

Table 8. Land: 2012 and 2007

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

All farms	2012		2007	All farms	2012		2007
	Total	Percent of total in 2012			Total	Percent of total in 2012	
LAND USE				LAND USE - Con.			
Farms	37,249	100.0	39,284	Total cropland - Con.			
Land in farms	14,748,107	100.0	14,972,789	Other cropland - Con.			
Total cropland	25,045	67.2	26,005	Cropland in cultivated			
Harvested cropland	7,526,742	51.0	7,609,210	summer fallow	farms	1,963	5.3
	20,846	56.0	20,091		acres	1,197,058	8.1
	4,342,904	29.4	4,387,169				2,125
Farms by acres harvested:				Total woodland	farms	10,198	27.4
1 to 49 acres	14,265	38.3	13,251		acres	2,139,141	14.5
1 to 9 acres	7,969	21.4	6,536	Woodland pastured	farms	4,624	12.4
10 to 19 acres	3,110	8.3	3,150		acres	1,141,696	7.7
20 to 29 acres	1,524	4.1	1,708	Woodland not pastured	farms	6,908	18.5
30 to 49 acres	1,662	4.5	1,857		acres	997,445	6.8
							10,438
50 to 99 acres	1,740	4.7	1,813	Permanent pasture and rangeland,			1,988,322
100 to 199 acres	1,257	3.4	1,366	other than cropland and woodland			5,045
200 to 499 acres	1,474	4.0	1,406	pastured (see text)	farms	18,465	49.6
500 to 999 acres	874	2.3	964		acres	4,518,550	30.6
1,000 to 1,999 acres	767	2.1	814	Land in farmsteads, buildings,			18,898
2,000 acres or more	469	1.3	477	livestock facilities, ponds,			4,775,287
				roads, wasteland, etc	farms	23,631	63.4
Other pasture and grazing land that					acres	563,674	3.8
could have been used for crops without				CONSERVATION AND CROP			
additional improvement (see text).....	2,099	5.6	6,166	INSURANCE			
	125,262	0.8	371,026	Land enrolled in Conservation Reserve,			
				Wetlands Reserve, Farmable Wetlands,			
Other cropland	7,922	21.3	7,678	or Conservation Reserve Enhancement			
	3,058,576	20.7	2,851,015	Programs	farms	3,864	(X)
					acres	1,474,873	(X)
Cropland idle or used for				Land enrolled in crop insurance			
cover crops or soil-improvement				programs	farms	4,192	(X)
but not harvested and not					acres	2,928,924	(X)
pastured or grazed	6,408	17.2	5,672				4,545
	1,829,484	12.4	1,527,638				2,621,075
Cropland on which all crops failed							
or were abandoned	850	2.3	1,038				
	32,034	0.2	27,627				