

Table 29. Summary by Age and Principal Occupation of Farm Operator: 1974

Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over	Farming							
	Total farming and other occupations	Total	Age of farm operator					65 years and over
			Under 25 years	25 to 34 years	35 to 44 years	45 to 54 years	55 to 64 years	
Farms and Land in Farms								
Farms..... number.....	96 871	75 781	2 067	7 323	11 461	19 867	21 653	13 410
..... percent.....	100.0	78.2	2.1	7.6	11.8	20.5	22.4	13.8
Land in farms..... acres.....	27 795 952	24 955 057	493 204	2 614 084	4 719 193	7 567 026	6 676 470	2 885 080
Average size of farm..... acres.....	287	329	239	357	412	381	308	215
Value of land and buildings..... \$1,000.....	23 458 112	21 291 679	436 003	2 316 188	4 146 964	6 529 998	5 631 186	2 231 339
Average per farm..... dollars.....	242 158	280 963	210 935	316 290	361 833	328 686	260 065	166 394
Average per acre..... dollars.....	844	853	884	886	879	863	843	773
Farms by value of farm:								
\$1 to \$9,999.....	1 649	943	57	107	100	148	255	276
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	3 295	1 779	86	135	183	264	482	629
\$20,000 to \$39,999.....	8 545	4 613	177	291	420	739	1 197	1 789
\$40,000 to \$69,999.....	12 633	7 558	219	508	770	1 475	2 304	2 282
\$70,000 to \$99,999.....	10 128	6 965	230	548	784	1 462	2 149	1 792
\$100,000 to \$149,999.....	12 251	9 576	257	887	1 181	2 306	3 091	1 854
\$150,000 to \$199,999.....	9 670	8 167	233	822	1 132	2 187	2 430	1 363
\$200,000 to \$499,999.....	26 494	24 391	650	2 659	4 203	7 358	6 949	2 572
\$500,000 and over.....	12 206	11 789	158	1 366	2 688	3 928	2 796	853
Owned and rented land by farm operator:								
Land owned..... farms.....	75 784	58 323	782	4 274	8 484	15 428	17 711	11 644
..... acres.....	13 802 573	11 765 560	119 918	756 669	1 771 747	3 302 341	3 652 642	2 162 243
Land rented or leased from others..... farms.....	56 243	47 713	1 695	5 794	8 673	14 157	12 570	4 824
..... acres.....	15 298 623	14 241 735	386 299	1 932 614	3 077 332	4 490 187	3 331 142	1 024 161
Land rented or leased to others..... farms.....	10 369	7 664	103	518	836	1 585	2 266	2 356
..... acres.....	1 305 244	1 052 238	13 013	75 199	129 886	225 502	307 314	301 324
Land in Farms According to Use								
Total cropland..... farms.....	94 356	74 337	1 983	7 173	11 274	19 647	21 288	12 972
..... acres.....	23 547 236	21 379 371	431 647	2 265 325	4 093 323	6 524 042	5 712 171	2 352 863
Harvested cropland..... farms.....	92 975	73 702	1 958	7 132	11 198	19 544	21 110	12 760
..... acres.....	21 007 778	19 255 422	389 802	2 071 832	3 746 511	5 915 995	5 112 765	2 018 517
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 49 acres.....	14 377	6 808	226	398	637	1 111	1 810	2 626
50 to 99 acres.....	16 198	10 412	366	718	990	1 874	3 264	3 200
100 to 199 acres.....	23 178	18 959	584	1 815	2 315	4 664	5 878	3 703
200 to 499 acres.....	30 168	28 651	684	3 172	5 043	8 809	8 205	2 738
500 to 999 acres.....	7 995	7 830	86	922	1 916	2 757	1 729	420
1,000 acres and over.....	1 059	1 042	12	107	297	329	224	73
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	982	966	12	105	270	307	206	66
2,000 acres and over.....	77	76	-	2	27	22	18	7
Cropland:								
Pasture or grazing only..... farms.....	35 393	28 090	580	2 496	4 309	7 590	8 101	5 014
..... acres.....	1 605 421	1 330 835	23 862	121 936	215 937	375 876	369 043	224 181
Cover crops, legumes, and soil improvement grasses not harvested or pastured..... farms.....	6 907	5 128	102	474	796	1 293	1 505	958
..... acres.....	180 798	142 899	2 750	13 567	20 891	39 355	41 539	24 797
On which all crops failed..... farms.....	8 413	6 736	172	642	1 046	1 914	2 029	933
..... acres.....	356 968	310 260	8 021	28 101	56 244	96 921	87 254	33 719
In cultivated summer fallow..... farms.....	1 319	1 070	20	86	160	278	304	222
..... acres.....	59 800	51 967	1 183	3 663	9 109	15 916	14 744	7 352
Idle..... farms.....	9 364	7 409	177	673	1 107	1 882	2 217	1 353
..... acres.....	336 471	287 988	6 029	26 226	44 631	79 979	86 826	44 297
Total woodland..... farms.....	30 920	23 165	474	2 213	3 574	6 016	6 664	4 224
..... acres.....	1 759 781	1 430 158	25 379	147 778	244 021	408 071	389 556	215 353
Woodland pastured..... farms.....	16 738	12 866	276	1 158	1 999	3 386	3 669	2 378
..... acres.....	825 299	682 312	13 074	69 726	112 821	196 633	181 533	108 525
Woodland not pastured..... farms.....	19 769	14 594	298	1 422	2 253	3 792	4 236	2 593
..... acres.....	934 482	747 846	12 305	78 052	131 200	211 438	208 023	106 828
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture:								
Improved pastureland and rangeland..... farms.....	8 467	6 685	116	598	1 093	1 852	1 877	1 149
..... acres.....	434 905	374 505	5 421	35 019	69 693	106 269	100 039	58 064
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland..... farms.....	12 395	10 115	172	951	1 716	2 879	2 773	1 624
..... acres.....	698 340	603 797	10 046	58 714	114 072	186 577	149 219	85 169
Other land (see text):								
..... farms.....	69 908	55 440	1 178	4 910	8 527	14 741	16 153	9 931
..... acres.....	1 355 690	1 167 226	20 711	107 248	198 084	342 067	325 485	173 631
Total pastureland..... farms.....	52 934	41 725	867	3 845	6 547	11 302	11 829	7 335
..... acres.....	3 563 965	2 991 449	52 403	285 395	512 523	865 355	799 834	475 939
Irrigated land..... farms.....	523	439	6	31	103	144	105	50
..... acres.....	40 919	38 588	290	4 041	11 103	12 639	8 193	2 322
Irrigated cropland harvested..... farms.....	517	434	6	31	101	143	103	50
..... acres.....	39 503	37 254	290	3 861	10 892	12 295	7 958	1 958
Artificial drainage..... farms.....	24 558	21 524	654	2 427	3 668	6 195	5 896	2 684
..... acres drained.....	6 293 700	5 966 194	115 506	689 838	1 199 993	1 907 756	1 546 705	506 396
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks..... farms.....	18 989	14 721	255	1 439	2 514	4 137	4 097	2 279
..... number.....	42 560	33 637	593	3 302	6 004	9 529	9 311	4 898
..... acres.....	37 979	30 342	512	3 172	5 657	8 984	8 019	3 998
Race and Tenure of Farm Operator								
All farm operators.....	96 871	75 781	2 067	7 323	11 461	19 867	21 653	13 410
Full owners.....	40 710	28 123	373	1 540	2 792	5 721	9 093	8 604
Part owners.....	34 132	29 379	397	2 664	5 579	9 482	8 366	2 891
Tenants.....	22 029	18 279	1 297	3 119	3 090	4 664	4 194	1 915

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	Total	Age of farm operator					
		Under 25 years	25 to 34 years	35 to 44 years	45 to 54 years	55 to 64 years	65 years and over
Farms and Land in Farms							
Farms..... number.....	21 090	678	3 435	5 027	5 689	4 288	1 973
..... percent.....	21.8	0.7	3.5	5.2	5.9	4.4	2.0
Land in farms..... acres.....	2 840 895	67 388	398 816	660 709	864 202	586 455	263 325
Average size of farm..... acres.....	135	99	116	131	152	137	133
Value of land and buildings..... \$1,000.....	2 166 433	53 409	299 152	513 748	664 270	432 475	203 380
Average per farm..... dollars.....	102 723	78 774	87 089	102 198	116 764	100 857	103 082
Average per acre..... dollars.....	763	793	750	778	769	737	772
Farms by value of farm:							
\$1 to \$9,999.....	706	56	111	162	137	140	100
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	1 516	88	251	306	347	324	200
\$20,000 to \$39,999.....	3 932	141	761	867	915	823	425
\$40,000 to \$69,999.....	5 075	146	880	1 241	1 302	1 050	456
\$70,000 to \$99,999.....	3 163	88	514	819	865	638	239
\$100,000 to \$149,999.....	2 675	71	386	691	812	522	193
\$150,000 to \$199,999.....	1 503	36	223	385	447	286	126
\$200,000 to \$499,999.....	2 103	44	272	481	715	412	179
\$500,000 and over.....	417	8	37	75	149	93	55
Owned and rented land by farm operator:							
Land owned..... farms.....	17 461	312	2 522	4 231	4 846	3 827	1 723
..... acres.....	2 037 013	23 193	217 259	447 500	615 366	502 159	231 536
Land rented or leased from others..... farms.....	8 530	478	1 823	2 168	2 308	1 241	512
..... acres.....	1 056 888	47 661	205 246	261 203	319 586	152 533	70 659
Land rented or leased to others..... farms.....	2 705	41	270	554	789	656	395
..... acres.....	253 006	3 466	23 689	47 994	70 750	68 237	38 870
Land in Farms According to Use							
Total cropland..... farms.....	20 019	605	3 225	4 785	5 453	4 102	1 849
..... acres.....	2 167 865	52 991	308 106	501 646	673 677	434 794	196 651
Harvested cropland..... farms.....	19 273	587	3 117	4 614	5 269	3 944	1 742
..... acres.....	1 752 356	44 922	254 733	411 466	551 395	337 864	151 976
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 49 acres.....	7 569	269	1 285	1 801	1 752	1 667	795
50 to 99 acres.....	5 786	179	910	1 400	1 645	1 152	500
100 to 199 acres.....	4 219	100	707	1 011	1 273	825	303
200 to 499 acres.....	1 517	39	206	366	513	270	123
500 to 999 acres.....	165	-	9	34	76	29	17
1,000 acres and over.....	17	-	-	2	10	1	4
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	16	-	-	-	9	1	4
2,000 acres and over.....	1	-	-	-	1	-	-
Cropland:							
Pasture or grazing only..... farms.....	7 303	163	1 142	1 791	2 031	1 494	682
..... acres.....	274 586	4 665	33 328	61 090	81 081	62 713	31 709
Cover crops, legumes, and soil improvement grasses not harvested or pastured..... farms.....	1 779	50	269	422	504	395	139
..... acres.....	37 899	1 216	6 634	7 496	10 044	9 360	3 149
On which all crops failed..... farms.....	1 677	31	267	407	473	347	152
..... acres.....	46 708	833	6 673	10 403	13 575	11 553	3 671
In cultivated summer fallow..... farms.....	249	8	34	64	60	60	23
..... acres.....	7 833	315	794	2 207	2 399	1 296	822
Idle..... farms.....	1 955	44	248	427	569	485	182
..... acres.....	48 483	1 040	5 944	8 984	15 183	12 008	5 324
Total woodland..... farms.....	7 755	169	1 206	1 969	2 150	1 604	657
..... acres.....	329 623	5 786	44 151	85 185	90 954	71 464	32 083
Woodland pastured..... farms.....	3 872	82	572	990	1 088	811	329
..... acres.....	142 987	2 441	18 230	36 581	39 325	30 857	15 553
Woodland not pastured..... farms.....	5 175	121	812	1 339	1 403	1 058	442
..... acres.....	186 636	3 345	25 921	48 604	51 629	40 607	16 530
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland							
pasture..... farms.....	3 819	86	556	918	1 083	840	336
..... acres.....	154 943	4 760	20 159	32 775	46 029	36 307	14 913
Improved pastureland and rangeland..... farms.....	1 782	45	241	415	453	424	204
..... acres.....	60 400	1 368	7 092	11 415	17 505	15 554	7 466
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland..... farms.....	2 280	42	350	571	687	476	154
..... acres.....	94 543	3 392	13 067	21 360	28 524	20 753	7 447
Other land (see text)..... farms.....	14 468	330	2 224	3 457	4 039	3 079	1 339
..... acres.....	188 464	3 851	26 400	41 103	53 542	43 890	19 678
Total pastureland..... farms.....	11 209	251	1 766	2 762	3 107	2 325	998
..... acres.....	572 516	11 866	71 717	130 446	166 435	129 877	62 175
Irrigated land..... farms.....	84	2	16	21	19	15	11
..... acres.....	2 331	2	346	761	310	492	420
Irrigated cropland harvested..... farms.....	83	2	16	21	18	15	11
..... acres.....	2 249	2	346	761	306	414	420
Artificial drainage..... farms.....	3 034	101	411	699	960	607	256
..... acres drained.....	327 506	7 652	37 403	67 529	119 436	63 801	31 685
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks..... farms.....	4 268	70	525	1 053	1 275	986	359
..... number.....	8 923	126	984	2 358	2 555	2 166	734
..... acres.....	7 637	124	746	2 073	2 228	1 874	592
Race and Tenure of Farm Operator							
All farm operators.....	21 090	678	3 435	5 027	5 689	4 288	1 973
Full owners.....	12 587	202	1 617	2 861	3 386	3 053	1 468
Part owners.....	4 753	104	888	1 341	1 426	755	239
Tenants.....	3 750	372	930	825	877	480	266

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			Under 25 years	25 to 34 years	35 to 44 years	45 to 54 years	55 to 64 years	
Race and Tenure of Farm Operator—Continued								
All farm operators—Continued								
White ¹	96 626	75 613	2 061	7 310	11 433	19 834	21 624	13 351
Full owners.....	40 600	28 056	369	1 535	2 789	5 710	9 077	8 576
Part owners.....	34 050	29 312	395	2 660	5 568	9 461	8 355	2 873
Tenants.....	21 976	18 245	1 297	3 115	3 076	4 663	4 192	1 902
Black and other races ¹	245	168	6	13	28	33	29	59
Full owners.....	110	67	4	5	3	11	16	28
Part owners.....	82	67	2	4	11	21	11	18
Tenants.....	53	34	—	4	14	1	2	13
Farms by Type of Organization								
Individual or family..... farms.....	86 875	67 382	1 753	6 438	10 319	17 786	19 364	11 722
..... acres.....	23 857 306	21 297 757	407 398	2 251 851	4 140 992	6 567 426	5 623 693	2 306 397
Partnership..... farms.....	9 996	8 399	314	885	1 142	2 081	2 289	1 688
..... acres.....	3 938 646	3 657 300	85 806	362 233	578 201	999 600	1 052 777	578 683
Corporation, including family owned..... farms.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... acres.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other..... farms.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... acres.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Farm Credit								
Total operator farm debt..... farms.....	35 369	27 232	752	3 549	5 723	8 594	6 509	2 105
..... \$1,000.....	1 524 330	1 322 331	24 934	180 302	351 218	428 078	264 164	73 634
Debts secured by real estate..... farms.....	23 879	17 768	269	1 981	3 896	5 782	4 407	1 433
..... \$1,000.....	985 771	835 002	12 047	102 876	222 928	274 262	177 329	45 561
Debts not secured by real estate..... farms.....	23 067	18 444	614	2 722	4 106	5 805	4 046	1 151
..... \$1,000.....	538 559	487 328	12 887	77 426	128 290	153 817	86 835	28 073
Farm Operator Characteristics¹								
Farm operators by age group:								
Under 25 years.....	2 745	2 067	2 067	—	—	—	—	—
25 to 34 years.....	10 758	7 323	—	7 323	—	—	—	—
35 to 44 years.....	16 488	11 461	—	—	11 461	—	—	—
45 to 54 years.....	25 556	19 867	—	—	—	19 867	—	—
55 to 64 years.....	25 941	21 653	—	—	—	—	21 653	—
65 years and over.....	15 383	13 410	—	—	—	—	—	13 410
Average age.....	51.0	52.1	21.7	30.0	39.8	49.8	59.3	71.0
Farm operators by place of residence:								
On farm operated.....	66 936	53 713	1 027	4 818	8 577	14 817	15 626	8 848
On another farm.....	5 810	4 808	602	947	744	1 112	908	495
In a rural area, not on a farm.....	2 144	1 150	100	235	186	240	232	157
In a city, town, or urban area.....	7 362	3 973	112	372	449	828	1 236	976
Farm operators by principal occupation:								
Farming.....	75 781	75 781	2 067	7 323	11 461	19 867	21 653	13 410
Other.....	21 090	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Farm operators reporting off-farm income—								
Greater than value of farm products sold.....	13 873	3 026	96	274	362	572	773	949
Less than value of farm products sold.....	48 066	39 651	1 266	4 108	6 384	10 936	10 888	6 069
Not reporting or none.....	34 932	33 104	705	2 941	4 715	8 359	9 992	6 392
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm.....								
1 to 49 days.....	33 849	15 552	836	2 187	2 988	4 454	3 836	1 251
50 to 99 days.....	7 126	6 801	383	863	1 250	1 902	1 747	656
100 to 149 days.....	2 779	2 516	145	333	469	750	639	180
150 to 199 days.....	2 656	2 083	127	322	416	618	480	120
200 days and over.....	3 084	1 281	74	212	254	384	298	59
.....	18 204	2 871	107	457	599	800	672	236
Persons in household (other than farm operator) working off farm:								
Farms reporting.....	16 678	11 459	284	1 054	2 114	4 002	3 085	920
Number of persons.....	19 485	13 273	302	1 100	2 523	4 829	3 479	1 040
By number of days worked:								
1 to 49 days.....	4 087	3 281	72	305	773	1 180	715	236
50 to 99 days.....	2 179	1 552	40	111	335	585	362	119
100 to 149 days.....	2 090	1 515	43	136	327	528	352	129
150 to 199 days.....	2 895	2 037	35	168	345	737	590	162
200 days and over.....	8 234	4 888	112	380	743	1 799	1 460	394
Farms by Size								
1 to 9 acres.....	2 193	1 244	82	123	159	208	352	320
10 to 49 acres.....	6 900	3 001	154	226	329	513	726	1 053
50 to 69 acres.....	3 472	1 720	70	133	138	265	445	669
70 to 99 acres.....	8 610	4 842	200	349	442	772	1 363	1 716
100 to 139 acres.....	9 142	5 932	207	404	593	1 127	1 790	1 811
140 to 179 acres.....	10 812	8 078	279	659	810	1 726	2 608	1 996
180 to 219 acres.....	7 661	6 169	158	599	739	1 480	1 944	1 249
220 to 259 acres.....	7 542	6 507	197	608	846	1 630	2 092	1 134
260 to 499 acres.....	25 697	23 930	543	2 590	4 088	7 215	7 042	2 452
500 to 999 acres.....	12 634	12 217	153	1 397	2 776	4 206	2 821	864
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	2 027	1 966	22	226	492	669	426	131
2,000 acres and over.....	181	175	2	9	49	56	44	15
Farms by Standard Industrial Classification (see text)								
Cash grain farms (011).....	67 071	53 197	1 509	5 122	7 809	13 839	15 503	9 415
Cotton farms (0131).....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco farms (0132).....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

¹Applies only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

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Race and Tenure of Farm Operator—Continued							
All farm operators—Continued							
White ¹	21 013	675	3 425	5 002	5 674	4 273	1 964
Full owners.....	12 544	201	1 617	2 845	3 375	3 042	1 464
Part owners.....	4 738	103	887	1 333	1 425	754	236
Tenants.....	3 731	371	921	824	874	477	264
Black and other races ¹	77	3	10	25	15	15	9
Full owners.....	43	1	—	16	11	11	4
Part owners.....	15	1	1	8	1	1	3
Tenants.....	19	1	9	1	3	3	2
Farms by Type of Organization							
Individual or family..... farms.....	19 493	606	3 185	4 708	5 305	3 975	1 714
..... acres.....	2 559 549	58 961	362 662	601 665	784 202	534 313	217 746
Partnership..... farms.....	1 597	72	250	319	384	313	259
..... acres.....	281 346	8 427	36 154	59 044	80 000	52 142	45 579
Corporation, including family owned..... farms.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... acres.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other..... farms.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... acres.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Farm Credit							
Total operator farm debt..... farms.....	8 137	169	1 571	2 430	2 389	1 229	349
..... \$1,000.....	201 999	3 093	33 819	65 879	63 674	27 461	8 073
Debts secured by real estate..... farms.....	6 111	99	1 123	1 916	1 807	936	230
..... \$1,000.....	150 768	2 113	25 408	50 533	46 314	20 619	5 781
Debts not secured by real estate..... farms.....	4 623	104	942	1 349	1 389	645	194
..... \$1,000.....	51 231	980	8 411	15 346	17 359	6 842	2 293
Farm Operator Characteristics¹							
Farm operators by age group:							
Under 25 years.....	678	678	—	—	—	—	—
25 to 34 years.....	3 435	—	3 435	—	—	—	—
35 to 44 years.....	5 027	—	—	5 027	—	—	—
45 to 54 years.....	5 689	—	—	—	5 689	—	—
55 to 64 years.....	4 288	—	—	—	—	4 288	—
65 years and over.....	1 973	—	—	—	—	—	1 973
Average age.....	47.0	21.5	30.1	39.6	49.4	59.0	71.0
Farm operators by place of residence:							
On farm operated.....	13 223	290	2 148	3 279	3 728	2 711	1 067
On another farm.....	1 002	173	293	202	166	119	49
In a rural area, not on a farm.....	994	47	222	296	225	146	58
In a city, town, or urban area.....	3 389	85	477	768	933	729	397
Farm operators by principal occupation:							
Farming.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other.....	21 090	678	3 435	5 027	5 689	4 288	1 973
Farm operators reporting off-farm income:							
Greater than value of farm products sold.....	10 847	298	1 863	2 711	2 884	2 315	776
Less than value of farm products sold.....	8 415	304	1 403	2 071	2 450	1 527	660
Not reporting or none.....	1 828	76	169	245	355	446	537
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:							
1 to 49 days.....	18 297	581	3 207	4 691	5 176	3 662	983
50 to 99 days.....	325	20	27	55	57	90	76
100 to 149 days.....	263	16	30	48	52	69	48
150 to 199 days.....	573	34	65	110	176	116	72
200 days and over.....	1 803	50	341	417	494	382	119
.....	15 333	461	2 741	4 061	4 397	3 005	668
Persons in household (other than farm operator) working off farm:							
Farms reporting.....	5 219	86	671	1 295	1 739	1 085	343
Number of persons.....	6 212	97	713	1 554	2 206	1 243	399
By number of days worked:							
1 to 49 days.....	806	12	93	260	288	117	36
50 to 99 days.....	627	5	78	190	233	97	24
100 to 149 days.....	575	11	65	173	195	96	35
150 to 199 days.....	858	6	115	185	298	193	61
200 days and over.....	3 346	63	362	746	1 192	740	243
Farms by Size							
1 to 9 acres.....	949	74	207	221	197	137	113
10 to 49 acres.....	3 899	201	731	942	808	800	417
50 to 99 acres.....	1 752	55	312	367	458	359	201
100 to 139 acres.....	3 768	90	656	896	1 004	790	332
140 to 179 acres.....	3 210	72	490	778	906	677	287
180 to 219 acres.....	2 734	89	382	722	775	530	236
220 to 259 acres.....	1 492	30	220	160	346	475	312
260 to 499 acres.....	1 035	29	160	251	318	198	79
500 to 999 acres.....	1 767	34	239	404	560	383	147
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	417	2	35	93	165	86	36
2,000 acres and over.....	61	2	3	7	20	15	14
.....	6	—	—	—	3	1	2
Farms by Standard Industrial Classification (see text)							
Cash grain farms (011).....	13 874	462	2 228	3 220	3 898	2 806	1 260
Cotton farms (0131).....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco farms (0132).....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

¹Applies only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 29. Summary by Age and Principal Occupation of Farm Operator: 1974—Continued

Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over

Farms by Standard Industrial Classification (see text)—Con.

Sugar crop, Irish potato, hay, peanut, and other field crop farms (0133, 0134, 0139) ----- farms..... 479
 Vegetable and melon farms (016) ----- farms..... 354
 Fruit and tree nut farms (017) ----- farms..... 181
 Horticultural specialty farms (018) ----- farms..... 487
 General farms, primarily crop (0191) ----- farms..... 783
 Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021) ----- farms..... 21 610
 Dairy farms (024) ----- farms..... 4 361
 Poultry and egg farms (025) ----- farms..... 462
 Animal specialty farms (027) ----- farms..... 288
 General farms, primarily livestock (0291) ----- farms..... 619
 Farms not classified by SIC ----- farms..... 176

Value of Products Sold

Market value of agricultural products sold ----- farms..... 96 871
 \$1,000 ----- farms..... 4 459 760

Farms by value of agricultural products sold: \$500,000 and over ----- farms..... 157
 \$200,000 to \$499,999 ----- farms..... 2 094
 \$100,000 to \$199,999 ----- farms..... 8 650
 \$40,000 to \$99,999 ----- farms..... 26 020
 \$20,000 to \$39,999 ----- farms..... 20 859
 \$10,000 to \$19,999 ----- farms..... 16 702
 \$5,000 to \$9,999 ----- farms..... 12 550
 \$2,500 to \$4,999 ----- farms..... 8 439
 Under \$2,500 (see text) ----- farms..... 1 400

Grain sold ----- farms..... 85 798
 \$1,000 ----- farms..... 2 986 882
 Sales of \$40,000 and over ----- farms..... 24 806
 \$1,000 ----- farms..... 2 113 716

Tobacco sold ----- farms..... --
 \$1,000 ----- farms..... --
 Sales of \$40,000 and over ----- farms..... --
 \$1,000 ----- farms..... --

Cotton and cottonseed sold ----- farms..... 2
 \$1,000 ----- farms..... (D)
 Sales of \$40,000 and over ----- farms..... 1
 \$1,000 ----- farms..... (D)

Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage sold ----- farms..... 14 219
 \$1,000 ----- farms..... 29 295
 Sales of \$40,000 and over ----- farms..... 13
 \$1,000 ----- farms..... 895

Other field crops sold ----- farms..... 295
 \$1,000 ----- farms..... 2 467
 Sales of \$40,000 and over ----- farms..... 10
 \$1,000 ----- farms..... 816

Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons sold ----- farms..... 1 963
 \$1,000 ----- farms..... 25 801
 Sales of \$40,000 and over ----- farms..... 113
 \$1,000 ----- farms..... 10 075

Fruit, nuts, and berries sold ----- farms..... 361
 \$1,000 ----- farms..... 7 370
 Sales of \$40,000 and over ----- farms..... 38
 \$1,000 ----- farms..... 5 013

Poultry and poultry products sold ----- farms..... 5 312
 \$1,000 ----- farms..... 46 568
 Sales of \$40,000 and over ----- farms..... 303
 \$1,000 ----- farms..... 38 056

Dairy products sold ----- farms..... 6 425
 \$1,000 ----- farms..... 162 641
 Sales of \$40,000 and over ----- farms..... 1 274
 \$1,000 ----- farms..... 75 070

Cattle and calves sold ----- farms..... 46 135
 \$1,000 ----- farms..... 528 648
 Sales of \$40,000 and over ----- farms..... 2 629
 \$1,000 ----- farms..... 294 462

Hogs and pigs sold ----- farms..... 32 809
 \$1,000 ----- farms..... 628 867
 Sales of \$40,000 and over ----- farms..... 4 320
 \$1,000 ----- farms..... 336 283

Sheep, lambs, and wool sold ----- farms..... 6 179
 \$1,000 ----- farms..... 5 259
 Sales of \$40,000 and over ----- farms..... 11
 \$1,000 ----- farms..... 737

Other livestock and livestock products sold ----- farms..... 1 527
 \$1,000 ----- farms..... 5 288
 Sales of \$40,000 and over ----- farms..... 27
 \$1,000 ----- farms..... 2 170

Nursery and greenhouse products sold ----- farms..... 597
 \$1,000 ----- farms..... 28 629
 Sales of \$40,000 and over ----- farms..... 167
 \$1,000 ----- farms..... 23 352

Forest products sold ----- farms..... 1 195
 \$1,000 ----- farms..... (D)
 Sales of \$40,000 and over ----- farms..... 3
 \$1,000 ----- farms..... 150

	Total farming and other occupations	Farming						
		Total	Age of farm operator					65 years and over
			Under 25 years	25 to 34 years	35 to 44 years	45 to 54 years	55 to 64 years	
Sugar crop, Irish potato, hay, peanut, and other field crop farms (0133, 0134, 0139) ----- farms.....	479	263	1	14	19	55	92	82
Vegetable and melon farms (016) ----- farms.....	354	249	12	14	36	60	79	48
Fruit and tree nut farms (017) ----- farms.....	181	110	1	7	6	26	44	26
Horticultural specialty farms (018) ----- farms.....	487	306	4	11	56	81	96	58
General farms, primarily crop (0191) ----- farms.....	783	586	7	57	88	140	159	135
Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021) ----- farms.....	21 610	15 798	423	1 549	2 413	4 097	4 320	2 996
Dairy farms (024) ----- farms.....	4 361	4 175	100	473	846	1 306	1 029	421
Poultry and egg farms (025) ----- farms.....	462	344	1	23	66	82	109	63
Animal specialty farms (027) ----- farms.....	288	99	1	8	19	16	27	28
General farms, primarily livestock (0291) ----- farms.....	619	553	6	41	92	147	164	103
Farms not classified by SIC ----- farms.....	176	101	2	4	11	18	31	35
Value of Products Sold								
Market value of agricultural products sold ----- farms.....	96 871	75 781	2 067	7 323	11 461	19 867	21 653	13 410
\$1,000 ----- farms.....	4 459 760	4 126 488	80 388	444 738	821 295	1 275 382	1 075 630	429 055
Farms by value of agricultural products sold:								
\$500,000 and over ----- farms.....	157	156	4	7	41	45	38	21
\$200,000 to \$499,999 ----- farms.....	2 094	2 045	21	227	528	682	431	156
\$100,000 to \$199,999 ----- farms.....	8 650	8 457	106	1 027	1 971	2 916	1 896	541
\$40,000 to \$99,999 ----- farms.....	26 020	24 675	564	2 765	4 358	7 667	7 041	2 280
\$20,000 to \$39,999 ----- farms.....	20 859	17 686	558	1 724	2 338	4 441	5 595	3 030
\$10,000 to \$19,999 ----- farms.....	16 702	11 874	371	937	1 397	2 474	3 680	3 015
\$5,000 to \$9,999 ----- farms.....	12 550	6 628	282	404	512	1 023	1 898	2 509
\$2,500 to \$4,999 ----- farms.....	8 439	3 754	142	209	277	548	958	1 620
Under \$2,500 (see text) ----- farms.....	1 400	506	19	23	39	71	116	238
Grain sold ----- farms.....	85 798	68 707	1 832	6 699	10 423	18 282	19 760	11 711
\$1,000 ----- farms.....	2 986 882	2 765 905	55 174	298 325	539 360	851 534	739 750	281 762
Sales of \$40,000 and over ----- farms.....	24 806	23 807	446	2 653	4 669	7 557	6 499	1 983
\$1,000 ----- farms.....	2 113 716	2 047 077	33 608	226 648	440 790	665 924	525 255	154 853
Tobacco sold ----- farms.....	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
\$1,000 ----- farms.....	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Sales of \$40,000 and over ----- farms.....	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
\$1,000 ----- farms.....	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Cotton and cottonseed sold ----- farms.....	2	2	--	--	1	1	--	--
\$1,000 ----- farms.....	(D)	(D)	--	--	(D)	(D)	--	--
Sales of \$40,000 and over ----- farms.....	1	1	--	--	1	--	--	--
\$1,000 ----- farms.....	(D)	(D)	--	--	(D)	--	--	--
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage sold ----- farms.....	14 219	11 337	248	1 063	1 664	2 955	3 243	2 164
\$1,000 ----- farms.....	29 295	24 905	406	2 947	4 421	6 548	6 929	3 654
Sales of \$40,000 and over ----- farms.....	13	12	--	4	1	2	4	1
\$1,000 ----- farms.....	895	(D)	--	311	(D)	(D)	261	(D)
Other field crops sold ----- farms.....	295	242	2	18	23	85	70	44
\$1,000 ----- farms.....	2 467	2 302	5	375	159	885	701	178
Sales of \$40,000 and over ----- farms.....	10	10	--	3	1	5	1	--
\$1,000 ----- farms.....	816	816	--	254	(D)	267	(D)	--
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons sold ----- farms.....	1 963	1 642	45	153	295	462	470	217
\$1,000 ----- farms.....	25 801	23 559	491	1 380	4 251	7 043	7 901	2 494
Sales of \$40,000 and over ----- farms.....	113	109	1	1	19	39	37	12
\$1,000 ----- farms.....	10 075	9 878	(D)	(D)	1 451	3 135	4 281	915
Fruit, nuts, and berries sold ----- farms.....	361	230	2	21	18	56	87	46
\$1,000 ----- farms.....	7 370	6 280	(D)	(D)	868	1 685	2 779	465
Sales of \$40,000 and over ----- farms.....	38	35	1	3	5	14	10	2
\$1,000 ----- farms.....	5 013	4 669	(D)	(D)	823	1 349	1 941	(D)
Poultry and poultry products sold ----- farms.....	5 312	4 452	65	267	552	1 120	1 414	1 034
\$1,000 ----- farms.....	46 568	40 599	99	2 516	9 092	14 712	10 480	3 700
Sales of \$40,000 and over ----- farms.....	303	250	--	14	55	77	82	22
\$1,000 ----- farms.....	38 056	33 275	--	1 941	8 208	12 608	8 107	2 411
Dairy products sold ----- farms.....	6 425	6 136	130	644	1 210	1 874	1 582	696
\$1,000 ----- farms.....	162 641	158 668	3 728	19 083	34 965	52 430	36 055	12 408
Sales of \$40,000 and over ----- farms.....	1 274	1 256	28	175	293	422	265	73
\$1,000 ----- farms.....	75 070	73 870	1 699	9 577	17 025	25 223	15 933	4 413
Cattle and calves sold ----- farms.....	46 135	37 407	800	3 589	6 116	10 151	10 373	6 378
\$1,000 ----- farms.....	528 648	488 542	8 032	47 185	100 042	148 545	116 402	68 337
Sales of \$40,000 and over ----- farms.....	2 629	2 526	39	263	527	860	587	250
\$1,000 ----- farms.....	294 462	285 185	4 284	27 307	64 524	89 032	61 138	38 900
Hogs and pigs sold ----- farms.....	32 809	26 844	722	2 926	4 624	7 451	7 342	3 779
\$1,000 ----- farms.....	628 867	582 981	12 058	71 263	122 261	183 235	143 373	50 790
Sales of \$40,000 and over ----- farms.....	4 320	4 154	81	531	948	1 417	908	269
\$1,000 ----- farms.....	336 283	325 009	5 431	41 144	75 980	108 989	72 740	20 726
Sheep, lambs, and wool sold ----- farms.....	6 179	4 972	92	434	729	1 373	1 410	934
\$1,000 ----- farms.....	5 259	4 412	71	421	523	1 232	1 319	846
Sales of \$40,000 and over ----- farms.....	11	10	--	--	--	2	6	2
\$1,000 ----- farms.....	737	(D)	--	--	--	(D)	313	(D)
Other livestock and livestock products sold ----- farms.....	1 527	865	18	108	181	197	230	131
\$1,000 ----- farms.....	5 288	3 132	71	182	758	772	800	549
Sales of \$40,000 and over ----- farms.....	27	18	1	1	5	4	4	3
\$1,000 ----- farms.....	2 170	1 560	(D)	(D)	417	455	260	324
Nursery and greenhouse products sold ----- farms.....	597	386	4	14	68	107	118	75
\$1,000 ----- farms.....	28 629	23 577	156	543	4 282	6 483	8 545	3 567
Sales of \$40,000 and over ----- farms.....	167	141	2	2	30	44	37	26
\$1,000 ----- farms.....	23 352	20 424	(D)	(D)	3 698	5 677	7 479	3 094
Forest products sold ----- farms.....	1 195	900	11	86	144	219	268	172
\$1,000 ----- farms.....	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	262	264	598	304
Sales of \$40,000 and over ----- farms.....	3	3	--	--	--	--	3	--
\$1,000 ----- farms.....	150	150	--	--	--	--	150	--

Table 29. Summary by Age and Principal Occupation of Farm Operator: 1974—Continued

Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over

Farms by Standard Industrial Classification (see text)—Con.

Sugar crop, Irish potato, hay, peanut, and other field crop farms (0133, 0134, 0139) -----
Vegetable and melon farms (016) -----
Fruit and tree nut farms (017) -----
Horticultural specialty farms (018) -----
General farms, primarily crop (0191) -----
Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021) -----
Dairy farms (024) -----
Poultry and egg farms (025) -----
Animal specialty farms (027) -----
General farms, primarily livestock (0291) -----
Farms not classified by SIC -----

Value of Products Sold

Market value of agricultural products sold ----- farms ----- \$1,000 -----
Farms by value of agricultural products sold:
\$500,000 and over -----
\$200,000 to \$499,999 -----
\$100,000 to \$199,999 -----
\$40,000 to \$99,999 -----
\$20,000 to \$39,999 -----
\$10,000 to \$19,999 -----
\$5,000 to \$9,999 -----
\$2,500 to \$4,999 -----
Under \$2,500 (see text) -----
Grain sold ----- farms ----- \$1,000 -----
Sales of \$40,000 and over ----- farms ----- \$1,000 -----
Tobacco sold ----- farms ----- \$1,000 -----
Sales of \$40,000 and over ----- farms ----- \$1,000 -----
Cotton and cottonseed sold ----- farms ----- \$1,000 -----
Sales of \$40,000 and over ----- farms ----- \$1,000 -----
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage sold ----- farms ----- \$1,000 -----
Sales of \$40,000 and over ----- farms ----- \$1,000 -----
Other field crops sold ----- farms ----- \$1,000 -----
Sales of \$40,000 and over ----- farms ----- \$1,000 -----
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons sold ----- farms ----- \$1,000 -----
Sales of \$40,000 and over ----- farms ----- \$1,000 -----
Fruit, nuts, and berries sold ----- farms ----- \$1,000 -----
Sales of \$40,000 and over ----- farms ----- \$1,000 -----
Poultry and poultry products sold ----- farms ----- \$1,000 -----
Sales of \$40,000 and over ----- farms ----- \$1,000 -----
Dairy products sold ----- farms ----- \$1,000 -----
Sales of \$40,000 and over ----- farms ----- \$1,000 -----
Cattle and calves sold ----- farms ----- \$1,000 -----
Sales of \$40,000 and over ----- farms ----- \$1,000 -----
Hogs and pigs sold ----- farms ----- \$1,000 -----
Sales of \$40,000 and over ----- farms ----- \$1,000 -----
Sheep, lambs, and wool sold ----- farms ----- \$1,000 -----
Sales of \$40,000 and over ----- farms ----- \$1,000 -----
Other livestock and livestock products sold ----- farms ----- \$1,000 -----
Sales of \$40,000 and over ----- farms ----- \$1,000 -----
Nursery and greenhouse products sold ----- farms ----- \$1,000 -----
Sales of \$40,000 and over ----- farms ----- \$1,000 -----
Forest products sold ----- farms ----- \$1,000 -----
Sales of \$40,000 and over ----- farms ----- \$1,000 -----

	Other occupation						
	Total	Age of farm operator					
		Under 25 years	25 to 34 years	35 to 44 years	45 to 54 years	55 to 64 years	65 years and over
Sugar crop, Irish potato, hay, peanut, and other field crop farms (0133, 0134, 0139) -----	216	4	35	47	60	49	21
Vegetable and melon farms (016) -----	105	3	11	25	27	26	13
Fruit and tree nut farms (017) -----	71	1	5	24	14	20	7
Horticultural specialty farms (018) -----	181	1	14	39	46	47	34
General farms, primarily crop (0191) -----	197	2	30	49	53	41	22
Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021) -----	5 812	199	1 021	1 484	1 400	1 165	543
Dairy farms (024) -----	186	3	23	39	63	43	15
Poultry and egg farms (025) -----	118	2	15	30	43	16	12
Animal specialty farms (027) -----	189	1	35	39	49	49	16
General farms, primarily livestock (0291) -----	66	—	10	19	12	14	11
Farms not classified by SIC -----	75	—	8	12	24	12	19
Value of Products Sold							
Market value of agricultural products sold ----- farms ----- \$1,000 -----	21 090 333 272	678 8 193	3 435 48 901	5 027 78 505	5 689 102 194	4 288 65 372	1 973 30 107
Farms by value of agricultural products sold:							
\$500,000 and over -----	1	—	—	1	—	—	—
\$200,000 to \$499,999 -----	49	—	3	8	18	10	10
\$100,000 to \$199,999 -----	193	2	12	34	76	44	25
\$40,000 to \$99,999 -----	1 345	21	200	299	451	254	120
\$20,000 to \$39,999 -----	3 173	91	481	830	967	581	223
\$10,000 to \$19,999 -----	4 828	142	818	1 258	1 343	963	304
\$5,000 to \$9,999 -----	5 922	210	953	1 365	1 542	1 219	633
\$2,500 to \$4,999 -----	4 685	187	804	1 029	1 099	1 028	538
Under \$2,500 (see text) -----	894	25	164	203	193	189	120
Grain sold ----- farms ----- \$1,000 -----	17 091 220 976	547 5 851	2 796 31 750	4 055 51 288	4 742 71 224	3 439 40 895	1 512 19 968
Sales of \$40,000 and over ----- farms ----- \$1,000 -----	999 66 639	17 965	103 6 048	221 14 440	357 25 460	193 11 779	108 7 946
Tobacco sold ----- farms ----- \$1,000 -----	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sales of \$40,000 and over ----- farms ----- \$1,000 -----	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton and cottonseed sold ----- farms ----- \$1,000 -----	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sales of \$40,000 and over ----- farms ----- \$1,000 -----	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage sold ----- farms ----- \$1,000 -----	2 882 4 391	41 75	459 668	698 995	829 1 405	609 868	246 380
Sales of \$40,000 and over ----- farms ----- \$1,000 -----	1 (0)	—	1 (0)	—	—	—	—
Other field crops sold ----- farms ----- \$1,000 -----	53 165	—	7 31	18 28	14 31	11 64	3 11
Sales of \$40,000 and over ----- farms ----- \$1,000 -----	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons sold ----- farms ----- \$1,000 -----	321 2 243	3 62	23 193	89 496	97 678	83 637	26 176
Sales of \$40,000 and over ----- farms ----- \$1,000 -----	4 197	1 (0)	1 (0)	1 (0)	—	1 (0)	—
Fruit, nuts, and berries sold ----- farms ----- \$1,000 -----	131 1 091	2 6	10 63	33 247	40 304	35 258	11 213
Sales of \$40,000 and over ----- farms ----- \$1,000 -----	3 344	—	—	—	1 (0)	1 (0)	1 (0)
Poultry and poultry products sold ----- farms ----- \$1,000 -----	860 5 969	14 13	131 809	230 1 070	212 2 301	176 1 197	97 579
Sales of \$40,000 and over ----- farms ----- \$1,000 -----	53 4 781	—	6 657	11 750	20 1 876	11 1 046	5 452
Dairy products sold ----- farms ----- \$1,000 -----	289 3 973	4 36	31 398	66 625	93 1 161	68 1 203	27 550
Sales of \$40,000 and over ----- farms ----- \$1,000 -----	18 1 200	—	1 (0)	1 (0)	5 291	7 464	4 341
Cattle and calves sold ----- farms ----- \$1,000 -----	8 728 40 107	170 603	1 340 5 152	2 134 9 135	2 467 11 778	1 840 9 369	777 4 069
Sales of \$40,000 and over ----- farms ----- \$1,000 -----	103 9 277	1 (0)	10 (0)	20 1 606	37 3 198	22 2 252	13 1 154
Hogs and pigs sold ----- farms ----- \$1,000 -----	5 965 45 886	233 1 524	1 141 9 136	1 656 12 956	1 465 11 230	1 027 8 080	443 2 960
Sales of \$40,000 and over ----- farms ----- \$1,000 -----	166 11 275	3 164	39 2 489	38 2 776	52 2 864	23 2 172	11 810
Sheep, lambs, and wool sold ----- farms ----- \$1,000 -----	1 207 847	14 5	186 115	323 221	361 218	232 129	91 158
Sales of \$40,000 and over ----- farms ----- \$1,000 -----	1 (0)	—	—	—	—	—	1 (0)
Other livestock and livestock products sold ----- farms ----- \$1,000 -----	662 2 156	10 6	135 286	206 364	140 582	129 618	42 300
Sales of \$40,000 and over ----- farms ----- \$1,000 -----	9 610	—	1 (0)	—	5 240	1 (0)	2 (0)
Nursery and greenhouse products sold ----- farms ----- \$1,000 -----	211 5 052	3 11	16 239	50 986	52 1 158	56 1 952	34 706
Sales of \$40,000 and over ----- farms ----- \$1,000 -----	26 2 928	—	1 (0)	4 (0)	8 689	10 1 424	3 379
Forest products sold ----- farms ----- \$1,000 -----	295 418	1 (2)	48 60	81 93	69 126	59 102	37 37
Sales of \$40,000 and over ----- farms ----- \$1,000 -----	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

Table 29. Summary by Age and Principal Occupation of Farm Operator: 1974—Continued

Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over	Farming							
	Total farming and other occupations	Age of farm operator						
		Total	Under 25 years	25 to 34 years	35 to 44 years	45 to 54 years	55 to 64 years	65 years and over
Farm Production Expenses								
Total production expenses	farms... 96 869	75 781	2 067	7 323	11 461	19 867	21 653	13 410
	\$1,000... 2 653 017	2 418 252	46 308	259 492	495 327	755 591	611 942	249 593
Livestock and poultry purchased	farms... 33 342	26 351	785	3 017	4 596	7 238	6 900	3 815
	\$1,000... 291 362	268 158	5 527	28 732	58 960	82 747	60 379	31 813
Feed for livestock and poultry	farms... 51 930	41 025	1 034	4 142	6 791	11 205	11 397	6 456
	\$1,000... 367 837	332 369	7 493	38 928	71 941	102 933	77 172	33 901
Commercially mixed formula feeds	farms... 44 523	35 289	901	3 565	5 929	9 692	9 765	5 437
	tons... 1 358 347	1 218 287	28 955	142 829	255 884	374 257	291 326	125 035
	\$1,000... 242 715	218 633	5 285	25 777	46 621	67 527	51 705	21 718
Feed ingredients	farms... 12 325	10 352	265	1 095	1 800	2 899	2 826	1 467
	tons... 237 551	222 534	3 827	26 428	46 927	72 444	52 866	20 043
	\$1,000... 41 614	39 024	616	4 614	8 121	12 757	9 389	3 527
Whole grains	farms... 16 933	13 167	372	1 484	2 349	3 665	3 408	1 889
	tons... 691 603	622 838	12 801	71 015	143 109	189 827	133 041	73 045
	\$1,000... 75 444	67 892	1 444	7 693	15 673	20 687	14 450	7 945
Hay, green chop, and silage	farms... 7 869	5 843	157	661	1 054	1 646	1 502	823
	tons... 298 620	255 461	4 989	31 243	53 952	75 635	63 232	26 410
	\$1,000... 8 064	6 819	147	844	1 526	1 962	1 629	711
Animal health cost for livestock and poultry	farms... 41 329	34 444	775	3 432	6 024	9 851	9 466	4 896
	\$1,000... 17 192	15 927	293	1 965	3 508	5 173	3 642	1 346
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees	farms... 85 896	69 859	1 848	6 909	10 859	18 825	20 044	11 374
	\$1,000... 143 253	130 867	2 499	14 530	25 871	40 500	34 268	13 199
Commercial fertilizer purchased	farms... 79 091	64 138	1 760	6 484	10 178	17 578	18 267	9 871
	\$1,000... 398 417	368 735	7 710	42 482	76 004	115 468	93 122	33 948
Commercial fertilizer used	farms... 74 621	61 322	1 687	6 297	9 906	16 994	17 390	9 048
	acres fertilized... 12 219 146	11 284 698	228 321	1 276 575	2 306 038	3 533 039	2 898 075	1 042 650
	dry tons... 1 553 149	1 439 659	28 973	168 871	298 256	450 631	362 356	130 572
	liquid or gas tons... 700 217	655 388	14 014	76 033	138 100	204 926	166 958	55 357
Other agricultural chemicals (see text)	farms... 64 371	53 132	1 422	5 347	8 707	14 949	15 062	7 645
	\$1,000... 134 180	124 853	2 478	14 630	26 919	39 263	30 843	10 719
Lime	farms... 12 880	10 965	234	1 163	1 993	3 200	3 007	1 368
	tons... 1 935 423	1 745 627	31 709	206 868	362 322	537 816	438 035	168 877
	\$1,000... 9 458	8 525	155	970	1 818	2 605	2 172	805
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business	farms... 95 213	74 707	2 009	7 214	11 350	19 611	21 377	13 146
	\$1,000... 197 496	177 958	3 560	18 308	33 834	55 386	47 192	19 678
Gasoline	farms... 93 201	73 237	1 912	7 052	11 161	19 227	21 032	12 853
	\$1,000... 112 749	98 821	1 979	9 209	17 565	30 237	27 277	12 554
Diesel oil	farms... 48 938	42 966	1 188	5 001	7 748	12 567	11 626	4 836
	\$1,000... 49 726	46 909	972	5 551	9 745	15 004	11 751	3 886
LP gas, butane, and propane	farms... 28 889	25 733	574	2 937	4 839	7 699	6 754	2 930
	\$1,000... 20 851	19 717	338	2 260	4 214	6 384	4 781	1 739
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil	farms... 94 938	74 528	2 002	7 204	11 324	19 585	21 321	13 092
	\$1,000... 14 170	12 512	270	1 288	2 310	3 762	3 383	1 500
Hired farm labor	farms... 33 645	28 318	591	2 823	4 698	8 302	7 967	3 937
	\$1,000... 88 290	80 388	936	6 232	15 537	27 518	21 896	8 270
Workers by number of days worked:								
150 days or more	farms... 9 031	8 372	111	716	1 573	2 859	2 188	925
	workers... 13 951	12 848	154	957	2 452	4 493	3 347	1 445
25 to 149 days	farms... 10 080	8 935	141	872	1 780	2 914	2 386	842
	workers... 21 987	19 443	236	1 566	4 325	6 193	5 333	1 790
Less than 25 days	farms... 22 496	18 312	440	1 899	2 776	4 934	5 391	2 872
	workers... 114 036	94 124	1 956	9 735	14 714	26 313	27 347	14 059
Contract labor	farms... 2 067	1 559	39	158	225	407	460	270
	\$1,000... 3 469	2 889	71	312	332	1 122	743	310
Machine hire and customwork	farms... 51 349	40 153	902	3 567	5 935	10 772	11 737	7 242
	\$1,000... 58 041	48 568	958	4 331	7 970	13 546	13 959	7 805
All other production expenses	farms... 96 415	75 624	2 057	7 316	11 452	19 842	21 627	13 330
	\$1,000... 953 479	867 539	14 784	89 042	174 450	271 934	228 725	88 603
Farm-Related Income and Expenses								
Farm-related income	farms... 20 266	16 689	567	2 049	2 991	4 817	4 214	2 051
	\$1,000... 58 347	49 924	1 335	6 288	9 051	14 960	11 978	6 313
\$10,000 and over	farms... 1 179	1 011	22	123	170	308	233	155
	\$1,000... 23 712	20 392	411	2 625	3 219	6 107	5 030	3 001
Farm-related income from—								
Customwork and other agricultural services	farms... 12 560	11 054	429	1 596	2 234	3 318	2 574	903
	\$1,000... 31 684	28 353	953	4 503	6 059	8 443	6 220	2 176
Recreational services	farms... 287	197	6	18	32	50	50	41
	\$1,000... 826	611	13	15	50	327	125	81
Payments from government farm programs	farms... 4 686	3 637	113	400	626	1 046	999	453
	\$1,000... 6 100	5 124	160	618	618	1 540	1 294	471
Rent from farmland and payments from lease or sale of allotments	farms... 3 580	2 620	41	179	337	629	732	702
	\$1,000... 14 570	11 629	145	634	1 207	3 110	3 341	3 193
Other farm-related income	farms... 2 461	2 018	43	201	319	653	550	252
	\$1,000... 5 168	4 207	65	518	695	1 539	998	392
Expenses for farm-related income sources	farms... 7 461	6 146	237	821	1 085	1 736	1 531	736
	\$1,000... 17 113	14 156	345	1 646	2 510	4 314	3 529	1 811

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Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over	Other occupation						
	Total	Age of farm operator					65 years and over
		Under 25 years	25 to 34 years	35 to 44 years	45 to 54 years	55 to 64 years	
Farm Production Expenses							
Total production expenses	21 088	678	3 435	5 025	5 689	4 288	1 973
\$1,000	234 765	5 492	35 835	56 866	70 104	46 556	19 913
Livestock and poultry purchased	6 991	243	1 415	1 892	1 761	1 182	498
\$1,000	23 204	577	4 488	6 060	6 107	4 542	1 430
Feed for livestock and poultry	10 905	295	1 960	2 830	2 849	2 084	887
\$1,000	35 469	996	6 402	8 937	9 459	7 028	2 646
Commercially mixed formula feeds	9 234	272	1 690	2 441	2 360	1 742	729
tons	140 061	3 822	25 553	34 226	37 927	28 325	10 206
\$1,000	24 082	626	4 558	5 916	6 424	4 799	1 760
Feed ingredients	1 973	47	286	515	570	382	173
tons	15 017	317	1 924	3 931	4 094	2 918	1 833
\$1,000	2 590	56	338	682	705	510	299
Whole grains	3 766	114	702	1 032	939	696	283
tons	68 765	2 599	12 489	18 059	17 749	13 519	4 351
\$1,000	7 552	292	1 357	2 039	1 932	1 449	484
Hay, green chop, and silage	2 026	32	327	488	605	406	168
tons	43 159	768	4 592	10 264	15 075	9 281	3 179
\$1,000	1 245	22	149	300	399	271	103
Animal health cost for livestock and poultry	6 885	158	1 096	1 802	1 903	1 366	560
\$1,000	1 265	24	187	316	380	253	106
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees	16 037	484	2 625	3 897	4 426	3 212	1 393
\$1,000	12 386	315	1 748	2 866	3 759	2 632	1 066
Commercial fertilizer purchased	14 953	436	2 463	3 708	4 222	2 929	1 195
\$1,000	29 682	723	4 462	7 259	9 226	5 535	2 477
Commercial fertilizer used	13 299	387	2 167	3 326	3 789	2 586	1 044
acres fertilized	934 448	22 814	134 893	223 496	301 756	174 265	77 224
dry tons	113 490	2 705	16 618	27 649	36 138	20 950	9 432
liquid or gas tons	44 829	1 330	6 171	11 093	13 843	8 528	3 864
Other agricultural chemicals (see text)	11 239	303	1 763	2 742	3 231	2 296	904
\$1,000	9 327	191	1 339	2 222	2 977	1 771	827
Lime	1 915	38	288	499	562	391	137
tons	189 796	3 168	30 353	43 730	59 012	39 411	14 122
\$1,000	933	17	146	219	287	194	70
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business	20 506	626	3 348	4 899	5 575	4 167	1 891
\$1,000	19 538	471	2 868	4 683	6 127	3 739	1 650
Gasoline	19 964	602	3 253	4 795	5 429	4 045	1 840
\$1,000	13 928	349	2 059	3 399	4 271	2 718	1 133
Diesel oil	5 972	201	1 014	1 427	1 748	1 092	490
\$1,000	2 818	57	414	639	952	503	253
LP gas, butane, and propane	3 156	71	494	758	943	619	271
\$1,000	1 134	23	148	250	399	195	119
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil	20 410	623	3 333	4 876	5 544	4 153	1 881
\$1,000	1 658	41	247	395	505	324	146
Hired farm labor	5 327	122	887	1 241	1 573	1 078	426
\$1,000	7 902	100	473	1 392	2 646	2 124	1 167
Workers by number of days worked:							
150 days or more	659	2	28	134	228	174	93
workers	1 103	3	39	193	360	338	170
25 to 149 days	1 145	14	103	243	431	244	110
workers	2 544	36	189	455	906	551	407
Less than 25 days	4 184	114	793	996	1 157	816	308
workers	19 912	507	3 385	4 695	5 708	3 942	1 675
Contract labor	508	6	59	110	142	131	60
\$1,000	580	5	76	98	147	194	60
Machine hire and customwork	11 196	334	1 795	2 645	3 144	2 333	945
\$1,000	9 473	214	1 208	2 038	2 890	2 249	874
All other production expenses	20 791	664	3 397	4 956	5 633	4 215	1 926
\$1,000	85 940	1 877	12 582	20 996	26 386	16 488	7 611
Farm-Related Income and Expenses							
Farm-related income	3 577	95	593	925	1 046	643	275
\$1,000	8 423	188	1 141	2 025	2 529	1 699	841
\$10,000 and over	168	1	13	37	64	34	19
\$1,000	3 319	10	326	773	1 157	674	379
Farm-related income from—							
Customwork and other agricultural services	1 506	51	311	412	414	226	92
\$1,000	3 330	70	562	897	1 029	590	183
Recreational services	90	—	6	26	28	24	6
\$1,000	214	—	31	81	69	28	6
Payments from government farm programs	1 049	28	191	289	285	193	63
\$1,000	976	50	163	295	253	167	47
Rent from farmland and payments from lease or sale of allotments	960	12	96	211	322	216	103
\$1,000	2 941	33	207	580	963	661	496
Other farm-related income	443	11	55	94	151	97	35
\$1,000	961	34	178	172	216	253	109
Expenses for farm-related income sources	1 315	36	214	329	391	238	107
\$1,000	2 957	51	335	733	955	660	223

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Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over	Farming							
	Total farming and other occupations	Total	Age of farm operator					65 years and over
			Under 25 years	25 to 34 years	35 to 44 years	45 to 54 years	55 to 64 years	
Family Off-Farm Income¹								
Family off-farm income.....farms.....	56 794	37 714	1 204	3 765	5 867	10 108	10 384	6 386
.....\$1,000.....	454 824	197 078	4 895	18 623	30 334	55 043	53 455	34 727
Farms by family off-farm income:								
\$1 to \$249.....farms.....	2 366	2 245	133	390	453	581	524	164
.....\$1,000.....	2 078	1 989	85	254	400	552	541	157
\$250 to \$499.....farms.....	3 401	3 233	148	397	554	896	943	295
.....\$1,000.....	17 761	16 040	475	1 363	2 298	4 089	4 508	3 307
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....farms.....	12 796	8 378	240	771	1 192	2 274	2 281	1 620
.....\$1,000.....	14 663	4 879	104	482	797	1 445	1 360	691
\$20,000 to \$29,999.....farms.....	2 681	644	14	64	121	189	163	93
.....\$1,000.....	1 048	306	5	44	52	82	64	59
\$30,000 and over.....farms.....								
.....\$1,000.....								
Family off-farm income from—								
Nonfarm-related business.....farms.....	9 079	5 037	165	587	915	1 538	1 334	498
.....\$1,000.....	80 775	29 118	710	3 347	5 055	9 820	7 415	2 771
Wages, salaries, commissions, and tips.....farms.....	35 564	20 189	881	2 449	3 694	6 163	5 248	1 754
.....\$1,000.....	292 762	104 710	3 616	12 732	19 986	33 337	27 135	7 904
Interest, dividends, or royalties.....farms.....	28 162	21 568	509	1 815	3 011	5 647	6 561	4 025
.....\$1,000.....	47 956	37 841	338	1 658	3 759	8 673	13 615	9 799
Federal Social Security, pensions, etc.....farms.....	9 062	7 383	76	242	335	721	1 449	4 560
.....\$1,000.....	24 309	19 846	183	511	837	1 710	3 721	12 886
Rent of nonfarm property.....farms.....	4 290	3 091	41	190	354	866	980	660
.....\$1,000.....	9 022	5 362	48	376	698	1 503	1 570	1 367
Selected Machinery and Equipment								
Automobiles.....farms.....	84 309	68 151	1 666	6 594	10 604	18 301	19 632	11 354
.....number.....	114 532	92 639	2 029	8 098	14 932	27 054	26 152	14 374
2 or 3.....farms.....	23 837	19 406	312	1 273	3 432	6 724	5 294	2 371
.....number.....	50 915	41 359	657	2 671	7 355	14 478	11 186	5 012
4 and over.....farms.....	906	728	6	34	119	293	179	97
.....number.....	4 051	3 263	24	140	524	1 292	807	476
Motortrucks, including pickups.....farms.....	81 036	64 844	1 572	6 426	10 491	17 808	18 653	9 894
.....number.....	127 692	106 684	2 280	10 737	18 759	31 058	29 696	14 154
2 or 3.....farms.....	30 628	26 928	492	2 876	5 069	8 350	7 277	2 864
.....number.....	68 855	60 879	1 082	6 489	11 547	18 968	16 386	6 407
4 and over.....farms.....	2 285	2 132	31	198	483	718	521	181
.....number.....	10 714	10 021	149	896	2 273	3 350	2 455	898
Tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers.....farms.....	86 499	68 847	1 649	6 592	10 725	18 507	19 866	11 508
.....number.....	254 465	215 273	4 038	19 327	36 062	62 604	61 959	31 283
2 or 3.....farms.....	49 129	38 363	871	3 653	5 441	9 729	11 668	7 001
.....number.....	122 532	97 285	2 082	9 139	14 061	25 291	29 662	17 050
4 and over.....farms.....	25 953	23 909	330	2 029	4 536	7 738	6 646	2 630
.....number.....	120 516	111 413	1 508	9 278	21 253	36 273	30 745	12 356
Wheel tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers.....farms.....	86 370	68 754	1 646	6 581	10 707	18 488	19 847	11 485
.....number.....	250 569	212 142	3 990	19 032	35 479	61 737	61 087	30 817
Crawler tractors.....farms.....	3 450	2 755	44	269	511	787	755	389
.....number.....	3 896	3 131	48	295	583	867	872	466
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled.....farms.....	49 436	43 889	909	4 511	7 901	13 285	12 502	4 781
.....number.....	53 971	48 050	963	4 896	8 708	14 693	13 681	5 109
Cornpickers, corn heads, and pickershellers.....farms.....	61 487	53 562	1 036	5 130	9 067	15 611	15 589	7 129
.....number.....	77 452	67 963	1 245	6 448	11 574	20 242	19 751	8 703
Corn heads for combines.....farms.....	43 300	38 972	793	4 152	7 298	12 111	10 823	3 795
.....number.....	45 564	41 031	831	4 375	7 734	12 781	11 345	3 965
Other cornpickers and pickershellers.....farms.....	30 515	25 774	406	2 000	3 689	7 071	8 034	4 574
.....number.....	31 888	26 932	414	2 073	3 840	7 461	8 406	4 738
Mower conditioners.....farms.....	16 413	13 864	263	1 260	2 340	3 931	3 908	2 162
.....number.....	17 527	14 774	275	1 327	2 468	4 149	4 250	2 305
Pickup balers.....farms.....	27 532	23 557	386	1 985	3 949	7 042	6 824	3 371
.....number.....	28 358	24 253	396	2 040	4 050	7 249	7 037	3 481
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled.....farms.....	6 412	5 428	135	572	947	1 417	1 469	888
.....number.....	6 602	5 600	153	590	966	1 468	1 507	916
Field forage harvesters, shear bar.....farms.....	10 318	9 334	167	929	1 826	2 896	2 455	1 061
.....number.....	10 945	9 897	176	981	1 926	3 068	2 597	1 149
Value of Machinery and Equipment								
Estimated market value of machinery and equipment.....farms.....	92 627	73 001	1 978	7 098	11 192	19 321	20 899	12 513
.....\$1,000.....	3 133 887	2 791 271	58 747	300 666	528 074	844 530	743 820	315 433
Farms by value group:								
\$1 to \$4,999.....farms.....	7 635	4 147	230	342	333	621	1 069	1 552
.....\$1,000.....	22 874	12 421	662	973	991	1 902	3 278	4 615
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....farms.....	9 801	5 593	200	397	534	954	1 778	1 080
.....\$1,000.....	68 448	39 215	1 415	2 809	3 827	6 689	12 035	12 439
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....farms.....	16 594	11 191	429	875	1 198	2 349	3 440	2 900
.....\$1,000.....	231 582	157 686	6 197	12 548	16 736	33 088	48 407	40 710
\$20,000 to \$49,999.....farms.....	38 460	32 821	793	3 213	4 945	8 950	10 003	4 917
.....\$1,000.....	1 235 430	1 071 103	24 851	105 734	165 180	296 626	327 006	151 706
\$50,000 to \$99,999.....farms.....	15 856	15 102	257	1 791	3 128	5 072	3 774	1 080
.....\$1,000.....	1 020 695	973 694	16 428	116 425	203 854	328 382	240 312	68 294
\$100,000 and over.....farms.....	4 281	4 147	69	480	1 054	1 375	883	286
.....\$1,000.....	554 858	537 152	9 193	62 177	137 486	177 844	112 783	37 668

¹Applies only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

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Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over	Other occupation						
	Total	Age of farm operator					65 years and over
		Under 25 years	25 to 34 years	35 to 44 years	45 to 54 years	55 to 64 years	
Family Off-Farm Income¹							
Family off-farm income.....farms..	19 080	601	3 247	4 760	5 295	3 801	1 376
.....\$1,000..	257 746	5 696	39 237	66 606	76 709	52 772	16 725
Farms by family off-farm income:							
\$1 to \$249.....farms..	121	12	17	25	28	24	15
.....\$1,000..	89	8	16	23	10	23	9
\$250 to \$499.....farms..	168	13	24	39	47	24	21
.....\$1,000..	1 721	102	302	334	380	354	249
\$500 to \$999.....farms..	4 418	177	847	977	1 095	907	415
.....\$1,000..	9 784	253	1 741	2 564	2 804	1 899	523
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....farms..	2 037	33	246	619	645	404	90
.....\$1,000..	742	3	54	179	286	166	54
\$20,000 to \$29,999.....farms..							
.....\$1,000..							
\$30,000 and over.....farms..							
.....\$1,000..							
Family off-farm income from --							
Nonfarm-related business.....farms..	4 042	102	651	986	1 186	843	274
.....\$1,000..	51 656	787	6 895	13 120	16 919	10 763	3 173
Wages, salaries, commissions, and tips.....farms..	15 375	517	2 695	3 924	4 324	3 056	859
.....\$1,000..	188 052	4 722	30 840	50 720	55 548	37 169	9 052
Interest, dividends, or royalties.....farms..	6 594	172	957	1 509	1 899	1 526	531
.....\$1,000..	10 115	104	755	1 504	2 432	3 071	2 250
Federal Social Security, pensions, etc.....farms..	1 679	27	184	275	322	353	518
.....\$1,000..	4 463	36	358	562	772	911	1 824
Rent of nonfarm property.....farms..	1 199	31	98	241	384	304	141
.....\$1,000..	3 459	47	389	700	1 039	859	425
Selected Machinery and Equipment							
Automobiles.....farms..	16 158	458	2 591	3 915	4 505	3 250	1 439
.....number..	21 893	548	3 060	5 389	6 698	4 387	1 811
2 or 3.....farms..	4 431	66	403	1 158	1 615	890	299
.....number..	9 556	147	843	2 504	3 527	1 901	634
4 and over.....farms..	178	3	9	39	80	38	9
.....number..	788	12	38	167	361	164	46
Motortrucks, including pickups.....farms..	16 192	434	2 709	4 013	4 476	3 210	1 350
.....number..	21 008	539	3 409	5 169	5 960	4 162	1 769
2 or 3.....farms..	3 700	89	564	898	1 103	744	302
.....number..	7 976	191	1 186	1 939	2 391	1 611	658
4 and over.....farms..	153	1	21	33	57	23	18
.....number..	693	4	99	148	253	108	81
Tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers.....farms..	17 652	434	2 772	4 306	4 970	3 650	1 520
.....number..	39 192	846	5 628	9 473	11 747	8 207	3 291
2 or 3.....farms..	10 766	246	1 569	2 626	3 142	2 280	903
.....number..	25 247	544	3 623	6 193	7 451	5 364	2 072
4 and over.....farms..	2 044	35	223	474	712	434	166
.....number..	9 103	149	1 025	2 074	3 180	1 907	768
Wheel tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers.....farms..	17 616	431	2 766	4 294	4 968	3 641	1 516
.....number..	38 427	831	5 520	9 271	11 518	8 070	3 217
Crawler tractors.....farms..	695	9	97	185	207	128	69
.....number..	765	15	108	202	229	137	74
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled.....farms..	5 547	114	857	1 429	1 761	1 017	369
.....number..	5 921	120	918	1 506	1 894	1 064	419
Cornpickers, corn heads, and pickers.....farms..	7 925	161	1 225	2 047	2 388	1 502	602
.....number..	9 489	196	1 521	2 433	2 868	1 755	716
Corn heads for combines.....farms..	4 328	95	679	1 171	1 366	732	285
.....number..	4 533	96	725	1 208	1 450	750	324
Other cornpickers and pickers.....farms..	4 741	90	738	1 190	1 385	955	383
.....number..	4 956	100	796	1 225	1 438	1 005	392
Mower conditioners.....farms..	2 549	46	324	634	749	563	233
.....number..	2 753	49	338	687	812	618	249
Pickup balers.....farms..	3 975	58	513	1 026	1 235	873	270
.....number..	4 105	59	528	1 072	1 271	902	273
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled.....farms..	984	20	145	228	277	233	81
.....number..	1 002	20	148	230	283	240	81
Field forage harvesters, shear bar.....farms..	984	28	130	228	282	243	73
.....number..	1 048	28	138	244	306	256	76
Value of Machinery and Equipment							
Estimated market value of machinery and equipment.....farms..	19 626	587	3 213	4 724	5 390	3 973	1 739
.....\$1,000..	342 617	8 791	50 022	81 646	102 674	70 121	29 362
Farms by value group:							
\$1 to \$4,999.....farms..	3 488	150	663	781	851	689	354
.....\$1,000..	10 453	396	2 027	2 341	2 542	2 089	1 058
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....farms..	4 208	115	783	1 008	1 109	808	385
.....\$1,000..	29 233	798	5 446	6 986	7 763	5 574	2 666
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....farms..	5 403	139	843	1 387	1 448	1 125	461
.....\$1,000..	73 895	1 834	11 425	18 925	19 993	15 331	6 388
\$20,000 to \$49,999.....farms..	5 639	174	794	1 347	1 684	1 171	469
.....\$1,000..	164 327	4 933	22 627	38 689	49 895	34 241	13 942
\$50,000 to \$99,999.....farms..	754	6	121	171	242	156	58
.....\$1,000..	47 002	381	7 361	10 583	15 207	9 752	3 717
\$100,000 and over.....farms..	134	3	9	30	56	24	12
.....\$1,000..	17 707	450	1 135	4 122	7 275	3 133	1 591

¹Applies only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 29. Summary by Age and Principal Occupation of Farm Operator: 1974—Continued

Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over

	Total farming and other occupations	Farming						
		Total	Age of farm operator					
			Under 25 years	25 to 34 years	35 to 44 years	45 to 54 years	55 to 64 years	65 years and over
Agricultural Chemicals								
Agricultural chemicals.....farms...	82 948	66 749	1 826	6 668	10 475	18 112	19 062	10 606
\$1,000.....	532 597	493 588	10 188	57 113	102 923	154 731	123 965	44 667
Commercial fertilizer.....farms...	79 097	64 142	1 760	6 485	10 180	17 578	18 268	9 871
acres on which used...	12 219 146	11 284 698	42 987	1 276 575	2 306 038	3 533 039	2 898 075	1 042 650
tons.....	2 253 366	2 095 047	228 321	244 904	436 355	655 557	529 314	185 929
\$1,000.....	398 417	368 735	7 710	42 482	76 004	115 468	93 122	33 948
Lime.....farms...	12 880	10 965	234	1 163	1 993	3 200	3 007	1 368
acres on which used...	771 691	702 598	12 383	81 748	147 227	217 559	176 155	67 526
tons.....	1 935 423	1 745 627	31 709	206 868	362 322	537 816	438 035	168 877
\$1,000.....	9 458	8 525	155	970	1 818	2 605	2 172	805
Sprays, dusts, fumigants, etc. to control—								
Insects on hay crops.....farms...	4 163	3 616	53	351	618	1 061	1 011	522
acres on which used...	94 613	86 361	1 296	8 947	16 350	27 038	21 759	10 971
\$1,000.....	535	489	7	49	85	152	133	63
Insects on other crops.....farms...	22 921	20 156	551	2 387	3 878	5 996	5 161	2 183
acres on which used...	4 291 760	4 069 968	82 722	494 318	915 249	1 298 699	953 150	325 830
\$1,000.....	24 064	22 619	467	2 675	4 917	7 027	5 491	2 042
Nematodes in crops.....farms...	314	260	3	27	43	66	81	40
acres on which used...	41 384	37 420	491	5 020	6 278	11 689	9 905	4 037
\$1,000.....	272	232	6	34	34	71	59	26
Diseases in crops and orchards.....farms...	696	575	9	52	89	169	161	95
acres on which used...	83 042	76 196	1 199	8 224	14 973	27 287	18 661	5 852
\$1,000.....	983	895	13	97	196	269	255	64
Weeds or grass in crops.....farms...	48 070	40 549	1 099	4 252	7 009	11 780	11 296	5 113
acres on which used...	11 463 072	10 750 874	209 724	1 238 492	2 321 426	3 474 853	2 669 590	836 789
\$1,000.....	89 961	84 178	1 639	9 988	18 630	26 966	20 374	6 583
Weeds or brush in pasture.....farms...	1 240	1 079	14	110	218	308	281	148
acres on which used...	26 211	24 257	342	2 622	5 626	6 472	5 928	3 267
\$1,000.....	144	131	1	15	27	32	35	20
Weeds on other land.....farms...	4 953	4 468	4	472	937	1 360	1 122	511
acres on which used...	38 434	35 990	423	3 955	9 170	10 636	7 848	3 958
\$1,000.....	289	269	4	26	74	78	58	29
Defoliation, growth of crops, or thinning of fruit.....farms...	566	459	14	63	81	142	98	61
acres on which used...	45 349	39 960	2 229	5 397	7 193	11 750	8 833	4 558
\$1,000.....	393	344	30	35	60	112	67	39
Insect control on livestock and poultry.....farms...	6 314	5 569	115	708	1 165	1 755	1 310	516
\$1,000.....	596	550	8	68	136	176	119	42
Other chemicals (see text).....farms...	10 522	8 128	206	765	1 152	2 067	2 442	1 496
\$1,000.....	7 484	6 621	147	672	941	1 774	2 079	1 007
Grain Storage Facilities on Farm								
Farms with grain storage facilities:								
None.....	16 729	10 660	570	1 079	1 323	2 311	3 003	2 374
Under 1,000 bushels.....	5 325	3 253	72	216	318	651	1 012	984
1,000 to 4,999 bushels.....	16 348	12 713	313	989	1 540	3 054	4 164	2 653
5,000 to 9,999 bushels.....	13 442	12 020	271	1 103	1 891	3 379	3 645	1 731
10,000 to 24,999 bushels.....	15 287	14 424	270	1 538	2 715	4 682	3 931	1 288
25,000 to 49,999 bushels.....	5 298	5 166	50	639	1 194	1 716	1 185	382
50,000 bushels and over.....	1 689	1 645	21	192	447	564	306	115
Not reporting.....	22 753	15 900	500	1 567	2 033	3 510	4 407	3 883
Livestock								
Cattle and calves.....farms...	47 472	37 884	838	3 638	6 208	10 284	10 493	6 423
number.....	2 721 657	2 413 491	44 689	246 895	467 099	731 271	603 117	320 420
Cows and heifers that had calved.....farms...	38 385	30 840	621	2 939	5 060	8 318	8 562	5 340
number.....	1 044 968	907 174	17 096	94 333	166 686	266 356	235 492	127 211
Beef cows.....farms...	32 275	25 215	501	2 349	3 966	6 622	7 118	4 659
number.....	812 734	682 595	11 573	67 593	117 998	194 442	184 207	106 782
Milk cows.....farms...	8 817	7 810	150	766	1 467	2 331	2 029	1 067
number.....	232 234	224 579	5 223	26 740	48 688	71 914	51 285	20 429
Heifers and heifer calves that had not calved.....farms...	30 999	25 120	519	2 419	4 273	6 950	6 934	4 025
number.....	630 056	562 737	11 323	62 114	113 457	172 348	135 794	67 701
Beef heifers and heifer calves.....farms...	25 871	20 329	403	1 892	3 307	5 500	5 731	3 496
number.....	493 164	431 624	8 467	46 227	84 757	129 341	106 237	56 595
Heifers and heifer calves for milk cow replacement.....farms...	6 399	5 888	131	623	1 154	1 785	1 481	714
number.....	136 892	131 113	2 856	15 887	28 700	43 007	29 557	11 106
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves.....farms...	38 835	31 112	652	2 994	5 140	8 556	8 713	5 057
number.....	1 046 633	943 580	16 270	90 448	186 956	292 567	231 831	125 508
Cattle and calves sold.....farms...	46 135	37 407	800	3 589	6 116	10 151	10 373	6 378
number.....	1 661 330	1 505 244	25 511	152 493	298 064	446 675	365 178	217 323
\$1,000.....	528 648	488 542	8 032	47 185	100 042	148 545	116 402	68 337
Calves.....farms...	18 439	14 612	347	1 440	2 336	3 799	4 098	2 592
number.....	283 478	238 057	4 764	24 718	39 712	64 210	67 269	37 384
\$1,000.....	35 381	29 083	561	2 819	4 602	7 750	8 368	4 984
Cattle.....farms...	38 529	31 538	644	3 011	5 162	8 728	8 754	5 239
number.....	1 377 852	1 267 187	20 747	127 775	258 352	382 465	297 909	179 939
\$1,000.....	493 268	459 458	7 470	44 366	95 440	140 796	108 034	63 353
Fattened on grain and concentrates.....farms...	18 975	15 943	318	1 528	2 704	4 606	4 378	2 409
number.....	965 712	913 715	14 603	89 944	192 633	280 016	207 173	129 346
\$1,000.....	372 156	354 448	5 757	33 280	75 613	109 613	80 921	49 265
Hogs and pigs.....farms...	29 403	24 106	635	2 647	4 235	6 727	6 575	3 287
number.....	5 154 379	4 755 858	111 716	626 628	1 023 778	1 469 333	1 113 981	410 422
Used or to be used for breeding.....farms...	23 345	19 340	502	2 114	3 416	5 430	5 302	2 576
number.....	723 570	663 367	15 006	93 258	137 992	201 669	156 712	58 730
Other.....farms...	27 673	22 836	591	2 531	4 045	6 391	6 217	3 061
number.....	4 430 809	4 092 491	96 710	533 370	885 786	1 267 664	957 269	351 692

Table 29. Summary by Age and Principal Occupation of Farm Operator: 1974—Continued

Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over	Other occupation						
	Total	Age of farm operator					65 years and over
		Under 25 years	25 to 34 years	35 to 44 years	45 to 54 years	55 to 64 years	
Agricultural Chemicals							
Agricultural chemicals..... farms.....	16 199	469	2 649	3 957	4 529	3 243	1 352
.....\$1,000.....	39 009	914	5 802	9 481	12 203	7 306	3 303
Commercial fertilizer..... farms.....	14 955	436	2 463	3 708	4 223	2 929	1 196
.....acres on which used.....	934 448	22 814	134 893	223 496	301 756	174 265	77 224
.....tons.....	158 319	4 035	22 789	38 742	49 981	29 477	13 296
.....\$1,000.....	29 682	723	4 462	7 259	9 226	5 535	2 477
Lime..... farms.....	1 915	38	288	499	562	391	137
.....acres on which used.....	69 093	1 331	10 779	15 496	21 253	14 694	5 540
.....tons.....	189 796	3 168	30 353	43 730	59 012	39 411	14 122
.....\$1,000.....	933	17	146	219	287	194	70
Sprays, dusts, fumigants, etc. to control—							
Insects on hay crops..... farms.....	547	4	65	151	149	131	47
.....acres on which used.....	8 252	84	842	2 018	2 189	2 367	752
.....\$1,000.....	47	(Z)	4	12	14	12	5
Insects on other crops..... farms.....	2 765	82	470	680	774	550	209
.....acres on which used.....	221 792	4 765	31 228	50 841	72 691	40 266	22 001
.....\$1,000.....	1 445	29	200	340	447	258	172
Nematodes in crops..... farms.....	54	—	16	14	10	9	5
.....acres on which used.....	3 964	—	1 544	731	716	709	264
.....\$1,000.....	40	—	26	5	3	5	1
Diseases in crops and orchards..... farms.....	121	3	16	32	35	23	12
.....acres on which used.....	6 846	169	823	966	2 143	1 780	965
.....\$1,000.....	89	2	8	21	33	16	9
Weeds or grass in crops..... farms.....	7 521	200	1 075	1 886	2 292	1 506	562
.....acres on which used.....	712 198	15 336	93 970	175 237	242 677	131 005	53 973
.....\$1,000.....	5 782	125	790	1 404	1 930	1 065	469
Weeds or brush in pasture..... farms.....	161	1	25	36	52	30	17
.....acres on which used.....	1 954	4	423	411	644	287	185
.....\$1,000.....	13	(Z)	4	2	3	3	1
Weeds on other land..... farms.....	485	9	62	127	157	97	33
.....acres on which used.....	2 444	66	321	640	765	485	167
.....\$1,000.....	20	(Z)	4	4	6	3	2
Defoliation, growth of crops, or thinning of fruit..... farms.....	107	2	18	28	31	18	10
.....acres on which used.....	5 389	34	784	2 498	1 144	555	374
.....\$1,000.....	48	1	9	19	8	6	6
Insect control on livestock and poultry..... farms.....	745	17	127	213	225	132	31
.....\$1,000.....	47	1	7	11	16	9	3
Other chemicals (see text)..... farms.....	2 394	79	479	560	582	482	212
.....\$1,000.....	863	16	142	185	230	201	90
Grain Storage Facilities on Farm							
Farms with grain storage facilities:							
None.....	6 069	227	929	1 419	1 580	1 283	631
Under 1,000 bushels.....	2 072	48	299	508	612	413	192
1,000 to 4,999 bushels.....	3 635	55	467	912	1 121	794	286
5,000 to 9,999 bushels.....	1 422	28	207	346	451	275	115
10,000 to 24,999 bushels.....	863	16	95	201	317	164	70
25,000 to 49,999 bushels.....	132	—	17	33	44	26	12
50,000 bushels and over.....	44	—	2	4	24	6	8
Not reporting.....	6 853	304	1 419	1 604	1 540	1 327	659
Livestock							
Cattle and calves..... farms.....	9 588	221	1 553	2 392	2 678	1 935	809
.....number.....	308 166	5 590	40 503	71 982	91 857	70 937	27 297
Cows and heifers that had calved..... farms.....	7 545	162	1 135	1 875	2 145	1 547	681
.....number.....	137 794	2 520	16 592	32 975	40 082	32 607	13 018
Beef cows..... farms.....	7 060	152	1 065	1 757	1 991	1 450	645
.....number.....	130 139	2 389	15 741	31 539	37 668	30 649	12 153
Milk cows..... farms.....	1 007	13	140	303	290	174	87
.....number.....	7 655	131	851	1 436	2 414	1 958	865
Heifers and heifer calves that had not calved..... farms.....	5 879	137	909	1 430	1 707	1 218	478
.....number.....	67 319	1 291	9 139	15 030	20 780	15 388	5 691
Beef heifers and heifer calves..... farms.....	5 542	127	869	1 352	1 614	1 128	452
.....number.....	61 540	1 182	8 468	13 913	19 251	13 754	4 972
Heifers and heifer calves for milk cow replacement..... farms.....	511	13	64	120	141	133	40
.....number.....	5 779	109	671	1 117	1 529	1 634	719
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves..... farms.....	7 723	174	1 213	1 889	2 233	1 584	630
.....number.....	103 053	1 779	14 772	23 977	30 995	22 942	8 588
Cattle and calves sold..... farms.....	8 728	170	1 340	2 134	2 467	1 840	777
.....number.....	156 086	2 461	19 849	35 829	44 276	38 242	15 429
.....\$1,000.....	40 107	603	5 152	9 135	11 778	9 369	4 069
Calves..... farms.....	3 827	66	584	980	1 047	810	340
.....number.....	45 421	949	6 028	11 935	12 616	10 120	3 773
.....\$1,000.....	6 297	141	841	1 626	1 798	1 377	515
Cattle..... farms.....	6 991	138	1 049	1 700	1 981	1 478	645
.....number.....	110 665	1 512	13 821	23 894	31 660	28 122	11 656
.....\$1,000.....	33 810	463	4 311	7 510	9 981	7 992	3 554
Fattened on grain and concentrates..... farms.....	3 032	76	477	752	875	605	247
.....number.....	51 997	1 003	7 072	11 208	16 409	10 630	5 675
.....\$1,000.....	17 708	346	2 453	3 802	5 787	3 438	1 882
Hogs and pigs..... farms.....	5 297	190	1 011	1 481	1 337	902	376
.....number.....	398 521	14 920	83 753	112 259	102 126	60 578	24 885
Used or to be used for breeding..... farms.....	4 005	152	764	1 113	988	694	294
.....number.....	60 203	2 691	12 107	16 781	15 227	9 562	3 835
Other..... farms.....	4 837	183	924	1 352	1 231	814	333
.....number.....	338 318	12 229	71 646	95 478	86 899	51 016	21 050

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Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over

	Total farming and other occupations	Farming							
		Total	Age of farm operator					65 years and over	
			Under 25 years	25 to 34 years	35 to 44 years	45 to 54 years	55 to 64 years		
Livestock—Continued									
Hogs and pigs sold									
farms	32 809	26 844	722	2 926	4 624	7 451	7 342	3 779	
number	8 739 745	7 997 260	175 190	1 021 353	1 684 182	2 469 813	1 939 931	706 791	
\$1,000	628 867	582 981	12 058	71 263	122 261	183 235	143 373	50 790	
Feeder pigs									
farms	5 855	3 961	158	486	643	954	1 099	621	
number	939 231	737 607	21 847	126 867	152 847	184 354	179 849	71 843	
\$1,000	21 927	17 335	510	2 999	3 628	4 449	4 071	1 678	
Litters of pigs farrowed between—									
December 1 of preceding year and									
November 30	farms	26 037	21 339	561	2 292	3 715	5 945	5 872	2 954
number	1 062 577	972 977	21 602	125 020	208 775	299 150	234 602	83 828	
December 1 and May 31	farms	23 933	19 776	524	2 105	3 480	5 545	5 433	2 689
number	563 316	515 340	11 015	64 281	108 594	158 771	125 831	46 848	
June 1 and November 30	farms	21 391	17 665	493	1 984	3 240	5 001	4 738	2 209
number	499 261	457 637	10 587	60 739	100 181	140 379	108 771	36 980	
Sheep and lambs of all ages	farms	6 201	4 976	101	412	742	1 367	1 405	949
number	186 591	156 904	3 157	15 725	21 562	43 331	43 875	29 254	
Lambs under 1 year old	farms	4 197	3 374	76	314	494	893	934	663
number	63 665	54 342	1 167	5 838	7 010	13 613	15 644	11 070	
Ewes 1 year old or older	farms	5 995	4 833	95	399	712	1 331	1 370	926
number	112 874	94 250	1 838	9 165	13 482	27 142	26 234	16 389	
Rams and wethers 1 year old or older	farms	4 617	3 702	70	303	562	1 047	1 023	697
number	10 052	8 312	152	722	1 070	2 576	1 997	1 795	
Sheep and lambs sold	farms	5 991	4 839	89	428	708	1 336	1 371	907
number	162 386	135 776	2 293	12 956	17 090	37 632	39 494	26 311	
Sheep and lambs shorn	farms	5 461	4 479	73	345	666	1 276	1 288	831
number	149 328	125 366	2 429	11 525	16 280	35 384	35 631	24 117	
pounds of wool	1 099 382	926 125	15 503	83 881	123 553	269 016	259 101	175 071	
Horses and ponies	farms	7 980	5 107	105	610	1 050	1 394	1 232	716
number	37 314	22 355	366	2 407	4 132	6 092	5 752	3 606	
Sold	farms	1 209	659	13	89	127	161	182	87
number	6 121	3 303	57	250	372	1 186	1 046	392	
\$1,000	3 763	1 887	65	162	350	587	564	160	
Horses	farms	6 537	4 088	90	510	814	1 106	988	580
number	29 509	16 990	299	2 030	3 209	4 499	4 330	2 623	
Sold	farms	1 056	563	9	83	108	131	161	71
number	5 210	2 760	43	219	319	1 023	874	282	
\$1,000	3 692	1 846	64	159	346	571	550	156	
Any goats	farms	183	117	5	17	32	24	23	16
number	1 075	726	18	88	345	69	123	83	
Sold	farms	65	43	1	6	12	6	10	8
number	2 978	2 734	7	24	2 541	20	90	52	
\$1,000	63	56	(2)	1	52	(2)	1	1	
Poultry									
Chickens 3 months old or older	farms	9 670	7 620	112	459	952	1 898	2 352	1 847
number	5 441 285	4 691 725	10 608	288 243	1 133 985	1 588 751	1 178 839	491 299	
Sold	farms	2 750	2 376	31	134	260	627	764	560
number	5 249 486	4 506 459	15 174	254 607	1 004 079	1 658 253	1 192 927	381 419	
Hens and pullets of laying age	farms	9 510	7 508	110	448	932	1 870	2 317	1 831
number	4 897 753	4 281 842	10 308	264 274	965 048	1 536 361	1 075 373	430 478	
Kept for table or market egg production	farms	9 387	7 409	108	441	922	1 845	2 288	1 805
number	4 731 957	4 136 874	10 087	243 630	952 469	1 510 731	1 019 509	400 448	
Kept for hatching egg production	farms	334	246	4	17	29	55	66	75
number	165 796	144 968	221	20 644	12 579	25 630	55 864	30 030	
Pullets 3 months old or older not of laying age	farms	324	239	5	39	66	66	67	44
number	511 510	385 103	196	20 883	165 612	47 667	94 804	55 941	
Roosters and male chickens	farms	2 142	1 451	29	118	223	355	389	337
number	32 022	24 780	104	3 086	3 325	4 723	8 662	4 880	
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	farms	138	105	1	7	20	16	35	26
number	494 258	386 320	7 000	779	140 739	84 832	125 365	27 605	
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold	farms	362	267	7	33	62	75	60	30
number	175 616	134 323	700	4 431	9 841	20 357	95 159	3 835	
Turkeys	farms	192	123	—	10	30	36	27	20
number	39 486	38 476	—	5 851	4 162	13 774	14 284	405	
Sold	farms	70	55	—	7	8	20	12	8
number	256 238	249 089	—	55 820	37 542	44 152	77 174	34 401	
Heavy breeds for slaughter	farms	105	74	—	2	22	20	17	13
number	32 728	32 232	—	28	4 097	13 606	14 138	363	
Sold	farms	58	47	—	6	8	16	10	7
number	245 037	238 104	—	50 020	37 542	39 102	77 120	34 320	
Light breeds for slaughter	farms	35	20	—	2	2	8	4	4
number	618	261	—	9	30	102	113	7	
Sold	farms	13	7	—	—	—	5	1	1
number	5 391	5 175	—	—	—	5 050	50	75	
Turkey hens kept for breeding	farms	96	60	—	7	11	17	13	12
number	6 140	5 983	—	5 814	35	66	33	35	
Sold	farms	4	4	—	2	—	—	1	1
number	5 810	5 810	—	5 800	—	—	4	6	
Crops Harvested									
Field corn for all purposes	farms	79 848	66 308	1 752	6 683	10 483	18 094	18 961	10 335
acres	9 738 834	9 055 186	190 421	1 016 236	1 813 043	2 806 720	2 335 374	893 392	
Commercial fertilizer used	farms	66 928	56 291	1 561	5 990	9 371	15 868	15 829	7 672
acres	8 790 344	8 212 189	173 707	948 799	1 695 641	2 582 688	2 074 696	736 658	
Field corn for grain or seed	farms	78 766	65 533	1 735	6 612	10 377	17 903	18 738	10 168
acres	9 371 877	8 712 094	184 339	978 939	1 737 256	2 697 681	2 256 115	857 764	
bushels	758 636 409	710 646 629	15 126 711	80 863 023	144 019 351	220 046 220	182 002 790	68 588 534	
Irrigated	farms	181	165	4	21	44	50	37	9
acres	17 577	16 661	168	2 225	4 977	4 778	3 911	602	

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Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over	Other occupation						
	Total	Age of farm operator					
		Under 25 years	25 to 34 years	35 to 44 years	45 to 54 years	55 to 64 years	65 years and over
Livestock—Continued							
Hogs and pigs sold	farms... 5 965	233	1 141	1 656	1 465	1 027	443
	number... 742 485	24 907	153 767	211 852	183 830	121 521	46 608
	\$1,000... 45 886	1 524	9 136	12 956	11 230	8 080	2 960
Feeder pigs	farms... 1 894	97	419	562	444	264	108
	number... 201 624	8 604	49 547	61 805	49 418	22 574	9 676
	\$1,000... 4 592	191	1 142	1 394	1 123	528	214
Litters of pigs farrowed between—							
December 1 of preceding year and							
November 30	farms... 4 698	188	904	1 319	1 143	796	348
	number... 89 600	3 596	19 103	25 954	21 932	13 732	5 283
December 1 and May 31	farms... 4 157	169	805	1 158	1 012	708	305
	number... 47 976	1 921	9 921	13 652	11 758	7 806	2 918
June 1 and November 30	farms... 3 726	151	725	1 087	897	609	257
	number... 41 624	1 675	9 182	12 302	10 174	5 926	2 365
Sheep and lambs of all ages	farms... 1 225	15	185	339	359	239	88
	number... 29 687	217	4 200	8 526	8 205	5 822	2 717
Lambs under 1 year old	farms... 823	10	138	228	223	162	62
	number... 9 323	66	1 139	2 643	2 457	1 834	1 184
Ewes 1 year old or older	farms... 1 162	13	177	322	338	225	87
	number... 18 624	140	2 815	5 435	5 272	3 609	1 353
Rams and wethers 1 year old or older	farms... 915	10	127	255	286	176	61
	number... 1 740	11	246	448	476	379	180
Sheep and lambs sold	farms... 1 152	13	184	308	334	227	86
	number... 26 610	184	3 462	6 351	7 116	4 324	5 173
Sheep and lambs shorn	farms... 982	8	129	259	311	196	79
	number... 23 962	98	3 309	6 217	6 594	4 358	3 386
	pounds of wool... 173 257	693	27 364	45 737	50 613	29 454	19 396
Horses and ponies	farms... 2 873	69	551	875	733	476	169
	number... 14 959	271	2 297	3 712	3 848	3 093	1 738
Sold	farms... 550	10	119	163	104	115	39
	number... 2 818	19	613	677	519	645	345
	\$1,000... 1 876	6	266	333	420	562	289
Horses	farms... 2 449	61	481	752	624	392	139
	number... 12 519	218	2 031	3 176	3 250	2 425	1 419
Sold	farms... 493	10	110	148	95	94	36
	number... 2 450	18	562	611	471	559	229
	\$1,000... 1 846	6	261	325	413	554	287
Any goats	farms... 66	—	19	16	18	11	2
	number... 349	—	113	33	94	87	22
Sold	farms... 22	—	6	6	7	3	—
	number... 244	—	33	39	27	145	—
	\$1,000... 7	—	2	1	1	4	—
Poultry							
Chickens 3 months old or older	farms... 2 050	39	300	571	563	374	203
	number... 749 560	997	96 529	133 386	282 877	180 602	55 169
Sold	farms... 374	6	53	89	98	85	43
	number... 743 227	390	79 198	142 105	329 762	138 459	53 313
Hens and pullets of laying age	farms... 2 002	37	296	554	549	363	203
	number... 615 911	764	92 809	106 343	219 827	142 080	54 088
Kept for table or market egg production	farms... 1 978	37	291	548	542	360	200
	number... 595 083	764	91 928	98 758	219 128	134 406	50 099
Kept for hatching egg production	farms... 88	—	21	22	18	15	12
	number... 20 828	—	881	7 585	699	7 674	3 989
Pullets 3 months old or older not of laying age	farms... 85	4	17	18	24	12	10
	number... 126 407	208	3 083	24 257	61 080	37 338	441
Roosters and male chickens	farms... 691	16	128	217	193	91	46
	number... 7 242	25	637	2 786	1 970	1 184	640
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	farms... 33	—	8	7	13	3	2
	number... 107 938	—	18 136	284	79 123	195	10 200
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold	farms... 95	3	19	32	21	13	7
	number... 41 293	2 259	2 082	14 252	20 275	1 310	1 115
Turkeys	farms... 69	—	16	25	18	5	5
	number... 1 010	—	151	583	244	19	13
Sold	farms... 15	—	—	7	6	2	—
	number... 7 149	—	—	466	2 672	4 011	—
Heavy breeds for slaughter	farms... 31	—	4	16	9	1	1
	number... 496	—	34	293	158	10	1
Sold	farms... 11	—	—	3	6	2	—
	number... 6 933	—	—	250	2 672	4 011	—
Light breeds for slaughter	farms... 15	—	4	8	1	—	2
	number... 357	—	61	266	26	—	4
Sold	farms... 6	—	—	6	—	—	—
	number... 216	—	—	216	—	—	—
Turkey hens kept for breeding	farms... 36	—	11	7	11	4	3
	number... 157	—	56	24	60	9	8
Sold	farms... —	—	—	—	—	—	—
	number... —	—	—	—	—	—	—
Crops Harvested							
Field corn for all purposes	farms... 13 540	404	2 250	3 336	3 783	2 611	1 156
	acres... 683 648	17 596	101 318	160 012	216 097	126 993	61 632
Commercial fertilizer used	farms... 10 637	316	1 865	2 732	3 005	1 960	759
	acres... 578 155	14 735	88 558	138 574	186 348	102 206	47 734
Field corn for grain or seed	farms... 13 233	401	2 201	3 264	3 698	2 535	1 134
	acres... 659 783	17 223	98 251	154 588	208 551	121 048	59 722
Irrigated	bushels... 47 989 780	1 244 425	6 979 745	11 419 953	15 373 979	8 483 681	4 488 397
	farms... 16	—	—	7	3	2	4
	acres... 916	—	—	390	191	80	255

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		Total	Age of farm operator					
			Under 25 years	25 to 34 years	35 to 44 years	45 to 54 years	55 to 64 years	65 years and over
Crops Harvested—Continued								
Sorghums for all purposes	forms... 2 202	1 830	43	256	327	529	483	192
	acres... 91 706	81 797	1 798	12 356	14 826	26 328	20 219	6 270
Commercial fertilizer used	forms... 1 246	1 043	29	169	212	311	251	71
	acres... 59 113	53 580	1 391	8 835	11 025	17 076	11 849	3 404
Sorghums for grain or seed	forms... 1 648	1 379	26	199	252	411	364	127
	acres... 77 902	70 068	1 465	11 002	12 364	22 653	17 755	4 829
Irrigated	bushels... 3 497 383	3 152 646	77 143	505 596	514 661	928 447	860 424	266 375
	forms... 1	1	—	—	1	—	—	—
	acres... 20	20	—	—	20	—	—	—
Soybeans for beans	forms... 75 462	61 571	1 609	6 058	9 396	16 553	17 819	10 136
	acres... 8 193 110	7 478 439	150 901	792 559	1 441 738	2 292 326	2 033 974	766 941
	bushels... 202 475 101	186 539 311	3 724 257	19 746 649	36 285 358	57 309 313	50 474 874	18 998 860
Irrigated	forms... 125	111	1	10	32	38	22	8
	acres... 8 261	7 543	40	630	2 220	2 777	1 581	295
Commercial fertilizer used	forms... 16 584	13 307	353	1 414	2 193	3 676	3 809	1 862
	acres... 1 634 354	1 459 003	28 734	163 234	289 239	440 253	394 394	143 149
Peanuts for nuts	forms... —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	acres... —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	pounds... —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Irrigated	forms... —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	acres... —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Commercial fertilizer used	forms... —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	acres... —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wheat	forms... 36 895	30 126	671	2 836	4 771	8 251	8 635	4 962
	acres... 1 641 086	1 451 265	26 217	144 650	270 332	449 004	392 944	168 118
	bushels... 49 625 655	44 302 312	806 331	4 424 655	8 295 237	13 834 383	11 895 468	5 046 238
Irrigated	forms... 24	15	—	2	5	5	1	2
	acres... 699	542	—	120	90	115	25	192
Commercial fertilizer used	forms... 24 706	20 827	424	1 977	3 508	5 947	6 043	2 928
	acres... 1 233 269	1 111 227	17 498	110 211	217 814	352 014	301 092	112 598
Cotton	forms... 2	2	—	—	1	1	—	—
	acres... 575	575	—	—	500	75	—	—
	bales... 301	301	—	—	261	40	—	—
Irrigated	forms... —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	acres... —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Commercial fertilizer used	forms... 2	2	—	—	1	1	—	—
	acres... 575	575	—	—	500	75	—	—
Tobacco	forms... —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	acres... —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	pounds... —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Irrigated	forms... —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	acres... —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Commercial fertilizer used	forms... —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	acres... —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Irish potatoes	forms... 248	185	2	6	14	44	73	46
	acres... 1 545	1 363	1	352	60	472	391	87
	hundredweight... 218 058	208 171	140	55 109	13 414	85 553	42 435	11 520
Irrigated	forms... 14	12	—	1	2	5	3	1
	acres... 1 102	1 057	—	350	44	313	350	(2)
Commercial fertilizer used	forms... 78	63	1	2	6	24	16	14
	acres... 1 484	1 319	1	351	55	462	375	76
Hay	forms... 39 857	32 625	597	3 005	5 245	8 911	9 241	5 626
	acres... 1 130 922	981 599	17 705	97 859	176 840	288 163	259 682	141 350
	tons... 2 679 685	2 368 746	42 993	249 936	453 982	704 960	609 007	307 868
Commercial fertilizer used	forms... 4 062	3 451	67	432	735	1 021	818	378
	acres... 130 078	116 225	1 892	15 888	25 329	35 514	26 611	10 991
Alfalfa and alfalfa mixtures for hay or dehydrating	forms... 21 194	17 755	342	1 721	3 028	5 076	4 887	2 701
	acres... 506 889	451 409	8 513	46 064	85 187	135 888	116 850	58 907
	tons, dry... 1 432 188	1 292 608	25 630	137 933	256 802	391 254	326 125	154 864
Irrigated	forms... 14	11	—	—	4	6	1	—
	acres... 363	350	—	—	58	242	50	—
Clover, timothy, and mixtures of clover and grasses for hay	forms... 19 866	15 924	265	1 391	2 339	4 174	4 640	3 115
	acres... 469 961	391 437	6 159	35 548	62 440	108 720	110 872	67 698
	tons, dry... 954 910	807 202	11 965	80 721	137 266	227 483	222 569	127 198
Irrigated	forms... 3	3	—	1	—	2	—	—
	acres... 55	55	—	20	—	35	—	—
Field seeds	forms... 2 851	2 475	37	198	348	642	738	512
	acres... 54 934	49 420	513	4 070	7 123	14 225	15 134	8 355
Irrigated	forms... 5	1	—	—	—	—	—	1
	acres... 174	63	—	—	—	—	—	63
Commercial fertilizer used	forms... 37	27	—	4	5	8	4	6
	acres... 1 626	1 436	—	185	88	576	510	77
Vegetables	forms... 2 010	1 676	46	154	300	470	482	224
	acres... 84 802	76 983	1 630	5 819	14 426	22 847	23 209	9 053
Irrigated	forms... 135	126	1	10	36	38	28	13
	acres... 8 177	8 036	80	469	2 496	3 078	1 356	558
Commercial fertilizer used	forms... 1 121	946	28	90	186	281	250	111
	acres... 55 131	50 574	905	3 826	9 525	15 766	14 398	6 155
Berries	forms... 178	114	2	4	10	27	48	23
	acres... 640	476	11	32	36	145	167	84
Irrigated	forms... 21	17	—	1	3	6	5	2
	acres... 129	118	—	2	25	37	29	25
Commercial fertilizer used	forms... 56	37	—	1	4	12	15	5
	acres... 305	219	—	2	34	68	78	38
Land in orchards	forms... 465	303	4	30	39	59	99	72
	acres... 10 917	8 549	87	520	1 132	2 643	3 112	1 056
Irrigated	forms... 9	9	—	2	2	4	1	—
	acres... 284	284	—	6	3	175	100	—
Commercial fertilizer used	forms... 134	100	1	5	12	25	38	19
	acres... 6 403	5 562	40	223	855	2 007	2 005	433

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Crops Harvested—Continued							
Sorghums for all purposes ----- farms...	372	5	81	104	70	77	35
acres...	9 909	68	1 864	2 370	2 757	1 846	1 004
Commercial fertilizer used ----- farms...	203	4	44	48	43	50	14
acres...	5 533	58	929	1 178	1 769	920	679
Sorghums for grain or seed ----- farms...	269	5	53	77	50	57	27
acres...	7 834	68	1 447	1 955	2 083	1 572	709
bushels...	344 737	4 437	61 128	81 752	87 110	68 396	41 914
Irrigated ----- farms...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
acres...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Soybeans for beans ----- farms...	13 891	412	2 279	3 310	3 881	2 786	1 223
acres...	714 671	19 550	106 068	166 542	229 705	133 314	59 492
bushels...	15 935 790	409 998	2 303 340	3 709 279	5 212 802	2 954 694	1 345 677
Irrigated ----- farms...	14	-	3	5	3	2	1
acres...	718	-	210	256	34	140	78
Commercial fertilizer used ----- farms...	3 277	74	493	792	963	651	304
acres...	175 351	4 698	23 571	39 939	58 814	32 688	15 641
Peanuts for nuts ----- farms...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
acres...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
pounds...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Irrigated ----- farms...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
acres...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Commercial fertilizer used ----- farms...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
acres...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wheat ----- farms...	6 769	187	1 072	1 608	1 979	1 379	544
acres...	189 821	5 208	28 053	46 283	57 641	39 090	13 546
bushels...	5 323 343	138 762	779 013	1 312 204	1 644 125	1 071 206	378 033
Irrigated ----- farms...	9	-	1	2	2	1	3
acres...	157	-	20	20	50	20	47
Commercial fertilizer used ----- farms...	3 879	83	537	948	1 195	822	294
acres...	122 042	2 277	15 719	30 979	39 503	25 464	8 100
Cotton ----- farms...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
acres...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
bales...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Irrigated ----- farms...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
acres...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Commercial fertilizer used ----- farms...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
acres...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tobacco ----- farms...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
acres...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
pounds...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Irrigated ----- farms...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
acres...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Commercial fertilizer used ----- farms...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
acres...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Irish potatoes ----- farms...	63	1	15	11	23	9	4
acres...	182	1	72	95	9	5	1
hundredweight...	9 887	90	6 223	2 622	606	288	58
Irrigated ----- farms...	2	-	1	-	-	-	-
acres...	45	-	45	(Z)	-	-	-
Commercial fertilizer used ----- farms...	15	-	2	8	2	2	1
acres...	165	-	69	93	2	(Z)	1
Hay ----- farms...	7 232	132	1 054	1 845	2 037	1 537	627
acres...	149 323	2 466	18 987	34 974	44 267	34 212	14 417
tons...	310 939	5 210	40 138	73 236	96 010	68 342	28 003
Commercial fertilizer used ----- farms...	611	4	89	189	165	121	43
acres...	13 853	44	1 938	3 708	3 508	3 347	1 308
Alfalfa and alfalfa mixtures for hay or dehydrating ----- farms...	3 439	72	481	930	970	729	257
acres...	55 480	1 162	6 909	14 192	16 781	12 150	4 286
tons, dry...	139 580	2 809	18 307	36 571	42 199	29 311	10 383
Irrigated ----- farms...	3	-	-	2	1	-	-
acres...	13	-	-	9	4	-	-
Clover, timothy, and mixtures of clover and grasses for hay ----- farms...	3 942	59	579	981	1 120	843	360
acres...	78 524	966	10 286	18 142	22 725	18 076	8 329
tons, dry...	147 708	1 999	18 890	32 302	46 131	33 172	15 214
Irrigated ----- farms...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
acres...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Field seeds ----- farms...	376	5	54	95	110	78	34
acres...	5 514	98	824	1 564	1 456	1 225	347
Irrigated ----- farms...	4	-	-	-	2	2	-
acres...	111	-	-	-	99	99	-
Commercial fertilizer used ----- farms...	10	-	4	2	1	2	1
acres...	190	-	50	9	75	26	30
Vegetables ----- farms...	334	4	24	91	102	85	28
acres...	7 819	129	599	1 594	2 313	2 647	538
Irrigated ----- farms...	9	-	1	4	1	2	1
acres...	141	-	1	100	10	2	28
Commercial fertilizer used ----- farms...	175	3	10	51	54	42	15
acres...	4 556	128	202	1 030	1 562	1 269	366
Berries ----- farms...	64	1	3	13	21	20	6
acres...	164	(Z)	17	31	27	71	17
Irrigated ----- farms...	4	-	-	-	1	2	1
acres...	11	-	-	-	1	4	6
Commercial fertilizer used ----- farms...	19	-	1	5	6	5	2
acres...	86	-	15	20	12	30	8
Land in orchards ----- farms...	162	2	19	44	51	35	11
acres...	2 368	34	214	584	804	357	375
Irrigated ----- farms...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
acres...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Commercial fertilizer used ----- farms...	34	1	2	11	8	10	2
acres...	841	30	35	217	348	177	35