

Table 11. Selected Characteristics of Irrigated and Nonirrigated Farms: 2012 and 2007

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

Characteristics	All farms		Irrigated farms				Nonirrigated farms	
			Any land irrigated		All harvested cropland irrigated			
	2012	2007	2012	2007	2012	2007	2012	2007
Farmsnumber	2,109,303	2,204,792	296,303	301,028	168,718	163,890	1,813,000	1,903,764
Land in farmsacres	914,527,657	922,095,840	221,096,951	231,003,205	84,274,935	87,900,817	693,430,706	691,092,635
Estimated market value of land and buildings:								
Average per farmdollars	1,075,491	791,138	1,945,904	1,564,384	1,511,382	1,478,628	933,238	668,871
Average per acredollars	2,481	1,892	2,608	2,039	3,026	2,757	2,440	1,843
Irrigated landacres	55,822,231	56,599,305	55,822,231	56,599,305	27,084,286	27,347,373	(X)	(X)
Land in farms according to use:								
Total croplandfarms	1,551,654	1,685,339	269,753	274,207	168,718	163,890	1,281,901	1,411,132
acres	389,690,414	406,424,909	105,357,013	104,747,528	30,538,896	30,591,411	284,333,401	301,677,381
Harvested croplandfarms	1,288,875	1,328,004	264,364	259,591	168,718	163,890	1,024,511	1,068,413
acres	314,964,600	309,607,601	88,411,028	86,529,391	25,353,019	25,061,466	226,553,572	223,078,210
Pastureland, excluding woodland pasturedfarms	1,239,085	1,372,880	129,568	144,856	53,135	58,067	1,109,517	1,228,024
acres	428,112,127	444,603,270	100,479,074	113,241,325	45,689,299	50,565,761	327,633,053	331,361,945
Land enrolled in Conservation Reserve, Wetlands Reserve, Farmable Wetlands, or Conservation Reserve Enhancement Programsfarms	291,706	346,231	16,012	18,642	3,888	4,334	275,694	327,589
acres	27,485,000	38,547,450	2,645,189	3,886,030	759,398	959,743	24,839,811	34,661,420
Owned and rented land in farms:								
Owned land in farmsfarms	1,973,527	2,064,225	268,135	274,220	152,406	149,308	1,705,392	1,790,005
acres	563,576,452	571,303,487	130,997,229	137,996,371	57,087,236	59,889,572	432,579,223	433,307,116
Rented or leased land in farmsfarms	666,945	682,759	107,055	108,592	46,151	44,788	559,890	574,167
acres	350,951,205	350,792,353	90,099,722	93,006,834	27,187,699	28,011,245	260,851,483	257,785,519
Market value of agricultural products sold (see text)\$1,000	394,644,481	297,220,491	152,421,721	118,510,873	79,582,158	65,333,520	242,222,760	178,709,618
Average per farmdollars	187,097	134,807	514,412	393,687	471,687	398,643	133,603	93,872
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse cropsfarms	1,032,285	986,080	239,248	228,397	148,872	140,554	793,037	757,683
\$1,000	212,397,074	143,657,928	106,281,346	78,297,158	57,540,345	46,872,638	106,115,728	65,360,770
Livestock, poultry, and their productsfarms	1,004,564	1,080,312	106,409	115,698	43,864	46,119	898,155	964,614
\$1,000	182,247,407	153,562,563	46,140,375	40,213,715	22,041,814	18,460,881	136,107,032	113,348,848
Total farm production expenses\$1,000	328,939,354	241,113,666	123,022,726	93,256,498	64,792,431	50,648,686	205,916,628	147,857,169
Average per farmdollars	155,947	109,359	415,192	309,793	384,028	309,041	113,578	77,666
Fertilizer, lime, and soil conditioners purchasedfarms	1,011,896	1,148,218	209,036	222,809	117,182	124,709	802,860	925,409
\$1,000	28,532,713	18,107,194	10,686,252	6,908,217	4,489,358	3,131,542	17,846,461	11,198,977
Chemicals purchasedfarms	999,806	918,604	212,992	195,876	118,215	107,017	786,814	722,728
\$1,000	16,459,840	10,074,914	7,929,004	4,969,102	3,915,144	2,611,435	8,530,836	5,105,812
Seeds, plants, vines, and trees purchasedfarms	829,089	775,893	174,149	165,987	90,007	84,894	654,904	609,906
\$1,000	19,492,750	11,740,521	7,598,744	5,500,969	3,324,907	2,875,413	11,894,006	6,239,552
Livestock and poultry purchased or leasedfarms	545,100	490,819	66,129	62,179	28,545	24,507	478,871	428,640
\$1,000	41,586,018	38,003,682	12,021,710	12,154,749	5,185,476	4,312,036	29,564,308	25,848,933
Feed purchasedfarms	1,255,704	1,135,968	125,262	115,713	52,604	44,556	1,130,442	1,020,255
\$1,000	75,706,467	49,095,106	18,248,854	11,769,054	9,109,364	5,883,993	57,457,613	37,326,052
Gasoline, fuels, and oils purchasedfarms	1,987,747	2,148,806	282,685	297,405	158,457	161,121	1,705,062	1,851,401
\$1,000	16,573,188	12,912,179	6,729,150	4,985,466	3,171,829	2,435,868	9,844,038	7,926,713
Utilitiesfarms	1,352,944	1,102,530	239,804	241,663	134,209	130,946	1,113,140	860,867
\$1,000	8,261,978	5,917,615	4,363,553	3,160,225	2,747,314	2,064,768	3,898,425	2,757,390
Repairs, supplies, and maintenance costsfarms	1,662,710	1,992,234	254,080	287,678	141,120	156,275	1,408,630	1,704,556
\$1,000	18,868,185	15,896,723	7,450,865	6,135,332	3,843,976	3,421,944	11,417,319	9,761,391
Hired farm laborfarms	566,469	482,186	135,576	125,463	74,286	67,353	430,893	356,723
\$1,000	26,986,669	21,877,661	16,528,155	14,195,848	10,999,368	9,812,338	10,458,514	7,681,813
Contract laborfarms	217,322	182,701	63,569	58,478	41,354	37,417	153,753	124,223
\$1,000	6,473,989	4,514,166	4,944,293	3,522,492	4,036,905	2,958,804	1,529,695	991,673
Customwork and custom haulingfarms	461,606	362,475	83,958	70,576	44,357	37,233	377,648	291,899
\$1,000	6,611,295	4,091,038	3,122,967	2,109,644	1,870,260	1,391,789	3,488,328	1,981,393
Cash rent for land, buildings, and grazing feesfarms	560,184	490,372	92,539	86,426	39,657	35,468	467,645	403,946
\$1,000	21,000,745	13,274,530	6,658,448	4,462,767	2,718,152	1,914,043	14,342,297	8,811,763
Rent and lease expenses for machinery, equipment, and farm share of vehiclesfarms	133,029	109,199	34,011	30,125	17,250	15,009	99,018	79,074
\$1,000	2,331,934	1,385,219	1,277,134	740,547	688,387	407,288	1,054,800	644,673
Interest expensefarms	783,952	667,454	125,538	117,788	61,167	56,518	658,414	549,666
\$1,000	12,123,573	10,880,731	4,024,215	3,657,491	2,008,488	1,914,499	8,099,358	7,223,240
Property taxes paidfarms	1,979,951	1,995,808	271,661	271,603	153,034	145,791	1,708,290	1,724,205
\$1,000	7,428,926	6,223,048	2,169,528	1,710,027	1,173,678	945,865	5,259,398	4,513,021
All other production expenses (see text)farms	1,135,496	1,115,703	182,474	196,243	91,486	97,554	953,022	919,460
\$1,000	20,501,084	17,119,339	9,269,853	7,274,567	5,509,825	4,567,066	11,231,231	9,844,773
Commodity Credit Corporation loans (see text)farms	12,539	50,572	3,402	11,148	1,080	3,049	9,137	39,424
\$1,000	1,595,189	4,445,758	703,951	1,581,343	214,797	428,941	891,238	2,864,416
Government payments receivedfarms	811,387	838,391	92,638	91,061	35,867	33,152	718,749	747,330
\$1,000	8,053,346	7,983,922	1,926,176	2,266,308	563,297	639,228	6,127,171	5,717,613
Income from farm-related sources (see text)farms	810,955	693,187	116,661	101,356	56,246	43,250	694,294	591,831
\$1,000	18,522,606	10,489,874	4,758,324	2,917,966	1,996,200	1,346,824	13,764,281	7,571,908
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipmentfarms	2,108,505	2,204,513	296,240	301,001	168,669	163,867	1,812,265	1,903,512
\$1,000	243,966,688	194,783,471	62,788,701	49,002,143	25,122,705	21,277,088	181,177,987	145,781,328
Average per farmdollars	115,706	88,357	211,952	162,797	148,947	129,884	99,973	76,585
Livestock inventory:								
Cattle and calvesfarms	913,246	963,669	88,414	95,815	35,992	38,392	824,832	867,854
number	89,994,614	96,347,858	24,250,412	26,672,244	11,311,200	11,953,538	65,744,202	69,675,614
Milk cowsfarms	64,098	69,890	7,951	7,673	2,842	3,065	56,147	62,217
number	9,252,272	9,266,574	3,631,575	3,475,160	2,249,157	2,369,749	5,620,697	5,791,414
Hogs and pigsfarms	63,246	75,442	7,552	9,204	2,722	3,085	55,694	66,238
number	66,026,785	67,786,318	8,662,069	12,015,505	2,331,834	3,666,338	57,364,716	55,770,813
Sheep and lambsfarms	88,338	83,134	13,305	13,326	6,244	6,356	75,033	69,808
number	5,364,844	5,819,162	1,837,818	1,939,693	1,044,166	1,153,822	3,527,026	3,879,469