Dec. 1 and May 31..... farms..	274	251	17	5	4	4	1	1	1
number..	3 112	2 711	(D)	(D)	11	11	(D)	(D)	(D)
June 1 and Nov. 30 ..... farms..	240	217	16	7	6	6	1	1	–
number..	2 780	2 320	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	–
Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory..... farms..	1 097	973	76	43	40	38	3	3	5
number..	273 804	94 406	(D)	123 071	122 909	(D)	162	162	(D)
Ewes 1 year old or older ..... farms..	940	829	68	39	36	34	3	3	4
number..	212 487	74 249	(D)	98 834	98 696	(D)	138	138	(D)
Sheep and lambs sold..... farms..	1 035	917	74	39	36	34	3	3	5
number..	291 435	95 992	42 932	146 520	146 430	(D)	90	90	5 991
Sheep and lambs shorn ..... farms..	881	771	70	36	33	31	3	3	4
number..	240 028	84 429	(D)	109 452	109 349	(D)	103	103	(D)
pounds of wool..	2 260 626	762 659	(D)	1 063 840	1 063 178	(D)	662	662	(D)
Horses and ponies inventory ..... farms..	8 682	7 600	615	396	381	365	15	12	71
number..	59 559	48 124	4 954	4 210	3 947	3 658	263	229	2 271
Horses and ponies sold..... farms..	1 783	1 568	112	86	81	78	5	5	17
number..	6 196	5 250	471	395	353	336	42	42	80
Goats inventory ..... farms..	657	599	37	16	14	14	2	2	5
number..	6 269	5 592	205	450	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	22
Goats sold ..... farms..	213	201	7	5	5	5	–	–	–
number..	2 492	2 360	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	–	–	–
POULTRY									
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text) ..... farms..	886	815	46	22	20	19	2	2	3
number..	(D)	22 493	702	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Farms with—									
1 to 399	882	814	46	19	17	17	2	2	3
400 to 3,199	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999.....	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
10,000 to 19,999	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1	–	–	1	1	1	–	–	–
100,000 or more	2	–	–	2	2	1	–	–	–
Layers 20 weeks old and older ..... farms..	865	794	46	22	20	19	2	2	3
number..	922 612	16 944	643	904 954	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	71
Pullets 13 weeks old and older but less than 20 weeks old ..... farms..	155	147	5	2	2	2	–	–	1
number..	(D)	5 549	59	(D)	(D)	(D)	–	–	(D)
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold (see text)..... farms..	76	72	1	3	3	2	–	–	–
number..	404 434	(D)	(D)	399 058	399 058	(D)	–	–	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold .. farms..	55	50	2	3	3	3	–	–	–
number..	6 043	5 283	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	–	–	–
Farms with—									
1 to 1,999.....	54	49	2	3	3	3	–	–	–
2,000 to 59,999.....	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
60,000 to 99,999	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 or more	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens kept for breeding ..... farms..	64	58	3	3	3	3	–	–	–
number..	313	301	9	3	3	3	–	–	–
Turkeys sold ..... farms..	40	37	2	1	1	1	–	–	–
number..	400	370	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	–	–	–

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SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED									
Corn for grain or seed ..... farms..	694	535	74	78	76	74	2	2	7
acres..	41 162	27 323	4 150	9 175	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	514
bushels..	6 390 279	4 051 252	670 697	1 585 247	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	83 083
Irrigated ..... farms..	694	535	74	78	76	74	2	2	7
acres..	41 162	27 323	4 150	9 175	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	514
Corn for silage or green chop..... farms..	1 041	757	147	128	124	119	4	2	9
acres..	79 086	46 157	17 997	13 957	12 999	12 151	958	(D)	975
tons, green..	1 991 808	1 141 512	464 613	360 474	336 194	319 185	24 280	(D)	25 209
Irrigated ..... farms..	1 041	757	147	128	124	119	4	2	9
acres..	79 086	46 157	17 997	13 957	12 999	12 151	958	(D)	975
Wheat for grain ..... farms..	5 199	3 761	734	655	628	613	27	21	49
acres..	1 410 978	724 698	409 219	258 816	248 022	239 704	10 794	9 253	18 245
bushels..	108 941 849	55 179 578	30 493 210	22 015 957	21 010 556	20 346 761	1 005 401	854 002	1 253 104
Irrigated ..... farms..	3 852	2 818	481	521	495	483	26	21	32
acres..	787 355	404 996	202 043	171 202	161 368	154 826	9 834	8 593	9 114
Farms by acres harvested:									
1 to 24 acres	766	666	47	44	44	44	–	–	9
25 to 99 acres	1 723	1 403	168	135	130	130	5	4	17
100 to 249 acres.....	1 176	841	141	184	178	175	6	4	10
250 to 499 acres.....	716	465	123	127	116	110	11	9	1
500 acres or more	818	386	255	165	160	154	5	4	12
Barley for grain ..... farms..	4 178	3 085	575	483	463	446	20	13	35
acres..	711 504	400 319	150 137	153 832	150 183	144 231	3 649	2 556	7 216
bushels..	54 317 070	29 470 459	11 502 642	12 847 601	12 461 897	11 878 005	385 704	259 568	496 368
Irrigated ..... farms..	3 098	2 315	384	371	351	340	20	13	28
acres..	415 100	231 583	79 817	100 825	97 176	93 063	3 649	2 556	2 875
Farms by acres harvested:									
1 to 24 acres	893	772	74	39	39	39	–	–	8
25 to 99 acres	1 613	1 276	201	126	118	112	8	4	10
100 to 249 acres.....	933	655	127	140	132	130	8	8	11
250 to 499 acres.....	418	237	92	86	83	80	3	–	3
500 acres or more	321	145	81	92	91	85	1	1	3
Oats for grain ..... farms..	549	429	65	46	46	45	–	–	9
acres..	20 406	14 778	2 948	2 225	2 225	(D)	–	–	455
bushels..	1 472 775	1 006 276	237 001	184 786	184 786	(D)	–	–	44 712
Irrigated ..... farms..	309	244	29	30	30	29	–	–	6
acres..	8 316	5 982	811	1 148	1 148	(D)	–	–	375
Dry edible beans, excluding dry limas ..... farms..	1 138	893	107	130	122	121	8	6	8
acres..	92 743	61 106	13 459	17 520	16 762	(D)	758	(D)	658
cwt..	2 036 315	1 350 753	287 083	384 708	372 668	(D)	12 040	(D)	13 771
Irrigated ..... farms..	1 093	866	94	125	117	116	8	6	8
acres..	86 742	58 455	10 946	16 683	15 925	(D)	758	(D)	658
Farms by acres harvested:									
1 to 24 acres	238	204	14	18	16	16	2	–	2
25 to 99 acres	602	504	44	50	47	47	3	3	4
100 to 249 acres.....	237	157	33	46	44	43	2	2	1
250 to 499 acres.....	53	28	12	12	11	11	1	1	1
500 acres or more	8	–	4	4	4	4	–	–	–
Potatoes, excluding sweetpotatoes..... farms..	1 402	796	293	302	287	278	15	15	11
acres..	394 977	155 937	111 144	124 594	119 702	113 548	4 892	4 892	3 302
cwt..	135 578 736	53 206 759	37 855 660	43 387 017	41 720 638	40 040 417	1 666 379	1 666 379	1 129 300
Irrigated ..... farms..	1 402	796	293	302	287	278	15	15	11
acres..	394 817	155 937	111 144	124 434	119 542	113 388	4 892	4 892	3 302
Farms by acres harvested:									
0.1 to 4.9 acres.....	45	38	6	1	1	1	–	–	–
5.0 to 24.9 acres.....	83	68	8	4	4	4	–	–	3
25.0 to 99.9 acres	403	282	61	57	55	54	2	2	3
100.0 to 249.9 acres	403	234	75	91	85	84	6	6	3
250.0 acres or more.....	468	174	143	149	142	135	7	7	2
Sugar beets for sugar ..... farms..	921	615	152	146	139	139	7	5	8
acres..	195 651	93 286	53 300	48 379	44 822	44 822	3 557	(D)	686
tons..	5 078 013	2 422 420	1 364 889	1 273 106	1 167 796	1 167 796	105 310	(D)	17 598
Irrigated ..... farms..	921	615	152	146	139	139	7	5	8
acres..	195 651	93 286	53 300	48 379	44 822	44 822	3 557	(D)	686
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) ... farms..	11 960	10 038	1 046	761	713	694	48	35	115
acres..	1 260 010	841 995	196 859	188 841	176 449	164 180	12 392	8 563	32 315
tons, dry..	4 395 396	2 853 396	688 661	757 060	700 033	640 055	57 027	37 986	96 279
Irrigated ..... farms..	9 307	7 763	816	645	598	584	47	34	83
acres..	949 485	627 469	147 464	150 228	138 396	127 964	11 832	8 003	24 324
Farms by acres harvested:									
1 to 24 acres	4 364	4 041	189	101	93	92	8	5	33
25 to 99 acres	4 175	3 596	334	206	196	193	10	9	39
100 to 249 acres.....	2 192	1 645	285	238	225	221	13	11	24
250 to 499 acres.....	813	544	133	122	115	110	7	2	14
500 acres or more	416	212	105	94	84	78	10	8	5
Alfalfa hay ..... farms..	10 001	8 332	912	662	624	608	38	28	95
acres..	946 882	636 160	147 838	141 957	133 312	125 307	8 645	6 702	20 927
tons, dry..	3 721 968	2 427 634	582 929	632 720	587 346	547 370	45 374	32 587	78 685
Irrigated ..... farms..	8 306	6 895	755	583	546	533	37	27	73
acres..	753 313	502 214	117 081	115 144	107 059	99 759	8 085	6 142	18 874

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SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED—Con.										
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)	farms	645	491	55	96	90	89	6	2	3
	acres	37 783	21 531	4 838	11 105	8 231	(D)	2 874	(D)	309
Irrigated	farms	632	480	53	96	90	89	6	2	3
	acres	34 764	19 447	3 906	11 102	8 228	(D)	2 874	(D)	309
Farms by acres harvested:										
0.1 to 4.9 acres		136	121	8	7	6	5	1	1	–
5.0 to 24.9 acres		152	134	9	9	9	9	–	–	–
25.0 to 99.9 acres		256	182	22	50	49	49	1	–	2
100.0 to 249.9 acres		77	42	13	21	19	19	2	–	1
250.0 acres or more		24	12	3	9	7	7	2	1	–
Green peas, excluding green cowpeas, harvested for sale	farms	67	55	4	8	6	6	2	–	–
	acres	4 295	2 782	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	–	–
Irrigated	farms	58	47	3	8	6	6	2	–	–
	acres	1 303	715	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	–	–
Sweet corn harvested for sale	farms	361	284	28	47	43	42	4	1	2
	acres	18 002	10 378	(D)	5 753	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Irrigated	farms	361	284	28	47	43	42	4	1	2
	acres	18 002	10 378	(D)	5 753	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Field seed and grass seed crops	farms	590	415	77	94	92	88	2	1	4
	acres	81 635	44 571	(D)	22 898	(D)	21 217	(D)	(D)	(D)
Irrigated	farms	388	290	33	63	61	57	2	1	2
	acres	43 426	27 872	(D)	10 361	(D)	8 680	(D)	(D)	(D)
Land in orchards	farms	377	310	24	34	30	29	4	4	9
	acres	9 903	3 724	665	5 429	4 689	(D)	741	741	85
Irrigated	farms	335	275	21	31	27	26	4	4	8
	acres	9 553	3 399	648	5 422	4 682	(D)	741	741	84
Farms by bearing and nonbearing acres:										
0.1 to 4.9 acres		208	190	8	6	6	6	–	–	4
5.0 to 24.9 acres		94	76	7	6	6	6	–	–	5
25.0 to 99.9 acres		60	39	8	13	10	10	3	3	–
100.0 to 249.9 acres		10	5	1	4	4	4	–	–	–
250.0 acres or more		5	–	–	5	4	3	1	1	–

[1]Data are based on a sample of farms.
[2]Farms with total production expenses equal to market value of agricultural products sold are included as farms with gains of less than $1,000.

Table 48. **Summary by Age and Principal Occupation of Operator: 1997**

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

Item	Total farming and other occupations	Farming						
		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS								
Farms ..... number..	22 314	12 049	155	680	2 346	2 656	2 574	3 638
percent..	100.0	54.0	.7	3.0	10.5	11.9	11.5	16.3
Land in farms ..... acres..	11 830 167	9 957 654	46 317	407 055	2 156 216	2 646 395	2 400 504	2 301 167
Average size of farm ..... acres..	530	826	299	599	919	996	933	633
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD								
Total sales (see text) ..... farms..	22 314	12 049	155	680	2 346	2 656	2 574	3 638
$1,000..	3 345 864	2 870 685	13 126	166 496	754 170	922 129	603 575	411 189
Average per farm ..... dollars..	149 945	238 251	84 682	244 848	321 471	347 187	234 489	113 026
Farms by value of sales:								
Less than $1,000 (see text)	3 243	835	11	27	93	111	176	417
$1,000 to $2,499	2 420	572	6	22	70	94	103	277
$2,500 to $4,999	2 350	721	7	24	68	97	174	351
$5,000 to $9,999	2 362	909	9	37	100	136	203	424
$10,000 to $19,999	2 455	1 182	18	56	155	192	260	501
$20,000 to $24,999	727	423	8	21	49	68	98	179
$25,000 to $39,999	1 407	909	14	50	146	178	195	326
$40,000 to $49,999	661	490	15	39	82	85	112	157
$50,000 to $99,999	1 898	1 529	33	100	320	379	329	368
$100,000 to $249,999	2 312	2 116	22	157	548	614	432	343
$250,000 to $499,999	1 198	1 142	7	75	346	320	245	149
$500,000 to $999,999	710	678	4	39	196	214	141	84
$1,000,000 to $2,499,999	418	400	1	24	137	126	73	39
$2,500,000 to $4,999,999	95	93	–	7	26	26	18	16
$5,000,000 or more	58	50	–	2	10	16	15	7
Grains ..... farms..	7 199	5 749	79	391	1 358	1 440	1 205	1 276
$1,000..	573 088	542 228	2 846	32 267	155 585	163 404	108 695	79 432
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	2 792	2 656	19	186	754	787	564	346
$1,000..	501 238	484 292	1 798	28 082	142 298	149 672	97 214	65 228
Corn for grain ..... farms..	590	510	11	59	131	127	96	86
$1,000..	17 592	16 748	238	2 354	4 585	4 672	2 558	2 341
Wheat ..... farms..	5 171	4 324	49	293	1 068	1 104	917	893
$1,000..	346 339	328 872	1 339	17 809	94 262	98 531	66 669	50 262
Soybeans ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sorghum for grain ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Barley ..... farms..	3 613	2 937	41	193	703	789	612	599
$1,000..	140 145	130 904	806	7 258	37 125	39 018	26 665	20 032
Oats ..... farms..	298	228	3	12	43	54	57	59
$1,000..	1 832	1 649	7	229	335	428	376	274
Other grains ..... farms..	1 625	1 450	23	125	391	420	285	206
$1,000..	67 179	64 055	455	4 618	19 277	20 755	12 427	6 522
Cotton and cottonseed ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Tobacco ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Hay, silage, and field seeds ..... farms..	7 647	4 811	57	283	1 058	1 102	1 053	1 258
$1,000..	255 141	229 415	2 145	11 651	63 615	63 032	51 778	37 194
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	1 258	1 175	15	64	355	327	244	170
$1,000..	187 892	179 445	1 412	7 880	52 034	51 160	40 962	25 998
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ..... farms..	641	525	9	44	123	159	102	88
$1,000..	50 636	46 987	615	2 967	13 475	15 419	9 515	4 996
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	226	214	4	12	52	72	48	26
$1,000..	44 879	41 951	574	2 370	12 344	13 758	8 699	4 207
Fruits, nuts, and berries ..... farms..	287	151	–	6	18	39	39	49
$1,000..	24 408	22 874	–	1 011	4 181	4 123	10 412	3 146
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	48	39	–	3	6	11	10	9
$1,000..	22 529	21 826	–	961	4 112	3 934	10 102	2 718
Nursery and greenhouse crops ..... farms..	706	406	1	32	128	122	70	53
$1,000..	57 189	43 851	(D)	5 136	(D)	18 547	3 079	(D)
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	198	154	–	8	58	58	18	12
$1,000..	51 156	39 971	–	4 653	12 415	17 568	2 271	3 064
Other crops ..... farms..	2 148	1 962	34	172	595	560	376	225
$1,000..	813 238	796 736	3 927	43 798	245 627	255 711	160 014	87 660
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	1 684	1 623	15	136	509	482	315	166
$1,000..	803 069	788 621	3 401	42 929	243 604	253 668	158 668	86 352
Poultry and poultry products ..... farms..	412	150	1	4	26	48	19	52
$1,000..	15 000	14 474	(D)	3	(D)	420	155	(D)
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	12	11	–	–	4	3	2	2
$1,000..	14 550	(D)	–	–	(D)	355	(D)	(D)
Dairy products ..... farms..	1 056	943	11	60	243	285	188	156
$1,000..	557 339	492 382	1 897	42 003	139 575	168 401	87 525	52 980
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	870	797	8	51	218	252	160	108
$1,000..	552 802	488 580	1 836	41 728	138 838	167 507	86 829	51 843
Cattle and calves ..... farms..	11 684	6 697	65	336	1 230	1 468	1 477	2 121
$1,000..	910 805	604 616	1 560	26 537	98 883	216 165	139 103	122 367
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	1 732	1 517	8	76	316	416	334	367
$1,000..	804 530	532 600	854	23 164	84 683	199 949	123 303	100 647

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Table 48. **Summary by Age and Principal Occupation of Operator: 1997**—Con.

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

Item	Other occupations						
		Age of operator (years)					
	Total	Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS							
Farms ..... number..	10 265	81	682	2 640	3 194	2 330	1 338
percent..	46.0	.4	3.1	11.8	14.3	10.4	6.0
Land in farms ..... acres..	1 872 513	14 993	83 089	335 205	567 035	516 978	355 213
Average size of farm ..... acres..	182	185	122	127	178	222	265
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD							
Total sales (see text) ..... farms..	10 265	81	682	2 640	3 194	2 330	1 338
$1,000..	475 179	1 277	40 771	59 035	284 377	52 836	36 883
Average per farm ..... dollars..	46 291	15 764	59 782	22 362	89 035	22 676	27 566
Farms by value of sales:							
Less than $1,000 (see text)	2 408	4	126	587	713	549	429
$1,000 to $2,499	1 848	15	144	535	558	374	222
$2,500 to $4,999	1 629	21	113	421	505	379	190
$5,000 to $9,999	1 453	17	103	354	456	355	168
$10,000 to $19,999	1 273	10	80	326	414	305	138
$20,000 to $24,999	304	1	19	81	103	77	23
$25,000 to $39,999	498	4	28	136	175	104	51
$40,000 to $49,999	171	4	6	43	56	43	19
$50,000 to $99,999	369	3	36	89	116	79	46
$100,000 to $249,999	196	2	18	43	60	44	29
$250,000 to $499,999	56	–	4	9	20	10	13
$500,000 to $999,999	32	–	2	10	8	4	8
$1,000,000 to $2,499,999	18	–	2	5	6	5	–
$2,500,000 to $4,999,999	2	–	–	–	–	1	1
$5,000,000 or more	8	–	1	1	4	1	1
Grains ..... farms..	1 450	14	104	378	463	326	165
$1,000..	30 859	224	2 571	8 536	8 131	5 539	5 858
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	136	–	17	37	42	20	20
$1,000..	16 946	–	1 681	4 507	3 785	2 674	4 299
Corn for grain ..... farms..	80	–	4	23	29	16	8
$1,000..	844	–	45	166	265	268	100
Wheat ..... farms..	847	10	73	217	259	184	104
$1,000..	17 467	164	1 517	4 710	4 365	2 550	4 161
Soybeans ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sorghum for grain ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Barley ..... farms..	676	5	43	174	222	165	67
$1,000..	9 241	(D)	(D)	2 973	2 435	2 276	951
Oats ..... farms..	70	1	2	18	18	20	11
$1,000..	183	(D)	(D)	56	55	45	24
Other grains ..... farms..	175	1	17	42	65	28	22
$1,000..	3 124	(D)	(D)	632	1 011	399	623
Cotton and cottonseed ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Tobacco ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Hay, silage, and field seeds ..... farms..	2 836	14	201	734	915	642	330
$1,000..	25 726	300	2 076	5 863	7 929	6 376	3 183
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	83	1	7	17	24	22	12
$1,000..	8 447	(D)	(D)	1 482	2 255	2 473	1 438
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ..... farms..	116	3	9	29	39	21	15
$1,000..	3 649	(D)	(D)	(D)	1 878	341	764
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	12	1	–	4	3	1	3
$1,000..	2 928	(D)	–	344	(D)	(D)	668
Fruits, nuts, and berries ..... farms..	136	–	5	19	52	31	29
$1,000..	1 535	–	(D)	(D)	507	291	530
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	9	–	1	–	2	2	4
$1,000..	703	–	(D)	–	(D)	(D)	382
Nursery and greenhouse crops ..... farms..	300	–	15	71	103	68	43
$1,000..	13 338	–	506	1 399	5 519	4 964	950
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	44	–	5	8	16	10	5
$1,000..	11 185	–	439	882	4 664	4 476	724
Other crops ..... farms..	186	4	14	59	51	35	23
$1,000..	16 502	19	592	6 799	4 468	3 861	762
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	61	–	4	26	17	9	5
$1,000..	14 447	–	443	6 177	3 901	3 544	382
Poultry and poultry products ..... farms..	262	–	17	84	85	60	16
$1,000..	526	–	59	288	133	42	4
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	1	–	–	1	–	–	–
$1,000..	(D)	–	–	(D)	–	–	–
Dairy products ..... farms..	113	–	10	24	39	26	14
$1,000..	64 957	–	4 323	18 324	26 015	11 958	4 337
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	73	–	8	18	26	14	7
$1,000..	64 222	–	(D)	18 257	25 763	11 715	(D)
Cattle and calves ..... farms..	4 987	53	361	1 327	1 521	1 135	590
$1,000..	306 189	503	30 052	13 484	226 457	16 875	18 819
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	215	1	15	41	67	53	38
$1,000..	271 930	(D)	(D)	4 712	(D)	8 709	14 687

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Table 48. **Summary by Age and Principal Occupation of Operator: 1997**—Con.

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Item	Total farming and other occupations	Farming						
		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD—Con.								
Total sales (see text)—Con.								
Hogs and pigs ..... farms..	573	236	1	18	57	69	33	58
$1,000..	4 473	3 488	(D)	265	1 383	1 068	374	(D)
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	19	17	–	2	6	6	1	2
$1,000..	2 517	(D)	–	(D)	1 217	619	(D)	(D)
Sheep, lambs, and wool ..... farms..	1 077	517	5	25	96	117	133	141
$1,000..	29 977	26 055	121	649	5 772	8 467	2 801	8 246
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	64	60	1	1	13	20	13	12
$1,000..	26 141	23 603	(D)	(D)	5 482	7 775	(D)	7 627
Other livestock and livestock products (see text) ..... farms..	2 335	988	6	43	183	254	243	259
$1,000..	54 571	47 579	14	210	6 089	7 372	30 123	3 771
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	103	86	–	1	19	18	36	12
$1,000..	45 319	43 141	–	(D)	5 298	5 891	29 135	(D)
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text)..... farms..	1 205	529	4	38	113	152	96	126
$1,000..	3 047	2 072	2	193	503	766	214	392
FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES[1]								
Total farm production expenses ..... farms..	22 334	11 691	140	572	2 248	2 582	2 579	3 570
$1,000..	2 705 028	2 253 375	7 358	120 313	572 670	750 016	487 860	315 158
Average per farm ..... dollars..	121 117	192 744	52 559	210 337	254 746	290 479	189 166	88 280
Livestock and poultry purchased ..... farms..	7 820	4 182	42	184	846	1 012	955	1 143
$1,000..	469 600	276 276	333	14 133	34 404	124 228	56 498	46 680
Farms with expenses of—								
$1 to $4,999	5 039	2 128	25	53	408	483	483	676
$5,000 to $24,999	1 930	1 321	14	73	246	309	339	340
$25,000 to $99,999	596	499	3	37	135	150	86	88
$100,000 to $249,999	145	134	–	10	34	42	23	25
$250,000 or more	110	100	–	11	23	28	24	14
Feed for livestock and poultry ..... farms..	11 438	5 860	51	222	1 102	1 426	1 333	1 726
$1,000..	450 829	350 363	593	19 301	88 165	120 884	74 811	46 609
Farms with expenses of—								
$1 to $4,999	8 156	3 265	40	88	465	759	783	1 130
$5,000 to $24,999	1 953	1 389	1	66	330	315	268	409
$25,000 to $99,999	825	750	9	35	173	206	192	135
$100,000 to $249,999	246	226	1	12	57	79	50	27
$250,000 or more	258	230	–	21	77	67	40	25
Commercially mixed formula feeds ..... farms..	5 461	2 960	7	128	650	771	617	787
$1,000..	102 153	93 461	236	8 163	32 893	28 315	15 630	8 224
Farms with expenses of—								
$1 to $4,999	4 270	1 868	4	56	343	441	402	622
$5,000 to $24,999	606	549	–	42	151	153	102	101
$25,000 to $99,999	390	365	2	13	103	117	79	51
$100,000 or more	195	178	1	17	53	60	34	13
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees ..... farms..	9 308	6 866	114	382	1 526	1 749	1 632	1 463
$1,000..	94 322	89 519	502	4 775	26 324	29 646	17 747	10 525
Farms with expenses of—								
$1 to $999	3 343	1 717	35	92	240	319	384	647
$1,000 to $4,999	3 181	2 531	44	132	549	661	658	487
$5,000 to $24,999	1 954	1 816	30	110	482	535	416	243
$25,000 to $49,999	425	406	4	33	125	107	95	42
$50,000 or more	405	396	1	15	130	127	79	44
Commercial fertilizer ..... farms..	11 564	7 668	99	401	1 649	1 915	1 758	1 846
$1,000..	245 440	233 789	1 170	11 172	64 654	73 010	50 629	33 153
Farms with expenses of—								
$1 to $4,999	6 638	3 225	44	124	538	653	721	1 145
$5,000 to $24,999	2 878	2 463	38	172	540	668	572	473
$25,000 to $49,999	878	837	11	48	230	239	216	93
$50,000 or more	1 170	1 143	6	57	341	355	249	135
Agricultural chemicals ..... farms..	11 383	7 229	88	364	1 554	1 747	1 663	1 813
$1,000..	118 406	112 824	497	4 974	33 688	36 974	23 903	12 788
Farms with expenses of—								
$1 to $4,999	8 425	4 482	66	199	823	882	1 025	1 487
$5,000 to $24,999	1 856	1 677	17	120	391	551	383	215
$25,000 to $49,999	552	532	3	16	164	155	146	48
$50,000 or more	550	538	2	29	176	159	109	63
Petroleum products ..... farms..	20 090	11 060	127	519	2 177	2 511	2 471	3 255
$1,000..	100 076	89 160	357	4 577	23 573	26 542	19 560	14 550
Farms with expenses of—								
$1 to $4,999	15 482	6 809	110	279	998	1 253	1 479	2 690
$5,000 to $24,999	3 857	3 523	17	214	980	1 016	830	466
$25,000 to $49,999	527	510	–	17	142	172	116	63
$50,000 or more	224	218	–	9	57	70	46	36
Gasoline and gasohol ..... farms..	17 486	9 935	96	453	2 003	2 328	2 226	2 829
$1,000..	36 930	32 036	131	1 639	7 870	9 140	7 228	6 027
Diesel fuel ..... farms..	14 659	9 127	109	468	1 917	2 135	2 159	2 339
$1,000..	52 460	47 737	182	2 498	13 170	14 546	10 262	7 079
Natural gas ..... farms..	598	435	2	24	82	132	116	79
$1,000..	1 306	1 178	(D)	(D)	275	463	284	105
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc. ..... farms..	14 866	9 619	109	465	2 009	2 320	2 206	2 510
$1,000..	9 380	8 209	(D)	(D)	2 258	2 393	1 786	1 339

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Item	Other occupations						
		Age of operator (years)					
	Total	Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD—Con.							
Total sales (see text)—Con.							
Hogs and pigs ..... farms..	337	4	32	145	97	50	9
$1,000..	986	2	106	264	272	322	20
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	2	–	1	–	–	1	–
$1,000..	(D)	–	(D)	–	–	(D)	–
Sheep, lambs, and wool ..... farms..	560	5	25	189	203	104	34
$1,000..	3 922	(D)	(D)	1 634	722	349	1 157
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	4	–	–	2	1	–	1
$1,000..	2 538	–	–	(D)	(D)	–	(D)
Other livestock and livestock products (see text) ..... farms..	1 347	11	101	386	492	265	92
$1,000..	6 992	115	273	1 837	2 346	1 918	501
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	17	–	–	4	6	6	1
$1,000..	2 177	–	–	613	(D)	947	(D)
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text)..... farms..	676	6	46	211	240	129	44
$1,000..	976	14	50	322	313	212	64
FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES[1]							
Total farm production expenses ..... farms..	10 643	82	660	2 617	3 375	2 459	1 450
$1,000..	451 653	944	35 380	53 990	281 069	49 481	30 789
Average per farm ..... dollars..	42 437	11 517	53 606	20 630	83 280	20 123	21 234
Livestock and poultry purchased ..... farms..	3 638	27	246	995	1 262	809	299
$1,000..	193 324	60	(D)	4 655	(D)	5 577	6 195
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $4,999	2 911	16	192	808	973	685	237
$5,000 to $24,999	609	11	38	149	259	98	54
$25,000 to $99,999	97	–	14	37	19	23	4
$100,000 to $249,999	11	–	1	1	5	1	3
$250,000 or more	10	–	1	–	6	2	1
Feed for livestock and poultry ..... farms..	5 578	44	387	1 444	1 928	1 260	515
$1,000..	100 466	57	5 858	12 274	64 584	9 528	8 166
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $4,999	4 891	41	348	1 316	1 680	1 062	444
$5,000 to $24,999	564	3	30	108	211	156	56
$25,000 to $99,999	75	–	3	11	18	34	9
$100,000 to $249,999	20	–	3	–	8	5	4
$250,000 or more	28	–	3	9	11	3	2
Commercially mixed formula feeds ..... farms..	2 501	18	154	720	904	570	135
$1,000..	8 692	4	2 598	1 368	3 269	1 192	261
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $4,999	2 402	18	147	709	869	536	123
$5,000 to $24,999	57	–	1	2	17	28	9
$25,000 to $99,999	25	–	2	5	11	4	3
$100,000 or more	17	–	4	4	7	2	–
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees ..... farms..	2 442	17	120	682	832	585	206
$1,000..	4 803	19	210	1 099	1 773	1 494	209
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $999	1 626	9	55	420	566	385	191
$1,000 to $4,999	650	8	60	223	193	160	6
$5,000 to $24,999	138	–	5	35	58	32	8
$25,000 to $49,999	19	–	–	2	12	4	1
$50,000 or more	9	–	–	2	3	4	–
Commercial fertilizer ..... farms..	3 896	17	236	1 048	1 249	922	424
$1,000..	11 652	48	592	3 316	3 721	2 653	1 322
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $4,999	3 413	9	193	894	1 072	854	391
$5,000 to $24,999	415	8	42	138	148	54	25
$25,000 to $49,999	41	–	1	6	25	6	3
$50,000 or more	27	–	–	10	4	8	5
Agricultural chemicals ..... farms..	4 154	24	181	1 078	1 328	1 066	477
$1,000..	5 582	6	484	1 414	1 531	1 264	883
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $4,999	3 943	24	156	1 029	1 249	1 037	448
$5,000 to $24,999	179	–	21	42	74	19	23
$25,000 to $49,999	20	–	4	2	2	8	4
$50,000 or more	12	–	–	5	3	2	2
Petroleum products ..... farms..	9 030	67	598	2 255	2 858	2 158	1 094
$1,000..	10 916	57	606	2 649	3 990	2 360	1 254
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $4,999	8 673	67	581	2 136	2 743	2 095	1 051
$5,000 to $24,999	334	–	16	116	105	58	39
$25,000 to $49,999	17	–	1	2	6	4	4
$50,000 or more	6	–	–	1	4	1	–
Gasoline and gasohol ..... farms..	7 551	36	483	1 823	2 460	1 847	902
$1,000..	4 895	15	257	1 246	1 646	1 135	595
Diesel fuel ..... farms..	5 532	56	364	1 466	1 670	1 303	673
$1,000..	4 722	37	289	1 094	1 885	916	502
Natural gas ..... farms..	163	–	9	41	48	46	19
$1,000..	128	–	2	40	41	35	9
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc. ..... farms..	5 247	53	333	1 345	1 695	1 283	538
$1,000..	1 171	5	58	270	419	273	147

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Item	Total farming and other occupations	Farming						
		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES[1]—Con.								
Total farm production expenses—Con.								
Electricity ... farms..	15 661	9 455	75	469	1 947	2 168	2 073	2 723
$1,000..	89 854	82 954	260	4 314	21 857	25 242	18 373	12 908
Farms with expenses of—								
$1 to $999	9 130	4 230	32	169	695	810	874	1 650
$1,000 to $4,999	3 931	2 789	31	151	559	703	650	695
$5,000 to $24,999	1 814	1 678	10	101	484	434	376	273
$25,000 to $49,999	406	397	2	33	112	115	87	48
$50,000 or more	380	361	–	15	97	106	86	57
Hired farm labor ... farms..	9 410	6 648	75	344	1 536	1 774	1 412	1 507
$1,000..	270 843	250 170	678	13 153	69 246	78 099	56 554	32 440
Farms with expenses of—								
$1 to $4,999	4 944	2 548	49	79	439	569	496	916
$5,000 to $24,999	2 343	2 096	16	152	528	607	471	322
$25,000 to $99,999	1 497	1 406	10	82	407	409	310	188
$100,000 to $249,999	452	435	–	23	120	130	99	63
$250,000 or more	174	163	–	8	42	59	36	18
Workers by days worked:								
150 days or more ... farms..	4 531	3 837	43	211	996	1 071	847	669
workers..	16 401	14 951	76	672	4 271	4 534	3 035	2 363
Less than 150 days ... farms..	8 249	5 670	62	306	1 264	1 497	1 205	1 336
workers..	47 014	39 926	184	2 107	12 440	11 657	7 415	6 123
Contract labor ... farms..	3 501	2 586	38	164	655	647	556	526
$1,000..	32 680	30 278	104	2 194	9 370	9 337	6 266	3 007
Farms with expenses of—								
$1 to $999	1 177	636	16	37	116	120	146	201
$1,000 to $4,999	1 223	899	18	51	236	200	196	198
$5,000 to $24,999	812	779	4	59	216	242	160	98
$25,000 to $49,999	169	159	–	8	50	50	35	16
$50,000 or more	120	113	–	9	37	35	19	13
Repair and maintenance ... farms..	18 147	10 499	101	508	2 083	2 399	2 368	3 040
$1,000..	152 222	135 411	431	7 564	34 211	42 087	30 292	20 825
Farms with expenses of—								
$1 to $4,999	12 425	5 477	84	214	876	989	1 135	2 179
$5,000 to $24,999	4 413	3 766	14	226	846	1 034	958	688
$25,000 to $49,999	750	717	3	42	208	199	159	106
$50,000 or more	559	539	–	26	153	177	116	67
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment ... farms..	8 597	5 557	55	285	1 254	1 409	1 252	1 302
$1,000..	69 649	62 824	298	3 484	18 463	18 847	13 497	8 235
Farms with expenses of—								
$1 to $999	3 285	1 357	10	34	175	274	336	528
$1,000 to $4,999	2 806	1 982	30	107	476	517	372	480
$5,000 to $24,999	1 898	1 638	14	119	410	447	424	224
$25,000 to $49,999	357	344	–	12	114	100	76	42
$50,000 or more	251	236	1	13	79	71	44	28
Interest ... farms..	11 087	7 234	62	367	1 728	1 996	1 668	1 413
$1,000..	178 482	154 987	513	8 026	42 044	45 894	37 511	21 000
Farms with expenses of—								
$1 to $4,999	5 388	2 670	41	127	502	645	550	805
$5,000 to $24,999	4 109	3 076	17	157	781	914	752	455
$25,000 to $99,999	1 285	1 194	4	70	360	343	299	118
$100,000 or more	305	294	–	13	85	94	67	35
Secured by real estate ... farms..	7 784	4 934	19	202	1 069	1 398	1 216	1 030
$1,000..	98 667	84 815	206	3 532	21 247	24 598	22 402	12 831
Farms with expenses of—								
$1 to $999	1 000	405	2	10	60	63	97	173
$1,000 to $4,999	2 829	1 364	4	56	208	348	342	406
$5,000 to $24,999	3 063	2 336	12	98	570	738	558	360
$25,000 to $49,999	548	505	1	22	147	146	145	44
$50,000 or more	344	324	–	16	84	103	74	47
Not secured by real estate ... farms..	6 719	4 900	52	291	1 279	1 404	1 129	745
$1,000..	79 815	70 172	307	4 495	20 797	21 296	15 109	8 169
Farms with expenses of—								
$1 to $999	1 606	867	3	32	183	209	221	219
$1,000 to $4,999	2 439	1 622	37	104	372	494	355	260
$5,000 to $24,999	1 928	1 700	9	105	504	485	402	195
$25,000 to $49,999	421	396	2	31	131	115	78	39
$50,000 or more	325	315	1	19	89	101	73	32
Cash rent ... farms..	5 387	3 765	61	264	987	1 133	796	524
$1,000..	124 518	117 314	700	8 161	39 090	38 256	20 204	10 903
Farms with expenses of—								
$1 to $4,999	2 631	1 362	27	63	238	421	328	285
$5,000 to $9,999	759	525	11	56	123	161	95	79
$10,000 to $24,999	957	883	19	70	280	256	186	72
$25,000 or more	1 040	995	4	75	346	295	187	88
Property taxes ... farms..	21 097	11 063	62	450	2 061	2 487	2 509	3 494
$1,000..	55 081	42 885	147	1 618	9 198	11 085	10 834	10 003
Farms with expenses of—								
$1 to $4,999	18 586	8 824	54	350	1 536	1 868	1 963	3 053
$5,000 to $9,999	1 540	1 347	6	59	314	366	324	278
$10,000 to $24,999	752	685	2	35	167	200	160	121
$25,000 or more	219	207	–	6	44	53	62	42
All other farm production expenses ... farms..	20 669	11 279	120	553	2 227	2 525	2 522	3 332
$1,000..	253 025	224 623	776	12 866	58 382	69 886	51 179	31 534
Farms with expenses of—								
$1 to $4,999	14 349	5 735	87	234	837	951	1 214	2 412
$5,000 to $24,999	4 349	3 693	27	202	821	1 041	895	707
$25,000 to $49,999	889	829	4	45	262	237	189	92
$50,000 to $99,999	625	583	1	45	170	169	136	62
$100,000 or more	457	439	1	27	137	127	88	59

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Item	Other occupations						
		Age of operator (years)					
	Total	Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES[1] —Con.							
Total farm production expenses—Con.							
Electricity ..... farms..	6 206	54	348	1 594	2 031	1 458	721
$1,000..	6 900	24	432	1 622	2 290	1 579	953
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $999	4 900	44	265	1 261	1 554	1 191	585
$1,000 to $4,999	1 142	10	55	310	406	238	123
$5,000 to $24,999	136	–	28	17	61	21	9
$25,000 to $49,999	9	–	–	1	4	3	1
$50,000 or more	19	–	–	5	6	5	3
Hired farm labor ..... farms..	2 762	39	122	762	977	667	195
$1,000..	20 672	7	1 372	3 410	9 183	4 533	2 167
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $4,999	2 396	39	102	683	836	596	140
$5,000 to $24,999	247	–	4	59	114	37	33
$25,000 to $99,999	91	–	14	16	17	27	17
$100,000 to $249,999	17	–	2	3	4	4	4
$250,000 or more	11	–	–	1	6	3	1
Workers by days worked:							
150 days or more ..... farms..	694	7	44	151	208	204	80
workers..	1 450	7	98	291	544	371	139
Less than 150 days ..... farms..	2 579	39	121	728	900	603	188
workers..	7 088	47	261	2 086	2 073	1 974	647
Contract labor ..... farms..	915	19	32	215	291	256	102
$1,000..	2 403	15	(D)	593	(D)	833	174
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $999	541	9	17	110	159	176	70
$1,000 to $4,999	324	10	12	94	115	63	30
$5,000 to $24,999	33	–	3	8	10	11	1
$25,000 to $49,999	10	–	–	2	5	2	1
$50,000 or more	7	–	–	1	2	4	–
Repair and maintenance ..... farms..	7 648	44	435	1 922	2 556	1 806	885
$1,000..	16 812	43	899	3 587	6 617	3 973	1 694
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $4,999	6 948	44	391	1 751	2 316	1 635	811
$5,000 to $24,999	647	–	41	161	221	157	67
$25,000 to $49,999	33	–	3	6	10	9	5
$50,000 or more	20	–	–	4	9	5	2
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment..... farms..	3 040	17	214	846	955	674	334
$1,000..	6 824	7	330	2 103	2 469	1 260	655
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $999	1 928	17	151	504	614	399	243
$1,000 to $4,999	824	–	37	244	249	222	72
$5,000 to $24,999	260	–	26	93	79	46	16
$25,000 to $49,999	13	–	–	1	8	4	–
$50,000 or more	15	–	–	4	5	3	3
Interest ..... farms..	3 853	31	264	1 090	1 351	875	242
$1,000..	23 494	366	1 099	6 010	10 168	4 098	1 753
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $4,999	2 718	21	194	754	941	641	167
$5,000 to $24,999	1 033	–	67	311	388	209	58
$25,000 to $99,999	91	10	3	23	17	21	17
$100,000 or more	11	–	–	2	5	4	–
Secured by real estate ..... farms..	2 850	17	173	780	1 012	668	200
$1,000..	13 851	359	837	3 893	4 512	2 833	1 417
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $999	595	1	33	171	185	135	70
$1,000 to $4,999	1 465	6	90	368	549	380	72
$5,000 to $24,999	727	–	48	231	266	138	44
$25,000 to $49,999	43	10	2	9	10	10	2
$50,000 or more	20	–	–	1	2	5	12
Not secured by real estate ..... farms..	1 819	14	134	528	659	420	64
$1,000..	9 643	8	262	2 117	5 656	1 265	336
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $999	739	13	49	184	299	173	21
$1,000 to $4,999	817	1	78	265	262	189	22
$5,000 to $24,999	228	–	7	70	88	47	16
$25,000 to $49,999	25	–	–	4	7	9	5
$50,000 or more	10	–	–	5	3	2	–
Cash rent ..... farms..	1 622	38	118	619	478	270	99
$1,000..	7 204	64	560	2 511	2 550	991	529
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $4,999	1 269	30	72	485	368	227	87
$5,000 to $9,999	234	8	23	102	76	20	5
$10,000 to $24,999	74	–	23	18	12	19	2
$25,000 or more	45	–	–	14	22	4	5
Property taxes ..... farms..	10 034	42	530	2 415	3 265	2 400	1 382
$1,000..	12 196	86	463	2 466	3 976	3 343	1 862
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $4,999	9 762	32	515	2 400	3 196	2 302	1 317
$5,000 to $9,999	193	10	11	6	46	75	45
$10,000 to $24,999	67	–	4	6	18	21	18
$25,000 or more	12	–	–	3	5	2	2
All other farm production expenses ..... farms..	9 390	82	598	2 338	2 997	2 211	1 164
$1,000..	28 403	86	1 471	6 281	11 598	5 995	2 971
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $4,999	8 614	82	558	2 173	2 690	2 029	1 082
$5,000 to $24,999	656	–	34	142	272	156	52
$25,000 to $49,999	60	–	2	7	21	7	23
$50,000 to $99,999	42	–	3	12	7	16	4
$100,000 or more	18	–	1	4	7	3	3

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Item	Total farming and other occupations	Farming						
		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
NET CASH RETURN FROM AGRICULTURAL SALES FOR THE FARM UNIT (SEE TEXT)[1]								
All farms ..... number..	22 334	11 691	140	572	2 248	2 582	2 579	3 570
$1,000..	590 283	567 107	3 793	36 034	170 494	158 395	117 531	80 860
Average per farm ..... dollars..	26 430	48 508	27 092	62 997	75 843	61 346	45 572	22 650
Farms with net gains[2] ..... number..	11 024	7 303	115	412	1 586	1 669	1 534	1 987
Average net gain ..... dollars..	64 175	87 773	34 105	97 008	114 738	111 210	87 415	48 031
Gain of—								
Less than $1,000	1 161	494	–	28	26	73	89	278
$1,000 to $9,999	3 974	1 798	57	111	206	263	405	756
$10,000 to $49,999	3 061	2 401	27	133	572	589	492	588
$50,000 or more	2 828	2 610	31	140	782	744	548	365
Farms with net losses ..... number..	11 310	4 388	25	160	662	913	1 045	1 583
Average net loss ..... dollars..	10 361	16 841	5 164	24 582	17 341	29 807	15 851	9 208
Loss of—								
Less than $1,000	1 919	537	10	8	83	39	99	298
$1,000 to $9,999	6 896	2 297	12	52	334	429	490	980
$10,000 to $49,999	2 168	1 264	3	84	185	365	380	247
$50,000 or more	327	290	–	16	60	80	76	58
GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS AND OTHER FARM-RELATED INCOME								
Government payments ..... farms..	7 848	5 646	54	305	1 227	1 351	1 229	1 480
$1,000..	73 124	59 290	231	2 434	13 456	16 019	12 462	14 688
Other farm-related income[1] ..... farms..	6 508	4 242	52	158	826	931	1 012	1 263
$1,000..	58 462	47 114	527	2 218	11 405	11 295	10 325	11 345
Customwork and other agricultural services ..... farms..	1 981	1 549	34	80	438	438	306	253
$1,000..	24 521	21 410	318	1 222	6 968	5 536	3 507	3 859
Gross cash rent or share payments ..... farms..	2 800	1 460	16	70	192	249	344	589
$1,000..	24 182	17 439	114	922	2 799	3 383	4 559	5 663
Forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products ..... farms..	597	372	1	1	38	72	103	157
$1,000..	6 200	4 957	(D)	(D)	(D)	1 267	1 389	1 395
Other farm-related income sources ..... farms..	2 608	2 057	19	49	407	482	569	531
$1,000..	3 558	3 307	(D)	(D)	(D)	1 109	870	427
COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS								
Total ..... farms..	889	813	11	58	214	233	166	131
$1,000..	29 610	28 509	69	1 442	7 618	7 964	6 638	4 779
Corn ..... farms..	32	30	–	2	6	10	5	7
$1,000..	(D)	(D)	–	(D)	9	23	(D)	8
Wheat ..... farms..	782	718	8	53	194	214	138	111
$1,000..	25 584	24 738	45	1 242	6 392	7 224	6 075	3 759
Soybeans ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sorghum, barley, and oats ..... farms..	241	224	3	15	53	72	49	32
$1,000..	3 968	(D)	24	(D)	1 216	717	552	1 012
Cotton ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sunflower seed, flaxseed, safflower, canola, other rapeseed, and mustard seed ..... farms..	1	1	–	–	–	–	1	–
$1,000..	(D)	(D)	–	–	–	–	(D)	–
Peanuts, rice, and tobacco ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE								
Total cropland ..... farms..	18 994	10 858	128	592	2 122	2 430	2 351	3 235
acres..	6 308 877	5 450 298	29 039	265 856	1 349 667	1 525 231	1 161 405	1 119 100
Harvested cropland ..... farms..	15 494	9 745	121	548	1 990	2 251	2 125	2 710
acres..	4 478 862	4 102 788	24 474	213 931	1 095 792	1 189 086	874 115	705 390
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 49 acres	6 388	2 298	35	96	291	355	485	1 036
50 to 99 acres	2 038	1 248	20	60	175	230	318	445
100 to 199 acres	2 111	1 634	32	91	317	378	352	464
200 to 499 acres	2 519	2 239	23	174	536	612	460	434
500 to 999 acres	1 336	1 261	6	81	366	351	279	178
1,000 to 1,999 acres	768	738	5	33	209	225	167	99
2,000 acres or more	334	327	–	13	96	100	64	54
Cropland:								
Pasture or grazing only ..... farms..	9 257	4 904	31	190	796	1 079	1 158	1 650
acres..	816 471	598 440	1 138	24 782	112 164	143 352	140 446	176 558
In cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured ..... farms..	1 410	884	3	32	164	191	209	285
acres..	362 371	244 788	(D)	(D)	44 161	59 199	45 300	85 759
On which all crops failed ..... farms..	420	307	2	15	65	76	71	78
acres..	28 229	22 705	(D)	(D)	6 480	5 764	4 355	4 816
In cultivated summer fallow ..... farms..	1 383	1 067	4	38	218	278	247	282
acres..	306 898	254 318	732	8 188	55 194	66 208	51 148	72 848
Idle ..... farms..	2 294	1 363	13	63	258	314	287	428
acres..	316 046	227 259	2 218	7 773	35 876	61 622	46 041	73 729
Total woodland ..... farms..	2 584	1 367	7	43	173	292	319	533
acres..	514 787	353 738	2 752	7 755	46 842	79 249	75 556	141 584
Woodland pastured ..... farms..	1 629	900	4	29	113	191	215	348
acres..	356 407	258 359	(D)	(D)	38 661	59 959	52 805	98 221
Woodland not pastured ..... farms..	1 352	690	4	23	83	142	159	279
acres..	158 380	95 379	(D)	(D)	8 181	19 290	22 751	43 363

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Table 48. **Summary by Age and Principal Occupation of Operator: 1997**—Con.

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Item	Other occupations						
		Age of operator (years)					
	Total	Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
NET CASH RETURN FROM AGRICULTURAL SALES FOR THE FARM UNIT (SEE TEXT)[1]							
All farms ..... number..	10 643	82	660	2 617	3 375	2 459	1 450
$1,000..	23 175	–24	5 915	5 209	3 899	6 603	1 573
Average per farm ..... dollars..	2 178	–291	8 963	1 990	1 155	2 685	1 085
Farms with net gains[2] ..... number..	3 721	31	288	898	1 106	902	496
Average net gain ..... dollars..	17 861	3 822	27 232	16 769	20 775	15 969	12 216
Gain of—							
Less than $1,000	667	14	61	145	235	160	52
$1,000 to $9,999	2 176	16	149	545	628	492	346
$10,000 to $49,999	660	1	40	159	202	194	64
$50,000 or more	218	–	38	49	41	56	34
Farms with net losses ..... number..	6 922	51	372	1 719	2 269	1 557	954
Average net loss ..... dollars..	6 253	2 791	5 181	5 730	8 408	5 010	4 703
Loss of—							
Less than $1,000	1 382	15	37	337	376	289	328
$1,000 to $9,999	4 599	32	303	1 109	1 534	1 086	535
$10,000 to $49,999	904	4	31	271	349	170	79
$50,000 or more	37	–	1	2	10	12	12
GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS AND OTHER FARM-RELATED INCOME							
Government payments ..... farms..	2 202	8	101	481	681	535	396
$1,000..	13 833	223	463	2 119	3 767	3 551	3 710
Other farm-related income[1] ..... farms..	2 266	20	84	503	639	641	379
$1,000..	11 348	62	268	2 504	2 482	3 138	2 894
Customwork and other agricultural services ..... farms..	432	10	19	132	106	118	47
$1,000..	3 111	11	43	507	328	968	1 255
Gross cash rent or share payments ..... farms..	1 340	10	64	292	382	332	260
$1,000..	6 743	45	224	1 711	1 794	1 586	1 384
Forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products ..... farms..	225	3	–	40	56	88	38
$1,000..	1 243	6	–	243	319	467	207
Other farm-related income sources ..... farms..	551	–	15	120	164	194	58
$1,000..	251	–	1	44	41	117	49
COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS							
Total ..... farms..	76	–	3	26	18	18	11
$1,000..	1 101	–	(D)	112	159	600	(D)
Corn ..... farms..	2	–	–	1	–	–	1
$1,000..	(D)	–	–	(D)	–	–	(D)
Wheat ..... farms..	64	–	3	21	18	14	8
$1,000..	846	–	(D)	94	(D)	(D)	(D)
Soybeans ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sorghum, barley, and oats ..... farms..	17	–	1	7	2	5	2
$1,000..	(D)	–	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Cotton ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sunflower seed, flaxseed, safflower, canola, other rapeseed, and mustard seed ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Peanuts, rice, and tobacco ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE							
Total cropland ..... farms..	8 136	52	497	2 080	2 551	1 898	1 058
acres..	858 579	9 721	42 633	169 354	244 240	205 466	187 165
Harvested cropland ..... farms..	5 749	36	379	1 489	1 846	1 327	672
acres..	376 074	2 466	26 103	88 542	114 801	84 582	59 580
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 49 acres	4 090	26	265	1 081	1 298	927	493
50 to 99 acres	790	2	48	203	261	195	81
100 to 199 acres	477	4	35	106	169	116	47
200 to 499 acres	280	4	21	80	85	65	25
500 to 999 acres	75	–	9	11	23	17	15
1,000 to 1,999 acres	30	–	1	6	9	6	8
2,000 acres or more	7	–	–	2	1	1	3
Cropland:							
Pasture or grazing only ..... farms..	4 353	24	247	1 152	1 372	1 068	490
acres..	218 031	1 733	9 702	44 483	59 529	64 187	38 397
In cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured ..... farms..	526	2	13	99	158	133	121
acres..	117 583	(D)	(D)	17 768	30 615	26 576	36 122
On which all crops failed ..... farms..	113	–	3	33	36	31	10
acres..	5 524	–	25	854	856	2 070	1 719
In cultivated summer fallow ..... farms..	316	4	22	70	88	74	58
acres..	52 580	546	2 402	6 165	12 490	4 891	26 086
Idle ..... farms..	931	2	40	196	293	231	169
acres..	88 787	(D)	(D)	11 542	25 949	23 160	25 261
Total woodland ..... farms..	1 217	4	38	237	406	333	199
acres..	161 049	197	11 300	27 324	52 868	43 850	25 510
Woodland pastured ..... farms..	729	2	24	145	255	199	104
acres..	98 048	(D)	(D)	19 299	39 289	25 390	11 161
Woodland not pastured ..... farms..	662	4	19	130	207	180	122
acres..	63 001	(D)	(D)	8 025	13 579	18 460	14 349

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Item	Total farming and other occupations	Farming						
		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE—Con.								
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured ..... farms..	6 517	3 739	35	174	670	837	865	1 158
acres..	4 589 326	3 845 703	13 478	124 304	699 178	967 182	1 096 869	944 692
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. ..... farms..	13 330	7 388	46	316	1 381	1 655	1 655	2 335
acres..	417 177	307 915	1 048	9 140	60 529	74 733	66 674	95 791
Irrigated land ..... farms..	15 191	8 744	118	502	1 793	1 985	1 897	2 449
acres..	3 493 542	3 160 315	18 317	170 230	856 667	910 031	686 134	518 936
Harvested cropland irrigated ..... farms..	12 182	7 813	113	460	1 669	1 807	1 699	2 065
acres..	3 057 436	2 832 980	17 556	153 721	781 701	825 761	610 431	443 810
Pasture and other land irrigated ..... farms..	7 621	3 698	28	162	623	847	861	1 177
acres..	436 106	327 335	761	16 509	74 966	84 270	75 703	75 126
Land under Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs ..... farms..	2 426	1 441	8	42	216	287	315	573
acres..	705 407	463 455	(D)	(D)	72 742	105 099	90 813	178 505
VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS[1]								
Estimated market value of land and buildings ..... farms..	22 334	11 691	140	572	2 248	2 582	2 579	3 570
$1,000..	11 982 650	9 596 619	65 458	424 513	2 261 972	2 578 076	2 294 262	1 972 338
Average per farm ..... dollars..	536 521	820 855	467 559	742 156	1 006 215	998 480	889 594	552 476
Average per acre ..... dollars..	1 017	980	1 351	978	1 142	975	946	874
Farms by value group:								
$1 to $39,999	2 406	742	31	44	103	109	122	333
$40,000 to $69,999	1 686	648	8	19	73	94	100	354
$70,000 to $99,999	1 552	538	–	16	69	83	134	236
$100,000 to $149,999	2 739	859	22	46	167	134	151	339
$150,000 to $199,999	2 092	820	10	65	154	100	189	302
$200,000 to $499,999	6 148	3 300	34	135	576	732	779	1 044
$500,000 to $999,999	2 892	2 194	18	129	482	565	493	507
$1,000,000 to $1,999,999	1 626	1 470	15	65	341	451	357	241
$2,000,000 to $4,999,999	958	896	1	45	228	254	200	168
$5,000,000 or more	235	224	1	8	55	60	54	46
VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT[1]								
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ..... farms..	22 333	11 690	140	572	2 248	2 581	2 579	3 570
$1,000..	1 740 107	1 439 506	9 799	79 359	369 353	415 043	325 277	240 677
Farms by value group:								
$1 to $4,999	2 553	718	17	8	78	74	141	400
$5,000 to $9,999	2 788	1 005	32	27	111	171	199	465
$10,000 to $19,999	3 823	1 469	17	47	168	234	283	720
$20,000 to $49,999	5 527	2 515	26	137	387	544	609	812
$50,000 to $99,999	3 271	2 089	21	75	453	467	504	569
$100,000 to $199,999	2 176	1 834	10	147	472	504	374	327
$200,000 to $499,999	1 638	1 517	15	111	431	414	333	213
$500,000 or more	557	543	2	20	148	173	136	64
SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT[1]								
Motortrucks, including pickups ..... farms..	20 936	11 392	131	569	2 209	2 519	2 537	3 427
number..	60 044	42 631	299	2 138	9 598	11 171	9 940	9 485
Wheel tractors ..... farms..	18 680	10 344	112	483	1 914	2 323	2 328	3 184
number..	43 547	29 634	269	1 243	5 997	7 479	6 808	7 838
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms..	9 113	4 524	37	186	718	1 021	944	1 618
number..	12 607	6 745	53	248	1 045	1 639	1 430	2 330
40 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms..	14 302	8 851	103	409	1 747	2 074	2 019	2 499
number..	30 940	22 889	216	995	4 952	5 840	5 378	5 508
40 to 99 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms..	11 737	7 089	71	257	1 289	1 654	1 671	2 147
number..	18 287	12 184	132	431	2 278	2 886	2 892	3 565
100 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms..	6 931	5 306	49	289	1 227	1 356	1 243	1 142
number..	12 653	10 705	84	564	2 674	2 954	2 486	1 943
Grain and bean combines ..... farms..	4 495	3 807	32	186	864	1 060	872	793
number..	5 919	5 080	37	256	1 115	1 476	1 175	1 021
Cotton pickers and strippers ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Mower conditioners ..... farms..	7 183	4 805	20	173	828	1 092	1 249	1 443
number..	7 911	5 333	21	186	932	1 212	1 380	1 602
Pickup balers ..... farms..	8 067	5 396	30	206	989	1 289	1 340	1 542
number..	9 299	6 401	33	243	1 207	1 554	1 579	1 785
AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS[1]								
Commercial fertilizer ..... farms..	11 502	7 667	99	401	1 649	1 914	1 758	1 846
acres on which used..	3 526 053	3 280 844	21 181	169 896	851 436	1 018 382	717 620	502 329
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—								
Insects on hay and other crops ..... farms..	3 626	2 910	42	175	770	853	612	458
acres on which used..	967 881	915 017	4 292	37 198	255 089	304 929	194 004	119 505
Nematodes in crops ..... farms..	793	733	12	53	235	193	148	92
acres on which used..	194 614	191 057	854	8 766	61 845	54 441	43 381	21 770
Diseases in crops and orchards ..... farms..	1 517	1 263	10	61	391	374	275	152
acres on which used..	461 292	447 471	1 090	18 558	139 374	154 559	83 812	50 078
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture ..... farms..	8 716	5 717	77	299	1 291	1 452	1 271	1 327
acres on which used..	2 499 076	2 326 339	16 213	108 441	616 914	738 419	494 693	351 659
Chemicals used on crops to control growth, thin fruit, or defoliate ..... farms..	952	776	1	47	253	216	161	98
acres on which used..	241 305	233 371	(D)	(D)	71 509	84 833	41 302	25 462

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LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE—Con.							
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured ..... farms..	2 778	28	203	684	882	650	331
acres..	743 623	3 233	21 283	120 600	239 687	239 727	119 093
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. ..... farms..	5 942	24	323	1 512	1 883	1 442	758
acres..	109 262	1 842	7 873	17 927	30 240	27 935	23 445
Irrigated land ..... farms..	6 447	48	424	1 765	2 068	1 447	695
acres..	333 227	2 270	18 829	84 162	99 913	83 127	44 926
Harvested cropland irrigated ..... farms..	4 369	28	301	1 186	1 415	980	459
acres..	224 456	1 333	13 616	60 923	68 823	53 421	26 340
Pasture and other land irrigated ..... farms..	3 923	25	242	1 076	1 266	916	398
acres..	108 771	937	5 213	23 239	31 090	29 706	18 586
Land under Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs ..... farms..	985	3	30	177	261	249	265
acres..	241 952	(D)	(D)	33 238	63 424	65 278	70 932
VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS[1]							
Estimated market value of land and buildings ..... farms..	10 643	82	660	2 617	3 375	2 459	1 450
$1,000..	2 386 030	12 806	99 143	552 722	757 748	609 406	354 205
Average per farm ..... dollars..	224 188	156 173	150 217	211 204	224 518	247 827	244 280
Average per acre ..... dollars..	1 195	297	1 480	1 460	1 323	1 125	900
Farms by value group:							
$1 to $39,999	1 664	39	139	493	443	326	224
$40,000 to $69,999	1 038	7	37	255	350	225	164
$70,000 to $99,999	1 014	–	108	250	360	169	127
$100,000 to $149,999	1 880	7	150	441	545	463	274
$150,000 to $199,999	1 272	6	78	333	453	273	129
$200,000 to $499,999	2 848	22	129	627	951	737	382
$500,000 to $999,999	698	–	15	177	197	203	106
$1,000,000 to $1,999,999	156	1	3	32	54	41	25
$2,000,000 to $4,999,999	62	–	1	6	19	19	17
$5,000,000 or more	11	–	–	3	3	3	2
VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT[1]							
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ..... farms..	10 643	82	660	2 617	3 375	2 459	1 450
$1,000..	300 600	2 120	17 187	71 399	92 908	74 491	42 496
Farms by value group:							
$1 to $4,999	1 835	7	110	425	608	404	281
$5,000 to $9,999	1 783	15	126	455	501	431	255
$10,000 to $19,999	2 354	10	186	597	753	494	314
$20,000 to $49,999	3 012	27	152	762	1 020	706	345
$50,000 to $99,999	1 182	23	43	291	382	264	179
$100,000 to $199,999	342	–	34	64	72	121	51
$200,000 to $499,999	121	–	9	20	31	37	24
$500,000 or more	14	–	–	3	8	2	1
SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT[1]							
Motortrucks, including pickups ..... farms..	9 544	71	590	2 380	3 029	2 211	1 263
number..	17 413	144	1 038	4 416	5 370	4 038	2 407
Wheel tractors ..... farms..	8 336	56	444	1 882	2 632	2 106	1 216
number..	13 913	126	669	3 093	4 326	3 715	1 984
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms..	4 589	41	210	1 022	1 460	1 137	719
number..	5 862	65	265	1 304	1 818	1 517	893
40 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms..	5 451	37	302	1 273	1 717	1 410	712
number..	8 051	61	404	1 789	2 508	2 198	1 091
40 to 99 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms..	4 648	28	253	1 045	1 474	1 264	584
number..	6 103	50	300	1 265	1 956	1 760	772
100 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms..	1 625	10	89	426	470	363	267
number..	1 948	11	104	524	552	438	319
Grain and bean combines ..... farms..	688	10	17	148	175	194	144
number..	839	20	25	189	208	238	159
Cotton pickers and strippers ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Mower conditioners ..... farms..	2 378	3	87	557	804	675	252
number..	2 578	6	101	617	856	727	271
Pickup balers ..... farms..	2 671	4	117	647	851	739	313
number..	2 898	4	124	705	925	824	316
AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS[1]							
Commercial fertilizer ..... farms..	3 835	17	236	1 026	1 233	900	423
acres on which used..	245 209	774	17 507	58 258	84 791	54 743	29 136
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—							
Insects on hay and other crops ..... farms..	716	–	64	223	207	149	73
acres on which used..	52 864	–	5 905	11 029	21 368	8 753	5 809
Nematodes in crops ..... farms..	60	–	7	23	13	10	7
acres on which used..	3 557	–	56	1 617	900	977	7
Diseases in crops and orchards ..... farms..	254	–	23	109	65	22	35
acres on which used..	13 821	–	1 294	6 452	3 433	2 010	632
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture ..... farms..	2 999	23	125	829	931	798	293
acres on which used..	172 737	603	12 611	45 546	50 125	40 832	23 020
Chemicals used on crops to control growth, thin fruit, or defoliate ..... farms..	176	–	38	44	50	16	28
acres on which used..	7 934	–	1 223	3 124	1 897	1 228	462

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			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
TENURE AND RACE OF OPERATOR								
All operators	22 314	12 049	155	680	2 346	2 656	2 574	3 638
Full owners	13 875	6 268	36	189	811	1 133	1 404	2 695
Part owners	6 292	4 460	39	242	1 095	1 261	1 009	814
Tenants	2 147	1 321	80	249	440	262	161	129
White	21 962	11 853	150	667	2 304	2 610	2 532	3 590
Full owners	13 674	6 183	34	188	793	1 117	1 388	2 663
Part owners	6 187	4 376	38	233	1 081	1 239	987	798
Tenants	2 101	1 294	78	246	430	254	157	129
Black and other races	352	196	5	13	42	46	42	48
Full owners	201	85	2	1	18	16	16	32
Part owners	105	84	1	9	14	22	22	16
Tenants	46	27	2	3	10	8	4	–
OWNED AND RENTED LAND								
Land owned ... farms	20 264	10 774	76	434	1 918	2 405	2 422	3 519
acres	9 027 774	7 234 280	18 534	179 010	1 215 024	1 700 227	2 094 614	2 026 871
Owned land in farms ... farms	20 167	10 728	75	431	1 906	2 394	2 413	3 509
acres	7 897 630	6 476 697	17 856	168 213	1 147 469	1 624 273	1 683 698	1 835 188
Land rented or leased from others ... farms	8 535	5 840	121	492	1 545	1 539	1 187	956
acres	4 007 597	3 539 634	31 203	244 088	1 021 104	1 038 080	734 566	470 593
landlords	21 918	17 382	410	1 376	4 898	4 737	3 339	2 622
Rented or leased land in farms ... farms	8 439	5 781	119	491	1 535	1 523	1 170	943
acres	3 932 537	3 480 957	28 461	238 842	1 008 747	1 022 122	716 806	465 979
Land rented or leased to others ... farms	3 433	1 879	11	65	288	374	431	710
acres	1 205 204	816 260	3 420	16 043	79 912	91 912	428 676	196 297
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS								
Operators by place of residence:								
On farm operated	17 068	9 429	83	439	1 775	2 114	2 091	2 927
Not on farm operated	3 801	1 772	62	192	415	352	332	419
Not reported	1 445	848	10	49	156	190	151	292
Operators by principal occupation:								
Farming	12 049	12 049	155	680	2 346	2 656	2 574	3 638
Other	10 265	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Operators by days worked off farm:								
None	8 856	7 630	59	313	1 319	1 545	1 653	2 741
Any	12 230	3 191	84	306	856	869	680	396
1 to 99 days	2 264	1 743	46	161	446	470	364	256
100 to 199 days	2 081	763	21	68	210	190	200	74
200 days or more	7 885	685	17	77	200	209	116	66
Not reported	1 228	1 228	12	61	171	242	241	501
Operators by years on present farm:								
2 years or less	1 269	540	49	107	154	97	70	63
3 or 4 years	1 752	645	36	100	184	138	101	86
5 to 9 years	3 592	1 409	22	225	476	291	201	194
10 years or more	12 603	7 780	–	137	1 240	1 792	1 886	2 725
Average years on present farm	18.7	22.4	2.9	6.7	12.5	18.3	24.5	34.2
Not reported	3 098	1 675	48	111	292	338	316	570
Operators by age group:								
Under 25 years	236	155	155	–	–	–	–	–
25 to 34 years	1 362	680	–	680	–	–	–	–
35 to 44 years	4 986	2 346	–	–	2 346	–	–	–
45 to 49 years	2 971	1 349	–	–	–	1 349	–	–
50 to 54 years	2 879	1 307	–	–	–	1 307	–	–
55 to 59 years	2 640	1 247	–	–	–	–	1 247	–
60 to 64 years	2 264	1 327	–	–	–	–	1 327	–
65 to 69 years	1 855	1 298	–	–	–	–	–	1 298
70 years and over	3 121	2 340	–	–	–	–	–	2 340
Average age	53.2	55.4	21.9	30.5	40.1	49.4	59.6	72.8
Operators by sex:								
Male	20 565	11 219	149	646	2 190	2 483	2 404	3 347
Female	1 749	830	6	34	156	173	170	291
Operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin (see text)	328	181	4	11	46	38	45	37
FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION								
Individual or family (sole proprietorship) ... farms	18 631	9 364	128	545	1 753	2 001	2 015	2 922
acres	6 226 860	5 087 619	27 336	247 151	1 092 346	1 320 752	1 146 893	1 253 141
Partnership ... farms	1 956	1 367	22	67	284	291	283	420
acres	2 302 246	1 965 577	16 718	68 997	478 449	456 111	421 406	523 896
Corporation:								
Family held ... farms	1 351	1 107	5	55	274	313	228	232
acres	2 222 151	2 059 096	2 263	75 440	394 192	653 512	478 525	455 164
More than 10 stockholders ... farms	41	35	–	2	12	5	11	5
10 or less stockholders ... farms	1 310	1 072	5	53	262	308	217	227
Other than family held ... farms	108	66	–	3	19	22	15	7
acres	121 513	93 333	–	(D)	21 615	40 971	22 543	(D)
More than 10 stockholders ... farms	24	15	–	1	6	5	2	1
10 or less stockholders ... farms	84	51	–	2	13	17	13	6
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. ... farms	268	145	–	10	16	29	33	57
acres	957 397	752 029	–	(D)	169 614	175 049	331 137	(D)

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Item	Other occupations						
		Age of operator (years)					
	Total	Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
TENURE AND RACE OF OPERATOR							
All operators	10 265	81	682	2 640	3 194	2 330	1 338
Full owners	7 607	31	370	1 819	2 374	1 855	1 158
Part owners	1 832	5	135	553	635	391	113
Tenants	826	45	177	268	185	84	67
White	10 109	79	670	2 591	3 151	2 293	1 325
Full owners	7 491	29	363	1 785	2 344	1 821	1 149
Part owners	1 811	5	133	545	626	389	113
Tenants	807	45	174	261	181	83	63
Black and other races	156	2	12	49	43	37	13
Full owners	116	2	7	34	30	34	9
Part owners	21	–	2	8	9	2	–
Tenants	19	–	3	7	4	1	4
OWNED AND RENTED LAND							
Land owned ... farms	9 490	36	511	2 388	3 024	2 255	1 276
acres	1 793 494	10 782	52 589	350 843	494 378	527 321	357 581
Owned land in farms ... farms	9 439	36	505	2 372	3 009	2 246	1 271
acres	1 420 933	9 595	43 573	208 513	435 274	430 092	293 886
Land rented or leased from others ... farms	2 695	50	314	827	828	484	192
acres	467 963	5 398	39 746	129 850	138 408	90 664	63 897
landlords	4 536	121	492	1 461	1 326	762	374
Rented or leased land in farms ... farms	2 658	50	312	821	820	475	180
acres	451 580	5 398	39 516	126 692	131 761	86 886	61 327
Land rented or leased to others ... farms	1 554	4	49	290	435	461	315
acres	388 944	1 187	9 246	145 488	65 751	101 007	66 265
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS							
Operators by place of residence:							
On farm operated	7 639	39	453	2 079	2 459	1 742	867
Not on farm operated	2 029	38	187	420	561	463	360
Not reported	597	4	42	141	174	125	111
Operators by principal occupation:							
Farming	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other	10 265	81	682	2 640	3 194	2 330	1 338
Operators by days worked off farm:							
None	1 226	8	28	83	151	214	742
Any	9 039	73	654	2 557	3 043	2 116	596
1 to 99 days	521	7	33	87	111	129	154
100 to 199 days	1 318	9	73	308	447	359	122
200 days or more	7 200	57	548	2 162	2 485	1 628	320
Not reported	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Operators by years on present farm:							
2 years or less	729	25	149	255	172	99	29
3 or 4 years	1 107	21	161	433	315	132	45
5 to 9 years	2 183	8	224	834	713	301	103
10 years or more	4 823	–	69	794	1 609	1 481	870
Average years on present farm	14.3	2.9	5.2	8.6	13.3	18.5	27.7
Not reported	1 423	27	79	324	385	317	291
Operators by age group:							
Under 25 years	81	81	–	–	–	–	–
25 to 34 years	682	–	682	–	–	–	–
35 to 44 years	2 640	–	–	2 640	–	–	–
45 to 49 years	1 622	–	–	–	1 622	–	–
50 to 54 years	1 572	–	–	–	1 572	–	–
55 to 59 years	1 393	–	–	–	–	1 393	–
60 to 64 years	937	–	–	–	–	937	–
65 to 69 years	557	–	–	–	–	–	557
70 years and over	781	–	–	–	–	–	781
Average age	50.7	21.6	30.9	40.0	49.4	58.9	72.2
Operators by sex:							
Male	9 346	69	625	2 416	2 914	2 150	1 172
Female	919	12	57	224	280	180	166
Operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin (see text)	147	6	17	36	53	27	8
FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION							
Individual or family (sole proprietorship) ... farms	9 267	71	617	2 461	2 879	2 101	1 138
acres	1 139 241	(D)	(D)	259 273	327 405	309 358	180 790
Partnership ... farms	589	9	48	114	183	133	102
acres	336 669	8 648	8 889	33 160	91 681	107 417	86 874
Corporation:							
Family held ... farms	244	–	14	39	82	49	60
acres	163 055	–	12 424	7 700	38 795	50 191	53 945
More than 10 stockholders ... farms	6	–	–	–	3	2	1
10 or less stockholders ... farms	238	–	14	39	79	47	59
Other than family held ... farms	42	–	–	6	18	10	8
acres	28 180	–	–	1 339	17 206	3 785	5 850
More than 10 stockholders ... farms	9	–	–	3	3	1	2
10 or less stockholders ... farms	33	–	–	3	15	9	6
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. ... farms	123	1	3	20	32	37	30
acres	205 368	(D)	(D)	33 733	91 948	46 227	27 754

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Item	Total farming and other occupations	Farming						
		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
INJURIES AND DEATHS								
Farm-related injuries:								
Operator and family members ..... farms..	280	203	4	11	43	50	36	59
number..	317	229	4	13	44	61	41	66
Hired workers ..... farms..	446	392	4	16	120	121	73	58
number..	723	619	9	27	161	228	106	88
Farm-related deaths:								
Operator and family members ..... farms..	6	5	–	2	1	1	1	–
number..	6	(D)	–	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	–
Hired workers ..... farms..	4	4	–	–	1	2	–	1
number..	5	(D)	–	–	(D)	(D)	–	(D)
FARMS BY SIZE								
1 to 9 acres	3 092	743	11	44	143	127	129	289
10 to 49 acres	5 621	1 793	33	85	235	292	385	763
50 to 69 acres	1 006	450	9	19	71	74	107	170
70 to 99 acres	1 406	718	15	43	98	116	178	268
100 to 139 acres	1 159	643	17	42	109	119	122	234
140 to 179 acres	1 186	698	16	46	127	139	161	209
180 to 219 acres	786	522	8	32	106	138	93	145
220 to 259 acres	695	481	6	41	87	119	99	129
260 to 499 acres	2 331	1 724	18	122	358	419	346	461
500 to 999 acres	2 199	1 798	10	105	444	426	395	418
1,000 to 1,999 acres	1 582	1 343	9	58	326	367	306	277
2,000 acres or more	1 251	1 136	3	43	242	320	253	275
FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM								
Oilseed and grain farming (1111)	3 925	2 572	42	171	531	574	534	720
Vegetable and melon farming (1112)	980	849	13	71	229	228	183	125
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113)	271	120	–	4	15	27	29	45
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114)	444	186	–	13	48	55	34	36
Other crop farming (1119)	4 746	2 734	47	180	598	619	563	727
Tobacco farming (11191)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton farming (11192)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199)	4 746	2 734	47	180	598	619	563	727
Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111)	7 697	3 688	34	142	514	667	806	1 525
Cattle feedlots (112112)	443	189	–	7	40	39	41	62
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212)	926	825	8	58	222	248	159	130
Hog and pig farming (1122)	180	51	–	5	12	15	7	12
Poultry and egg production (1123)	84	24	–	1	5	9	4	5
Sheep and goat farming (1124)	465	195	2	6	31	43	57	56
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129)	2 153	616	9	22	101	132	157	195
LIVESTOCK								
Cattle and calves inventory ..... farms..	12 063	6 746	67	335	1 254	1 487	1 483	2 120
number..	1 908 097	1 507 114	6 306	75 475	324 146	449 606	333 102	318 479
Farms with—								
1 to 9	2 414	663	9	32	103	106	160	253
10 to 49	4 485	2 035	27	104	305	334	435	830
50 to 99	1 750	1 142	14	54	209	264	239	362
100 to 199	1 419	1 111	9	61	229	311	245	256
200 to 499	1 305	1 164	5	50	261	288	264	296
500 or more	690	631	3	34	147	184	140	123
Cows and heifers that had calved ..... farms..	9 375	5 582	58	278	1 066	1 261	1 231	1 688
number..	821 530	689 439	4 142	36 615	155 332	199 639	152 200	141 511
Beef cows ..... farms..	8 405	4 793	48	217	869	1 015	1 087	1 557
number..	555 676	453 359	3 162	16 257	88 355	118 220	110 675	116 690
Farms with—								
1 to 9	2 347	765	8	40	126	122	171	298
10 to 49	3 463	1 888	25	87	321	356	418	681
50 to 99	1 067	798	10	35	160	196	187	210
100 to 199	818	705	2	36	135	183	152	197
200 to 499	563	505	2	16	102	121	120	144
500 or more	147	132	1	3	25	37	39	27
Milk cows ..... farms..	1 404	1 090	11	71	266	328	214	200
number..	265 854	236 080	980	20 358	66 977	81 419	41 525	24 821
Farms with—								
1 to 4	375	174	–	13	29	52	31	49
5 to 9	38	23	–	1	3	2	5	12
10 to 49	250	212	4	12	37	62	50	47
50 to 99	236	216	3	8	59	66	46	34
100 to 199	206	193	4	12	55	53	38	31
200 to 499	172	156	–	11	52	51	22	20
500 or more	127	116	–	14	31	42	22	7
Heifers and heifer calves ..... farms..	9 102	5 449	51	271	1 055	1 241	1 195	1 636
number..	551 508	442 210	1 182	22 521	90 706	137 662	101 592	88 547
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves ..... farms..	10 110	5 767	53	280	1 048	1 278	1 274	1 834
number..	535 059	375 465	982	16 339	78 108	112 305	79 310	88 421

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Item	Other occupations						
		Age of operator (years)					
	Total	Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
INJURIES AND DEATHS							
Farm-related injuries:							
Operator and family members ..... farms..	77	–	1	21	31	10	14
number..	88	–	(D)	22	37	(D)	16
Hired workers ..... farms..	54	–	5	7	18	13	11
number..	104	–	6	7	57	19	15
Farm-related deaths:							
Operator and family members ..... farms..	1	–	–	1	–	–	–
number..	(D)	–	–	(D)	–	–	–
Hired workers ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
FARMS BY SIZE							
1 to 9 acres	2 349	20	183	699	701	454	292
10 to 49 acres	3 828	34	255	1 023	1 251	838	427
50 to 69 acres	556	4	41	142	177	124	68
70 to 99 acres	688	3	45	192	199	171	78
100 to 139 acres	516	5	35	110	171	127	68
140 to 179 acres	488	4	23	104	144	125	88
180 to 219 acres	264	1	14	55	84	65	45
220 to 259 acres	214	1	14	45	64	61	29
260 to 499 acres	607	2	39	128	181	154	103
500 to 999 acres	401	3	18	81	123	115	61
1,000 to 1,999 acres	239	2	11	43	71	62	50
2,000 acres or more	115	2	4	18	28	34	29
FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM							
Oilseed and grain farming (1111)	1 353	12	68	302	370	323	278
Vegetable and melon farming (1112)	131	4	9	42	38	23	15
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113)	151	–	5	22	67	32	25
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114)	258	–	14	61	87	57	39
Other crop farming (1119)	2 012	12	138	509	643	444	266
Tobacco farming (11191)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton farming (11192)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199)	2 012	12	138	509	643	444	266
Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111)	4 009	42	282	1 041	1 192	953	499
Cattle feedlots (112112)	254	2	22	72	71	54	33
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212)	101	–	10	20	37	23	11
Hog and pig farming (1122)	129	–	16	50	32	27	4
Poultry and egg production (1123)	60	–	4	19	18	14	5
Sheep and goat farming (1124)	270	1	19	80	97	57	16
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129)	1 537	8	95	422	542	323	147
LIVESTOCK							
Cattle and calves inventory ..... farms..	5 317	52	384	1 467	1 641	1 187	586
number..	400 983	1 655	30 777	63 026	210 067	61 006	34 452
Farms with—							
1 to 9	1 751	11	126	564	525	358	167
10 to 49	2 450	32	187	613	761	565	292
50 to 99	608	7	40	181	181	144	55
100 to 199	308	1	14	72	104	75	42
200 to 499	141	1	12	31	48	30	19
500 or more	59	–	5	6	22	15	11
Cows and heifers that had calved ..... farms..	3 793	38	274	1 002	1 208	869	402
number..	132 091	489	8 048	29 519	44 227	33 347	16 461
Beef cows ..... farms..	3 612	38	261	953	1 148	829	383
number..	102 317	(D)	(D)	20 883	32 041	28 438	14 729
Farms with—							
1 to 9	1 582	15	125	440	516	326	160
10 to 49	1 575	23	112	412	485	380	163
50 to 99	269	–	16	67	80	72	34
100 to 199	113	–	5	27	42	28	11
200 to 499	58	–	2	7	22	18	9
500 or more	15	–	1	–	3	5	6
Milk cows ..... farms..	314	2	23	86	103	70	30
number..	29 774	(D)	(D)	8 636	12 186	4 909	1 732
Farms with—							
1 to 4	201	2	14	60	63	45	17
5 to 9	15	–	–	6	4	3	2
10 to 49	38	–	1	9	12	12	4
50 to 99	20	–	1	3	8	4	4
100 to 199	13	–	3	1	5	3	1
200 to 499	16	–	2	5	7	1	1
500 or more	11	–	2	2	4	2	1
Heifers and heifer calves ..... farms..	3 653	38	269	1 010	1 151	804	381
number..	109 298	676	10 098	20 302	54 994	14 439	8 789
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves ..... farms..	4 343	44	307	1 176	1 369	988	459
number..	159 594	490	12 631	13 205	110 846	13 220	9 202

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Item	Total farming and other occupations	Farming						
		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
LIVESTOCK—Con.								
Cattle and calves sold ..... farms..	11 684	6 697	65	336	1 230	1 468	1 477	2 121
number..	1 578 375	1 104 326	3 776	53 498	204 966	366 930	249 686	225 470
$1,000..	910 805	604 616	1 560	26 537	98 883	216 165	139 103	122 367
Calves ..... farms..	4 519	2 522	33	149	486	599	513	742
number..	240 292	193 906	1 149	10 618	57 730	53 618	35 010	35 781
$1,000..	59 093	48 108	390	2 295	13 131	13 633	9 057	9 602
Cattle ..... farms..	9 902	5 764	52	289	1 042	1 252	1 294	1 835
number..	1 338 083	910 420	2 627	42 880	147 236	313 312	214 676	189 689
$1,000..	851 712	556 508	1 171	24 242	85 752	202 533	130 046	112 765
Fattened on grain and concentrates .... farms..	984	490	–	23	108	111	105	143
number..	632 606	306 939	–	15 721	43 336	142 459	73 787	31 636
$1,000..	473 467	230 974	–	10 541	31 211	111 349	54 248	23 625
Hogs and pigs inventory ..... farms..	714	279	2	21	70	73	46	67
number..	29 026	22 676	(D)	(D)	8 031	7 857	3 033	2 527
Farms with—								
1 to 24	588	199	2	13	54	45	31	54
25 to 49	49	24	–	1	6	7	4	6
50 to 99	21	11	–	1	1	4	3	2
100 to 199	25	17	–	4	3	4	3	3
200 to 499	20	18	–	2	2	10	3	1
500 or more	11	10	–	–	4	3	2	1
Used or to be used for breeding ..... farms..	290	139	–	14	31	39	15	40
number..	4 456	3 130	–	162	1 058	1 293	234	383
Other ..... farms..	653	253	2	19	62	70	44	56
number..	24 570	19 546	(D)	(D)	6 973	6 564	2 799	2 144
Hogs and pigs sold..... farms..	573	236	1	18	57	69	33	58
number..	44 626	34 272	(D)	(D)	12 439	11 711	3 688	4 064
$1,000..	4 473	3 488	(D)	265	1 383	1 068	374	(D)
Feeder pigs ..... farms..	90	41	–	2	11	12	4	12
number..	9 305	6 830	–	(D)	2 025	3 774	(D)	458
$1,000..	345	255	–	(D)	89	130	(D)	17
Litters of pigs farrowed between—								
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30 .... farms..	309	147	–	15	33	41	16	42
number..	5 892	4 532	–	226	1 741	1 793	224	548
Dec. 1 and May 31..... farms..	274	133	–	13	28	37	14	41
number..	3 112	2 345	–	107	914	916	104	304
June 1 and Nov. 30 ..... farms..	240	115	–	14	26	33	14	28
number..	2 780	2 187	–	119	827	877	120	244
Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory..... farms..	1 097	527	4	26	100	122	134	141
number..	273 804	231 478	(D)	(D)	49 914	72 587	34 175	67 232
Ewes 1 year old or older ..... farms..	940	479	4	24	91	111	122	127
number..	212 487	180 300	(D)	(D)	44 203	54 364	26 361	49 073
Sheep and lambs sold..... farms..	1 035	500	5	23	92	114	128	138
number..	291 435	246 425	(D)	(D)	51 914	85 624	29 487	71 731
Sheep and lambs shorn ..... farms..	881	455	4	23	82	101	119	126
number..	240 028	210 828	(D)	(D)	46 664	63 176	29 570	64 430
pounds of wool..	2 260 626	1 934 757	(D)	(D)	440 346	568 011	255 845	613 530
Horses and ponies inventory ..... farms..	8 682	4 042	34	190	733	967	934	1 184
number..	59 559	31 128	193	1 136	5 301	7 511	8 287	8 700
Horses and ponies sold..... farms..	1 783	739	4	36	129	194	165	211
number..	6 196	3 503	9	115	724	969	952	734
Goats inventory ..... farms..	657	229	4	14	47	54	64	46
number..	6 269	2 607	7	80	410	634	1 117	359
Goats sold ..... farms..	213	69	–	6	12	24	20	7
number..	2 492	1 031	–	25	98	311	395	202
POULTRY								
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text) ..... farms..	886	344	2	15	62	91	60	114
number..	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	1 989	943	(D)
Farms with—								
1 to 399	882	341	2	15	61	91	60	112
400 to 3,199	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999.....	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
10,000 to 19,999	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	1
100,000 or more	2	2	–	–	1	–	–	1
Layers 20 weeks old and older ..... farms..	865	336	2	15	61	90	57	111
number..	922 612	910 550	(D)	199	(D)	1 791	864	(D)
Pullets 13 weeks old and older but less than 20 weeks old ..... farms..	155	59	1	2	12	16	8	20
number..	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	119	198	79	(D)
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold (see text)..... farms..	76	29	–	–	7	11	3	8
number..	404 434	399 487	–	–	(D)	(D)	28	(D)
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold .. farms..	55	21	–	–	7	6	1	7
number..	6 043	1 357	–	–	(D)	801	(D)	268
Farms with—								
1 to 1,999.....	54	21	–	–	7	6	1	7
2,000 to 59,999.....	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
60,000 to 99,999	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 or more	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens kept for breeding ..... farms..	64	25	1	–	3	9	5	7
number..	313	203	(D)	–	(D)	30	9	160
Turkeys sold ..... farms..	40	17	–	2	5	7	–	3
number..	400	255	–	(D)	(D)	140	–	60

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Table 48. **Summary by Age and Principal Occupation of Operator: 1997**—Con.

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

Item	Other occupations						
		Age of operator (years)					
	Total	Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
LIVESTOCK—Con.							
Cattle and calves sold ..... farms..	4 987	53	361	1 327	1 521	1 135	590
number..	474 049	1 237	41 600	33 132	326 118	36 887	35 075
$1,000..	306 189	503	30 052	13 484	226 457	16 875	18 819
Calves ..... farms..	1 997	22	159	576	598	429	213
number..	46 386	462	3 387	10 532	15 762	11 225	5 018
$1,000..	10 986	103	924	2 120	3 671	2 840	1 328
Cattle ..... farms..	4 138	44	289	1 078	1 266	975	486
number..	427 663	775	38 213	22 600	310 356	25 662	30 057
$1,000..	295 204	399	29 129	11 364	222 786	14 035	17 491
Fattened on grain and concentrates .... farms..	494	6	32	145	155	106	50
number..	325 667	16	(D)	924	(D)	640	(D)
$1,000..	242 492	10	(D)	545	(D)	403	(D)
Hogs and pigs inventory ..... farms..	435	2	43	190	115	70	15
number..	6 350	(D)	1 415	1 718	1 610	1 290	(D)
Farms with—							
1 to 24	389	1	39	177	101	60	11
25 to 49	25	–	2	8	9	4	2
50 to 99	10	1	–	3	1	3	2
100 to 199	8	–	1	2	3	2	–
200 to 499	2	–	–	–	1	1	–
500 or more	1	–	1	–	–	–	–
Used or to be used for breeding ..... farms..	151	1	13	58	40	31	8
number..	1 326	(D)	283	398	261	334	(D)
Other ..... farms..	400	2	43	178	102	63	12
number..	5 024	(D)	1 132	1 320	1 349	956	(D)
Hogs and pigs sold..... farms..	337	4	32	145	97	50	9
number..	10 354	10	1 511	2 527	3 055	3 053	198
$1,000..	986	2	106	264	272	322	20
Feeder pigs ..... farms..	49	–	6	17	21	4	1
number..	2 475	–	760	741	795	(D)	(D)
$1,000..	90	–	25	27	31	(D)	(D)
Litters of pigs farrowed between—							
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30 .... farms..	162	1	14	62	43	34	8
number..	1 360	(D)	183	363	364	403	(D)
Dec. 1 and May 31..... farms..	141	1	9	55	40	29	7
number..	767	(D)	58	201	192	296	(D)
June 1 and Nov. 30 ..... farms..	125	1	12	45	39	20	8
number..	593	(D)	125	162	172	107	(D)
Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory..... farms..	570	3	27	177	203	119	41
number..	42 326	(D)	(D)	12 855	10 405	3 621	14 584
Ewes 1 year old or older ..... farms..	461	2	22	136	171	99	31
number..	32 187	(D)	507	8 650	6 496	2 633	(D)
Sheep and lambs sold..... farms..	535	5	24	179	195	102	30
number..	45 010	(D)	617	14 804	8 526	4 226	(D)
Sheep and lambs shorn ..... farms..	426	2	18	132	161	86	27
number..	29 200	(D)	(D)	9 872	8 819	3 545	6 437
pounds of wool..	325 869	(D)	(D)	144 509	81 011	31 249	65 371
Horses and ponies inventory ..... farms..	4 640	26	308	1 356	1 564	986	400
number..	28 431	103	1 522	8 300	10 036	5 976	2 494
Horses and ponies sold..... farms..	1 044	8	80	300	390	197	69
number..	2 693	18	159	789	921	595	211
Goats inventory ..... farms..	428	2	36	161	135	74	20
number..	3 662	(D)	219	1 262	1 080	883	(D)
Goats sold ..... farms..	144	1	13	53	42	26	9
number..	1 461	(D)	128	466	566	204	(D)
POULTRY							
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text) ..... farms..	542	–	33	178	183	110	38
number..	16 919	–	471	10 080	3 342	2 367	659
Farms with—							
1 to 399	541	–	33	177	183	110	38
400 to 3,199	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999.....	1	–	–	1	–	–	–
10,000 to 19,999	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 or more	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Layers 20 weeks old and older ..... farms..	529	–	30	174	180	109	36
number..	12 062	–	394	6 157	2 923	1 988	600
Pullets 13 weeks old and older but less than 20 weeks old ..... farms..	96	–	8	36	23	23	6
number..	4 857	–	77	3 923	419	379	59
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold (see text)..... farms..	47	–	6	12	15	8	6
number..	4 947	–	(D)	(D)	706	367	127
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold .. farms..	34	–	–	14	15	5	–
number..	4 686	–	–	2 560	1 646	480	–
Farms with—							
1 to 1,999.....	33	–	–	13	15	5	–
2,000 to 59,999.....	1	–	–	1	–	–	–
60,000 to 99,999	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 or more	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens kept for breeding ..... farms..	39	–	3	16	11	8	1
number..	110	–	(D)	35	38	29	(D)
Turkeys sold ..... farms..	23	–	4	9	5	4	1
number..	145	–	23	69	22	(D)	(D)

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Table 48. **Summary by Age and Principal Occupation of Operator: 1997**—Con.

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Item	Total farming and other occupations	Farming						
		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED								
Corn for grain or seed ..... farms..	694	604	11	61	151	156	123	102
acres..	41 162	38 999	576	4 154	10 484	11 887	6 672	5 226
bushels..	6 390 279	6 099 404	90 847	686 520	1 715 314	1 750 735	1 041 392	814 596
Irrigated ..... farms..	694	604	11	61	151	156	123	102
acres..	41 162	38 999	576	4 154	10 484	11 887	6 672	5 226
Corn for silage or green chop..... farms..	1 041	921	21	62	217	255	200	166
acres..	79 086	73 529	981	4 623	17 876	20 828	16 153	13 068
tons, green..	1 991 808	1 842 738	22 179	114 075	442 234	518 530	406 805	338 915
Irrigated ..... farms..	1 041	921	21	62	217	255	200	166
acres..	79 086	73 529	981	4 623	17 876	20 828	16 153	13 068
Wheat for grain ..... farms..	5 199	4 342	49	294	1 072	1 108	921	898
acres..	1 410 978	1 321 838	5 658	72 707	359 814	388 766	266 961	227 932
bushels..	108 941 849	103 448 230	452 429	5 874 055	29 320 795	31 225 569	20 805 691	15 769 691
Irrigated ..... farms..	3 852	3 248	41	227	834	829	690	627
acres..	787 355	750 753	2 754	45 218	211 840	223 433	154 836	112 672
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres	766	468	11	35	74	81	105	162
25 to 99 acres	1 723	1 352	20	102	311	314	272	333
100 to 249 acres.....	1 176	1 064	14	70	267	288	232	193
250 to 499 acres.....	716	665	2	48	185	186	152	92
500 acres or more	818	793	2	39	235	239	160	118
Barley for grain ..... farms..	4 178	3 437	43	210	814	914	728	728
acres..	711 504	657 826	3 884	34 443	179 891	195 009	132 388	112 211
bushels..	54 317 070	50 634 425	284 028	2 739 262	13 994 464	15 244 432	10 331 465	8 040 774
Irrigated ..... farms..	3 098	2 572	37	165	616	688	537	529
acres..	415 100	385 170	2 111	19 956	104 791	115 346	81 241	61 725
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres	893	592	16	35	100	128	128	185
25 to 99 acres	1 613	1 308	19	75	307	323	277	307
100 to 249 acres.....	933	834	5	62	205	253	174	135
250 to 499 acres.....	418	400	1	27	120	117	86	49
500 acres or more	321	303	2	11	82	93	63	52
Oats for grain ..... farms..	549	435	5	19	80	95	106	130
acres..	20 406	18 069	114	2 103	3 505	4 165	4 109	4 073
bushels..	1 472 775	1 315 823	5 666	120 774	279 114	326 377	328 492	255 400
Irrigated ..... farms..	309	243	2	12	46	45	68	70
acres..	8 316	7 273	(D)	(D)	1 224	1 187	2 455	1 656
Dry edible beans, excluding dry limas ..... farms..	1 138	1 023	19	97	283	284	198	142
acres..	92 743	88 437	819	6 940	26 849	28 312	16 083	9 434
cwt..	2 036 315	1 945 342	19 067	165 926	603 567	614 041	340 664	202 077
Irrigated ..... farms..	1 093	981	19	94	266	273	192	137
acres..	86 742	82 690	819	6 418	24 755	26 919	15 494	8 285
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres	238	182	10	29	38	36	34	35
25 to 99 acres	602	551	8	50	152	147	112	82
100 to 249 acres.....	237	230	1	13	72	81	43	20
250 to 499 acres.....	53	52	–	5	17	17	8	5
500 acres or more	8	8	–	–	4	3	1	–
Potatoes, excluding sweetpotatoes..... farms..	1 402	1 288	14	114	387	357	250	166
acres..	394 977	386 336	1 366	21 458	108 864	124 066	81 641	48 941
cwt..	135 578 736	132 661 182	435 595	7 319 214	38 325 592	43 287 150	27 592 558	15 701 073
Irrigated ..... farms..	1 402	1 288	14	114	387	357	250	166
acres..	394 817	386 176	1 366	21 458	108 864	123 906	81 641	48 941
Farms by acres harvested:								
0.1 to 4.9 acres.....	45	22	–	2	4	6	5	5
5.0 to 24.9 acres.....	83	60	2	12	15	13	7	11
25.0 to 99.9 acres	403	354	7	41	104	91	51	60
100.0 to 249.9 acres	403	395	3	34	123	116	82	37
250.0 acres or more.....	468	457	2	25	141	131	105	53
Sugar beets for sugar ..... farms..	921	871	25	73	285	263	153	72
acres..	195 651	192 711	1 535	11 486	67 994	59 370	35 718	16 608
tons..	5 078 013	5 005 388	42 350	291 571	1 793 903	1 535 493	921 028	421 043
Irrigated ..... farms..	921	871	25	73	285	263	153	72
acres..	195 651	192 711	1 535	11 486	67 994	59 370	35 718	16 608
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) ... farms..	11 960	7 373	74	343	1 442	1 664	1 686	2 164
acres..	1 260 010	1 065 191	8 515	42 120	244 867	271 985	258 268	239 436
tons, dry..	4 395 396	3 845 217	33 269	153 573	941 500	1 035 400	915 379	766 096
Irrigated ..... farms..	9 307	5 858	70	293	1 208	1 331	1 319	1 637
acres..	949 485	821 062	6 827	34 822	201 454	215 774	195 307	166 878
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres	4 364	1 666	12	73	255	278	362	686
25 to 99 acres	4 175	2 719	38	138	504	583	646	810
100 to 249 acres.....	2 192	1 871	13	88	414	516	412	428
250 to 499 acres.....	813	729	8	31	170	191	172	157
500 acres or more	416	388	3	13	99	96	94	83
Alfalfa hay ..... farms..	10 001	6 387	67	307	1 293	1 454	1 447	1 819
acres..	946 882	808 288	6 395	33 700	191 110	207 739	191 907	177 437
tons, dry..	3 721 968	3 276 541	28 984	137 146	825 056	872 242	772 439	640 674
Irrigated ..... farms..	8 306	5 343	62	271	1 123	1 230	1 192	1 465
acres..	753 313	655 372	5 507	28 808	162 857	172 882	154 918	130 400

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Item	Other occupations						
		Age of operator (years)					
	Total	Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED							
Corn for grain or seed ..... farms..	90	–	7	25	32	18	8
acres..	2 163	–	126	456	730	636	215
bushels..	290 875	–	17 087	53 045	97 542	91 005	32 196
Irrigated ..... farms..	90	–	7	25	32	18	8
acres..	2 163	–	126	456	730	636	215
Corn for silage or green chop..... farms..	120	2	12	34	40	27	5
acres..	5 557	(D)	(D)	1 597	1 297	1 905	294
tons, green..	149 070	(D)	(D)	43 961	29 068	57 291	7 019
Irrigated ..... farms..	120	2	12	34	40	27	5
acres..	5 557	(D)	(D)	1 597	1 297	1 905	294
Wheat for grain ..... farms..	857	10	74	219	263	185	106
acres..	89 140	659	7 261	20 061	24 662	12 213	24 284
bushels..	5 493 619	50 723	527 615	1 510 764	1 448 717	799 191	1 156 609
Irrigated ..... farms..	604	8	52	173	173	135	63
acres..	36 602	359	3 166	13 325	9 670	6 004	4 078
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres	298	5	31	74	81	74	33
25 to 99 acres	371	2	23	95	123	86	42
100 to 249 acres.....	112	3	10	35	34	15	15
250 to 499 acres.....	51	–	9	13	17	7	5
500 acres or more	25	–	1	2	8	3	11
Barley for grain ..... farms..	741	6	45	184	243	187	76
acres..	53 678	464	3 596	15 216	17 290	11 100	6 012
bushels..	3 682 645	31 550	243 619	1 122 721	1 045 800	818 310	420 645
Irrigated ..... farms..	526	4	28	142	174	130	48
acres..	29 930	164	1 297	9 759	8 326	7 281	3 103
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres	301	2	19	73	105	71	31
25 to 99 acres	305	1	16	73	96	89	30
100 to 249 acres.....	99	3	8	26	28	24	10
250 to 499 acres.....	18	–	–	7	7	1	3
500 acres or more	18	–	2	5	7	2	2
Oats for grain ..... farms..	114	2	4	31	28	35	14
acres..	2 337	(D)	(D)	771	578	690	249
bushels..	156 952	(D)	(D)	60 282	46 118	30 638	17 042
Irrigated ..... farms..	66	–	2	15	20	17	12
acres..	1 043	–	(D)	371	290	(D)	225
Dry edible beans, excluding dry limas ..... farms..	115	1	2	27	47	22	16
acres..	4 306	(D)	(D)	976	1 717	732	826
cwt..	90 973	(D)	(D)	20 709	36 075	15 445	17 700
Irrigated ..... farms..	112	1	2	26	46	21	16
acres..	4 052	(D)	(D)	902	1 543	726	826
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres	56	1	1	12	23	10	9
25 to 99 acres	51	–	1	14	20	11	5
100 to 249 acres.....	7	–	–	1	4	1	1
250 to 499 acres.....	1	–	–	–	–	–	1
500 acres or more	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Potatoes, excluding sweetpotatoes..... farms..	114	1	5	38	33	21	16
acres..	8 641	(D)	(D)	3 681	2 333	1 927	478
cwt..	2 917 554	(D)	(D)	1 232 563	699 811	752 426	177 504
Irrigated ..... farms..	114	1	5	38	33	21	16
acres..	8 641	(D)	(D)	3 681	2 333	1 927	478
Farms by acres harvested:							
0.1 to 4.9 acres.....	23	1	1	3	6	8	4
5.0 to 24.9 acres.....	23	–	1	9	7	3	3
25.0 to 99.9 acres	49	–	3	18	13	6	9
100.0 to 249.9 acres	8	–	–	3	4	1	–
250.0 acres or more.....	11	–	–	5	3	3	–
Sugar beets for sugar ..... farms..	50	2	5	16	14	8	5
acres..	2 940	(D)	(D)	965	1 353	246	184
tons..	72 625	(D)	(D)	24 024	33 188	6 808	4 268
Irrigated ..... farms..	50	2	5	16	14	8	5
acres..	2 940	(D)	(D)	965	1 353	246	184
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) ... farms..	4 587	20	300	1 208	1 473	1 073	513
acres..	194 819	1 159	12 141	42 808	61 030	53 993	23 688
tons, dry..	550 179	3 574	34 392	124 702	173 544	146 769	67 198
Irrigated ..... farms..	3 449	14	238	940	1 129	784	344
acres..	128 423	650	7 809	28 945	41 826	34 264	14 929
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres	2 698	9	180	741	862	597	309
25 to 99 acres	1 456	8	86	383	466	356	157
100 to 249 acres.....	321	1	28	62	120	80	30
250 to 499 acres.....	84	2	6	19	19	30	8
500 acres or more	28	–	–	3	6	10	9
Alfalfa hay ..... farms..	3 614	16	253	963	1 176	829	377
acres..	138 594	655	8 995	30 303	43 269	37 554	17 818
tons, dry..	445 427	2 094	28 759	101 695	142 171	114 400	56 308
Irrigated ..... farms..	2 963	12	215	802	982	665	287
acres..	97 941	492	6 308	22 747	31 604	24 633	12 157

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Item		Total farming and other occupations	Farming						
			Total	Age of operator (years)					
				Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED—Con.									
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)	farms	645	529	9	44	123	159	103	91
	acres	37 783	35 443	282	2 266	10 362	11 876	6 905	3 753
Irrigated	farms	632	518	9	43	121	155	102	88
	acres	34 764	32 430	282	2 146	9 211	10 500	6 605	3 687
Farms by acres harvested:									
0.1 to 4.9 acres		136	73	–	5	18	10	12	28
5.0 to 24.9 acres		152	120	6	12	22	39	24	17
25.0 to 99.9 acres		256	239	3	23	57	73	46	37
100.0 to 249.9 acres		77	75	–	3	21	29	15	7
250.0 acres or more		24	22	–	1	5	8	6	2
Green peas, excluding green cowpeas, harvested for sale	farms	67	55	1	5	10	18	16	5
	acres	4 295	4 280	(D)	175	1 457	1 791	687	(D)
Irrigated	farms	58	47	1	4	8	15	15	4
	acres	1 303	1 294	(D)	(D)	306	425	387	76
Sweet corn harvested for sale	farms	361	289	6	25	64	84	52	58
	acres	18 002	16 524	138	1 150	4 854	5 125	3 053	2 205
Irrigated	farms	361	289	6	25	64	84	52	58
	acres	18 002	16 524	138	1 150	4 854	5 125	3 053	2 205
Field seed and grass seed crops	farms	590	524	3	36	167	130	108	80
	acres	81 635	78 336	28	4 020	22 354	23 102	16 719	12 113
Irrigated	farms	388	342	3	30	102	78	77	52
	acres	43 426	41 739	28	3 131	13 364	10 098	11 100	4 018
Land in orchards	farms	377	175	–	6	22	29	48	70
	acres	9 903	8 206	–	460	1 373	1 299	3 044	2 030
Irrigated	farms	335	162	–	5	21	28	41	67
	acres	9 553	7 974	–	260	1 372	1 298	3 024	2 020
Farms by bearing and nonbearing acres:									
0.1 to 4.9 acres		208	75	–	2	9	12	19	33
5.0 to 24.9 acres		94	44	–	–	6	4	13	21
25.0 to 99.9 acres		60	42	–	2	4	10	15	11
100.0 to 249.9 acres		10	9	–	2	1	2	–	4
250.0 acres or more		5	5	–	–	2	1	1	1

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 48. **Summary by Age and Principal Occupation of Operator: 1997**—Con.

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

Item		Other occupations						
			Age of operator (years)					
		Total	Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED—Con.								
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)	farms	116	3	9	29	39	21	15
	acres	2 340	62	82	336	702	276	881
Irrigated	farms	114	3	9	29	39	20	14
	acres	2 333	62	82	336	702	270	881
Farms by acres harvested:								
0.1 to 4.9 acres		63	–	6	16	22	10	9
5.0 to 24.9 acres		32	2	1	10	10	8	1
25.0 to 99.9 acres		17	1	2	2	5	3	4
100.0 to 249.9 acres		2	–	–	1	1	–	–
250.0 acres or more		2	–	–	–	1	–	1
Green peas, excluding green cowpeas, harvested for sale	farms	12	1	–	2	5	3	1
	acres	15	(D)	–	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
Irrigated	farms	11	1	–	2	5	2	1
	acres	9	(D)	–	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
Sweet corn harvested for sale	farms	72	1	5	18	27	13	8
	acres	1 478	(D)	(D)	211	248	95	840
Irrigated	farms	72	1	5	18	27	13	8
	acres	1 478	(D)	(D)	211	248	95	840
Field seed and grass seed crops	farms	66	–	10	14	25	10	7
	acres	3 299	–	647	562	1 213	335	542
Irrigated	farms	46	–	6	12	17	6	5
	acres	1 687	–	241	379	423	170	474
Land in orchards	farms	202	–	5	35	92	39	31
	acres	1 697	–	50	207	685	268	486
Irrigated	farms	173	–	5	35	74	32	27
	acres	1 579	–	50	179	628	245	478
Farms by bearing and nonbearing acres:								
0.1 to 4.9 acres		133	–	4	27	59	22	21
5.0 to 24.9 acres		50	–	–	6	25	14	5
25.0 to 99.9 acres		18	–	1	2	8	3	4
100.0 to 249.9 acres		1	–	–	–	–	–	1
250.0 acres or more		–	–	–	–	–	–	–

[1]Data are based on a sample of farms.
[2]Farms with total production expenses equal to market value of agricultural products sold are included as farms with gains of less than $1,000.

Table 49. **Summary by Size of Farm: 1997**

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

Item	Total	1 to 9 acres	10 to 49 acres	50 to 69 acres	70 to 99 acres	100 to 139 acres
FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS						
Farms ..... number..	22 314	3 092	5 621	1 006	1 406	1 159
percent..	100.0	13.9	25.2	4.5	6.3	5.2
Land in farms ..... acres..	11 830 167	13 925	138 567	58 063	114 250	134 194
Average size of farm ..... acres..	530	5	25	58	81	116
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD						
Total sales (see text) ..... farms..	22 314	3 092	5 621	1 006	1 406	1 159
$1,000..	3 345 864	72 595	167 304	48 174	94 832	96 791
Average per farm ..... dollars..	149 945	23 478	29 764	47 887	67 448	83 512
Farms by value of sales:						
Less than $1,000 (see text)	3 243	841	1 156	145	137	132
$1,000 to $2,499	2 420	904	1 070	90	103	67
$2,500 to $4,999	2 350	532	1 117	133	145	110
$5,000 to $9,999	2 362	356	981	176	192	153
$10,000 to $19,999	2 455	181	708	250	287	188
$20,000 to $24,999	727	36	124	48	104	72
$25,000 to $39,999	1 407	66	126	75	196	156
$40,000 to $49,999	661	28	51	13	54	70
$50,000 to $99,999	1 898	64	94	35	84	104
$100,000 to $249,999	2 312	44	77	16	61	58
$250,000 to $499,999	1 198	24	50	6	13	22
$500,000 to $999,999	710	7	38	9	9	9
$1,000,000 to $2,499,999	418	5	23	7	15	11
$2,500,000 to $4,999,999	95	1	4	1	4	5
$5,000,000 or more	58	3	2	2	2	2
Grains ..... farms..	7 199	38	550	197	421	390
$1,000..	573 088	63	2 772	1 576	5 165	5 426
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	2 792	–	–	2	1	3
$1,000..	501 238	–	–	(D)	(D)	183
Corn for grain ..... farms..	590	4	46	15	43	40
$1,000..	17 592	9	265	122	492	413
Wheat ..... farms..	5 171	18	293	101	243	229
$1,000..	346 339	31	1 438	704	2 577	2 591
Soybeans ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sorghum for grain ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–
Barley ..... farms..	3 613	11	191	79	151	178
$1,000..	140 145	17	627	418	1 086	1 293
Oats ..... farms..	298	–	17	9	15	21
$1,000..	1 832	–	19	16	42	35
Other grains ..... farms..	1 625	6	56	26	83	77
$1,000..	67 179	6	423	316	967	1 095
Cotton and cottonseed ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–
Tobacco ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–
Hay, silage, and field seeds ..... farms..	7 647	340	1 711	368	559	425
$1,000..	255 141	387	6 834	2 909	5 924	6 160
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	1 258	–	–	–	2	19
$1,000..	187 892	–	–	–	(D)	(D)
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ..... farms..	641	73	76	19	40	20
$1,000..	50 636	303	1 157	293	1 043	735
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	226	1	7	2	10	7
$1,000..	44 879	(D)	648	(D)	734	565
Fruits, nuts, and berries ..... farms..	287	85	93	21	24	17
$1,000..	24 408	289	1 264	527	1 066	877
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	48	1	4	5	9	4
$1,000..	22 529	(D)	235	395	926	713
Nursery and greenhouse crops ..... farms..	706	182	170	25	33	37
$1,000..	57 189	5 899	12 493	2 482	1 765	3 962
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	198	27	35	4	9	10
$1,000..	51 156	4 649	11 321	2 270	1 495	3 709
Other crops ..... farms..	2 148	31	80	22	52	68
$1,000..	813 238	127	1 628	679	2 545	3 228
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	1 684	–	6	7	15	27
$1,000..	803 069	–	465	432	1 665	2 345
Poultry and poultry products ..... farms..	412	127	156	13	23	14
$1,000..	15 000	160	2 973	(D)	331	21
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	12	–	6	1	2	–
$1,000..	14 550	–	2 897	(D)	(D)	–
Dairy products ..... farms..	1 056	54	166	35	106	80
$1,000..	557 339	25 179	63 958	19 402	61 994	37 004
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	870	38	132	21	81	67
$1,000..	552 802	24 805	63 310	19 088	61 412	36 621
Cattle and calves ..... farms..	11 684	1 477	2 618	549	765	664
$1,000..	910 805	22 771	60 306	9 809	12 256	36 518
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	1 732	47	88	23	44	35
$1,000..	804 530	15 229	44 504	5 611	5 996	29 520

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 49. **Summary by Size of Farm: 1997**—Con.

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

Item	140 to 179 acres	180 to 219 acres	220 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 to 1,999 acres	2,000 acres or more
FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS							
Farms ..... number..	1 186	786	695	2 331	2 199	1 582	1 251
percent..	5.3	3.5	3.1	10.4	9.9	7.1	5.6
Land in farms ..... acres..	187 383	155 337	164 847	844 472	1 543 958	2 182 497	6 292 674
Average size of farm ..... acres..	158	198	237	362	702	1 380	5 030
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD							
Total sales (see text) ..... farms..	1 186	786	695	2 331	2 199	1 582	1 251
$1,000..	81 600	55 254	87 711	461 922	633 611	609 836	936 234
Average per farm ..... dollars..	68 803	70 298	126 203	198 165	288 136	385 484	748 389
Farms by value of sales:							
Less than $1,000 (see text)	159	84	71	216	146	107	49
$1,000 to $2,499	54	27	19	52	19	11	4
$2,500 to $4,999	96	45	27	82	36	19	8
$5,000 to $9,999	113	58	53	150	93	28	9
$10,000 to $19,999	158	111	84	230	175	64	19
$20,000 to $24,999	53	44	29	80	82	44	11
$25,000 to $39,999	143	75	72	189	170	91	48
$40,000 to $49,999	69	45	41	121	81	65	23
$50,000 to $99,999	194	161	134	337	293	238	160
$100,000 to $249,999	102	99	126	569	487	378	295
$250,000 to $499,999	21	26	15	220	373	203	225
$500,000 to $999,999	12	9	8	47	199	201	162
$1,000,000 to $2,499,999	9	1	10	18	32	124	163
$2,500,000 to $4,999,999	3	1	5	10	8	4	49
$5,000,000 or more	–	–	1	10	5	5	26
Grains ..... farms..	486	344	322	1 235	1 361	1 048	807
$1,000..	9 646	8 697	10 240	53 368	106 811	139 666	229 658
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	26	47	61	466	830	746	610
$1,000..	1 667	2 930	4 382	36 703	96 102	133 739	225 382
Corn for grain ..... farms..	54	42	44	135	100	37	30
$1,000..	711	559	663	3 483	3 791	2 645	4 440
Wheat ..... farms..	319	224	212	899	1 077	875	681
$1,000..	4 871	3 886	4 786	26 732	56 659	88 206	153 860
Soybeans ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sorghum for grain ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Barley ..... farms..	216	163	147	605	723	642	507
$1,000..	2 075	1 858	2 042	11 781	26 937	35 468	56 543
Oats ..... farms..	9	7	9	44	70	62	35
$1,000..	42	16	12	155	466	439	590
Other grains ..... farms..	124	100	105	312	350	222	164
$1,000..	1 946	2 379	2 737	11 217	18 959	12 909	14 226
Cotton and cottonseed ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Tobacco ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Hay, silage, and field seeds ..... farms..	501	306	283	1 015	990	661	488
$1,000..	8 839	6 877	8 151	37 257	54 878	47 565	69 361
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	47	35	50	259	343	252	251
$1,000..	3 219	2 907	4 564	25 008	44 349	41 195	65 205
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ..... farms..	37	38	29	132	118	40	19
$1,000..	2 523	1 780	2 352	11 135	14 255	10 449	4 613
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	11	9	12	57	70	27	13
$1,000..	2 067	1 242	1 989	9 520	13 215	10 142	4 475
Fruits, nuts, and berries ..... farms..	9	7	2	9	15	3	2
$1,000..	488	1 237	(D)	(D)	7 280	(D)	(D)
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	5	4	1	7	6	–	2
$1,000..	415	1 206	(D)	(D)	7 242	–	(D)
Nursery and greenhouse crops ..... farms..	39	19	21	81	60	26	13
$1,000..	1 952	1 510	2 441	10 350	6 062	5 828	2 446
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	4	6	12	30	36	15	10
$1,000..	1 305	1 320	2 271	9 190	5 632	5 575	2 420
Other crops ..... farms..	91	93	74	431	552	379	275
$1,000..	5 978	9 053	5 400	62 289	151 509	202 802	368 001
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	45	55	40	352	512	359	266
$1,000..	4 809	8 040	4 568	60 175	150 523	202 284	367 762
Poultry and poultry products ..... farms..	15	6	6	19	20	8	5
$1,000..	11	1	(D)	(D)	18	(D)	(D)
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	–	–	1	2	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	(D)	(D)	–	–	–
Dairy products ..... farms..	92	56	60	179	124	67	37
$1,000..	32 788	14 572	32 476	94 069	70 255	43 229	62 411
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	78	44	56	156	103	60	34
$1,000..	32 358	14 346	32 365	93 379	69 776	43 021	62 321
Cattle and calves ..... farms..	619	437	397	1 305	1 210	866	777
$1,000..	17 303	10 450	16 853	181 200	214 647	157 097	171 595
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	42	42	53	218	303	319	518
$1,000..	11 180	5 171	12 125	164 733	199 331	145 711	165 419

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Table 49. **Summary by Size of Farm: 1997**—Con.

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

Item	Total	1 to 9 acres	10 to 49 acres	50 to 69 acres	70 to 99 acres	100 to 139 acres
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD—Con.						
Total sales (see text)—Con.						
Hogs and pigs ..... farms..	573	140	194	25	34	22
$1,000..	4 473	531	862	(D)	442	141
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	19	1	5	1	2	1
$1,000..	2 517	(D)	315	(D)	(D)	(D)
Sheep, lambs, and wool ..... farms..	1 077	206	355	52	56	35
$1,000..	29 977	250	1 175	153	395	275
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	64	–	2	–	2	1
$1,000..	26 141	–	(D)	–	(D)	(D)
Other livestock and livestock products (see text) ..... farms..	2 335	577	808	110	115	110
$1,000..	54 571	16 636	11 881	3 815	1 907	2 443
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	103	38	24	7	4	6
$1,000..	45 319	14 342	8 756	3 393	1 262	2 014
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text) ..... farms..	1 205	340	358	65	69	38
$1,000..	3 047	514	731	96	161	69
FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES[1]						
Total farm production expenses ..... farms..	22 334	3 196	5 547	1 017	1 432	1 209
$1,000..	2 705 028	57 264	145 556	37 573	75 175	75 414
Average per farm ..... dollars..	121 117	17 917	26 240	36 944	52 497	62 377
Livestock and poultry purchased ..... farms..	7 820	1 308	1 986	323	403	394
$1,000..	469 600	10 682	36 549	5 185	6 621	11 065
Farms with expenses of—						
$1 to $4,999	5 039	1 080	1 494	261	265	233
$5,000 to $24,999	1 930	187	389	37	106	130
$25,000 to $99,999	596	34	74	14	17	19
$100,000 to $249,999	145	4	15	6	11	5
$250,000 or more	110	3	14	5	4	7
Feed for livestock and poultry ..... farms..	11 438	1 855	2 891	543	646	627
$1,000..	450 829	21 185	48 103	13 657	31 246	25 980
Farms with expenses of—						
$1 to $4,999	8 156	1 668	2 488	432	496	455
$5,000 to $24,999	1 953	110	237	89	84	94
$25,000 to $99,999	825	39	75	5	26	48
$100,000 to $249,999	246	29	42	5	14	8
$250,000 or more	258	9	49	12	26	22
Commercially mixed formula feeds ..... farms..	5 461	804	1 469	198	292	304
$1,000..	102 153	4 693	15 070	6 140	8 384	7 822
Farms with expenses of—						
$1 to $4,999	4 270	747	1 308	180	217	221
$5,000 to $24,999	606	13	65	2	31	36
$25,000 to $99,999	390	31	57	4	28	36
$100,000 or more	195	13	39	12	16	11
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees ..... farms..	9 308	368	1 147	339	581	523
$1,000..	94 322	446	1 231	415	702	1 005
Farms with expenses of—						
$1 to $999	3 343	310	990	264	331	256
$1,000 to $4,999	3 181	35	144	67	237	234
$5,000 to $24,999	1 954	22	8	7	13	31
$25,000 to $49,999	425	–	–	–	–	–
$50,000 or more	405	1	5	1	–	2
Commercial fertilizer ..... farms..	11 564	681	2 227	493	821	667
$1,000..	245 440	173	1 958	785	2 009	2 472
Farms with expenses of—						
$1 to $4,999	6 638	680	2 204	471	708	504
$5,000 to $24,999	2 878	1	17	21	106	162
$25,000 to $49,999	878	–	6	1	7	1
$50,000 or more	1 170	–	–	–	–	–
Agricultural chemicals ..... farms..	11 383	932	2 122	469	750	578
$1,000..	118 406	169	938	501	1 104	774
Farms with expenses of—						
$1 to $4,999	8 425	932	2 101	450	710	538
$5,000 to $24,999	1 856	–	21	18	40	40
$25,000 to $49,999	552	–	–	–	–	–
$50,000 or more	550	–	–	1	–	–
Petroleum products ..... farms..	20 090	2 510	4 809	931	1 341	1 073
$1,000..	100 076	1 882	4 378	1 243	2 188	2 295
Farms with expenses of—						
$1 to $4,999	15 482	2 460	4 688	890	1 267	999
$5,000 to $24,999	3 857	46	113	37	69	71
$25,000 to $49,999	527	3	5	4	5	2
$50,000 or more	224	1	3	–	–	1
Gasoline and gasohol ..... farms..	17 486	2 197	3 992	819	1 093	952
$1,000..	36 930	1 064	2 178	570	1 008	983
Diesel fuel ..... farms..	14 659	969	2 728	673	1 019	855
$1,000..	52 460	535	1 451	523	892	1 055
Natural gas ..... farms..	598	75	119	10	22	15
$1,000..	1 306	92	255	18	28	4
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc. ..... farms..	14 866	1 182	2 738	630	962	904
$1,000..	9 380	191	494	133	260	254

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Table 49. **Summary by Size of Farm: 1997**—Con.

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

Item	140 to 179 acres	180 to 219 acres	220 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 to 1,999 acres	2,000 acres or more
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD—Con.							
Total sales (see text)—Con.							
Hogs and pigs ..... farms..	31	13	5	51	24	25	9
$1,000..	143	123	(D)	523	511	416	(D)
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	1	1	–	2	2	2	1
$1,000..	(D)	(D)	–	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Sheep, lambs, and wool ..... farms..	44	35	27	79	75	54	59
$1,000..	595	183	227	1 919	4 177	2 265	18 362
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	3	–	–	4	10	9	33
$1,000..	367	–	–	1 483	3 752	1 851	18 109
Other livestock and livestock products (see text) ..... farms..	87	55	43	155	94	85	96
$1,000..	1 335	774	(D)	2 261	3 208	(D)	515
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	4	1	4	6	6	1	2
$1,000..	1 091	(D)	(D)	1 639	2 777	(D)	(D)
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text) ..... farms..	45	22	24	94	80	44	26
$1,000..	186	49	34	462	387	74	287
FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES[1]							
Total farm production expenses ..... farms..	1 241	726	809	2 385	1 932	1 590	1 250
$1,000..	70 109	40 974	75 270	384 604	500 276	507 177	735 637
Average per farm ..... dollars..	56 494	56 438	93 041	161 259	258 942	318 980	588 509
Livestock and poultry purchased ..... farms..	449	208	229	779	667	520	554
$1,000..	9 053	3 132	5 568	111 887	130 724	87 632	51 502
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $4,999	265	132	103	411	343	306	146
$5,000 to $24,999	134	41	88	237	225	117	239
$25,000 to $99,999	41	31	30	91	68	69	108
$100,000 to $249,999	5	3	4	25	14	19	34
$250,000 or more	4	1	4	15	17	9	27
Feed for livestock and poultry ..... farms..	570	335	338	1 201	958	721	753
$1,000..	16 739	7 745	18 799	82 650	74 365	53 476	56 886
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $4,999	386	205	213	687	554	375	197
$5,000 to $24,999	100	90	61	279	265	220	324
$25,000 to $99,999	53	28	43	172	84	98	154
$100,000 to $249,999	12	6	4	24	31	18	53
$250,000 or more	19	6	17	39	24	10	25
Commercially mixed formula feeds ..... farms..	319	193	177	525	434	354	392
$1,000..	4 393	2 226	5 391	16 470	9 111	6 916	15 537
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $4,999	246	153	115	337	316	245	185
$5,000 to $24,999	25	24	24	106	64	64	152
$25,000 to $99,999	40	9	27	55	29	33	41
$100,000 or more	8	7	11	27	25	12	14
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees ..... farms..	681	384	540	1 530	1 259	1 122	834
$1,000..	1 396	1 465	2 096	8 401	15 141	24 091	37 933
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $999	283	140	125	278	146	126	94
$1,000 to $4,999	349	167	282	742	437	296	191
$5,000 to $24,999	48	67	132	462	486	420	258
$25,000 to $49,999	1	8	1	41	136	147	91
$50,000 or more	–	2	–	7	54	133	200
Commercial fertilizer ..... farms..	746	412	500	1 622	1 350	1 144	901
$1,000..	3 295	3 252	4 864	23 225	42 182	61 896	99 330
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $4,999	538	223	161	521	306	185	137
$5,000 to $24,999	202	156	302	818	511	337	245
$25,000 to $49,999	6	23	36	223	251	221	103
$50,000 or more	–	10	1	60	282	401	416
Agricultural chemicals ..... farms..	731	415	578	1 545	1 287	1 172	804
$1,000..	1 641	1 401	2 187	9 034	19 886	29 411	51 360
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $4,999	645	326	443	1 042	564	409	265
$5,000 to $24,999	76	77	124	432	462	393	173
$25,000 to $49,999	10	11	11	57	158	191	114
$50,000 or more	–	1	–	14	103	179	252
Petroleum products ..... farms..	1 172	678	774	2 232	1 828	1 529	1 213
$1,000..	3 226	2 003	2 972	12 030	17 786	19 884	30 188
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $4,999	1 002	547	574	1 404	801	545	305
$5,000 to $24,999	166	131	192	796	887	753	596
$25,000 to $49,999	3	–	4	24	122	187	168
$50,000 or more	1	–	4	8	18	44	144
Gasoline and gasohol ..... farms..	1 019	574	658	1 965	1 671	1 420	1 126
$1,000..	1 269	801	1 212	4 689	6 425	7 405	9 326
Diesel fuel ..... farms..	985	582	657	2 005	1 673	1 419	1 094
$1,000..	1 589	965	1 457	6 098	9 444	10 506	17 943
Natural gas ..... farms..	55	26	11	54	86	68	57
$1,000..	17	11	3	115	287	267	211
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc. ..... farms..	970	546	676	1 953	1 693	1 444	1 168
$1,000..	351	226	300	1 128	1 630	1 707	2 707

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Table 49. **Summary by Size of Farm: 1997**—Con.

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Item	Total	1 to 9 acres	10 to 49 acres	50 to 69 acres	70 to 99 acres	100 to 139 acres
FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES[1] —Con.						
Total farm production expenses—Con.						
Electricity ..... farms..	15 661	1 953	3 464	623	954	797
$1,000..	89 854	1 313	2 872	677	2 127	1 337
Farms with expenses of—						
$1 to $999	9 130	1 778	2 811	502	548	450
$1,000 to $4,999	3 931	144	580	103	353	312
$5,000 to $24,999	1 814	28	66	15	47	29
$25,000 to $49,999	406	2	5	2	3	5
$50,000 or more	380	1	2	1	3	1
Hired farm labor ..... farms..	9 410	642	1 404	262	528	472
$1,000..	270 843	6 097	11 293	4 670	6 864	6 430
Farms with expenses of—						
$1 to $4,999	4 944	561	1 208	211	418	346
$5,000 to $24,999	2 343	44	111	24	50	75
$25,000 to $99,999	1 497	27	57	17	42	36
$100,000 to $249,999	452	6	22	6	14	11
$250,000 or more	174	4	6	4	4	4
Workers by days worked:						
150 days or more ..... farms..	4 531	216	369	80	123	151
workers..	16 401	482	984	233	400	374
Less than 150 days ..... farms..	8 249	624	1 292	252	490	452
workers..	47 014	1 583	3 513	1 121	1 612	1 995
Contract labor ..... farms..	3 501	171	552	89	268	174
$1,000..	32 680	275	1 060	255	864	705
Farms with expenses of—						
$1 to $999	1 177	118	361	55	142	67
$1,000 to $4,999	1 223	43	159	26	97	76
$5,000 to $24,999	812	6	23	6	23	30
$25,000 to $49,999	169	4	7	1	4	1
$50,000 or more	120	–	2	1	2	–
Repair and maintenance ..... farms..	18 147	2 057	4 036	807	1 151	1 052
$1,000..	152 222	2 494	7 000	1 993	3 641	4 215
Farms with expenses of—						
$1 to $4,999	12 425	1 970	3 821	749	990	808
$5,000 to $24,999	4 413	83	191	45	145	218
$25,000 to $49,999	750	1	18	7	9	16
$50,000 or more	559	3	6	6	7	10
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment..... farms..	8 597	699	1 775	358	519	469
$1,000..	69 649	461	2 077	782	1 658	2 304
Farms with expenses of—						
$1 to $999	3 285	622	1 307	211	162	186
$1,000 to $4,999	2 806	68	415	124	259	166
$5,000 to $24,999	1 898	6	45	18	90	105
$25,000 to $49,999	357	2	8	3	5	7
$50,000 or more	251	1	–	2	3	5
Interest ..... farms..	11 087	781	1 854	420	666	652
$1,000..	178 482	2 675	7 757	2 237	4 320	4 752
Farms with expenses of—						
$1 to $4,999	5 388	636	1 462	334	458	374
$5,000 to $24,999	4 109	133	347	72	181	251
$25,000 to $99,999	1 285	10	42	12	20	24
$100,000 or more	305	2	3	2	7	3
Secured by real estate ..... farms..	7 784	567	1 375	253	453	429
$1,000..	98 667	1 672	4 903	1 125	2 417	2 854
Farms with expenses of—						
$1 to $999	1 000	221	357	46	64	51
$1,000 to $4,999	2 829	251	766	152	235	208
$5,000 to $24,999	3 063	90	237	47	143	156
$25,000 to $49,999	548	4	11	7	8	9
$50,000 or more	344	1	4	1	3	5
Not secured by real estate ..... farms..	6 719	317	834	255	402	424
$1,000..	79 815	1 003	2 854	1 112	1 903	1 897
Farms with expenses of—						
$1 to $999	1 606	160	408	145	156	117
$1,000 to $4,999	2 439	105	328	91	202	174
$5,000 to $24,999	1 928	45	70	11	25	121
$25,000 to $49,999	421	6	19	3	10	10
$50,000 or more	325	1	9	5	9	2
Cash rent ..... farms..	5 387	165	657	223	288	310
$1,000..	124 518	281	1 414	674	1 581	1 578
Farms with expenses of—						
$1 to $4,999	2 631	159	613	191	175	216
$5,000 to $9,999	759	1	19	26	88	64
$10,000 to $24,999	957	3	17	3	21	28
$25,000 or more	1 040	2	8	3	4	2
Property taxes ..... farms..	21 097	3 010	5 255	967	1 318	1 106
$1,000..	55 081	2 626	4 899	1 297	1 611	1 775
Farms with expenses of—						
$1 to $4,999	18 586	2 980	5 200	942	1 300	1 059
$5,000 to $9,999	1 540	26	47	13	16	33
$10,000 to $24,999	752	2	6	11	1	14
$25,000 or more	219	2	2	1	1	–
All other farm production expenses ..... farms..	20 669	2 746	4 900	940	1 356	1 144
$1,000..	253 025	6 507	14 026	3 201	8 641	8 727
Farms with expenses of—						
$1 to $4,999	14 349	2 637	4 597	894	1 146	901
$5,000 to $24,999	4 349	85	215	27	169	185
$25,000 to $49,999	889	10	30	7	10	35
$50,000 to $99,999	625	6	36	7	16	11
$100,000 or more	457	8	22	5	15	12

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Table 49. **Summary by Size of Farm: 1997**—Con.

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Item	140 to 179 acres	180 to 219 acres	220 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 to 1,999 acres	2,000 acres or more
FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES[1] —Con.							
Total farm production expenses—Con.							
Electricity ..... farms..	864	527	613	1 802	1 619	1 367	1 078
$1,000..	1 689	1 195	2 041	8 365	13 502	19 254	35 484
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $999	499	298	269	730	521	466	258
$1,000 to $4,999	278	154	223	559	495	394	336
$5,000 to $24,999	84	73	117	479	439	236	201
$25,000 to $49,999	3	2	3	28	130	143	80
$50,000 or more	–	–	1	6	34	128	203
Hired farm labor ..... farms..	578	332	371	1 450	1 226	1 162	983
$1,000..	6 911	4 470	8 636	30 205	44 661	50 255	90 351
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $4,999	380	186	170	634	330	347	153
$5,000 to $24,999	134	119	160	559	403	352	312
$25,000 to $99,999	53	21	27	208	414	309	286
$100,000 to $249,999	10	5	8	29	60	130	151
$250,000 or more	1	1	6	20	19	24	81
Workers by days worked:							
150 days or more ..... farms..	221	127	174	729	813	741	787
workers..	498	270	490	1 868	2 703	2 784	5 315
Less than 150 days ..... farms..	521	277	295	1 209	1 011	1 030	796
workers..	2 254	1 284	1 200	6 308	8 818	7 992	9 334
Contract labor ..... farms..	175	132	110	483	561	392	394
$1,000..	564	712	1 123	4 176	6 227	6 295	10 424
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $999	62	41	15	119	90	54	53
$1,000 to $4,999	79	49	37	190	191	132	144
$5,000 to $24,999	34	37	47	145	212	140	109
$25,000 to $49,999	–	3	8	22	47	34	38
$50,000 or more	–	2	3	7	21	32	50
Repair and maintenance ..... farms..	1 105	619	733	2 182	1 776	1 465	1 164
$1,000..	4 901	3 008	4 738	18 149	24 693	29 283	48 108
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $4,999	821	444	385	1 073	672	459	233
$5,000 to $24,999	260	166	332	996	821	626	530
$25,000 to $49,999	18	4	8	84	192	223	170
$50,000 or more	6	5	8	29	91	157	231
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment..... farms..	510	311	362	1 100	1 010	846	638
$1,000..	2 017	1 962	2 676	10 158	11 088	13 088	21 378
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $999	153	68	73	176	154	128	45
$1,000 to $4,999	216	135	191	451	355	263	163
$5,000 to $24,999	137	91	69	375	388	312	262
$25,000 to $49,999	3	15	18	78	73	86	59
$50,000 or more	1	2	11	20	40	57	109
Interest ..... farms..	649	426	544	1 511	1 370	1 187	1 027
$1,000..	5 846	3 652	5 006	18 756	31 349	34 204	57 928
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $4,999	369	161	244	525	381	307	137
$5,000 to $24,999	237	252	271	820	595	501	449
$25,000 to $99,999	37	12	24	150	372	308	274
$100,000 or more	6	1	5	16	22	71	167
Secured by real estate ..... farms..	472	286	394	1 097	958	805	695
$1,000..	3 230	2 537	3 223	10 546	16 249	18 169	31 740
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $999	29	7	39	84	34	32	36
$1,000 to $4,999	252	88	135	302	239	139	62
$5,000 to $24,999	159	183	206	636	488	415	303
$25,000 to $49,999	28	4	8	59	143	124	143
$50,000 or more	4	4	6	16	54	95	151
Not secured by real estate ..... farms..	388	258	299	975	938	877	752
$1,000..	2 617	1 114	1 782	8 210	15 100	16 035	26 187
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $999	111	68	63	159	121	67	31
$1,000 to $4,999	170	121	171	421	240	273	143
$5,000 to $24,999	97	64	56	342	433	344	320
$25,000 to $49,999	2	4	5	36	103	103	120
$50,000 or more	8	1	4	17	41	90	138
Cash rent ..... farms..	248	191	226	833	822	833	591
$1,000..	1 912	1 029	2 337	10 641	22 005	26 521	54 545
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $4,999	128	119	104	340	212	253	121
$5,000 to $9,999	46	40	35	157	143	90	50
$10,000 to $24,999	58	29	70	202	180	212	134
$25,000 or more	16	3	17	134	287	278	286
Property taxes ..... farms..	1 156	687	764	2 262	1 841	1 521	1 210
$1,000..	2 402	1 362	2 079	5 779	7 834	9 560	13 857
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $4,999	1 051	648	666	1 977	1 323	905	535
$5,000 to $9,999	88	33	75	237	352	336	284
$10,000 to $24,999	16	5	22	42	156	232	245
$25,000 or more	1	1	1	6	10	48	146
All other farm production expenses ..... farms..	1 145	662	781	2 317	1 881	1 553	1 244
$1,000..	8 515	4 587	10 149	31 150	38 832	42 327	76 363
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $4,999	754	401	461	1 176	695	471	216
$5,000 to $24,999	345	226	254	915	768	670	490
$25,000 to $49,999	27	24	38	129	237	158	184
$50,000 to $99,999	12	9	16	63	123	157	169
$100,000 or more	7	2	12	34	58	97	185

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Table 49. **Summary by Size of Farm: 1997**—Con.

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Item	Total	1 to 9 acres	10 to 49 acres	50 to 69 acres	70 to 99 acres	100 to 139 acres
NET CASH RETURN FROM AGRICULTURAL SALES FOR THE FARM UNIT (SEE TEXT)[1]						
All farms ..... number..	22 334	3 196	5 547	1 017	1 432	1 209
$1,000..	590 283	12 300	15 392	8 411	17 297	25 475
Average per farm ..... dollars..	26 430	3 848	2 775	8 270	12 079	21 071
Farms with net gains[2] ..... number..	11 024	931	2 101	439	770	645
Average net gain ..... dollars..	64 175	22 379	15 204	27 104	27 971	45 447
Gain of—						
Less than $1,000	1 161	283	449	52	117	78
$1,000 to $9,999	3 974	464	1 269	260	354	265
$10,000 to $49,999	3 061	125	275	100	227	221
$50,000 or more	2 828	59	108	27	72	81
Farms with net losses ..... number..	11 310	2 265	3 446	578	662	564
Average net loss ..... dollars..	10 361	3 768	4 803	6 034	6 406	6 806
Loss of—						
Less than $1,000	1 919	619	739	97	90	82
$1,000 to $9,999	6 896	1 525	2 339	394	409	370
$10,000 to $49,999	2 168	107	358	83	162	110
$50,000 or more	327	14	10	4	1	2
GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS AND OTHER FARM-RELATED INCOME						
Government payments ..... farms..	7 848	175	693	218	432	390
$1,000..	73 124	231	767	251	589	805
Other farm-related income[1] ..... farms..	6 508	520	1 133	361	400	376
$1,000..	58 462	1 600	4 557	2 045	1 547	2 579
Customwork and other agricultural services ..... farms..	1 981	86	256	97	82	111
$1,000..	24 521	553	1 635	395	297	915
Gross cash rent or share payments ..... farms..	2 800	365	707	162	204	164
$1,000..	24 182	755	2 469	1 373	968	1 397
Forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products ..... farms..	597	19	65	20	43	29
$1,000..	6 200	221	386	216	195	155
Other farm-related income sources ..... farms..	2 608	70	259	120	149	174
$1,000..	3 558	70	66	61	87	113
COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS						
Total ..... farms..	889	3	12	7	14	18
$1,000..	29 610	2	6	7	49	35
Corn ..... farms..	32	–	1	–	4	2
$1,000..	(D)	–	(D)	–	2	(D)
Wheat ..... farms..	782	3	8	6	8	16
$1,000..	25 584	2	(D)	(D)	44	28
Soybeans ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sorghum, barley, and oats ..... farms..	241	–	3	1	4	3
$1,000..	3 968	–	(D)	(D)	2	(D)
Cotton ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sunflower seed, flaxseed, safflower, canola, other rapeseed, and mustard seed ..... farms..	1	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	(D)	–	–	–	–	–
Peanuts, rice, and tobacco ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–
LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE						
Total cropland ..... farms..	18 994	1 743	4 688	868	1 295	1 022
acres..	6 308 877	7 561	95 554	40 706	83 153	92 421
Harvested cropland ..... farms..	15 494	963	3 456	685	1 100	851
acres..	4 478 862	3 586	56 080	24 081	54 946	58 951
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 49 acres	6 388	963	3 456	479	495	275
50 to 99 acres	2 038	–	–	206	605	331
100 to 199 acres	2 111	–	–	–	–	245
200 to 499 acres	2 519	–	–	–	–	–
500 to 999 acres	1 336	–	–	–	–	–
1,000 to 1,999 acres	768	–	–	–	–	–
2,000 acres or more	334	–	–	–	–	–
Cropland:						
Pasture or grazing only ..... farms..	9 257	974	2 585	476	646	568
acres..	816 471	3 767	33 873	13 314	20 772	24 973
In cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured ..... farms..	1 410	23	109	32	67	52
acres..	362 371	44	1 166	974	2 469	3 227
On which all crops failed ..... farms..	420	3	45	9	25	23
acres..	28 229	4	360	220	521	544
In cultivated summer fallow ..... farms..	1 383	6	44	25	32	36
acres..	306 898	8	408	402	473	940
Idle ..... farms..	2 294	73	368	92	164	114
acres..	316 046	152	3 667	1 715	3 972	3 786
Total woodland ..... farms..	2 584	44	481	131	191	191
acres..	514 787	116	6 342	3 278	6 845	9 799
Woodland pastured ..... farms..	1 629	25	271	75	114	116
acres..	356 407	70	3 177	1 844	3 277	5 430
Woodland not pastured ..... farms..	1 352	21	264	72	108	107
acres..	158 380	46	3 165	1 434	3 568	4 369

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Item	140 to 179 acres	180 to 219 acres	220 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 to 1,999 acres	2,000 acres or more
NET CASH RETURN FROM AGRICULTURAL SALES FOR THE FARM UNIT (SEE TEXT)[1]							
All farms ..... number..	1 241	726	809	2 385	1 932	1 590	1 250
$1,000..	15 009	10 863	22 596	76 454	93 136	101 797	191 552
Average per farm ..... dollars..	12 094	14 963	27 931	32 056	48 207	64 024	153 242
Farms with net gains[2] ..... number..	637	349	517	1 404	1 323	1 079	829
Average net gain ..... dollars..	33 897	41 219	48 753	64 018	83 096	114 767	249 821
Gain of—							
Less than $1,000	37	12	20	21	39	41	12
$1,000 to $9,999	283	97	174	360	242	148	58
$10,000 to $49,999	219	144	220	493	501	319	217
$50,000 or more	98	96	103	530	541	571	542
Farms with net losses ..... number..	604	377	292	981	609	511	421
Average net loss ..... dollars..	10 900	9 343	8 935	13 687	27 587	43 124	36 934
Loss of—							
Less than $1,000	49	36	44	88	59	7	9
$1,000 to $9,999	357	244	155	528	242	187	146
$10,000 to $49,999	187	80	91	312	254	237	187
$50,000 or more	11	17	2	53	54	80	79
GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS AND OTHER FARM-RELATED INCOME							
Government payments ..... farms..	503	376	353	1 336	1 429	1 110	833
$1,000..	1 487	1 315	1 288	7 301	13 542	19 647	25 900
Other farm-related income[1] ..... farms..	473	276	272	845	736	679	437
$1,000..	4 366	2 105	1 852	7 519	11 653	8 823	9 815
Customwork and other agricultural services ..... farms..	155	86	93	343	319	224	129
$1,000..	2 311	837	561	3 629	7 482	3 342	2 563
Gross cash rent or share payments ..... farms..	153	124	95	236	199	208	183
$1,000..	1 605	1 037	985	2 365	2 898	3 597	4 734
Forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products ..... farms..	69	34	18	74	89	79	58
$1,000..	243	173	193	768	811	1 163	1 677
Other farm-related income sources ..... farms..	228	91	151	406	354	395	211
$1,000..	207	59	113	756	462	721	841
COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS							
Total ..... farms..	39	31	32	146	194	224	169
$1,000..	183	119	245	1 156	4 211	9 561	14 037
Corn ..... farms..	3	1	2	9	9	–	1
$1,000..	(D)	(D)	(D)	11	27	–	(D)
Wheat ..... farms..	29	24	26	124	177	209	152
$1,000..	140	101	223	952	3 790	8 673	11 622
Soybeans ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sorghum, barley, and oats ..... farms..	12	8	9	43	53	48	57
$1,000..	(D)	(D)	(D)	193	395	(D)	(D)
Cotton ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sunflower seed, flaxseed, safflower, canola, other rapeseed, and mustard seed ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	1	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	(D)	–
Peanuts, rice, and tobacco ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE							
Total cropland ..... farms..	1 087	709	656	2 193	2 097	1 501	1 135
acres..	136 999	111 505	120 300	624 099	1 137 167	1 460 899	2 398 513
Harvested cropland ..... farms..	928	613	579	1 938	1 900	1 395	1 086
acres..	91 468	77 549	83 154	434 471	809 868	1 054 533	1 730 175
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 49 acres	180	89	94	189	107	47	14
50 to 99 acres	232	127	90	208	152	59	28
100 to 199 acres	516	319	191	406	232	130	72
200 to 499 acres	–	78	204	1 135	587	304	211
500 to 999 acres	–	–	–	–	822	339	175
1,000 to 1,999 acres	–	–	–	–	–	516	252
2,000 acres or more	–	–	–	–	–	–	334
Cropland:							
Pasture or grazing only ..... farms..	522	328	304	978	913	564	399
acres..	29 604	21 016	24 112	111 399	187 329	158 513	187 799
In cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured ..... farms..	77	51	40	193	287	256	223
acres..	5 531	5 229	3 639	29 581	59 771	89 718	161 022
On which all crops failed ..... farms..	28	19	15	74	77	62	40
acres..	1 188	754	428	4 990	5 601	6 103	7 516
In cultivated summer fallow ..... farms..	41	35	39	183	304	331	307
acres..	1 386	1 203	1 442	11 617	32 548	71 659	184 812
Idle ..... farms..	155	97	93	342	302	280	214
acres..	7 822	5 754	7 525	32 041	42 050	80 373	127 189
Total woodland ..... farms..	195	123	100	331	343	253	201
acres..	13 735	11 618	11 387	47 743	85 598	97 502	220 824
Woodland pastured ..... farms..	114	78	58	217	221	183	157
acres..	6 732	6 669	5 171	29 878	49 384	68 660	176 115
Woodland not pastured ..... farms..	110	63	61	164	190	114	78
acres..	7 003	4 949	6 216	17 865	36 214	28 842	44 709

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Table 49. **Summary by Size of Farm: 1997**—Con.

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Item	Total	1 to 9 acres	10 to 49 acres	50 to 69 acres	70 to 99 acres	100 to 139 acres
LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE—Con.						
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured ..... farms..	6 517	508	1 209	258	328	345
acres..	4 589 326	2 085	18 503	8 495	13 010	19 974
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. ..... farms..	13 330	1 977	3 433	565	888	657
acres..	417 177	4 163	18 168	5 584	11 242	12 000
Irrigated land ..... farms..	15 191	1 842	4 128	666	1 010	776
acres..	3 493 542	7 788	76 988	28 810	61 056	62 645
Harvested cropland irrigated ..... farms..	12 182	843	2 879	539	895	687
acres..	3 057 436	3 125	46 443	19 455	46 573	49 202
Pasture and other land irrigated ..... farms..	7 621	1 196	2 500	381	505	392
acres..	436 106	4 663	30 545	9 355	14 483	13 443
Land under Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs ..... farms..	2 426	13	161	55	107	94
acres..	705 407	30	3 225	2 255	4 635	6 456
VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS[1]						
Estimated market value of land and buildings ..... farms..	22 334	3 196	5 547	1 017	1 432	1 209
$1,000..	11 982 650	341 403	805 349	175 227	308 210	321 020
Average per farm ..... dollars..	536 521	106 822	145 186	172 298	215 230	265 525
Average per acre ..... dollars..	1 017	23 058	5 711	3 005	2 663	2 293
Farms by value group:						
$1 to $39,999	2 406	1 084	876	110	142	51
$40,000 to $69,999	1 686	378	902	94	98	54
$70,000 to $99,999	1 552	391	648	108	127	86
$100,000 to $149,999	2 739	723	1 019	202	223	119
$150,000 to $199,999	2 092	224	739	237	210	177
$200,000 to $499,999	6 148	344	1 214	220	537	596
$500,000 to $999,999	2 892	40	121	42	71	109
$1,000,000 to $1,999,999	1 626	1	27	3	23	16
$2,000,000 to $4,999,999	958	11	1	1	–	1
$5,000,000 or more	235	–	–	–	1	–
VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT[1]						
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ..... farms..	22 333	3 196	5 547	1 017	1 432	1 209
$1,000..	1 740 107	70 353	142 037	32 024	49 653	50 987
Farms by value group:						
$1 to $4,999	2 553	799	1 042	126	112	70
$5,000 to $9,999	2 788	686	992	146	204	160
$10,000 to $19,999	3 823	623	1 273	295	274	251
$20,000 to $49,999	5 527	747	1 551	289	587	370
$50,000 to $99,999	3 271	260	450	96	173	224
$100,000 to $199,999	2 176	60	161	49	43	102
$200,000 to $499,999	1 638	19	72	15	37	30
$500,000 or more	557	2	6	1	2	2
SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT[1]						
Motortrucks, including pickups ..... farms..	20 936	2 884	5 028	925	1 328	1 128
number..	60 044	4 550	8 596	1 619	2 711	2 476
Wheel tractors ..... farms..	18 680	2 147	4 426	866	1 215	1 054
number..	43 547	3 162	6 983	1 568	2 385	2 098
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms..	9 113	1 494	2 530	435	587	471
number..	12 607	1 808	3 227	609	849	655
40 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms..	14 302	971	2 747	648	943	889
number..	30 940	1 354	3 756	959	1 536	1 443
40 to 99 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms..	11 737	856	2 452	576	824	772
number..	18 287	1 079	3 093	797	1 176	1 106
100 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms..	6 931	247	578	132	311	303
number..	12 653	275	663	162	360	337
Grain and bean combines ..... farms..	4 495	33	197	56	138	162
number..	5 919	33	225	56	182	193
Cotton pickers and strippers ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–
number..	–	–	–	–	–	–
Mower conditioners ..... farms..	7 183	192	1 241	353	453	463
number..	7 911	193	1 324	384	483	507
Pickup balers ..... farms..	8 067	225	1 436	351	602	515
number..	9 299	246	1 495	379	645	588
AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS[1]						
Commercial fertilizer ..... farms..	11 502	669	2 190	493	817	667
acres on which used..	3 526 053	2 352	38 381	16 138	36 466	40 749
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—						
Insects on hay and other crops ..... farms..	3 626	173	348	92	163	130
acres on which used..	967 881	473	5 386	3 069	6 990	6 088
Nematodes in crops ..... farms..	793	18	38	6	12	20
acres on which used..	194 614	28	953	18	749	684
Diseases in crops and orchards ..... farms..	1 517	104	106	28	57	46
acres on which used..	461 292	196	1 426	887	1 963	2 546
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture ..... farms..	8 716	538	1 514	327	513	429
acres on which used..	2 499 076	1 879	22 461	8 935	22 104	20 925
Chemicals used on crops to control growth, thin fruit, or defoliate ..... farms..	952	33	83	13	79	28
acres on which used..	241 305	58	1 192	142	3 242	1 284

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Item	140 to 179 acres	180 to 219 acres	220 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 to 1,999 acres	2,000 acres or more
LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE—Con.							
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured ..... farms..	282	217	207	762	796	768	837
acres..	21 468	20 930	22 767	121 632	247 475	543 200	3 549 787
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. ..... farms..	749	439	402	1 365	1 271	906	678
acres..	15 181	11 284	10 393	50 998	73 718	80 896	123 550
Irrigated land ..... farms..	799	538	494	1 632	1 525	968	813
acres..	90 988	77 424	84 551	409 731	692 979	722 437	1 178 145
Harvested cropland irrigated ..... farms..	731	485	464	1 528	1 444	924	763
acres..	76 394	65 607	71 219	360 380	624 397	643 860	1 050 781
Pasture and other land irrigated ..... farms..	354	235	214	647	569	338	290
acres..	14 594	11 817	13 332	49 351	68 582	78 577	127 364
Land under Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs ..... farms..	158	113	98	390	436	422	379
acres..	15 480	11 818	11 722	67 587	118 515	183 442	280 242
VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS[1]							
Estimated market value of land and buildings ..... farms..	1 241	726	809	2 385	1 932	1 590	1 250
$1,000..	366 031	264 995	331 923	1 243 724	1 712 457	2 056 280	4 056 030
Average per farm ..... dollars..	294 948	365 007	410 288	521 477	886 365	1 293 258	3 244 824
Average per acre ..... dollars..	1 869	1 844	1 725	1 454	1 265	920	640
Farms by value group:							
$1 to $39,999	48	9	28	32	1	23	2
$40,000 to $69,999	33	28	9	66	14	10	–
$70,000 to $99,999	58	24	17	49	34	8	2
$100,000 to $149,999	128	57	70	116	65	9	8
$150,000 to $199,999	174	72	25	141	38	54	1
$200,000 to $499,999	644	428	414	931	464	273	83
$500,000 to $999,999	136	93	215	801	703	406	155
$1,000,000 to $1,999,999	20	6	29	222	483	472	324
$2,000,000 to $4,999,999	–	8	2	27	124	316	467
$5,000,000 or more	–	1	–	–	6	19	208
VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT[1]							
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ..... farms..	1 241	726	809	2 385	1 932	1 590	1 249
$1,000..	73 792	46 725	53 736	207 724	267 190	327 454	418 432
Farms by value group:							
$1 to $4,999	78	64	45	80	81	31	25
$5,000 to $9,999	148	35	80	150	124	39	24
$10,000 to $19,999	215	155	116	247	161	135	78
$20,000 to $49,999	335	168	193	569	356	200	162
$50,000 to $99,999	228	160	223	642	359	289	167
$100,000 to $199,999	156	96	105	431	360	367	246
$200,000 to $499,999	76	41	43	238	407	355	305
$500,000 or more	5	7	4	28	84	174	242
SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT[1]							
Motortrucks, including pickups ..... farms..	1 172	717	799	2 303	1 898	1 533	1 221
number..	3 103	1 868	2 388	7 594	8 317	8 004	8 818
Wheel tractors ..... farms..	1 141	625	730	2 129	1 784	1 429	1 134
number..	2 616	1 421	1 809	5 711	5 631	5 171	4 992
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms..	506	283	373	822	692	511	409
number..	762	361	507	1 213	1 113	813	690
40 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms..	948	550	628	1 921	1 631	1 356	1 070
number..	1 854	1 060	1 302	4 498	4 518	4 358	4 302
40 to 99 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms..	834	450	512	1 501	1 185	1 008	767
number..	1 257	735	813	2 554	2 213	1 863	1 601
100 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms..	459	270	381	1 237	1 154	1 047	812
number..	597	325	489	1 944	2 305	2 495	2 701
Grain and bean combines ..... farms..	251	161	256	837	915	853	636
number..	281	191	292	956	1 161	1 261	1 088
Cotton pickers and strippers ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Mower conditioners ..... farms..	558	299	336	1 130	890	686	582
number..	585	316	339	1 196	1 010	832	742
Pickup balers ..... farms..	648	309	377	1 178	1 004	776	646
number..	689	332	420	1 435	1 231	978	861
AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS[1]							
Commercial fertilizer ..... farms..	746	412	500	1 613	1 350	1 144	901
acres on which used..	64 837	50 320	79 830	345 889	564 826	857 854	1 428 411
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—							
Insects on hay and other crops ..... farms..	196	161	188	615	624	561	375
acres on which used..	14 400	17 073	14 645	82 414	160 999	245 027	411 317
Nematodes in crops ..... farms..	37	40	25	133	183	162	119
acres on which used..	1 511	3 312	1 160	12 397	36 896	50 290	86 616
Diseases in crops and orchards ..... farms..	68	51	67	219	288	262	221
acres on which used..	4 452	6 812	3 235	23 633	63 842	113 190	239 110
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture ..... farms..	582	330	440	1 280	1 115	966	682
acres on which used..	34 802	26 474	57 029	228 375	401 425	661 437	1 013 230
Chemicals used on crops to control growth, thin fruit, or defoliate ..... farms..	11	23	45	178	179	164	116
acres on which used..	636	1 327	3 018	25 298	35 891	54 310	114 907

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Item	Total	1 to 9 acres	10 to 49 acres	50 to 69 acres	70 to 99 acres	100 to 139 acres
TENURE AND RACE OF OPERATOR						
All operators	22 314	3 092	5 621	1 006	1 406	1 159
Full owners	13 875	2 741	4 282	663	983	729
Part owners	6 292	173	879	237	276	282
Tenants	2 147	178	460	106	147	148
White	21 962	3 045	5 516	992	1 379	1 137
Full owners	13 674	2 699	4 213	658	962	717
Part owners	6 187	171	861	230	270	274
Tenants	2 101	175	442	104	147	146
Black and other races	352	47	105	14	27	22
Full owners	201	42	69	5	21	12
Part owners	105	2	18	7	6	8
Tenants	46	3	18	2	–	2
OWNED AND RENTED LAND						
Land owned farms	20 264	2 920	5 190	907	1 269	1 015
acres	9 027 774	115 816	185 018	66 961	113 201	126 435
Owned land in farms farms	20 167	2 914	5 161	900	1 259	1 011
acres	7 897 630	12 598	113 251	44 353	89 204	99 780
Land rented or leased from others farms	8 535	373	1 353	350	435	434
acres	4 007 597	12 920	27 168	14 089	30 109	39 549
landlords	21 918	510	2 037	642	696	867
Rented or leased land in farms farms	8 439	351	1 339	343	423	430
acres	3 932 537	1 327	25 316	13 710	25 046	34 414
Land rented or leased to others farms	3 433	633	728	170	226	181
acres	1 205 204	114 811	73 619	22 987	29 060	31 790
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS						
Operators by place of residence:						
On farm operated	17 068	2 503	4 549	760	1 086	836
Not on farm operated	3 801	363	748	193	244	243
Not reported	1 445	226	324	53	76	80
Operators by principal occupation:						
Farming	12 049	743	1 793	450	718	643
Other	10 265	2 349	3 828	556	688	516
Operators by days worked off farm:						
None	8 856	723	1 440	326	493	431
Any	12 230	2 236	3 967	631	843	654
1 to 99 days	2 264	214	405	96	132	121
100 to 199 days	2 081	287	555	111	131	144
200 days or more	7 885	1 735	3 007	424	580	389
Not reported	1 228	133	214	49	70	74
Operators by years on present farm:						
2 years or less	1 269	244	421	67	87	76
3 or 4 years	1 752	360	622	104	124	87
5 to 9 years	3 592	675	1 222	180	224	178
10 years or more	12 603	1 324	2 620	531	796	635
Average years on present farm	18.7	13.7	14.9	17.3	18.8	19.0
Not reported	3 098	489	736	124	175	183
Operators by age group:						
Under 25 years	236	31	67	13	18	22
25 to 34 years	1 362	227	340	60	88	77
35 to 44 years	4 986	842	1 258	213	290	219
45 to 49 years	2 971	426	805	131	147	150
50 to 54 years	2 879	402	738	120	168	140
55 to 59 years	2 640	338	686	118	175	151
60 to 64 years	2 264	245	537	113	174	98
65 to 69 years	1 855	217	477	81	134	121
70 years and over	3 121	364	713	157	212	181
Average age	53.2	51.4	52.8	53.8	54.1	53.8
Operators by sex:						
Male	20 565	2 724	5 066	903	1 295	1 071
Female	1 749	368	555	103	111	88
Operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin (see text)	328	50	94	14	32	17
FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION						
Individual or family (sole proprietorship) farms	18 631	2 869	5 235	916	1 271	1 008
acres	6 226 860	13 081	128 547	52 773	103 331	116 743
Partnership farms	1 956	134	227	59	90	93
acres	2 302 246	523	5 912	3 486	7 276	10 759
Corporation:						
Family held farms	1 351	68	108	26	30	44
acres	2 222 151	230	2 726	1 513	2 426	5 048
More than 10 stockholders farms	41	2	–	2	–	–
10 or less stockholders farms	1 310	66	108	24	30	44
Other than family held farms	108	5	14	–	4	5
acres	121 513	21	416	–	324	580
More than 10 stockholders farms	24	1	2	–	1	–
10 or less stockholders farms	84	4	12	–	3	5
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. farms	268	16	37	5	11	9
acres	957 397	70	966	291	893	1 064

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Item	140 to 179 acres	180 to 219 acres	220 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 to 1,999 acres	2,000 acres or more
TENURE AND RACE OF OPERATOR							
All operators	1 186	786	695	2 331	2 199	1 582	1 251
Full owners	782	409	370	1 073	916	522	405
Part owners	273	277	241	975	1 041	898	740
Tenants	131	100	84	283	242	162	106
White	1 162	777	682	2 301	2 171	1 558	1 242
Full owners	769	405	364	1 064	910	513	400
Part owners	268	275	235	958	1 024	885	736
Tenants	125	97	83	279	237	160	106
Black and other races	24	9	13	30	28	24	9
Full owners	13	4	6	9	6	9	5
Part owners	5	2	6	17	17	13	4
Tenants	6	3	1	4	5	2	–
OWNED AND RENTED LAND							
Land owned farms	1 062	690	615	2 061	1 966	1 423	1 146
acres	171 281	146 924	135 309	629 373	1 086 008	1 397 960	4 853 488
Owned land in farms farms	1 055	686	611	2 048	1 957	1 420	1 145
acres	142 071	108 470	115 474	552 704	988 700	1 312 776	4 318 249
Land rented or leased from others farms	406	385	326	1 268	1 290	1 064	851
acres	48 602	48 990	52 091	298 053	567 948	879 197	1 988 881
landlords	902	799	663	3 180	4 068	3 884	3 670
Rented or leased land in farms farms	404	377	325	1 258	1 283	1 060	846
acres	45 312	46 867	49 373	291 768	555 258	869 721	1 974 425
Land rented or leased to others farms	158	122	121	365	318	205	206
acres	32 500	40 577	22 553	82 954	109 998	94 660	549 695
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS							
Operators by place of residence:							
On farm operated	871	570	513	1 729	1 640	1 146	865
Not on farm operated	247	183	139	463	410	315	253
Not reported	68	33	43	139	149	121	133
Operators by principal occupation:							
Farming	698	522	481	1 724	1 798	1 343	1 136
Other	488	264	214	607	401	239	115
Operators by days worked off farm:							
None	487	375	329	1 174	1 269	970	839
Any	629	366	322	1 027	759	504	292
1 to 99 days	147	88	86	354	285	205	131
100 to 199 days	119	94	75	225	152	119	69
200 days or more	363	184	161	448	322	180	92
Not reported	70	45	44	130	171	108	120
Operators by years on present farm:							
2 years or less	57	28	37	99	76	46	31
3 or 4 years	85	44	38	127	72	48	41
5 to 9 years	178	112	93	286	208	145	91
10 years or more	715	508	428	1 517	1 554	1 112	863
Average years on present farm	20.1	21.1	21.2	21.6	23.5	23.5	25.0
Not reported	151	94	99	302	289	231	225
Operators by age group:							
Under 25 years	20	9	7	20	13	11	5
25 to 34 years	69	46	55	161	123	69	47
35 to 44 years	231	161	132	486	525	369	260
45 to 49 years	129	95	94	299	298	217	180
50 to 54 years	154	127	89	301	251	221	168
55 to 59 years	149	80	82	272	251	180	158
60 to 64 years	137	78	78	228	259	188	129
65 to 69 years	103	65	56	184	177	129	111
70 years and over	194	125	102	380	302	198	193
Average age	54.6	53.8	53.5	53.7	53.4	53.3	54.7
Operators by sex:							
Male	1 079	752	662	2 193	2 100	1 516	1 204
Female	107	34	33	138	99	66	47
Operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin (see text)	17	8	12	25	23	19	17
FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION							
Individual or family (sole proprietorship) farms	995	673	578	1 884	1 590	1 041	571
acres	156 894	133 044	137 205	678 509	1 103 700	1 421 315	2 181 718
Partnership farms	104	55	65	234	281	267	347
acres	16 711	10 862	15 340	86 375	200 694	375 017	1 569 291
Corporation:							
Family held farms	58	42	38	156	270	247	264
acres	9 245	8 255	9 021	58 718	199 813	347 726	1 577 430
More than 10 stockholders farms	1	–	–	4	7	12	13
10 or less stockholders farms	57	42	38	152	263	235	251
Other than family held farms	7	4	6	18	20	9	16
acres	1 110	815	1 416	6 913	13 793	12 072	84 053
More than 10 stockholders farms	1	3	1	4	7	1	3
10 or less stockholders farms	6	1	5	14	13	8	13
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. farms	22	12	8	39	38	18	53
acres	3 423	2 361	1 865	13 957	25 958	26 367	880 182

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Table 49. **Summary by Size of Farm: 1997**—Con.

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

Item	Total	1 to 9 acres	10 to 49 acres	50 to 69 acres	70 to 99 acres	100 to 139 acres
INJURIES AND DEATHS						
Farm-related injuries:						
Operator and family members ..... farms..	280	25	52	10	21	6
number..	317	29	58	12	25	9
Hired workers ..... farms..	446	14	30	9	15	8
number..	723	16	50	19	17	10
Farm-related deaths:						
Operator and family members ..... farms..	6	–	1	–	–	–
number..	6	–	(D)	–	–	–
Hired workers ..... farms..	4	–	–	–	–	–
number..	5	–	–	–	–	–
FARMS BY SIZE						
1 to 9 acres	3 092	3 092	–	–	–	–
10 to 49 acres	5 621	–	5 621	–	–	–
50 to 69 acres	1 006	–	–	1 006	–	–
70 to 99 acres	1 406	–	–	–	1 406	–
100 to 139 acres	1 159	–	–	–	–	1 159
140 to 179 acres	1 186	–	–	–	–	–
180 to 219 acres	786	–	–	–	–	–
220 to 259 acres	695	–	–	–	–	–
260 to 499 acres	2 331	–	–	–	–	–
500 to 999 acres	2 199	–	–	–	–	–
1,000 to 1,999 acres	1 582	–	–	–	–	–
2,000 acres or more	1 251	–	–	–	–	–
FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM						
Oilseed and grain farming (1111)	3 925	43	469	132	289	233
Vegetable and melon farming (1112)	980	54	67	12	40	24
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113)	271	96	98	17	20	14
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114)	444	167	147	19	23	20
Other crop farming (1119)	4 746	273	1 286	260	351	264
Tobacco farming (11191)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton farming (11192)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199)	4 746	273	1 286	260	351	264
Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111)	7 697	1 328	2 050	381	459	395
Cattle feedlots (112112)	443	123	126	23	20	20
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212)	926	54	148	34	99	74
Hog and pig farming (1122)	180	71	79	5	6	4
Poultry and egg production (1123)	84	35	33	3	4	–
Sheep and goat farming (1124)	465	132	186	20	24	13
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129)	2 153	716	932	100	71	98
LIVESTOCK						
Cattle and calves inventory ..... farms..	12 063	1 620	2 805	572	791	672
number..	1 908 097	51 629	128 615	37 093	68 914	85 980
Farms with—						
1 to 9	2 414	856	960	114	117	70
10 to 49	4 485	578	1 492	325	416	328
50 to 99	1 750	78	163	88	159	146
100 to 199	1 419	56	71	25	50	72
200 to 499	1 305	40	79	7	24	33
500 or more	690	12	40	13	25	23
Cows and heifers that had calved ..... farms..	9 375	917	1 894	446	633	558
number..	821 530	25 116	54 350	18 287	39 504	31 897
Beef cows ..... farms..	8 405	814	1 700	406	530	487
number..	555 676	13 685	22 599	8 573	11 664	13 707
Farms with—						
1 to 9	2 347	526	949	152	169	131
10 to 49	3 463	224	692	229	323	281
50 to 99	1 067	28	39	23	29	52
100 to 199	818	29	13	1	8	19
200 to 499	563	7	7	–	1	4
500 or more	147	–	–	1	–	–
Milk cows ..... farms..	1 404	127	288	58	127	92
number..	265 854	11 431	31 751	9 714	27 840	18 190
Farms with—						
1 to 4	375	70	134	20	24	12
5 to 9	38	6	7	5	3	3
10 to 49	250	16	34	15	39	21
50 to 99	236	12	15	4	19	19
100 to 199	206	11	42	2	10	17
200 to 499	172	5	41	5	13	7
500 or more	127	7	15	7	19	13
Heifers and heifer calves ..... farms..	9 102	932	1 919	432	609	546
number..	551 508	14 833	38 539	9 579	19 689	30 571
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves ..... farms..	10 110	1 256	2 254	486	648	558
number..	535 059	11 680	35 726	9 227	9 721	23 512

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Table 49. **Summary by Size of Farm: 1997**—Con.

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

Item	140 to 179 acres	180 to 219 acres	220 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 to 1,999 acres	2,000 acres or more
INJURIES AND DEATHS							
Farm-related injuries:							
Operator and family members ..... farms..	16	4	12	23	36	27	48
number..	20	4	12	26	39	28	55
Hired workers ..... farms..	8	8	11	58	81	84	120
number..	9	15	17	87	162	115	206
Farm-related deaths:							
Operator and family members ..... farms..	1	–	–	1	1	1	1
number..	(D)	–	–	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Hired workers ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	1	1	2
number..	–	–	–	–	(D)	(D)	(D)
FARMS BY SIZE							
1 to 9 acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
10 to 49 acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50 to 69 acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
70 to 99 acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100 to 139 acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
140 to 179 acres	1 186	–	–	–	–	–	–
180 to 219 acres	–	786	–	–	–	–	–
220 to 259 acres	–	–	695	–	–	–	–
260 to 499 acres	–	–	–	2 331	–	–	–
500 to 999 acres	–	–	–	–	2 199	–	–
1,000 to 1,999 acres	–	–	–	–	–	1 582	–
2,000 acres or more	–	–	–	–	–	–	1 251
FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM							
Oilseed and grain farming (1111)	310	166	189	587	624	514	369
Vegetable and melon farming (1112)	32	42	23	160	210	174	142
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113)	8	3	1	7	6	–	1
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114)	20	7	10	16	10	5	–
Other crop farming (1119)	309	185	156	588	568	327	179
Tobacco farming (11191)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton farming (11192)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199)	309	185	156	588	568	327	179
Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111)	334	270	214	693	635	458	480
Cattle feedlots (112112)	15	9	13	36	16	20	22
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212)	87	51	57	157	95	48	22
Hog and pig farming (1122)	3	1	–	8	2	1	–
Poultry and egg production (1123)	2	1	1	3	–	–	2
Sheep and goat farming (1124)	13	9	11	10	7	15	25
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129)	53	42	20	66	26	20	9
LIVESTOCK							
Cattle and calves inventory ..... farms..	623	437	394	1 307	1 202	869	771
number..	58 955	42 907	58 769	280 351	328 241	285 485	481 158
Farms with—							
1 to 9	69	36	27	86	52	20	7
10 to 49	279	161	147	351	259	110	39
50 to 99	136	119	85	326	252	143	55
100 to 199	83	77	78	288	295	206	118
200 to 499	40	33	39	190	266	288	266
500 or more	16	11	18	66	78	102	286
Cows and heifers that had calved ..... farms..	520	369	342	1 098	1 065	804	729
number..	28 267	19 157	26 723	99 503	115 218	125 359	238 149
Beef cows ..... farms..	430	318	288	961	984	774	713
number..	12 877	12 541	11 545	57 105	80 906	100 968	209 506
Farms with—							
1 to 9	104	56	53	102	69	29	7
10 to 49	253	179	161	467	399	191	64
50 to 99	49	54	47	224	247	187	88
100 to 199	24	24	23	119	163	212	183
200 to 499	–	5	4	47	99	138	251
500 or more	–	–	–	2	7	17	120
Milk cows ..... farms..	116	67	68	189	139	88	45
number..	15 390	6 616	15 178	42 398	34 312	24 391	28 643
Farms with—							
1 to 4	26	14	8	19	20	18	10
5 to 9	2	1	2	3	2	4	–
10 to 49	26	16	9	32	24	13	5
50 to 99	22	21	23	53	30	14	4
100 to 199	19	8	9	36	26	20	6
200 to 499	15	5	8	26	24	14	9
500 or more	6	2	9	20	13	5	11
Heifers and heifer calves ..... farms..	481	342	323	1 072	1 021	736	689
number..	18 826	14 169	19 074	80 784	97 550	79 509	128 385
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves ..... farms..	520	360	331	1 125	1 074	786	712
number..	11 862	9 581	12 972	100 064	115 473	80 617	114 624

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Table 49. **Summary by Size of Farm: 1997**—Con.

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Item	Total	1 to 9 acres	10 to 49 acres	50 to 69 acres	70 to 99 acres	100 to 139 acres
LIVESTOCK—Con.						
Cattle and calves sold ..... farms..	11 684	1 477	2 618	549	765	664
number..	1 578 375	45 400	125 360	20 739	31 945	64 145
$1,000..	910 805	22 771	60 306	9 809	12 256	36 518
Calves ..... farms..	4 519	555	1 119	226	335	269
number..	240 292	11 026	44 710	7 189	13 786	10 327
$1,000..	59 093	2 598	8 585	1 713	2 746	2 630
Cattle ..... farms..	9 902	1 197	2 167	471	634	570
number..	1 338 083	34 374	80 650	13 550	18 159	53 818
$1,000..	851 712	20 173	51 721	8 097	9 509	33 888
Fattened on grain and concentrates .... farms..	984	181	249	53	48	50
number..	632 606	(D)	25 839	4 412	844	23 275
$1,000..	473 467	(D)	19 251	3 369	594	17 612
Hogs and pigs inventory ..... farms..	714	173	240	31	39	36
number..	29 026	3 452	6 440	2 785	2 751	1 210
Farms with—						
1 to 24	588	145	207	27	31	32
25 to 49	49	12	13	–	4	–
50 to 99	21	5	5	2	2	2
100 to 199	25	8	7	1	–	–
200 to 499	20	3	5	–	1	1
500 or more	11	–	3	1	1	1
Used or to be used for breeding ..... farms..	290	71	90	14	16	10
number..	4 456	660	1 102	322	427	(D)
Other ..... farms..	653	161	220	25	34	34
number..	24 570	2 792	5 338	2 463	2 324	(D)
Hogs and pigs sold..... farms..	573	140	194	25	34	22
number..	44 626	5 911	8 896	4 668	4 379	1 341
$1,000..	4 473	531	862	(D)	442	141
Feeder pigs ..... farms..	90	31	24	3	4	2
number..	9 305	2 337	1 635	(D)	(D)	(D)
$1,000..	345	85	52	(D)	(D)	(D)
Litters of pigs farrowed between—						
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30 .... farms..	309	78	96	15	18	10
number..	5 892	708	1 093	(D)	643	81
Dec. 1 and May 31..... farms..	274	63	89	14	15	10
number..	3 112	361	532	(D)	424	44
June 1 and Nov. 30 ..... farms..	240	59	80	11	12	6
number..	2 780	347	561	(D)	219	37
Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory..... farms..	1 097	214	356	52	62	36
number..	273 804	4 125	13 361	2 459	3 976	4 367
Ewes 1 year old or older ..... farms..	940	169	286	47	52	33
number..	212 487	2 352	8 978	1 650	3 373	2 828
Sheep and lambs sold..... farms..	1 035	197	334	52	54	34
number..	291 435	3 220	15 374	1 903	3 956	3 296
Sheep and lambs shorn ..... farms..	881	148	270	43	49	34
number..	240 028	2 896	11 815	1 873	3 665	2 965
pounds of wool..	2 260 626	21 599	111 768	16 839	31 624	21 139
Horses and ponies inventory ..... farms..	8 682	1 261	2 581	441	511	420
number..	59 559	7 556	15 265	3 832	3 045	3 098
Horses and ponies sold..... farms..	1 783	379	626	81	90	91
number..	6 196	1 176	1 827	222	380	319
Goats inventory ..... farms..	657	165	267	34	36	17
number..	6 269	1 520	2 648	256	393	101
Goats sold ..... farms..	213	72	94	9	10	2
number..	2 492	553	1 266	74	76	(D)
POULTRY						
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text) ..... farms..	886	221	323	43	71	38
number..	(D)	4 611	(D)	(D)	1 402	619
Farms with—						
1 to 399	882	221	321	42	71	38
400 to 3,199	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999.....	1	–	1	–	–	–
10,000 to 19,999	–	–	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1	–	1	–	–	–
100,000 or more	2	–	–	1	–	–
Layers 20 weeks old and older ..... farms..	865	217	313	42	70	38
number..	922 612	3 804	(D)	(D)	1 281	539
Pullets 13 weeks old and older but less than 20 weeks old ..... farms..	155	42	58	8	12	4
number..	(D)	807	6 053	74	121	80
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold (see text)..... farms..	76	23	33	3	3	6
number..	404 434	529	(D)	(D)	(D)	67
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold .. farms..	55	15	21	1	3	2
number..	6 043	1 273	3 379	(D)	300	(D)
Farms with—						
1 to 1,999.....	54	15	20	1	3	2
2,000 to 59,999.....	1	–	1	–	–	–
60,000 to 99,999	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 or more	–	–	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens kept for breeding ..... farms..	64	22	22	2	6	1
number..	313	80	48	(D)	9	(D)
Turkeys sold ..... farms..	40	12	17	1	4	2
number..	400	166	118	(D)	18	(D)

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Table 49. **Summary by Size of Farm: 1997**—Con.

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Item	140 to 179 acres	180 to 219 acres	220 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 to 1,999 acres	2,000 acres or more
LIVESTOCK—Con.							
Cattle and calves sold ..... farms..	619	437	397	1 305	1 210	866	777
number..	37 147	23 006	34 581	298 040	330 189	250 161	317 662
$1,000..	17 303	10 450	16 853	181 200	214 647	157 097	171 595
Calves ..... farms..	270	171	153	476	414	272	259
number..	8 113	6 187	7 422	24 902	28 379	25 770	52 481
$1,000..	1 642	1 401	1 897	5 312	7 170	6 781	16 618
Cattle ..... farms..	508	378	337	1 136	1 058	763	683
number..	29 034	16 819	27 159	273 138	301 810	224 391	265 181
$1,000..	15 662	9 048	14 957	175 888	207 477	150 316	154 977
Fattened on grain and concentrates .... farms..	43	25	36	94	86	63	56
number..	3 532	1 657	8 069	166 332	(D)	(D)	60 794
$1,000..	2 692	1 164	5 662	118 125	(D)	(D)	43 745
Hogs and pigs inventory ..... farms..	35	21	7	59	33	25	15
number..	654	870	336	2 921	3 575	3 274	758
Farms with—							
1 to 24	29	16	6	45	24	16	10
25 to 49	2	1	–	7	4	3	3
50 to 99	2	1	–	1	1	–	–
100 to 199	2	1	–	2	2	2	–
200 to 499	–	2	1	3	1	1	2
500 or more	–	–	–	1	1	3	–
Used or to be used for breeding ..... farms..	20	11	1	25	13	12	7
number..	168	118	(D)	426	608	395	110
Other ..... farms..	30	20	7	54	32	24	12
number..	486	752	(D)	2 495	2 967	2 879	648
Hogs and pigs sold..... farms..	31	13	5	51	24	25	9
number..	1 378	1 446	(D)	6 297	4 712	4 222	(D)
$1,000..	143	123	(D)	523	511	416	(D)
Feeder pigs ..... farms..	6	5	–	11	1	2	1
number..	586	563	–	2 469	(D)	(D)	(D)
$1,000..	29	21	–	88	(D)	(D)	(D)
Litters of pigs farrowed between—							
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30 .... farms..	21	11	1	25	15	12	7
number..	174	197	(D)	766	791	690	144
Dec. 1 and May 31..... farms..	16	11	1	25	12	12	6
number..	71	97	(D)	416	432	347	76
June 1 and Nov. 30 ..... farms..	19	8	1	14	14	11	5
number..	103	100	(D)	350	359	343	68
Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory..... farms..	47	35	30	74	76	55	60
number..	5 987	2 390	2 311	18 668	24 966	28 380	162 814
Ewes 1 year old or older ..... farms..	42	31	25	71	74	53	57
number..	5 219	1 668	1 953	15 014	19 721	20 952	128 779
Sheep and lambs sold..... farms..	42	35	27	77	73	52	58
number..	6 842	2 106	2 546	19 008	41 884	23 126	168 174
Sheep and lambs shorn ..... farms..	39	28	26	69	67	51	57
number..	5 886	2 200	2 253	16 545	19 379	26 845	143 706
pounds of wool..	56 437	17 901	21 526	150 296	203 423	269 832	1 338 242
Horses and ponies inventory ..... farms..	368	267	212	755	715	584	567
number..	2 418	1 781	1 328	4 839	4 625	4 500	7 272
Horses and ponies sold..... farms..	67	44	33	129	76	76	91
number..	278	130	364	469	395	279	357
Goats inventory ..... farms..	31	18	15	33	19	13	9
number..	263	90	479	316	39	89	75
Goats sold ..... farms..	5	3	4	8	3	2	1
number..	108	6	68	138	7	(D)	(D)
POULTRY							
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text) ..... farms..	37	22	17	40	31	26	17
number..	588	354	(D)	(D)	644	(D)	(D)
Farms with—							
1 to 399	37	22	17	39	31	26	17
400 to 3,199	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999.....	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
10,000 to 19,999	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 or more	–	–	–	1	–	–	–
Layers 20 weeks old and older ..... farms..	36	19	17	40	31	26	16
number..	526	293	210	(D)	615	541	253
Pullets 13 weeks old and older but less than 20 weeks old ..... farms..	6	5	1	10	5	3	1
number..	62	61	(D)	(D)	29	(D)	(D)
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold (see text)..... farms..	2	3	–	1	1	1	–
number..	(D)	34	–	(D)	(D)	(D)	–
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold .. farms..	1	1	1	6	3	1	–
number..	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	–
Farms with—							
1 to 1,999.....	1	1	1	6	3	1	–
2,000 to 59,999.....	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
60,000 to 99,999	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 or more	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens kept for breeding ..... farms..	4	–	1	1	2	3	–
number..	9	–	(D)	(D)	(D)	5	–
Turkeys sold ..... farms..	1	–	–	1	1	1	–
number..	(D)	–	–	(D)	(D)	(D)	–

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 49. **Summary by Size of Farm: 1997**—Con.

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

Item		Total	1 to 9 acres	10 to 49 acres	50 to 69 acres	70 to 99 acres	100 to 139 acres
SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED							
Corn for grain or seed	farms	694	8	54	16	54	46
	acres	41 162	21	629	308	1 225	1 014
	bushels	6 390 279	2 216	80 093	40 983	173 001	144 948
Irrigated	farms	694	8	54	16	54	46
	acres	41 162	21	629	308	1 225	1 014
Corn for silage or green chop	farms	1 041	4	67	20	73	74
	acres	79 086	12	1 104	409	2 282	2 663
	tons, green	1 991 808	266	25 687	8 624	51 715	67 566
Irrigated	farms	1 041	4	67	20	73	74
	acres	79 086	12	1 104	409	2 282	2 663
Wheat for grain	farms	5 199	22	300	103	247	229
	acres	1 410 978	123	5 656	2 636	9 123	9 034
	bushels	108 941 849	7 468	468 862	223 415	836 362	805 286
Irrigated	farms	3 852	18	271	88	224	201
	acres	787 355	102	5 191	2 253	8 301	7 732
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres		766	22	216	59	94	76
25 to 99 acres		1 723	–	84	44	153	136
100 to 249 acres		1 176	–	–	–	–	17
250 to 499 acres		716	–	–	–	–	–
500 acres or more		818	–	–	–	–	–
Barley for grain	farms	4 178	15	224	94	178	206
	acres	711 504	61	3 514	2 159	5 137	7 001
	bushels	54 317 070	4 928	241 975	173 835	407 581	554 990
Irrigated	farms	3 098	14	198	79	161	185
	acres	415 100	60	3 094	1 918	4 623	6 157
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres		893	15	179	59	92	98
25 to 99 acres		1 613	–	45	35	86	98
100 to 249 acres		933	–	–	–	–	10
250 to 499 acres		418	–	–	–	–	–
500 acres or more		321	–	–	–	–	–
Oats for grain	farms	549	1	36	19	22	28
	acres	20 406	(D)	392	(D)	372	468
	bushels	1 472 775	(D)	19 183	(D)	31 067	30 434
Irrigated	farms	309	–	26	17	18	20
	acres	8 316	–	265	189	342	293
Dry edible beans, excluding dry limas	farms	1 138	5	48	18	81	70
	acres	92 743	16	801	405	2 126	2 280
	cwt	2 036 315	369	18 628	9 562	45 399	51 173
Irrigated	farms	1 093	5	48	18	81	69
	acres	86 742	16	801	405	2 126	2 274
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres		238	5	39	12	40	28
25 to 99 acres		602	–	9	6	41	40
100 to 249 acres		237	–	–	–	–	2
250 to 499 acres		53	–	–	–	–	–
500 acres or more		8	–	–	–	–	–
Potatoes, excluding sweetpotatoes	farms	1 402	21	35	8	26	31
	acres	394 977	42	476	190	1 312	1 203
	cwt	135 578 736	8 468	176 003	54 763	432 476	313 883
Irrigated	farms	1 402	21	35	8	26	31
	acres	394 817	42	476	190	1 312	1 203
Farms by acres harvested:							
0.1 to 4.9 acres		45	18	14	–	1	2
5.0 to 24.9 acres		83	3	14	5	3	10
25.0 to 99.9 acres		403	–	7	3	22	14
100.0 to 249.9 acres		403	–	–	–	–	5
250.0 acres or more		468	–	–	–	–	–
Sugar beets for sugar	farms	921	9	30	8	15	29
	acres	195 651	44	660	293	363	1 364
	tons	5 078 013	1 106	17 952	7 396	8 604	32 981
Irrigated	farms	921	9	30	8	15	29
	acres	195 651	44	660	293	363	1 364
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text)	farms	11 960	588	2 751	575	866	670
	acres	1 260 010	2 606	40 751	16 492	31 011	31 198
	tons, dry	4 395 396	7 613	127 589	53 399	105 656	108 529
Irrigated	farms	9 307	517	2 247	443	680	526
	acres	949 485	2 288	32 623	12 595	24 354	24 225
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres		4 364	588	2 303	277	319	170
25 to 99 acres		4 175	–	448	298	546	443
100 to 249 acres		2 192	–	–	–	1	57
250 to 499 acres		813	–	–	–	–	–
500 acres or more		416	–	–	–	–	–
Alfalfa hay	farms	10 001	454	2 180	484	724	560
	acres	946 882	1 986	31 102	12 577	24 146	24 071
	tons, dry	3 721 968	6 364	109 769	46 272	91 939	93 867
Irrigated	farms	8 306	408	1 913	404	624	480
	acres	753 313	1 794	26 891	10 492	20 865	20 292

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 49. **Summary by Size of Farm: 1997**—Con.

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

Item	140 to 179 acres	180 to 219 acres	220 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 to 1,999 acres	2,000 acres or more
SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED							
Corn for grain or seed ..... farms..	62	47	55	155	112	47	38
acres..	1 823	1 560	1 863	8 078	8 274	6 019	10 348
bushels..	236 126	218 134	274 947	1 300 139	1 350 987	947 094	1 621 611
Irrigated ..... farms..	62	47	55	155	112	47	38
acres..	1 823	1 560	1 863	8 078	8 274	6 019	10 348
Corn for silage or green chop..... farms..	95	63	69	228	180	81	87
acres..	3 666	2 980	4 079	15 872	15 600	12 015	18 404
tons, green..	87 435	65 072	103 235	406 807	392 204	323 687	459 510
Irrigated ..... farms..	95	63	69	228	180	81	87
acres..	3 666	2 980	4 079	15 872	15 600	12 015	18 404
Wheat for grain ..... farms..	321	228	214	902	1 077	875	681
acres..	17 502	13 974	16 907	95 986	222 227	360 275	657 535
bushels..	1 556 149	1 198 901	1 455 455	8 634 965	18 538 566	27 674 608	47 541 812
Irrigated ..... farms..	280	194	187	751	766	495	377
acres..	15 023	11 619	13 995	77 533	149 002	183 933	312 671
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres	70	39	26	89	53	12	10
25 to 99 acres	214	151	124	403	256	110	48
100 to 249 acres.....	37	38	64	356	398	181	85
250 to 499 acres.....	–	–	–	54	312	248	102
500 acres or more	–	–	–	–	58	324	436
Barley for grain ..... farms..	264	193	187	720	824	709	564
acres..	10 717	9 709	10 492	59 210	127 675	188 592	287 237
bushels..	903 228	801 965	899 859	4 847 498	10 248 566	13 824 856	21 407 789
Irrigated ..... farms..	228	166	168	592	593	390	324
acres..	9 013	8 091	8 897	46 346	91 154	89 003	146 744
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres	94	59	44	120	85	27	21
25 to 99 acres	155	110	111	390	296	179	108
100 to 249 acres.....	15	24	32	182	283	251	136
250 to 499 acres.....	–	–	–	28	122	136	132
500 acres or more	–	–	–	–	38	116	167
Oats for grain ..... farms..	23	25	21	79	112	110	73
acres..	439	377	314	2 553	5 248	4 890	5 129
bushels..	38 200	21 509	23 384	182 942	358 669	323 842	424 800
Irrigated ..... farms..	11	17	17	48	59	43	33
acres..	98	254	220	1 396	2 318	1 478	1 463
Dry edible beans, excluding dry limas ..... farms..	112	95	88	270	234	75	42
acres..	4 259	4 637	4 901	19 824	31 025	13 116	9 353
cwt..	99 393	102 445	107 874	445 249	674 207	295 426	186 590
Irrigated ..... farms..	111	95	88	266	222	61	29
acres..	4 185	4 637	4 901	19 386	30 037	11 387	6 587
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres	34	19	11	30	13	5	2
25 to 99 acres	77	69	67	170	91	20	12
100 to 249 acres.....	1	7	10	70	100	34	13
250 to 499 acres.....	–	–	–	–	30	12	11
500 acres or more	–	–	–	–	–	4	4
Potatoes, excluding sweetpotatoes..... farms..	36	47	31	235	367	310	255
acres..	1 672	3 307	1 799	23 421	64 121	98 273	199 162
cwt..	552 807	1 112 808	549 491	7 890 872	22 060 912	33 657 882	68 768 371
Irrigated ..... farms..	36	47	31	235	367	310	255
acres..	1 672	3 307	1 799	23 421	64 121	98 273	199 002
Farms by acres harvested:							
0.1 to 4.9 acres.....	2	–	–	5	3	–	–
5.0 to 24.9 acres.....	6	5	3	15	12	5	2
25.0 to 99.9 acres	26	31	24	114	98	42	22
100.0 to 249.9 acres	2	11	4	91	170	85	35
250.0 acres or more.....	–	–	–	10	84	178	196
Sugar beets for sugar ..... farms..	41	34	33	216	252	158	96
acres..	2 382	2 381	2 072	21 607	46 122	51 133	67 230
tons..	58 448	62 854	51 834	562 567	1 173 717	1 317 862	1 782 692
Irrigated ..... farms..	41	34	33	216	252	158	96
acres..	2 382	2 381	2 072	21 607	46 122	51 133	67 230
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) ... farms..	754	487	470	1 526	1 428	1 027	818
acres..	45 704	34 771	34 697	163 795	229 595	250 379	379 011
tons, dry..	158 235	121 821	130 350	587 525	841 330	818 490	1 334 859
Irrigated ..... farms..	580	373	367	1 195	1 072	693	614
acres..	35 753	27 529	27 776	126 126	180 101	177 620	278 495
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres	145	84	77	174	126	76	25
25 to 99 acres	458	280	266	658	452	218	108
100 to 249 acres.....	151	123	122	573	555	361	249
250 to 499 acres.....	–	–	5	121	251	247	189
500 acres or more	–	–	–	–	44	125	247
Alfalfa hay ..... farms..	619	422	400	1 311	1 244	867	736
acres..	34 505	27 395	27 634	120 613	173 481	186 661	282 711
tons, dry..	133 872	108 376	114 726	492 379	711 283	685 216	1 127 905
Irrigated ..... farms..	528	342	340	1 104	987	612	564
acres..	29 936	22 834	23 437	100 837	143 928	136 702	215 305

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 49. **Summary by Size of Farm: 1997**—Con.

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

Item		Total	1 to 9 acres	10 to 49 acres	50 to 69 acres	70 to 99 acres	100 to 139 acres
SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED—Con.							
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)	farms	645	75	76	19	40	20
	acres	37 783	155	645	147	781	450
Irrigated	farms	632	72	75	19	39	20
	acres	34 764	139	636	147	780	450
Farms by acres harvested:							
0.1 to 4.9 acres		136	67	34	10	8	2
5.0 to 24.9 acres		152	8	35	8	18	11
25.0 to 99.9 acres		256	–	7	1	14	7
100.0 to 249.9 acres		77	–	–	–	–	–
250.0 acres or more		24	–	–	–	–	–
Green peas, excluding green cowpeas, harvested for sale	farms	67	12	10	–	1	–
	acres	4 295	16	33	–	(D)	–
Irrigated	farms	58	10	10	–	1	–
	acres	1 303	9	33	–	(D)	–
Sweet corn harvested for sale	farms	361	43	38	8	22	11
	acres	18 002	71	268	28	352	197
Irrigated	farms	361	43	38	8	22	11
	acres	18 002	71	268	28	352	197
Field seed and grass seed crops	farms	590	3	29	17	25	27
	acres	81 635	7	477	421	789	1 084
Irrigated	farms	388	3	24	17	22	26
	acres	43 426	7	406	421	598	1 047
Land in orchards	farms	377	114	132	20	32	26
	acres	9 903	266	1 172	556	765	579
Irrigated	farms	335	105	119	15	30	19
	acres	9 553	249	1 135	518	763	553
Farms by bearing and nonbearing acres:							
0.1 to 4.9 acres		208	100	66	8	14	9
5.0 to 24.9 acres		94	14	54	–	4	7
25.0 to 99.9 acres		60	–	12	12	14	10
100.0 to 249.9 acres		10	–	–	–	–	–
250.0 acres or more		5	–	–	–	–	–

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Table 49. **Summary by Size of Farm: 1997**—Con.

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

Item		140 to 179 acres	180 to 219 acres	220 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 to 1,999 acres	2,000 acres or more
SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED—Con.								
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)	farms	37	38	29	132	118	41	20
	acres	1 358	1 520	1 432	7 106	10 871	6 285	7 032
Irrigated	farms	36	38	29	131	117	41	15
	acres	1 308	1 520	1 432	7 098	10 751	6 285	4 217
Farms by acres harvested:								
0.1 to 4.9 acres		3	–	–	5	6	–	1
5.0 to 24.9 acres		10	10	7	27	12	5	1
25.0 to 99.9 acres		23	27	21	85	58	9	4
100.0 to 249.9 acres		1	1	1	15	36	18	5
250.0 acres or more		–	–	–	–	6	9	9
Green peas, excluding green cowpeas, harvested for sale	farms	3	3	2	13	12	4	7
	acres	75	80	(D)	549	507	83	2 896
Irrigated	farms	2	3	2	13	11	4	2
	acres	(D)	80	(D)	549	387	83	(D)
Sweet corn harvested for sale	farms	22	28	20	77	66	19	7
	acres	656	996	869	3 347	5 648	2 575	2 996
Irrigated	farms	22	28	20	77	66	19	7
	acres	656	996	869	3 347	5 648	2 575	2 996
Field seed and grass seed crops	farms	29	23	23	103	126	100	85
	acres	1 024	1 404	1 982	9 891	21 089	18 374	25 093
Irrigated	farms	27	20	20	93	92	28	16
	acres	952	1 113	1 739	8 781	17 349	6 223	4 790
Land in orchards	farms	12	8	2	10	16	2	3
	acres	584	583	(D)	811	2 191	(D)	(D)
Irrigated	farms	10	6	2	9	15	2	3
	acres	577	381	(D)	793	2 186	(D)	(D)
Farms by bearing and nonbearing acres:								
0.1 to 4.9 acres		2	3	1	–	5	–	–
5.0 to 24.9 acres		3	1	–	4	5	1	1
25.0 to 99.9 acres		6	1	1	2	1	1	–
100.0 to 249.9 acres		1	3	–	4	1	–	1
250.0 acres or more		–	–	–	–	4	–	1

[1]Data are based on a sample of farms.
[2]Farms with total production expenses equal to market value of agricultural products sold are included as farms with gains of less than $1,000.

Table 50. **Summary by Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997**

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

Item	All farms	$1,000,000 or more	$500,000 to $999,999	$250,000 to $499,999	$100,000 to $249,999	$50,000 to $99,999	$40,000 to $49,999
FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS							
Farms ..... number..	22 314	571	710	1 198	2 312	1 898	661
percent..	100.0	2.6	3.2	5.4	10.4	8.5	3.0
Land in farms ..... acres..	11 830 167	1 733 721	1 440 608	1 747 424	2 453 616	1 357 562	313 951
Average size of farm ..... acres..	530	3 036	2 029	1 459	1 061	715	475
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD							
Total sales (see text) ..... farms..	22 314	571	710	1 198	2 312	1 898	661
$1,000..	3 345 864	1 760 840	502 553	420 925	370 413	136 716	29 358
Average per farm ..... dollars..	149 945	3 083 783	707 821	351 357	160 213	72 032	44 414
Farms by value of sales:							
Less than $1,000 (see text)	3 243	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000 to $2,499	2 420	–	–	–	–	–	–
$2,500 to $4,999	2 350	–	–	–	–	–	–
$5,000 to $9,999	2 362	–	–	–	–	–	–
$10,000 to $19,999	2 455	–	–	–	–	–	–
$20,000 to $24,999	727	–	–	–	–	–	–
$25,000 to $39,999	1 407	–	–	–	–	–	–
$40,000 to $49,999	661	–	–	–	–	–	661
$50,000 to $99,999	1 898	–	–	–	–	1 898	–
$100,000 to $249,999	2 312	–	–	–	2 312	–	–
$250,000 to $499,999	1 198	–	–	1 198	–	–	–
$500,000 to $999,999	710	–	710	–	–	–	–
$1,000,000 to $2,499,999	418	418	–	–	–	–	–
$2,500,000 to $4,999,999	95	95	–	–	–	–	–
$5,000,000 or more	58	58	–	–	–	–	–
Grains ..... farms..	7 199	373	526	888	1 615	1 127	348
$1,000..	573 088	153 246	108 240	119 553	120 841	41 094	7 969
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	2 792	342	462	695	943	350	–
$1,000..	501 238	152 396	106 519	114 167	104 686	23 469	–
Corn for grain ..... farms..	590	37	36	73	147	112	34
$1,000..	17 592	5 305	2 363	2 631	3 755	1 927	408
Wheat ..... farms..	5 171	339	465	766	1 279	801	217
$1,000..	346 339	109 371	69 553	66 819	64 060	21 210	4 090
Soybeans ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sorghum for grain ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Barley ..... farms..	3 613	179	259	472	861	596	193
$1,000..	140 145	32 085	24 959	32 164	30 632	10 968	2 384
Oats ..... farms..	298	5	8	20	60	55	21
$1,000..	1 832	152	165	256	508	345	102
Other grains ..... farms..	1 625	52	131	272	538	301	69
$1,000..	67 179	6 333	11 199	17 683	21 885	6 644	984
Cotton and cottonseed ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Tobacco ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Hay, silage, and field seeds ..... farms..	7 647	237	315	588	1 113	885	294
$1,000..	255 141	56 755	41 735	49 038	52 343	23 982	5 695
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	1 258	183	203	319	385	168	–
$1,000..	187 892	55 681	39 313	44 063	38 029	10 806	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ..... farms..	641	39	58	109	149	86	15
$1,000..	50 636	14 142	13 242	12 422	7 266	2 362	230
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	226	31	47	73	58	17	–
$1,000..	44 879	14 040	13 026	11 438	5 251	1 125	–
Fruits, nuts, and berries ..... farms..	287	9	6	10	17	25	8
$1,000..	24 408	16 261	1 672	1 775	1 820	1 273	303
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	48	8	3	7	13	17	–
$1,000..	22 529	(D)	1 650	1 755	1 806	(D)	–
Nursery and greenhouse crops ..... farms..	706	25	38	85	110	56	26
$1,000..	57 189	18 070	12 784	12 608	7 831	2 496	641
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	198	23	29	62	55	29	–
$1,000..	51 156	(D)	12 494	12 080	6 609	(D)	–
Other crops ..... farms..	2 148	344	409	519	507	177	39
$1,000..	813 238	479 789	178 371	100 440	45 263	6 707	1 006
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	1 684	343	405	491	392	53	–
$1,000..	803 069	(D)	178 235	99 603	41 960	(D)	–
Poultry and poultry products ..... farms..	412	3	2	4	12	15	6
$1,000..	15 000	13 528	(D)	(D)	817	267	(D)
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	12	3	–	–	5	4	–
$1,000..	14 550	13 528	–	–	778	245	–
Dairy products ..... farms..	1 056	152	133	186	310	154	25
$1,000..	557 339	(D)	(D)	(D)	39 767	8 885	688
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	870	151	133	184	293	109	–
$1,000..	552 802	(D)	(D)	(D)	39 226	7 344	–
Cattle and calves ..... farms..	11 684	290	300	581	1 331	1 185	420
$1,000..	910 805	597 667	50 840	63 155	83 973	45 304	11 456
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	1 732	218	157	275	611	471	–
$1,000..	804 530	595 993	47 631	57 462	71 441	32 003	–

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 50. **Summary by Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997**—Con.

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

Item	$25,000 to $39,999	$20,000 to $24,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999	$1,000 to $2,499	Less than $1,000
FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS							
Farms ..... number..	1 407	727	2 455	2 362	2 350	2 420	3 243
percent..	6.3	3.3	11.0	10.6	10.5	10.8	14.5
Land in farms ..... acres..	584 141	219 347	494 095	296 461	203 652	122 390	863 199
Average size of farm ..... acres..	415	302	201	126	87	51	266
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD							
Total sales (see text) ..... farms..	1 407	727	2 455	2 362	2 350	2 420	3 243
$1,000..	44 591	16 157	34 559	16 776	8 371	3 992	612
Average per farm ..... dollars..	31 692	22 224	14 077	7 103	3 562	1 650	189
Farms by value of sales:							
Less than $1,000 (see text)	–	–	–	–	–	–	3 243
$1,000 to $2,499	–	–	–	–	–	2 420	–
$2,500 to $4,999	–	–	–	–	2 350	–	–
$5,000 to $9,999	–	–	–	2 362	–	–	–
$10,000 to $19,999	–	–	2 455	–	–	–	–
$20,000 to $24,999	–	727	–	–	–	–	–
$25,000 to $39,999	1 407	–	–	–	–	–	–
$40,000 to $49,999	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$50,000 to $99,999	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$100,000 to $249,999	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$250,000 to $499,999	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$500,000 to $999,999	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000,000 to $2,499,999	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$2,500,000 to $4,999,999	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$5,000,000 or more	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Grains ..... farms..	662	285	677	353	186	129	30
$1,000..	10 980	3 435	5 353	1 682	496	180	18
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Corn for grain ..... farms..	67	16	33	14	10	9	2
$1,000..	749	143	221	55	21	(D)	(D)
Wheat ..... farms..	409	168	365	203	93	56	10
$1,000..	5 379	1 845	2 722	949	245	89	6
Soybeans ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sorghum for grain ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Barley ..... farms..	320	133	319	146	73	49	13
$1,000..	3 326	1 019	1 779	558	202	58	8
Oats ..... farms..	27	15	35	25	14	10	3
$1,000..	79	38	116	52	6	10	1
Other grains ..... farms..	113	39	77	14	9	8	2
$1,000..	1 447	389	513	67	22	(D)	(D)
Cotton and cottonseed ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Tobacco ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Hay, silage, and field seeds ..... farms..	604	307	881	737	681	665	340
$1,000..	9 191	3 080	7 121	3 441	1 686	902	172
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ..... farms..	26	17	32	30	34	32	14
$1,000..	334	165	228	133	80	28	5
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Fruits, nuts, and berries ..... farms..	21	9	37	33	29	46	37
$1,000..	488	149	377	168	59	51	12
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse crops ..... farms..	38	17	79	57	54	98	23
$1,000..	968	279	950	285	149	117	11
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other crops ..... farms..	53	16	31	22	17	14	–
$1,000..	969	236	312	84	45	17	–
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Poultry and poultry products ..... farms..	22	5	45	49	69	114	66
$1,000..	120	3	81	53	(D)	(D)	14
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Dairy products ..... farms..	45	12	26	6	5	2	–
$1,000..	1 171	166	277	29	(D)	(D)	–
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cattle and calves ..... farms..	911	493	1 608	1 521	1 425	1 191	428
$1,000..	18 293	7 687	17 112	8 772	4 439	1 852	256
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 50. **Summary by Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997**—Con.

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

Item	All farms	$1,000,000 or more	$500,000 to $999,999	$250,000 to $499,999	$100,000 to $249,999	$50,000 to $99,999	$40,000 to $49,999
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD—Con.							
Total sales (see text)—Con.							
Hogs and pigs ..... farms..	573	2	12	9	36	41	18
$1,000..	4 473	(D)	1 061	387	970	710	(D)
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	19	–	3	2	7	7	–
$1,000..	2 517	–	998	(D)	763	(D)	–
Sheep, lambs, and wool ..... farms..	1 077	12	17	39	62	68	32
$1,000..	29 977	13 110	6 305	4 362	2 716	918	404
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	64	11	11	20	18	4	–
$1,000..	26 141	(D)	6 243	4 140	2 379	(D)	–
Other livestock and livestock products (see text) ..... farms..	2 335	35	42	44	145	146	63
$1,000..	54 571	23 535	11 061	2 813	6 807	2 717	776
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	103	10	15	7	40	31	–
$1,000..	45 319	23 454	10 930	2 646	6 141	2 148	–
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text) ..... farms..	1 205	19	29	35	91	69	24
$1,000..	3 047	355	168	298	350	224	46
FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES[1]							
Total farm production expenses ..... farms..	22 334	571	710	1 049	2 311	2 019	687
$1,000..	2 705 028	1 456 984	385 539	278 196	287 645	119 584	29 211
Average per farm ..... dollars..	121 117	2 551 636	543 013	265 201	124 468	59 229	42 520
Livestock and poultry purchased ..... farms..	7 820	230	251	333	926	829	286
$1,000..	469 600	392 041	18 551	15 281	17 001	8 479	2 313
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $4,999	5 039	17	43	86	310	429	169
$5,000 to $24,999	1 930	25	55	93	421	277	97
$25,000 to $99,999	596	43	100	107	186	122	20
$100,000 to $249,999	145	57	36	43	8	1	–
$250,000 or more	110	88	17	4	1	–	–
Feed for livestock and poultry ..... farms..	11 438	284	305	476	1 257	1 108	400
$1,000..	450 829	320 764	43 185	26 295	30 540	11 838	2 251
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $4,999	8 156	18	41	108	421	499	252
$5,000 to $24,999	1 953	27	48	103	385	468	144
$25,000 to $99,999	825	19	54	168	427	141	4
$100,000 to $249,999	246	35	97	91	23	–	–
$250,000 or more	258	185	65	6	1	–	–
Commercially mixed formula feeds ..... farms..	5 461	202	195	308	731	468	184
$1,000..	102 153	59 304	15 369	9 856	12 394	2 118	555
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $4,999	4 270	11	34	93	302	357	143
$5,000 to $24,999	606	28	51	93	258	93	41
$25,000 to $99,999	390	57	48	95	171	18	–
$100,000 or more	195	106	62	27	–	–	–
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees ..... farms..	9 308	465	606	908	1 873	1 366	449
$1,000..	94 322	42 393	18 920	12 964	11 435	4 457	1 096
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $999	3 343	11	17	46	224	296	143
$1,000 to $4,999	3 181	50	62	223	797	811	256
$5,000 to $24,999	1 954	78	220	473	822	259	50
$25,000 to $49,999	425	61	187	150	27	–	–
$50,000 or more	405	265	120	16	3	–	–
Commercial fertilizer ..... farms..	11 564	456	619	946	1 909	1 525	482
$1,000..	245 440	98 645	49 705	38 099	34 346	13 442	2 909
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $4,999	6 638	30	30	104	359	574	264
$5,000 to $24,999	2 878	49	100	229	1 055	888	208
$25,000 to $49,999	878	30	88	296	396	57	10
$50,000 or more	1 170	347	401	317	99	6	–
Agricultural chemicals ..... farms..	11 383	443	561	867	1 818	1 394	463
$1,000..	118 406	53 504	22 117	17 050	14 951	6 441	1 053
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $4,999	8 425	64	88	234	916	930	422
$5,000 to $24,999	1 856	58	137	364	737	453	41
$25,000 to $49,999	552	42	152	195	152	11	–
$50,000 or more	550	279	184	74	13	–	–
Petroleum products ..... farms..	20 090	565	708	1 028	2 267	1 983	665
$1,000..	100 076	29 082	16 294	14 248	17 803	8 287	2 049
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $4,999	15 482	17	32	123	779	1 369	557
$5,000 to $24,999	3 857	166	433	821	1 446	614	108
$25,000 to $49,999	527	198	212	76	41	–	–
$50,000 or more	224	184	31	8	1	–	–
Gasoline and gasohol ..... farms..	17 486	524	670	958	2 092	1 810	574
$1,000..	36 930	8 002	5 507	5 220	7 068	3 717	959
Diesel fuel ..... farms..	14 659	537	676	989	2 092	1 834	618
$1,000..	52 460	18 004	8 974	7 424	8 956	3 795	864
Natural gas ..... farms..	598	51	66	48	82	49	19
$1,000..	1 306	378	373	188	162	49	42
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc. ..... farms..	14 866	556	703	1 019	2 224	1 865	597
$1,000..	9 380	2 697	1 440	1 416	1 618	726	184

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 50. **Summary by Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997**—Con.

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

Item	$25,000 to $39,999	$20,000 to $24,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999	$1,000 to $2,499	Less than $1,000
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD—Con.							
Total sales (see text)—Con.							
Hogs and pigs ..... farms..	46	18	70	101	82	87	51
$1,000..	349	63	305	288	110	65	17
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sheep, lambs, and wool ..... farms..	77	31	129	158	169	196	87
$1,000..	566	208	504	376	270	202	37
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other livestock and livestock products (see text) ..... farms..	132	70	295	364	412	433	154
$1,000..	1 163	685	1 942	1 464	997	540	70
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text)..... farms..	73	26	122	171	199	236	111
$1,000..	213	107	389	359	298	201	40
FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES[1]							
Total farm production expenses ..... farms..	1 264	783	2 530	2 392	2 386	2 392	3 240
$1,000..	33 615	15 388	37 398	20 167	15 165	11 279	14 858
Average per farm .....dollars..	26 594	19 652	14 782	8 431	6 356	4 715	4 586
Livestock and poultry purchased ..... farms..	521	310	1 075	814	883	833	529
$1,000..	3 245	1 565	4 654	2 736	1 812	1 382	541
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $4,999	309	192	715	674	800	781	514
$5,000 to $24,999	201	118	360	133	83	52	15
$25,000 to $99,999	11	–	–	7	–	–	–
$100,000 to $249,999	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$250,000 or more	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Feed for livestock and poultry ..... farms..	682	427	1 406	1 295	1 331	1 297	1 170
$1,000..	3 234	1 685	4 130	2 597	1 970	1 068	1 272
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $4,999	444	300	1 093	1 225	1 306	1 292	1 157
$5,000 to $24,999	226	127	313	70	24	5	13
$25,000 to $99,999	12	–	–	–	–	–	–
$100,000 to $249,999	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$250,000 or more	–	–	–	–	1	–	–
Commercially mixed formula feeds ..... farms..	308	183	529	552	663	594	544
$1,000..	589	280	481	352	408	221	227
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $4,999	289	171	520	550	662	594	544
$5,000 to $24,999	19	12	9	2	–	–	–
$25,000 to $99,999	–	–	–	–	1	–	–
$100,000 or more	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees ..... farms..	663	365	894	660	411	464	184
$1,000..	963	517	761	320	135	265	95
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $999	295	151	634	556	374	429	167
$1,000 to $4,999	349	198	252	104	37	34	8
$5,000 to $24,999	19	16	8	–	–	–	9
$25,000 to $49,999	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$50,000 or more	–	–	–	–	–	1	–
Commercial fertilizer ..... farms..	767	419	1 263	1 039	810	747	582
$1,000..	2 645	1 267	2 016	1 012	541	348	467
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $4,999	574	336	1 225	1 020	803	747	572
$5,000 to $24,999	193	82	38	19	7	–	10
$25,000 to $49,999	–	1	–	–	–	–	–
$50,000 or more	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Agricultural chemicals ..... farms..	778	417	1 196	992	763	765	926
$1,000..	982	348	902	343	221	178	318
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $4,999	733	416	1 184	992	762	761	923
$5,000 to $24,999	45	1	12	–	1	4	3
$25,000 to $49,999	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$50,000 or more	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Petroleum products ..... farms..	1 230	751	2 424	2 187	2 139	2 176	1 967
$1,000..	3 191	1 388	2 819	1 749	1 254	945	967
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $4,999	1 050	712	2 402	2 173	2 132	2 176	1 960
$5,000 to $24,999	180	39	22	14	7	–	7
$25,000 to $49,999	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$50,000 or more	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Gasoline and gasohol ..... farms..	1 038	695	1 924	1 935	1 824	1 766	1 676
$1,000..	1 482	729	1 409	992	734	542	568
Diesel fuel ..... farms..	1 043	647	1 762	1 394	1 079	1 013	975
$1,000..	1 318	522	1 110	568	361	295	270
Natural gas ..... farms..	37	20	69	24	50	47	36
$1,000..	33	7	39	4	17	10	4
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc. ..... farms..	1 067	646	1 719	1 327	1 109	1 037	997
$1,000..	358	129	260	186	142	97	126

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 50. **Summary by Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997**—Con.

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

Item	All farms	$1,000,000 or more	$500,000 to $999,999	$250,000 to $499,999	$100,000 to $249,999	$50,000 to $99,999	$40,000 to $49,999
FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES[1] —Con.							
Total farm production expenses—Con.							
Electricity ..... farms..	15 661	563	687	988	2 061	1 680	598
$1,000..	89 854	42 299	16 625	10 399	9 454	4 288	1 429
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $999	9 130	6	28	129	535	672	215
$1,000 to $4,999	3 931	27	123	326	931	733	305
$5,000 to $24,999	1 814	150	285	414	559	275	78
$25,000 to $49,999	406	132	148	92	34	–	–
$50,000 or more	380	248	103	27	2	–	–
Hired farm labor ..... farms..	9 410	564	705	1 005	1 838	1 165	340
$1,000..	270 843	137 670	53 581	34 880	30 053	7 737	1 569
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $4,999	4 944	2	6	54	412	650	230
$5,000 to $24,999	2 343	13	65	388	1 110	467	108
$25,000 to $99,999	1 497	119	471	531	315	48	2
$100,000 to $249,999	452	270	150	31	1	–	–
$250,000 or more	174	160	13	1	–	–	–
Workers by days worked:							
150 days or more ..... farms..	4 531	541	645	834	1 256	428	96
workers..	16 401	7 336	3 044	2 225	2 258	564	133
Less than 150 days ..... farms..	8 249	449	582	757	1 448	1 052	282
workers..	47 014	13 813	7 067	5 961	7 278	4 184	609
Contract labor ..... farms..	3 501	274	320	390	629	410	151
$1,000..	32 680	14 841	6 553	4 189	3 937	1 325	386
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $999	1 177	10	9	28	96	119	59
$1,000 to $4,999	1 223	30	67	112	276	212	73
$5,000 to $24,999	812	102	152	208	239	74	19
$25,000 to $49,999	169	48	62	37	17	5	–
$50,000 or more	120	84	30	5	1	–	–
Repair and maintenance ..... farms..	18 147	566	702	1 041	2 233	1 944	623
$1,000..	152 222	55 368	23 191	19 540	22 314	11 392	2 880
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $4,999	12 425	16	32	123	574	1 010	420
$5,000 to $24,999	4 413	77	257	658	1 544	907	191
$25,000 to $49,999	750	112	264	217	110	27	12
$50,000 or more	559	361	149	43	5	–	–
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment..... farms..	8 597	425	511	701	1 493	1 012	286
$1,000..	69 649	24 886	12 825	9 581	12 245	5 004	905
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $999	3 285	8	15	42	137	146	89
$1,000 to $4,999	2 806	41	72	180	659	514	124
$5,000 to $24,999	1 898	154	268	370	594	334	73
$25,000 to $49,999	357	85	81	75	98	18	–
$50,000 or more	251	137	75	34	5	–	–
Interest ..... farms..	11 087	555	681	915	1 959	1 410	468
$1,000..	178 482	69 073	30 775	22 531	26 111	10 843	3 151
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $4,999	5 388	13	35	104	427	632	216
$5,000 to $24,999	4 109	80	203	472	1 258	733	242
$25,000 to $99,999	1 285	225	386	330	272	45	10
$100,000 or more	305	237	57	9	2	–	–
Secured by real estate ..... farms..	7 784	407	472	611	1 327	926	322
$1,000..	98 667	33 237	15 287	11 983	16 269	6 949	2 318
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $999	1 000	5	8	11	40	35	14
$1,000 to $4,999	2 829	10	29	89	215	385	141
$5,000 to $24,999	3 063	96	198	336	931	484	157
$25,000 to $49,999	548	104	145	132	124	22	10
$50,000 or more	344	192	92	43	17	–	–
Not secured by real estate ..... farms..	6 719	445	535	713	1 398	968	264
$1,000..	79 815	35 836	15 488	10 549	9 841	3 894	833
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $999	1 606	10	5	20	140	159	62
$1,000 to $4,999	2 439	16	42	119	526	514	131
$5,000 to $24,999	1 928	92	234	459	696	286	71
$25,000 to $49,999	421	106	171	95	35	9	–
$50,000 or more	325	221	83	20	1	–	–
Cash rent ..... farms..	5 387	332	464	618	1 076	741	218
$1,000..	124 518	55 617	24 410	17 682	15 283	5 764	1 147
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $4,999	2 631	18	37	92	351	349	130
$5,000 to $9,999	759	12	41	65	177	171	55
$10,000 to $24,999	957	37	91	190	361	208	33
$25,000 or more	1 040	265	295	271	187	13	–
Property taxes ..... farms..	21 097	548	676	1 003	2 221	1 890	607
$1,000..	55 081	11 983	6 806	6 001	8 488	5 080	1 507
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $4,999	18 586	74	186	529	1 662	1 685	525
$5,000 to $9,999	1 540	101	234	342	434	153	81
$10,000 to $24,999	752	219	222	115	118	46	–
$25,000 or more	219	154	34	17	7	6	1
All other farm production expenses..... farms..	20 669	570	710	1 049	2 311	2 019	687
$1,000..	253 025	108 818	42 000	29 456	33 686	15 207	4 566
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $4,999	14 349	5	15	73	436	840	354
$5,000 to $24,999	4 349	37	148	511	1 533	1 112	325
$25,000 to $49,999	889	71	174	305	253	67	8
$50,000 to $99,999	625	122	277	137	86	–	–
$100,000 or more	457	335	96	23	3	–	–

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 50. **Summary by Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997**—Con.

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

Item	$25,000 to $39,999	$20,000 to $24,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999	$1,000 to $2,499	Less than $1,000
FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES[1] —Con.							
Total farm production expenses—Con.							
Electricity ..... farms..	913	585	1 733	1 517	1 558	1 364	1 414
$1,000..	1 226	588	1 298	625	607	423	593
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $999	515	400	1 303	1 353	1 431	1 295	1 248
$1,000 to $4,999	375	164	421	164	127	69	166
$5,000 to $24,999	23	21	9	–	–	–	–
$25,000 to $49,999	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$50,000 or more	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Hired farm labor ..... farms..	560	294	864	603	533	464	475
$1,000..	1 472	510	1 923	469	333	241	405
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $4,999	462	272	799	596	533	464	464
$5,000 to $24,999	98	22	56	7	–	–	9
$25,000 to $99,999	–	–	9	–	–	–	2
$100,000 to $249,999	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$250,000 or more	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Workers by days worked:							
150 days or more ..... farms..	123	46	159	83	108	83	129
workers..	166	80	169	83	114	83	146
Less than 150 days ..... farms..	547	266	830	597	524	462	453
workers..	1 186	503	2 083	1 242	1 104	866	1 118
Contract labor ..... farms..	174	82	265	270	214	151	171
$1,000..	270	169	397	208	174	98	132
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $999	67	32	123	198	175	114	147
$1,000 to $4,999	104	50	131	72	39	37	20
$5,000 to $24,999	3	–	11	–	–	–	4
$25,000 to $49,999	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$50,000 or more	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Repair and maintenance ..... farms..	1 132	711	2 216	1 762	1 758	1 527	1 932
$1,000..	3 874	1 735	3 950	2 389	2 126	1 458	2 006
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $4,999	871	611	2 065	1 674	1 698	1 462	1 869
$5,000 to $24,999	261	100	151	87	52	65	63
$25,000 to $49,999	–	–	–	–	8	–	–
$50,000 or more	–	–	–	1	–	–	–
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment..... farms..	514	247	877	723	528	676	604
$1,000..	1 149	349	1 153	681	315	298	258
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $999	163	123	486	481	439	611	545
$1,000 to $4,999	299	115	357	232	89	65	59
$5,000 to $24,999	52	9	34	10	–	–	–
$25,000 to $49,999	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$50,000 or more	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Interest ..... farms..	739	420	1 133	849	656	539	763
$1,000..	3 289	1 345	3 985	2 027	1 688	1 197	2 468
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $4,999	469	291	815	744	564	469	609
$5,000 to $24,999	270	129	313	100	91	70	148
$25,000 to $99,999	–	–	5	5	1	–	6
$100,000 or more	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Secured by real estate ..... farms..	482	270	822	591	486	415	653
$1,000..	2 420	1 017	2 950	1 616	1 406	1 040	2 175
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $999	47	62	203	182	106	141	146
$1,000 to $4,999	229	99	374	328	321	217	392
$5,000 to $24,999	206	109	245	76	59	57	109
$25,000 to $49,999	–	–	–	5	–	–	6
$50,000 or more	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Not secured by real estate ..... farms..	430	254	584	417	287	194	230
$1,000..	869	328	1 035	411	282	156	293
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $999	139	117	262	242	187	147	116
$1,000 to $4,999	254	136	284	169	93	46	109
$5,000 to $24,999	37	1	33	6	7	1	5
$25,000 to $49,999	–	–	5	–	–	–	–
$50,000 or more	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cash rent ..... farms..	260	224	559	289	277	160	169
$1,000..	1 117	781	1 595	484	270	105	261
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $4,999	165	159	468	263	277	160	162
$5,000 to $9,999	85	58	63	26	–	–	6
$10,000 to $24,999	10	7	20	–	–	–	–
$25,000 or more	–	–	8	–	–	–	1
Property taxes ..... farms..	1 194	701	2 400	2 257	2 221	2 278	3 101
$1,000..	2 196	968	2 893	2 171	1 956	1 947	3 084
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $4,999	1 141	695	2 344	2 228	2 208	2 266	3 043
$5,000 to $9,999	43	5	56	23	13	12	43
$10,000 to $24,999	10	1	–	6	–	–	15
$25,000 or more	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
All other farm production expenses ..... farms..	1 264	783	2 530	2 079	2 113	2 034	2 520
$1,000..	4 763	2 173	4 923	2 355	1 761	1 326	1 993
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $4,999	924	659	2 351	2 065	2 105	2 027	2 495
$5,000 to $24,999	340	124	171	14	7	7	20
$25,000 to $49,999	–	–	8	–	1	–	2
$50,000 to $99,999	–	–	–	–	–	–	3
$100,000 or more	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

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Table 50. **Summary by Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997**—Con.

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

Item	All farms	$1,000,000 or more	$500,000 to $999,999	$250,000 to $499,999	$100,000 to $249,999	$50,000 to $99,999	$40,000 to $49,999
NET CASH RETURN FROM AGRICULTURAL SALES FOR THE FARM UNIT (SEE TEXT)[1]							
All farms ..... number..	22 334	571	710	1 049	2 311	2 019	687
$1,000..	590 283	303 856	117 014	88 780	77 426	25 831	1 525
Average per farm ..... dollars..	26 430	532 147	164 809	84 633	33 503	12 794	2 220
Farms with net gains[2] ..... number..	11 024	536	630	893	1 824	1 448	425
Average net gain ..... dollars..	64 175	596 913	194 140	112 045	50 535	27 196	15 176
Gain of—							
Less than $1,000	1 161	–	2	5	24	13	8
$1,000 to $9,999	3 974	3	8	28	158	320	142
$10,000 to $49,999	3 061	24	50	155	822	891	275
$50,000 or more	2 828	509	570	705	820	224	–
Farms with net losses ..... number..	11 310	35	80	156	487	571	262
Average net loss ..... dollars..	10 361	459 700	66 174	72 280	30 286	23 729	18 796
Loss of—							
Less than $1,000	1 919	–	–	4	7	6	9
$1,000 to $9,999	6 896	4	9	15	118	153	123
$10,000 to $49,999	2 168	7	30	74	282	347	109
$50,000 or more	327	24	41	63	80	65	21
GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS AND OTHER FARM-RELATED INCOME							
Government payments ..... farms..	7 848	333	448	798	1 484	1 021	322
$1,000..	73 124	9 755	8 267	10 785	14 552	6 899	2 010
Other farm-related income[1] ..... farms..	6 508	219	278	457	1 065	716	197
$1,000..	58 462	7 675	6 439	6 796	11 651	7 110	1 906
Customwork and other agricultural services ..... farms..	1 981	67	118	208	454	298	46
$1,000..	24 521	2 391	3 029	3 837	7 056	3 415	348
Gross cash rent or share payments ..... farms..	2 800	90	71	119	275	228	79
$1,000..	24 182	4 236	2 298	2 199	3 024	2 293	1 446
Forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products ..... farms..	597	3	7	5	62	74	6
$1,000..	6 200	(D)	475	235	845	1 040	(D)
Other farm-related income sources ..... farms..	2 608	116	182	260	596	367	96
$1,000..	3 558	(D)	636	526	726	362	(D)
COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS							
Total ..... farms..	889	75	92	178	267	126	43
$1,000..	29 610	6 583	6 728	7 672	6 343	1 593	353
Corn ..... farms..	32	1	2	8	6	7	2
$1,000..	(D)	(D)	(D)	14	(D)	9	(D)
Wheat ..... farms..	782	71	88	163	237	104	32
$1,000..	25 584	5 532	6 026	6 809	5 204	1 425	312
Soybeans ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sorghum, barley, and oats ..... farms..	241	16	23	40	83	37	12
$1,000..	3 968	(D)	(D)	848	1 123	158	(D)
Cotton ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sunflower seed, flaxseed, safflower, canola, other rapeseed, and mustard seed ..... farms..	1	–	–	–	1	–	–
$1,000..	(D)	–	–	–	(D)	–	–
Peanuts, rice, and tobacco ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE							
Total cropland ..... farms..	18 994	509	665	1 136	2 203	1 784	608
acres..	6 308 877	1 123 959	815 565	1 022 275	1 330 925	687 089	172 267
Harvested cropland ..... farms..	15 494	483	642	1 111	2 145	1 697	578
acres..	4 478 862	1 035 322	706 125	832 616	961 416	418 287	96 780
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 49 acres	6 388	14	19	36	82	128	74
50 to 99 acres	2 038	15	9	25	124	201	108
100 to 199 acres	2 111	25	25	73	306	554	231
200 to 499 acres	2 519	39	79	332	963	629	147
500 to 999 acres	1 336	46	235	387	468	162	18
1,000 to 1,999 acres	768	158	194	203	191	22	–
2,000 acres or more	334	186	81	55	11	1	–
Cropland:							
Pasture or grazing only ..... farms..	9 257	127	187	354	873	830	302
acres..	816 471	34 628	31 866	76 247	165 819	124 814	40 050
In cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured ..... farms..	1 410	44	58	95	185	138	52
acres..	362 371	20 952	19 123	27 894	57 989	44 067	16 268
On which all crops failed ..... farms..	420	6	13	46	69	63	24
acres..	28 229	706	1 237	3 976	7 663	3 428	1 867
In cultivated summer fallow ..... farms..	1 383	31	60	137	336	235	57
acres..	306 898	7 369	35 794	45 986	90 705	55 499	9 816
Idle ..... farms..	2 294	89	91	163	285	233	77
acres..	316 046	24 982	21 420	35 556	47 333	40 994	7 486
Total woodland ..... farms..	2 584	12	34	75	203	196	59
acres..	514 787	4 694	16 748	33 774	73 813	91 935	12 416
Woodland pastured ..... farms..	1 629	10	18	43	116	149	40
acres..	356 407	(D)	10 797	27 596	55 925	81 857	(D)
Woodland not pastured ..... farms..	1 352	3	22	46	113	66	29
acres..	158 380	(D)	5 951	6 178	17 888	10 078	(D)

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Table 50. **Summary by Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997**—Con.

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Item	$25,000 to $39,999	$20,000 to $24,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999	$1,000 to $2,499	Less than $1,000
NET CASH RETURN FROM AGRICULTURAL SALES FOR THE FARM UNIT (SEE TEXT)[1]							
All farms ..... number..	1 264	783	2 530	2 392	2 386	2 392	3 240
$1,000..	6 390	2 073	–1 471	–3 047	–6 557	–7 359	–14 179
Average per farm ..... dollars..	5 056	2 647	–581	–1 274	–2 748	–3 077	–4 376
Farms with net gains[2] ..... number..	885	478	1 490	1 201	797	384	33
Average net gain ..... dollars..	11 979	9 207	4 973	2 765	1 478	602	178
Gain of—							
Less than $1,000	45	21	167	224	317	302	33
$1,000 to $9,999	312	291	1 173	977	480	82	–
$10,000 to $49,999	528	166	150	–	–	–	–
$50,000 or more	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Farms with net losses ..... number..	379	305	1 040	1 191	1 589	2 008	3 207
Average net loss ..... dollars..	11 110	7 634	8 540	5 347	4 868	3 780	4 423
Loss of—							
Less than $1,000	51	1	122	230	303	555	631
$1,000 to $9,999	173	218	622	814	1 103	1 306	2 238
$10,000 to $49,999	154	86	271	146	182	146	334
$50,000 or more	1	–	25	1	1	1	4
GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS AND OTHER FARM-RELATED INCOME							
Government payments ..... farms..	592	251	687	439	276	204	993
$1,000..	2 851	1 053	2 896	1 525	990	670	10 871
Other farm-related income[1] ..... farms..	412	209	774	557	559	430	635
$1,000..	2 269	695	4 884	1 979	1 520	1 780	3 759
Customwork and other agricultural services ..... farms..	122	41	182	134	133	93	85
$1,000..	755	193	1 948	290	425	444	390
Gross cash rent or share payments ..... farms..	190	101	392	314	283	237	421
$1,000..	1 266	403	1 983	1 000	715	818	2 500
Forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products ..... farms..	32	12	92	66	64	70	104
$1,000..	161	63	898	537	321	509	768
Other farm-related income sources ..... farms..	190	60	287	118	148	88	100
$1,000..	86	36	55	152	59	10	101
COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS							
Total ..... farms..	47	18	25	7	6	3	2
$1,000..	204	79	43	8	4	(D)	(D)
Corn ..... farms..	4	–	2	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	8	–	(D)	–	–	–	–
Wheat ..... farms..	40	16	17	6	5	1	2
$1,000..	160	63	41	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Soybeans ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sorghum, barley, and oats ..... farms..	15	5	6	1	1	2	–
$1,000..	37	16	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	–
Cotton ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sunflower seed, flaxseed, safflower, canola, other rapeseed, and mustard seed ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Peanuts, rice, and tobacco ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE							
Total cropland ..... farms..	1 278	651	2 134	1 911	1 900	1 833	2 382
acres..	262 574	108 729	256 379	137 704	83 628	51 635	256 148
Harvested cropland ..... farms..	1 193	572	1 814	1 513	1 343	1 288	1 115
acres..	145 809	55 392	110 812	54 682	30 220	19 121	12 280
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 49 acres	225	179	961	1 150	1 201	1 233	1 086
50 to 99 acres	378	194	533	270	114	42	25
100 to 199 acres	387	144	247	83	23	9	4
200 to 499 acres	189	49	73	10	5	4	–
500 to 999 acres	14	6	–	–	–	–	–
1,000 to 1,999 acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
2,000 acres or more	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cropland:							
Pasture or grazing only ..... farms..	635	335	1 195	1 088	1 138	1 025	1 168
acres..	65 257	30 456	87 063	55 078	35 535	20 948	48 710
In cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured ..... farms..	84	44	125	97	79	57	352
acres..	15 890	7 748	26 765	9 986	9 143	3 602	102 944
On which all crops failed ..... farms..	39	8	36	30	19	13	54
acres..	2 604	852	2 239	931	521	142	2 063
In cultivated summer fallow ..... farms..	118	54	131	78	43	33	70
acres..	19 158	6 859	11 212	4 003	1 227	761	18 509
Idle ..... farms..	137	59	211	199	139	163	448
acres..	13 856	7 422	18 288	13 024	6 982	7 061	71 642
Total woodland ..... farms..	162	78	281	298	310	316	560
acres..	49 692	18 321	53 016	37 741	33 475	21 085	68 077
Woodland pastured ..... farms..	110	58	202	202	203	181	297
acres..	32 348	12 780	38 312	22 592	22 439	8 852	31 345
Woodland not pastured ..... farms..	75	40	122	152	159	175	350
acres..	17 344	5 541	14 704	15 149	11 036	12 233	36 732

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Table 50. **Summary by Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997**—Con.

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Item	All farms	$1,000,000 or more	$500,000 to $999,999	$250,000 to $499,999	$100,000 to $249,999	$50,000 to $99,999	$40,000 to $49,999
LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE—Con.							
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured ..... farms..	6 517	136	190	356	765	627	232
acres..	4 589 326	564 322	575 047	642 620	985 057	525 400	114 336
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. ..... farms..	13 330	372	418	756	1 375	1 143	410
acres..	417 177	40 746	33 248	48 755	63 821	53 138	14 932
Irrigated land ..... farms..	15 191	495	617	977	1 811	1 473	509
acres..	3 493 542	990 415	564 187	549 339	624 856	296 688	71 146
Harvested cropland irrigated ..... farms..	12 182	478	593	945	1 753	1 388	470
acres..	3 057 436	951 915	542 137	494 463	529 186	235 266	57 344
Pasture and other land irrigated ..... farms..	7 621	119	153	280	646	628	220
acres..	436 106	38 500	22 050	54 876	95 670	61 422	13 802
Land under Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs ..... farms..	2 426	65	65	145	259	244	79
acres..	705 407	30 997	31 223	51 683	98 965	78 812	28 461
VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS[1]							
Estimated market value of land and buildings ..... farms..	22 334	571	710	1 049	2 311	2 019	687
$1,000..	11 982 650	2 180 633	1 447 582	1 574 879	2 097 079	1 132 829	348 188
Average per farm ..... dollars..	536 521	3 818 972	2 038 847	1 501 315	907 434	561 084	506 824
Average per acre ..... dollars..	1 017	1 258	1 005	996	838	813	1 032
Farms by value group:							
$1 to $39,999	2 406	4	4	2	39	39	27
$40,000 to $69,999	1 686	–	2	8	9	39	24
$70,000 to $99,999	1 552	3	5	5	18	66	29
$100,000 to $149,999	2 739	4	9	15	54	101	62
$150,000 to $199,999	2 092	8	10	27	64	94	44
$200,000 to $499,999	6 148	49	58	133	599	895	334
$500,000 to $999,999	2 892	53	108	289	927	518	112
$1,000,000 to $1,999,999	1 626	82	224	364	414	199	38
$2,000,000 to $4,999,999	958	237	259	182	158	64	10
$5,000,000 or more	235	131	31	24	29	4	7
VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT[1]							
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ..... farms..	22 333	571	709	1 049	2 311	2 019	687
$1,000..	1 740 107	396 671	243 195	236 316	302 195	141 710	38 377
Farms by value group:							
$1 to $4,999	2 553	–	–	1	1	7	27
$5,000 to $9,999	2 788	3	5	2	63	53	44
$10,000 to $19,999	3 823	5	8	20	102	244	106
$20,000 to $49,999	5 527	16	31	69	333	507	230
$50,000 to $99,999	3 271	28	46	102	621	720	147
$100,000 to $199,999	2 176	75	129	323	700	395	112
$200,000 to $499,999	1 638	167	339	454	441	92	21
$500,000 or more	557	277	151	78	50	1	–
SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT[1]							
Motortrucks, including pickups ..... farms..	20 936	571	709	1 049	2 311	1 979	663
number..	60 044	6 904	5 592	5 981	9 483	5 886	1 718
Wheel tractors ..... farms..	18 680	533	638	974	2 131	1 852	612
number..	43 547	3 594	3 114	3 754	6 209	5 032	1 542
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms..	9 113	203	231	367	843	774	284
number..	12 607	461	459	613	1 191	1 105	406
40 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms..	14 302	514	596	909	2 025	1 730	534
number..	30 940	3 133	2 655	3 141	5 018	3 927	1 136
40 to 99 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms..	11 737	380	447	691	1 440	1 355	468
number..	18 287	1 077	1 016	1 303	2 411	2 409	769
100 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms..	6 931	446	519	783	1 507	1 117	282
number..	12 653	2 056	1 639	1 838	2 607	1 518	367
Grain and bean combines ..... farms..	4 495	271	395	587	1 115	710	198
number..	5 919	449	564	841	1 524	938	236
Cotton pickers and strippers ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Mower conditioners ..... farms..	7 183	146	226	412	1 162	923	313
number..	7 911	218	309	505	1 320	963	328
Pickup balers ..... farms..	8 067	152	227	475	1 286	1 086	372
number..	9 299	223	327	629	1 537	1 290	410
AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS[1]							
Commercial fertilizer ..... farms..	11 502	456	619	946	1 909	1 525	482
acres on which used..	3 526 053	958 436	622 243	624 723	700 610	332 678	60 712
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—							
Insects on hay and other crops ..... farms..	3 626	327	394	555	894	517	121
acres on which used..	967 881	394 917	173 681	158 088	157 221	51 442	6 181
Nematodes in crops ..... farms..	793	176	169	154	145	90	10
acres on which used..	194 614	106 515	44 098	26 596	12 729	3 168	403
Diseases in crops and orchards ..... farms..	1 517	263	250	278	321	134	4
acres on which used..	461 292	244 906	90 813	63 181	50 517	6 194	(D)
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture ..... farms..	8 716	365	456	733	1 530	1 130	396
acres on which used..	2 499 076	699 573	425 790	450 326	517 454	218 958	43 835
Chemicals used on crops to control growth, thin fruit, or defoliate ..... farms..	952	144	149	173	185	117	11
acres on which used..	241 305	127 694	43 051	30 857	26 162	9 616	66

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Table 50. **Summary by Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997**—Con.

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Item	$25,000 to $39,999	$20,000 to $24,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999	$1,000 to $2,499	Less than $1,000
LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE—Con.							
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured ..... farms..	463	225	730	680	602	589	922
acres..	246 177	80 346	156 966	99 880	74 026	39 224	485 925
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. ..... farms..	841	403	1 431	1 419	1 401	1 452	1 909
acres..	25 698	11 951	27 734	21 136	12 523	10 446	53 049
Irrigated land ..... farms..	1 065	524	1 744	1 583	1 527	1 457	1 409
acres..	118 926	50 407	101 012	52 571	29 141	20 632	24 222
Harvested cropland irrigated ..... farms..	962	445	1 417	1 154	960	882	735
acres..	86 290	31 405	67 211	31 404	14 858	9 870	6 087
Pasture and other land irrigated ..... farms..	514	273	972	932	994	915	975
acres..	32 636	19 002	33 801	21 167	14 283	10 762	18 135
Land under Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs ..... farms..	159	75	211	135	87	84	818
acres..	38 745	16 318	47 301	25 179	17 059	10 066	230 598
VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS[1]							
Estimated market value of land and buildings ..... farms..	1 264	783	2 530	2 392	2 386	2 392	3 240
$1,000..	480 141	230 818	590 952	459 989	426 266	327 553	685 742
Average per farm ..... dollars..	379 858	294 787	233 578	192 303	178 653	136 937	211 649
Average per acre ..... dollars..	825	934	1 230	1 353	2 391	2 636	812
Farms by value group:							
$1 to $39,999	77	53	258	314	442	609	538
$40,000 to $69,999	27	30	260	302	331	268	386
$70,000 to $99,999	39	77	227	251	202	291	339
$100,000 to $149,999	93	87	461	340	448	417	648
$150,000 to $199,999	151	70	332	414	261	234	383
$200,000 to $499,999	559	383	739	605	539	518	737
$500,000 to $999,999	220	44	183	122	134	40	142
$1,000,000 to $1,999,999	85	37	60	42	21	15	45
$2,000,000 to $4,999,999	12	1	10	2	7	–	16
$5,000,000 or more	1	1	–	–	1	–	6
VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT[1]							
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ..... farms..	1 264	783	2 530	2 392	2 386	2 392	3 240
$1,000..	55 757	28 088	70 080	56 271	49 075	52 709	69 662
Farms by value group:							
$1 to $4,999	87	42	255	295	476	574	788
$5,000 to $9,999	137	102	369	505	442	456	607
$10,000 to $19,999	205	167	644	597	595	487	643
$20,000 to $49,999	400	299	796	720	628	635	863
$50,000 to $99,999	268	121	389	201	188	177	263
$100,000 to $199,999	138	42	62	54	50	36	60
$200,000 to $499,999	29	10	15	20	7	27	16
$500,000 or more	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT[1]							
Motortrucks, including pickups ..... farms..	1 197	739	2 317	2 185	2 176	2 178	2 862
number..	2 836	1 542	4 397	3 960	3 559	3 406	4 780
Wheel tractors ..... farms..	1 127	678	2 282	1 944	1 828	1 716	2 365
number..	2 392	1 468	4 172	3 293	2 872	2 623	3 482
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms..	456	327	1 101	1 008	1 083	1 039	1 397
number..	640	485	1 555	1 301	1 351	1 340	1 700
40 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms..	963	562	1 786	1 345	1 084	921	1 333
number..	1 752	983	2 617	1 992	1 521	1 283	1 782
40 to 99 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms..	794	472	1 583	1 160	969	858	1 120
number..	1 191	744	2 079	1 583	1 260	1 101	1 344
100 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms..	440	218	491	363	238	155	372
number..	561	239	538	409	261	182	438
Grain and bean combines ..... farms..	337	163	321	151	80	68	99
number..	383	179	366	169	87	71	112
Cotton pickers and strippers ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Mower conditioners ..... farms..	563	427	946	631	558	419	457
number..	611	470	1 012	683	568	454	470
Pickup balers ..... farms..	621	382	1 125	773	628	500	440
number..	693	446	1 221	848	670	512	493
AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS[1]							
Commercial fertilizer ..... farms..	767	410	1 254	1 027	798	729	580
acres on which used..	72 294	29 244	52 972	30 752	15 810	9 880	15 699
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—							
Insects on hay and other crops ..... farms..	176	49	220	117	105	67	84
acres on which used..	11 779	899	7 942	2 397	1 241	294	1 799
Nematodes in crops ..... farms..	7	–	9	7	9	10	7
acres on which used..	336	–	573	56	113	13	14
Diseases in crops and orchards ..... farms..	48	16	72	23	35	24	49
acres on which used..	2 594	(D)	1 536	79	139	34	796
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture ..... farms..	565	326	867	709	569	567	503
acres on which used..	46 997	19 329	34 334	15 035	8 982	6 945	11 518
Chemicals used on crops to control growth, thin fruit, or defoliate ..... farms..	27	8	44	37	21	36	–
acres on which used..	1 542	320	1 255	278	125	339	–

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Item	All farms	$1,000,000 or more	$500,000 to $999,999	$250,000 to $499,999	$100,000 to $249,999	$50,000 to $99,999	$40,000 to $49,999
TENURE AND RACE OF OPERATOR							
All operators	22 314	571	710	1 198	2 312	1 898	661
Full owners	13 875	209	201	338	774	807	359
Part owners	6 292	297	414	686	1 204	833	209
Tenants	2 147	65	95	174	334	258	93
White	21 962	558	689	1 170	2 287	1 863	649
Full owners	13 674	206	197	328	761	798	350
Part owners	6 187	288	401	673	1 195	817	208
Tenants	2 101	64	91	169	331	248	91
Black and other races	352	13	21	28	25	35	12
Full owners	201	3	4	10	13	9	9
Part owners	105	9	13	13	9	16	1
Tenants	46	1	4	5	3	10	2
OWNED AND RENTED LAND							
Land owned farms	20 264	507	616	1 028	1 989	1 656	569
acres	9 027 774	1 529 332	949 701	1 169 730	1 656 218	993 266	248 327
Owned land in farms farms	20 167	506	615	1 024	1 978	1 640	568
acres	7 897 630	1 167 018	922 432	1 053 551	1 575 605	919 318	213 036
Land rented or leased from others farms	8 535	364	513	865	1 545	1 099	305
acres	4 007 597	575 429	522 372	701 423	893 836	443 231	102 118
landlords	21 918	1 530	2 373	3 280	5 010	2 426	604
Rented or leased land in farms farms	8 439	362	509	860	1 538	1 091	302
acres	3 932 537	566 703	518 176	693 873	878 011	438 244	100 915
Land rented or leased to others farms	3 433	126	105	167	330	279	121
acres	1 205 204	371 040	31 465	123 729	96 438	78 935	36 494
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS							
Operators by place of residence:							
On farm operated	17 068	371	490	903	1 795	1 450	492
Not on farm operated	3 801	118	135	196	371	383	142
Not reported	1 445	82	85	99	146	65	27
Operators by principal occupation:							
Farming	12 049	543	678	1 142	2 116	1 529	490
Other	10 265	28	32	56	196	369	171
Operators by days worked off farm:							
None	8 856	435	542	853	1 471	1 021	281
Any	12 230	70	90	250	685	779	330
1 to 99 days	2 264	37	51	162	378	276	104
100 to 199 days	2 081	12	17	41	136	192	86
200 days or more	7 885	21	22	47	171	311	140
Not reported	1 228	66	78	95	156	98	50
Operators by years on present farm:							
2 years or less	1 269	13	30	31	82	99	57
3 or 4 years	1 752	25	29	54	95	111	44
5 to 9 years	3 592	62	48	114	255	261	80
10 years or more	12 603	359	480	839	1 586	1 243	417
Average years on present farm	18.7	20.2	22.0	21.4	21.8	21.4	21.2
Not reported	3 098	112	123	160	294	184	63
Operators by age group:							
Under 25 years	236	1	4	7	24	36	19
25 to 34 years	1 362	36	41	79	175	136	45
35 to 44 years	4 986	179	206	355	591	409	125
45 to 49 years	2 971	92	124	192	369	243	53
50 to 54 years	2 879	86	98	148	305	252	88
55 to 59 years	2 640	67	75	148	237	221	73
60 to 64 years	2 264	46	70	107	239	187	82
65 to 69 years	1 855	29	46	70	132	184	70
70 years and over	3 121	35	46	92	240	230	106
Average age	53.2	49.6	50.2	50.3	51.0	52.5	54.0
Operators by sex:							
Male	20 565	562	696	1 165	2 242	1 824	609
Female	1 749	9	14	33	70	74	52
Operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin (see text)	328	17	15	21	29	32	13
FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION							
Individual or family (sole proprietorship) farms	18 631	211	346	729	1 689	1 529	563
acres	6 226 860	421 554	445 907	774 191	1 468 527	952 638	255 808
Partnership farms	1 956	170	174	194	296	201	54
acres	2 302 246	461 845	425 989	408 566	451 867	208 662	41 140
Corporation:							
Family held farms	1 351	164	182	247	284	135	32
acres	2 222 151	587 940	411 952	433 067	478 991	165 437	9 424
More than 10 stockholders farms	41	13	5	6	6	6	–
10 or less stockholders farms	1 310	151	177	241	278	129	32
Other than family held farms	108	22	2	17	21	12	3
acres	121 513	(D)	(D)	55 489	13 971	3 718	1 290
More than 10 stockholders farms	24	5	–	4	5	2	2
10 or less stockholders farms	84	17	2	13	16	10	1
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. farms	268	4	6	11	22	21	9
acres	957 397	(D)	(D)	76 111	40 260	27 107	6 289

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TENURE AND RACE OF OPERATOR							
All operators	1 407	727	2 455	2 362	2 350	2 420	3 243
Full owners	832	445	1 634	1 751	1 769	1 986	2 770
Part owners	423	191	581	428	412	278	336
Tenants	152	91	240	183	169	156	137
White	1 392	718	2 421	2 313	2 321	2 383	3 198
Full owners	823	439	1 612	1 722	1 748	1 958	2 732
Part owners	418	188	572	415	407	272	333
Tenants	151	91	237	176	166	153	133
Black and other races	15	9	34	49	29	37	45
Full owners	9	6	22	29	21	28	38
Part owners	5	3	9	13	5	6	3
Tenants	1	–	3	7	3	3	4
OWNED AND RENTED LAND							
Land owned farms	1 262	641	2 233	2 186	2 187	2 272	3 118
acres	461 718	172 796	438 084	275 647	185 809	128 117	819 029
Owned land in farms farms	1 255	636	2 215	2 179	2 181	2 264	3 106
acres	418 243	148 765	359 257	226 061	159 549	99 931	634 864
Land rented or leased from others farms	581	283	840	621	586	441	492
acres	173 010	77 274	139 338	74 210	46 985	25 407	232 964
landlords	1 184	529	1 594	1 099	957	601	731
Rented or leased land in farms farms	575	282	821	611	581	434	473
acres	165 898	70 582	134 838	70 400	44 103	22 459	228 335
Land rented or leased to others farms	209	128	438	382	277	298	573
acres	50 587	30 723	83 327	53 396	29 142	31 134	188 794
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS							
Operators by place of residence:							
On farm operated	1 086	528	1 904	1 896	1 954	1 979	2 220
Not on farm operated	247	166	455	343	283	297	665
Not reported	74	33	96	123	113	144	358
Operators by principal occupation:							
Farming	909	423	1 182	909	721	572	835
Other	498	304	1 273	1 453	1 629	1 848	2 408
Operators by days worked off farm:							
None	569	271	744	673	578	543	875
Any	773	416	1 606	1 574	1 662	1 808	2 187
1 to 99 days	203	64	256	177	176	174	206
100 to 199 days	152	88	299	271	222	242	323
200 days or more	418	264	1 051	1 126	1 264	1 392	1 658
Not reported	65	40	105	115	110	69	181
Operators by years on present farm:							
2 years or less	64	45	124	179	158	183	204
3 or 4 years	103	56	210	218	245	297	265
5 to 9 years	190	133	437	474	454	536	548
10 years or more	870	406	1 422	1 188	1 181	1 062	1 550
Average years on present farm	21.0	19.5	18.9	17.2	15.9	14.3	17.1
Not reported	180	87	262	303	312	342	676
Operators by age group:							
Under 25 years	18	9	28	26	28	21	15
25 to 34 years	78	40	136	140	137	166	153
35 to 44 years	282	130	481	454	489	605	680
45 to 49 years	159	84	304	301	294	331	425
50 to 54 years	194	87	302	291	308	321	399
55 to 59 years	161	97	302	278	305	272	404
60 to 64 years	138	78	263	280	248	205	321
65 to 69 years	135	76	249	213	201	187	263
70 years and over	242	126	390	379	340	312	583
Average age	54.5	55.2	54.4	54.4	53.8	52.3	55.0
Operators by sex:							
Male	1 313	674	2 287	2 159	2 138	2 111	2 785
Female	94	53	168	203	212	309	458
Operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin (see text)	21	6	36	39	28	36	35
FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION							
Individual or family (sole proprietorship) farms	1 192	624	2 216	2 169	2 211	2 281	2 871
acres	462 368	175 094	420 521	246 894	163 222	102 371	337 765
Partnership farms	144	67	157	123	100	97	179
acres	82 799	27 169	43 068	24 237	23 345	10 620	92 939
Corporation:							
Family held farms	57	21	54	50	21	18	86
acres	32 250	7 160	23 248	18 880	2 777	1 304	49 721
More than 10 stockholders farms	–	–	2	1	–	–	2
10 or less stockholders farms	57	21	52	49	21	18	84
Other than family held farms	1	4	4	2	3	6	11
acres	(D)	2 206	2 037	(D)	(D)	(D)	3 179
More than 10 stockholders farms	1	2	–	1	–	1	1
10 or less stockholders farms	–	2	4	1	3	5	10
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. farms	13	11	24	18	15	18	96
acres	(D)	7 718	5 221	(D)	(D)	(D)	379 595

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Item	All farms	$1,000,000 or more	$500,000 to $999,999	$250,000 to $499,999	$100,000 to $249,999	$50,000 to $99,999	$40,000 to $49,999
INJURIES AND DEATHS							
Farm-related injuries:							
Operator and family members ..... farms..	280	23	16	27	46	35	4
number..	317	24	21	32	52	39	4
Hired workers ..... farms..	446	137	85	90	75	16	11
number..	723	314	128	112	96	17	13
Farm-related deaths:							
Operator and family members ..... farms..	6	–	–	1	–	1	–
number..	6	–	–	(D)	–	(D)	–
Hired workers ..... farms..	4	1	2	–	1	–	–
number..	5	(D)	(D)	–	(D)	–	–
FARMS BY SIZE							
1 to 9 acres	3 092	9	7	24	44	64	28
10 to 49 acres	5 621	29	38	50	77	94	51
50 to 69 acres	1 006	10	9	6	16	35	13
70 to 99 acres	1 406	21	9	13	61	84	54
100 to 139 acres	1 159	18	9	22	58	104	70
140 to 179 acres	1 186	12	12	21	102	194	69
180 to 219 acres	786	2	9	26	99	161	45
220 to 259 acres	695	16	8	15	126	134	41
260 to 499 acres	2 331	38	47	220	569	337	121
500 to 999 acres	2 199	45	199	373	487	293	81
1,000 to 1,999 acres	1 582	133	201	203	378	238	65
2,000 acres or more	1 251	238	162	225	295	160	23
FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM							
Oilseed and grain farming (1111)	3 925	18	71	255	690	575	183
Vegetable and melon farming (1112)	980	190	189	195	187	69	17
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113)	271	5	2	6	12	21	7
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114)	444	10	15	28	42	33	11
Other crop farming (1119)	4 746	130	222	372	542	411	143
Tobacco farming (11191)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton farming (11192)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199)	4 746	130	222	372	542	411	143
Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111)	7 697	33	60	147	468	574	250
Cattle feedlots (112112)	443	30	6	11	31	21	6
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212)	926	138	120	167	275	136	16
Hog and pig farming (1122)	180	–	1	1	4	11	3
Poultry and egg production (1123)	84	3	–	–	5	4	1
Sheep and goat farming (1124)	465	8	8	9	15	9	7
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129)	2 153	6	16	7	41	34	17
LIVESTOCK							
Cattle and calves inventory ..... farms..	12 063	283	302	576	1 321	1 166	419
number..	1 908 097	671 319	175 152	210 859	329 211	188 182	46 465
Farms with—							
1 to 9	2 414	3	8	18	46	52	20
10 to 49	4 485	10	24	71	156	193	92
50 to 99	1 750	4	16	36	199	236	109
100 to 199	1 419	20	21	87	341	301	128
200 to 499	1 305	32	105	233	402	357	68
500 or more	690	214	128	131	177	27	2
Cows and heifers that had calved ..... farms..	9 375	230	259	489	1 136	988	350
number..	821 530	201 030	89 843	103 531	165 524	97 490	23 994
Beef cows ..... farms..	8 405	95	137	346	907	874	333
number..	555 676	33 527	50 701	76 154	142 471	91 416	23 384
Farms with—							
1 to 9	2 347	2	4	33	53	55	37
10 to 49	3 463	16	29	82	231	227	98
50 to 99	1 067	16	15	54	138	170	99
100 to 199	818	21	28	45	188	278	88
200 to 499	563	16	26	83	258	144	11
500 or more	147	24	35	49	39	–	–
Milk cows ..... farms..	1 404	149	134	184	307	169	38
number..	265 854	167 503	39 142	27 377	23 053	6 074	610
Farms with—							
1 to 4	375	–	2	4	12	19	14
5 to 9	38	–	–	–	3	2	2
10 to 49	250	1	1	5	40	115	21
50 to 99	236	–	1	18	184	31	1
100 to 199	206	4	16	118	66	2	–
200 to 499	172	26	105	39	2	–	–
500 or more	127	118	9	–	–	–	–
Heifers and heifer calves ..... farms..	9 102	241	253	497	1 125	982	327
number..	551 508	213 945	49 752	64 195	92 396	49 478	10 454
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves ..... farms..	10 110	218	246	483	1 133	1 006	375
number..	535 059	256 344	35 557	43 133	71 291	41 214	12 017

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Table 50. **Summary by Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997**—Con.

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Item	$25,000 to $39,999	$20,000 to $24,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999	$1,000 to $2,499	Less than $1,000
INJURIES AND DEATHS							
Farm-related injuries:							
Operator and family members ..... farms..	22	3	29	20	15	21	19
number..	26	3	31	22	16	24	23
Hired workers ..... farms..	4	9	7	4	4	4	–
number..	6	15	7	4	6	5	–
Farm-related deaths:							
Operator and family members ..... farms..	1	1	1	1	–	–	–
number..	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	–	–	–
Hired workers ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
FARMS BY SIZE							
1 to 9 acres	66	36	181	356	532	904	841
10 to 49 acres	126	124	708	981	1 117	1 070	1 156
50 to 69 acres	75	48	250	176	133	90	145
70 to 99 acres	196	104	287	192	145	103	137
100 to 139 acres	156	72	188	153	110	67	132
140 to 179 acres	143	53	158	113	96	54	159
180 to 219 acres	75	44	111	58	45	27	84
220 to 259 acres	72	29	84	53	27	19	71
260 to 499 acres	189	80	230	150	82	52	216
500 to 999 acres	170	82	175	93	36	19	146
1,000 to 1,999 acres	91	44	64	28	19	11	107
2,000 acres or more	48	11	19	9	8	4	49
FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM							
Oilseed and grain farming (1111)	335	155	379	243	145	114	762
Vegetable and melon farming (1112)	18	11	22	24	28	21	9
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113)	16	6	24	22	15	34	101
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114)	32	12	68	43	44	87	19
Other crop farming (1119)	334	149	554	514	461	562	352
Tobacco farming (11191)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton farming (11192)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199)	334	149	554	514	461	562	352
Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111)	556	335	1 152	1 168	1 176	995	783
Cattle feedlots (112112)	16	13	44	50	89	105	21
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212)	37	8	21	4	2	1	1
Hog and pig farming (1122)	9	2	20	36	26	27	40
Poultry and egg production (1123)	4	–	5	8	5	11	38
Sheep and goat farming (1124)	16	8	38	49	79	131	88
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129)	34	28	128	201	280	332	1 029
LIVESTOCK							
Cattle and calves inventory ..... farms..	904	483	1 581	1 499	1 384	1 202	943
number..	76 899	34 097	80 313	44 047	26 263	16 243	9 047
Farms with—							
1 to 9	61	37	126	223	411	671	738
10 to 49	268	165	847	1 072	899	498	190
50 to 99	269	163	454	170	61	21	12
100 to 199	249	101	123	28	12	7	1
200 to 499	55	16	28	4	1	3	1
500 or more	2	1	3	2	–	2	1
Cows and heifers that had calved ..... farms..	736	393	1 259	1 138	1 005	783	609
number..	38 115	18 222	40 018	21 509	11 929	7 069	3 256
Beef cows ..... farms..	690	383	1 231	1 119	973	748	569
number..	37 112	18 050	39 635	21 338	11 760	6 982	3 146
Farms with—							
1 to 9	77	39	192	332	469	565	489
10 to 49	285	191	835	737	487	168	77
50 to 99	228	116	170	41	8	10	2
100 to 199	92	34	27	6	9	1	1
200 to 499	8	3	7	3	–	4	–
500 or more	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Milk cows ..... farms..	71	24	71	67	72	55	63
number..	1 003	172	383	171	169	87	110
Farms with—							
1 to 4	30	14	46	58	65	52	59
5 to 9	1	1	9	6	7	3	4
10 to 49	39	9	16	3	–	–	–
50 to 99	1	–	–	–	–	–	–
100 to 199	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
200 to 499	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
500 or more	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Heifers and heifer calves ..... farms..	711	376	1 214	1 102	967	732	575
number..	19 885	7 911	19 244	10 579	6 745	4 314	2 610
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves ..... farms..	782	420	1 349	1 250	1 155	972	721
number..	18 899	7 964	21 051	11 959	7 589	4 860	3 181

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Table 50. **Summary by Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997**—Con.

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Item	All farms	$1,000,000 or more	$500,000 to $999,999	$250,000 to $499,999	$100,000 to $249,999	$50,000 to $99,999	$40,000 to $49,999
LIVESTOCK—Con.							
Cattle and calves sold ..... farms..	11 684	290	300	581	1 331	1 185	420
number..	1 578 375	906 846	98 610	127 556	175 082	99 808	26 787
$1,000..	910 805	597 667	50 840	63 155	83 973	45 304	11 456
Calves ..... farms..	4 519	138	132	205	469	391	152
number..	240 292	80 654	20 722	27 445	33 073	22 197	8 394
$1,000..	59 093	14 221	5 706	7 229	10 109	6 775	2 463
Cattle ..... farms..	9 902	251	266	528	1 178	1 032	365
number..	1 338 083	826 192	77 888	100 111	142 009	77 611	18 393
$1,000..	851 712	583 446	45 134	55 926	73 863	38 529	8 993
Fattened on grain and concentrates .... farms..	984	46	26	49	99	78	22
number..	632 606	603 143	8 073	7 244	7 484	2 432	457
$1,000..	473 467	453 310	5 778	5 030	5 021	1 567	321
Hogs and pigs inventory ..... farms..	714	3	11	15	49	43	18
number..	29 026	26	6 628	2 044	5 864	5 027	808
Farms with—							
1 to 24	588	3	5	11	30	28	12
25 to 49	49	–	1	–	3	3	–
50 to 99	21	–	–	1	5	–	2
100 to 199	25	–	–	–	3	3	4
200 to 499	20	–	2	2	5	5	–
500 or more	11	–	3	1	3	4	–
Used or to be used for breeding ..... farms..	290	–	3	6	21	26	11
number..	4 456	–	880	246	823	698	103
Other ..... farms..	653	3	11	14	45	41	18
number..	24 570	26	5 748	1 798	5 041	4 329	705
Hogs and pigs sold..... farms..	573	2	12	9	36	41	18
number..	44 626	(D)	8 881	3 690	9 415	8 507	1 203
$1,000..	4 473	(D)	1 061	387	970	710	(D)
Feeder pigs ..... farms..	90	–	1	3	5	11	1
number..	9 305	–	(D)	60	1 853	3 274	(D)
$1,000..	345	–	(D)	2	72	127	(D)
Litters of pigs farrowed between—							
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30 .... farms..	309	–	3	6	22	28	12
number..	5 892	–	1 356	408	1 323	920	147
Dec. 1 and May 31..... farms..	274	–	3	6	22	23	11
number..	3 112	–	725	209	768	437	(D)
June 1 and Nov. 30 ..... farms..	240	–	3	6	17	25	11
number..	2 780	–	631	199	555	483	(D)
Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory..... farms..	1 097	12	17	37	66	68	28
number..	273 804	85 135	63 745	49 885	31 220	9 384	3 257
Ewes 1 year old or older ..... farms..	940	12	16	35	62	67	25
number..	212 487	64 735	53 675	37 056	25 808	7 321	2 613
Sheep and lambs sold..... farms..	1 035	12	17	39	61	66	32
number..	291 435	111 425	61 455	48 038	28 948	10 672	4 702
Sheep and lambs shorn ..... farms..	881	12	15	34	57	65	25
number..	240 028	77 845	50 849	44 798	30 385	9 474	3 357
pounds of wool..	2 260 626	745 355	516 832	385 885	287 163	91 892	31 010
Horses and ponies inventory ..... farms..	8 682	127	157	315	721	653	231
number..	59 559	2 001	1 438	3 319	5 720	4 327	1 724
Horses and ponies sold..... farms..	1 783	26	25	35	106	105	46
number..	6 196	118	57	440	951	674	254
Goats inventory ..... farms..	657	2	4	9	22	13	10
number..	6 269	(D)	(D)	63	162	65	193
Goats sold ..... farms..	213	–	–	–	3	3	4
number..	2 492	–	–	–	(D)	(D)	123
POULTRY							
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text) ..... farms..	886	3	5	10	25	34	13
number..	(D)	(D)	(D)	178	(D)	512	269
Farms with—							
1 to 399	882	–	5	10	24	34	13
400 to 3,199	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999.....	1	–	–	–	1	–	–
10,000 to 19,999	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 or more	2	2	–	–	–	–	–
Layers 20 weeks old and older ..... farms..	865	3	5	10	25	33	13
number..	922 612	904 707	(D)	178	(D)	440	269
Pullets 13 weeks old and older but less than 20 weeks old ..... farms..	155	2	1	–	2	7	–
number..	(D)	(D)	(D)	–	(D)	72	–
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold (see text)..... farms..	76	2	–	–	1	3	3
number..	404 434	(D)	–	–	(D)	(D)	52
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold .. farms..	55	–	–	1	4	3	–
number..	6 043	–	–	(D)	(D)	(D)	–
Farms with—							
1 to 1,999.....	54	–	–	1	3	3	–
2,000 to 59,999.....	1	–	–	–	1	–	–
60,000 to 99,999	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 or more	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens kept for breeding ..... farms..	64	–	–	–	–	5	–
number..	313	–	–	–	–	(D)	–
Turkeys sold ..... farms..	40	–	1	1	1	–	–
number..	400	–	(D)	(D)	(D)	–	–

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Item	$25,000 to $39,999	$20,000 to $24,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999	$1,000 to $2,499	Less than $1,000
LIVESTOCK—Con.							
Cattle and calves sold ..... farms..	911	493	1 608	1 521	1 425	1 191	428
number..	43 505	17 899	41 801	22 238	11 954	5 285	1 004
$1,000..	18 293	7 687	17 112	8 772	4 439	1 852	256
Calves ..... farms..	319	188	618	618	630	459	200
number..	12 794	5 278	13 683	7 881	5 104	2 400	667
$1,000..	3 420	1 700	3 658	1 998	1 215	493	106
Cattle ..... farms..	804	428	1 397	1 286	1 171	938	258
number..	30 711	12 621	28 118	14 357	6 850	2 885	337
$1,000..	14 873	5 987	13 453	6 774	3 224	1 358	150
Fattened on grain and concentrates .... farms..	59	30	104	140	168	141	22
number..	784	497	994	679	517	278	24
$1,000..	529	315	635	439	336	173	14
Hogs and pigs inventory ..... farms..	50	20	83	115	98	113	96
number..	2 391	439	1 583	2 304	898	601	413
Farms with—							
1 to 24	30	18	67	87	90	112	95
25 to 49	9	–	8	17	6	1	1
50 to 99	3	–	3	6	1	–	–
100 to 199	4	1	5	4	1	–	–
200 to 499	4	1	–	1	–	–	–
500 or more	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Used or to be used for breeding ..... farms..	21	8	40	67	37	30	20
number..	331	91	364	613	176	74	57
Other ..... farms..	43	18	74	94	90	109	93
number..	2 060	348	1 219	1 691	722	527	356
Hogs and pigs sold..... farms..	46	18	70	101	82	87	51
number..	3 303	(D)	3 159	3 346	1 193	578	151
$1,000..	349	63	305	288	110	65	17
Feeder pigs ..... farms..	7	3	10	21	17	5	6
number..	279	(D)	767	1 398	537	120	38
$1,000..	12	(D)	34	47	20	5	1
Litters of pigs farrowed between—							
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30 .... farms..	22	9	42	73	39	31	22
number..	333	135	360	602	188	69	51
Dec. 1 and May 31..... farms..	21	8	38	68	36	24	14
number..	159	(D)	182	317	105	31	20
June 1 and Nov. 30 ..... farms..	18	4	34	58	25	22	17
number..	174	(D)	178	285	83	38	31
Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory..... farms..	76	31	134	162	167	205	94
number..	5 704	3 596	7 134	5 530	4 412	3 458	1 344
Ewes 1 year old or older ..... farms..	71	28	116	136	140	167	65
number..	4 724	2 641	4 946	3 570	2 713	1 992	693
Sheep and lambs sold..... farms..	73	31	125	152	159	186	82
number..	6 595	2 224	6 126	4 716	3 282	2 687	565
Sheep and lambs shorn ..... farms..	75	27	111	121	128	148	63
number..	5 798	1 674	5 305	4 056	3 215	2 422	850
pounds of wool..	53 802	14 868	45 504	35 578	25 521	20 631	6 585
Horses and ponies inventory ..... farms..	499	301	980	1 007	1 019	1 047	1 625
number..	3 876	2 930	6 717	6 919	5 340	5 356	9 892
Horses and ponies sold..... farms..	103	58	226	306	338	324	85
number..	375	285	871	883	662	523	103
Goats inventory ..... farms..	30	15	74	92	94	134	158
number..	567	188	953	1 273	635	1 122	1 013
Goats sold ..... farms..	9	5	34	29	30	60	36
number..	266	58	379	343	431	463	251
POULTRY							
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text) ..... farms..	45	19	88	113	144	191	196
number..	897	511	1 938	2 045	2 919	3 529	3 241
Farms with—							
1 to 399	45	19	88	113	144	191	196
400 to 3,199	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999.....	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
10,000 to 19,999	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 or more	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Layers 20 weeks old and older ..... farms..	45	17	84	110	142	184	194
number..	845	350	1 696	1 632	2 636	2 931	2 933
Pullets 13 weeks old and older but less than 20 weeks old ..... farms..	6	8	17	26	19	40	27
number..	52	161	242	413	283	598	308
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold (see text)..... farms..	1	2	9	9	11	25	10
number..	(D)	(D)	304	309	250	380	114
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold .. farms..	6	1	11	8	5	10	6
number..	160	(D)	788	1 591	248	233	164
Farms with—							
1 to 1,999.....	6	1	11	8	5	10	6
2,000 to 59,999.....	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
60,000 to 99,999	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 or more	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens kept for breeding ..... farms..	1	–	9	10	12	16	11
number..	(D)	–	162	32	21	48	41
Turkeys sold ..... farms..	2	1	7	5	5	11	6
number..	(D)	(D)	39	115	(D)	55	(D)

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Table 50. **Summary by Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997**—Con.

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Item	All farms	$1,000,000 or more	$500,000 to $999,999	$250,000 to $499,999	$100,000 to $249,999	$50,000 to $99,999	$40,000 to $49,999
SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED							
Corn for grain or seed ..... farms..	694	45	46	86	171	126	34
acres..	41 162	11 227	5 976	5 867	8 800	4 651	1 111
bushels..	6 390 279	1 869 639	941 437	924 528	1 354 057	688 586	166 882
Irrigated ..... farms..	694	45	46	86	171	126	34
acres..	41 162	11 227	5 976	5 867	8 800	4 651	1 111
Corn for silage or green chop..... farms..	1 041	128	102	158	262	166	39
acres..	79 086	27 785	10 110	13 730	15 051	6 654	1 309
tons, green..	1 991 808	720 985	256 140	341 419	397 157	152 420	27 574
Irrigated ..... farms..	1 041	128	102	158	262	166	39
acres..	79 086	27 785	10 110	13 730	15 051	6 654	1 309
Wheat for grain ..... farms..	5 199	339	465	767	1 281	803	219
acres..	1 410 978	346 187	249 839	285 089	319 633	118 868	22 994
bushels..	108 941 849	33 268 503	21 590 205	20 993 744	20 843 495	6 921 100	1 326 922
Irrigated ..... farms..	3 852	331	417	601	898	547	151
acres..	787 355	302 545	165 480	126 010	111 575	40 389	9 541
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres	766	4	3	18	76	90	33
25 to 99 acres	1 723	12	50	149	443	347	110
100 to 249 acres.....	1 176	36	113	268	335	224	58
250 to 499 acres.....	716	67	135	135	243	96	13
500 acres or more	818	220	164	197	184	46	5
Barley for grain ..... farms..	4 178	194	288	547	1 033	687	211
acres..	711 504	122 814	103 595	158 411	185 191	75 941	15 424
bushels..	54 317 070	11 561 702	9 176 662	12 237 282	12 491 354	4 768 365	1 019 951
Irrigated ..... farms..	3 098	186	253	412	714	483	150
acres..	415 100	105 860	73 772	81 169	81 807	35 997	8 172
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres	893	6	8	33	127	118	60
25 to 99 acres	1 613	33	59	155	368	324	101
100 to 249 acres.....	933	40	84	173	322	178	42
250 to 499 acres.....	418	40	73	100	141	47	8
500 acres or more	321	75	64	86	75	20	–
Oats for grain ..... farms..	549	10	11	36	118	98	41
acres..	20 406	789	1 256	1 931	5 850	4 559	1 408
bushels..	1 472 775	93 919	121 193	164 124	400 206	307 088	90 505
Irrigated ..... farms..	309	9	6	23	55	58	24
acres..	8 316	779	136	602	2 303	1 713	784
Dry edible beans, excluding dry limas ..... farms..	1 138	43	93	164	353	230	50
acres..	92 743	9 321	14 656	18 736	31 064	11 983	1 639
cwt..	2 036 315	214 233	318 005	418 661	693 394	245 704	35 859
Irrigated ..... farms..	1 093	42	88	157	334	221	48
acres..	86 742	9 161	13 565	17 524	28 551	11 105	1 572
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres	238	3	8	11	39	42	20
25 to 99 acres	602	10	32	82	196	164	29
100 to 249 acres.....	237	18	35	52	106	24	1
250 to 499 acres.....	53	6	16	19	12	–	–
500 acres or more	8	6	2	–	–	–	–
Potatoes, excluding sweetpotatoes..... farms..	1 402	314	312	315	281	87	17
acres..	394 977	238 316	82 523	45 858	22 989	3 736	590
cwt..	135 578 736	85 061 023	28 082 590	14 545 348	6 522 731	1 031 598	146 286
Irrigated ..... farms..	1 402	314	312	315	281	87	17
acres..	394 817	238 156	82 523	45 858	22 989	3 736	590
Farms by acres harvested:							
0.1 to 4.9 acres.....	45	–	–	–	6	1	1
5.0 to 24.9 acres.....	83	1	1	7	22	18	6
25.0 to 99.9 acres	403	15	42	89	177	62	9
100.0 to 249.9 acres	403	34	106	183	71	6	1
250.0 acres or more.....	468	264	163	36	5	–	–
Sugar beets for sugar ..... farms..	921	146	181	252	214	62	14
acres..	195 651	87 534	48 519	37 225	18 130	2 862	500
tons..	5 078 013	2 335 222	1 265 971	929 070	448 986	63 771	12 981
Irrigated ..... farms..	921	146	181	252	214	62	14
acres..	195 651	87 534	48 519	37 225	18 130	2 862	500
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) ... farms..	11 960	297	376	719	1 583	1 324	459
acres..	1 260 010	155 953	132 965	177 565	282 021	175 747	49 590
tons, dry..	4 395 396	765 743	550 249	689 207	970 837	562 672	141 836
Irrigated ..... farms..	9 307	288	347	628	1 318	1 099	377
acres..	949 485	143 201	118 148	142 772	218 592	124 613	33 463
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres	4 364	16	26	66	139	143	71
25 to 99 acres	4 175	46	72	197	540	532	190
100 to 249 acres.....	2 192	80	130	215	536	464	157
250 to 499 acres.....	813	65	74	142	257	154	36
500 acres or more	416	90	74	99	111	31	5
Alfalfa hay ..... farms..	10 001	259	342	668	1 450	1 196	415
acres..	946 882	128 850	102 727	142 845	213 873	129 866	35 920
tons, dry..	3 721 968	669 112	482 370	607 366	819 918	467 175	115 263
Irrigated ..... farms..	8 306	251	323	602	1 234	1 014	342
acres..	753 313	121 878	95 461	117 278	166 554	96 211	25 163

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Table 50. **Summary by Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997**—Con.

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

Item	$25,000 to $39,999	$20,000 to $24,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999	$1,000 to $2,499	Less than $1,000
SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED							
Corn for grain or seed ..... farms..	79	22	40	18	12	12	3
acres..	2 048	411	697	189	103	56	26
bushels..	276 436	53 213	82 679	17 199	9 035	5 848	740
Irrigated ..... farms..	79	22	40	18	12	12	3
acres..	2 048	411	697	189	103	56	26
Corn for silage or green chop..... farms..	65	21	48	28	13	3	8
acres..	1 958	606	1 047	537	113	(D)	(D)
tons, green..	43 704	11 423	22 861	12 661	2 496	347	2 621
Irrigated ..... farms..	65	21	48	28	13	3	8
acres..	1 958	606	1 047	537	113	(D)	(D)
Wheat for grain ..... farms..	414	168	368	204	95	60	16
acres..	31 426	11 251	16 974	6 039	1 802	712	164
bushels..	1 911 061	652 644	957 503	353 748	86 003	33 683	3 238
Irrigated ..... farms..	283	111	248	152	57	42	14
acres..	14 135	4 672	7 842	3 658	930	430	148
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres	122	41	123	115	70	55	16
25 to 99 acres	192	96	214	80	25	5	–
100 to 249 acres.....	78	27	28	9	–	–	–
250 to 499 acres.....	22	2	3	–	–	–	–
500 acres or more	–	2	–	–	–	–	–
Barley for grain ..... farms..	373	147	350	175	87	65	21
acres..	22 631	7 830	11 897	4 445	2 194	993	138
bushels..	1 442 387	449 683	771 624	253 247	90 820	48 241	5 752
Irrigated ..... farms..	284	105	260	128	63	42	18
acres..	12 411	3 809	7 661	2 745	998	574	125
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres	90	39	170	105	62	54	21
25 to 99 acres	217	90	166	68	21	11	–
100 to 249 acres.....	60	15	14	2	3	–	–
250 to 499 acres.....	6	2	–	–	1	–	–
500 acres or more	–	1	–	–	–	–	–
Oats for grain ..... farms..	55	28	61	41	24	15	11
acres..	1 283	637	1 420	694	249	224	106
bushels..	81 265	42 498	104 792	40 378	13 682	8 403	4 722
Irrigated ..... farms..	32	16	38	22	12	8	6
acres..	451	233	773	244	137	127	34
Dry edible beans, excluding dry limas ..... farms..	92	36	56	8	5	7	1
acres..	3 150	921	1 114	82	43	(D)	(D)
cwt..	65 319	20 528	21 475	1 769	791	(D)	(D)
Irrigated ..... farms..	91	36	56	8	5	7	–
acres..	3 076	921	1 114	82	43	28	–
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres	35	18	41	8	5	7	1
25 to 99 acres	56	18	15	–	–	–	–
100 to 249 acres.....	1	–	–	–	–	–	–
250 to 499 acres.....	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
500 acres or more	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Potatoes, excluding sweetpotatoes..... farms..	19	8	11	12	10	15	1
acres..	354	383	117	49	31	(D)	(D)
cwt..	103 257	48 384	23 363	5 983	4 903	(D)	(D)
Irrigated ..... farms..	19	8	11	12	10	15	1
acres..	354	383	117	49	31	(D)	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:							
0.1 to 4.9 acres.....	2	1	4	8	8	13	1
5.0 to 24.9 acres.....	11	3	6	4	2	2	–
25.0 to 99.9 acres	6	2	1	–	–	–	–
100.0 to 249.9 acres	–	2	–	–	–	–	–
250.0 acres or more.....	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sugar beets for sugar ..... farms..	25	3	14	4	3	3	–
acres..	588	69	178	26	14	6	–
tons..	14 472	1 765	4 613	700	348	114	–
Irrigated ..... farms..	25	3	14	4	3	3	–
acres..	588	69	178	26	14	6	–
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) ... farms..	934	452	1 448	1 243	1 141	1 044	940
acres..	80 912	32 511	77 126	42 085	25 703	16 583	11 249
tons, dry..	228 433	87 647	197 593	95 944	53 811	33 514	17 910
Irrigated ..... farms..	758	355	1 126	938	791	694	588
acres..	50 844	20 012	47 970	23 721	12 407	8 457	5 285
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres	137	97	472	648	813	889	847
25 to 99 acres	514	253	767	529	304	142	89
100 to 249 acres.....	237	83	191	62	21	12	4
250 to 499 acres.....	41	18	18	4	3	1	–
500 acres or more	5	1	–	–	–	–	–
Alfalfa hay ..... farms..	831	396	1 231	1 035	863	706	609
acres..	59 019	22 342	51 474	29 113	15 540	9 312	6 001
tons, dry..	186 827	70 141	155 321	75 475	38 583	22 567	11 850
Irrigated ..... farms..	712	328	1 014	831	663	540	452
acres..	41 555	15 126	36 340	18 633	9 364	5 984	3 766

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 50. **Summary by Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997**—Con.

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

Item		All farms	$1,000,000 or more	$500,000 to $999,999	$250,000 to $499,999	$100,000 to $249,999	$50,000 to $99,999	$40,000 to $49,999
SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED—Con.								
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)	farms	645	40	59	109	149	86	15
	acres	37 783	8 188	8 163	9 355	7 653	2 692	364
Irrigated	farms	632	40	55	108	148	86	13
	acres	34 764	8 188	5 647	9 052	7 533	2 692	309
Farms by acres harvested:								
0.1 to 4.9 acres		136	3	1	2	7	4	3
5.0 to 24.9 acres		152	4	5	8	32	39	5
25.0 to 99.9 acres		256	6	24	74	92	41	7
100.0 to 249.9 acres		77	17	23	19	16	2	–
250.0 acres or more		24	10	6	6	2	–	–
Green peas, excluding green cowpeas, harvested for sale	farms	67	2	8	9	16	6	2
	acres	4 295	(D)	2 580	659	722	124	(D)
Irrigated	farms	58	2	4	8	15	6	1
	acres	1 303	(D)	64	360	602	124	(D)
Sweet corn harvested for sale	farms	361	14	16	52	95	63	12
	acres	18 002	3 927	1 782	4 862	4 578	1 671	293
Irrigated	farms	361	14	16	52	95	63	12
	acres	18 002	3 927	1 782	4 862	4 578	1 671	293
Field seed and grass seed crops	farms	590	24	74	138	163	82	11
	acres	81 635	7 244	19 220	26 019	19 769	5 310	619
Irrigated	farms	388	22	58	80	94	54	8
	acres	43 426	5 637	12 634	9 735	11 332	2 124	474
Land in orchards	farms	377	9	6	12	16	25	10
	acres	9 903	4 339	561	739	1 056	944	194
Irrigated	farms	335	9	5	12	16	25	10
	acres	9 553	4 339	(D)	739	1 056	942	193
Farms by bearing and nonbearing acres:								
0.1 to 4.9 acres		208	–	1	3	–	3	3
5.0 to 24.9 acres		94	–	2	2	3	7	3
25.0 to 99.9 acres		60	3	–	4	10	15	4
100.0 to 249.9 acres		10	1	3	3	3	–	–
250.0 acres or more		5	5	–	–	–	–	–

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Table 50. **Summary by Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997**—Con.

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

Item		$25,000 to $39,999	$20,000 to $24,999	$10,000 to $19,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999	$1,000 to $2,499	Less than $1,000
SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED—Con.								
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)	farms	26	17	32	30	34	32	16
	acres	641	237	272	99	63	41	15
Irrigated	farms	26	17	31	29	31	32	16
	acres	641	237	265	92	61	38	9
Farms by acres harvested:								
0.1 to 4.9 acres		1	4	11	23	31	30	16
5.0 to 24.9 acres		18	10	19	7	3	2	–
25.0 to 99.9 acres		7	3	2	–	–	–	–
100.0 to 249.9 acres		–	–	–	–	–	–	–
250.0 acres or more		–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Green peas, excluding green cowpeas, harvested for sale	farms	5	–	2	6	4	4	3
	acres	74	–	(D)	(D)	(Z)	(D)	(Z)
Irrigated	farms	5	–	2	5	4	3	3
	acres	74	–	(D)	1	(Z)	(D)	(D)
Sweet corn harvested for sale	farms	19	11	18	14	15	20	12
	acres	498	144	135	52	39	19	4
Irrigated	farms	19	11	18	14	15	20	12
	acres	498	144	135	52	39	19	4
Field seed and grass seed crops	farms	35	14	24	14	5	4	2
	acres	1 304	917	759	356	49	(D)	(D)
Irrigated	farms	29	8	15	12	4	3	1
	acres	760	214	277	161	36	(D)	(D)
Land in orchards	farms	25	9	34	33	31	52	115
	acres	425	184	475	232	148	179	429
Irrigated	farms	23	9	31	27	27	46	95
	acres	421	(D)	462	205	138	168	372
Farms by bearing and nonbearing acres:								
0.1 to 4.9 acres		7	3	7	13	26	43	99
5.0 to 24.9 acres		11	3	21	18	4	8	12
25.0 to 99.9 acres		7	3	6	2	1	1	4
100.0 to 249.9 acres		–	–	–	–	–	–	–
250.0 acres or more		–	–	–	–	–	–	–

[1]Data are based on a sample of farms.
[2]Farms with total production expenses equal to market value of agricultural products sold are included as farms with gains of less than $1,000.

Table 51. **Summary by North American Industry Classification System: 1997**

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

Item	Total	Oilseed and grain farming (1111)	Vegetable and melon farming (1112)	Fruit and tree nut farming (1113)	Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114)	Other crop farming (1119)			
						Total	Tobacco farming (11191)	Cotton farming (11192)	Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199)
FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS									
Farms ..... number..	22 314	3 925	980	271	444	4 746	–	–	4 746
percent..	100.0	17.6	4.4	1.2	2.0	21.3	–	–	21.3
Land in farms ..... acres..	11 830 167	3 059 691	1 103 642	18 400	34 785	2 226 722	–	–	2 226 722
Average size of farm ..... acres..	530	780	1 126	68	78	469	–	–	469
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD									
Total sales (see text) ..... farms..	22 314	3 925	980	271	444	4 746	–	–	4 746
$1,000..	3 345 864	343 338	681 496	23 836	47 448	684 444	–	–	684 444
Average per farm ..... dollars..	149 945	87 475	695 404	87 956	106 865	144 215	–	–	144 215
Farms by value of sales:									
Less than $1,000 (see text)	3 243	762	9	101	19	352	–	–	352
$1,000 to $2,499	2 420	114	21	34	87	562	–	–	562
$2,500 to $4,999	2 350	145	28	15	44	461	–	–	461
$5,000 to $9,999	2 362	243	24	22	43	514	–	–	514
$10,000 to $19,999	2 455	379	22	24	68	554	–	–	554
$20,000 to $24,999	727	155	11	6	12	149	–	–	149
$25,000 to $39,999	1 407	335	18	16	32	334	–	–	334
$40,000 to $49,999	661	183	17	7	11	143	–	–	143
$50,000 to $99,999	1 898	575	69	21	33	411	–	–	411
$100,000 to $249,999	2 312	690	187	12	42	542	–	–	542
$250,000 to $499,999	1 198	255	195	6	28	372	–	–	372
$500,000 to $999,999	710	71	189	2	15	222	–	–	222
$1,000,000 to $2,499,999	418	18	153	4	10	106	–	–	106
$2,500,000 to $4,999,999	95	–	23	–	–	22	–	–	22
$5,000,000 or more	58	–	14	1	–	2	–	–	2
Grains ..... farms..	7 199	3 133	784	16	29	2 005	–	–	2 005
$1,000..	573 088	263 665	136 763	(D)	780	144 560	–	–	144 560
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	2 792	1 355	544	–	4	752	–	–	752
$1,000..	501 238	231 247	131 062	–	376	124 081	–	–	124 081
Corn for grain ..... farms..	590	257	39	3	4	206	–	–	206
$1,000..	17 592	6 157	2 341	55	14	7 725	–	–	7 725
Wheat ..... farms..	5 171	2 393	672	15	20	1 394	–	–	1 394
$1,000..	346 339	148 491	95 800	(D)	411	87 969	–	–	87 969
Soybeans ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sorghum for grain ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Barley ..... farms..	3 613	1 628	346	2	8	972	–	–	972
$1,000..	140 145	64 624	33 767	(D)	86	31 660	–	–	31 660
Oats ..... farms..	298	117	8	–	–	94	–	–	94
$1,000..	1 832	1 012	60	–	–	519	–	–	519
Other grains ..... farms..	1 625	987	114	–	12	419	–	–	419
$1,000..	67 179	43 381	4 795	–	269	16 687	–	–	16 687
Cotton and cottonseed ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Tobacco ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Hay, silage, and field seeds ..... farms..	7 647	1 404	365	20	64	4 261	–	–	4 261
$1,000..	255 141	36 315	26 115	269	752	167 209	–	–	167 209
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	1 258	184	124	2	4	822	–	–	822
$1,000..	187 892	20 086	22 165	(D)	288	130 515	–	–	130 515
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ..... farms..	641	94	215	18	12	240	–	–	240
$1,000..	50 636	2 644	23 057	116	242	23 399	–	–	23 399
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	226	15	99	1	2	101	–	–	101
$1,000..	44 879	1 279	21 835	(D)	(D)	20 813	–	–	20 813
Fruits, nuts, and berries ..... farms..	287	7	18	201	8	30	–	–	30
$1,000..	24 408	51	(D)	23 049	13	739	–	–	739
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	48	–	1	42	–	4	–	–	4
$1,000..	22 529	–	(D)	(D)	–	618	–	–	618
Nursery and greenhouse crops ..... farms..	706	43	21	3	444	162	–	–	162
$1,000..	57 189	1 368	(D)	(Z)	45 092	9 391	–	–	9 391
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	198	7	5	–	124	60	–	–	60
$1,000..	51 156	818	(D)	–	41 858	7 480	–	–	7 480
Other crops ..... farms..	2 148	196	833	1	6	1 019	–	–	1 019
$1,000..	813 238	19 976	484 747	(D)	358	295 495	–	–	295 495
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	1 684	105	735	1	3	796	–	–	796
$1,000..	803 069	18 130	482 647	(D)	317	290 283	–	–	290 283
Poultry and poultry products ..... farms..	412	17	14	4	4	43	–	–	43
$1,000..	15 000	3	8	(D)	(D)	73	–	–	73
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	12	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	14 550	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Dairy products ..... farms..	1 056	6	5	–	–	33	–	–	33
$1,000..	557 339	318	273	–	–	5 365	–	–	5 365
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	870	3	2	–	–	23	–	–	23
$1,000..	552 802	281	(D)	–	–	5 166	–	–	5 166
Cattle and calves ..... farms..	11 684	1 024	176	10	26	1 425	–	–	1 425
$1,000..	910 805	18 151	9 033	74	191	34 748	–	–	34 748
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	1 732	82	45	–	1	163	–	–	163
$1,000..	804 530	7 771	7 190	–	(D)	21 138	–	–	21 138

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Table 51. **Summary by North American Industry Classification System: 1997**—Con.

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

Item	Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111)	Cattle feedlots (112112)	Dairy cattle and milk production (11212)	Hog and pig farming (1122)	Poultry and egg production (1123)	Sheep and goat farming (1124)	Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125,1129)
FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS							
Farms ..... number..	7 697	443	926	180	84	465	2 153
..... percent..	34.5	2.0	4.1	.8	.4	2.1	9.6
Land in farms ..... acres..	4 362 989	185 974	306 299	9 251	11 622	342 182	168 610
Average size of farm ..... acres..	567	420	331	51	138	736	78
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD							
Total sales (see text) ..... farms..	7 697	443	926	180	84	465	2 153
..... $1,000..	375 866	486 912	602 583	3 397	15 048	28 619	52 878
Average per farm ..... dollars..	48 833	1 099 124	650 737	18 872	179 140	61 545	24 560
Farms by value of sales:							
Less than $1,000 (see text)	783	21	1	40	38	88	1 029
$1,000 to $2,499	995	105	1	27	11	131	332
$2,500 to $4,999	1 176	89	2	26	5	79	280
$5,000 to $9,999	1 168	50	4	36	8	49	201
$10,000 to $19,999	1 152	44	21	20	5	38	128
$20,000 to $24,999	335	13	8	2	–	8	28
$25,000 to $39,999	556	16	37	9	4	16	34
$40,000 to $49,999	250	6	16	3	1	7	17
$50,000 to $99,999	574	21	136	11	4	9	34
$100,000 to $249,999	468	31	275	4	5	15	41
$250,000 to $499,999	147	11	167	1	–	9	7
$500,000 to $999,999	60	6	120	1	–	8	16
$1,000,000 to $2,499,999	23	11	82	–	1	6	4
$2,500,000 to $4,999,999	6	4	38	–	–	2	–
$5,000,000 or more	4	15	18	–	2	–	2
Grains ..... farms..	881	51	224	13	4	28	31
..... $1,000..	17 343	1 514	6 930	(D)	(D)	722	282
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	88	8	33	1	1	4	2
..... $1,000..	8 784	905	3 901	(D)	(D)	575	(D)
Corn for grain ..... farms..	52	2	19	2	2	1	3
..... $1,000..	770	(D)	324	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Wheat ..... farms..	477	27	138	10	4	10	11
..... $1,000..	8 490	789	3 620	169	(D)	268	156
Soybeans ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
..... $1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sorghum for grain ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
..... $1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Barley ..... farms..	483	26	109	6	1	19	13
..... $1,000..	6 348	496	2 712	45	(D)	301	79
Oats ..... farms..	59	3	3	–	–	4	10
..... $1,000..	212	(D)	(D)	–	–	12	(D)
Other grains ..... farms..	61	3	23	1	–	3	2
..... $1,000..	1 523	191	(D)	(D)	–	(D)	(D)
Cotton and cottonseed ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
..... $1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
..... $1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Tobacco ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
..... $1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
..... $1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Hay, silage, and field seeds ..... farms..	1 106	73	142	16	8	44	144
..... $1,000..	15 168	1 373	6 378	153	52	771	586
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	67	9	39	1	–	3	3
..... $1,000..	7 898	1 002	4 905	(D)	–	518	225
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ..... farms..	41	4	10	1	–	1	5
..... $1,000..	678	(D)	(D)	(D)	–	(D)	(D)
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	3	2	2	–	–	–	1
..... $1,000..	336	(D)	(D)	–	–	–	(D)
Fruits, nuts, and berries ..... farms..	11	2	1	–	1	1	7
..... $1,000..	38	(D)	(D)	–	(D)	(D)	2
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	–	–	1	–	–	–	–
..... $1,000..	–	–	(D)	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse crops ..... farms..	26	3	1	1	–	–	2
..... $1,000..	354	2	(D)	(D)	–	–	(D)
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	2	–	–	–	–	–	–
..... $1,000..	(D)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other crops ..... farms..	51	10	28	–	1	2	1
..... $1,000..	6 106	1 694	4 339	–	(D)	(D)	(D)
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	21	6	15	–	–	2	–
..... $1,000..	5 681	1 521	3 994	–	–	(D)	–
Poultry and poultry products ..... farms..	143	21	4	18	81	27	36
..... $1,000..	51	7	1	4	14 837	(D)	(D)
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	12	–	–
..... $1,000..	–	–	–	–	14 550	–	–
Dairy products ..... farms..	80	3	925	–	–	3	1
..... $1,000..	10 737	(D)	540 480	–	–	(D)	(D)
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	33	1	808	–	–	–	–
..... $1,000..	9 926	(D)	537 235	–	–	–	–
Cattle and calves ..... farms..	7 315	443	924	50	4	74	213
..... $1,000..	321 283	480 499	43 763	155	9	1 402	1 499
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	1 145	94	191	–	–	5	6
..... $1,000..	256 349	477 940	32 471	–	–	906	(D)

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Table 51. **Summary by North American Industry Classification System: 1997**—Con.

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Item	Total	Oilseed and grain farming (1111)	Vegetable and melon farming (1112)	Fruit and tree nut farming (1113)	Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114)	Other crop farming (1119)			
						Total	Tobacco farming (11191)	Cotton farming (11192)	Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199)
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD—Con.									
Total sales (see text)—Con.									
Hogs and pigs ..... farms..	573	40	8	1	–	75	–	–	75
$1,000..	4 473	153	11	(D)	–	903	–	–	903
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	19	–	–	–	–	5	–	–	5
$1,000..	2 517	–	–	–	–	643	–	–	643
Sheep, lambs, and wool ..... farms..	1 077	52	16	7	6	125	–	–	125
$1,000..	29 977	446	41	36	(D)	1 964	–	–	1 964
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	64	2	–	–	–	9	–	–	9
$1,000..	26 141	(D)	–	–	–	1 531	–	–	1 531
Other livestock and livestock products (see text) ..... farms..	2 335	92	22	3	6	205	–	–	205
$1,000..	54 571	248	154	(D)	5	599	–	–	599
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	103	–	1	–	–	1	–	–	1
$1,000..	45 319	–	(D)	–	–	(D)	–	–	(D)
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text)..... farms..	1 205	67	94	111	27	153	–	–	153
$1,000..	3 047	102	631	404	(D)	587	–	–	587
FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES[1]									
Total farm production expenses ..... farms..	22 334	3 814	943	294	400	4 716	–	–	4 716
$1,000..	2 705 028	282 060	525 319	15 407	27 474	511 411	–	–	511 411
Average per farm .....dollars..	121 117	73 954	557 072	52 406	68 684	108 442	–	–	108 442
Livestock and poultry purchased ..... farms..	7 820	583	131	–	3	1 002	–	–	1 002
$1,000..	469 600	2 846	3 346	–	(D)	9 637	–	–	9 637
Farms with expenses of—									
$1 to $4,999	5 039	454	77	–	2	719	–	–	719
$5,000 to $24,999	1 930	115	28	–	1	213	–	–	213
$25,000 to $99,999	596	11	23	–	–	56	–	–	56
$100,000 to $249,999	145	3	1	–	–	10	–	–	10
$250,000 or more	110	–	2	–	–	4	–	–	4
Feed for livestock and poultry ..... farms..	11 438	830	170	40	21	1 284	–	–	1 284
$1,000..	450 829	3 342	2 090	17	18	7 648	–	–	7 648
Farms with expenses of—									
$1 to $4,999	8 156	690	114	40	20	1 070	–	–	1 070
$5,000 to $24,999	1 953	123	36	–	1	153	–	–	153
$25,000 to $99,999	825	15	16	–	–	47	–	–	47
$100,000 to $249,999	246	2	3	–	–	13	–	–	13
$250,000 or more	258	–	1	–	–	1	–	–	1
Commercially mixed formula feeds ..... farms..	5 461	414	65	25	16	655	–	–	655
$1,000..	102 153	685	966	6	(D)	1 875	–	–	1 875
Farms with expenses of—									
$1 to $4,999	4 270	371	45	25	16	591	–	–	591
$5,000 to $24,999	606	41	8	–	–	42	–	–	42
$25,000 to $99,999	390	2	9	–	–	22	–	–	22
$100,000 or more	195	–	3	–	–	–	–	–	–
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees ..... farms..	9 308	2 772	925	117	241	2 511	–	–	2 511
$1,000..	94 322	16 767	43 307	347	2 373	25 718	–	–	25 718
Farms with expenses of—									
$1 to $999	3 343	687	114	83	118	796	–	–	796
$1,000 to $4,999	3 181	1 152	114	23	66	893	–	–	893
$5,000 to $24,999	1 954	822	279	9	40	558	–	–	558
$25,000 to $49,999	425	83	187	–	3	140	–	–	140
$50,000 or more	405	28	231	2	14	124	–	–	124
Commercial fertilizer ..... farms..	11 564	2 874	943	150	267	3 356	–	–	3 356
$1,000..	245 440	53 184	95 666	365	842	75 864	–	–	75 864
Farms with expenses of—									
$1 to $4,999	6 638	989	156	133	231	1 983	–	–	1 983
$5,000 to $24,999	2 878	1 264	198	14	26	669	–	–	669
$25,000 to $49,999	878	336	149	2	8	312	–	–	312
$50,000 or more	1 170	285	440	1	2	392	–	–	392
Agricultural chemicals ..... farms..	11 383	2 896	834	230	259	2 854	–	–	2 854
$1,000..	118 406	25 889	51 059	1 836	451	33 844	–	–	33 844
Farms with expenses of—									
$1 to $4,999	8 425	1 748	160	164	237	2 007	–	–	2 007
$5,000 to $24,999	1 856	838	268	58	20	494	–	–	494
$25,000 to $49,999	552	215	145	3	1	175	–	–	175
$50,000 or more	550	95	261	5	1	178	–	–	178
Petroleum products ..... farms..	20 090	3 340	926	257	379	4 442	–	–	4 442
$1,000..	100 076	19 356	22 085	449	1 216	26 965	–	–	26 965
Farms with expenses of—									
$1 to $4,999	15 482	2 061	254	244	326	3 307	–	–	3 307
$5,000 to $24,999	3 857	1 188	421	9	45	886	–	–	886
$25,000 to $49,999	527	80	166	4	3	166	–	–	166
$50,000 or more	224	11	85	–	5	83	–	–	83
Gasoline and gasohol ..... farms..	17 486	2 939	880	242	312	3 705	–	–	3 705
$1,000..	36 930	7 118	6 720	194	358	9 241	–	–	9 241
Diesel fuel ..... farms..	14 659	2 918	866	160	211	3 617	–	–	3 617
$1,000..	52 460	10 340	13 476	176	487	14 939	–	–	14 939
Natural gas ..... farms..	598	151	31	1	41	113	–	–	113
$1,000..	1 306	243	87	(D)	260	329	–	–	329
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc. ..... farms..	14 866	2 922	876	162	218	3 437	–	–	3 437
$1,000..	9 380	1 656	1 802	(D)	111	2 456	–	–	2 456

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Item	Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111)	Cattle feedlots (112112)	Dairy cattle and milk production (11212)	Hog and pig farming (1122)	Poultry and egg production (1123)	Sheep and goat farming (1124)	Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125,1129)
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD—Con.							
Total sales (see text)—Con.							
Hogs and pigs ..... farms..	177	17	21	175	2	21	36
$1,000..	298	(D)	66	2 839	(D)	9	84
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	–	1	–	13	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	(D)	–	(D)	–	–	–
Sheep, lambs, and wool ..... farms..	343	21	12	13	2	416	64
$1,000..	1 962	51	96	12	(D)	24 917	437
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	7	–	–	–	–	44	2
$1,000..	1 033	–	–	–	–	23 042	(D)
Other livestock and livestock products (see text) ..... farms..	586	33	33	23	7	111	1 214
$1,000..	1 848	(D)	115	16	10	298	49 833
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	2	1	–	–	–	–	98
$1,000..	(D)	(D)	–	–	–	–	43 653
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text) ..... farms..	414	100	38	55	14	69	63
$1,000..	496	242	153	129	(D)	57	106
FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES[1]							
Total farm production expenses ..... farms..	7 857	448	947	150	96	419	2 250
$1,000..	327 201	479 699	450 730	2 260	13 311	21 728	48 428
Average per farm ..... dollars..	41 645	1 070 757	475 955	15 070	138 654	51 857	21 523
Livestock and poultry purchased ..... farms..	4 235	300	567	117	78	159	645
$1,000..	93 520	313 545	37 564	307	(D)	3 867	3 568
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $4,999	2 744	175	107	96	75	126	464
$5,000 to $24,999	1 125	55	193	20	–	19	161
$25,000 to $99,999	275	30	174	1	–	7	19
$100,000 to $249,999	51	11	61	–	1	6	1
$250,000 or more	40	29	32	–	2	1	–
Feed for livestock and poultry ..... farms..	5 754	382	938	129	82	347	1 461
$1,000..	60 619	125 473	225 357	643	8 393	4 040	13 188
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $4,999	4 155	287	63	106	71	296	1 244
$5,000 to $24,999	1 197	33	205	19	8	25	153
$25,000 to $99,999	336	24	330	2	–	12	43
$100,000 to $249,999	43	10	149	2	–	12	12
$250,000 or more	23	28	191	–	3	2	9
Commercially mixed formula feeds ..... farms..	2 281	232	817	74	70	160	652
$1,000..	8 605	7 691	73 664	160	(D)	573	4 495
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $4,999	2 006	188	148	65	61	140	614
$5,000 to $24,999	210	22	238	9	8	14	14
$25,000 to $99,999	55	14	270	–	–	4	14
$100,000 or more	10	8	161	–	1	2	10
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees ..... farms..	1 758	127	617	26	14	65	135
$1,000..	2 939	389	2 210	11	11	119	132
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $999	1 117	71	166	19	13	44	115
$1,000 to $4,999	515	33	353	7	–	18	7
$5,000 to $24,999	118	21	91	–	1	2	13
$25,000 to $49,999	5	2	5	–	–	–	–
$50,000 or more	3	–	2	–	–	1	–
Commercial fertilizer ..... farms..	2 633	150	541	48	13	100	489
$1,000..	10 597	1 343	6 242	49	22	472	794
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $4,999	2 132	110	293	46	12	86	467
$5,000 to $24,999	444	33	203	2	1	12	12
$25,000 to $49,999	35	1	26	–	–	–	9
$50,000 or more	22	6	19	–	–	2	1
Agricultural chemicals ..... farms..	2 622	179	598	60	35	133	683
$1,000..	2 863	312	1 676	28	17	138	293
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $4,999	2 507	167	537	59	34	129	676
$5,000 to $24,999	102	11	53	1	1	3	7
$25,000 to $49,999	10	1	2	–	–	–	–
$50,000 or more	3	–	6	–	–	1	–
Petroleum products ..... farms..	7 231	384	937	138	58	334	1 664
$1,000..	16 043	2 259	8 510	128	156	1 056	1 852
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $4,999	6 437	325	418	135	55	306	1 614
$5,000 to $24,999	739	45	460	3	–	17	44
$25,000 to $49,999	43	5	45	–	2	9	4
$50,000 or more	12	9	14	–	1	2	2
Gasoline and gasohol ..... farms..	6 381	344	836	113	47	291	1 396
$1,000..	8 021	558	2 947	77	40	614	1 043
Diesel fuel ..... farms..	4 635	206	879	60	36	172	899
$1,000..	6 484	1 421	4 057	32	71	345	633
Natural gas ..... farms..	124	3	73	4	1	12	44
$1,000..	83	(D)	164	2	(D)	8	10
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc. ..... farms..	4 747	237	911	108	24	225	999
$1,000..	1 455	(D)	1 343	17	(D)	88	167

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						Total	Tobacco farming (11191)	Cotton farming (11192)	Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199)
FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES[1] —Con.									
Total farm production expenses—Con.									
Electricity ..... farms..	15 661	2 532	836	185	291	3 503	–	–	3 503
$1,000..	89 854	9 902	28 498	454	616	29 551	–	–	29 551
Farms with expenses of—									
$1 to $999	9 130	1 262	95	134	206	1 746	–	–	1 746
$1,000 to $4,999	3 931	864	186	41	62	942	–	–	942
$5,000 to $24,999	1 814	330	263	6	19	524	–	–	524
$25,000 to $49,999	406	52	137	2	2	137	–	–	137
$50,000 or more	380	24	155	2	2	154	–	–	154
Hired farm labor ..... farms..	9 410	1 762	833	143	218	2 213	–	–	2 213
$1,000..	270 843	22 815	68 103	7 185	10 112	68 913	–	–	68 913
Farms with expenses of—									
$1 to $4,999	4 944	850	104	54	121	1 065	–	–	1 065
$5,000 to $24,999	2 343	695	239	40	33	521	–	–	521
$25,000 to $99,999	1 497	195	303	39	38	458	–	–	458
$100,000 to $249,999	452	18	143	4	15	122	–	–	122
$250,000 or more	174	4	44	6	11	47	–	–	47
Workers by days worked:									
150 days or more ..... farms..	4 531	765	602	79	109	1 053	–	–	1 053
workers..	16 401	1 625	3 551	237	564	4 113	–	–	4 113
Less than 150 days ..... farms..	8 249	1 589	754	143	215	1 902	–	–	1 902
workers..	47 014	5 217	11 489	4 170	2 101	13 507	–	–	13 507
Contract labor ..... farms..	3 501	546	355	50	70	1 031	–	–	1 031
$1,000..	32 680	2 183	9 341	236	(D)	12 032	–	–	12 032
Farms with expenses of—									
$1 to $999	1 177	181	18	19	23	243	–	–	243
$1,000 to $4,999	1 223	248	84	26	26	359	–	–	359
$5,000 to $24,999	812	107	164	2	11	302	–	–	302
$25,000 to $49,999	169	7	44	2	5	80	–	–	80
$50,000 or more	120	3	45	1	5	47	–	–	47
Repair and maintenance ..... farms..	18 147	3 244	880	241	343	4 019	–	–	4 019
$1,000..	152 222	25 170	36 080	793	1 965	41 671	–	–	41 671
Farms with expenses of—									
$1 to $4,999	12 425	1 813	185	220	264	2 553	–	–	2 553
$5,000 to $24,999	4 413	1 233	364	16	56	1 050	–	–	1 050
$25,000 to $49,999	750	160	140	2	17	230	–	–	230
$50,000 or more	559	38	191	3	6	186	–	–	186
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment..... farms..	8 597	1 730	661	67	133	2 397	–	–	2 397
$1,000..	69 649	10 365	16 253	158	435	23 768	–	–	23 768
Farms with expenses of—									
$1 to $999	3 285	417	49	46	83	848	–	–	848
$1,000 to $4,999	2 806	764	170	18	26	733	–	–	733
$5,000 to $24,999	1 898	484	291	2	20	567	–	–	567
$25,000 to $49,999	357	50	76	–	3	145	–	–	145
$50,000 or more	251	15	75	1	1	104	–	–	104
Interest ..... farms..	11 087	2 200	763	109	160	2 662	–	–	2 662
$1,000..	178 482	25 219	41 027	973	1 697	46 540	–	–	46 540
Farms with expenses of—									
$1 to $4,999	5 388	932	113	88	86	1 176	–	–	1 176
$5,000 to $24,999	4 109	1 042	289	16	58	999	–	–	999
$25,000 to $99,999	1 285	210	240	4	14	407	–	–	407
$100,000 or more	305	16	121	1	2	80	–	–	80
Secured by real estate ..... farms..	7 784	1 477	516	95	119	1 841	–	–	1 841
$1,000..	98 667	15 127	21 207	772	1 104	25 690	–	–	25 690
Farms with expenses of—									
$1 to $999	1 000	126	11	26	30	198	–	–	198
$1,000 to $4,999	2 829	481	72	51	35	607	–	–	607
$5,000 to $24,999	3 063	740	209	14	47	752	–	–	752
$25,000 to $49,999	548	89	106	1	3	192	–	–	192
$50,000 or more	344	41	118	3	4	92	–	–	92
Not secured by real estate ..... farms..	6 719	1 464	576	32	78	1 603	–	–	1 603
$1,000..	79 815	10 092	19 820	201	593	20 851	–	–	20 851
Farms with expenses of—									
$1 to $999	1 606	301	19	1	16	357	–	–	357
$1,000 to $4,999	2 439	629	119	27	28	519	–	–	519
$5,000 to $24,999	1 928	465	202	3	27	516	–	–	516
$25,000 to $49,999	421	48	107	–	4	125	–	–	125
$50,000 or more	325	21	129	1	3	86	–	–	86
Cash rent ..... farms..	5 387	1 271	583	23	75	1 411	–	–	1 411
$1,000..	124 518	24 661	45 442	222	602	39 862	–	–	39 862
Farms with expenses of—									
$1 to $4,999	2 631	462	140	12	43	539	–	–	539
$5,000 to $9,999	759	212	50	–	4	243	–	–	243
$10,000 to $24,999	957	341	97	9	24	257	–	–	257
$25,000 or more	1 040	256	296	2	4	372	–	–	372
Property taxes ..... farms..	21 097	3 518	878	276	368	4 471	–	–	4 471
$1,000..	55 081	10 508	8 831	453	736	13 089	–	–	13 089
Farms with expenses of—									
$1 to $4,999	18 586	2 988	418	268	341	3 813	–	–	3 813
$5,000 to $9,999	1 540	327	196	4	18	412	–	–	412
$10,000 to $24,999	752	177	182	2	7	191	–	–	191
$25,000 or more	219	26	82	2	2	55	–	–	55
All other farm production expenses ..... farms..	20 669	3 547	922	241	384	4 389	–	–	4 389
$1,000..	253 025	29 853	54 193	1 919	5 401	56 308	–	–	56 308
Farms with expenses of—									
$1 to $4,999	14 349	2 092	194	208	279	2 916	–	–	2 916
$5,000 to $24,999	4 349	1 164	340	24	49	947	–	–	947
$25,000 to $49,999	889	216	129	2	33	223	–	–	223
$50,000 to $99,999	625	60	124	4	14	190	–	–	190
$100,000 or more	457	15	135	3	9	113	–	–	113

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Table 51. **Summary by North American Industry Classification System: 1997**—Con.

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Item	Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111)	Cattle feedlots (112112)	Dairy cattle and milk production (11212)	Hog and pig farming (1122)	Poultry and egg production (1123)	Sheep and goat farming (1124)	Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125,1129)
FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES[1] —Con.							
Total farm production expenses—Con.							
Electricity ..... farms..	5 358	331	940	103	48	280	1 254
$1,000..	7 641	992	10 088	75	261	515	1 261
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $999	3 940	221	106	90	31	228	1 071
$1,000 to $4,999	1 109	74	424	9	14	36	170
$5,000 to $24,999	279	29	337	4	–	12	11
$25,000 to $49,999	22	4	47	–	1	2	–
$50,000 or more	8	3	26	–	2	2	2
Hired farm labor ..... farms..	2 612	145	767	33	27	116	541
$1,000..	22 879	9 639	48 405	189	1 509	3 213	7 881
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $4,999	1 929	76	153	26	24	84	458
$5,000 to $24,999	476	32	237	5	–	10	55
$25,000 to $99,999	167	18	249	2	–	12	16
$100,000 to $249,999	36	11	86	–	1	7	9
$250,000 or more	4	8	42	–	2	3	3
Workers by days worked:							
150 days or more ..... farms..	933	85	658	8	11	37	191
workers..	1 909	474	2 900	11	131	242	644
Less than 150 days ..... farms..	2 336	123	520	28	27	109	503
workers..	5 760	564	2 237	42	224	348	1 355
Contract labor ..... farms..	883	65	216	12	2	58	213
$1,000..	2 634	1 087	3 560	10	(D)	213	336
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $999	457	16	40	11	–	35	134
$1,000 to $4,999	296	40	69	–	–	11	64
$5,000 to $24,999	118	7	74	1	1	11	14
$25,000 to $49,999	9	–	19	–	1	1	1
$50,000 or more	3	2	14	–	–	–	–
Repair and maintenance ..... farms..	6 072	363	932	118	68	324	1 543
$1,000..	19 715	4 446	17 395	186	427	1 105	3 269
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $4,999	5 008	278	249	105	59	285	1 406
$5,000 to $24,999	959	59	507	13	6	30	120
$25,000 to $49,999	78	7	101	–	1	3	11
$50,000 or more	27	19	75	–	2	6	6
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment..... farms..	2 183	164	533	34	14	122	559
$1,000..	6 952	2 423	7 513	47	44	1 067	622
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $999	1 152	72	78	22	6	66	446
$1,000 to $4,999	692	40	200	11	6	41	105
$5,000 to $24,999	306	28	186	1	2	7	4
$25,000 to $49,999	20	17	42	–	–	2	2
$50,000 or more	13	7	27	–	–	6	2
Interest ..... farms..	3 348	159	809	75	38	137	627
$1,000..	25 456	6 544	25 342	295	267	1 847	3 274
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $4,999	2 096	81	201	54	35	83	443
$5,000 to $24,999	1 058	53	365	18	1	42	168
$25,000 to $99,999	174	16	191	3	2	10	14
$100,000 or more	20	9	52	–	–	2	2
Secured by real estate ..... farms..	2 384	95	581	54	36	106	480
$1,000..	15 441	1 164	14 261	(D)	(D)	1 392	2 197
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $999	445	13	22	20	–	19	90
$1,000 to $4,999	1 060	42	118	17	35	49	262
$5,000 to $24,999	793	29	314	16	1	30	118
$25,000 to $49,999	61	4	77	1	–	6	8
$50,000 or more	25	7	50	–	–	2	2
Not secured by real estate ..... farms..	1 846	104	617	25	10	66	298
$1,000..	10 015	5 381	11 081	(D)	(D)	455	1 077
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $999	647	13	72	11	8	30	131
$1,000 to $4,999	754	40	170	6	–	19	128
$5,000 to $24,999	363	35	265	8	–	12	32
$25,000 to $49,999	63	4	65	–	–	3	2
$50,000 or more	19	12	45	–	2	2	5
Cash rent ..... farms..	1 319	75	313	11	6	65	235
$1,000..	7 619	901	4 376	26	30	258	518
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $4,999	948	55	140	10	–	60	222
$5,000 to $9,999	188	5	49	–	6	1	1
$10,000 to $24,999	127	10	82	1	–	2	7
$25,000 or more	56	5	42	–	–	2	5
Property taxes ..... farms..	7 477	425	923	138	96	406	2 121
$1,000..	12 260	1 089	4 288	94	301	675	2 756
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $4,999	7 028	378	660	136	93	385	2 078
$5,000 to $9,999	342	29	170	2	–	6	34
$10,000 to $24,999	86	14	77	–	–	10	6
$25,000 or more	21	4	16	–	3	5	3
All other farm production expenses ..... farms..	7 219	441	946	139	86	383	1 972
$1,000..	35 465	9 255	48 202	170	436	3 142	8 682
Farms with expenses of—							
$1 to $4,999	5 740	352	194	136	84	341	1 813
$5,000 to $24,999	1 241	37	401	1	–	22	123
$25,000 to $49,999	142	14	109	2	–	3	16
$50,000 to $99,999	62	23	126	–	–	7	15
$100,000 or more	34	15	116	–	2	10	5

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Table 51. **Summary by North American Industry Classification System: 1997**—Con.

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

Item	Total	Oilseed and grain farming (1111)	Vegetable and melon farming (1112)	Fruit and tree nut farming (1113)	Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114)	Other crop farming (1119)			
						Total	Tobacco farming (11191)	Cotton farming (11192)	Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199)
NET CASH RETURN FROM AGRICULTURAL SALES FOR THE FARM UNIT (SEE TEXT)[1]									
All farms ..... number..	22 334	3 814	943	294	400	4 716	–	–	4 716
$1,000..	590 283	52 116	154 453	8 840	15 200	150 377	–	–	150 377
Average per farm ..... dollars..	26 430	13 664	163 789	30 067	38 000	31 887	–	–	31 887
Farms with net gains[2] ..... number..	11 024	1 974	816	98	266	2 825	–	–	2 825
Average net gain ..... dollars..	64 175	39 420	194 475	99 475	62 621	58 574	–	–	58 574
Gain of—									
Less than $1,000	1 161	102	26	5	32	311	–	–	311
$1,000 to $9,999	3 974	675	62	59	89	888	–	–	888
$10,000 to $49,999	3 061	746	149	25	71	805	–	–	805
$50,000 or more	2 828	451	579	9	74	821	–	–	821
Farms with net losses ..... number..	11 310	1 840	127	196	134	1 891	–	–	1 891
Average net loss ..... dollars..	10 361	13 967	33 374	4 638	10 875	7 983	–	–	7 983
Loss of—									
Less than $1,000	1 919	268	22	31	29	400	–	–	400
$1,000 to $9,999	6 896	931	22	147	87	1 115	–	–	1 115
$10,000 to $49,999	2 168	540	50	18	8	337	–	–	337
$50,000 or more	327	101	33	–	10	39	–	–	39
GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS AND OTHER FARM-RELATED INCOME									
Government payments ..... farms..	7 848	2 826	615	47	44	1 900	–	–	1 900
$1,000..	73 124	35 631	9 679	190	238	14 228	–	–	14 228
Other farm-related income[1] ..... farms..	6 508	1 348	363	68	66	1 666	–	–	1 666
$1,000..	58 462	13 052	6 644	564	411	17 052	–	–	17 052
Customwork and other agricultural services ..... farms..	1 981	477	160	8	15	729	–	–	729
$1,000..	24 521	5 195	3 107	361	107	9 633	–	–	9 633
Gross cash rent or share payments ..... farms..	2 800	475	125	42	24	616	–	–	616
$1,000..	24 182	5 809	3 081	137	148	5 227	–	–	5 227
Forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products ..... farms..	597	103	–	2	25	137	–	–	137
$1,000..	6 200	1 145	–	(D)	127	1 367	–	–	1 367
Other farm-related income sources ..... farms..	2 608	704	198	30	17	651	–	–	651
$1,000..	3 558	902	456	(D)	28	825	–	–	825
COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS									
Total ..... farms..	889	417	114	1	–	256	–	–	256
$1,000..	29 610	15 942	(D)	(D)	–	7 163	–	–	7 163
Corn ..... farms..	32	9	2	–	–	15	–	–	15
$1,000..	(D)	(D)	(D)	–	–	26	–	–	26
Wheat ..... farms..	782	391	107	1	–	223	–	–	223
$1,000..	25 584	13 662	(D)	(D)	–	6 334	–	–	6 334
Soybeans ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sorghum, barley, and oats ..... farms..	241	92	21	–	–	67	–	–	67
$1,000..	3 968	2 264	533	–	–	803	–	–	803
Cotton ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sunflower seed, flaxseed, safflower, canola, other rapeseed, and mustard seed ..... farms..	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	(D)	(D)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Peanuts, rice, and tobacco ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE									
Total cropland ..... farms..	18 994	3 784	980	271	444	4 746	–	–	4 746
acres..	6 308 877	2 234 047	962 822	13 002	20 540	1 540 281	–	–	1 540 281
Harvested cropland ..... farms..	15 494	3 209	980	271	444	4 746	–	–	4 746
acres..	4 478 862	1 521 320	889 025	10 390	14 794	1 283 816	–	–	1 283 816
Farms by acres harvested:									
1 to 49 acres	6 388	606	135	229	382	2 044	–	–	2 044
50 to 99 acres	2 038	438	61	24	19	621	–	–	621
100 to 199 acres	2 111	532	83	11	21	639	–	–	639
200 to 499 acres	2 519	692	229	2	18	745	–	–	745
500 to 999 acres	1 336	488	205	4	4	399	–	–	399
1,000 to 1,999 acres	768	328	165	–	–	208	–	–	208
2,000 acres or more	334	125	102	1	–	90	–	–	90
Cropland:									
Pasture or grazing only ..... farms..	9 257	1 042	202	46	60	1 647	–	–	1 647
acres..	816 471	98 569	21 125	1 071	1 485	132 334	–	–	132 334
In cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured ..... farms..	1 410	648	69	16	26	246	–	–	246
acres..	362 371	213 951	18 714	397	1 305	47 803	–	–	47 803
On which all crops failed ..... farms..	420	109	20	2	4	127	–	–	127
acres..	28 229	10 926	1 076	(D)	48	7 191	–	–	7 191
In cultivated summer fallow ..... farms..	1 383	733	66	6	10	221	–	–	221
acres..	306 898	226 921	10 923	(D)	542	22 494	–	–	22 494
Idle ..... farms..	2 294	702	122	67	79	550	–	–	550
acres..	316 046	162 360	21 959	1 080	2 366	46 643	–	–	46 643
Total woodland ..... farms..	2 584	502	35	30	129	444	–	–	444
acres..	514 787	102 412	3 507	(D)	8 330	64 501	–	–	64 501
Woodland pastured ..... farms..	1 629	222	11	6	32	216	–	–	216
acres..	356 407	49 139	2 602	203	1 722	32 965	–	–	32 965
Woodland not pastured ..... farms..	1 352	342	25	25	108	300	–	–	300
acres..	158 380	53 273	905	(D)	6 608	31 536	–	–	31 536

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Item	Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111)	Cattle feedlots (112112)	Dairy cattle and milk production (11212)	Hog and pig farming (1122)	Poultry and egg production (1123)	Sheep and goat farming (1124)	Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125,1129)
NET CASH RETURN FROM AGRICULTURAL SALES FOR THE FARM UNIT (SEE TEXT)[1]							
All farms ..... number..	7 857	448	947	150	96	419	2 250
$1,000..	43 646	6 739	149 693	–154	959	4 767	3 647
Average per farm ..... dollars..	5 555	15 041	158 071	–1 025	9 985	11 378	1 621
Farms with net gains[2] ..... number..	3 475	155	811	38	36	135	395
Average net gain ..... dollars..	23 258	141 344	189 491	12 672	35 091	46 226	37 180
Gain of—							
Less than $1,000	558	27	2	3	8	18	69
$1,000 to $9,999	1 724	84	69	33	17	74	200
$10,000 to $49,999	813	14	314	–	9	22	93
$50,000 or more	380	30	426	2	2	21	33
Farms with net losses ..... number..	4 382	293	136	112	60	284	1 855
Average net loss ..... dollars..	8 484	51 774	29 295	5 672	5 079	5 188	5 951
Loss of—							
Less than $1,000	729	35	6	28	16	84	271
$1,000 to $9,999	2 773	216	39	72	38	172	1 284
$10,000 to $49,999	787	29	72	11	6	27	283
$50,000 or more	93	13	19	1	–	1	17
GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS AND OTHER FARM-RELATED INCOME							
Government payments ..... farms..	1 633	80	380	17	14	75	217
$1,000..	9 028	341	2 165	61	20	401	1 141
Other farm-related income[1] ..... farms..	1 979	89	369	24	25	66	445
$1,000..	13 643	457	2 225	46	103	993	3 272
Customwork and other agricultural services ..... farms..	401	16	60	9	–	23	83
$1,000..	3 656	44	994	14	–	189	1 221
Gross cash rent or share payments ..... farms..	1 061	64	90	6	8	24	265
$1,000..	6 515	386	495	19	33	798	1 536
Forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products ..... farms..	277	1	6	–	–	–	46
$1,000..	3 035	(D)	116	–	–	–	387
Other farm-related income sources ..... farms..	565	13	287	10	17	24	92
$1,000..	437	(D)	620	13	70	7	128
COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS							
Total ..... farms..	66	5	29	1	–	–	–
$1,000..	804	110	297	(D)	–	–	–
Corn ..... farms..	4	–	2	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	12	–	(D)	–	–	–	–
Wheat ..... farms..	42	4	14	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	631	(D)	(D)	–	–	–	–
Soybeans ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sorghum, barley, and oats ..... farms..	33	4	23	1	–	–	–
$1,000..	161	(D)	149	(D)	–	–	–
Cotton ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sunflower seed, flaxseed, safflower, canola, other rapeseed, and mustard seed ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Peanuts, rice, and tobacco ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE							
Total cropland ..... farms..	5 811	334	770	99	49	324	1 382
acres..	1 171 001	50 707	214 514	5 746	2 141	29 414	64 662
Harvested cropland ..... farms..	4 038	212	676	54	32	161	671
acres..	526 381	33 136	167 731	2 624	1 163	14 242	14 240
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 49 acres	1 991	118	96	42	25	114	606
50 to 99 acres	654	22	132	4	3	18	42
100 to 199 acres	582	29	178	7	2	12	15
200 to 499 acres	593	23	195	–	2	13	7
500 to 999 acres	170	13	50	1	–	1	1
1,000 to 1,999 acres	39	6	20	–	–	2	–
2,000 acres or more	9	1	5	–	–	1	–
Cropland:							
Pasture or grazing only ..... farms..	4 218	239	432	68	31	257	1 015
acres..	470 849	12 036	32 211	1 703	472	11 183	33 433
In cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured ..... farms..	286	14	38	4	6	13	44
acres..	66 943	1 409	4 021	177	360	2 050	5 241
On which all crops failed ..... farms..	99	6	18	1	3	1	30
acres..	6 603	220	805	(D)	(D)	(D)	1 257
In cultivated summer fallow ..... farms..	257	9	53	4	1	5	18
acres..	39 405	764	3 385	(D)	(D)	(D)	1 672
Idle ..... farms..	486	37	83	13	9	20	126
acres..	60 820	3 142	6 361	574	69	1 853	8 819
Total woodland ..... farms..	966	60	30	19	10	55	304
acres..	270 782	10 553	6 652	1 248	(D)	15 105	22 645
Woodland pastured ..... farms..	810	53	21	13	7	42	196
acres..	225 546	8 720	5 841	1 081	66	14 671	13 851
Woodland not pastured ..... farms..	329	19	12	9	7	18	158
acres..	45 236	1 833	811	167	(D)	434	8 794

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Item	Total	Oilseed and grain farming (1111)	Vegetable and melon farming (1112)	Fruit and tree nut farming (1113)	Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114)	Other crop farming (1119)			
						Total	Tobacco farming (11191)	Cotton farming (11192)	Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199)
LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE—Con.									
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured ..... farms..	6 517	931	147	26	45	907	–	–	907
acres..	4 589 326	579 636	108 917	(D)	3 231	542 874	–	–	542 874
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. ..... farms..	13 330	2 284	487	180	270	2 842	–	–	2 842
acres..	417 177	143 596	28 396	3 783	2 684	79 066	–	–	79 066
Irrigated land ..... farms..	15 191	2 167	975	253	318	3 938	–	–	3 938
acres..	3 493 542	535 719	859 615	10 404	11 993	1 170 302	–	–	1 170 302
Harvested cropland irrigated ..... farms..	12 182	2 122	975	249	314	3 913	–	–	3 913
acres..	3 057 436	505 620	845 883	10 051	10 937	1 114 226	–	–	1 114 226
Pasture and other land irrigated ..... farms..	7 621	586	171	45	57	1 206	–	–	1 206
acres..	436 106	30 099	13 732	353	1 056	56 076	–	–	56 076
Land under Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs ..... farms..	2 426	1 214	80	9	9	373	–	–	373
acres..	705 407	422 718	29 132	(D)	1 119	85 556	–	–	85 556
VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS[1]									
Estimated market value of land and buildings ..... farms..	22 334	3 814	943	294	400	4 716	–	–	4 716
$1,000..	11 982 650	2 489 595	1 750 852	70 909	114 257	2 867 651	–	–	2 867 651
Average per farm ..... dollars..	536 521	652 752	1 856 682	241 186	285 643	608 069	–	–	608 069
Average per acre ..... dollars..	1 017	833	1 607	4 217	3 807	1 339	–	–	1 339
Farms by value group:									
$1 to $39,999	2 406	198	26	25	53	388	–	–	388
$40,000 to $69,999	1 686	225	13	26	29	287	–	–	287
$70,000 to $99,999	1 552	240	15	50	42	261	–	–	261
$100,000 to $149,999	2 739	324	64	63	53	532	–	–	532
$150,000 to $199,999	2 092	270	11	27	41	474	–	–	474
$200,000 to $499,999	6 148	1 099	184	86	118	1 409	–	–	1 409
$500,000 to $999,999	2 892	797	191	9	49	669	–	–	669
$1,000,000 to $1,999,999	1 626	420	172	4	11	394	–	–	394
$2,000,000 to $4,999,999	958	208	194	3	4	242	–	–	242
$5,000,000 or more	235	33	73	1	–	60	–	–	60
VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT[1]									
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ..... farms..	22 333	3 813	943	294	400	4 716	–	–	4 716
$1,000..	1 740 107	346 320	353 273	9 278	21 178	488 413	–	–	488 413
Farms by value group:									
$1 to $4,999	2 553	256	6	93	61	413	–	–	413
$5,000 to $9,999	2 788	297	25	38	51	486	–	–	486
$10,000 to $19,999	3 823	454	50	49	88	766	–	–	766
$20,000 to $49,999	5 527	1 005	86	46	98	915	–	–	915
$50,000 to $99,999	3 271	690	115	44	58	841	–	–	841
$100,000 to $199,999	2 176	623	164	21	18	598	–	–	598
$200,000 to $499,999	1 638	402	277	2	21	530	–	–	530
$500,000 or more	557	86	220	1	5	167	–	–	167
SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT[1]									
Motortrucks, including pickups ..... farms..	20 936	3 666	942	230	367	4 335	–	–	4 335
number..	60 044	12 441	7 039	474	852	13 841	–	–	13 841
Wheel tractors ..... farms..	18 680	3 417	839	240	331	4 244	–	–	4 244
number..	43 547	9 132	3 650	471	636	10 913	–	–	10 913
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms..	9 113	1 525	307	175	240	1 918	–	–	1 918
number..	12 607	2 223	500	260	336	2 704	–	–	2 704
40 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms..	14 302	3 033	774	125	156	3 412	–	–	3 412
number..	30 940	6 909	3 150	211	300	8 209	–	–	8 209
40 to 99 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms..	11 737	2 201	524	118	144	2 753	–	–	2 753
number..	18 287	3 384	1 045	190	240	4 469	–	–	4 469
100 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms..	6 931	2 095	693	20	44	1 788	–	–	1 788
number..	12 653	3 525	2 105	21	60	3 740	–	–	3 740
Grain and bean combines ..... farms..	4 495	1 866	516	–	10	1 207	–	–	1 207
number..	5 919	2 652	716	–	11	1 544	–	–	1 544
Cotton pickers and strippers ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Mower conditioners ..... farms..	7 183	1 209	216	50	43	2 068	–	–	2 068
number..	7 911	1 320	242	58	58	2 363	–	–	2 363
Pickup balers ..... farms..	8 067	1 368	265	9	11	2 396	–	–	2 396
number..	9 299	1 575	318	9	11	2 777	–	–	2 777
AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS[1]									
Commercial fertilizer ..... farms..	11 502	2 874	943	149	241	3 355	–	–	3 355
acres on which used..	3 526 053	1 238 981	832 810	6 080	10 146	999 048	–	–	999 048
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—									
Insects on hay and other crops ..... farms..	3 626	1 116	690	174	111	1 164	–	–	1 164
acres on which used..	967 881	258 643	339 173	6 832	3 934	320 158	–	–	320 158
Nematodes in crops ..... farms..	793	87	351	24	4	272	–	–	272
acres on which used..	194 614	10 568	116 599	125	(D)	62 301	–	–	62 301
Diseases in crops and orchards ..... farms..	1 517	227	556	165	51	437	–	–	437
acres on which used..	461 292	71 623	264 953	4 349	326	109 650	–	–	109 650
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture ..... farms..	8 716	2 395	681	100	171	2 221	–	–	2 221
acres on which used..	2 499 076	1 000 179	599 524	3 141	7 274	660 346	–	–	660 346
Chemicals used on crops to control growth, thin fruit, or defoliate ..... farms..	952	194	292	66	18	322	–	–	322
acres on which used..	241 305	40 491	136 362	2 727	51	54 178	–	–	54 178

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Item	Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111)	Cattle feedlots (112112)	Dairy cattle and milk production (11212)	Hog and pig farming (1122)	Poultry and egg production (1123)	Sheep and goat farming (1124)	Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125,1129)
LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE—Con.							
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured ..... farms..	3 166	147	257	41	19	179	652
acres..	2 813 996	114 982	63 919	1 359	(D)	294 583	64 791
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. ..... farms..	4 470	280	681	125	62	272	1 377
acres..	107 210	9 732	21 214	898	1 006	3 080	16 512
Irrigated land ..... farms..	4 980	295	720	79	37	305	1 124
acres..	660 996	34 433	164 839	2 405	1 023	18 534	23 279
Harvested cropland irrigated ..... farms..	3 156	168	643	40	24	127	451
acres..	377 326	25 294	146 473	1 468	804	10 921	8 433
Pasture and other land irrigated ..... farms..	3 714	217	353	60	25	248	939
acres..	283 670	9 139	18 366	937	219	7 613	14 846
Land under Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs ..... farms..	538	22	56	4	4	24	93
acres..	133 962	2 738	6 317	477	(D)	4 718	18 135
VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS[1]							
Estimated market value of land and buildings ..... farms..	7 857	448	947	150	96	419	2 250
$1,000..	3 208 817	258 764	623 377	19 926	17 938	150 538	410 026
Average per farm ..... dollars..	408 402	577 599	658 266	132 839	186 851	359 279	182 234
Average per acre ..... dollars..	703	1 501	2 148	2 468	3 889	480	2 471
Farms by value group:							
$1 to $39,999	1 036	87	21	24	4	104	440
$40,000 to $69,999	677	65	33	25	32	24	250
$70,000 to $99,999	652	52	29	29	10	21	151
$100,000 to $149,999	1 031	75	78	41	17	77	384
$150,000 to $199,999	795	38	60	18	12	53	293
$200,000 to $499,999	2 137	58	351	8	18	91	589
$500,000 to $999,999	784	28	219	1	–	28	117
$1,000,000 to $1,999,999	477	22	90	4	1	8	23
$2,000,000 to $4,999,999	220	15	59	–	2	9	2
$5,000,000 or more	48	8	7	–	–	4	1
VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT[1]							
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ..... farms..	7 857	448	947	150	96	419	2 250
$1,000..	282 000	22 353	132 852	2 588	3 932	13 689	64 232
Farms by value group:							
$1 to $4,999	1 095	100	–	25	39	83	382
$5,000 to $9,999	1 260	70	41	38	33	81	368
$10,000 to $19,999	1 714	62	53	41	7	98	441
$20,000 to $49,999	2 148	131	188	37	14	87	772
$50,000 to $99,999	998	19	228	6	1	50	221
$100,000 to $199,999	429	33	227	3	–	10	50
$200,000 to $499,999	187	27	173	–	–	5	14
$500,000 or more	26	6	37	–	2	5	2
SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT[1]							
Motortrucks, including pickups ..... farms..	7 321	441	947	139	93	408	2 047
number..	15 720	1 061	3 603	230	211	931	3 641
Wheel tractors ..... farms..	6 353	282	901	121	52	323	1 577
number..	12 430	622	2 636	195	63	521	2 278
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms..	3 198	184	371	70	12	203	910
number..	4 341	239	516	94	12	249	1 133
40 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms..	4 626	157	833	69	42	182	893
number..	8 089	383	2 120	101	51	272	1 145
40 to 99 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms..	4 088	138	702	69	32	178	790
number..	6 073	260	1 346	(D)	(D)	231	916
100 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms..	1 517	81	469	1	17	16	190
number..	2 016	123	774	(D)	(D)	41	229
Grain and bean combines ..... farms..	588	38	218	4	7	17	24
number..	628	42	267	5	7	23	24
Cotton pickers and strippers ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Mower conditioners ..... farms..	2 573	111	457	38	–	51	367
number..	2 773	117	510	38	–	55	377
Pickup balers ..... farms..	2 920	106	499	45	6	37	405
number..	3 339	119	608	48	6	47	442
AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS[1]							
Commercial fertilizer ..... farms..	2 611	150	541	48	13	100	477
acres on which used..	277 071	25 119	107 041	2 337	548	8 745	18 127
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—							
Insects on hay and other crops ..... farms..	166	37	96	4	6	2	60
acres on which used..	14 504	6 777	15 058	(D)	240	(D)	1 906
Nematodes in crops ..... farms..	18	1	28	–	–	–	8
acres on which used..	1 899	(D)	2 598	–	–	–	112
Diseases in crops and orchards ..... farms..	31	11	18	4	–	1	16
acres on which used..	3 474	530	5 476	(D)	–	(D)	832
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture ..... farms..	1 977	119	471	54	29	91	407
acres on which used..	138 675	9 959	64 715	1 806	544	3 901	9 012
Chemicals used on crops to control growth, thin fruit, or defoliate ..... farms..	27	3	20	–	–	3	7
acres on which used..	1 204	815	1 887	–	–	(D)	(D)

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						Total	Tobacco farming (11191)	Cotton farming (11192)	Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199)
TENURE AND RACE OF OPERATOR									
All operators	22 314	3 925	980	271	444	4 746	–	–	4 746
Full owners	13 875	1 966	274	224	336	2 670	–	–	2 670
Part owners	6 292	1 436	518	38	63	1 551	–	–	1 551
Tenants	2 147	523	188	9	45	525	–	–	525
White	21 962	3 878	942	267	441	4 658	–	–	4 658
Full owners	13 674	1 934	264	220	336	2 626	–	–	2 626
Part owners	6 187	1 424	499	38	62	1 517	–	–	1 517
Tenants	2 101	520	179	9	43	515	–	–	515
Black and other races	352	47	38	4	3	88	–	–	88
Full owners	201	32	10	4	–	44	–	–	44
Part owners	105	12	19	–	1	34	–	–	34
Tenants	46	3	9	–	2	10	–	–	10
OWNED AND RENTED LAND									
Land owned ... farms	20 264	3 430	798	263	402	4 242	–	–	4 242
acres	9 027 774	1 976 291	642 740	16 948	31 307	1 866 526	–	–	1 866 526
Owned land in farms ... farms	20 167	3 402	792	262	399	4 221	–	–	4 221
acres	7 897 630	1 713 126	611 165	15 620	26 682	1 465 893	–	–	1 465 893
Land rented or leased from others ... farms	8 535	1 978	709	48	108	2 088	–	–	2 088
acres	4 007 597	1 369 667	496 951	(D)	8 103	778 684	–	–	778 684
landlords	21 918	6 932	2 305	77	170	5 875	–	–	5 875
Rented or leased land in farms ... farms	8 439	1 959	706	47	108	2 076	–	–	2 076
acres	3 932 537	1 346 565	492 477	2 780	8 103	760 829	–	–	760 829
Land rented or leased to others ... farms	3 433	732	143	32	56	656	–	–	656
acres	1 205 204	286 267	36 049	(D)	4 625	418 488	–	–	418 488
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS									
Operators by place of residence:									
On farm operated	17 068	2 492	642	228	319	3 651	–	–	3 651
Not on farm operated	3 801	1 117	245	36	110	846	–	–	846
Not reported	1 445	316	93	7	15	249	–	–	249
Operators by principal occupation:									
Farming	12 049	2 572	849	120	186	2 734	–	–	2 734
Other	10 265	1 353	131	151	258	2 012	–	–	2 012
Operators by days worked off farm:									
None	8 856	1 822	599	87	170	1 905	–	–	1 905
Any	12 230	1 852	284	176	265	2 580	–	–	2 580
1 to 99 days	2 264	549	122	37	48	562	–	–	562
100 to 199 days	2 081	345	64	28	49	438	–	–	438
200 days or more	7 885	958	98	111	168	1 580	–	–	1 580
Not reported	1 228	251	97	8	9	261	–	–	261
Operators by years on present farm:									
2 years or less	1 269	171	55	21	25	303	–	–	303
3 or 4 years	1 752	213	51	32	51	376	–	–	376
5 to 9 years	3 592	422	108	52	93	826	–	–	826
10 years or more	12 603	2 484	613	145	241	2 694	–	–	2 694
Average years on present farm	18.7	22.1	20.2	16.6	14.0	18.2	–	–	18.2
Not reported	3 098	635	153	21	34	547	–	–	547
Operators by age group:									
Under 25 years	236	54	17	–	–	59	–	–	59
25 to 34 years	1 362	239	80	9	27	318	–	–	318
35 to 44 years	4 986	833	271	37	109	1 107	–	–	1 107
45 to 49 years	2 971	467	149	48	72	631	–	–	631
50 to 54 years	2 879	477	117	46	70	631	–	–	631
55 to 59 years	2 640	430	124	28	56	530	–	–	530
60 to 64 years	2 264	427	82	33	35	477	–	–	477
65 to 69 years	1 855	339	58	30	42	388	–	–	388
70 years and over	3 121	659	82	40	33	605	–	–	605
Average age	53.2	54.1	49.9	55.9	51.7	52.5	–	–	52.5
Operators by sex:									
Male	20 565	3 703	953	238	379	4 490	–	–	4 490
Female	1 749	222	27	33	65	256	–	–	256
Operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin (see text)	328	47	21	4	8	76	–	–	76
FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION									
Individual or family (sole proprietorship) ... farms	18 631	3 075	586	227	335	3 967	–	–	3 967
acres	6 226 860	1 672 944	436 660	9 291	20 306	1 147 317	–	–	1 147 317
Partnership ... farms	1 956	454	194	20	37	401	–	–	401
acres	2 302 246	715 048	331 303	1 127	6 109	401 369	–	–	401 369
Corporation:									
Family held ... farms	1 351	300	180	17	61	314	–	–	314
acres	2 222 151	371 976	314 663	6 539	7 235	407 254	–	–	407 254
More than 10 stockholders ... farms	41	10	6	1	–	6	–	–	6
10 or less stockholders ... farms	1 310	290	174	16	61	308	–	–	308
Other than family held ... farms	108	22	11	4	4	23	–	–	23
acres	121 513	20 267	12 736	1 298	(D)	24 317	–	–	24 317
More than 10 stockholders ... farms	24	6	1	–	–	8	–	–	8
10 or less stockholders ... farms	84	16	10	4	4	15	–	–	15
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. ... farms	268	74	9	3	7	41	–	–	41
acres	957 397	279 456	8 280	145	(D)	246 465	–	–	246 465

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TENURE AND RACE OF OPERATOR							
All operators	7 697	443	926	180	84	465	2 153
Full owners	5 293	309	542	130	73	345	1 713
Part owners	1 832	101	296	32	5	91	329
Tenants	572	33	88	18	6	29	111
White	7 581	439	916	175	84	458	2 123
Full owners	5 218	305	536	128	73	342	1 692
Part owners	1 807	101	293	29	5	88	324
Tenants	556	33	87	18	6	28	107
Black and other races	116	4	10	5	–	7	30
Full owners	75	4	6	2	–	3	21
Part owners	25	–	3	3	–	3	5
Tenants	16	–	1	–	–	1	4
OWNED AND RENTED LAND							
Land owned ... farms	7 153	410	840	162	78	436	2 050
acres	3 540 893	161 086	242 832	7 889	3 981	298 083	239 198
Owned land in farms ... farms	7 125	410	838	162	78	436	2 042
acres	3 243 181	152 767	230 985	(D)	(D)	282 933	145 983
Land rented or leased from others ... farms	2 444	134	393	50	11	123	449
acres	1 144 235	33 207	76 619	2 913	(D)	59 935	25 712
landlords	4 408	224	746	135	16	190	840
Rented or leased land in farms ... farms	2 404	134	384	50	11	120	440
acres	1 119 808	33 207	75 314	(D)	(D)	59 249	22 627
Land rented or leased to others ... farms	1 260	63	125	21	10	61	274
acres	322 139	8 319	13 152	1 551	(D)	15 836	96 300
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS							
Operators by place of residence:							
On farm operated	6 171	361	782	151	74	408	1 789
Not on farm operated	1 066	48	70	17	6	35	205
Not reported	460	34	74	12	4	22	159
Operators by principal occupation:							
Farming	3 688	189	825	51	24	195	616
Other	4 009	254	101	129	60	270	1 537
Operators by days worked off farm:							
None	2 739	148	679	35	22	133	517
Any	4 559	275	170	139	58	314	1 558
1 to 99 days	644	34	56	13	8	54	137
100 to 199 days	751	42	41	23	12	45	243
200 days or more	3 164	199	73	103	38	215	1 178
Not reported	399	20	77	6	4	18	78
Operators by years on present farm:							
2 years or less	433	29	45	16	8	21	142
3 or 4 years	622	40	58	23	13	39	234
5 to 9 years	1 273	82	100	38	20	106	472
10 years or more	4 264	238	583	80	34	238	989
Average years on present farm	19.1	17.3	20.1	13.2	10.8	16.0	14.0
Not reported	1 105	54	140	23	9	61	316
Operators by age group:							
Under 25 years	76	2	8	–	–	3	17
25 to 34 years	424	29	68	21	5	25	117
35 to 44 years	1 555	112	242	62	24	111	523
45 to 49 years	917	58	158	26	13	73	359
50 to 54 years	942	52	127	21	14	67	315
55 to 59 years	937	55	97	20	12	66	285
60 to 64 years	822	40	85	14	6	48	195
65 to 69 years	719	39	57	6	4	31	142
70 years and over	1 305	56	84	10	6	41	200
Average age	54.7	52.5	50.5	47.7	50.6	52.0	51.6
Operators by sex:							
Male	7 114	404	891	162	72	374	1 785
Female	583	39	35	18	12	91	368
Operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin (see text)	108	7	21	1	–	15	20
FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION							
Individual or family (sole proprietorship) ... farms	6 766	382	685	166	65	418	1 959
acres	2 467 936	86 178	200 795	8 430	1 687	64 383	110 933
Partnership ... farms	549	25	153	7	4	25	87
acres	690 236	20 609	65 826	(D)	(D)	(D)	25 305
Corporation:							
Family held ... farms	269	25	75	6	13	19	72
acres	818 897	67 493	30 201	84	9 854	177 887	10 068
More than 10 stockholders ... farms	11	2	1	–	1	1	2
10 or less stockholders ... farms	258	23	74	6	12	18	70
Other than family held ... farms	18	6	7	1	2	–	10
acres	49 767	3 723	7 622	(D)	(D)	–	1 223
More than 10 stockholders ... farms	3	1	3	–	–	–	2
10 or less stockholders ... farms	15	5	4	1	2	–	8
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. ... farms	95	5	6	–	–	3	25
acres	336 153	7 971	1 855	–	–	(D)	21 081

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INJURIES AND DEATHS									
Farm-related injuries:									
Operator and family members ..... farms..	280	40	16	4	3	39	–	–	39
number..	317	42	18	4	4	45	–	–	45
Hired workers ..... farms..	446	48	76	10	29	104	–	–	104
number..	723	58	128	33	53	148	–	–	148
Farm-related deaths:									
Operator and family members ..... farms..	6	1	–	–	–	2	–	–	2
number..	6	(D)	–	–	–	(D)	–	–	(D)
Hired workers ..... farms..	4	1	–	–	–	3	–	–	3
number..	5	(D)	–	–	–	(D)	–	–	(D)
FARMS BY SIZE									
1 to 9 acres	3 092	43	54	96	167	273	–	–	273
10 to 49 acres	5 621	469	67	98	147	1 286	–	–	1 286
50 to 69 acres	1 006	132	12	17	19	260	–	–	260
70 to 99 acres	1 406	289	40	20	23	351	–	–	351
100 to 139 acres	1 159	233	24	14	20	264	–	–	264
140 to 179 acres	1 186	310	32	8	20	309	–	–	309
180 to 219 acres	786	166	42	3	7	185	–	–	185
220 to 259 acres	695	189	23	1	10	156	–	–	156
260 to 499 acres	2 331	587	160	7	16	588	–	–	588
500 to 999 acres	2 199	624	210	6	10	568	–	–	568
1,000 to 1,999 acres	1 582	514	174	–	5	327	–	–	327
2,000 acres or more	1 251	369	142	1	–	179	–	–	179
FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM									
Oilseed and grain farming (1111)	3 925	3 925	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Vegetable and melon farming (1112)	980	–	980	–	–	–	–	–	–
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113)	271	–	–	271	–	–	–	–	–
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114)	444	–	–	–	444	–	–	–	–
Other crop farming (1119)	4 746	–	–	–	–	4 746	–	–	4 746
Tobacco farming (11191)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton farming (11192)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199)	4 746	–	–	–	–	4 746	–	–	4 746
Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111)	7 697	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cattle feedlots (112112)	443	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212)	926	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Hog and pig farming (1122)	180	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Poultry and egg production (1123)	84	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sheep and goat farming (1124)	465	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129)	2 153	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
LIVESTOCK									
Cattle and calves inventory ..... farms..	12 063	1 073	181	15	41	1 549	–	–	1 549
number..	1 908 097	87 633	28 629	438	877	139 387	–	–	139 387
Farms with—									
1 to 9	2 414	172	20	6	21	369	–	–	369
10 to 49	4 485	430	53	6	15	594	–	–	594
50 to 99	1 750	202	31	2	2	212	–	–	212
100 to 199	1 419	155	34	1	3	184	–	–	184
200 to 499	1 305	94	34	–	–	146	–	–	146
500 or more	690	20	9	–	–	44	–	–	44
Cows and heifers that had calved ..... farms..	9 375	862	147	11	24	1 134	–	–	1 134
number..	821 530	43 317	11 707	198	314	61 730	–	–	61 730
Beef cows ..... farms..	8 405	853	144	9	21	1 096	–	–	1 096
number..	555 676	42 945	11 504	(D)	309	58 621	–	–	58 621
Farms with—									
1 to 9	2 347	171	18	5	11	314	–	–	314
10 to 49	3 463	421	58	3	8	460	–	–	460
50 to 99	1 067	142	25	1	2	150	–	–	150
100 to 199	818	79	26	–	–	117	–	–	117
200 to 499	563	35	16	–	–	42	–	–	42
500 or more	147	5	1	–	–	13	–	–	13
Milk cows ..... farms..	1 404	36	6	3	5	70	–	–	70
number..	265 854	372	203	(D)	5	3 109	–	–	3 109
Farms with—									
1 to 4	375	30	2	1	5	41	–	–	41
5 to 9	38	2	–	2	–	–	–	–	–
10 to 49	250	1	2	–	–	10	–	–	10
50 to 99	236	2	2	–	–	7	–	–	7
100 to 199	206	1	–	–	–	7	–	–	7
200 to 499	172	–	–	–	–	5	–	–	5
500 or more	127	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Heifers and heifer calves ..... farms..	9 102	845	138	10	22	1 129	–	–	1 129
number..	551 508	21 857	9 068	129	313	42 588	–	–	42 588
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves ..... farms..	10 110	922	154	12	34	1 279	–	–	1 279
number..	535 059	22 459	7 854	111	250	35 069	–	–	35 069

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Item	Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111)	Cattle feedlots (112112)	Dairy cattle and milk production (11212)	Hog and pig farming (1122)	Poultry and egg production (1123)	Sheep and goat farming (1124)	Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125,1129)
INJURIES AND DEATHS							
Farm-related injuries:							
Operator and family members ..... farms..	97	6	41	1	1	3	29
number..	109	7	52	(D)	(D)	(D)	31
Hired workers ..... farms..	72	10	73	2	1	4	17
number..	99	47	119	(D)	(D)	5	23
Farm-related deaths:							
Operator and family members ..... farms..	3	–	–	–	–	–	–
number..	(D)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Hired workers ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
number..	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
FARMS BY SIZE							
1 to 9 acres	1 328	123	54	71	35	132	716
10 to 49 acres	2 050	126	148	79	33	186	932
50 to 69 acres	381	23	34	5	3	20	100
70 to 99 acres	459	20	99	6	4	24	71
100 to 139 acres	395	20	74	4	–	13	98
140 to 179 acres	334	15	87	3	2	13	53
180 to 219 acres	270	9	51	1	1	9	42
220 to 259 acres	214	13	57	–	1	11	20
260 to 499 acres	693	36	157	8	3	10	66
500 to 999 acres	635	16	95	2	–	7	26
1,000 to 1,999 acres	458	20	48	1	–	15	20
2,000 acres or more	480	22	22	–	2	25	9
FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM							
Oilseed and grain farming (1111)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Vegetable and melon farming (1112)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other crop farming (1119)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Tobacco farming (11191)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton farming (11192)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111)	7 697	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cattle feedlots (112112)	–	443	–	–	–	–	–
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212)	–	–	926	–	–	–	–
Hog and pig farming (1122)	–	–	–	180	–	–	–
Poultry and egg production (1123)	–	–	–	–	84	–	–
Sheep and goat farming (1124)	–	–	–	–	–	465	–
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129)	–	–	–	–	–	–	2 153
LIVESTOCK							
Cattle and calves inventory ..... farms..	7 265	409	919	83	21	129	378
number..	908 624	326 326	403 337	1 023	103	6 137	5 583
Farms with—							
1 to 9	1 270	126	2	56	19	79	274
10 to 49	3 033	143	83	22	2	25	79
50 to 99	1 085	36	156	5	–	6	13
100 to 199	779	28	214	–	–	10	11
200 to 499	726	31	267	–	–	7	–
500 or more	372	45	197	–	–	2	1
Cows and heifers that had calved ..... farms..	5 702	237	911	51	17	78	201
number..	418 429	17 588	262 950	469	51	2 730	2 047
Beef cows ..... farms..	5 587	233	149	46	16	67	184
number..	411 795	17 511	7 651	442	(D)	2 687	1 983
Farms with—							
1 to 9	1 489	87	29	37	15	37	134
10 to 49	2 303	84	65	6	1	13	41
50 to 99	679	21	26	3	–	11	7
100 to 199	550	14	26	–	–	4	2
200 to 499	446	20	3	–	–	1	–
500 or more	120	7	–	–	–	1	–
Milk cows ..... farms..	313	10	905	9	2	19	26
number..	6 634	77	255 299	27	(D)	43	64
Farms with—							
1 to 4	231	8	5	8	2	17	25
5 to 9	29	–	4	1	–	–	–
10 to 49	28	2	204	–	–	2	1
50 to 99	7	–	218	–	–	–	–
100 to 199	12	–	186	–	–	–	–
200 to 499	4	–	163	–	–	–	–
500 or more	2	–	125	–	–	–	–
Heifers and heifer calves ..... farms..	5 503	290	810	39	10	83	223
number..	257 102	102 301	114 063	188	16	1 969	1 914
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves ..... farms..	6 179	372	690	68	13	108	279
number..	233 093	206 437	26 324	366	36	1 438	1 622

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Item	Total	Oilseed and grain farming (1111)	Vegetable and melon farming (1112)	Fruit and tree nut farming (1113)	Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114)	Other crop farming (1119)			
						Total	Tobacco farming (11191)	Cotton farming (11192)	Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199)
LIVESTOCK—Con.									
Cattle and calves sold ..... farms..	11 684	1 024	176	10	26	1 425	–	–	1 425
number..	1 578 375	41 063	18 678	178	495	73 320	–	–	73 320
$1,000..	910 805	18 151	9 033	74	191	34 748	–	–	34 748
Calves ..... farms..	4 519	340	39	6	14	461	–	–	461
number..	240 292	10 053	2 772	58	192	16 916	–	–	16 916
$1,000..	59 093	2 584	851	17	52	4 765	–	–	4 765
Cattle ..... farms..	9 902	850	158	9	19	1 219	–	–	1 219
number..	1 338 083	31 010	15 906	120	303	56 404	–	–	56 404
$1,000..	851 712	15 568	8 182	56	139	29 983	–	–	29 983
Fattened on grain and concentrates .... farms..	984	82	12	–	5	115	–	–	115
number..	632 606	2 060	223	–	29	3 938	–	–	3 938
$1,000..	473 467	1 281	142	–	21	2 730	–	–	2 730
Hogs and pigs inventory ..... farms..	714	47	9	2	2	96	–	–	96
number..	29 026	1 343	78	(D)	(D)	6 306	–	–	6 306
Farms with—									
1 to 24	588	38	8	2	2	79	–	–	79
25 to 49	49	6	1	–	–	3	–	–	3
50 to 99	21	–	–	–	–	4	–	–	4
100 to 199	25	1	–	–	–	2	–	–	2
200 to 499	20	1	–	–	–	6	–	–	6
500 or more	11	1	–	–	–	2	–	–	2
Used or to be used for breeding ..... farms..	290	19	2	1	–	35	–	–	35
number..	4 456	141	(D)	(D)	–	956	–	–	956
Other ..... farms..	653	41	9	2	2	88	–	–	88
number..	24 570	1 202	(D)	(D)	(D)	5 350	–	–	5 350
Hogs and pigs sold..... farms..	573	40	8	1	–	75	–	–	75
number..	44 626	1 485	87	(D)	–	8 331	–	–	8 331
$1,000..	4 473	153	11	(D)	–	903	–	–	903
Feeder pigs ..... farms..	90	6	–	–	–	8	–	–	8
number..	9 305	101	–	–	–	689	–	–	689
$1,000..	345	4	–	–	–	26	–	–	26
Litters of pigs farrowed between—									
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30 .... farms..	309	21	3	1	–	35	–	–	35
number..	5 892	196	9	(D)	–	1 332	–	–	1 332
Dec. 1 and May 31..... farms..	274	20	2	1	–	33	–	–	33
number..	3 112	103	(D)	(D)	–	708	–	–	708
June 1 and Nov. 30 ..... farms..	240	17	2	–	–	29	–	–	29
number..	2 780	93	(D)	–	–	624	–	–	624
Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory..... farms..	1 097	55	17	10	7	130	–	–	130
number..	273 804	7 855	481	278	(D)	21 172	–	–	21 172
Ewes 1 year old or older ..... farms..	940	49	13	8	7	110	–	–	110
number..	212 487	6 780	366	218	(D)	16 906	–	–	16 906
Sheep and lambs sold..... farms..	1 035	50	15	6	6	115	–	–	115
number..	291 435	6 247	443	322	152	20 847	–	–	20 847
Sheep and lambs shorn ..... farms..	881	44	13	5	3	102	–	–	102
number..	240 028	5 345	401	233	(D)	20 514	–	–	20 514
pounds of wool..	2 260 626	48 666	3 680	2 229	(D)	227 724	–	–	227 724
Horses and ponies inventory ..... farms..	8 682	686	148	28	59	1 418	–	–	1 418
number..	59 559	3 479	749	79	189	7 888	–	–	7 888
Horses and ponies sold..... farms..	1 783	74	16	2	1	160	–	–	160
number..	6 196	169	49	(D)	(D)	332	–	–	332
Goats inventory ..... farms..	657	22	8	6	4	84	–	–	84
number..	6 269	107	33	(D)	(D)	438	–	–	438
Goats sold ..... farms..	213	4	1	1	2	11	–	–	11
number..	2 492	24	(D)	(D)	(D)	111	–	–	111
POULTRY									
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text) ..... farms..	886	54	16	11	6	97	–	–	97
number..	(D)	921	(D)	176	(D)	1 606	–	–	1 606
Farms with—									
1 to 399	882	54	16	11	6	97	–	–	97
400 to 3,199	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999.....	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
10,000 to 19,999	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 or more	2	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Layers 20 weeks old and older ..... farms..	865	53	16	10	6	95	–	–	95
number..	922 612	884	435	146	138	1 418	–	–	1 418
Pullets 13 weeks old and older but less than 20 weeks old ..... farms..	155	5	2	3	1	13	–	–	13
number..	(D)	37	(D)	30	(D)	188	–	–	188
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold (see text)..... farms..	76	2	1	–	–	7	–	–	7
number..	404 434	(D)	(D)	–	–	151	–	–	151
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold .. farms..	55	2	4	–	–	6	–	–	6
number..	6 043	(D)	256	–	–	806	–	–	806
Farms with—									
1 to 1,999.....	54	2	4	–	–	6	–	–	6
2,000 to 59,999.....	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
60,000 to 99,999	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 or more	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens kept for breeding ..... farms..	64	1	1	1	2	6	–	–	6
number..	313	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	20	–	–	20
Turkeys sold ..... farms..	40	–	2	–	–	3	–	–	3
number..	400	–	(D)	–	–	(D)	–	–	(D)

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Item	Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111)	Cattle feedlots (112112)	Dairy cattle and milk production (11212)	Hog and pig farming (1122)	Poultry and egg production (1123)	Sheep and goat farming (1124)	Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125,1129)
LIVESTOCK—Con.							
Cattle and calves sold ..... farms..	7 315	443	924	50	4	74	213
number..	644 584	650 460	142 771	402	25	2 840	3 559
$1,000..	321 283	480 499	43 763	155	9	1 402	1 499
Calves ..... farms..	2 831	71	601	22	–	28	106
number..	127 828	930	80 053	121	–	330	1 039
$1,000..	37 009	271	13 147	27	–	86	285
Cattle ..... farms..	6 221	443	746	34	4	56	143
number..	516 756	649 530	62 718	281	25	2 510	2 520
$1,000..	284 274	480 227	30 616	128	9	1 316	1 214
Fattened on grain and concentrates .... farms..	258	443	28	11	–	4	26
number..	19 763	604 901	1 299	(D)	–	(D)	163
$1,000..	13 998	454 231	783	(D)	–	(D)	110
Hogs and pigs inventory ..... farms..	253	17	31	169	4	26	58
number..	2 248	541	559	17 296	21	101	526
Farms with—							
1 to 24	231	15	28	101	4	26	54
25 to 49	16	–	–	21	–	–	2
50 to 99	5	1	2	9	–	–	–
100 to 199	1	–	–	19	–	–	2
200 to 499	–	1	1	11	–	–	–
500 or more	–	–	–	8	–	–	–
Used or to be used for breeding ..... farms..	89	1	5	116	2	5	15
number..	386	(D)	63	2 750	(D)	14	78
Other ..... farms..	227	17	30	154	4	23	56
number..	1 862	(D)	496	14 546	(D)	87	448
Hogs and pigs sold..... farms..	177	17	21	175	2	21	36
number..	2 881	(D)	555	29 596	(D)	71	723
$1,000..	298	(D)	66	2 839	(D)	9	84
Feeder pigs ..... farms..	21	–	3	49	–	1	2
number..	583	–	27	7 859	–	(D)	(D)
$1,000..	21	–	1	290	–	(D)	(D)
Litters of pigs farrowed between—							
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30 .... farms..	92	1	7	126	2	5	16
number..	411	(D)	55	3 693	(D)	10	95
Dec. 1 and May 31..... farms..	84	1	6	106	2	5	14
number..	213	(D)	31	1 943	(D)	6	53
June 1 and Nov. 30 ..... farms..	60	1	5	112	–	3	11
number..	198	(D)	24	1 750	–	4	42
Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory..... farms..	358	21	11	22	2	394	70
number..	21 665	949	770	242	(D)	213 925	6 314
Ewes 1 year old or older ..... farms..	296	19	11	15	2	368	42
number..	16 122	807	569	138	(D)	165 864	4 605
Sheep and lambs sold..... farms..	323	21	12	13	1	410	63
number..	20 960	709	881	(D)	(D)	235 814	4 915
Sheep and lambs shorn ..... farms..	260	15	11	8	1	384	35
number..	17 635	709	784	111	(D)	189 807	4 387
pounds of wool..	160 129	7 621	6 712	1 197	(D)	1 771 226	30 489
Horses and ponies inventory ..... farms..	3 697	180	244	83	27	201	1 911
number..	22 409	1 096	1 886	304	159	1 178	20 143
Horses and ponies sold..... farms..	486	22	29	10	1	20	962
number..	1 429	64	64	15	(D)	42	4 015
Goats inventory ..... farms..	217	23	12	23	8	119	131
number..	1 460	80	112	156	38	3 089	650
Goats sold ..... farms..	72	6	–	12	2	75	27
number..	875	17	–	74	(D)	1 188	175
POULTRY							
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text) ..... farms..	393	39	25	37	38	54	116
number..	7 330	900	(D)	618	(D)	878	2 237
Farms with—							
1 to 399	393	39	25	37	34	54	116
400 to 3,199	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999.....	–	–	–	–	1	–	–
10,000 to 19,999	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	–	–	–	–	1	–	–
100,000 or more	–	–	–	–	2	–	–
Layers 20 weeks old and older ..... farms..	381	38	25	37	37	54	113
number..	6 383	798	400	487	908 910	785	1 828
Pullets 13 weeks old and older but less than 20 weeks old ..... farms..	70	5	2	8	14	12	20
number..	947	102	(D)	131	(D)	93	409
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold (see text)..... farms..	28	5	–	4	13	5	11
number..	1 022	47	–	(D)	402 719	37	249
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold .. farms..	21	2	2	6	3	2	7
number..	904	(D)	(D)	335	(D)	(D)	552
Farms with—							
1 to 1,999.....	21	2	2	6	2	2	7
2,000 to 59,999.....	–	–	–	–	1	–	–
60,000 to 99,999	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 or more	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens kept for breeding ..... farms..	26	2	1	6	6	5	7
number..	207	(D)	(D)	12	26	20	12
Turkeys sold ..... farms..	14	5	1	3	6	4	2
number..	140	107	(D)	28	26	(D)	(D)

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Item	Total	Oilseed and grain farming (1111)	Vegetable and melon farming (1112)	Fruit and tree nut farming (1113)	Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114)	Other crop farming (1119)			
						Total	Tobacco farming (11191)	Cotton farming (11192)	Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199)
SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED									
Corn for grain or seed ..... farms..	694	267	42	3	4	226	–	–	226
acres..	41 162	12 772	4 880	112	53	16 680	–	–	16 680
bushels..	6 390 279	2 026 626	730 992	17 416	4 277	2 645 121	–	–	2 645 121
Irrigated ..... farms..	694	267	42	3	4	226	–	–	226
acres..	41 162	12 772	4 880	112	53	16 680	–	–	16 680
Corn for silage or green chop..... farms..	1 041	287	50	2	4	195	–	–	195
acres..	79 086	21 630	7 932	(D)	163	13 339	–	–	13 339
tons, green..	1 991 808	572 416	217 881	(D)	4 021	325 508	–	–	325 508
Irrigated ..... farms..	1 041	287	50	2	4	195	–	–	195
acres..	79 086	21 630	7 932	(D)	163	13 339	–	–	13 339
Wheat for grain ..... farms..	5 199	2 399	675	15	21	1 400	–	–	1 400
acres..	1 410 978	740 634	313 992	499	1 295	288 344	–	–	288 344
bushels..	108 941 849	45 947 171	30 490 979	(D)	122 737	27 897 321	–	–	27 897 321
Irrigated ..... farms..	3 852	1 367	659	14	19	1 282	–	–	1 282
acres..	787 355	186 464	290 920	484	1 184	265 618	–	–	265 618
Farms by acres harvested:									
1 to 24 acres	766	324	38	7	4	216	–	–	216
25 to 99 acres	1 723	752	116	8	12	529	–	–	529
100 to 249 acres	1 176	503	189	–	5	328	–	–	328
250 to 499 acres	716	357	139	–	–	185	–	–	185
500 acres or more.....	818	463	193	–	–	142	–	–	142
Barley for grain ..... farms..	4 178	1 655	355	2	9	1 017	–	–	1 017
acres..	711 504	360 860	130 262	(D)	346	132 416	–	–	132 416
bushels..	54 317 070	23 994 893	11 782 157	(D)	32 831	11 870 728	–	–	11 870 728
Irrigated ..... farms..	3 098	901	340	2	9	889	–	–	889
acres..	415 100	124 175	117 390	(D)	346	107 941	–	–	107 941
Farms by acres harvested:									
1 to 24 acres	893	255	33	–	4	239	–	–	239
25 to 99 acres	1 613	587	86	2	4	416	–	–	416
100 to 249 acres	933	424	91	–	1	221	–	–	221
250 to 499 acres	418	211	71	–	–	88	–	–	88
500 acres or more.....	321	178	74	–	–	53	–	–	53
Oats for grain..... farms..	549	157	12	–	2	135	–	–	135
acres..	20 406	9 422	491	–	(D)	4 744	–	–	4 744
bushels..	1 472 775	710 320	31 276	–	(D)	363 676	–	–	363 676
Irrigated ..... farms..	309	51	8	–	2	87	–	–	87
acres..	8 316	2 109	375	–	(D)	2 445	–	–	2 445
Dry edible beans, excluding dry limas ..... farms..	1 138	570	88	–	11	385	–	–	385
acres..	92 743	48 751	8 723	–	581	30 528	–	–	30 528
cwt..	2 036 315	1 041 966	192 781	–	12 885	691 713	–	–	691 713
Irrigated ..... farms..	1 093	525	88	–	11	385	–	–	385
acres..	86 742	42 750	8 723	–	581	30 528	–	–	30 528
Farms by acres harvested:									
1 to 24 acres	238	102	18	–	4	85	–	–	85
25 to 99 acres	602	305	46	–	5	202	–	–	202
100 to 249 acres	237	129	17	–	2	79	–	–	79
250 to 499 acres	53	32	5	–	–	15	–	–	15
500 acres or more.....	8	2	2	–	–	4	–	–	4
Potatoes, excluding sweetpotatoes ..... farms..	1 402	102	805	1	–	436	–	–	436
acres..	394 977	(D)	306 923	(D)	–	68 359	–	–	68 359
cwt..	135 578 736	(D)	105 366 227	(D)	–	24 577 135	–	–	24 577 135
Irrigated ..... farms..	1 402	102	805	1	–	436	–	–	436
acres..	394 817	(D)	306 763	(D)	–	68 359	–	–	68 359
Farms by acres harvested:									
0.1 to 4.9 acres	45	5	19	–	–	10	–	–	10
5.0 to 24.9 acres	83	11	29	1	–	35	–	–	35
25.0 to 99.9 acres	403	35	157	–	–	180	–	–	180
100.0 to 249.9 acres.....	403	34	239	–	–	125	–	–	125
250.0 acres or more	468	17	361	–	–	86	–	–	86
Sugar beets for sugar..... farms..	921	76	115	–	3	691	–	–	691
acres..	195 651	7 111	29 638	–	(D)	154 282	–	–	154 282
tons..	5 078 013	169 369	763 111	–	(D)	4 034 070	–	–	4 034 070
Irrigated ..... farms..	921	76	115	–	3	691	–	–	691
acres..	195 651	7 111	29 638	–	(D)	154 282	–	–	154 282
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) ..... farms..	11 960	1 702	402	28	85	4 204	–	–	4 204
acres..	1 260 010	145 891	67 684	662	3 014	485 363	–	–	485 363
tons, dry..	4 395 396	491 039	326 784	3 298	10 517	1 938 321	–	–	1 938 321
Irrigated ..... farms..	9 307	1 164	386	24	49	3 368	–	–	3 368
acres..	949 485	88 327	64 475	638	2 102	380 053	–	–	380 053
Farms by acres harvested:									
1 to 24 acres	4 364	514	86	20	50	1 496	–	–	1 496
25 to 99 acres	4 175	742	130	6	27	1 518	–	–	1 518
100 to 249 acres	2 192	326	115	2	8	717	–	–	717
250 to 499 acres	813	90	48	–	–	302	–	–	302
500 acres or more.....	416	30	23	–	–	171	–	–	171
Alfalfa hay..... farms..	10 001	1 465	380	18	57	3 669	–	–	3 669
acres..	946 882	112 693	62 076	516	1 744	405 227	–	–	405 227
tons, dry..	3 721 968	414 863	306 841	3 117	7 947	1 753 931	–	–	1 753 931
Irrigated ..... farms..	8 306	1 093	367	17	39	3 143	–	–	3 143
acres..	753 313	75 157	59 581	514	1 438	334 919	–	–	334 919

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Table 51. **Summary by North American Industry Classification System: 1997**—Con.

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

Item	Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111)	Cattle feedlots (112112)	Dairy cattle and milk production (11212)	Hog and pig farming (1122)	Poultry and egg production (1123)	Sheep and goat farming (1124)	Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125,1129)
SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED							
Corn for grain or seed ..... farms..	86	6	46	2	2	3	7
acres..	3 357	672	2 029	(D)	(D)	(D)	85
bushels..	478 732	84 114	315 945	(D)	(D)	(D)	11 293
Irrigated ..... farms..	86	6	46	2	2	3	7
acres..	3 357	672	2 029	(D)	(D)	(D)	85
Corn for silage or green chop..... farms..	180	23	286	2	3	2	7
acres..	8 906	1 595	24 366	(D)	60	(D)	148
tons, green..	203 561	36 843	598 867	(D)	989	(D)	3 869
Irrigated ..... farms..	180	23	286	2	3	2	7
acres..	8 906	1 595	24 366	(D)	60	(D)	148
Wheat for grain ..... farms..	483	28	142	10	5	10	11
acres..	44 735	3 195	15 859	771	166	836	652
bushels..	2 836 590	269 597	1 143 971	50 705	(D)	80 890	48 931
Irrigated ..... farms..	354	20	113	7	4	7	6
acres..	27 438	2 296	11 411	(D)	(D)	766	368
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres	128	5	26	3	4	5	6
25 to 99 acres	215	11	70	4	–	3	3
100 to 249 acres	109	9	28	2	1	1	1
250 to 499 acres	19	3	11	1	–	–	1
500 acres or more.....	12	–	7	–	–	1	–
Barley for grain ..... farms..	679	60	339	16	3	24	19
acres..	46 483	5 049	32 969	724	(D)	1 466	791
bushels..	3 216 270	413 261	2 755 648	51 201	(D)	126 946	61 635
Irrigated ..... farms..	540	50	316	13	2	21	15
acres..	31 868	3 730	27 421	313	(D)	1 293	490
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres	242	24	61	12	2	10	11
25 to 99 acres	313	21	169	2	1	8	4
100 to 249 acres	90	10	86	1	–	5	4
250 to 499 acres	26	4	16	1	–	1	–
500 acres or more.....	8	1	7	–	–	–	–
Oats for grain..... farms..	179	12	25	1	–	6	20
acres..	4 612	338	351	(D)	–	200	223
bushels..	302 182	13 962	23 306	(D)	–	11 477	14 006
Irrigated ..... farms..	114	9	17	1	–	4	16
acres..	2 738	115	224	(D)	–	124	161
Dry edible beans, excluding dry limas ..... farms..	55	4	20	–	–	3	2
acres..	2 994	358	675	–	–	(D)	(D)
cwt..	68 411	9 976	15 543	–	–	(D)	(D)
Irrigated ..... farms..	55	4	20	–	–	3	2
acres..	2 994	358	675	–	–	(D)	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres	20	–	7	–	–	–	2
25 to 99 acres	26	3	12	–	–	3	–
100 to 249 acres	8	1	1	–	–	–	–
250 to 499 acres	1	–	–	–	–	–	–
500 acres or more.....	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Potatoes, excluding sweetpotatoes ..... farms..	37	9	11	–	–	1	–
acres..	2 701	607	1 697	–	–	(D)	–
cwt..	815 226	233 777	616 355	–	–	(D)	–
Irrigated ..... farms..	37	9	11	–	–	1	–
acres..	2 701	607	1 697	–	–	(D)	–
Farms by acres harvested:							
0.1 to 4.9 acres	10	1	–	–	–	–	–
5.0 to 24.9 acres	7	–	–	–	–	–	–
25.0 to 99.9 acres	15	6	9	–	–	1	–
100.0 to 249.9 acres.....	2	2	1	–	–	–	–
250.0 acres or more	3	–	1	–	–	–	–
Sugar beets for sugar..... farms..	15	5	15	–	–	1	–
acres..	1 458	714	1 793	–	–	(D)	–
tons..	35 587	18 831	41 590	–	–	(D)	–
Irrigated ..... farms..	15	5	15	–	–	1	–
acres..	1 458	714	1 793	–	–	(D)	–
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) ..... farms..	3 853	201	613	48	25	156	643
acres..	417 868	20 855	94 334	977	701	10 265	12 396
tons, dry..	1 111 187	68 529	378 864	3 788	1 222	34 151	27 696
Irrigated ..... farms..	2 984	154	572	35	18	123	430
acres..	300 307	15 268	82 772	757	365	7 228	7 193
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres	1 385	92	56	39	17	82	527
25 to 99 acres	1 284	58	252	8	5	50	95
100 to 249 acres	752	32	200	1	3	18	18
250 to 499 acres	282	7	78	–	–	3	3
500 acres or more.....	150	12	27	–	–	3	–
Alfalfa hay..... farms..	3 109	158	546	30	20	126	423
acres..	265 085	13 741	69 472	617	286	8 326	7 099
tons, dry..	832 055	51 356	297 204	3 336	741	30 475	20 102
Irrigated ..... farms..	2 534	135	508	28	16	99	327
acres..	197 110	11 208	60 929	599	224	6 310	5 324

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

Item	Total	Oilseed and grain farming (1111)	Vegetable and melon farming (1112)	Fruit and tree nut farming (1113)	Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114)	Other crop farming (1119)			
						Total	Tobacco farming (11191)	Cotton farming (11192)	Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199)
SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED—Con.									
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text) ..... farms..	645	94	216	18	12	241	–	–	241
acres..	37 783	5 923	12 241	87	106	17 591	–	–	17 591
Irrigated ..... farms..	632	88	210	18	11	241	–	–	241
acres..	34 764	3 908	11 247	84	106	17 591	–	–	17 591
Farms by acres harvested:									
0.1 to 4.9 acres	136	9	61	12	9	27	–	–	27
5.0 to 24.9 acres	152	25	46	5	1	50	–	–	50
25.0 to 99.9 acres	256	46	73	1	2	117	–	–	117
100.0 to 249.9 acres	77	9	28	–	–	37	–	–	37
250.0 acres or more	24	5	8	–	–	10	–	–	10
Green peas, excluding green cowpeas, harvested for sale ..... farms..	67	18	27	–	1	17	–	–	17
acres..	4 295	2 591	1 237	–	(D)	399	–	–	399
Irrigated ..... farms..	58	13	24	–	1	16	–	–	16
acres..	1 303	581	256	–	(D)	399	–	–	399
Sweet corn harvested for sale ..... farms..	361	68	91	13	3	134	–	–	134
acres..	18 002	2 884	4 617	68	(D)	8 701	–	–	8 701
Irrigated ..... farms..	361	68	91	13	3	134	–	–	134
acres..	18 002	2 884	4 617	68	(D)	8 701	–	–	8 701
Field seed and grass seed crops ..... farms..	590	215	33	1	5	308	–	–	308
acres..	81 635	25 389	3 244	(D)	134	50 277	–	–	50 277
Irrigated ..... farms..	388	64	33	1	5	264	–	–	264
acres..	43 426	3 623	3 244	(D)	134	34 912	–	–	34 912
Land in orchards ..... farms..	377	8	13	246	9	50	–	–	50
acres..	9 903	162	(D)	8 763	54	514	–	–	514
Irrigated ..... farms..	335	8	11	225	8	42	–	–	42
acres..	9 553	162	(D)	8 462	54	488	–	–	488
Farms by bearing and nonbearing acres:									
0.1 to 4.9 acres	208	3	11	111	7	35	–	–	35
5.0 to 24.9 acres	94	2	1	71	1	10	–	–	10
25.0 to 99.9 acres	60	3	–	51	1	4	–	–	4
100.0 to 249.9 acres	10	–	1	8	–	1	–	–	1
250.0 acres or more	5	–	–	5	–	–	–	–	–

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Item	Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111)	Cattle feedlots (112112)	Dairy cattle and milk production (11212)	Hog and pig farming (1122)	Poultry and egg production (1123)	Sheep and goat farming (1124)	Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125,1129)
SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED—Con.							
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text) ..... farms..	41	4	10	1	2	1	5
acres..	1 316	54	241	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Irrigated ..... farms..	41	4	10	1	2	1	5
acres..	1 316	54	241	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:							
0.1 to 4.9 acres	9	2	2	1	2	–	2
5.0 to 24.9 acres	18	1	4	–	–	–	2
25.0 to 99.9 acres	11	1	4	–	–	1	–
100.0 to 249.9 acres	2	–	–	–	–	–	1
250.0 acres or more	1	–	–	–	–	–	–
Green peas, excluding green cowpeas, harvested for sale ..... farms..	1	1	1	–	–	1	–
acres..	(D)	(D)	(D)	–	–	(D)	–
Irrigated ..... farms..	1	1	1	–	–	1	–
acres..	(D)	(D)	(D)	–	–	(D)	–
Sweet corn harvested for sale ..... farms..	36	–	9	1	2	–	4
acres..	1 276	–	220	(D)	(D)	–	(D)
Irrigated ..... farms..	36	–	9	1	2	–	4
acres..	1 276	–	220	(D)	(D)	–	(D)
Field seed and grass seed crops ..... farms..	21	1	4	–	–	1	1
acres..	2 101	(D)	181	–	–	(D)	(D)
Irrigated ..... farms..	15	1	3	–	–	1	1
acres..	1 083	(D)	121	–	–	(D)	(D)
Land in orchards ..... farms..	29	2	2	–	3	2	13
acres..	60	(D)	(D)	–	9	(D)	36
Irrigated ..... farms..	21	2	2	–	3	2	11
acres..	51	(D)	(D)	–	9	(D)	27
Farms by bearing and nonbearing acres:							
0.1 to 4.9 acres	24	2	1	–	2	2	10
5.0 to 24.9 acres	5	–	–	–	1	–	3
25.0 to 99.9 acres	–	–	1	–	–	–	–
100.0 to 249.9 acres	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
250.0 acres or more	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

[1]Data are based on a sample of farms.
[2]Farms with total production expenses equal to market value of agricultural products sold are included as farms with gains of less than $1,000.

Table 52. Summary by Combined Government Payments and Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997

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

Item	All farms	$1,000,000 or more	$500,000 to $999,999	$250,000 to $499,999	$100,000 to $249,999	$50,000 to $99,999
FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS						
Farms ..... number..	22 314	581	726	1 236	2 366	1 976
..... percent..	100.0	2.6	3.3	5.5	10.6	8.9
Land in farms ..... acres..	11 830 167	1 910 471	1 331 692	1 815 514	2 548 319	1 400 433
Average size of farm ..... acres..	530	3 288	1 834	1 469	1 077	709
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD						
Total sales (see text) ..... farms..	22 314	581	726	1 236	2 366	1 976
..... $1,000..	3 345 864	1 770 409	505 196	423 641	365 127	133 593
Average per farm ..... dollars..	149 945	3 047 176	695 862	342 751	154 322	67 608
Farms by value of sales:						
Less than $1,000 (see text)	3 243	–	–	–	2	25
$1,000 to $2,499	2 420	–	–	–	–	1
$2,500 to $4,999	2 350	–	–	–	2	1
$5,000 to $9,999	2 362	–	–	–	–	4
$10,000 to $19,999	2 455	–	–	–	2	10
$20,000 to $24,999	727	–	–	–	–	7
$25,000 to $39,999	1 407	–	–	–	2	28
$40,000 to $49,999	661	–	–	–	4	108
$50,000 to $99,999	1 898	–	–	–	106	1 792
$100,000 to $249,999	2 312	–	–	64	2 248	–
$250,000 to $499,999	1 198	–	26	1 172	–	–
$500,000 to $999,999	710	10	700	–	–	–
$1,000,000 to $2,499,999	418	418	–	–	–	–
$2,500,000 to $4,999,999	95	95	–	–	–	–
$5,000,000 or more	58	58	–	–	–	–
Grains ..... farms..	7 199	382	541	919	1 664	1 145
..... $1,000..	573 088	156 845	110 271	122 177	118 290	38 662
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	2 792	351	477	716	963	285
..... $1,000..	501 238	155 995	108 550	116 582	101 412	18 699
Corn for grain ..... farms..	590	37	36	75	148	119
..... $1,000..	17 592	5 305	2 363	2 740	3 712	1 993
Wheat ..... farms..	5 171	348	477	796	1 318	801
..... $1,000..	346 339	112 156	69 498	69 906	62 052	19 373
Soybeans ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–
..... $1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sorghum for grain ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–
..... $1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–
Barley ..... farms..	3 613	184	270	482	895	600
..... $1,000..	140 145	32 899	26 374	31 678	30 190	10 514
Oats ..... farms..	298	5	9	21	64	60
..... $1,000..	1 832	152	176	271	510	375
Other grains ..... farms..	1 625	52	136	280	547	294
..... $1,000..	67 179	6 333	11 859	17 582	21 826	6 407
Cotton and cottonseed ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–
..... $1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–
..... $1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–
Tobacco ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–
..... $1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–
..... $1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–
Hay, silage, and field seeds ..... farms..	7 647	242	324	599	1 143	884
..... $1,000..	255 141	56 854	43 426	48 965	51 912	23 365
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	1 258	184	214	316	382	162
..... $1,000..	187 892	55 733	40 994	43 794	37 005	10 365
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ..... farms..	641	42	55	111	149	86
..... $1,000..	50 636	15 244	12 140	12 552	7 145	2 366
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	226	33	45	74	57	17
..... $1,000..	44 879	15 135	11 930	11 566	5 123	1 125
Fruits, nuts, and berries ..... farms..	287	9	6	10	17	27
..... $1,000..	24 408	16 261	1 672	1 775	1 820	1 344
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	48	8	3	7	13	17
..... $1,000..	22 529	(D)	1 650	1 755	1 806	(D)
Nursery and greenhouse crops ..... farms..	706	25	38	87	108	56
..... $1,000..	57 189	18 070	12 784	12 704	7 735	2 496
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	198	23	29	63	54	29
..... $1,000..	51 156	(D)	12 494	12 175	6 514	(D)
Other crops ..... farms..	2 148	353	412	518	499	181
..... $1,000..	813 238	483 654	177 492	98 619	44 235	6 750
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	1 684	352	407	490	382	53
..... $1,000..	803 069	(D)	177 315	97 781	40 838	(D)
Poultry and poultry products ..... farms..	412	3	2	4	12	15
..... $1,000..	15 000	13 528	(D)	(D)	817	267
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	12	3	–	–	5	4
..... $1,000..	14 550	13 528	–	–	778	245
Dairy products ..... farms..	1 056	152	135	192	308	151
..... $1,000..	557 339	(D)	(D)	(D)	38 380	8 636
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	870	151	135	190	289	105
..... $1,000..	552 802	(D)	(D)	(D)	37 790	7 060
Cattle and calves ..... farms..	11 684	293	308	598	1 363	1 222
..... $1,000..	910 805	598 570	51 049	63 735	84 441	45 227
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	1 732	220	162	278	618	454
..... $1,000..	804 530	596 853	47 816	57 709	71 378	30 773

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Table 52. **Summary by Combined Government Payments and Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997**—Con.

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

Item	$25,000 to $49,999	$10,000 to $24,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999	$1,000 to $2,499	Less than $1,000
FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS						
Farms ..... number..	2 226	3 341	2 507	2 479	2 528	2 348
..... percent..	10.0	15.0	11.2	11.1	11.3	10.5
Land in farms ..... acres..	1 063 990	740 867	322 983	203 010	169 874	323 014
Average size of farm ..... acres..	478	222	129	82	67	138
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD						
Total sales (see text) ..... farms..	2 226	3 341	2 507	2 479	2 528	2 348
..... $1,000..	71 162	48 167	16 107	8 081	3 834	549
Average per farm ..... dollars..	31 968	14 417	6 425	3 260	1 517	234
Farms by value of sales:						
Less than $1,000 (see text)	110	192	170	176	220	2 348
$1,000 to $2,499	3	15	34	59	2 308	–
$2,500 to $4,999	6	26	71	2 244	–	–
$5,000 to $9,999	21	105	2 232	–	–	–
$10,000 to $19,999	68	2 375	–	–	–	–
$20,000 to $24,999	92	628	–	–	–	–
$25,000 to $39,999	1 377	–	–	–	–	–
$40,000 to $49,999	549	–	–	–	–	–
$50,000 to $99,999	–	–	–	–	–	–
$100,000 to $249,999	–	–	–	–	–	–
$250,000 to $499,999	–	–	–	–	–	–
$500,000 to $999,999	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000,000 to $2,499,999	–	–	–	–	–	–
$2,500,000 to $4,999,999	–	–	–	–	–	–
$5,000,000 or more	–	–	–	–	–	–
Grains ..... farms..	997	908	343	156	124	20
..... $1,000..	16 896	7 844	1 536	390	166	11
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–
..... $1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–
Corn for grain ..... farms..	92	49	13	10	11	–
..... $1,000..	1 030	363	51	21	14	–
Wheat ..... farms..	614	493	187	80	51	6
..... $1,000..	8 235	3 997	840	202	76	3
Soybeans ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–
..... $1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sorghum for grain ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–
..... $1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–
Barley ..... farms..	503	418	145	57	48	11
..... $1,000..	5 274	2 457	549	147	56	7
Oats ..... farms..	39	53	24	12	8	3
..... $1,000..	128	168	38	4	8	1
Other grains ..... farms..	176	110	14	7	9	–
..... $1,000..	2 228	858	58	15	11	–
Cotton and cottonseed ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–
..... $1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–
..... $1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–
Tobacco ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–
..... $1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–
..... $1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–
Hay, silage, and field seeds ..... farms..	935	1 166	731	687	633	303
..... $1,000..	14 896	9 777	3 297	1 654	844	150
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–
..... $1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ..... farms..	39	49	31	34	31	14
..... $1,000..	551	393	135	80	26	5
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–
..... $1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–
Fruits, nuts, and berries ..... farms..	27	49	33	28	46	35
..... $1,000..	720	537	164	54	50	12
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–
..... $1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nursery and greenhouse crops ..... farms..	65	97	58	54	96	22
..... $1,000..	1 619	1 231	278	149	113	10
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–
..... $1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other crops ..... farms..	88	45	22	16	14	–
..... $1,000..	1 841	501	87	42	17	–
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–
..... $1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–
Poultry and poultry products ..... farms..	28	52	48	70	116	62
..... $1,000..	165	91	46	34	36	12
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–
..... $1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–
Dairy products ..... farms..	67	41	5	3	2	–
..... $1,000..	1 776	447	26	8	(D)	–
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–
..... $1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cattle and calves ..... farms..	1 369	2 073	1 493	1 406	1 163	396
..... $1,000..	29 357	23 665	8 433	4 307	1 785	235
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–
..... $1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 52. **Summary by Combined Government Payments and Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997**—Con.

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

Item	All farms	$1,000,000 or more	$500,000 to $999,999	$250,000 to $499,999	$100,000 to $249,999	$50,000 to $99,999
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD—Con.						
Total sales (see text)—Con.						
Hogs and pigs ..... farms..	573	2	12	11	37	41
$1,000..	4 473	(D)	1 061	421	937	737
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	19	–	3	2	7	7
$1,000..	2 517	–	998	(D)	763	(D)
Sheep, lambs, and wool ..... farms..	1 077	12	17	40	65	64
$1,000..	29 977	13 110	6 305	4 479	2 607	910
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	64	11	11	21	17	4
$1,000..	26 141	(D)	6 243	4 257	2 262	(D)
Other livestock and livestock products (see text) ..... farms..	2 335	35	43	43	147	160
$1,000..	54 571	23 535	11 063	2 811	6 808	2 834
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	103	10	15	7	40	31
$1,000..	45 319	23 454	10 930	2 646	6 141	2 148
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text)..... farms..	1 205	19	29	37	91	76
$1,000..	3 047	355	168	301	347	262
FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES[1]						
Total farm production expenses ..... farms..	22 334	581	725	1 088	2 400	2 124
$1,000..	2 705 028	1 464 857	386 854	280 915	288 028	119 017
Average per farm .....dollars..	121 117	2 521 269	533 591	258 194	120 012	56 034
Livestock and poultry purchased ..... farms..	7 820	231	255	341	963	835
$1,000..	469 600	392 483	18 318	15 471	16 773	9 017
Farms with expenses of—						
$1 to $4,999	5 039	17	44	89	337	428
$5,000 to $24,999	1 930	25	57	96	435	272
$25,000 to $99,999	596	43	101	109	183	134
$100,000 to $249,999	145	57	37	43	7	1
$250,000 or more	110	89	16	4	1	–
Feed for livestock and poultry ..... farms..	11 438	287	308	502	1 299	1 121
$1,000..	450 829	321 004	43 255	27 192	29 884	11 879
Farms with expenses of—						
$1 to $4,999	8 156	19	41	110	464	496
$5,000 to $24,999	1 953	28	49	116	398	481
$25,000 to $99,999	825	19	56	180	413	144
$100,000 to $249,999	246	36	97	90	23	–
$250,000 or more	258	185	65	6	1	–
Commercially mixed formula feeds ..... farms..	5 461	203	198	317	751	472
$1,000..	102 153	59 319	15 565	10 118	12 025	2 080
Farms with expenses of—						
$1 to $4,999	4 270	11	35	93	328	359
$5,000 to $24,999	606	29	52	93	262	95
$25,000 to $99,999	390	57	48	105	161	18
$100,000 or more	195	106	63	26	–	–
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees ..... farms..	9 308	475	619	934	1 937	1 420
$1,000..	94 322	42 926	18 843	12 965	11 419	4 444
Farms with expenses of—						
$1 to $999	3 343	11	17	47	237	310
$1,000 to $4,999	3 181	51	65	235	848	853
$5,000 to $24,999	1 954	78	231	491	825	257
$25,000 to $49,999	425	64	191	146	24	–
$50,000 or more	405	271	115	15	3	–
Commercial fertilizer ..... farms..	11 564	465	633	974	1 989	1 548
$1,000..	245 440	100 052	49 894	38 192	34 679	12 548
Farms with expenses of—						
$1 to $4,999	6 638	30	30	108	374	608
$5,000 to $24,999	2 878	49	101	242	1 137	883
$25,000 to $49,999	878	30	92	313	387	55
$50,000 or more	1 170	356	410	311	91	2
Agricultural chemicals ..... farms..	11 383	453	571	904	1 880	1 450
$1,000..	118 406	54 178	22 009	17 286	15 207	5 940
Farms with expenses of—						
$1 to $4,999	8 425	65	87	255	936	1 026
$5,000 to $24,999	1 856	59	149	375	790	414
$25,000 to $49,999	552	43	155	201	143	10
$50,000 or more	550	286	180	73	11	–
Petroleum products ..... farms..	20 090	575	723	1 067	2 350	2 070
$1,000..	100 076	29 389	16 474	14 449	17 861	8 350
Farms with expenses of—						
$1 to $4,999	15 482	17	33	139	846	1 476
$5,000 to $24,999	3 857	169	450	846	1 464	594
$25,000 to $49,999	527	204	209	75	39	–
$50,000 or more	224	185	31	7	1	–
Gasoline and gasohol ..... farms..	17 486	534	684	997	2 159	1 856
$1,000..	36 930	8 084	5 577	5 289	7 163	3 770
Diesel fuel ..... farms..	14 659	547	691	1 028	2 168	1 907
$1,000..	52 460	18 204	9 067	7 524	8 935	3 777
Natural gas ..... farms..	598	52	67	47	81	57
$1,000..	1 306	379	379	181	162	73
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc. ..... farms..	14 866	566	718	1 058	2 307	1 915
$1,000..	9 380	2 722	1 451	1 455	1 600	730

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 52. **Summary by Combined Government Payments and Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997**—Con.

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

Item	$25,000 to $49,999	$10,000 to $24,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999	$1,000 to $2,499	Less than $1,000
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD—Con.						
Total sales (see text)—Con.						
Hogs and pigs ..... farms..	64	91	99	82	87	47
$1,000..	471	371	284	108	(D)	16
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sheep, lambs, and wool ..... farms..	118	158	160	168	198	77
$1,000..	988	699	379	271	197	31
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other livestock and livestock products (see text) ..... farms..	193	367	361	408	431	147
$1,000..	1 882	2 613	1 441	984	534	67
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text)..... farms..	92	146	171	202	239	103
$1,000..	225	502	351	296	202	38
FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES[1]						
Total farm production expenses ..... farms..	1 991	3 485	2 548	2 563	2 421	2 408
$1,000..	55 495	52 629	20 071	15 512	10 860	10 790
Average per farm .....dollars..	27 873	15 102	7 877	6 052	4 486	4 481
Livestock and poultry purchased ..... farms..	819	1 378	780	895	810	513
$1,000..	5 110	6 063	2 671	1 959	1 205	531
Farms with expenses of—						
$1 to $4,999	507	908	641	805	765	498
$5,000 to $24,999	293	470	132	90	45	15
$25,000 to $99,999	19	–	7	–	–	–
$100,000 to $249,999	–	–	–	–	–	–
$250,000 or more	–	–	–	–	–	–
Feed for livestock and poultry ..... farms..	1 070	1 873	1 238	1 318	1 287	1 135
$1,000..	5 166	5 705	2 483	1 948	1 083	1 230
Farms with expenses of—						
$1 to $4,999	715	1 441	1 173	1 293	1 282	1 122
$5,000 to $24,999	342	432	65	24	5	13
$25,000 to $99,999	13	–	–	–	–	–
$100,000 to $249,999	–	–	–	–	–	–
$250,000 or more	–	–	–	1	–	–
Commercially mixed formula feeds ..... farms..	472	744	536	637	606	525
$1,000..	1 090	798	318	394	225	222
Farms with expenses of—						
$1 to $4,999	420	723	534	636	606	525
$5,000 to $24,999	52	21	2	–	–	–
$25,000 to $99,999	–	–	–	1	–	–
$100,000 or more	–	–	–	–	–	–
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees ..... farms..	1 037	1 248	625	422	443	148
$1,000..	1 756	1 221	277	133	260	80
Farms with expenses of—						
$1 to $999	452	804	537	385	404	139
$1,000 to $4,999	544	422	88	37	38	–
$5,000 to $24,999	41	22	–	–	–	9
$25,000 to $49,999	–	–	–	–	–	–
$50,000 or more	–	–	–	–	1	–
Commercial fertilizer ..... farms..	1 200	1 670	1 021	787	734	543
$1,000..	4 817	3 108	989	512	330	318
Farms with expenses of—						
$1 to $4,999	858	1 575	1 002	780	734	539
$5,000 to $24,999	342	94	19	7	–	4
$25,000 to $49,999	–	1	–	–	–	–
$50,000 or more	–	–	–	–	–	–
Agricultural chemicals ..... farms..	1 174	1 707	1 028	805	763	648
$1,000..	1 674	1 182	356	221	139	214
Farms with expenses of—						
$1 to $4,999	1 109	1 704	1 028	804	763	648
$5,000 to $24,999	65	3	–	1	–	–
$25,000 to $49,999	–	–	–	–	–	–
$50,000 or more	–	–	–	–	–	–
Petroleum products ..... farms..	1 907	3 262	2 230	2 215	2 129	1 562
$1,000..	4 817	4 248	1 635	1 236	905	712
Farms with expenses of—						
$1 to $4,999	1 660	3 189	2 230	2 208	2 129	1 555
$5,000 to $24,999	247	73	–	7	–	7
$25,000 to $49,999	–	–	–	–	–	–
$50,000 or more	–	–	–	–	–	–
Gasoline and gasohol ..... farms..	1 658	2 667	1 976	1 881	1 740	1 334
$1,000..	2 281	2 135	945	710	528	448
Diesel fuel ..... farms..	1 630	2 493	1 378	1 106	976	735
$1,000..	1 969	1 659	524	366	274	161
Natural gas ..... farms..	61	82	24	56	47	24
$1,000..	53	46	4	17	10	3
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc. ..... farms..	1 671	2 422	1 318	1 121	1 002	768
$1,000..	514	409	163	143	93	100

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Table 52. **Summary by Combined Government Payments and Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997**—Con.

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

Item	All farms	$1,000,000 or more	$500,000 to $999,999	$250,000 to $499,999	$100,000 to $249,999	$50,000 to $99,999
FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES[1] —Con.						
Total farm production expenses—Con.						
Electricity ..... farms..	15 661	573	700	1 020	2 128	1 741
$1,000..	89 854	42 708	16 742	10 243	9 514	4 355
Farms with expenses of—						
$1 to $999	9 130	6	28	148	541	706
$1,000 to $4,999	3 931	29	125	334	982	760
$5,000 to $24,999	1 814	151	292	427	572	275
$25,000 to $49,999	406	135	155	84	32	–
$50,000 or more	380	252	100	27	1	–
Hired farm labor ..... farms..	9 410	574	719	1 038	1 862	1 220
$1,000..	270 843	138 548	53 864	34 892	29 383	8 063
Farms with expenses of—						
$1 to $4,999	4 944	2	6	56	434	710
$5,000 to $24,999	2 343	13	68	426	1 126	462
$25,000 to $99,999	1 497	126	484	525	301	48
$100,000 to $249,999	452	272	149	30	1	–
$250,000 or more	174	161	12	1	–	–
Workers by days worked:						
150 days or more ..... farms..	4 531	551	659	841	1 245	445
workers..	16 401	7 400	3 048	2 222	2 218	576
Less than 150 days ..... farms..	8 249	458	591	791	1 470	1 087
workers..	47 014	13 899	7 084	6 085	7 361	4 076
Contract labor ..... farms..	3 501	278	324	391	659	425
$1,000..	32 680	14 949	6 581	4 153	3 925	1 371
Farms with expenses of—						
$1 to $999	1 177	10	9	29	108	110
$1,000 to $4,999	1 223	30	68	113	296	240
$5,000 to $24,999	812	104	155	207	239	70
$25,000 to $49,999	169	49	63	37	15	5
$50,000 or more	120	85	29	5	1	–
Repair and maintenance ..... farms..	18 147	576	717	1 080	2 304	2 024
$1,000..	152 222	55 829	23 531	19 629	22 857	11 202
Farms with expenses of—						
$1 to $4,999	12 425	16	32	133	596	1 098
$5,000 to $24,999	4 413	80	265	688	1 597	897
$25,000 to $49,999	750	115	270	221	106	29
$50,000 or more	559	365	150	38	5	–
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment..... farms..	8 597	434	518	722	1 546	997
$1,000..	69 649	25 071	13 026	9 516	12 404	4 702
Farms with expenses of—						
$1 to $999	3 285	8	15	47	143	160
$1,000 to $4,999	2 806	42	72	190	685	518
$5,000 to $24,999	1 898	159	273	379	616	302
$25,000 to $49,999	357	87	82	73	98	17
$50,000 or more	251	138	76	33	4	–
Interest ..... farms..	11 087	565	694	949	2 028	1 473
$1,000..	178 482	69 597	31 327	22 271	26 654	11 083
Farms with expenses of—						
$1 to $4,999	5 388	14	34	130	448	649
$5,000 to $24,999	4 109	82	209	485	1 304	781
$25,000 to $99,999	1 285	231	393	327	274	43
$100,000 or more	305	238	58	7	2	–
Secured by real estate ..... farms..	7 784	413	484	617	1 397	957
$1,000..	98 667	33 437	15 904	11 570	16 859	7 164
Farms with expenses of—						
$1 to $999	1 000	5	8	11	51	38
$1,000 to $4,999	2 829	10	29	92	233	397
$5,000 to $24,999	3 063	99	202	344	966	502
$25,000 to $49,999	548	106	148	132	131	20
$50,000 or more	344	193	97	38	16	–
Not secured by real estate ..... farms..	6 719	453	544	747	1 420	993
$1,000..	79 815	36 160	15 423	10 701	9 795	3 920
Farms with expenses of—						
$1 to $999	1 606	10	5	29	136	171
$1,000 to $4,999	2 439	18	41	139	541	520
$5,000 to $24,999	1 928	94	244	465	710	293
$25,000 to $49,999	421	109	172	94	32	9
$50,000 or more	325	222	82	20	1	–
Cash rent ..... farms..	5 387	339	471	636	1 108	759
$1,000..	124 518	56 540	24 068	18 218	14 660	5 689
Farms with expenses of—						
$1 to $4,999	2 631	19	40	91	370	375
$5,000 to $9,999	759	12	41	69	193	177
$10,000 to $24,999	957	37	94	197	373	194
$25,000 or more	1 040	271	296	279	172	13
Property taxes ..... farms..	21 097	558	691	1 040	2 311	1 971
$1,000..	55 081	12 089	6 935	6 156	8 951	5 096
Farms with expenses of—						
$1 to $4,999	18 586	76	190	557	1 735	1 733
$5,000 to $9,999	1 540	102	245	352	435	208
$10,000 to $24,999	752	226	221	113	131	29
$25,000 or more	219	154	35	18	10	1
All other farm production expenses ..... farms..	20 669	580	725	1 088	2 400	2 115
$1,000..	253 025	109 495	41 987	30 281	33 859	15 277
Farms with expenses of—						
$1 to $4,999	14 349	5	15	75	480	924
$5,000 to $24,999	4 349	39	162	538	1 585	1 128
$25,000 to $49,999	889	75	176	308	256	63
$50,000 to $99,999	625	124	278	144	76	–
$100,000 or more	457	337	94	23	3	–

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 52. **Summary by Combined Government Payments and Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997**—Con.

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

Item	$25,000 to $49,999	$10,000 to $24,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999	$1,000 to $2,499	Less than $1,000
FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES[1] —Con.						
Total farm production expenses—Con.						
Electricity ..... farms..	1 482	2 430	1 513	1 611	1 327	1 136
$1,000..	2 305	1 872	641	612	407	456
Farms with expenses of—						
$1 to $999	784	1 823	1 325	1 499	1 257	1 013
$1,000 to $4,999	624	584	188	112	70	123
$5,000 to $24,999	74	23	–	–	–	–
$25,000 to $49,999	–	–	–	–	–	–
$50,000 or more	–	–	–	–	–	–
Hired farm labor ..... farms..	847	1 163	583	535	470	399
$1,000..	2 291	2 417	455	320	244	366
Farms with expenses of—						
$1 to $4,999	691	1 076	576	535	470	388
$5,000 to $24,999	154	78	7	–	–	9
$25,000 to $99,999	2	9	–	–	–	2
$100,000 to $249,999	–	–	–	–	–	–
$250,000 or more	–	–	–	–	–	–
Workers by days worked:						
150 days or more ..... farms..	185	209	85	102	83	126
workers..	265	253	85	108	83	143
Less than 150 days ..... farms..	803	1 096	582	526	468	377
workers..	1 724	2 663	1 207	1 076	843	996
Contract labor ..... farms..	280	367	276	199	151	151
$1,000..	537	603	220	135	98	107
Farms with expenses of—						
$1 to $999	130	167	203	168	114	129
$1,000 to $4,999	127	189	72	31	37	20
$5,000 to $24,999	23	11	1	–	–	2
$25,000 to $49,999	–	–	–	–	–	–
$50,000 or more	–	–	–	–	–	–
Repair and maintenance ..... farms..	1 755	3 001	1 855	1 822	1 541	1 472
$1,000..	6 057	5 812	2 430	2 132	1 377	1 365
Farms with expenses of—						
$1 to $4,999	1 352	2 749	1 767	1 761	1 486	1 435
$5,000 to $24,999	402	252	87	53	55	37
$25,000 to $49,999	1	–	–	8	–	–
$50,000 or more	–	–	1	–	–	–
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment..... farms..	763	1 131	743	538	677	528
$1,000..	1 904	1 525	675	298	319	209
Farms with expenses of—						
$1 to $999	261	606	504	457	604	480
$1,000 to $4,999	386	482	229	81	73	48
$5,000 to $24,999	116	43	10	–	–	–
$25,000 to $49,999	–	–	–	–	–	–
$50,000 or more	–	–	–	–	–	–
Interest ..... farms..	1 136	1 570	872	666	537	597
$1,000..	5 323	5 314	2 152	1 851	1 232	1 677
Farms with expenses of—						
$1 to $4,999	695	1 143	752	575	464	484
$5,000 to $24,999	441	422	115	84	73	113
$25,000 to $99,999	–	5	5	7	–	–
$100,000 or more	–	–	–	–	–	–
Secured by real estate ..... farms..	771	1 107	620	496	412	510
$1,000..	3 928	3 973	1 720	1 562	1 070	1 480
Farms with expenses of—						
$1 to $999	70	255	201	117	137	107
$1,000 to $4,999	368	520	324	321	217	318
$5,000 to $24,999	333	332	90	52	58	85
$25,000 to $49,999	–	–	5	6	–	–
$50,000 or more	–	–	–	–	–	–
Not secured by real estate ..... farms..	649	837	431	299	191	155
$1,000..	1 395	1 341	432	289	162	197
Farms with expenses of—						
$1 to $999	208	384	241	198	145	79
$1,000 to $4,999	372	414	184	94	45	71
$5,000 to $24,999	69	34	6	7	1	5
$25,000 to $49,999	–	5	–	–	–	–
$50,000 or more	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cash rent ..... farms..	435	779	281	270	153	156
$1,000..	1 967	2 312	452	271	90	251
Farms with expenses of—						
$1 to $4,999	278	625	261	270	153	149
$5,000 to $9,999	120	121	20	–	–	6
$10,000 to $24,999	37	25	–	–	–	–
$25,000 or more	–	8	–	–	–	1
Property taxes ..... farms..	1 860	3 265	2 403	2 405	2 307	2 286
$1,000..	3 535	4 169	2 229	2 173	1 900	1 849
Farms with expenses of—						
$1 to $4,999	1 774	3 197	2 377	2 379	2 302	2 266
$5,000 to $9,999	73	55	26	20	5	19
$10,000 to $24,999	12	13	–	6	–	1
$25,000 or more	1	–	–	–	–	–
All other farm production expenses..... farms..	1 954	3 429	2 189	2 242	2 010	1 937
$1,000..	8 236	7 078	2 406	1 711	1 271	1 425
Farms with expenses of—						
$1 to $4,999	1 380	3 137	2 167	2 234	2 010	1 922
$5,000 to $24,999	573	284	21	7	–	12
$25,000 to $49,999	–	8	1	1	–	1
$50,000 to $99,999	1	–	–	–	–	2
$100,000 or more	–	–	–	–	–	–

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Table 52. **Summary by Combined Government Payments and Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997**—Con.

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

Item	All farms	$1,000,000 or more	$500,000 to $999,999	$250,000 to $499,999	$100,000 to $249,999	$50,000 to $99,999
NET CASH RETURN FROM AGRICULTURAL SALES AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS FOR THE FARM UNIT (SEE TEXT)[1]						
All farms ..... number..	22 334	581	725	1 088	2 400	2 124
$1,000..	660 233	315 976	126 537	99 241	91 692	32 208
Average per farm ..... dollars..	29 562	543 848	174 534	91 214	38 205	15 164
Farms with net gains[2] ..... number..	12 241	548	655	950	1 972	1 576
Average net gain ..... dollars..	62 289	605 445	199 850	115 205	52 586	28 334
Gain of—						
Less than $1,000	1 185	–	–	4	9	4
$1,000 to $9,999	4 407	2	9	23	133	302
$10,000 to $49,999	3 623	21	41	168	918	1 041
$50,000 or more	3 026	525	605	755	912	229
Farms with net losses ..... number..	10 093	33	70	138	428	548
Average net loss ..... dollars..	10 130	479 043	62 354	73 941	28 057	22 714
Loss of—						
Less than $1,000	1 764	–	–	2	1	14
$1,000 to $9,999	6 206	5	12	19	135	150
$10,000 to $49,999	1 857	4	23	61	220	331
$50,000 or more	266	24	35	56	72	53
GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS AND OTHER FARM-RELATED INCOME						
Government payments ..... farms..	7 848	343	464	836	1 538	1 099
$1,000..	73 124	10 424	8 702	11 913	16 443	9 031
Other farm-related income[1] ..... farms..	6 508	223	284	475	1 148	701
$1,000..	58 462	7 687	6 561	6 992	12 150	7 872
Customwork and other agricultural services ..... farms..	1 981	67	120	218	473	295
$1,000..	24 521	2 391	3 033	4 055	6 907	3 539
Gross cash rent or share payments ..... farms..	2 800	90	77	117	310	237
$1,000..	24 182	4 236	2 382	2 141	3 397	3 255
Forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products ..... farms..	597	3	8	7	78	56
$1,000..	6 200	(D)	518	(D)	1 124	721
Other farm-related income sources ..... farms..	2 608	120	182	274	631	356
$1,000..	3 558	(D)	628	(D)	721	357
COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS						
Total ..... farms..	889	76	96	186	270	134
$1,000..	29 610	6 701	7 227	7 774	6 227	1 265
Corn ..... farms..	32	1	2	8	6	7
$1,000..	(D)	(D)	(D)	14	(D)	9
Wheat ..... farms..	782	72	92	170	241	108
$1,000..	25 584	5 650	6 253	7 118	5 094	1 130
Soybeans ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sorghum, barley, and oats ..... farms..	241	16	24	42	85	36
$1,000..	3 968	(D)	(D)	641	1 118	126
Cotton ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sunflower seed, flaxseed, safflower, canola, other rapeseed, and mustard seed ..... farms..	1	–	–	–	1	–
$1,000..	(D)	–	–	–	(D)	–
Peanuts, rice, and tobacco ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–
LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE						
Total cropland ..... farms..	18 994	519	680	1 174	2 258	1 854
acres..	6 308 877	1 159 064	832 660	1 076 808	1 377 675	699 193
Harvested cropland ..... farms..	15 494	493	657	1 149	2 198	1 737
acres..	4 478 862	1 060 495	717 059	858 109	957 894	400 389
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 49 acres	6 388	14	19	36	82	135
50 to 99 acres	2 038	15	9	26	127	210
100 to 199 acres	2 111	25	25	74	319	590
200 to 499 acres	2 519	39	80	347	992	654
500 to 999 acres	1 336	49	240	399	494	132
1,000 to 1,999 acres	768	159	204	213	177	15
2,000 acres or more	334	192	80	54	7	1
Cropland:						
Pasture or grazing only ..... farms..	9 257	129	189	365	896	865
acres..	816 471	34 839	32 278	78 952	169 853	134 011
In cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured ..... farms..	1 410	46	61	105	212	155
acres..	362 371	26 094	21 764	36 398	84 582	51 782
On which all crops failed ..... farms..	420	6	16	50	66	70
acres..	28 229	706	1 551	5 469	6 245	4 209
In cultivated summer fallow ..... farms..	1 383	34	60	157	368	232
acres..	306 898	10 798	33 124	60 226	102 889	53 664
Idle ..... farms..	2 294	90	98	172	299	254
acres..	316 046	26 132	26 884	37 654	56 212	55 138
Total woodland ..... farms..	2 584	12	38	78	217	193
acres..	514 787	4 694	19 196	32 704	80 505	89 379
Woodland pastured ..... farms..	1 629	10	21	43	128	143
acres..	356 407	(D)	12 111	26 469	62 529	76 490
Woodland not pastured ..... farms..	1 352	3	24	49	118	66
acres..	158 380	(D)	7 085	6 235	17 976	12 889

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Table 52. **Summary by Combined Government Payments and Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997**—Con.

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

Item	$25,000 to $49,999	$10,000 to $24,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999	$1,000 to $2,499	Less than $1,000
NET CASH RETURN FROM AGRICULTURAL SALES AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS FOR THE FARM UNIT (SEE TEXT)[1]						
All farms ..... number..	1 991	3 485	2 548	2 563	2 421	2 408
$1,000..	15 966	3 610	–1 814	–6 170	–6 889	–10 122
Average per farm ..... dollars..	8 019	1 036	–712	–2 407	–2 846	–4 203
Farms with net gains[2] ..... number..	1 504	2 219	1 393	955	436	33
Average net gain ..... dollars..	14 392	6 344	3 142	1 662	690	178
Gain of—						
Less than $1,000	40	208	224	340	323	33
$1,000 to $9,999	478	1 563	1 169	615	113	–
$10,000 to $49,999	986	448	–	–	–	–
$50,000 or more	–	–	–	–	–	–
Farms with net losses ..... number..	487	1 266	1 155	1 608	1 985	2 375
Average net loss ..... dollars..	11 664	8 267	5 361	4 824	3 622	4 264
Loss of—						
Less than $1,000	30	135	243	357	539	443
$1,000 to $9,999	244	772	775	1 078	1 301	1 715
$10,000 to $49,999	210	342	136	172	144	214
$50,000 or more	3	17	1	1	1	3
GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS AND OTHER FARM-RELATED INCOME						
Government payments ..... farms..	1 072	1 097	584	405	312	98
$1,000..	8 566	5 096	1 767	795	359	29
Other farm-related income[1] ..... farms..	604	1 031	599	565	416	462
$1,000..	3 738	5 878	2 289	1 444	1 514	2 337
Customwork and other agricultural services ..... farms..	149	237	151	113	93	65
$1,000..	962	2 317	357	354	444	161
Gross cash rent or share payments ..... farms..	287	509	347	280	228	318
$1,000..	2 358	2 364	1 225	551	640	1 634
Forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products ..... farms..	46	112	70	85	71	61
$1,000..	292	1 033	541	479	424	529
Other farm-related income sources ..... farms..	266	367	124	155	76	57
$1,000..	127	164	167	59	6	13
COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS						
Total ..... farms..	75	34	12	3	3	–
$1,000..	342	60	12	(Z)	1	–
Corn ..... farms..	6	2	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	10	(D)	–	–	–	–
Wheat ..... farms..	61	24	9	2	3	–
$1,000..	280	47	(D)	(D)	1	–
Soybeans ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sorghum, barley, and oats ..... farms..	25	9	3	1	–	–
$1,000..	52	(D)	(D)	(D)	–	–
Cotton ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sunflower seed, flaxseed, safflower, canola, other rapeseed, and mustard seed ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–
Peanuts, rice, and tobacco ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–
$1,000..	–	–	–	–	–	–
LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE						
Total cropland ..... farms..	2 030	2 919	2 019	1 989	1 898	1 654
acres..	491 493	366 476	133 985	82 909	46 859	41 755
Harvested cropland ..... farms..	1 801	2 348	1 502	1 326	1 256	1 027
acres..	227 027	148 852	52 121	28 374	17 515	11 027
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 49 acres	328	1 195	1 163	1 202	1 212	1 002
50 to 99 acres	518	722	261	96	32	22
100 to 199 acres	636	339	68	24	8	3
200 to 499 acres	299	90	10	4	4	–
500 to 999 acres	20	2	–	–	–	–
1,000 to 1,999 acres	–	–	–	–	–	–
2,000 acres or more	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cropland:						
Pasture or grazing only ..... farms..	979	1 546	1 088	1 164	1 044	992
acres..	111 104	122 144	49 789	36 416	21 984	25 101
In cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured ..... farms..	225	227	149	116	80	34
acres..	77 395	40 052	14 041	7 099	2 555	609
On which all crops failed ..... farms..	56	43	34	17	16	46
acres..	3 821	2 917	1 143	384	372	1 412
In cultivated summer fallow ..... farms..	184	179	78	45	30	16
acres..	23 107	17 494	2 570	1 771	839	416
Idle ..... farms..	272	332	246	185	177	169
acres..	49 039	35 017	14 321	8 865	3 594	3 190
Total woodland ..... farms..	252	421	337	347	343	346
acres..	76 681	84 076	43 994	36 848	21 759	24 951
Woodland pastured ..... farms..	175	269	209	214	182	235
acres..	49 405	53 344	26 125	21 277	(D)	16 782
Woodland not pastured ..... farms..	123	217	184	193	203	172
acres..	27 276	30 732	17 869	15 571	(D)	8 169

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Table 52. **Summary by Combined Government Payments and Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997**—Con.

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

Item	All farms	$1,000,000 or more	$500,000 to $999,999	$250,000 to $499,999	$100,000 to $249,999	$50,000 to $99,999
LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE—Con.						
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured ..... farms..	6 517	139	194	367	803	659
acres..	4 589 326	705 148	445 941	654 055	1 016 363	559 482
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. ..... farms..	13 330	377	429	777	1 401	1 196
acres..	417 177	41 565	33 895	51 947	73 776	52 379
Irrigated land ..... farms..	15 191	505	627	993	1 843	1 505
acres..	3 493 542	1 013 507	560 625	548 876	623 516	295 863
Harvested cropland irrigated ..... farms..	12 182	488	603	961	1 785	1 415
acres..	3 057 436	974 796	538 492	493 879	527 136	232 895
Pasture and other land irrigated ..... farms..	7 621	121	155	284	661	637
acres..	436 106	38 711	22 133	54 997	96 380	62 968
Land under Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs ..... farms..	2 426	68	68	169	303	309
acres..	705 407	38 339	36 191	67 883	143 746	123 406
VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS[1]						
Estimated market value of land and buildings ..... farms..	22 334	581	725	1 088	2 400	2 124
$1,000..	11 982 650	2 243 707	1 452 781	1 580 610	2 142 703	1 215 141
Average per farm ..... dollars..	536 521	3 861 801	2 003 835	1 452 767	892 793	572 100
Average per acre ..... dollars..	1 017	1 174	1 095	958	809	847
Farms by value group:						
$1 to $39,999	2 406	4	4	2	39	39
$40,000 to $69,999	1 686	–	2	9	13	35
$70,000 to $99,999	1 552	3	6	4	18	66
$100,000 to $149,999	2 739	4	9	15	54	114
$150,000 to $199,999	2 092	8	10	27	65	102
$200,000 to $499,999	6 148	49	59	144	630	983
$500,000 to $999,999	2 892	54	111	309	966	503
$1,000,000 to $1,999,999	1 626	83	229	376	432	209
$2,000,000 to $4,999,999	958	240	266	179	156	63
$5,000,000 or more	235	136	29	23	27	10
VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT[1]						
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ..... farms..	22 333	581	724	1 088	2 400	2 124
$1,000..	1 740 107	401 195	248 102	240 651	302 743	146 217
Farms by value group:						
$1 to $4,999	2 553	–	–	1	1	24
$5,000 to $9,999	2 788	3	5	2	69	61
$10,000 to $19,999	3 823	5	8	20	108	242
$20,000 to $49,999	5 527	16	31	69	366	537
$50,000 to $99,999	3 271	28	46	115	663	755
$100,000 to $199,999	2 176	76	134	337	716	418
$200,000 to $499,999	1 638	173	345	470	430	86
$500,000 or more	557	280	155	74	47	1
SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT[1]						
Motortrucks, including pickups ..... farms..	20 936	581	724	1 088	2 390	2 082
number..	60 044	7 037	5 654	6 095	9 683	6 020
Wheel tractors ..... farms..	18 680	542	652	1 011	2 216	1 930
number..	43 547	3 655	3 161	3 824	6 474	5 202
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms..	9 113	205	236	369	884	787
number..	12 607	465	463	617	1 242	1 123
40 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms..	14 302	523	610	945	2 110	1 806
number..	30 940	3 190	2 698	3 207	5 232	4 079
40 to 99 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms..	11 737	387	455	710	1 507	1 437
number..	18 287	1 099	1 025	1 336	2 523	2 527
100 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms..	6 931	455	533	809	1 584	1 161
number..	12 653	2 091	1 673	1 871	2 709	1 552
Grain and bean combines ..... farms..	4 495	277	410	619	1 162	736
number..	5 919	458	594	878	1 625	915
Cotton pickers and strippers ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–
number..	–	–	–	–	–	–
Mower conditioners ..... farms..	7 183	150	235	420	1 222	959
number..	7 911	222	321	510	1 387	1 011
Pickup balers ..... farms..	8 067	155	235	485	1 335	1 164
number..	9 299	227	341	635	1 592	1 396
AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS[1]						
Commercial fertilizer ..... farms..	11 502	465	633	974	1 989	1 548
acres on which used..	3 526 053	978 499	630 721	639 875	703 701	316 003
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—						
Insects on hay and other crops ..... farms..	3 626	334	402	557	919	496
acres on which used..	967 881	398 510	176 678	156 086	158 855	46 127
Nematodes in crops ..... farms..	793	179	172	153	146	85
acres on which used..	194 614	107 614	45 061	26 659	10 869	2 985
Diseases in crops and orchards ..... farms..	1 517	268	250	280	315	135
acres on which used..	461 292	247 051	90 750	63 793	47 908	6 211
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture ..... farms..	8 716	372	468	765	1 597	1 179
acres on which used..	2 499 076	714 599	431 327	467 842	516 957	211 396
Chemicals used on crops to control growth, thin fruit, or defoliate ..... farms..	952	146	153	175	177	118
acres on which used..	241 305	128 819	43 368	29 715	25 862	9 798

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Table 52. **Summary by Combined Government Payments and Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997**—Con.

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Item	$25,000 to $49,999	$10,000 to $24,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999	$1,000 to $2,499	Less than $1,000
LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE—Con.						
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured ..... farms..	752	968	717	619	604	695
acres..	442 256	239 131	123 436	66 895	89 623	246 996
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. ..... farms..	1 342	1 931	1 488	1 481	1 500	1 408
acres..	53 560	51 184	21 568	16 358	11 633	9 312
Irrigated land ..... farms..	1 578	2 244	1 587	1 524	1 468	1 317
acres..	184 637	144 202	51 998	29 039	20 642	20 637
Harvested cropland irrigated ..... farms..	1 434	1 826	1 144	945	887	694
acres..	137 551	92 496	30 613	14 220	9 879	5 479
Pasture and other land irrigated ..... farms..	742	1 245	937	1 002	927	910
acres..	47 086	51 706	21 385	14 819	10 763	15 158
Land under Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs ..... farms..	409	442	266	206	165	21
acres..	154 130	89 431	32 096	14 357	5 676	152
VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS[1]						
Estimated market value of land and buildings ..... farms..	1 991	3 485	2 548	2 563	2 421	2 408
$1,000..	770 056	905 687	480 877	442 070	340 766	408 253
Average per farm ..... dollars..	386 768	259 881	188 727	172 482	140 754	169 540
Average per acre ..... dollars..	775	1 153	1 318	2 151	2 102	1 342
Farms by value group:						
$1 to $39,999	113	309	332	489	624	451
$40,000 to $69,999	61	292	328	375	260	311
$70,000 to $99,999	76	315	270	233	301	260
$100,000 to $149,999	160	566	406	481	409	521
$150,000 to $199,999	193	448	457	247	231	304
$200,000 to $499,999	925	1 202	593	574	529	460
$500,000 to $999,999	344	225	127	143	55	55
$1,000,000 to $1,999,999	95	115	32	13	11	31
$2,000,000 to $4,999,999	20	11	2	7	1	13
$5,000,000 or more	4	2	1	1	–	2
VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT[1]						
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ..... farms..	1 991	3 485	2 548	2 563	2 421	2 408
$1,000..	85 707	104 080	60 077	52 525	53 992	44 817
Farms by value group:						
$1 to $4,999	112	302	355	517	599	642
$5,000 to $9,999	198	509	532	496	438	475
$10,000 to $19,999	369	887	592	590	460	542
$20,000 to $49,999	685	1 114	777	708	686	538
$50,000 to $99,999	391	524	214	193	173	169
$100,000 to $199,999	195	116	58	52	38	36
$200,000 to $499,999	41	33	20	7	27	6
$500,000 or more	–	–	–	–	–	–
SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT[1]						
Motortrucks, including pickups ..... farms..	1 890	3 231	2 330	2 304	2 219	2 097
number..	4 574	6 301	4 131	3 686	3 519	3 344
Wheel tractors ..... farms..	1 782	3 100	2 044	1 959	1 729	1 715
number..	3 851	5 835	3 449	3 080	2 655	2 361
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms..	796	1 470	1 086	1 174	1 037	1 069
number..	1 111	2 105	1 414	1 448	1 334	1 285
40 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms..	1 521	2 443	1 388	1 181	929	846
number..	2 740	3 730	2 035	1 632	1 321	1 076
40 to 99 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms..	1 225	2 136	1 206	1 052	864	758
number..	1 868	2 918	1 626	1 340	1 139	886
100 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms..	705	733	369	269	154	159
number..	872	812	409	292	182	190
Grain and bean combines ..... farms..	533	455	153	84	42	24
number..	613	498	171	91	45	31
Cotton pickers and strippers ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–
number..	–	–	–	–	–	–
Mower conditioners ..... farms..	884	1 340	623	575	387	388
number..	949	1 428	675	585	422	401
Pickup balers ..... farms..	972	1 471	731	649	479	391
number..	1 081	1 613	811	685	499	419
AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS[1]						
Commercial fertilizer ..... farms..	1 200	1 652	1 009	775	716	541
acres on which used..	118 248	76 039	28 120	15 382	9 382	10 083
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—						
Insects on hay and other crops ..... farms..	276	277	118	96	67	84
acres on which used..	17 053	8 953	2 399	1 127	294	1 799
Nematodes in crops ..... farms..	16	17	7	1	10	7
acres on which used..	657	685	56	(D)	(D)	14
Diseases in crops and orchards ..... farms..	50	96	23	27	24	49
acres on which used..	2 523	2 120	79	27	34	796
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture ..... farms..	871	1 236	679	574	570	405
acres on which used..	74 485	47 145	13 146	9 373	4 528	8 278
Chemicals used on crops to control growth, thin fruit, or defoliate ..... farms..	37	59	37	21	29	–
acres on which used..	1 426	1 659	278	125	255	–

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Table 52. **Summary by Combined Government Payments and Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997**—Con.

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

Item	All farms	$1,000,000 or more	$500,000 to $999,999	$250,000 to $499,999	$100,000 to $249,999	$50,000 to $99,999
TENURE AND RACE OF OPERATOR						
All operators	22 314	581	726	1 236	2 366	1 976
Full owners	13 875	211	207	342	801	889
Part owners	6 292	304	424	711	1 228	830
Tenants	2 147	66	95	183	337	257
White	21 962	566	707	1 207	2 342	1 939
Full owners	13 674	207	204	331	789	878
Part owners	6 187	295	411	698	1 219	814
Tenants	2 101	64	92	178	334	247
Black and other races	352	15	19	29	24	37
Full owners	201	4	3	11	12	11
Part owners	105	9	13	13	9	16
Tenants	46	2	3	5	3	10
OWNED AND RENTED LAND						
Land owned farms	20 264	516	632	1 058	2 039	1 735
acres	9 027 774	1 698 425	837 807	1 196 310	1 757 260	1 069 459
Owned land in farms farms	20 167	515	631	1 053	2 029	1 719
acres	7 897 630	1 336 111	801 848	1 087 300	1 664 300	976 453
Land rented or leased from others farms	8 535	372	523	899	1 573	1 094
acres	4 007 597	583 086	534 040	736 138	900 263	428 406
landlords	21 918	1 564	2 402	3 423	5 054	2 324
Rented or leased land in farms farms	8 439	370	519	894	1 565	1 087
acres	3 932 537	574 360	529 844	728 214	884 019	423 980
Land rented or leased to others farms	3 433	126	112	170	341	297
acres	1 205 204	371 040	40 155	116 934	109 204	97 432
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS						
Operators by place of residence:						
On farm operated	17 068	378	504	928	1 830	1 504
Not on farm operated	3 801	118	139	204	393	402
Not reported	1 445	85	83	104	143	70
Operators by principal occupation:						
Farming	12 049	553	694	1 178	2 154	1 573
Other	10 265	28	32	58	212	403
Operators by days worked off farm:						
None	8 856	441	559	870	1 489	1 054
Any	12 230	71	91	263	727	812
1 to 99 days	2 264	38	51	167	404	267
100 to 199 days	2 081	12	18	47	141	204
200 days or more	7 885	21	22	49	182	341
Not reported	1 228	69	76	103	150	110
Operators by years on present farm:						
2 years or less	1 269	13	30	32	87	104
3 or 4 years	1 752	25	29	55	97	113
5 to 9 years	3 592	62	50	117	258	265
10 years or more	12 603	364	496	865	1 632	1 291
Average years on present farm	18.7	20.3	22.1	21.5	21.9	21.7
Not reported	3 098	117	121	167	292	203
Operators by age group:						
Under 25 years	236	1	4	8	26	37
25 to 34 years	1 362	36	42	81	179	137
35 to 44 years	4 986	183	205	369	588	417
45 to 49 years	2 971	93	127	202	373	238
50 to 54 years	2 879	87	102	148	314	266
55 to 59 years	2 640	68	79	148	251	226
60 to 64 years	2 264	46	72	111	246	208
65 to 69 years	1 855	29	50	70	140	194
70 years and over	3 121	38	45	99	249	253
Average age	53.2	49.7	50.3	50.3	51.2	52.9
Operators by sex:						
Male	20 565	572	712	1 201	2 295	1 897
Female	1 749	9	14	35	71	79
Operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin (see text)	328	17	15	23	27	32
FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION						
Individual or family (sole proprietorship) farms	18 631	213	358	754	1 727	1 597
acres	6 226 860	424 595	478 568	791 493	1 534 643	997 925
Partnership farms	1 956	174	178	204	306	205
acres	2 302 246	488 800	426 287	446 199	464 625	195 233
Corporation:						
Family held farms	1 351	167	183	248	290	136
acres	2 222 151	594 694	410 077	438 917	496 953	160 251
More than 10 stockholders farms	41	13	5	6	7	6
10 or less stockholders farms	1 310	154	178	242	283	130
Other than family held farms	108	22	2	18	20	14
acres	121 513	(D)	(D)	60 289	9 171	5 528
More than 10 stockholders farms	24	5	–	4	5	2
10 or less stockholders farms	84	17	2	14	15	12
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. farms	268	5	5	12	23	24
acres	957 397	(D)	(D)	78 616	42 927	41 496

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Item	$25,000 to $49,999	$10,000 to $24,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999	$1,000 to $2,499	Less than $1,000
TENURE AND RACE OF OPERATOR						
All operators	2 226	3 341	2 507	2 479	2 528	2 348
Full owners	1 322	2 269	1 895	1 900	2 087	1 952
Part owners	655	744	429	405	283	279
Tenants	249	328	183	174	158	117
White	2 199	3 296	2 458	2 450	2 490	2 308
Full owners	1 304	2 239	1 866	1 879	2 058	1 919
Part owners	649	732	416	400	277	276
Tenants	246	325	176	171	155	113
Black and other races	27	45	49	29	38	40
Full owners	18	30	29	21	29	33
Part owners	6	12	13	5	6	3
Tenants	3	3	7	3	3	4
OWNED AND RENTED LAND						
Land owned farms	1 989	3 035	2 331	2 311	2 379	2 239
acres	855 077	677 502	325 636	202 118	128 917	279 263
Owned land in farms farms	1 977	3 013	2 324	2 305	2 370	2 231
acres	755 522	554 710	233 053	159 202	93 788	235 343
Land rented or leased from others farms	914	1 093	623	586	449	409
acres	319 642	196 225	93 862	46 807	79 487	89 641
landlords	1 841	2 041	1 092	952	625	600
Rented or leased land in farms farms	904	1 072	612	579	441	396
acres	308 468	186 157	89 930	43 808	76 086	87 671
Land rented or leased to others farms	366	616	426	329	349	301
acres	110 729	132 860	96 515	45 915	38 530	45 890
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS						
Operators by place of residence:						
On farm operated	1 640	2 485	1 937	1 979	2 007	1 876
Not on farm operated	471	693	426	356	343	256
Not reported	115	163	144	144	178	216
Operators by principal occupation:						
Farming	1 457	1 612	952	742	587	547
Other	769	1 729	1 555	1 737	1 941	1 801
Operators by days worked off farm:						
None	913	1 066	733	608	586	537
Any	1 191	2 122	1 648	1 738	1 863	1 704
1 to 99 days	315	324	189	182	173	154
100 to 199 days	256	397	282	237	249	238
200 days or more	620	1 401	1 177	1 319	1 441	1 312
Not reported	122	153	126	133	79	107
Operators by years on present farm:						
2 years or less	119	177	182	168	187	170
3 or 4 years	155	273	225	251	297	232
5 to 9 years	284	578	488	469	545	476
10 years or more	1 388	1 904	1 270	1 231	1 108	1 054
Average years on present farm	21.4	19.3	17.5	16.0	14.5	14.6
Not reported	280	409	342	360	391	416
Operators by age group:						
Under 25 years	34	37	25	29	21	14
25 to 34 years	120	180	146	143	163	135
35 to 44 years	422	623	486	520	616	557
45 to 49 years	232	392	311	311	345	347
50 to 54 years	301	406	295	322	342	296
55 to 59 years	257	416	286	310	284	315
60 to 64 years	232	357	293	261	214	224
65 to 69 years	225	340	234	214	186	173
70 years and over	403	590	431	369	357	287
Average age	55.0	55.1	54.9	53.9	52.7	52.7
Operators by sex:						
Male	2 050	3 088	2 282	2 236	2 190	2 042
Female	176	253	225	243	338	306
Operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin (see text)	35	42	38	28	37	34
FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION						
Individual or family (sole proprietorship) farms	1 865	2 965	2 275	2 317	2 374	2 186
acres	763 558	623 353	235 474	164 212	94 084	118 955
Partnership farms	220	239	144	108	98	80
acres	140 086	64 248	30 965	17 608	7 934	20 261
Corporation:						
Family held farms	106	87	54	27	24	29
acres	58 009	32 707	13 248	5 155	4 027	8 113
More than 10 stockholders farms	–	3	1	–	–	–
10 or less stockholders farms	106	84	53	27	24	29
Other than family held farms	5	9	4	3	7	4
acres	2 601	4 349	678	(D)	(D)	215
More than 10 stockholders farms	4	2	1	–	1	–
10 or less stockholders farms	1	7	3	3	6	4
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. farms	30	41	30	24	25	49
acres	99 736	16 210	42 618	(D)	(D)	175 470

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Item	All farms	$1,000,000 or more	$500,000 to $999,999	$250,000 to $499,999	$100,000 to $249,999	$50,000 to $99,999
INJURIES AND DEATHS						
Farm-related injuries:						
Operator and family members ..... farms..	280	23	16	29	48	32
number..	317	24	21	35	53	36
Hired workers ..... farms..	446	139	86	89	74	18
number..	723	317	130	110	94	19
Farm-related deaths:						
Operator and family members ..... farms..	6	–	–	1	–	1
number..	6	–	–	(D)	–	(D)
Hired workers ..... farms..	4	1	2	–	1	–
number..	5	(D)	(D)	–	(D)	–
FARMS BY SIZE						
1 to 9 acres	3 092	9	7	24	44	65
10 to 49 acres	5 621	29	39	50	76	97
50 to 69 acres	1 006	10	9	6	16	36
70 to 99 acres	1 406	21	9	13	61	85
100 to 139 acres	1 159	18	9	22	59	107
140 to 179 acres	1 186	12	12	21	103	198
180 to 219 acres	786	2	9	27	100	162
220 to 259 acres	695	16	8	15	129	140
260 to 499 acres	2 331	38	48	226	572	353
500 to 999 acres	2 199	47	201	385	489	310
1,000 to 1,999 acres	1 582	135	209	207	400	274
2,000 acres or more	1 251	244	166	240	317	149
FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM						
Oilseed and grain farming (1111)	3 925	20	80	281	732	599
Vegetable and melon farming (1112)	980	194	188	197	185	70
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113)	271	5	2	6	12	23
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114)	444	10	15	28	42	33
Other crop farming (1119)	4 746	133	228	372	543	425
Tobacco farming (11191)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton farming (11192)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199)	4 746	133	228	372	543	425
Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111)	7 697	34	60	150	484	610
Cattle feedlots (112112)	443	30	6	11	32	21
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212)	926	138	122	173	272	133
Hog and pig farming (1122)	180	–	1	1	4	12
Poultry and egg production (1123)	84	3	–	–	5	4
Sheep and goat farming (1124)	465	8	8	9	15	9
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129)	2 153	6	16	8	40	37
LIVESTOCK						
Cattle and calves inventory ..... farms..	12 063	286	310	594	1 353	1 201
number..	1 908 097	674 429	175 989	213 504	333 592	188 427
Farms with—						
1 to 9	2 414	3	8	20	47	54
10 to 49	4 485	10	25	73	164	208
50 to 99	1 750	4	16	38	208	246
100 to 199	1 419	20	23	94	346	313
200 to 499	1 305	34	108	238	411	354
500 or more	690	215	130	131	177	26
Cows and heifers that had calved ..... farms..	9 375	233	266	505	1 167	1 016
number..	821 530	203 400	89 850	104 193	168 806	97 737
Beef cows ..... farms..	8 405	98	142	358	942	902
number..	555 676	35 897	50 258	76 424	146 313	91 874
Farms with—						
1 to 9	2 347	2	4	34	55	58
10 to 49	3 463	16	30	88	239	241
50 to 99	1 067	16	17	56	146	180
100 to 199	818	22	29	48	199	285
200 to 499	563	17	27	83	265	138
500 or more	147	25	35	49	38	–
Milk cows ..... farms..	1 404	149	136	190	305	166
number..	265 854	167 503	39 592	27 769	22 493	5 863
Farms with—						
1 to 4	375	–	2	4	13	18
5 to 9	38	–	–	–	3	2
10 to 49	250	1	1	5	42	116
50 to 99	236	–	1	22	182	29
100 to 199	206	4	17	121	63	1
200 to 499	172	26	106	38	2	–
500 or more	127	118	9	–	–	–
Heifers and heifer calves ..... farms..	9 102	244	259	514	1 147	1 011
number..	551 508	214 292	50 014	65 442	92 990	49 467
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves ..... farms..	10 110	221	253	500	1 156	1 036
number..	535 059	256 737	36 125	43 869	71 796	41 223

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INJURIES AND DEATHS						
Farm-related injuries:						
Operator and family members ..... farms..	27	31	19	16	21	18
number..	31	33	21	17	24	22
Hired workers ..... farms..	14	15	5	3	3	–
number..	19	21	5	5	3	–
Farm-related deaths:						
Operator and family members ..... farms..	2	1	1	–	–	–
number..	(D)	(D)	(D)	–	–	–
Hired workers ..... farms..	–	–	–	–	–	–
number..	–	–	–	–	–	–
FARMS BY SIZE						
1 to 9 acres	94	219	362	540	919	809
10 to 49 acres	176	848	989	1 135	1 134	1 048
50 to 69 acres	88	302	179	151	102	107
70 to 99 acres	254	390	201	177	125	70
100 to 139 acres	230	261	182	129	74	68
140 to 179 acres	216	216	176	114	56	62
180 to 219 acres	127	164	74	59	27	35
220 to 259 acres	110	131	74	35	15	22
260 to 499 acres	331	416	166	83	46	52
500 to 999 acres	339	271	76	38	17	26
1,000 to 1,999 acres	199	98	20	12	8	20
2,000 acres or more	62	25	8	6	5	29
FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM						
Oilseed and grain farming (1111)	608	674	388	251	244	48
Vegetable and melon farming (1112)	32	32	26	27	20	9
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113)	21	33	22	15	34	98
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114)	44	81	44	44	85	18
Other crop farming (1119)	498	705	512	473	541	316
Tobacco farming (11191)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cotton farming (11192)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199)	498	705	512	473	541	316
Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111)	847	1 481	1 152	1 166	975	738
Cattle feedlots (112112)	23	56	52	90	102	20
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212)	51	29	4	2	1	1
Hog and pig farming (1122)	11	23	38	26	27	37
Poultry and egg production (1123)	5	7	6	7	11	36
Sheep and goat farming (1124)	23	47	54	81	131	80
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129)	63	173	209	297	357	947
LIVESTOCK						
Cattle and calves inventory ..... farms..	1 366	2 038	1 476	1 368	1 181	890
number..	122 611	108 717	41 353	25 237	15 791	8 447
Farms with—						
1 to 9	87	167	234	423	667	704
10 to 49	387	1 036	1 050	875	483	174
50 to 99	399	589	162	60	19	9
100 to 199	378	202	26	9	7	1
200 to 499	111	40	4	1	3	1
500 or more	4	4	–	–	2	1
Cows and heifers that had calved ..... farms..	1 123	1 631	1 112	986	766	570
number..	61 630	55 001	19 938	11 263	6 743	2 969
Beef cows ..... farms..	1 062	1 593	1 092	953	732	531
number..	60 078	54 448	19 772	11 092	6 658	2 862
Farms with—						
1 to 9	118	242	339	479	557	459
10 to 49	416	1 035	707	458	164	69
50 to 99	345	250	40	9	6	2
100 to 199	164	57	5	7	1	1
200 to 499	19	9	1	–	4	–
500 or more	–	–	–	–	–	–
Milk cows ..... farms..	111	94	66	73	53	61
number..	1 552	553	166	171	85	107
Farms with—						
1 to 4	48	59	58	66	50	57
5 to 9	4	10	5	7	3	4
10 to 49	57	25	3	–	–	–
50 to 99	2	–	–	–	–	–
100 to 199	–	–	–	–	–	–
200 to 499	–	–	–	–	–	–
500 or more	–	–	–	–	–	–
Heifers and heifer calves ..... farms..	1 064	1 568	1 076	948	721	550
number..	30 021	25 985	10 005	6 607	4 267	2 418
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves ..... farms..	1 194	1 744	1 222	1 143	956	685
number..	30 960	27 731	11 410	7 367	4 781	3 060

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Table 52. **Summary by Combined Government Payments and Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997**—Con.

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

Item	All farms	$1,000,000 or more	$500,000 to $999,999	$250,000 to $499,999	$100,000 to $249,999	$50,000 to $99,999
LIVESTOCK—Con.						
Cattle and calves sold ..... farms..	11 684	293	308	598	1 363	1 222
number..	1 578 375	909 121	98 856	128 490	176 580	99 684
$1,000..	910 805	598 570	51 049	63 735	84 441	45 227
Calves ..... farms..	4 519	139	134	212	476	403
number..	240 292	81 654	19 796	28 030	33 190	22 566
$1,000..	59 093	14 371	5 582	7 444	10 131	6 921
Cattle ..... farms..	9 902	254	273	544	1 203	1 061
number..	1 338 083	827 467	79 060	100 460	143 390	77 118
$1,000..	851 712	584 200	45 467	56 291	74 310	38 306
Fattened on grain and concentrates .... farms..	984	46	26	49	101	82
number..	632 606	603 143	8 073	7 244	7 574	2 399
$1,000..	473 467	453 310	5 778	5 030	5 084	1 535
Hogs and pigs inventory ..... farms..	714	3	11	16	52	44
number..	29 026	26	6 628	2 169	5 759	5 216
Farms with—						
1 to 24	588	3	5	11	34	27
25 to 49	49	–	1	–	3	3
50 to 99	21	–	–	1	5	1
100 to 199	25	–	–	1	2	4
200 to 499	20	–	2	2	5	5
500 or more	11	–	3	1	3	4
Used or to be used for breeding ..... farms..	290	–	3	7	23	27
number..	4 456	–	880	266	814	723
Other ..... farms..	653	3	11	15	46	42
number..	24 570	26	5 748	1 903	4 945	4 493
Hogs and pigs sold..... farms..	573	2	12	11	37	41
number..	44 626	(D)	8 881	3 950	9 172	8 764
$1,000..	4 473	(D)	1 061	421	937	737
Feeder pigs ..... farms..	90	–	1	3	5	12
number..	9 305	–	(D)	60	1 853	3 342
$1,000..	345	–	(D)	2	72	130
Litters of pigs farrowed between—						
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30 .... farms..	309	–	3	7	24	29
number..	5 892	–	1 356	448	1 287	940
Dec. 1 and May 31..... farms..	274	–	3	7	24	24
number..	3 112	–	725	229	751	447
June 1 and Nov. 30 ..... farms..	240	–	3	7	17	26
number..	2 780	–	631	219	536	493
Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory..... farms..	1 097	12	17	38	68	65
number..	273 804	85 135	63 745	51 315	29 871	9 303
Ewes 1 year old or older ..... farms..	940	12	16	36	64	64
number..	212 487	64 735	53 675	38 200	24 743	7 242
Sheep and lambs sold..... farms..	1 035	12	17	40	64	62
number..	291 435	111 425	61 455	49 182	27 922	10 554
Sheep and lambs shorn ..... farms..	881	12	15	35	58	63
number..	240 028	77 845	50 849	45 942	29 321	9 394
pounds of wool..	2 260 626	745 355	516 832	397 382	276 337	91 221
Horses and ponies inventory ..... farms..	8 682	131	159	321	741	688
number..	59 559	2 258	1 271	3 291	5 777	4 804
Horses and ponies sold..... farms..	1 783	26	26	34	107	118
number..	6 196	118	60	437	952	739
Goats inventory ..... farms..	657	2	4	9	22	14
number..	6 269	(D)	(D)	63	162	77
Goats sold ..... farms..	213	–	–	–	3	4
number..	2 492	–	–	–	(D)	(D)
POULTRY						
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text) ..... farms..	886	3	5	10	25	37
number..	(D)	(D)	(D)	178	(D)	564
Farms with—						
1 to 399	882	–	5	10	24	37
400 to 3,199	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999.....	1	–	–	–	1	–
10,000 to 19,999	–	–	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	1	1	–	–	–	–
100,000 or more	2	2	–	–	–	–
Layers 20 weeks old and older ..... farms..	865	3	5	10	25	36
number..	922 612	904 707	(D)	178	(D)	492
Pullets 13 weeks old and older but less than 20 weeks old ..... farms..	155	2	1	–	2	7
number..	(D)	(D)	(D)	–	(D)	72
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold (see text)..... farms..	76	2	–	–	1	3
number..	404 434	(D)	–	–	(D)	(D)
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold .. farms..	55	–	–	1	4	3
number..	6 043	–	–	(D)	(D)	(D)
Farms with—						
1 to 1,999.....	54	–	–	1	3	3
2,000 to 59,999.....	1	–	–	–	1	–
60,000 to 99,999	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 or more	–	–	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens kept for breeding ..... farms..	64	–	–	–	–	5
number..	313	–	–	–	–	(D)
Turkeys sold ..... farms..	40	–	1	1	1	–
number..	400	–	(D)	(D)	(D)	–

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 52. **Summary by Combined Government Payments and Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997**—Con.

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

Item	$25,000 to $49,999	$10,000 to $24,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999	$1,000 to $2,499	Less than $1,000
LIVESTOCK—Con.						
Cattle and calves sold ..... farms..	1 369	2 073	1 493	1 406	1 163	396
number..	69 635	56 982	21 436	11 599	5 098	894
$1,000..	29 357	23 665	8 433	4 307	1 785	235
Calves ..... farms..	488	799	611	623	449	185
number..	21 294	18 293	7 633	4 939	2 316	581
$1,000..	5 834	5 157	1 911	1 171	474	96
Cattle ..... farms..	1 199	1 798	1 262	1 151	917	240
number..	48 341	38 689	13 803	6 660	2 782	313
$1,000..	23 523	18 508	6 522	3 137	1 311	138
Fattened on grain and concentrates .... farms..	80	134	141	166	138	21
number..	1 242	1 446	680	512	270	23
$1,000..	850	925	441	331	169	13
Hogs and pigs inventory ..... farms..	68	104	115	99	114	88
number..	3 047	2 046	2 248	905	593	389
Farms with—						
1 to 24	43	86	88	91	113	87
25 to 49	10	8	16	6	1	1
50 to 99	4	3	6	1	–	–
100 to 199	7	6	4	1	–	–
200 to 499	4	1	1	–	–	–
500 or more	–	–	–	–	–	–
Used or to be used for breeding ..... farms..	31	46	67	36	31	19
number..	411	448	608	175	75	56
Other ..... farms..	61	95	94	91	110	85
number..	2 636	1 598	1 640	730	518	333
Hogs and pigs sold..... farms..	64	91	99	82	87	47
number..	4 279	4 353	3 376	1 119	569	(D)
$1,000..	471	371	284	108	(D)	16
Feeder pigs ..... farms..	8	12	22	16	5	6
number..	284	1 601	1 483	452	120	(D)
$1,000..	12	54	49	17	5	(D)
Litters of pigs farrowed between—						
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30 .... farms..	33	49	73	38	32	21
number..	466	489	610	176	70	50
Dec. 1 and May 31..... farms..	31	44	68	35	25	13
number..	239	252	319	99	32	19
June 1 and Nov. 30 ..... farms..	28	37	59	24	22	17
number..	227	237	291	77	38	31
Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory..... farms..	113	162	165	164	203	90
number..	9 195	10 582	5 601	4 431	3 358	1 268
Ewes 1 year old or older ..... farms..	105	141	136	140	165	61
number..	7 540	7 450	3 608	2 726	1 931	637
Sheep and lambs sold..... farms..	114	154	153	159	188	72
number..	11 480	8 252	4 773	3 291	2 618	483
Sheep and lambs shorn ..... farms..	109	135	123	127	148	56
number..	9 372	6 824	4 124	3 220	2 344	793
pounds of wool..	86 844	58 916	36 146	25 465	19 980	6 148
Horses and ponies inventory ..... farms..	742	1 287	1 012	1 032	1 053	1 516
number..	5 522	9 520	6 983	5 388	5 441	9 304
Horses and ponies sold..... farms..	147	281	305	337	322	80
number..	603	1 142	869	661	518	97
Goats inventory ..... farms..	41	90	92	95	140	148
number..	759	1 138	1 276	640	1 161	958
Goats sold ..... farms..	12	39	29	30	60	36
number..	386	437	343	431	463	251
POULTRY						
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text) ..... farms..	58	106	118	148	192	184
number..	1 147	2 483	2 102	2 975	3 523	3 067
Farms with—						
1 to 399	58	106	118	148	192	184
400 to 3,199	–	–	–	–	–	–
3,200 to 9,999.....	–	–	–	–	–	–
10,000 to 19,999	–	–	–	–	–	–
20,000 to 49,999	–	–	–	–	–	–
50,000 to 99,999	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 or more	–	–	–	–	–	–
Layers 20 weeks old and older ..... farms..	58	100	115	146	185	182
number..	1 095	2 080	1 655	2 726	2 913	2 771
Pullets 13 weeks old and older but less than 20 weeks old ..... farms..	6	25	28	17	41	26
number..	52	403	447	249	610	296
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold (see text)..... farms..	4	11	9	13	25	8
number..	(D)	356	309	330	330	84
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold .. farms..	6	13	7	5	10	6
number..	160	1 641	791	248	233	164
Farms with—						
1 to 1,999.....	6	13	7	5	10	6
2,000 to 59,999.....	–	–	–	–	–	–
60,000 to 99,999	–	–	–	–	–	–
100,000 or more	–	–	–	–	–	–
Turkey hens kept for breeding ..... farms..	1	9	10	12	17	10
number..	(D)	162	32	21	56	33
Turkeys sold ..... farms..	2	9	4	5	12	5
number..	(D)	56	109	(D)	56	37

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Table 52. **Summary by Combined Government Payments and Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997**—Con.

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

Item	All farms	$1,000,000 or more	$500,000 to $999,999	$250,000 to $499,999	$100,000 to $249,999	$50,000 to $99,999
SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED						
Corn for grain or seed ..... farms..	694	45	46	88	172	133
acres..	41 162	11 227	5 976	6 052	8 736	4 946
bushels..	6 390 279	1 869 639	941 437	957 851	1 343 324	724 580
Irrigated ..... farms..	694	45	46	88	172	133
acres..	41 162	11 227	5 976	6 052	8 736	4 946
Corn for silage or green chop ..... farms..	1 041	129	105	159	262	165
acres..	79 086	27 825	10 547	13 585	15 028	6 543
tons, green..	1 991 808	722 273	266 532	337 552	397 844	146 095
Irrigated ..... farms..	1 041	129	105	159	262	165
acres..	79 086	27 825	10 547	13 585	15 028	6 543
Wheat for grain ..... farms..	5 199	348	477	797	1 320	803
acres..	1 410 978	356 405	252 894	308 390	313 119	104 680
bushels..	108 941 849	34 152 247	21 532 388	22 106 268	20 200 639	6 273 897
Irrigated ..... farms..	3 852	340	423	609	913	551
acres..	787 355	310 522	163 002	128 573	108 485	38 689
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres	766	4	3	18	78	93
25 to 99 acres	1 723	12	51	154	454	360
100 to 249 acres	1 176	36	118	274	352	229
250 to 499 acres	716	70	138	135	260	90
500 acres or more	818	226	167	216	176	31
Barley for grain ..... farms..	4 178	199	301	561	1 065	696
acres..	711 504	126 663	109 581	159 305	185 086	72 540
bushels..	54 317 070	11 913 153	9 559 885	12 156 034	12 396 991	4 609 489
Irrigated ..... farms..	3 098	190	260	415	730	494
acres..	415 100	109 667	74 824	78 723	82 102	35 864
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres	893	6	8	34	131	125
25 to 99 acres	1 613	34	61	158	382	338
100 to 249 acres	933	40	88	181	336	174
250 to 499 acres	418	42	75	103	144	42
500 acres or more	321	77	69	85	72	17
Oats for grain ..... farms..	549	10	12	38	124	107
acres..	20 406	789	1 366	1 957	5 953	5 143
bushels..	1 472 775	93 919	131 505	163 501	406 091	346 155
Irrigated ..... farms..	309	9	6	23	58	65
acres..	8 316	779	136	602	2 318	2 228
Dry edible beans, excluding dry limas ..... farms..	1 138	43	94	166	357	229
acres..	92 743	9 321	14 916	19 091	30 937	11 761
cwt..	2 036 315	214 233	324 505	424 766	691 026	240 930
Irrigated ..... farms..	1 093	42	89	158	339	218
acres..	86 742	9 161	13 825	17 714	28 589	10 816
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres	238	3	8	11	40	42
25 to 99 acres	602	10	32	82	201	164
100 to 249 acres	237	18	35	54	105	23
250 to 499 acres	53	6	17	19	11	–
500 acres or more	8	6	2	–	–	–
Potatoes, excluding sweetpotatoes ..... farms..	1 402	321	314	312	278	90
acres..	394 977	240 782	81 580	45 230	22 230	3 752
cwt..	135 578 736	85 846 983	27 762 330	14 336 748	6 309 356	1 029 009
Irrigated ..... farms..	1 402	321	314	312	278	90
acres..	394 817	240 622	81 580	45 230	22 230	3 752
Farms by acres harvested:						
0.1 to 4.9 acres	45	–	–	–	6	1
5.0 to 24.9 acres	83	1	1	7	23	20
25.0 to 99.9 acres	403	15	43	89	178	63
100.0 to 249.9 acres	403	35	112	180	67	6
250.0 acres or more	468	270	158	36	4	–
Sugar beets for sugar ..... farms..	921	148	184	251	210	63
acres..	195 651	88 468	48 658	36 643	17 639	2 890
tons..	5 078 013	2 359 938	1 268 447	914 025	436 839	64 646
Irrigated ..... farms..	921	148	184	251	210	63
acres..	195 651	88 468	48 658	36 643	17 639	2 890
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) ... farms..	11 960	304	384	741	1 627	1 344
acres..	1 260 010	163 178	130 842	179 490	288 702	176 327
tons, dry..	4 395 396	782 267	555 243	693 335	986 922	552 402
Irrigated ..... farms..	9 307	295	354	637	1 349	1 113
acres..	949 485	150 419	114 801	144 001	221 576	123 679
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres	4 364	18	24	67	143	149
25 to 99 acres	4 175	47	73	210	553	542
100 to 249 acres	2 192	82	134	217	557	471
250 to 499 acres	813	65	78	149	260	153
500 acres or more	416	92	75	98	114	29
Alfalfa hay ..... farms..	10 001	266	349	684	1 493	1 208
acres..	946 882	132 875	102 550	144 135	217 669	130 997
tons, dry..	3 721 968	680 836	487 864	612 061	828 724	460 505
Irrigated ..... farms..	8 306	258	329	611	1 265	1 016
acres..	753 313	125 896	94 886	117 955	168 447	94 958

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Table 52. **Summary by Combined Government Payments and Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997**—Con.

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

Item	$25,000 to $49,999	$10,000 to $24,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999	$1,000 to $2,499	Less than $1,000
SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED						
Corn for grain or seed ..... farms..	104	62	17	12	14	1
acres..	2 752	1 110	178	103	(D)	(D)
bushels..	386 417	135 780	15 628	9 035	(D)	(D)
Irrigated ..... farms..	104	62	17	12	14	1
acres..	2 752	1 110	178	103	(D)	(D)
Corn for silage or green chop ..... farms..	102	68	28	12	6	5
acres..	3 139	1 590	537	106	97	89
tons, green..	70 185	33 222	12 661	2 476	751	2 217
Irrigated ..... farms..	102	68	28	12	6	5
acres..	3 139	1 590	537	106	97	89
Wheat for grain ..... farms..	621	496	188	83	55	11
acres..	45 927	22 382	5 155	1 379	526	121
bushels..	2 865 788	1 390 540	316 623	73 562	27 845	2 052
Irrigated ..... farms..	424	343	142	57	40	10
acres..	21 801	11 539	3 391	875	368	110
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres	161	167	110	68	53	11
25 to 99 acres	315	288	72	15	2	–
100 to 249 acres	122	39	6	–	–	–
250 to 499 acres	21	2	–	–	–	–
500 acres or more	2	–	–	–	–	–
Barley for grain ..... farms..	568	462	174	72	62	18
acres..	34 875	16 462	4 694	1 229	948	121
bushels..	2 257 348	1 062 553	242 962	67 026	47 220	4 409
Irrigated ..... farms..	420	347	128	57	41	16
acres..	19 293	10 430	2 684	836	568	109
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres	141	214	105	59	52	18
25 to 99 acres	327	227	65	11	10	–
100 to 249 acres	89	20	3	2	–	–
250 to 499 acres	11	–	1	–	–	–
500 acres or more	–	1	–	–	–	–
Oats for grain ..... farms..	85	90	37	22	13	11
acres..	2 025	2 131	524	216	196	106
bushels..	122 804	153 677	30 774	12 574	7 053	4 722
Irrigated ..... farms..	47	56	20	12	7	6
acres..	715	1 045	215	137	107	34
Dry edible beans, excluding dry limas ..... farms..	140	89	9	4	7	–
acres..	4 591	1 971	88	39	28	–
cwt..	97 014	40 824	1 805	671	541	–
Irrigated ..... farms..	139	89	8	4	7	–
acres..	4 517	1 971	82	39	28	–
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres	57	57	9	4	7	–
25 to 99 acres	81	32	–	–	–	–
100 to 249 acres	2	–	–	–	–	–
250 to 499 acres	–	–	–	–	–	–
500 acres or more	–	–	–	–	–	–
Potatoes, excluding sweetpotatoes ..... farms..	32	18	12	9	15	1
acres..	916	378	51	(D)	30	(D)
cwt..	227 307	53 147	6 403	4 183	(D)	(D)
Irrigated ..... farms..	32	18	12	9	15	1
acres..	916	378	51	(D)	30	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:						
0.1 to 4.9 acres	3	6	8	7	13	1
5.0 to 24.9 acres	14	9	4	2	2	–
25.0 to 99.9 acres	14	1	–	–	–	–
100.0 to 249.9 acres	1	2	–	–	–	–
250.0 acres or more	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sugar beets for sugar ..... farms..	38	17	4	3	3	–
acres..	1 060	247	26	14	6	–
tons..	26 578	6 378	700	348	114	–
Irrigated ..... farms..	38	17	4	3	3	–
acres..	1 060	247	26	14	6	–
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) ... farms..	1 432	1 864	1 242	1 139	1 017	866
acres..	128 239	101 962	40 660	25 224	15 253	10 133
tons, dry..	365 623	266 673	92 247	52 538	32 257	15 889
Irrigated ..... farms..	1 146	1 446	929	781	701	556
acres..	82 334	64 001	23 335	12 012	8 530	4 797
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres	234	566	669	830	878	786
25 to 99 acres	721	1 027	515	283	127	77
100 to 249 acres	397	243	54	23	11	3
250 to 499 acres	73	27	4	3	1	–
500 acres or more	7	1	–	–	–	–
Alfalfa hay ..... farms..	1 270	1 596	1 019	853	702	561
acres..	92 463	69 143	27 941	15 031	8 740	5 338
tons, dry..	296 589	212 986	72 413	37 500	22 026	10 464
Irrigated ..... farms..	1 064	1 313	822	654	548	426
acres..	65 810	48 541	18 340	9 018	6 012	3 450

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Table 52. **Summary by Combined Government Payments and Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997**—Con.

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

Item		All farms	$1,000,000 or more	$500,000 to $999,999	$250,000 to $499,999	$100,000 to $249,999	$50,000 to $99,999
SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED—Con.							
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)	farms	645	43	56	111	149	86
	acres	37 783	8 641	7 710	9 472	7 556	2 691
Irrigated	farms	632	43	52	110	148	86
	acres	34 764	8 641	5 194	9 170	7 436	2 691
Farms by acres harvested:							
0.1 to 4.9 acres		136	4	–	3	6	5
5.0 to 24.9 acres		152	4	5	8	34	38
25.0 to 99.9 acres		256	6	24	74	92	41
100.0 to 249.9 acres		77	19	21	20	15	2
250.0 acres or more		24	10	6	6	2	–
Green peas, excluding green cowpeas, harvested for sale	farms	67	2	8	9	16	7
	acres	4 295	(D)	2 580	659	722	130
Irrigated	farms	58	2	4	8	15	7
	acres	1 303	(D)	64	360	602	130
Sweet corn harvested for sale	farms	361	15	15	54	95	63
	acres	18 002	4 002	1 707	4 920	4 540	1 663
Irrigated	farms	361	15	15	54	95	63
	acres	18 002	4 002	1 707	4 920	4 540	1 663
Field seed and grass seed crops	farms	590	24	77	143	163	78
	acres	81 635	7 244	21 096	25 948	18 483	5 392
Irrigated	farms	388	22	61	79	93	54
	acres	43 426	5 637	14 210	9 009	10 506	2 178
Land in orchards	farms	377	9	6	12	16	27
	acres	9 903	4 339	561	739	1 056	992
Irrigated	farms	335	9	5	12	16	27
	acres	9 553	4 339	(D)	739	1 056	990
Farms by bearing and nonbearing acres:							
0.1 to 4.9 acres		208	–	1	3	–	3
5.0 to 24.9 acres		94	–	2	2	3	8
25.0 to 99.9 acres		60	3	–	4	10	16
100.0 to 249.9 acres		10	1	3	3	3	–
250.0 acres or more		5	5	–	–	–	–

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 52. **Summary by Combined Government Payments and Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997**—Con.

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

Item		$25,000 to $49,999	$10,000 to $24,999	$5,000 to $9,999	$2,500 to $4,999	$1,000 to $2,499	Less than $1,000
SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED—Con.							
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)	farms	39	49	31	34	31	16
	acres	985	510	105	63	35	15
Irrigated	farms	37	48	30	31	31	16
	acres	931	503	95	61	35	9
Farms by acres harvested:							
0.1 to 4.9 acres		3	15	23	31	30	16
5.0 to 24.9 acres		22	29	8	3	1	–
25.0 to 99.9 acres		14	5	–	–	–	–
100.0 to 249.9 acres		–	–	–	–	–	–
250.0 acres or more		–	–	–	–	–	–
Green peas, excluding green cowpeas, harvested for sale	farms	6	2	6	4	4	3
	acres	124	(D)	(D)	(Z)	(D)	(Z)
Irrigated	farms	5	2	5	4	3	3
	acres	74	(D)	1	(Z)	(D)	(Z)
Sweet corn harvested for sale	farms	29	29	15	15	19	12
	acres	779	279	55	39	16	4
Irrigated	farms	29	29	15	15	19	12
	acres	779	279	55	39	16	4
Field seed and grass seed crops	farms	53	31	12	4	3	2
	acres	2 274	964	146	(D)	34	(D)
Irrigated	farms	40	22	11	2	3	1
	acres	1 225	482	131	(D)	34	(D)
Land in orchards	farms	33	46	34	29	52	113
	acres	570	719	238	128	167	396
Irrigated	farms	31	43	27	26	46	93
	acres	566	678	205	(D)	156	339
Farms by bearing and nonbearing acres:							
0.1 to 4.9 acres		10	10	13	26	44	98
5.0 to 24.9 acres		13	26	19	2	7	12
25.0 to 99.9 acres		10	10	2	1	1	3
100.0 to 249.9 acres		–	–	–	–	–	–
250.0 acres or more		–	–	–	–	–	–

[1]Data are based on a sample of farms.
[2]Farms with total production expenses equal to government payments and market value of agricultural products sold are included as farms with gains of less than $1,000.