

## All Farms

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	Farms with less than \$2,500 value of sales						Abnormal
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<b>Farms and Land in Farms</b>							
Farms . . . . . number . . . . .	72 491	39 626	42 821	9 987	23 274	9 560	31
percent . . . . .	100.0	54.6	59.0	13.7	32.1	13.1	0.0
Land in farms . . . . . acres . . . . .	13 654 215	10 684 979	3 681 369	771 899	1 980 584	928 886	59 766
Average size of farm . . . . . acres . . . . .	188.3	269.6	85.9	77.2	85.0	97.1	1 927.9
Value of land and buildings . . . . . dollars . . . . .	2 725 437 561	2 059 693 525	800 244 695	169 692 476	458 332 151	172 220 068	35 191 817
Average per farm . . . . . dollars . . . . .	37 596	51 978	18 688	16 991	19 692	18 014	1 135 219
Average per acre . . . . . dollars . . . . .	199.60	192.76	217.37	219.83	231.41	185.40	588.82
<b>Number of farms by value of farm:</b>							
\$1 to \$9,999 . . . . .	20 906	8 323	17 217	4 635	8 294	4 288	1
\$10,000 to \$19,999 . . . . .	18 185	8 407	12 563	2 785	7 110	2 668	-
\$20,000 to \$39,999 . . . . .	17 616	10 318	9 045	1 747	5 551	1 747	-
\$40,000 to \$69,999 . . . . .	8 075	5 836	2 810	572	1 674	564	1
\$70,000 to \$99,999 . . . . .	2 909	2 416	616	123	342	151	-
\$100,000 to \$149,999 . . . . .	2 035	1 792	302	62	162	78	3
\$150,000 to \$199,999 . . . . .	980	888	115	28	57	30	5
\$200,000 to \$499,999 . . . . .	1 377	1 270	127	31	71	25	11
\$500,000 and over . . . . .	408	376	26	4	13	9	10
<b>Owned and rented lands by farm operator:</b>							
Land owned . . . . . farms . . . . .	65 435	35 271	38 625	8 491	21 354	8 780	30
acres . . . . .	11 220 009	8 320 324	3 584 035	741 902	1 886 195	955 938	57 552
Land rented or leased from others . . . . . farms . . . . .	22 120	15 730	9 098	2 713	4 910	1 475	5
acres . . . . .	3 318 548	3 014 017	406 600	104 339	243 651	58 610	2 270
Land rented or leased to others . . . . . farms . . . . .	12 848	6 359	8 278	1 791	4 306	2 181	2
acres . . . . .	884 028	649 342	308 972	74 342	149 164	85 466	56
<b>Land in Farms According to Use</b>							
Total cropland . . . . . farms . . . . .	66 580	36 628	39 165	9 244	21 190	8 731	31
acres . . . . .	5 789 393	4 685 683	1 403 088	322 538	759 904	320 646	23 160
Harvested cropland . . . . . farms . . . . .	52 444	31 310	28 286	7 182	14 755	6 349	30
acres . . . . .	2 706 167	2 442 441	340 775	92 871	175 179	72 725	15 822
<b>Number of farms by acres harvested:</b>							
1 to 9 acres . . . . .	17 152	6 069	14 559	3 476	7 692	3 391	-
10 to 19 acres . . . . .	11 520	5 237	8 523	2 241	4 380	1 902	1
20 to 29 acres . . . . .	5 812	3 579	3 075	844	1 600	631	2
30 to 49 acres . . . . .	6 036	4 791	1 744	500	879	365	1
50 to 99 acres . . . . .	5 634	5 376	376	121	197	58	3
100 to 199 acres . . . . .	3 396	3 383	9	-	7	2	4
200 to 499 acres . . . . .	2 235	2 223	-	-	-	-	12
500 to 999 acres . . . . .	497	495	-	-	-	-	2
1,000 acres and over . . . . .	162	157	-	-	-	-	5
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing . . . . . farms . . . . .	38 805	20 892	22 765	4 878	12 970	4 917	26
acres . . . . .	2 099 840	1 532 705	710 465	148 516	402 196	159 753	5 186
All other cropland (see text) . . . . . farms . . . . .	27 331	15 788	15 086	3 561	7 905	3 620	18
acres . . . . .	983 386	710 537	351 848	81 151	182 529	88 168	2 152
Woodland including woodland pasture . . . . . farms . . . . .	47 535	26 515	26 830	5 834	14 845	6 151	24
acres . . . . .	5 319 985	4 015 932	1 582 472	303 706	853 102	425 664	25 287
All other land (see text) . . . . . farms . . . . .	51 250	28 583	29 383	6 745	15 917	6 721	29
acres . . . . .	2 544 837	1 983 364	695 809	145 655	367 578	182 576	11 319
Irrigated land . . . . . farms . . . . .	337	276	84	31	45	8	8
acres . . . . .	11 058	10 419	451	144	237	70	332
<b>Color and Tenure of Operator</b>							
<b>All farm operators:</b>							
Full owners . . . . .	50 661	24 092	33 860	7 317	18 429	8 114	26
Part owners . . . . .	14 578	11 071	4 640	1 137	2 865	638	4
Tenants . . . . .	7 252	4 463	4 321	1 533	1 980	808	1
<b>White farm operators:</b>							
Full owners . . . . .	45 119	22 019	28 903	5 827	16 741	6 335	24
Part owners . . . . .	12 826	10 123	3 421	721	2 335	365	3
Tenants . . . . .	4 598	3 117	2 064	584	1 199	281	1
<b>Negro farm operators:</b>							
Full owners . . . . .	5 486	2 048	4 909	1 473	1 677	1 759	2
Part owners . . . . .	1 740	938	1 216	415	528	273	1
Tenants . . . . .	2 647	1 341	2 255	949	781	525	-
<b>Farm Operator Characteristics</b>							
<b>Farm operators by age groups:</b>							
Under 25 years . . . . .	992	540	591	139	452	-	-
25 to 34 years . . . . .	5 690	2 983	3 216	512	2 704	-	3
35 to 44 years . . . . .	12 664	7 060	6 903	1 301	5 602	-	2
45 to 54 years . . . . .	19 076	11 306	10 569	2 813	7 756	-	14
55 to 64 years . . . . .	20 577	13 806	11 982	5 222	6 760	-	11
65 years and over . . . . .	13 492	3 931	9 560	-	-	9 560	1
Average age . . . . .	52.7	51.6	53.7	52.4	47.1	71.2	51.8
<b>Farm operators by place of residence:</b>							
On farm operated . . . . .	50 283	28 469	28 350	6 556	14 910	6 884	20
Not on farm operated . . . . .	11 997	5 859	7 730	1 600	5 061	1 069	8
<b>Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:</b>							
1 to 49 days . . . . .	43 656	17 222	29 649	3 219	23 274	3 156	4
50 to 99 days . . . . .	5 573	4 162	3 334	1 923	-	1 411	-
100 to 199 days . . . . .	2 870	2 511	1 654	1 296	-	358	1
200 days and over . . . . .	6 971	1 927	5 044	-	4 693	351	-
	28 242	8 622	19 617	-	18 581	1 036	3

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Farms by Size	All farms	Class 1-6 farms	Farms with less than \$2,500 value of sales				Abnormal
			Total	Class 6	Part time	Part retirement	
1 to 9 acres . . . . .	3 711	1 660	2 800	749	1 456	595	-
10 to 49 acres . . . . .	21 439	8 226	17 559	4 347	9 571	3 641	1
50 to 69 acres . . . . .	7 097	3 130	5 129	1 162	2 794	1 173	-
70 to 99 acres . . . . .	9 500	4 788	6 134	1 422	3 399	1 313	-
100 to 139 acres . . . . .	7 991	4 440	4 480	929	2 505	1 046	-
140 to 179 acres . . . . .	5 022	3 117	2 365	462	1 285	618	2
180 to 219 acres . . . . .	3 579	2 468	1 434	324	723	387	1
220 to 259 acres . . . . .	2 339	1 699	789	149	445	195	-
260 to 499 acres . . . . .	6 461	5 231	1 571	342	826	403	1
500 to 999 acres . . . . .	3 374	2 999	459	93	223	143	9
1,000 to 1,999 acres . . . . .	1 349	1 267	83	7	37	39	6
2,000 acres and over . . . . .	629	601	18	1	10	7	11
<b>Farms by Type (see text)</b>							
Cash-grain farms . . . . .	5 441	2 877	3 344	781	1 860	703	1
Tobacco farms . . . . .	76	52	31	7	15	9	-
Cotton farms . . . . .	10 816	5 406	7 867	2 459	3 638	1 770	2
Other field-crop farms . . . . .	3 322	2 544	1 061	284	517	260	1
Vegetable farms . . . . .	1 154	675	727	249	331	147	1
Fruit and nut farms . . . . .	563	285	341	64	178	99	1
Poultry farms . . . . .							-
Dairy farms . . . . .							7
Livestock farms other than poultry and dairy farms . . . . .	36 974	21 529	19 137	3 707	11 430	4 000	8
Livestock ranches (see text) . . . . .							-
General farms . . . . .	5 170	3 511	2 310	658	1 132	520	7
Miscellaneous farms . . . . .	8 975	2 747	8 003	1 778	4 173	2 052	3
<b>Value of Products Sold and Other Farm-Related Income</b>							
Market value of all agricultural products sold (see text) . . . . . dollars . . . . .	670 344 834	642 819 229	32 893 749	7 912 496	18 251 434	6 729 819	2 544 352
Average per farm . . . . . dollars . . . . .	9 247	16 222	768	792	784	703	82 075
Farms by value of agricultural products sold:							
\$1 to \$249 (see text) . . . . .	5 721	1 384	5 682	1 345	2 952	1 385	-
\$250 to \$499 . . . . .	6 792	1 638	6 740	1 586	3 675	1 479	-
\$500 to \$999 . . . . .	10 377	2 481	10 230	2 334	5 655	2 241	-
\$1,000 to \$1,499 . . . . .	6 618	1 731	6 398	1 511	3 528	1 359	-
\$1,500 to \$1,999 . . . . .	4 561	1 290	4 334	1 063	2 429	842	-
\$2,000 to \$2,499 . . . . .	3 328	1 040	3 029	741	1 705	583	-
\$2,500 and over . . . . .	28 556	28 526	-	-	-	-	30
Crops including nursery products and hay . . . . . dollars . . . . .	40 806	25 639	20 947	5 808	10 483	4 656	28
Forest products . . . . . dollars . . . . .	172 022 989	161 935 898	13 050 886	3 872 535	6 532 041	2 646 310	908 740
Livestock, poultry, and their products . . . . . dollars . . . . .	5 866	4 179	2 185	507	1 154	524	9
	11 648 892	10 985 036	741 089	156 712	408 358	176 019	79 479
Farms with farm-related income from-							
Customwork and other agricultural services . . . . . dollars . . . . .	4 757	3 486	1 851	582	911	358	2
Recreational services . . . . . dollars . . . . .	6 875 619	6 123 498	1 003 025	257 355	573 288	172 382	6 451
Government farm programs . . . . . dollars . . . . .	823	503	431	112	201	118	1
	725 675	593 915	233 338	102 328	82 060	48 950	750
	33 475	20 058	17 848	4 447	9 450	3 951	16
	51 091 485	43 903 713	9 678 587	2 556 296	5 060 773	2 061 518	65 481
<b>Production Expenses</b>							
Farm production expenses, total . . . . . dollars . . . . .	72 489	39 624	42 819	9 985	23 274	9 560	31
	598 997 860	562 708 146	43 413 121	9 730 301	25 478 527	8 204 293	2 606 894
Number of farms with expenditures of-							
\$1 to \$499 . . . . .	15 424	3 879	15 296	3 751	7 419	4 126	-
\$500 to \$999 . . . . .	12 689	3 477	12 130	2 918	6 542	2 670	-
\$1,000 to \$1,999 . . . . .	12 472	4 576	10 050	2 155	5 986	1 909	1
\$2,000 to \$2,999 . . . . .	6 330	3 744	3 294	709	2 037	548	1
\$3,000 to \$4,999 . . . . .	6 604	5 316	1 638	352	1 038	248	1
\$5,000 to \$9,999 . . . . .	6 535	6 226	407	98	250	59	2
\$10,000 to \$19,999 . . . . .	4 956	4 949	2	-	2	-	5
\$20,000 and over . . . . .	7 479	7 457	2	2	-	-	22
Livestock and poultry . . . . . dollars . . . . .	29 764	19 400	13 144	2 801	7 922	2 421	21
	91 942 625	87 724 807	5 071 659	962 922	3 329 771	778 966	109 081
Number of farms with expenditures of-							
\$1 to \$99 . . . . .	4 520	1 891	3 504	875	1 875	754	-
\$100 to \$499 . . . . .	10 046	4 871	6 532	1 359	3 966	1 207	2
\$500 to \$999 . . . . .	3 703	2 156	1 889	346	1 230	313	4
\$1,000 to \$2,499 . . . . .	3 792	2 919	1 057	190	747	120	6
\$2,500 to \$4,999 . . . . .	3 144	3 020	149	27	96	26	2
\$5,000 to \$9,999 . . . . .	2 604	2 592	13	4	8	1	3
\$10,000 and over . . . . .	1 955	1 951	-	-	-	-	4
Feed for livestock and poultry . . . . . dollars . . . . .	47 391	28 262	24 234	5 134	14 085	5 015	29
	212 658 827	206 570 248	6 814 683	1 319 105	4 254 165	1 241 413	593 001
Number of farms with expenditures of-							
\$1 to \$99 . . . . .	8 060	2 971	6 806	1 718	3 439	1 649	1
\$100 to \$499 . . . . .	18 768	8 023	13 419	2 677	8 048	2 694	3
\$500 to \$999 . . . . .	6 534	4 014	3 097	579	1 994	524	2
\$1,000 to \$2,499 . . . . .	4 875	4 158	863	147	575	141	1
\$2,500 to \$4,999 . . . . .	2 024	1 984	47	11	29	7	4
\$5,000 to \$9,999 . . . . .	1 579	1 572	-	-	-	-	7
\$10,000 and over . . . . .	5 551	5 540	2	2	-	-	11

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Commercially mixed formula feeds . . . . . farms . . . . .	30 686	21 828	11 372	2 537	6 460	2 375	23
tons . . . . .	2 305 330	2 272 401	37 229	7 551	22 705	6 973	3 251
dollars . . . . .	186 650 479	184 189 336	2 747 910	565 672	1 669 760	512 478	278 905
Number of farms that used--							
1 to 49 tons . . . . .	23 848	15 010	11 362	2 532	6 455	2 375	8
50 to 99 tons . . . . .	1 336	1 327	10	5	5	-	4
100 to 199 tons . . . . .	2 033	2 026	-	-	-	-	7
200 to 499 tons . . . . .	2 632	2 630	-	-	-	-	2
500 tons and over . . . . .	837	835	-	-	-	-	2
Number of farms with expenditures of--							
\$1 to \$99 . . . . .	5 397	2 308	4 097	1 009	2 137	951	1
\$100 to \$499 . . . . .	10 967	6 376	5 843	1 253	3 412	1 178	1
\$500 to \$999 . . . . .	3 543	2 664	1 085	207	683	195	1
\$1,000 to \$2,499 . . . . .	3 032	2 765	326	61	215	50	2
\$2,500 to \$4,999 . . . . .	1 292	1 275	21	7	13	1	3
\$5,000 to \$9,999 . . . . .	1 293	1 285	-	-	-	-	8
\$10,000 and over . . . . .	5 162	5 155	-	-	-	-	7
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees . . . . . farms . . . . .	44 740	27 192	23 636	6 117	12 266	5 253	29
dollars . . . . .	15 057 821	13 858 350	1 541 804	415 187	825 472	301 145	72 854
Number of farms with expenditures of--							
\$1 to \$99 . . . . .	23 974	10 124	18 615	4 765	9 518	4 332	-
\$100 to \$499 . . . . .	14 982	11 322	4 992	1 339	2 735	918	7
\$500 to \$999 . . . . .	2 734	2 710	29	13	13	3	8
\$1,000 to \$2,499 . . . . .	2 000	1 993	-	-	-	-	7
\$2,500 to \$4,999 . . . . .	712	708	-	-	-	-	4
\$5,000 to \$9,999 . . . . .	257	256	-	-	-	-	1
\$10,000 and over . . . . .	81	79	-	-	-	-	2
Commercial fertilizer . . . . . farms . . . . .	57 286	32 266	32 757	7 767	17 889	7 101	30
dollars . . . . .	52 267 395	46 951 785	6 613 288	1 580 434	3 786 523	1 246 331	282 756
Number of farms with expenditures of--							
\$1 to \$99 . . . . .	14 941	5 180	12 783	3 022	6 563	3 198	-
\$100 to \$499 . . . . .	23 696	10 449	17 349	4 103	9 749	3 477	1
\$500 to \$999 . . . . .	7 437	5 836	2 124	526	1 261	337	3
\$1,000 to \$2,499 . . . . .	6 238	5 896	444	106	260	78	4
\$2,500 to \$4,999 . . . . .	2 807	2 759	52	8	33	11	4
\$5,000 to \$9,999 . . . . .	1 471	1 459	5	2	3	-	9
\$10,000 and over . . . . .	696	687	-	-	-	-	9
Lime . . . . . farms . . . . .	11 496	7 876	4 454	853	2 846	755	19
dollars . . . . .	2 784 688	2 453 086	386 684	69 873	254 588	62 223	14 791
Number of farms with expenditures of--							
\$1 to \$99 . . . . .	5 246	2 734	3 123	614	1 936	573	3
\$100 to \$499 . . . . .	4 982	3 906	1 306	236	894	176	6
\$500 to \$999 . . . . .	820	793	23	2	16	5	6
\$1,000 to \$2,499 . . . . .	375	371	2	1	-	1	3
\$2,500 to \$4,999 . . . . .	60	59	-	-	-	-	1
\$5,000 to \$9,999 . . . . .	10	10	-	-	-	-	-
\$10,000 and over . . . . .	3	3	-	-	-	-	-
Other agricultural chemicals (see text) . . . . . farms . . . . .	26 921	17 972	11 698	2 774	6 776	2 148	25
dollars . . . . .	12 947 449	12 404 754	669 775	201 244	350 612	117 919	74 164
Number of farms with expenditures of--							
\$1 to \$99 . . . . .	14 246	6 744	9 646	2 146	5 733	1 767	2
\$100 to \$499 . . . . .	7 813	6 427	1 971	591	1 009	371	6
\$500 to \$999 . . . . .	2 004	1 963	70	29	32	9	-
\$1,000 to \$2,499 . . . . .	1 688	1 674	10	7	2	1	11
\$2,500 to \$4,999 . . . . .	703	701	1	1	-	-	2
\$5,000 to \$9,999 . . . . .	344	343	-	-	-	-	1
\$10,000 and over . . . . .	123	120	-	-	-	-	3
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for the farm business . . . . . farms . . . . .	68 707	38 499	39 229	9 052	21 691	8 486	31
dollars . . . . .	27 840 377	23 712 215	5 308 534	1 341 997	2 785 534	1 181 003	161 625
Number of farms with expenditures of--							
\$1 to \$99 . . . . .	23 038	7 043	20 281	4 287	11 758	4 236	1
\$100 to \$499 . . . . .	31 667	18 352	17 723	4 410	9 312	4 001	2
\$500 to \$999 . . . . .	7 549	6 751	1 121	327	569	225	4
\$1,000 to \$2,499 . . . . .	4 931	4 848	103	28	51	24	8
\$2,500 to \$4,999 . . . . .	1 126	1 116	1	-	1	-	9
\$5,000 to \$9,999 . . . . .	326	322	-	-	-	-	4
\$10,000 and over . . . . .	70	67	-	-	-	-	3
Hired farm labor . . . . . farms . . . . .	34 263	22 237	15 582	3 585	8 743	3 254	29
dollars . . . . .	44 465 934	41 095 854	3 274 297	804 000	1 765 387	704 910	899 783
Number of farms with expenditures of--							
\$1 to \$99 . . . . .	9 182	3 773	7 013	1 605	3 892	1 516	1
\$100 to \$499 . . . . .	13 837	8 297	7 158	1 620	4 113	1 425	2
\$500 to \$999 . . . . .	3 939	3 205	979	245	521	213	-
\$1,000 to \$2,499 . . . . .	3 668	3 402	351	87	184	80	2
\$2,500 to \$4,999 . . . . .	1 949	1 900	75	27	33	15	1
\$5,000 to \$9,999 . . . . .	999	991	6	1	-	5	3
\$10,000 and over . . . . .	689	669	-	-	-	-	20
Contract labor, machine hire, and customwork . . . . . farms . . . . .	29 953	19 067	13 904	3 032	8 010	2 862	14
dollars . . . . .	17 023 972	15 063 596	2 489 639	541 156	1 470 143	478 340	11 893
Number of farms with expenditures of--							
\$1 to \$99 . . . . .	7 569	2 914	5 911	1 258	3 379	1 274	2
\$100 to \$499 . . . . .	14 127	8 568	7 163	1 609	4 098	1 456	5
\$500 to \$999 . . . . .	4 339	3 805	668	137	416	115	3
\$1,000 to \$2,499 . . . . .	2 844	2 717	150	25	113	12	2
\$2,500 to \$4,999 . . . . .	751	740	11	2	4	5	2
\$5,000 to \$9,999 . . . . .	239	239	1	-	-	-	-
\$10,000 and over . . . . .	84	84	-	-	-	-	-
All other production expenses . . . . . farms . . . . .	55 337	35 283	25 991	5 966	14 457	5 568	29
dollars . . . . .	122 008 772	112 873 451	11 242 758	2 494 383	6 656 332	2 092 043	386 946
Number of farms with expenditures of--							
\$1 to \$99 . . . . .	7 180	2 269	6 524	1 613	3 238	1 673	-
\$100 to \$499 . . . . .	17 148	7 856	12 079	2 788	6 684	2 607	1
\$500 to \$999 . . . . .	9 277	5 817	4 338	879	2 688	771	1
\$1,000 to \$2,499 . . . . .	10 851	8 811	2 623	586	1 601	436	3
\$2,500 to \$4,999 . . . . .	5 294	4 993	381	83	227	71	3
\$5,000 to \$9,999 . . . . .	3 265	3 229	46	17	19	10	7
\$10,000 and over . . . . .	2 322	2 308	-	-	-	-	14



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	All farms	Class 1-6 farms	Farms with less than \$2,500 value of sales				Abnormal
			Total	Class 6	Part time	Part retirement	
Chickens 3 months old or older . . . farms . . .	12 752	6 595	8 559	2 412	3 554	2 593	10
number . . .	16 423 672	16 259 213	203 880	55 942	86 803	61 135	16 521
Farms with—							
1 to 99 . . . . .	11 094	5 064	8 405	2 378	3 483	2 544	3
100 to 399 . . . . .	320	202	150	34	68	48	2
400 to 1,599 . . . . .	122	118	4	-	3	1	-
1,600 and over . . . . .	1 216	1 211	-	-	-	-	5
Hens and pullets of laying age excluding started pullets . . . farms . . .	11 823	6 062	7 969	2 217	3 315	2 437	9
number . . .	12 899 122	12 761 903	170 905	46 278	72 342	52 285	12 592
Broilers and other meat-type chickens less than 3 months old . . . . . farms . . .	3 639	3 324	451	137	187	127	1
number . . .	86 366 893	86 106 730	298 191	39 028	240 518	18 645	1 000
Other livestock and poultry . . . farms . . .	8 472	4 271	5 920	1 728	2 554	1 638	9
Livestock and poultry sold:							
Cattle and calves . . . . . farms . . .	39 796	24 056	19 793	4 081	11 339	4 373	28
number . . .	881 471	770 146	133 295	24 371	79 757	29 167	2 401
Hogs and pigs . . . . . farms . . .	16 938	12 037	6 662	1 781	3 684	1 197	20
number . . .	1 292 982	1 188 084	131 031	32 983	77 583	20 465	6 850
Feeder pigs sold . . . . . farms . . .	4 405	2 845	2 099	543	1 207	349	4
number . . .	236 635	198 820	48 714	11 728	30 341	6 645	829
Sheep and lambs . . . . . farms . . .	179	125	74	23	34	17	3
number . . .	4 753	3 826	1 097	266	519	312	96
Horses and ponies . . . . . farms . . .	1 334	847	579	97	420	62	5
number . . .	4 311	3 373	1 074	170	793	111	34
Chickens 3 months old or older . . . . . farms . . .	1 923	1 734	261	78	119	64	6
number . . .	17 062 826	17 018 344	45 984	12 606	22 758	10 620	11 104
Hens and pullets of laying age excluding started pullets . . . farms . . .	1 566	1 413	216	69	92	55	6
number . . .	10 179 437	10 145 075	32 308	8 754	17 983	5 571	10 808
Broilers and other meat-type chickens less than 3 months old . . . . . farms . . .	4 496	4 445	76	26	36	14	1
number . . .	334 952 131	334 674 564	453 837	189 970	232 934	30 933	13 700
Other livestock and poultry . . . farms . . .	1 016	659	494	139	253	102	2
Crops Harvested							
Field corn for all purposes . . . . . farms . . .	28 984	18 014	15 079	4 133	7 235	3 711	24
Farms with—							
1 to 4 acres . . . . .	6 177	2 324	5 100	1 247	2 516	1 337	-
5 to 14 acres . . . . .	10 359	5 148	7 246	2 036	3 418	1 792	1
15 to 24 acres . . . . .	4 180	2 936	1 769	526	848	395	1
25 to 49 acres . . . . .	4 613	4 031	863	284	403	176	3
50 acres and over . . . . .	3 655	3 575	101	40	50	11	19
For grain . . . . . farms . . .	27 943	17 238	14 727	4 045	7 047	3 635	23
acres . . .	618 663	521 427	131 459	39 442	62 108	29 909	5 219
bushels . . .	20 546 071	17 921 892	3 490 232	1 014 381	1 741 143	734 708	148 328
Cut for silage, green or dry fodder, or hogged or grazed . . . farms . . .	2 634	2 133	646	162	337	147	17
acres . . .	83 201	78 128	5 715	1 440	3 030	1 245	798
Sorghums for all purposes except sirup . . . . . farms . . .	1 080	814	344	88	172	84	10
Farms with—							
1 to 4 acres . . . . .	308	155	210	58	96	56	1
5 to 14 acres . . . . .	292	198	109	17	66	26	2
15 to 24 acres . . . . .	128	121	13	7	4	2	1
25 to 49 acres . . . . .	154	147	10	6	4	-	3
50 acres and over . . . . .	198	193	2	-	2	-	3
For grain or seed . . . . . farms . . .	443	375	94	30	37	27	4
acres . . .	15 529	15 158	614	308	204	102	65
bushels . . .	521 742	513 656	10 943	5 107	4 026	1 810	2 250
Cut for silage, dry forage or hay, or hogged or grazed . . . farms . . .	687	481	258	60	141	57	8
acres . . .	17 389	15 980	1 439	283	909	247	253
Wheat for grain . . . . . farms . . .	1 564	1 385	202	36	126	40	13
acres . . .	80 280	78 213	1 804	282	1 096	426	545
bushels . . .	2 333 302	2 278 907	48 652	7 448	27 576	13 628	13 191
Farms with—							
1 to 4 acres . . . . .	126	69	63	9	44	10	3
5 to 14 acres . . . . .	423	336	105	22	62	21	4
15 to 24 acres . . . . .	215	195	23	5	12	6	2
25 to 49 acres . . . . .	278	268	10	-	8	2	-
50 acres and over . . . . .	522	517	1	-	-	1	4
Other small grains for grain . . . . . farms . . .	1 230	1 067	189	33	105	51	7
acres . . .	40 171	38 663	1 428	167	869	392	247
Farms with—							
1 to 4 acres . . . . .	168	102	92	26	39	27	-
5 to 14 acres . . . . .	364	297	67	2	46	19	2
15 to 24 acres . . . . .	208	193	18	4	13	1	1
25 to 49 acres . . . . .	234	222	11	1	7	3	2
50 acres and over . . . . .	256	253	1	-	-	1	2

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	All farms	Class 1-6 farms	Farms with less than \$2,500 value of sales				Abnormal
			Total	Class 6	Part time	Part retirement	
Soybeans for beans . . . . . farms . . . . .	6 821	5 285	1 957	433	1 150	374	12
acres . . . . .	596 488	573 648	24 638	5 070	14 870	4 698	3 272
bushels . . . . .	13 161 175	12 659 219	521 037	98 426	324 045	98 566	79 345
Farms with-							
1 to 4 acres . . . . .	530	215	395	81	223	91	1
5 to 14 acres . . . . .	1 544	866	897	219	520	158	-
15 to 24 acres . . . . .	977	643	431	98	263	70	1
25 to 49 acres . . . . .	1 249	1 048	232	35	142	55	4
50 acres and over . . . . .	2 521	2 513	2	-	2	-	6
Hay excluding sorghum hay . . . . . farms . . . . .	18 060	11 908	7 553	1 427	4 619	1 507	26
acres . . . . .	444 355	384 483	71 395	13 402	44 383	13 610	1 879
tons . . . . .	814 767	735 731	91 410	16 414	58 453	16 543	4 040
Farms with-							
1 to 4 acres . . . . .	3 430	1 473	2 436	480	1 410	546	1
5 to 14 acres . . . . .	7 085	4 068	3 683	667	2 314	702	1
15 to 24 acres . . . . .	2 870	2 141	899	175	556	168	5
25 to 49 acres . . . . .	2 496	2 123	456	89	295	72	6
50 acres and over . . . . .	2 179	2 103	79	16	44	19	13
Cotton . . . . . farms . . . . .	24 779	15 374	13 573	4 182	6 400	2 991	14
acres . . . . .	563 278	506 861	79 896	25 559	37 413	16 924	2 080
bales . . . . .	497 526	455 472	59 375	18 985	27 996	12 394	1 664
Farms with-							
1 to 4 acres . . . . .	7 037	2 785	5 977	1 726	2 835	1 416	1
5 to 14 acres . . . . .	10 773	6 000	7 021	2 248	3 317	1 456	-
15 to 24 acres . . . . .	2 473	2 106	573	208	246	119	2
25 to 49 acres . . . . .	1 993	1 991	-	-	-	-	2
50 acres and over . . . . .	2 503	2 492	2	-	2	-	9
Peanuts for nuts . . . . . farms . . . . .	6 753	5 056	2 445	752	1 106	587	4
acres . . . . .	179 317	173 017	9 244	3 171	4 182	1 891	227
pounds . . . . .	273 238 185	266 327 102	9 489 943	3 094 660	4 505 181	1 890 102	515 800
Farms with-							
1 to 4 acres . . . . .	2 106	914	1 712	522	740	450	2
5 to 14 acres . . . . .	1 710	1 254	654	198	335	121	-
15 to 24 acres . . . . .	875	833	63	21	27	15	-
25 to 49 acres . . . . .	962	957	16	11	4	1	-
50 acres and over . . . . .	1 100	1 098	-	-	-	-	2
Tobacco . . . . . farms . . . . .	95	82	21	8	10	3	-
acres . . . . .	596	579	25	8	12	5	-
pounds . . . . .	814 940	797 947	27 967	10 974	11 983	5 010	-
Farms with-							
0.1 to 0.4 acre . . . . .	5	2	5	2	2	1	-
0.5 to 0.9 acre . . . . .	6	3	4	1	3	-	-
1.0 to 1.4 acres . . . . .	7	5	5	3	2	-	-
1.5 to 1.9 acres . . . . .	4	4	2	2	-	-	-
2.0 to 4.9 acres . . . . .	32	27	5	3	3	2	-
5 acres and over . . . . .	41	41	-	-	-	-	-
Irish potatoes and sweetpotatoes . . . . . farms . . . . .	4 406	2 411	2 926	945	1 180	801	14
acres . . . . .	<del>21 834</del> 22 500	<del>20 423</del> 20 889	1 789	569	696	524	191
Farms with-							
0.1 to 0.9 acre . . . . .	3213	1587	2 405	782	986	637	3
1.0 to 2.9 acres . . . . .	600	314	406	123	149	134	3
3.0 to 4.9 acres . . . . .	126	83	62	20	27	15	1
5.0 to 9.9 acres . . . . .	123	97	41	16	16	9	1
10 acres and over . . . . .	344	330	12	4	2	6	6
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale . . . . . farms . . . . .	4 828	3 197	2 399	777	1 011	611	9
acres . . . . .	40 146	35 558	6 367	2 288	2 786	1 293	509
Farms with-							
0.1 to 0.9 acre . . . . .	764	313	617	166	252	199	-
1.0 to 2.9 acres . . . . .	1 572	874	1 032	334	426	272	-
3.0 to 4.9 acres . . . . .	701	490	335	124	142	69	-
5.0 to 9.9 acres . . . . .	839	646	295	105	134	56	3
10 acres and over . . . . .	952	874	120	48	57	15	6
Berries for sale . . . . . farms . . . . .	308	184	176	52	78	46	-
acres . . . . .	359	287	109	37	35	37	-
Farms with-							
0.1 to 0.9 acre . . . . .	221	120	137	36	62	39	-
1.0 to 2.9 acres . . . . .	61	40	37	16	15	6	-
3.0 to 4.9 acres . . . . .	10	9	1	-	1	-	-
5.0 to 9.9 acres . . . . .	6	6	-	-	-	-	-
10 acres and over . . . . .	10	9	1	-	-	1	-
Land in orchards (see text) . . . . . farms . . . . .	4 118	2 547	1 922	365	1 117	440	14
acres . . . . .	48 406	43 404	5 686	998	3 530	1 158	314
Farms with-							
0.1 to 0.9 acre . . . . .	657	198	573	114	312	147	-
1.0 to 2.9 acres . . . . .	1 159	591	703	136	408	159	-
3.0 to 4.9 acres . . . . .	507	326	223	43	133	47	1
5.0 to 9.9 acres . . . . .	610	419	231	42	135	54	2
10 acres and over . . . . .	1 185	1 013	192	30	129	33	10
Other crops . . . . . farms . . . . .	3 800	1 889	2 475	572	1 267	636	8
acres . . . . .	51 056	47 385	4 151	879	2 212	1 060	399
Farms with-							
0.1 to 0.9 acre . . . . .	958	212	950	204	526	220	-
1.0 to 2.9 acres . . . . .	1 492	596	1 187	293	563	331	2
3.0 to 4.9 acres . . . . .	253	145	39	39	65	41	2
5.0 to 9.9 acres . . . . .	270	174	121	25	65	31	-
10 acres and over . . . . .	827	762	72	11	48	13	4
Greenhouse products under glass or other protection . . . . . farms . . . . .	172	130	69	28	29	12	1
sq.ft. . . . .	2 878 186	2 860 114	19 971	8 299	8 792	2 880	6 400

Note: Data partially based on a sample, see appendix A.