

**Table 4. Farm Production Expenses: 2007 and 2002**

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Item	2007		2002 <sup>1</sup>	
	Farms	Expenses (\$1,000)	Farms	Expenses (\$1,000)
Total farm production expenses .....	farms 81,033	(X)	79,655	(X)
Average per farm .....	\$1,000 (X)	26,962,641	(X)	20,527,198
	dollars (X)	332,737	(X)	257,701
<b>Farms with expenses of-</b>				
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	11,404	32,989	15,648	42,180
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	11,981	88,497	11,462	83,978
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	18,551	303,203	15,533	251,206
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	11,643	413,236	10,097	357,006
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	8,592	605,392	7,859	560,123
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....	7,546	1,191,276	7,965	1,277,136
\$250,000 to \$499,999 .....	3,739	1,326,692	4,189	1,490,810
\$500,000 or more .....	7,577	23,001,356	6,902	16,464,760
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....	2,810	2,006,585	2,850	2,041,079
\$1,000,000 to \$2,499,999 .....	2,658	4,169,580	2,599	4,037,441
\$2,500,000 or more .....	2,109	16,825,191	1,453	10,386,240
<b>Fertilizer, lime, and soil conditioners purchased .....</b>	farms 48,395	(X)	50,120	(X)
	\$1,000 (X)	1,314,175	(X)	834,536
	percent of total (X)	4.9	(X)	4.1
<b>Farms with expenses of-</b>				
\$1 to \$499 .....	12,376	2,576	13,301	2,814
\$500 to \$999 .....	5,822	3,859	6,019	4,119
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	13,859	31,715	14,723	33,795
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	4,527	30,405	4,973	33,577
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	4,787	73,444	5,243	79,180
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	2,560	88,522	2,682	93,156
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	1,953	135,020	1,627	110,998
\$100,000 or more .....	2,511	948,634	1,552	476,896
<b>Chemicals purchased .....</b>	farms 44,599	(X)	46,868	(X)
	\$1,000 (X)	1,369,132	(X)	1,102,974
	percent of total (X)	5.1	(X)	5.4
<b>Farms with expenses of-</b>				
\$1 to \$499 .....	12,765	2,506	13,009	2,488
\$500 to \$999 .....	4,469	2,905	4,856	3,229
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	11,049	26,501	11,852	29,241
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	4,341	29,619	5,026	34,690
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	4,727	73,020	5,212	79,644
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	2,668	92,114	2,877	99,162
\$50,000 or more .....	4,580	1,142,467	4,036	854,519
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	2,000	138,452	1,980	137,194
\$100,000 or more .....	2,580	1,004,015	2,056	717,325
<b>Seeds, plants, vines, and trees .....</b>	farms 26,247	(X)	29,176	(X)
	\$1,000 (X)	991,450	(X)	722,080
	percent of total (X)	3.7	(X)	3.5
<b>Farms with expenses of-</b>				
\$1 to \$499 .....	7,441	1,544	9,280	1,791
\$500 to \$999 .....	3,300	2,184	3,612	2,437
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	6,534	14,901	7,543	17,413
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	2,352	16,203	2,623	17,593
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	2,682	41,487	2,792	43,822
\$25,000 or more .....	3,938	915,132	3,326	639,024
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	1,461	50,725	1,386	48,702
\$50,000 or more .....	2,477	864,407	1,940	590,322
<b>Livestock and poultry purchased or leased (see text) .....</b>	farms 10,881	(X)	10,745	(X)
	\$1,000 (X)	1,264,818	(X)	949,697
	percent of total (X)	4.7	(X)	4.6
<b>Farms with expenses of-</b>				
\$1 to \$999 .....	3,024	1,129	4,283	1,536
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	3,775	8,805	3,691	8,341
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	1,372	9,232	765	4,916
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	1,011	15,030	635	9,740
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	449	15,392	283	9,775
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	371	25,893	260	18,140
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....	394	62,812	346	56,928
\$250,000 or more .....	485	1,126,525	482	840,321
\$250,000 to \$499,999 .....	209	71,977	204	73,052
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....	124	83,999	138	97,403
\$1,000,000 or more .....	152	970,549	140	669,865
<b>Breeding livestock purchased or leased (see text) <sup>2</sup> .....</b>	farms 5,951	(X)	6,070	(X)
	\$1,000 (X)	186,901	(X)	114,594
	percent of total (X)	0.7	(X)	0.6
<b>Farms with expenses of-</b>				
\$1 to \$999 .....	1,499	611	2,386	957
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	2,249	5,288	2,144	4,893
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	836	5,539	512	3,382
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	635	9,556	429	6,822
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	256	8,644	201	6,778
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	196	13,635	150	10,368
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....	150	22,777	138	21,512
\$250,000 or more .....	130	120,851	110	59,882
\$250,000 to \$499,999 .....	68	22,476	62	20,757
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....	37	25,569	39	25,138
\$1,000,000 or more .....	25	72,805	9	13,987
<b>Other livestock and poultry purchased or leased (see text) .....</b>	farms 6,356	(X)	6,404	(X)
	\$1,000 (X)	1,077,917	(X)	835,104
	percent of total (X)	4.0	(X)	4.1
<b>Farms with expenses of-</b>				
\$1 to \$999 .....	2,313	772	3,045	946
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	1,950	4,430	1,883	3,979
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	641	4,281	291	1,887

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**Table 4. Farm Production Expenses: 2007 and 2002 - Con.**

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Item	2007		2002 <sup>1</sup>	
	Farms	Expenses (\$1,000)	Farms	Expenses (\$1,000)
Total farm production expenses - Con.				
Livestock and poultry purchased or leased (see text) - Con.				
Other livestock and poultry purchased or leased (see text) - Con.				
Farms with expenses of- Con.				
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	408	5,996	278	4,183
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	219	7,660	128	4,196
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	195	13,657	168	11,858
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....	267	43,665	216	37,130
\$250,000 or more .....	363	997,455	395	770,924
\$250,000 to \$499,999 .....	147	51,079	153	55,664
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....	94	63,279	117	82,537
\$1,000,000 or more .....	122	883,096	125	632,723
Feed purchased .....	farms 29,596	(X)	28,663	(X)
\$1,000 .....	(X)	4,274,263	(X)	2,494,806
percent of total .....	(X)	15.9	(X)	12.2
Farms with expenses of-				
\$1 to \$999 .....	4,708	2,265	9,415	4,248
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	11,437	30,079	11,686	27,635
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	5,642	38,051	2,964	19,492
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	3,849	57,106	1,565	22,930
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	1,233	41,390	492	16,454
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	559	37,650	468	31,697
\$100,000 or more .....	2,168	4,067,721	2,073	2,372,350
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....	408	65,368	475	77,551
\$250,000 to \$499,999 .....	312	109,837	425	150,936
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....	448	323,852	542	383,675
\$1,000,000 or more .....	1,000	3,568,665	631	1,760,188
Gasoline, fuels, and oils .....	farms 78,163	(X)	76,747	(X)
\$1,000 .....	(X)	1,124,340	(X)	610,228
percent of total .....	(X)	4.2	(X)	3.0
Farms with expenses of-				
\$1 to \$999 .....	35,171	12,039	41,836	12,828
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	23,094	52,475	20,062	45,864
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	6,762	45,722	5,094	34,591
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	5,958	91,694	5,044	78,415
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	2,902	100,539	2,392	81,580
\$50,000 or more .....	4,276	821,871	2,319	356,948
Utilities (see text) .....	farms 55,511	(X)	58,359	(X)
\$1,000 .....	(X)	1,231,547	(X)	986,812
percent of total .....	(X)	4.6	(X)	4.8
Farms with expenses of-				
\$1 to \$499 .....	8,309	2,064	11,287	2,713
\$500 to \$999 .....	7,093	4,833	7,911	5,351
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	20,563	47,719	21,222	49,058
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	6,377	43,479	5,315	36,666
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	5,759	88,655	5,732	90,076
\$25,000 or more .....	7,410	1,044,797	6,892	802,946
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	3,031	105,625	2,901	101,949
\$50,000 or more .....	4,379	939,172	3,991	700,997
Supplies, repairs, and maintenance .....	farms 74,487	(X)	72,338	(X)
\$1,000 .....	(X)	1,782,730	(X)	1,532,050
percent of total .....	(X)	6.6	(X)	7.5
Farms with expenses of-				
\$1 to \$999 .....	24,294	9,625	25,527	9,435
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	25,796	58,512	22,076	49,910
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	8,010	53,871	8,420	56,980
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	7,451	112,259	7,114	107,922
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	3,341	116,858	3,802	130,017
\$50,000 or more .....	5,595	1,431,605	5,399	1,177,786
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	2,422	166,174	2,479	174,299
\$100,000 or more .....	3,173	1,265,431	2,920	1,003,487
Hired farm labor .....	farms 29,661	(X)	34,342	(X)
\$1,000 .....	(X)	5,015,513	(X)	4,317,078
percent of total .....	(X)	18.6	(X)	21.0
Farms with expenses of-				
\$1 to \$999 .....	3,520	1,599	4,656	2,015
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	5,934	14,744	6,696	16,394
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	2,595	17,810	3,228	22,761
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	4,242	68,693	5,211	87,319
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	3,337	117,748	3,985	139,559
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	3,173	222,221	3,767	265,798
\$100,000 or more .....	6,860	4,572,698	6,799	3,783,232
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....	3,248	511,957	3,500	548,670
\$250,000 to \$499,999 .....	1,639	571,585	1,593	558,237
\$500,000 or more .....	1,973	3,489,157	1,706	2,676,325
Contract labor .....	farms 22,586	(X)	24,716	(X)
\$1,000 .....	(X)	2,265,515	(X)	1,665,671
percent of total .....	(X)	8.4	(X)	8.1
Farms with expenses of-				
\$1 to \$999 .....	2,231	1,134	3,109	1,537
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	5,688	14,577	6,482	16,423
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	3,233	22,405	3,532	24,510
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	4,141	65,311	4,301	67,552
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	2,447	85,757	2,560	89,284
\$50,000 or more .....	4,846	2,076,332	4,732	1,466,365
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	1,918	133,460	1,943	135,814
\$100,000 or more .....	2,928	1,942,871	2,789	1,330,550

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Item	2007		2002 <sup>1</sup>	
	Farms	Expenses (\$1,000)	Farms	Expenses (\$1,000)
<b>Total farm production expenses - Con.</b>				
Customwork and custom hauling .....	farms	(X)		(X)
	\$1,000	860,315		706,279
	percent of total	(X)		3.4
Farms with expenses of-				
\$1 to \$999 .....	2,731	1,222	4,088	1,712
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	4,152	10,155	6,007	14,527
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	1,931	13,490	2,436	16,942
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	2,422	38,183	2,830	43,954
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	1,498	52,231	1,691	58,030
\$50,000 or more .....	2,933	745,035	2,681	571,114
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	1,216	84,695	1,322	90,022
\$100,000 or more .....	1,717	660,340	1,359	481,092
Cash rent for land, buildings, and grazing fees .....	farms	(X)		(X)
	\$1,000	1,013,008		754,122
	percent of total	(X)		3.7
Farms with expenses of-				
\$1 to \$499 .....	984	218	1,107	250
\$500 to \$999 .....	726	496	1,131	729
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	2,927	7,449	3,184	7,806
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	1,619	11,449	1,562	11,127
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	2,163	34,727	2,486	39,176
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	1,446	51,771	1,906	66,722
\$50,000 or more .....	3,434	906,897	2,991	628,313
Rent and lease expenses for machinery, equipment, and farm share of vehicles .....	farms	(X)		(X)
	\$1,000	216,265		222,702
	percent of total	(X)		1.1
Farms with expenses of-				
\$1 to \$499 .....	1,018	235	1,708	402
\$500 to \$999 .....	662	437	832	563
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	1,670	3,978	2,504	5,995
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	871	5,989	1,479	10,090
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	1,037	16,393	1,454	22,233
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	508	17,948	730	25,087
\$50,000 or more .....	857	171,284	932	158,333
Interest expense .....	farms	(X)		(X)
	\$1,000	1,099,536		930,722
	percent of total	(X)		4.5
Farms with expenses of-				
\$1 to \$999 .....	1,841	857	2,824	1,089
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	4,704	12,776	6,263	16,733
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	3,649	26,219	4,464	32,124
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	5,959	95,512	6,215	96,740
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	3,471	120,435	3,262	114,371
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	2,139	147,669	2,010	138,492
\$100,000 or more .....	2,091	696,068	1,903	531,172
Secured by real estate .....	farms	(X)		(X)
	\$1,000	773,509		687,470
	percent of total	(X)		3.3
Farms with expenses of-				
\$1 to \$999 .....	1,103	512	1,567	678
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	3,601	9,917	4,518	12,079
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	3,146	22,569	3,725	26,729
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	5,147	82,165	5,302	81,601
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	2,806	96,969	2,764	96,379
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	1,655	112,487	1,470	99,471
\$100,000 or more .....	1,438	448,889	1,409	370,533
Not secured by real estate .....	farms	(X)		(X)
	\$1,000	326,028		243,252
	percent of total	(X)		1.2
Farms with expenses of-				
\$1 to \$999 .....	3,195	1,361	2,873	1,114
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	3,948	9,716	3,835	9,651
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	1,760	12,069	1,795	12,563
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	1,751	27,167	1,696	26,507
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	897	31,145	897	32,033
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	624	42,278	581	40,337
\$100,000 or more .....	668	202,291	500	121,047
Property taxes paid .....	farms	(X)		(X)
	\$1,000	638,682		525,721
	percent of total	(X)		2.6
Farms with expenses of-				
\$1 to \$499 .....	5,954	1,436	8,113	1,945
\$500 to \$999 .....	6,497	4,776	8,009	5,869
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	35,937	92,362	35,885	85,808
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	11,833	80,194	8,868	61,039
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	7,437	112,139	6,810	103,525
\$25,000 or more .....	4,523	347,775	4,003	267,535
All other production expenses (see text) .....	farms	(X)		(X)
	\$1,000	2,501,352		2,171,720
	percent of total	(X)		10.6
Farms with expenses of-				
\$1 to \$999 .....	9,272	4,096	12,441	5,273
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	14,123	34,117	15,171	35,643
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	5,495	37,509	5,657	38,350
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	5,757	89,756	5,717	90,355
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	3,424	120,511	3,408	118,552
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	2,387	166,476	2,652	183,290
\$100,000 or more .....	3,705	2,048,887	3,621	1,700,257
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....	2,032	311,793	2,056	317,180
\$250,000 or more .....	1,673	1,737,094	1,565	1,383,077

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Item	2007		2002 <sup>1</sup>	
	Farms	Expenses (\$1,000)	Farms	Expenses (\$1,000)
Production expenses paid by landlords <sup>3</sup> .....	1,026	(X)	3,286	(X)
..... farms	(X)	45,760	(X)	63,063
..... \$1,000	(X)	0.2	(X)	0.3
..... percent of total				
Farms with expenses of-				
\$1 to \$499 .....	56	14	416	65
\$500 to \$999 .....	32	22	205	144
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	250	646	1,443	4,011
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	193	1,406	509	3,530
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	217	3,396	349	5,702
\$25,000 or more .....	278	40,276	364	49,610
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	122	4,274	138	4,890
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	78	5,467	111	7,406
\$100,000 or more .....	78	30,535	115	37,314
Depreciation expenses claimed (see text) .....	37,834	(X)	36,531	(X)
..... farms	(X)	1,800,646	(X)	1,575,604
..... \$1,000	(X)	6.7	(X)	7.7
..... percent of total				
Farms with expenses of-				
\$1 to \$499 .....	2,261	553	3,001	681
\$500 to \$999 .....	2,130	1,476	2,199	1,543
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	10,208	26,387	10,455	26,253
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	6,174	42,498	5,094	35,430
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	6,946	108,405	6,357	101,130
\$25,000 or more .....	10,115	1,621,327	9,425	1,410,568
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	3,880	134,643	3,626	127,994
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	2,628	183,982	2,713	185,907
\$100,000 or more .....	3,607	1,302,701	3,086	1,096,667

<sup>1</sup> 2002 data are based on a sample of farms.

<sup>2</sup> 2002 data do not include breeding livestock leased.

<sup>3</sup> Landlord production expenses are included within total farm production expenses.

**Table 5. Net Cash Farm Income of Operations and Operators: 2007 and 2002**

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

Item	2007		2002 <sup>1</sup>	
	Farms	Income (\$1,000)	Farms	Income (\$1,000)
Net cash farm income of the operations (see text) .....	81,033	7,983,228	79,655	5,931,847
Average per farm .....	(X)	98,518	(X)	74,469
Farms with net gains <sup>2</sup> .....	35,095	9,904,894	35,789	7,581,042
Average per farm .....	(X)	282,231	(X)	211,826
Farms with gains of-				
less than \$1,000 .....	2,028	954	2,449	1,176
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	5,232	14,497	5,570	15,108
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	3,567	25,959	3,766	27,665
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	5,792	95,323	6,000	97,543
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	4,443	159,895	4,619	167,205
\$50,000 or more .....	14,033	9,608,267	13,385	7,272,344
Farms with net losses .....	45,938	1,921,666	43,866	1,649,195
Average per farm .....	(X)	41,832	(X)	37,596
Farms with losses of-				
less than \$1,000 .....	2,626	1,290	4,325	2,371
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	10,484	30,850	12,128	34,832
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	9,022	65,613	7,519	54,056
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	11,115	179,418	9,169	148,171
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	5,866	204,678	4,767	167,662
\$50,000 or more .....	6,825	1,439,817	5,958	1,242,103
Net cash farm income of operators (see text) .....	81,033	7,746,152	79,655	5,666,128
Average per farm .....	(X)	95,593	(X)	71,133
Farm operators reporting net gains <sup>2</sup> .....	34,860	9,704,279	36,023	7,426,284
Average per farm .....	(X)	278,379	(X)	206,154
Farms with gains of-				
less than \$1,000 .....	2,020	952	2,403	1,164
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	5,242	14,532	5,964	16,127
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	3,577	26,009	3,807	27,745
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	5,786	95,105	6,062	98,525
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	4,447	160,067	4,711	170,211
\$50,000 or more .....	13,788	9,407,615	13,076	7,112,512
Farm operators reporting net losses .....	46,173	1,958,128	43,632	1,760,156
Average per farm .....	(X)	42,409	(X)	40,341
Farms with losses of-				
less than \$1,000 .....	2,639	1,298	4,338	2,338
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	10,495	30,906	11,776	33,798
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	9,041	65,737	7,509	54,128
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	11,157	180,020	9,108	146,935
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	5,893	205,701	4,815	169,562
\$50,000 or more .....	6,948	1,474,465	6,086	1,353,394

<sup>1</sup> 2002 data are based on a sample of farms.

<sup>2</sup> Farms with total production expenses equal to total of market value of agricultural products sold, government payments, and farm-related income are included as farms with gains of less than \$1,000.