

## All Farms

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<b>Farms and Land in Farms</b>							
Farms . . . . . number . . . . .	46 381	43 148	4 821	1 620	2 293	908	32
percent . . . . .	100.0	93.0	10.3	3.4	4.9	1.9	0.0
Land in farms . . . . . acres . . . . .	43 117 831	40 716 926	894 775	342 446	350 968	201 361	1 848 576
Average size of farm . . . . .	929.6	943.6	185.5	211.3	153.0	221.7	57 768.0
Value of land and buildings . . . . . dollars . . . . .	4 045 469 691	3 948 998 892	104 821 865	38 532 144	46 387 856	19 901 865	30 181 078
Average per farm . . . . . dollars . . . . .	87 222	91 522	21 742	23 785	20 230	21 918	943 158
Average per acre . . . . . dollars . . . . .	93.82	96.98	117.14	112.52	132.17	98.83	16.32
<b>Number of farms by value of farm:</b>							
\$1 to \$9,999 . . . . .	2 379	1 351	1 596	569	810	217	1
\$10,000 to \$19,999 . . . . .	3 116	2 176	1 346	406	656	284	-
\$20,000 to \$39,999 . . . . .	7 363	6 499	1 240	377	577	286	1
\$40,000 to \$69,999 . . . . .	11 822	11 548	435	164	171	100	3
\$70,000 to \$99,999 . . . . .	8 562	8 485	147	72	58	17	2
\$100,000 to \$149,999 . . . . .	7 135	7 113	30	14	12	4	6
\$150,000 to \$199,999 . . . . .	2 997	2 989	14	10	4	-	4
\$200,000 to \$499,999 . . . . .	2 666	2 655	12	8	4	-	7
\$500,000 and over . . . . .	341	332	1	-	1	-	8
<b>Owned and rented lands by farm operator:</b>							
Land owned . . . . . farms . . . . .	40 030	37 355	3 909	1 261	1 778	870	27
acres . . . . .	27 856 513	26 672 540	997 763	354 593	389 236	253 934	540 803
Land rented or leased from others . . . . . farms . . . . .	28 442	27 578	1 360	513	727	120	17
acres . . . . .	17 170 832	15 561 152	216 043	97 511	100 927	17 605	1 491 148
Land rented or leased to others . . . . . farms . . . . .	5 356	4 593	1 115	358	502	255	6
acres . . . . .	1 909 374	1 516 626	318 891	109 518	139 195	70 178	183 375
<b>Land in Farms According to Use</b>							
Total cropland . . . . . farms . . . . .	44 581	42 080	3 644	1 163	1 683	798	20
acres . . . . .	29 458 878	29 071 678	578 273	221 889	228 555	127 829	30 816
Harvested cropland . . . . . farms . . . . .	43 606	41 492	3 019	925	1 423	671	20
acres . . . . .	17 174 891	17 030 126	185 980	62 017	80 574	43 389	20 802
<b>Number of farms by acres harvested:</b>							
1 to 9 acres . . . . .	217	90	159	32	109	18	-
10 to 19 acres . . . . .	351	145	276	70	168	38	-
20 to 29 acres . . . . .	421	207	292	78	164	50	-
30 to 49 acres . . . . .	933	532	597	196	253	148	-
50 to 99 acres . . . . .	2 874	2 053	1 153	333	504	316	1
100 to 199 acres . . . . .	6 832	6 506	539	215	223	101	2
200 to 499 acres . . . . .	20 331	20 322	3	1	2	-	7
500 to 999 acres . . . . .	9 789	9 783	-	-	-	-	6
1,000 acres and over . . . . .	1 858	1 854	-	-	-	-	4
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing . . . . . farms . . . . .	14 423	13 738	995	316	474	205	6
acres . . . . .	1 888 933	1 839 772	78 887	32 326	34 150	12 411	2 600
All other cropland (see text) . . . . . farms . . . . .	40 869	39 134	2 588	869	1 111	608	16
acres . . . . .	10 395 054	10 201 780	313 406	127 546	113 831	72 029	7 414
Woodland including woodland pasture . . . . . farms . . . . .	6 017	5 643	493	126	250	117	7
acres . . . . .	441 791	419 359	28 769	6 709	15 998	6 062	372
All other land (see text) . . . . . farms . . . . .	40 140	37 670	3 705	1 267	1 710	728	32
acres . . . . .	13 217 162	11 225 889	287 733	113 848	106 415	67 470	1 817 388
Irrigated land . . . . . farms . . . . .	480	452	38	16	19	3	6
acres . . . . .	63 238	61 784	1 290	740	517	33	904
<b>Color and Tenure of Operator</b>							
<b>All farm operators:</b>							
Full owners . . . . .	18 084	15 697	3 487	1 115	1 579	793	15
Part owners . . . . .	21 612	21 366	361	127	174	60	12
Tenants . . . . .	6 685	6 085	973	378	540	55	5
<b>White farm operators:</b>							
Full owners . . . . .	18 045	15 661	3 476	1 105	1 578	793	13
Part owners . . . . .	21 567	21 324	360	127	173	60	10
Tenants . . . . .	6 666	6 067	966	372	540	54	5
<b>Negro farm operators:</b>							
Full owners . . . . .	9	9	-	-	-	-	-
Part owners . . . . .	10	10	-	-	-	-	-
Tenants . . . . .	3	3	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Farm Operator Characteristics</b>							
<b>Farm operators by age groups:</b>							
Under 25 years . . . . .	1 277	1 080	374	178	196	-	1
25 to 34 years . . . . .	5 604	5 093	710	205	505	-	6
35 to 44 years . . . . .	9 890	9 378	744	237	507	-	5
45 to 54 years . . . . .	12 698	12 154	891	358	533	-	11
55 to 64 years . . . . .	12 383	11 825	1 194	642	552	-	6
65 years and over . . . . .	4 529	3 618	908	-	-	908	3
Average age . . . . .	46.9	46.8	49.3	46.6	42.6	71.1	46.8
<b>Farm operators by place of residence:</b>							
On farm operated . . . . .	35 137	33 667	2 158	706	909	543	18
Not on farm operated . . . . .	7 600	6 297	1 847	551	1 057	239	7
<b>Farm operators reporting days of work off farm . . . . .</b>							
1 to 49 days . . . . .	6 920	6 733	577	392	-	185	8
50 to 99 days . . . . .	2 354	2 322	224	195	-	29	3
100 to 199 days . . . . .	3 206	2 396	809	-	763	46	1
200 days and over . . . . .	4 871	3 248	1 621	-	1 530	91	2

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			Total	Class 6	Part time	Part retirement	
<b>Farms by Size</b>							
1 to 9 acres .....	1 285	762	892	369	457	66	-
10 to 49 acres .....	721	294	574	147	350	77	-
50 to 69 acres .....	256	129	181	55	89	37	1
70 to 99 acres .....	567	271	423	127	230	66	-
100 to 139 acres .....	471	283	266	78	120	68	-
140 to 179 acres .....	2 147	1 457	975	285	450	240	-
180 to 219 acres .....	536	416	159	39	86	34	-
220 to 259 acres .....	944	787	216	59	99	58	-
260 to 499 acres .....	9 205	8 706	788	293	307	188	4
500 to 999 acres .....	15 749	15 588	284	129	93	62	6
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....	11 343	11 317	59	35	12	12	2
2,000 acres and over .....	3 157	3 138	4	4	-	-	19
<b>Farms by Type (see text)</b>							
Cash-grain farms .....	27 343	25 903	2 080	647	953	480	7
Tobacco farms .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cotton farms .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other field-crop farms .....	781	776	5	-	3	2	-
Vegetable farms .....	8	4	5	1	4	-	-
Fruit and nut farms .....	6	6	4	4	-	-	-
Poultry farms .....	85	84	-	-	-	-	1
Dairy farms .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Livestock farms other than poultry and dairy farms .....	13 790	12 549	1 904	672	982	250	7
Livestock ranches (see text) .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
General farms .....	3 762	3 582	278	102	117	59	4
Miscellaneous farms .....	691	328	545	194	234	117	12
<b>Value of Products Sold and Other Farm-Related Income</b>							
Market value of all agricultural products sold (see text) .....	748 910 410	743 479 391	5 679 016	1 916 408	2 664 862	1 097 746	1 668 411
Average per farm .....	16 146	17 230	1 177	1 182	1 162	1 208	52 137
<b>Farms by value of agricultural products sold:</b>							
\$1 to \$249 (see text) .....	238	71	232	65	122	45	-
\$250 to \$499 .....	442	137	430	125	231	74	-
\$500 to \$999 .....	1 007	372	979	344	481	154	-
\$1,000 to \$1,499 .....	962	352	910	300	452	158	-
\$1,500 to \$1,999 .....	984	387	911	314	401	196	-
\$2,000 to \$2,499 .....	1 017	403	917	303	430	184	-
\$2,500 and over .....	41 216	41 195	-	-	-	-	21
<b>Crops including nursery products and hay</b>							
..... farms .....	42 798	40 852	2 814	888	1 281	645	20
..... dollars .....	480 534 862	477 512 925	3 259 717	1 038 430	1 454 567	766 720	800 650
<b>Forest products</b>							
..... farms .....	75	63	25	13	9	3	-
..... dollars .....	38 115	37 313	1 265	463	452	350	-
<b>Livestock, poultry, and their products</b>							
..... farms .....	30 753	29 211	2 372	845	1 185	342	15
..... dollars .....	268 337 433	265 929 153	2 418 034	877 515	1 209 843	330 676	867 761
<b>Farms with farm-related income from—</b>							
<b>Customwork and other agricultural services</b>							
..... farms .....	7 669	7 470	321	125	167	29	3
..... dollars .....	8 832 110	8 655 985	323 431	148 846	163 303	11 282	1 540
<b>Recreational services</b>							
..... farms .....	362	333	48	19	22	7	-
..... dollars .....	616 438	598 416	21 994	3 972	12 249	5 773	-
<b>Government farm programs</b>							
..... farms .....	34 797	33 361	2 107	681	952	474	10
..... dollars .....	120 207 910	118 747 813	2 190 694	782 690	871 785	536 219	52 093
<b>Production Expenses</b>							
Farm production expenses, total .....	46 380	43 148	4 821	1 620	2 293	908	31
..... dollars .....	548 344 899	542 709 174	6 638 779	2 292 783	3 091 794	1 254 202	1 289 729
<b>Number of farms with expenditures of—</b>							
\$1 to \$499 .....	1 213	431	1 159	378	579	202	1
\$500 to \$999 .....	1 480	641	1 255	418	608	229	2
\$1,000 to \$1,999 .....	2 707	1 826	1 330	449	621	260	-
\$2,000 to \$2,999 .....	2 985	2 583	613	211	259	143	-
\$3,000 to \$4,999 .....	6 159	5 921	356	121	175	60	3
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	13 577	13 505	108	43	51	14	7
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....	12 229	12 225	-	-	-	-	4
\$20,000 and over .....	6 030	6 016	-	-	-	-	14
<b>Livestock and poultry</b>							
..... farms .....	18 030	17 070	1 492	544	767	181	12
..... dollars .....	55 729 910	55 141 260	659 732	240 358	373 312	46 062	169 276
<b>Number of farms with expenditures of—</b>							
\$1 to \$99 .....	2 862	2 571	457	166	213	78	-
\$100 to \$499 .....	4 877	4 474	624	224	322	78	3
\$500 to \$999 .....	3 063	2 929	207	76	114	17	3
\$1,000 to \$2,499 .....	3 268	3 161	175	68	100	7	-
\$2,500 to \$4,999 .....	1 821	1 805	24	9	14	1	1
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	1 097	1 091	5	1	4	-	2
\$10,000 and over .....	1 042	1 039	-	-	-	-	3
<b>Feed for livestock and poultry</b>							
..... farms .....	24 587	23 279	1 908	615	1 016	277	15
..... dollars .....	28 732 680	28 252 325	473 145	151 813	260 270	61 062	159 023
<b>Number of farms with expenditures of—</b>							
\$1 to \$99 .....	4 126	3 685	639	199	329	111	1
\$100 to \$499 .....	10 316	9 652	988	327	533	128	3
\$500 to \$999 .....	4 440	4 282	232	75	122	35	1
\$1,000 to \$2,499 .....	3 628	3 590	48	14	32	2	4
\$2,500 to \$4,999 .....	1 242	1 241	1	-	-	1	-
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	510	509	-	-	-	-	1
\$10,000 and over .....	325	320	-	-	-	-	5

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Commercially mixed formula feeds . . . . . farms..	16 795	16 189	934	341	465	128	13
tons..	166 077	163 726	2 086	665	1 158	263	930
dollars..	13 246 488	13 071 623	158 412	53 562	84 518	20 332	70 015
Number of farms that used—							
1 to 49 tons . . . . .	16 269	15 667	934	341	465	128	9
50 to 99 tons . . . . .	330	329	-	-	-	-	1
100 to 199 tons . . . . .	112	110	-	-	-	-	2
200 to 499 tons . . . . .	62	61	-	-	-	-	1
500 tons and over . . . . .	22	22	-	-	-	-	-
Number of farms with expenditures of—							
\$1 to \$99 . . . . .	3 818	3 516	472	170	229	73	-
\$100 to \$499 . . . . .	8 061	7 810	395	147	201	47	3
\$500 to \$999 . . . . .	2 273	2 238	54	21	26	7	2
\$1,000 to \$2,499 . . . . .	1 730	1 717	13	3	9	1	3
\$2,500 to \$4,999 . . . . .	559	558	-	-	-	-	1
\$5,000 to \$9,999 . . . . .	198	197	-	-	-	-	1
\$10,000 and over . . . . .	156	153	-	-	-	-	3
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees . . . . . farms..	23 346	22 500	1 179	354	576	249	21
dollars..	19 728 665	19 583 128	150 021	46 717	72 297	31 007	42 233
Number of farms with expenditures of—							
\$1 to \$99 . . . . .	3 418	2 993	622	198	300	124	1
\$100 to \$499 . . . . .	9 040	8 646	531	145	263	123	8
\$500 to \$999 . . . . .	5 110	5 092	26	11	13	2	3
\$1,000 to \$2,499 . . . . .	4 249	4 247	-	-	-	-	2
\$2,500 to \$4,999 . . . . .	1 188	1 182	-	-	-	-	6
\$5,000 to \$9,999 . . . . .	241	241	-	-	-	-	-
\$10,000 and over . . . . .	100	99	-	-	-	-	1
Commercial fertilizer . . . . . farms..	29 240	28 551	1 023	353	490	180	19
dollars..	30 527 436	30 389 424	168 735	62 404	78 560	27 771	31 681
Number of farms with expenditures of—							
\$1 to \$99 . . . . .	2 249	1 942	467	161	219	87	1
\$100 to \$499 . . . . .	10 651	10 320	482	156	240	86	5
\$500 to \$999 . . . . .	7 764	7 724	72	36	30	6	4
\$1,000 to \$2,499 . . . . .	6 076	6 070	2	-	1	1	4
\$2,500 to \$4,999 . . . . .	1 699	1 696	-	-	-	-	3
\$5,000 to \$9,999 . . . . .	604	602	-	-	-	-	2
\$10,000 and over . . . . .	197	197	-	-	-	-	-
Lime . . . . . farms..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
dollars..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Number of farms with expenditures of—							
\$1 to \$99 . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
\$100 to \$499 . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
\$500 to \$999 . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
\$1,000 to \$2,499 . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
\$2,500 to \$4,999 . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
\$5,000 to \$9,999 . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
\$10,000 and over . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other agricultural chemicals (see text) . . . . . farms..	28 210	27 372	1 186	367	586	233	19
dollars..	8 108 135	8 051 807	63 832	20 698	29 062	14 072	13 194
Number of farms with expenditures of—							
\$1 to \$99 . . . . .	10 313	9 598	1 027	315	513	199	3
\$100 to \$499 . . . . .	14 408	14 302	146	48	68	30	8
\$500 to \$999 . . . . .	2 161	2 150	11	3	5	3	3
\$1,000 to \$2,499 . . . . .	1 003	997	2	1	1	1	5
\$2,500 to \$4,999 . . . . .	239	239	-	-	-	-	-
\$5,000 to \$9,999 . . . . .	67	67	-	-	-	-	-
\$10,000 and over . . . . .	19	19	-	-	-	-	-
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for the farm business . . . . . farms..	45 911	42 854	4 508	1 479	2 159	870	28
dollars..	59 009 064	58 094 589	1 319 748	467 071	585 835	266 842	61 798
Number of farms with expenditures of—							
\$1 to \$99 . . . . .	1 282	565	1 010	294	562	154	1
\$100 to \$499 . . . . .	7 718	5 841	2 767	898	1 294	575	8
\$500 to \$999 . . . . .	12 456	12 072	623	242	254	127	3
\$1,000 to \$2,499 . . . . .	20 131	20 064	101	43	45	13	9
\$2,500 to \$4,999 . . . . .	3 727	3 718	7	2	4	1	4
\$5,000 to \$9,999 . . . . .	497	495	-	-	-	-	2
\$10,000 and over . . . . .	100	99	-	-	-	-	1
Hired farm labor . . . . . farms..	25 603	24 748	1 203	374	598	231	26
dollars..	32 910 775	32 329 804	308 998	107 669	144 320	57 009	379 642
Number of farms with expenditures of—							
\$1 to \$99 . . . . .	2 934	2 564	529	160	265	104	1
\$100 to \$499 . . . . .	9 325	8 960	511	148	260	103	2
\$500 to \$999 . . . . .	5 354	5 299	94	40	41	13	1
\$1,000 to \$2,499 . . . . .	5 033	4 993	59	20	29	10	1
\$2,500 to \$4,999 . . . . .	1 869	1 859	10	6	3	1	6
\$5,000 to \$9,999 . . . . .	722	716	-	-	-	-	6
\$10,000 and over . . . . .	366	357	-	-	-	-	9
Contract labor, machine hire, and customwork . . . . . farms..	28 603	27 280	1 937	628	889	420	14
dollars..	20 743 710	20 395 583	462 700	146 607	204 568	111 525	32 034
Number of farms with expenditures of—							
\$1 to \$99 . . . . .	3 727	3 320	588	181	298	109	-
\$100 to \$499 . . . . .	12 872	12 105	1 145	382	500	263	4
\$500 to \$999 . . . . .	6 121	6 002	173	57	74	42	3
\$1,000 to \$2,499 . . . . .	4 444	4 422	25	6	16	3	3
\$2,500 to \$4,999 . . . . .	1 091	1 085	6	2	1	3	2
\$5,000 to \$9,999 . . . . .	295	294	-	-	-	-	1
\$10,000 and over . . . . .	53	52	-	-	-	-	1
All other production expenses . . . . . farms..	45 002	42 661	3 504	1 193	1 653	658	30
dollars..	292 854 524	290 471 254	3 031 868	1 049 446	1 343 570	638 852	400 848
Number of farms with expenditures of—							
\$1 to \$99 . . . . .	480	287	343	150	161	32	-
\$100 to \$499 . . . . .	2 733	1 876	1 293	438	653	202	2
\$500 to \$999 . . . . .	2 447	1 890	769	215	373	181	3
\$1,000 to \$2,499 . . . . .	7 192	6 618	871	299	367	205	2
\$2,500 to \$4,999 . . . . .	10 282	10 157	198	78	87	33	5
\$5,000 to \$9,999 . . . . .	13 615	13 593	30	13	12	5	5
\$10,000 and over . . . . .	8 253	8 240	-	-	-	-	13

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<b>Selected Machinery and Equipment</b>							
Automobiles . . . . . farms..	42 281	39 830	3 665	1 227	1 710	728	13
number..	56 706	53 436	4 728	1 512	2 295	921	54
Motortrucks including pickups . . . . . farms..	42 163	40 069	3 121	1 050	1 495	576	23
number..	91 216	88 277	4 316	1 508	2 003	805	131
Tractors other than garden tractors and motor tillers . . . . . farms..	42 587	40 268	3 399	1 103	1 576	720	23
number..	118 069	114 147	5 797	2 024	2 549	1 224	149
Riding garden tractors 7hp and over . . . . . farms..	6 544	6 331	301	100	155	46	12
number..	6 816	6 590	310	105	159	46	21
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled . . . . . farms..	23 838	23 502	543	217	229	97	10
number..	26 952	26 592	588	243	240	105	15
Cornpickers, corn heads, and picker-shellers . . . . . farms..	3 273	3 219	88	37	30	21	3
number..	3 531	3 475	91	38	32	21	3
Pickup balers . . . . . farms..	15 210	14 958	419	181	175	63	14
number..	15 623	15 364	433	189	176	68	15
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment . . . . . farms..	45 521	42 538	4 413	1 453	2 106	854	23
dollars..	829 187 312	812 367 610	25 330 375	9 633 894	11 038 218	4 658 263	1 123 221
<b>Number of farms by value of machinery and equipment:</b>							
\$1 to \$999 . . . . .	589	286	446	143	195	108	-
\$1,000 to \$4,999 . . . . .	7 677	5 941	2 519	783	1 270	466	-
\$5,000 to \$9,999 . . . . .	8 410	7 898	751	243	349	159	4
\$10,000 to \$19,999 . . . . .	12 150	11 894	418	164	185	69	2
\$20,000 to \$29,999 . . . . .	7 797	7 711	131	51	56	24	6
\$30,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	6 076	6 005	118	50	43	25	3
\$50,000 and over . . . . .	2 822	2 803	30	19	8	3	8
<b>Livestock and Poultry</b>							
Livestock and poultry on place:							
Cattle and calves . . . . . farms..	27 645	26 464	1 855	686	900	269	12
number..	2 031 144	2 012 622	25 413	10 127	11 748	3 538	3 236
Farms with—							
1 to 4 . . . . .	892	686	336	130	162	44	-
5 to 9 . . . . .	1 251	916	487	152	251	84	-
10 to 19 . . . . .	2 971	2 606	588	224	279	85	1
20 and over . . . . .	22 531	22 256	444	180	208	56	11
Cows and heifers that had calved . . . . . farms..	25 695	24 762	1 455	534	696	225	12
number..	1 098 452	1 089 566	12 544	4 946	5 617	1 981	1 288
Farms with—							
1 . . . . .	391	325	91	25	60	6	-
2 to 4 . . . . .	1 276	1 009	401	134	184	83	-
5 to 9 . . . . .	2 199	1 902	475	178	231	66	-
10 to 24 . . . . .	6 994	6 745	415	167	193	55	1
25 and over . . . . .	14 835	14 781	73	30	28	15	11
Milk cows . . . . . farms..	11 267	10 976	470	185	209	76	6
number..	135 798	134 384	1 781	713	739	329	346
Farms with—							
1 or 2 . . . . .	2 459	2 348	172	61	94	17	-
3 or 4 . . . . .	1 255	1 185	131	61	46	24	-
5 to 9 . . . . .	2 496	2 396	161	61	66	34	-
10 and over . . . . .	5 057	5 047	6	2	3	1	6
Hogs and pigs . . . . . farms..	7 566	7 334	342	117	180	45	7
number..	295 027	290 307	4 517	1 378	2 764	375	1 581
Farms with—							
1 to 4 . . . . .	1 540	1 450	158	68	65	25	-
5 to 9 . . . . .	1 318	1 276	55	13	32	10	-
10 to 24 . . . . .	1 854	1 803	71	20	43	8	-
25 and over . . . . .	2 854	2 805	58	16	40	2	7
Litters of pigs farrowed, December 1 of preceding year and November 30 . . . . . farms..	6 027	5 869	241	90	122	29	7
number of litters..	62 318	61 471	923	390	443	90	314
Farms by number of litters farrowed:							
1 litter . . . . .	679	641	59	21	31	7	-
2 to 4 litters . . . . .	1 999	1 922	119	42	57	20	-
5 to 9 litters . . . . .	1 267	1 240	42	16	26	-	1
10 to 19 litters . . . . .	1 216	1 205	21	11	8	2	1
20 litters and over . . . . .	866	861	-	-	-	-	5
Sheep and lambs . . . . . farms..	3 466	3 221	356	113	186	57	2
number..	433 592	422 741	14 265	4 511	7 086	(0)	(0)
Farms with—							
1 . . . . .	53	44	11	2	9	-	-
2 to 4 . . . . .	143	131	29	17	10	2	-
5 to 9 . . . . .	137	130	16	9	5	2	-
10 to 24 . . . . .	507	432	96	21	56	19	-
25 and over . . . . .	2 626	2 484	204	64	106	34	2
Horses and ponies . . . . . farms..	9 805	9 279	700	180	441	79	6
number..	36 946	34 816	2 514	467	1 738	309	83
Farms with—							
1 . . . . .	2 450	2 329	179	58	101	20	-
2 to 4 . . . . .	5 244	4 974	368	99	234	35	1
5 to 9 . . . . .	1 546	1 458	107	22	68	17	3
10 to 24 . . . . .	471	425	46	1	38	7	1
25 and over . . . . .	94	93	-	-	-	-	1

## All Farms

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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..	8 536	8 141	579	190	246	143	6
number..	915 440	880 145	36 414	11 589	15 337	9 488	10 470
Farms with—							
1 to 99 .....	6 043	5 732	457	146	205	106	-
100 to 399 .....	2 273	2 194	121	43	41	37	1
400 to 1,599 .....	191	188	1	1	-	-	3
1,600 and over .....	29	27	-	-	-	-	2
Hens and pullets of laying age excluding started pullets... farms..	8 198	7 830	541	179	230	132	6
number..	847 884	815 053	32 502	10 061	13 824	8 617	10 390
Broilers and other meat-type chickens less than 3 months old .....	202	189	22	10	10	2	1
number..	20 546	19 664	1 157	475	562	120	200
Other livestock and poultry .....	2 073	1 943	175	46	98	31	1
Livestock and poultry sold:							
Cattle and calves .....	28 262	27 135	1 783	670	872	241	14
number..	1 235 824	1 225 449	13 465	5 083	6 655	1 727	1 993
Hogs and pigs .....	7 518	7 303	322	115	169	38	8
number..	499 822	493 986	5 977	2 482	2 962	533	2 341
Feeder pigs sold .....	1 619	1 565	84	32	39	13	2
number..	116 755	115 357	2 174	1 026	932	216	250
Sheep and lambs .....	3 567	3 315	359	109	189	61	2
number..	377 059	369 416	10 007	3 208	5 093	(0)	(0)
Horses and ponies .....	1 533	1 410	153	31	108	14	1
number..	5 663	5 352	379	74	277	28	6
Chickens 3 months old or older .....	1 710	1 639	88	22	42	24	5
number..	433 257	415 476	10 737	2 969	5 229	2 539	10 013
Hens and pullets of laying age excluding started pullets... farms..	1 484	1 426	70	17	33	20	5
number..	308 184	292 402	9 508	2 829	4 440	2 239	9 103
Broilers and other meat-type chickens less than 3 months old .....	156	149	7	1	5	1	1
number..	22 679	21 146	838	100	688	50	795
Other livestock and poultry .....	679	633	53	8	32	13	1
Crops Harvested							
Field corn for all purposes .....	8 910	8 822	107	33	47	27	14
Farms with—							
1 to 4 acres .....	44	27	13	-	9	4	4
5 to 14 acres .....	554	526	41	13	15	13	-
15 to 24 acres .....	1 391	1 378	22	9	6	7	-
25 to 49 acres .....	3 263	3 242	26	9	16	1	4
50 acres and over .....	3 658	3 649	5	2	1	2	6
For grain .....	2 240	2 198	53	15	25	13	4
acres..	128 973	128 236	1 040	331	510	199	28
bushels..	7 298 676	7 272 333	34 595	9 013	18 972	6 610	761
Cut for silage, green or dry fodder, or hogged or grazed .....	7 769	7 719	55	18	23	14	13
acres..	365 200	363 283	857	338	335	184	1 398
Sorghums for all purposes except sirup .....	505	489	17	2	8	7	1
Farms with—							
1 to 4 acres .....	19	13	6	-	6	-	-
5 to 14 acres .....	153	152	1	-	-	1	-
15 to 24 acres .....	120	118	3	1	-	2	-
25 to 49 acres .....	118	112	7	1	2	4	-
50 acres and over .....	95	94	-	-	-	-	1
For grain or seed .....	37	36	1	-	1	-	-
acres..	2 038	1 998	40	-	40	-	-
bushels..	82 644	80 644	2 000	-	2 000	-	-
Cut for silage, dry forage or hay, or hogged or grazed .....	479	464	16	2	7	7	1
acres..	14 913	14 520	344	61	49	234	110
Wheat for grain .....	40 685	39 167	2 205	701	998	506	14
acres..	6 935 977	6 868 191	89 225	29 412	39 510	20 303	7 973
bushels..	202 205 974	200 745 132	1 858 850	618 415	844 970	395 465	220 407
Farms with—							
1 to 4 acres .....	108	53	70	15	32	23	-
5 to 14 acres .....	762	558	282	79	159	44	1
15 to 24 acres .....	1 331	1 035	433	140	186	107	3
25 to 49 acres .....	4 208	3 709	740	242	317	181	1
50 acres and over .....	34 276	33 812	680	225	304	151	9
Other small grains for grain .....	38 740	37 574	1 717	569	750	398	18
acres..	6 536 873	6 492 295	60 065	20 638	25 181	14 246	5 151
Farms with—							
1 to 4 acres .....	109	72	56	19	27	10	-
5 to 14 acres .....	921	698	312	91	170	51	2
15 to 24 acres .....	1 399	1 161	344	107	146	91	1
25 to 49 acres .....	4 326	3 935	586	197	238	151	2
50 acres and over .....	31 985	31 708	419	155	169	95	13

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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 . . . . .	1 823	1 768	79	26	31	22	2
acres . . . . .	183 554	182 208	1 725	563	631	531	184
bushels . . . . .	3 139 368	3 120 244	23 432	7 470	8 310	7 652	3 162
Farms with-							
1 to 4 acres . . . . .	5	5	-	-	-	-	-
5 to 14 acres . . . . .	54	37	23	6	12	5	-
15 to 24 acres . . . . .	125	110	29	14	10	5	-
25 to 49 acres . . . . .	416	395	27	6	9	12	-
50 acres and over . . . . .	1 223	1 221	-	-	-	-	2
Hay excluding sorghum hay . . . . . farms . . . . .	25 682	24 833	1 191	361	562	268	19
acres . . . . .	2 696 394	2 668 374	33 575	10 678	15 069	7 828	5 123
tons . . . . .	3 691 724	3 656 086	38 100	12 526	17 306	8 268	10 064
Farms with-							
1 to 4 acres . . . . .	191	156	51	17	25	9	1
5 to 14 acres . . . . .	1 476	1 234	341	99	170	72	-
15 to 24 acres . . . . .	2 204	2 011	256	64	134	58	1
25 to 49 acres . . . . .	4 899	4 681	320	103	143	74	1
50 acres and over . . . . .	16 912	16 751	223	78	90	55	16
Cotton . . . . . farms . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
acres . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
bales . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Farms with-							
1 to 4 acres . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5 to 14 acres . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
15 to 24 acres . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
25 to 49 acres . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
50 acres and over . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Peanuts for nuts . . . . . farms . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
acres . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
pounds . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Farms with-							
1 to 4 acres . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5 to 14 acres . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
15 to 24 acres . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
25 to 49 acres . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
50 acres and over . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tobacco . . . . . farms . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
acres . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
pounds . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Farms with-							
0.1 to 0.4 acre . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
0.5 to 0.9 acre . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1.0 to 1.4 acres . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1.5 to 1.9 acres . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2.0 to 4.9 acres . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5 acres and over . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Irish potatoes and sweetpotatoes . . . . . farms . . . . .	2 003	1 960	64	31	16	17	10
acres . . . . .	112 480	113 553	30	16	8	6	176
Farms with-							
0.1 to 0.9 acre . . . . .	1 236	1 221	52	23	15	14	1
1.0 to 2.9 acres . . . . .	158	152	11	7	1	3	2
3.0 to 4.9 acres . . . . .	18	17	1	1	-	-	1
5.0 to 9.9 acres . . . . .	18	17	-	-	-	-	1
10 acres and over . . . . .	593	568	-	-	-	-	5
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale . . . . . farms . . . . .	111	90	25	9	14	2	5
acres . . . . .	422	313	77	16	53	8	48
Farms with-							
0.1 to 0.9 acre . . . . .	33	32	5	4	1	-	-
1.0 to 2.9 acres . . . . .	31	31	-	-	-	-	-
3.0 to 4.9 acres . . . . .	24	12	16	5	9	2	1
5.0 to 9.9 acres . . . . .	12	6	4	-	4	-	2
10 acres and over . . . . .	11	9	-	-	-	-	2
Berries for sale . . . . . farms . . . . .	51	46	13	9	3	1	1
acres . . . . .	38	37	14	13	1	(2)	(2)
Farms with-							
0.1 to 0.9 acre . . . . .	41	36	9	5	3	1	1
1.0 to 2.9 acres . . . . .	4	4	-	-	-	-	-
3.0 to 4.9 acres . . . . .	5	5	4	4	-	-	-
5.0 to 9.9 acres . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
10 acres and over . . . . .	1	1	-	-	-	-	-
Land in orchards (see text) . . . . . farms . . . . .	103	79	16	-	8	8	8
acres . . . . .	275	228	32	-	17	15	15
Farms with-							
0.1 to 0.9 acre . . . . .	37	33	2	-	-	2	2
1.0 to 2.9 acres . . . . .	42	28	10	-	7	3	4
3.0 to 4.9 acres . . . . .	8	3	3	-	-	3	2
5.0 to 9.9 acres . . . . .	9	8	1	-	1	-	-
10 acres and over . . . . .	7	7	-	-	-	-	-
Other crops . . . . . farms . . . . .	2 443	2 415	36	15	13	8	7
acres . . . . .	223 927	223 130	284	119	121	44	632
Farms with-							
0.1 to 0.9 acre . . . . .	24	15	18	9	4	5	-
1.0 to 2.9 acres . . . . .	24	21	2	-	-	2	-
3.0 to 4.9 acres . . . . .	24	23	1	-	1	-	1
5.0 to 9.9 acres . . . . .	57	56	1	-	1	-	-
10 acres and over . . . . .	2 314	2 300	14	6	7	1	6
Greenhouse products under glass or other protection . . . . . farms . . . . .	33	27	7	1	4	2	-
sq.ft. . . . .	56 079	54 797	1 283	1	482	800	-

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