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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	
Farms and Land in Farms							
Farms number	3 896	2 640	1 601	356	918	327	11
percent	100.0	67.7	41.0	9.1	23.5	8.3	.2
Land in farms acres	2 058 087	2 031 553	33 924	10 778	18 534	4 612	3 388
Average size of farm	528.2	769.5	21.1	30.2	20.1	14.1	308.0
Value of land and buildings dollars	610 894 843	562 286 089	57 327 817	12 746 563	34 938 945	9 642 309	4 027 500
Average per farm dollars	156 800	212 987	35 807	35 804	38 059	29 487	366 136
Average per acre dollars	296.82	276.77	1 689.188	1 182.64	1 885.12	2 090.70	1 188.75
Number of farms by value of farm.							
\$1 to \$9,999	911	536	488	113	253	122	-
\$10,000 to \$19,999	663	418	312	67	183	62	-
\$20,000 to \$39,999	806	538	356	88	198	70	-
\$40,000 to \$69,999	626	436	240	51	151	38	1
\$70,000 to \$99,999	291	210	97	17	63	17	1
\$100,000 to \$149,999	223	179	53	10	34	9	1
\$150,000 to \$199,999	89	75	17	3	12	2	-
\$200,000 to \$499,999	160	127	32	4	21	7	5
\$500,000 and over	127	121	6	3	3	-	3
Owned and rented lands by farm operator:							
Land owned farms	2 429	1 621	1 038	238	605	195	8
acres	1 148 524	1 133 096	20 751	8 112	10 133	2 506	2 789
Land rented or leased from others farms	2 167	1 554	763	156	442	165	6
acres	3 546 279	3 533 108	16 538	3 966	10 212	2 360	599
Land rented or leased to others farms	203	161	57	15	33	9	-
acres	2 636 716	2 634 651	3 365	1 300	1 811	254	-
Land in Farms According to Use							
Total cropland farms	3 089	2 134	1 220	275	674	271	10
acres	379 766	370 396	10 737	1 989	6 774	1 974	622
Harvested cropland farms	2 750	1 995	971	226	524	221	10
acres	178 657	176 199	2 739	595	1 613	531	314
Number of farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 9 acres	2 055	1 333	941	221	500	220	2
10 to 19 acres	387	361	27	5	22	-	4
20 to 29 acres	125	121	2	-	1	1	2
30 to 49 acres	89	88	1	-	1	-	-
50 to 99 acres	31	30	-	-	-	-	1
100 to 199 acres	15	14	-	-	-	-	1
200 to 499 acres	8	8	-	-	-	-	-
500 to 999 acres	8	8	-	-	-	-	-
1,000 acres and over	32	32	-	-	-	-	-
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing farms	284	154	147	20	104	23	3
acres	36 466	32 133	4 854	591	3 394	869	70
All other cropland (see text) farms	837	626	271	67	148	56	7
acres	164 643	162 064	3 144	803	1 767	574	238
Woodland including woodland pasture farms	148	104	57	13	34	10	-
acres	167 466	166 260	2 651	1 445	785	421	-
All other land (see text) farms	1 899	1 309	756	177	447	132	11
acres	1 510 855	1 494 896	20 538	7 345	10 976	2 217	2 766
Irrigated land farms	735	605	166	45	90	31	9
acres	145 564	144 987	307	87	175	45	357
Color and Tenure of Operator							
All farm operators:							
Full owners	1 733	1 088	840	200	477	163	5
Part owners	678	525	185	35	119	31	3
Tenants	1 485	1 027	576	121	322	133	3
White farm operators:							
Full owners	386	159	298	72	171	55	1
Part owners	212	140	83	13	57	13	2
Tenants	185	106	98	20	64	14	1
Negro farm operators:							
Full owners	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Part owners	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tenants	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Farm Operator Characteristics							
Farm operators by age groups:							
Under 25 years	24	16	9	1	8	-	-
25 to 34 years	216	130	112	26	86	-	-
35 to 44 years	690	481	258	52	206	-	3
45 to 54 years	1 193	872	457	140	317	-	4
55 to 64 years	1 088	783	438	137	301	-	4
65 years and over	685	358	327	-	-	327	-
Average age	53.1	52.4	53.6	50.5	48.4	71.6	49.8
Farm operators by place of residence:							
On farm operated	2 109	1 457	807	161	445	201	6
Not on farm operated	1 076	751	410	90	260	60	5
Farm operators reporting days of work							
off farm	2 494	1 409	1 280	196	918	166	1
1 to 49 days	305	235	176	106	-	70	-
50 to 99 days	222	204	108	90	-	18	-
100 to 199 days	515	187	328	-	304	24	-
200 days and over	1 452	783	668	-	614	54	1

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Farms by Size							
1 to 9 acres	2 024	1 258	999	234	531	234	1
10 to 49 acres	1 281	914	463	98	295	70	2
50 to 69 acres	120	79	45	6	31	8	2
70 to 99 acres	107	78	36	7	25	4	-
100 to 139 acres	56	44	12	2	8	2	2
140 to 179 acres	53	33	20	-	15	5	-
180 to 219 acres	24	19	5	-	1	4	-
220 to 259 acres	29	24	7	3	4	-	1
260 to 499 acres	87	78	10	3	7	-	2
500 to 999 acres	28	27	3	2	1	-	-
1,000 to 1,999 acres	17	17	-	-	-	-	-
2,000 acres and over	70	69	1	1	-	-	1
Farms by Type (see text)							
Cash-grain farms	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
Tobacco farms	1	-	1	-	1	-	-
Cotton farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other field-crop farms	741	651	122	33	60	29	1
Vegetable farms	502	420	109	28	54	27	1
Fruit and nut farms	788	480	378	70	215	93	-
Poultry farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dairy farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Livestock farms other than poultry and dairy farms	961	601	439	83	281	75	1
Livestock ranches (see text)	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
General farms	20	13	7	1	4	2	1
Miscellaneous farms	882	475	545	141	303	101	3
Value of Products Sold and Other Farm-Related Income							
Market value of all agricultural products sold (see text)	287 939 234	266 715 428	1 289 003	275 065	724 873	289 065	209 868
Average per farm	73 906	108 604	805	772	789	883	19 078
Farms by value of agricultural products sold:							
\$1 to \$249 (see text)	114	38	97	21	58	18	-
\$250 to \$499	267	67	259	59	146	54	-
\$500 to \$999	337	75	317	55	186	76	-
\$1,000 to \$1,499	272	80	250	58	137	55	-
\$1,500 to \$1,999	199	53	186	40	105	41	-
\$2,000 to \$2,499	179	55	159	35	91	33	-
\$2,500 and over	2 163	2 154	-	-	-	-	9
Crops including nursery products and hay	2 577	1 939	816	185	432	199	7
Forest products	236 176 971	235 392 919	820 540	179 483	431 722	209 335	142 995
Livestock, poultry, and their products	78 057	76 430	3 594	1 967	1 533	94	-
Farms with farm-related income from-							
Customwork and other agricultural services	1 100	695	491	92	316	83	6
Recreational services	51 684 206	51 246 079	464 869	93 615	291 618	79 636	66 873
Government farm programs							
Customwork and other agricultural services	125	91	37	4	28	5	1
Recreational services	5 680 683	5 602 457	73 828	5 602	66 779	1 447	10 000
Government farm programs	18	14	4	-	4	-	-
Government farm programs	50 223	47 637	2 586	-	2 586	-	-
Government farm programs	401	366	42	8	27	7	1
Government farm programs	9 845 080	9 821 087	23 351	1 830	20 365	1 156	2 472
Production Expenses							
Farm production expenses, total	3 896	2 640	1 601	356	918	327	11
Number of farms with expenditures of-	249 436 768	247 934 263	1 524 932	376 574	873 574	274 784	354 147
\$1 to \$499	728	199	674	145	385	144	-
\$500 to \$999	538	207	410	80	239	91	1
\$1,000 to \$1,999	665	402	338	76	200	62	1
\$2,000 to \$2,999	376	301	104	29	51	24	-
\$3,000 to \$4,999	393	360	54	21	28	5	-
\$5,000 to \$9,999	453	437	21	5	15	1	-
\$10,000 to \$19,999	327	324	-	-	-	-	3
\$20,000 and over	416	410	-	-	-	-	6
Livestock and poultry	11 564 226	11 482 971	104 546	24 627	59 631	20 288	1 336
Number of farms with expenditures of-							
\$1 to \$99	68	26	52	10	35	7	-
\$100 to \$499	156	77	107	28	66	13	-
\$500 to \$999	95	65	50	20	25	5	-
\$1,000 to \$2,499	91	66	27	3	16	8	1
\$2,500 to \$4,999	58	57	1	-	1	-	-
\$5,000 to \$9,999	48	48	-	-	-	-	-
\$10,000 and over	88	88	-	-	-	-	-
Feed for livestock and poultry	18 352 347	18 244 283	98 892	19 619	58 535	20 738	28 791
Number of farms with expenditures of-							
\$1 to \$99	185	88	124	28	82	14	1
\$100 to \$499	234	122	135	24	87	24	1
\$500 to \$999	96	65	37	7	22	8	1
\$1,000 to \$2,499	92	73	25	6	13	6	-
\$2,500 to \$4,999	44	42	1	-	1	-	-
\$5,000 to \$9,999	48	48	-	-	-	-	1
\$10,000 and over	179	178	-	-	-	-	1

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			Total	Class 6	Part time	Part retirement	
Commercially mixed formula feeds farms..	731	524	255	53	159	43	5
..... tons..	132 308	131 493	669	139	399	131	285
..... dollars..	12 169 437	12 079 487	77 807	15 570	45 694	16 543	27 713
Number of farms that used—							
1 to 49 tons	525	319	255	53	159	43	4
50 to 99 tons	49	49	-	-	-	-	-
100 to 199 tons	40	40	-	-	-	-	-
200 to 499 tons	41	40	-	-	-	-	1
500 tons and over	76	76	-	-	-	-	-
Number of farms with expenditures of—							
\$1 to \$99	160	81	103	25	64	14	1
\$100 to \$499	187	101	103	18	67	18	1
\$500 to \$999	71	46	29	5	18	6	1
\$1,000 to \$2,499	70	56	19	5	9	5	-
\$2,500 to \$4,999	35	33	1	-	1	-	1
\$5,000 to \$9,999	41	41	-	-	-	-	-
\$10,000 and over	167	166	-	-	-	-	1
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees farms..	1 019	863	200	50	113	37	6
..... dollars..	1 126 417	1 114 439	14 465	3 203	8 606	2 656	716
Number of farms with expenditures of—							
\$1 to \$99	422	311	148	40	82	26	3
\$100 to \$499	420	375	52	10	31	11	3
\$500 to \$999	71	71	-	-	-	-	-
\$1,000 to \$2,499	60	60	-	-	-	-	-
\$2,500 to \$4,999	17	17	-	-	-	-	-
\$5,000 to \$9,999	15	15	-	-	-	-	-
\$10,000 and over	14	14	-	-	-	-	-
Commercial fertilizer farms..	2 941	2 065	1 130	264	623	243	10
..... dollars..	14 522 670	14 344 193	217 492	55 106	130 724	31 662	16 091
Number of farms with expenditures of—							
\$1 to \$99	1 059	512	706	161	383	162	2
\$100 to \$499	900	653	320	73	183	64	-
\$500 to \$999	351	310	54	18	25	11	5
\$1,000 to \$2,499	382	349	40	9	25	6	2
\$2,500 to \$4,999	134	128	9	3	6	-	-
\$5,000 to \$9,999	61	59	1	-	1	-	1
\$10,000 and over	54	54	-	-	-	-	-
Lime farms..	245	213	44	13	18	13	1
..... dollars..	102 951	101 655	1 266	232	492	542	262
Number of farms with expenditures of—							
\$1 to \$99	186	160	39	13	16	10	-
\$100 to \$499	48	42	5	-	2	3	1
\$500 to \$999	4	4	-	-	-	-	-
\$1,000 to \$2,499	2	2	-	-	-	-	-
\$2,500 to \$4,999	1	1	-	-	-	-	-
\$5,000 to \$9,999	1	1	-	-	-	-	-
\$10,000 and over	3	3	-	-	-	-	-
Other agricultural chemicals (see text) farms..	2 274	1 736	664	136	384	144	10
..... dollars..	7 740 581	7 661 766	62 409	14 492	37 626	10 291	30 898
Number of farms with expenditures of—							
\$1 to \$99	787	439	425	77	244	104	-
\$100 to \$499	960	781	233	56	137	40	2
\$500 to \$999	262	258	5	3	2	-	2
\$1,000 to \$2,499	168	165	1	-	1	-	2
\$2,500 to \$4,999	42	40	-	-	-	-	2
\$5,000 to \$9,999	18	16	-	-	-	-	2
\$10,000 and over	37	37	-	-	-	-	-
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for the farm business farms..	3 776	2 546	1 573	354	910	309	11
..... dollars..	6 108 785	5 908 140	231 507	58 263	126 447	46 797	27 401
Number of farms with expenditures of—							
\$1 to \$99	1 137	562	733	159	428	146	1
\$100 to \$499	1 931	1 308	804	183	465	156	2
\$500 to \$999	416	390	34	11	17	6	3
\$1,000 to \$2,499	168	164	2	1	-	1	3
\$2,500 to \$4,999	62	61	-	-	-	-	1
\$5,000 to \$9,999	21	21	-	-	-	-	-
\$10,000 and over	41	40	-	-	-	-	1
Hired farm labor farms..	1 156	993	202	49	108	45	10
..... dollars..	84 454 759	84 206 181	119 523	32 126	63 903	23 494	161 181
Number of farms with expenditures of—							
\$1 to \$99	75	45	40	10	18	12	-
\$100 to \$499	268	201	85	19	50	16	1
\$500 to \$999	187	157	39	9	22	8	-
\$1,000 to \$2,499	208	186	30	8	14	8	-
\$2,500 to \$4,999	144	139	8	3	4	1	-
\$5,000 to \$9,999	77	77	-	-	-	-	-
\$10,000 and over	197	188	-	-	-	-	9
Contract labor, machine hire, and customwork farms..	759	623	174	40	92	42	2
..... dollars..	6 080 959	6 013 327	63 297	17 265	33 050	12 982	21 600
Number of farms with expenditures of—							
\$1 to \$99	99	47	64	12	36	16	-
\$100 to \$499	191	129	82	20	41	21	-
\$500 to \$999	123	112	16	5	8	3	-
\$1,000 to \$2,499	136	130	7	1	5	1	-
\$2,500 to \$4,999	79	76	4	2	1	1	1
\$5,000 to \$9,999	84	83	1	-	1	-	-
\$10,000 and over	47	46	-	-	-	-	1
All other production expenses farms..	3 409	2 515	1 140	254	651	235	8
..... dollars..	99 383 073	98 857 308	611 535	151 641	354 560	105 334	65 871
Number of farms with expenditures of—							
\$1 to \$99	278	101	215	38	130	47	-
\$100 to \$499	805	407	517	122	280	115	3
\$500 to \$999	551	368	229	46	138	45	-
\$1,000 to \$2,499	717	606	150	39	84	27	-
\$2,500 to \$4,999	421	401	26	7	18	1	1
\$5,000 to \$9,999	310	306	3	2	1	-	3
\$10,000 and over	327	326	-	-	-	-	1

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Chickens 3 months old or older, farms..	144	104	52	14	27	11	2
number..	1 072 425	1 069 933	2 057	315	1 146	596	750
Farms with--							
1 to 99	67	35	46	14	23	9	-
100 to 399	12	5	6	-	4	2	1
400 to 1,599	11	10	-	-	-	-	1
1,600 and over	54	54	-	-	-	-	-
Hens and pullets of laying age excluding started pullets, farms..	127	93	43	10	23	10	1
number..	921 004	918 954	1 520	120	928	472	650
Broilers and other meat-type chickens less than 3 months old, farms..	48	35	12	1	7	4	2
number..	413 204	412 674	566	126	376	64	90
Other livestock and poultry, farms..	115	77	47	10	30	7	1
Livestock and poultry sold:							
Cattle and calves, farms..	729	436	358	71	226	61	6
number..	93 632	91 458	2 560	535	1 592	433	149
Hogs and pigs, farms..	338	213	145	24	93	28	4
number..	71 766	69 125	3 049	693	1 901	455	285
Feeder pigs sold, farms..	76	49	32	6	24	2	1
number..	9 842	9 184	793	155	596	42	20
Sheep and lambs, farms..	3	3	-	-	-	-	-
number..	(0)	(0)	-	-	-	-	-
Horses and ponies, farms..	39	28	11	-	9	2	-
number..	201	186	15	-	13	2	-
Chickens 3 months old or older, farms..	85	75	9	1	4	4	2
number..	537 124	534 884	1 626	36	1 325	265	650
Hens and pullets of laying age excluding started pullets, farms..	73	67	5	-	4	1	1
number..	380 125	378 022	1 553	-	1 325	228	550
Broilers and other meat-type chickens less than 3 months old, farms..	35	31	3	-	3	-	1
number..	1 432 100	1 428 118	1 482	-	1 482	-	2 500
Other livestock and poultry, farms..	41	29	16	5	9	2	1
Crops Harvested							
Field corn for all purposes, farms..	4	3	1	1	-	-	1
Farms with--							
1 to 4 acres	4	3	1	1	-	-	1
5 to 14 acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
15 to 24 acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
25 to 49 acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
50 acres and over	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
For grain, farms..	4	3	1	1	-	-	1
acres..	4	3	1	1	-	-	1
bushels..	180	110	50	50	-	-	70
Cut for silage, green or dry fodder, or hogged or grazed, farms..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
acres..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sorghums for all purposes except sirup, farms..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Farms with--							
1 to 4 acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5 to 14 acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
15 to 24 acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
25 to 49 acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
50 acres and over	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
For grain or seed, farms..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
acres..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
bushels..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cut for silage, dry forage or hay, or hogged or grazed, farms..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
acres..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wheat for grain, farms..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
acres..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
bushels..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Farms with--							
1 to 4 acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5 to 14 acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
15 to 24 acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
25 to 49 acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
50 acres and over	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other small grains for grain, farms..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
acres..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Farms with--							
1 to 4 acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5 to 14 acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
15 to 24 acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
25 to 49 acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
50 acres and over	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

