

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.....	115 721	98 772	3 203	11 385	17 824	27 202	26 813	12 345
..... percent.....	100.0	85.4	2.8	9.8	15.4	23.5	23.2	10.7
Land in farms..... acres.....	31 627 376	29 475 347	718 633	3 577 117	6 376 366	8 960 667	7 273 048	2 569 516
Average size of farm..... acres.....	273	298	224	314	358	329	271	208
Value of land and buildings..... \$1,000.....	22 696 258	21 235 004	516 863	2 626 369	4 722 377	6 525 935	5 146 083	1 697 378
Average per farm..... dollars.....	196 129	214 990	161 368	230 687	264 945	239 904	191 925	137 495
Average per acre..... dollars.....	718	720	719	734	741	728	708	661
Farms by value of farm:								
\$1 to \$9,999.....	2 117	1 425	113	155	199	278	313	367
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	2 820	1 646	121	162	153	305	424	481
\$20,000 to \$39,999.....	8 482	5 056	238	445	520	955	1 434	1 464
\$40,000 to \$69,999.....	14 481	10 065	396	835	1 257	2 179	3 086	2 312
\$70,000 to \$99,999.....	13 503	10 886	387	1 113	1 505	2 694	3 401	1 786
\$100,000 to \$149,999.....	18 093	15 933	585	1 796	2 544	4 302	4 722	1 984
\$150,000 to \$199,999.....	14 832	13 730	430	1 652	2 412	3 876	3 968	1 392
\$200,000 to \$499,999.....	33 745	32 546	822	4 301	7 099	10 063	8 062	2 199
\$500,000 and over.....	7 648	7 485	111	926	2 135	2 550	1 403	360
Owned and rented land by farm operator:								
Land owned..... farms.....	91 638	77 374	1 227	6 737	13 892	22 200	22 708	10 610
..... acres.....	19 081 129	17 283 470	202 517	1 327 761	3 216 579	5 244 510	5 135 541	2 156 562
Land rented or leased from others..... farms.....	60 352	54 922	2 423	8 598	12 084	16 256	11 973	3 588
..... acres.....	14 284 705	13 659 302	541 855	2 355 282	3 349 058	4 056 542	2 594 025	762 540
Land rented or leased to others..... farms.....	12 599	10 055	221	730	1 251	2 257	3 032	2 564
..... acres.....	1 738 458	1 467 425	25 739	105 926	189 271	340 385	456 518	349 586
Land in Farms According to Use								
Total cropland..... farms.....	111 997	96 385	3 006	11 105	17 499	26 706	26 273	11 796
..... acres.....	26 285 408	24 666 927	622 540	3 013 413	5 387 600	7 533 524	6 057 062	2 052 788
Harvested cropland..... farms.....	110 344	95 429	2 972	11 022	17 387	26 534	26 045	11 469
..... acres.....	22 431 553	21 192 183	538 173	2 620 397	4 697 054	6 538 350	5 155 580	1 642 629
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 49 acres.....	12 673	6 600	261	448	653	1 187	1 859	2 192
50 to 99 acres.....	18 857	14 109	501	1 315	1 673	2 997	4 612	3 011
100 to 199 acres.....	34 917	31 835	1 163	3 589	5 025	8 637	9 654	3 767
200 to 499 acres.....	37 702	36 795	967	4 972	8 233	11 643	8 770	2 210
500 to 999 acres.....	5 635	5 555	71	646	1 632	1 888	1 052	266
1,000 acres and over.....	560	535	9	52	171	182	98	23
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	525	501	9	48	160	167	95	22
2,000 acres and over.....	35	34	-	4	11	15	3	1
Cropland:								
Pasture or grazing only..... farms.....	58 853	51 460	1 355	5 667	9 594	14 621	14 069	6 154
..... acres.....	3 335 928	3 016 947	72 503	336 972	599 055	871 349	781 752	355 316
Cover crops, legumes, and soil improvement grasses not harvested or pastured..... farms.....	5 714	4 796	152	619	923	1 239	1 270	593
..... acres.....	145 902	128 272	3 654	18 261	24 790	32 616	32 541	16 410
On which all crops failed..... farms.....	5 269	4 437	106	502	856	1 279	1 179	515
..... acres.....	164 050	146 226	2 635	18 697	31 746	42 541	34 960	15 647
In cultivated summer follow..... farms.....	867	730	22	80	120	172	231	105
..... acres.....	43 933	38 100	1 148	4 188	6 897	8 592	13 062	4 213
Idle..... farms.....	5 632	4 763	173	514	821	1 236	1 355	664
..... acres.....	164 042	145 199	4 427	14 898	28 058	40 076	39 167	18 573
Total woodland..... farms.....								
..... acres.....	24 814	20 569	508	2 444	3 798	5 664	5 543	2 612
Woodland pastured..... farms.....	1 339 626	1 156 551	23 480	144 463	228 970	330 259	294 024	135 355
..... acres.....	17 287	14 515	346	1 744	2 698	4 004	3 893	1 830
Woodland not pastured..... farms.....	918 541	802 407	15 808	99 148	160 044	232 772	201 752	92 883
..... acres.....	11 540	9 473	256	1 119	1 801	2 610	2 509	1 178
..... farms.....	421 085	354 144	7 672	45 315	68 926	97 487	92 272	42 472
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture..... farms.....								
..... acres.....	29 819	26 076	554	2 925	5 044	7 582	6 973	2 998
Improved pastureland and rangeland..... farms.....	1 975 848	1 797 890	29 725	213 152	379 012	543 574	438 604	193 823
..... acres.....	11 122	9 695	197	1 007	1 762	2 746	2 742	1 241
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland..... farms.....	679 536	617 564	10 299	68 495	117 041	186 115	161 084	74 530
..... acres.....	20 360	17 818	382	2 078	3 593	5 233	4 605	1 927
..... farms.....	1 296 312	1 180 326	19 426	144 657	261 971	357 459	277 520	119 293
..... acres.....	94 559	81 519	2 284	8 985	14 953	22 972	22 404	9 921
Other land (see text)..... farms.....	2 026 494	1 853 979	42 888	206 089	380 784	553 310	483 358	187 550
..... acres.....	80 545	69 938	1 787	7 874	13 096	19 810	18 955	8 416
Total pastureland..... farms.....	6 230 317	5 617 244	118 036	649 272	1 138 111	1 647 695	1 422 108	642 022
..... acres.....	296	268	10	35	48	78	71	26
Irrigated land..... farms.....	33 267	32 359	1 654	4 996	7 545	8 754	7 128	2 282
..... acres.....	294	266	10	35	47	78	71	25
Irrigated cropland harvested..... farms.....	32 965	32 057	1 654	4 986	7 465	8 754	6 918	2 280
..... acres.....	30 921	28 178	853	3 638	5 781	8 289	7 081	2 536
Artificial drainage..... farms.....	5 540 446	5 320 691	114 378	679 934	1 261 079	1 724 321	1 189 342	351 637
..... acres drained.....	17 993	15 312	398	1 771	2 867	4 310	4 043	1 923
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks..... farms.....	46 031	40 094	878	4 638	7 844	11 727	10 153	4 854
..... number.....	42 571	37 558	934	4 656	7 564	10 936	9 275	4 195
..... acres.....								
Race and Tenure of Farm Operator								
All farm operators.....	115 721	98 772	3 203	11 385	17 824	27 202	26 813	12 345
Full owners.....	55 518	43 969	781	2 801	5 758	10 981	14 868	8 780
Part owners.....	35 385	32 751	435	3 849	8 038	11 035	7 647	1 747
Tenants.....	24 818	22 052	1 987	4 735	4 028	5 186	4 298	1 818

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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
Farms and Land in Farms							
Farms..... number.....	16 949	702	3 081	4 545	4 436	2 962	1 223
..... percent.....	14.6	0.6	2.7	3.9	3.8	2.6	1.1
Land in farms..... acres.....	2 152 029	57 761	325 825	574 482	625 094	399 662	169 205
Average size of farm..... acres.....	127	82	106	126	141	135	138
Value of land and buildings..... \$1,000.....	1 461 254	44 431	233 542	398 220	420 641	255 327	109 093
Average per farm..... dollars.....	86 215	63 292	75 801	87 617	94 824	86 201	89 201
Average per acre..... dollars.....	679	769	717	693	673	639	645
Farms by value of farm:							
\$1 to \$9,999.....	692	88	138	131	146	113	76
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	1 174	100	249	249	245	210	121
\$20,000 to \$39,999.....	3 426	170	677	878	807	637	257
\$40,000 to \$69,999.....	4 416	167	832	1 245	1 141	729	302
\$70,000 to \$99,999.....	2 617	59	460	790	692	465	151
\$100,000 to \$149,999.....	2 160	53	379	580	646	372	130
\$150,000 to \$199,999.....	1 102	24	181	276	354	203	64
\$200,000 to \$499,999.....	1 199	36	151	356	350	200	106
\$500,000 and over.....	163	5	14	40	55	33	16
Owned and rented land by farm operator:							
Land owned..... farms.....	14 264	349	2 359	3 959	3 927	2 643	1 027
..... acres.....	1 797 659	22 819	222 552	453 242	543 990	385 723	169 333
Land rented or leased from others..... farms.....	5 430	410	1 293	1 528	1 216	675	308
..... acres.....	625 403	38 113	129 299	173 173	158 345	82 938	43 535
Land rented or leased to others..... farms.....	2 544	33	320	578	684	602	327
..... acres.....	271 033	3 171	26 026	51 933	77 241	68 999	43 663
Land in Farms According to Use							
Total cropland..... farms.....	15 612	556	2 785	4 205	4 199	2 768	1 099
..... acres.....	1 618 481	45 314	251 620	429 004	470 456	301 625	120 462
Harvested cropland..... farms.....	14 915	524	2 645	4 039	4 040	2 634	1 033
..... acres.....	1 239 370	37 211	196 587	328 177	363 378	223 431	90 586
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 49 acres.....	6 073	229	1 169	1 645	1 574	1 010	446
50 to 99 acres.....	4 748	188	798	1 306	1 237	913	306
100 to 199 acres.....	3 082	78	551	831	911	514	197
200 to 499 acres.....	907	28	119	238	272	173	77
500 to 999 acres.....	80	1	5	17	38	17	2
1,000 acres and over.....	25	-	3	2	8	7	5
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	24	-	3	2	8	7	4
2,000 acres and over.....	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
Cropland:							
Pasture or grazing only..... farms.....	7 393	180	1 321	2 066	1 996	1 328	502
..... acres.....	318 981	6 523	46 057	85 620	90 275	66 169	24 337
Cover crops, legumes, and soil improvement grasses not harvested or pastured..... farms.....	918	19	146	257	257	169	70
..... acres.....	17 630	343	2 635	4 336	5 514	3 122	1 680
On which all crops failed..... farms.....	832	18	122	237	241	153	61
..... acres.....	17 824	235	2 261	4 708	5 610	3 063	1 947
In cultivated summer fallow..... farms.....	137	5	24	35	45	19	9
..... acres.....	5 833	82	2 338	1 165	1 091	787	370
Idle..... farms.....	869	37	107	247	230	176	72
..... acres.....	18 843	920	1 742	4 998	4 588	5 053	1 542
Total woodland..... farms.....	4 245	95	728	1 217	1 154	764	287
..... acres.....	183 075	3 303	27 911	50 117	52 417	31 371	17 956
Woodland pastured..... farms.....	2 772	53	475	819	719	516	190
..... acres.....	116 134	1 936	19 126	32 357	31 688	19 997	11 030
Woodland not pastured..... farms.....	2 067	45	341	582	585	365	149
..... acres.....	66 941	1 367	8 785	17 760	20 729	11 374	6 926
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland							
pasture..... farms.....	3 743	90	583	1 099	1 052	658	261
..... acres.....	177 958	4 160	20 893	46 927	55 203	34 019	16 756
Improved pastureland and rangeland..... farms.....	1 427	38	218	388	400	270	113
..... acres.....	61 972	2 451	6 117	15 282	20 220	11 676	6 226
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland..... farms.....	2 542	55	398	765	727	431	166
..... acres.....	115 986	1 709	14 776	31 645	34 983	22 343	10 530
Other land (see text)..... farms.....	13 040	459	2 243	3 615	3 506	2 305	912
..... acres.....	172 515	4 984	25 401	48 434	47 018	32 647	14 031
Total pastureland..... farms.....	10 607	269	1 863	2 993	2 869	1 879	734
..... acres.....	613 073	12 619	86 076	164 904	177 166	120 185	52 123
Irrigated land..... farms.....	28	-	2	7	11	4	4
..... acres.....	908	-	4	251	404	141	108
Irrigated cropland harvested..... farms.....	28	-	2	7	11	4	4
..... acres.....	908	-	4	251	404	141	108
Artificial drainage..... farms.....	2 743	82	400	769	842	466	184
..... acres drained.....	219 755	4 975	28 048	57 705	75 368	39 104	14 555
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks..... farms.....	2 681	55	347	693	843	548	195
..... number.....	5 937	119	750	1 444	1 863	1 269	492
..... acres.....	5 013	79	574	1 256	1 623	1 071	410
Race and Tenure of Farm Operator							
All farm operators.....	16 949	702	3 081	4 545	4 436	2 962	1 223
Full owners.....	11 549	292	1 789	3 025	3 226	2 296	921
Part owners.....	2 634	55	552	908	683	338	98
Tenants.....	2 766	355	740	612	527	328	204

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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	115 551	98 635	3 198	11 358	17 787	27 166	26 792	12 334
Full owners.....	55 446	43 921	781	2 799	5 745	10 965	14 857	8 774
Part owners.....	35 335	32 707	435	3 842	8 025	11 021	7 641	1 743
Tenants.....	24 770	22 007	1 982	4 717	4 017	5 180	4 294	1 817
Black and other races ¹	170	137	5	27	37	36	21	11
Full owners.....	72	48	—	2	13	16	11	6
Part owners.....	50	44	—	7	13	14	6	4
Tenants.....	48	45	5	18	11	6	4	1
Farms by Type of Organization								
Individual or family.....	104 442	88 752	2 801	10 172	16 472	24 844	23 986	10 477
farms.....	27 700 773	25 764 248	610 735	3 131 388	5 791 858	7 982 433	6 250 363	1 997 471
acres.....	11 279	10 020	402	1 213	1 352	2 358	2 827	1 868
Partnership.....	3 926 603	3 711 099	107 898	445 729	584 508	978 234	1 022 685	572 045
farms.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
acres.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Corporation, including family owned.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
acres.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
acres.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Farm Credit								
Total operator farm debt.....	51 412	43 525	1 309	6 058	9 911	13 818	9 799	2 630
farms.....	2 440 043	2 238 980	43 494	327 136	642 318	756 629	384 106	85 297
\$1,000.....	37 798	31 626	504	3 595	7 492	10 718	7 472	1 845
farms.....	1 569 387	1 418 289	23 363	193 336	406 920	485 228	256 733	52 709
\$1,000.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Debts not secured by real estate.....	32 724	28 220	1 066	4 548	6 784	8 836	5 519	1 467
farms.....	870 656	820 691	20 132	133 799	235 398	271 401	127 373	32 588
\$1,000.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Farm Operator Characteristics¹								
Farm operators by age group:								
Under 25 years.....	3 905	3 203	3 203	—	—	—	—	—
25 to 34 years.....	14 466	11 385	—	11 385	—	—	—	—
35 to 44 years.....	22 369	17 824	—	—	17 824	—	—	—
45 to 54 years.....	31 638	27 202	—	—	—	27 202	—	—
55 to 64 years.....	29 775	26 813	—	—	—	—	26 813	—
65 years and over.....	13 568	12 345	—	—	—	—	—	12 345
Average age.....	49.3	50.0	21.9	29.9	39.8	49.6	59.2	71.0
Farm operators by place of residence:								
On farm operated.....	84 667	73 411	1 742	8 257	13 942	21 163	19 913	8 394
On another farm.....	5 618	4 977	822	1 089	780	1 051	817	418
In a rural area, not on a farm.....	1 045	635	65	127	101	134	135	73
In a city, town, or urban area.....	6 692	3 964	160	393	421	853	1 276	861
Farm operators by principal occupation:								
Farming.....	98 772	98 772	3 203	11 385	17 824	27 202	26 813	12 345
Other.....	16 949	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Farm operators reporting off-farm income—								
Greater than value of farm products sold.....	10 205	2 496	101	248	334	505	628	680
Less than value of farm products sold.....	57 975	50 179	1 870	6 378	9 399	14 175	12 627	5 730
Not reporting or none.....	47 541	46 097	1 232	4 759	8 091	12 522	13 558	5 935
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm.....								
1 to 49 days.....	32 543	17 761	1 194	2 947	3 657	5 092	3 787	1 084
50 to 99 days.....	9 446	612	612	1 466	1 878	2 626	2 020	583
100 to 149 days.....	2 770	2 600	196	416	522	746	575	145
150 to 199 days.....	2 135	1 775	103	305	364	546	361	96
200 days and over.....	2 430	1 213	94	197	255	375	231	61
Persons in household (other than farm operator) working off farm:	15 762	2 988	189	563	638	799	600	199
Farms reporting.....	17 602	13 326	423	1 481	2 780	4 748	3 077	817
Number of persons.....	20 683	15 611	452	1 532	3 433	5 820	3 452	922
By number of days worked:	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1 to 49 days.....	5 587	4 787	125	465	1 313	1 825	842	217
50 to 99 days.....	2 493	1 970	49	191	467	764	386	113
100 to 149 days.....	2 084	1 587	67	168	348	578	336	90
150 to 199 days.....	3 235	2 505	65	247	442	916	674	161
200 days and over.....	7 284	4 762	146	461	863	1 737	1 214	341
Farms by Size								
1 to 9 acres.....	3 246	1 969	195	239	263	423	457	392
10 to 49 acres.....	5 917	2 698	161	221	277	475	655	909
50 to 69 acres.....	2 451	1 329	64	95	110	251	359	450
70 to 99 acres.....	8 677	5 555	262	503	577	1 009	1 684	1 520
100 to 139 acres.....	9 622	7 226	329	653	907	1 467	2 336	1 534
140 to 179 acres.....	16 454	14 097	508	1 521	1 910	3 444	4 437	2 277
180 to 219 acres.....	9 923	8 854	293	982	1 352	2 352	2 793	1 082
220 to 259 acres.....	11 343	10 612	360	1 214	1 813	3 019	3 182	1 024
260 to 499 acres.....	34 348	33 024	813	4 256	6 994	10 253	8 300	2 408
500 to 999 acres.....	12 184	11 905	198	1 534	3 191	4 036	2 291	655
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	1 460	1 412	19	159	400	441	308	85
2,000 acres and over.....	96	91	1	8	30	32	11	9
Farms by Standard Industrial Classification (see text)								
Cash grain farms (011).....	54 794	46 619	1 722	5 063	7 670	12 387	13 495	6 282
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

	Total	Age of farm operator					
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All farm operators—Continued							
White ¹	16 916	702	3 076	4 532	4 428	2 957	1 221
Full owners	11 525	292	1 785	3 014	3 221	2 293	920
Part owners	2 628	55	552	907	680	336	98
Tenants	2 763	355	739	611	527	328	203
Black and other races ¹	33	—	5	13	8	5	2
Full owners	24	—	4	11	5	3	1
Part owners	6	—	—	1	3	2	—
Tenants	3	—	1	1	—	—	1

Farms by Type of Organization

	Total	Under 25 years	25 to 34 years	35 to 44 years	45 to 54 years	55 to 64 years	65 years and over
Individual or family	15 690	643	2 888	4 314	4 165	2 703	977
farms	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
acres	1 936 525	50 787	300 058	535 421	574 308	349 504	126 447
Partnership	1 259	59	193	231	271	259	246
farms	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
acres	215 504	6 974	25 767	39 061	50 786	50 158	42 758
Corporation, including family owned	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
acres	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
acres	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

Farm Credit

	Total	Under 25 years	25 to 34 years	35 to 44 years	45 to 54 years	55 to 64 years	65 years and over
Total operator farm debt	7 887	223	1 596	2 534	2 185	1 048	301
farms	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000	201 063	3 282	37 797	70 873	59 670	22 611	6 830
Debts secured by real estate	6 172	99	1 161	2 067	1 818	813	214
farms	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000	151 098	2 089	28 178	53 851	44 845	16 881	5 253
Debts not secured by real estate	4 504	173	1 005	1 499	1 145	532	150
farms	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000	49 965	1 193	9 619	17 021	14 825	5 730	1 576

Farm Operator Characteristics¹

Farm operators by age group:							
Under 25 years	702	702	—	—	—	—	—
25 to 34 years	3 081	—	3 081	—	—	—	—
35 to 44 years	4 545	—	—	4 545	—	—	—
45 to 54 years	4 436	—	—	—	4 436	—	—
55 to 64 years	2 962	—	—	—	—	2 962	—
65 years and over	1 223	—	—	—	—	—	1 223
Average age	45.4	21.4	30.2	39.5	49.5	58.9	71.5
Farm operators by place of residence:							
On farm operated	11 256	344	2 088	3 221	3 091	1 864	648
On another farm	641	152	185	105	81	77	41
In a rural area, not on a farm	410	27	120	112	82	49	20
In a city, town, or urban area	2 728	101	436	638	750	516	287
Farm operators by principal occupation:							
Farming	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other	16 949	702	3 081	4 545	4 436	2 962	1 223
Farm operators reporting off-farm income—							
Greater than value of farm products sold	7 709	244	1 432	2 228	2 058	1 346	401
Less than value of farm products sold	7 796	354	1 514	2 085	2 113	1 243	487
Not reporting or none	1 444	104	135	232	265	373	335
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm	14 782	573	2 885	4 233	4 056	2 439	596
1 to 49 days	261	23	37	47	51	50	53
50 to 99 days	170	25	16	24	33	39	33
100 to 149 days	360	28	53	41	94	86	58
150 to 199 days	1 217	72	191	295	353	253	53
200 days and over	12 774	425	2 588	3 826	3 525	2 011	399
Persons in household (other than farm operator) working off farm:							
Farms reporting	4 276	87	604	1 185	1 403	755	242
Number of persons	5 072	93	634	1 430	1 761	875	279
By number of days worked:							
1 to 49 days	800	15	122	264	255	105	39
50 to 99 days	523	7	71	158	195	62	30
100 to 149 days	497	8	72	151	172	76	18
150 to 199 days	730	18	74	190	275	124	49
200 days and over	2 522	45	295	667	864	508	143

Farms by Size

1 to 9 acres	1 277	161	348	301	222	143	102
10 to 49 acres	3 219	155	685	864	735	532	248
50 to 69 acres	1 122	46	192	289	313	212	70
70 to 99 acres	3 122	120	551	835	808	597	211
100 to 139 acres	2 396	71	416	693	633	408	175
140 to 179 acres	2 357	64	431	608	668	429	157
180 to 219 acres	1 069	36	160	285	315	191	82
220 to 259 acres	731	21	102	200	230	135	43
260 to 499 acres	1 324	23	157	402	393	246	103
500 to 999 acres	279	5	33	62	100	57	22
1,000 to 1,999 acres	48	—	6	6	18	10	8
2,000 acres and over	5	—	—	—	1	2	2

Farms by Standard Industrial Classification (see text)

Cash grain farms (011)	8 175	349	1 398	2 085	2 196	1 534	613
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	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 by Standard Industrial Classification (see text)—Con.								
Sugar crop, Irish potato, hay, peanut, and other field crop farms (0133, 0134, 0139)	662	455	14	47	58	99	126	111
Vegetable and melon farms (016)	73	55	1	8	11	11	18	6
Fruit and tree nut farms (017)	73	42	—	2	8	2	9	21
Horticultural specialty farms (018)	150	89	—	5	15	22	27	20
General farms, primarily crop (0191)	1 403	1 156	52	110	200	280	298	216
Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021)	48 945	41 487	1 168	4 923	7 881	11 704	10 797	5 014
Dairy farms (024)	6 573	6 201	165	932	1 404	1 902	1 377	421
Poultry and egg farms (025)	565	426	14	30	69	166	105	42
Animal specialty farms (027)	182	89	1	6	16	21	28	17
General farms, primarily livestock (0291)	2 200	2 091	61	256	485	598	515	176
Farms not classified by SIC	101	62	5	3	7	10	18	19
Value of Products Sold								
Market value of agricultural products sold	115 721	98 772	3 203	11 385	17 824	27 202	26 813	12 345
\$1,000	5 982 227	5 671 781	130 812	707 337	1 309 410	1 807 424	1 317 315	399 483
Farms by value of agricultural products sold:								
\$500,000 and over	322	315	3	30	77	141	54	10
\$200,000 to \$499,999	2 761	2 690	27	307	772	929	516	139
\$100,000 to \$199,999	10 536	10 350	141	1 389	2 845	3 512	2 000	463
\$40,000 to \$99,999	36 884	35 648	1 008	4 743	7 629	10 986	9 016	2 266
\$20,000 to \$39,999	28 669	25 668	1 004	2 897	3 904	6 713	8 018	3 132
\$10,000 to \$19,999	18 578	14 325	603	1 336	1 657	3 250	4 672	2 807
\$5,000 to \$9,999	10 949	6 403	278	462	665	1 108	1 716	2 174
\$2,500 to \$4,999	6 374	3 072	117	191	249	520	740	1 255
Under \$2,500 (see text)	648	301	22	30	26	43	81	99
Grain sold	94 970	82 964	2 707	9 571	15 079	23 104	22 817	9 686
\$1,000	2 628 802	2 479 985	63 926	296 911	536 474	758 207	629 976	194 491
Sales of \$40,000 and over	21 014	20 451	446	2 460	4 572	6 556	5 150	1 267
\$1,000	1 551 760	1 514 251	28 657	182 215	363 763	494 130	359 754	85 731
Tobacco sold	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sales of \$40,000 and over	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton and cottonseed sold	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sales of \$40,000 and over	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage sold	23 006	19 981	550	2 192	3 418	5 485	5 580	2 756
\$1,000	61 865	56 258	1 506	6 701	10 882	16 461	14 459	6 248
Sales of \$40,000 and over	55	54	—	7	8	21	13	5
\$1,000	3 646	(D)	—	523	415	1 456	998	(D)
Other field crops sold	690	639	28	81	110	196	160	64
\$1,000	5 009	4 777	182	523	811	2 002	956	303
Sales of \$40,000 and over	9	9	—	—	2	5	2	—
\$1,000	890	890	—	—	(D)	695	(D)	—
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons sold	354	286	6	26	54	79	79	42
\$1,000	3 248	2 990	63	395	975	621	639	298
Sales of \$40,000 and over	9	9	—	1	2	2	3	1
\$1,000	786	786	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	187	(D)
Fruit, nuts, and berries sold	184	107	2	9	20	13	24	39
\$1,000	1 388	1 018	17	140	306	106	187	262
Sales of \$40,000 and over	8	7	—	2	3	—	—	—
\$1,000	480	(D)	—	(D)	176	(D)	(D)	—
Poultry and poultry products sold	10 068	9 053	173	676	1 532	2 618	2 747	1 307
\$1,000	76 729	67 482	896	4 507	12 803	30 192	15 407	3 477
Sales of \$40,000 and over	506	430	8	33	81	192	94	22
\$1,000	62 252	54 447	515	3 745	10 683	25 989	11 538	1 977
Dairy products sold	14 145	13 451	329	1 775	3 051	4 126	3 110	1 060
\$1,000	240 027	234 372	5 793	36 915	62 089	72 704	44 867	12 004
Sales of \$40,000 and over	1 147	1 137	18	218	318	343	196	44
\$1,000	65 792	65 233	1 327	12 153	18 215	19 876	10 821	2 840
Cattle and calves sold	76 343	67 160	1 768	7 771	12 918	19 141	17 753	7 809
\$1,000	1 589 726	1 519 710	25 788	172 789	370 435	516 593	327 741	106 366
Sales of \$40,000 and over	8 539	8 298	118	1 039	2 083	2 839	1 731	488
\$1,000	1 058 982	1 031 936	14 047	117 045	270 806	372 143	198 523	59 371
Hogs and pigs sold	64 108	57 290	1 858	7 447	11 606	16 821	14 379	5 179
\$1,000	1 281 051	1 281 277	32 163	186 248	310 442	403 283	275 819	73 322
Sales of \$40,000 and over	9 048	8 828	183	1 390	2 449	2 869	1 557	380
\$1,000	607 895	592 941	11 309	94 930	165 090	193 563	104 016	24 032
Sheep, lambs, and wool sold	10 112	8 509	200	829	1 518	2 347	2 444	1 171
\$1,000	16 033	14 437	310	1 416	2 533	4 533	4 179	1 466
Sales of \$40,000 and over	37	36	—	3	11	10	9	3
\$1,000	4 464	(D)	—	339	723	1 608	1 535	(D)
Other livestock and livestock products sold	1 896	1 308	37	169	283	381	317	121
\$1,000	5 425	4 235	152	476	898	1 097	1 232	381
Sales of \$40,000 and over	29	25	1	4	7	6	5	2
\$1,000	2 499	2 185	(D)	283	553	466	556	(D)
Nursery and greenhouse products sold	201	130	—	9	24	31	37	29
\$1,000	5 978	4 489	—	223	592	1 441	1 458	775
Sales of \$40,000 and over	40	30	—	1	5	8	12	4
\$1,000	4 301	3 349	—	(D)	(D)	1 152	1 133	533
Forest products sold	744	628	17	72	130	151	160	98
\$1,000	946	750	16	92	169	186	197	90
Sales of \$40,000 and over	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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)	207
Vegetable and melon farms (016)	18
Fruit and tree nut farms (017)	31
Horticultural specialty farms (018)	61
General farms, primarily crop (0191)	247
Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021)	7 458
Dairy farms (024)	372
Poultry and egg farms (025)	139
Animal specialty farms (027)	93
General farms, primarily livestock (0291)	109
Farms not classified by SIC	39

Value of Products Sold

Market value of agricultural products sold	16 949
farms	310 446
\$1,000	9 621
Farms by value of agricultural products sold:	
\$500,000 and over	7
\$200,000 to \$499,999	71
\$100,000 to \$199,999	186
\$40,000 to \$99,999	1 236
\$20,000 to \$39,999	3 001
\$10,000 to \$19,999	4 253
\$5,000 to \$9,999	4 546
\$2,500 to \$4,999	3 302
Under \$2,500 (see text)	347
Grain sold	12 006
farms	148 817
\$1,000	563
Sales of \$40,000 and over	37 510
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	3 025
farms	5 607
\$1,000	1
Sales of \$40,000 and over	(D)
farms	—
\$1,000	—
Other field crops sold	51
farms	231
\$1,000	—
Sales of \$40,000 and over	—
farms	—
\$1,000	—
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons sold	68
farms	258
\$1,000	—
Sales of \$40,000 and over	—
farms	—
\$1,000	—
Fruit, nuts, and berries sold	77
farms	370
\$1,000	1
Sales of \$40,000 and over	(D)
farms	1 015
\$1,000	9 248
Sales of \$40,000 and over	76
farms	7 806
\$1,000	—
Dairy products sold	694
farms	5 655
\$1,000	10
Sales of \$40,000 and over	559
farms	9 183
\$1,000	70 015
Sales of \$40,000 and over	241
farms	27 046
\$1,000	—
Hogs and pigs sold	6 818
farms	65 775
\$1,000	220
Sales of \$40,000 and over	14 955
farms	1 603
\$1,000	1 596
Sales of \$40,000 and over	1
farms	(D)
\$1,000	—
Other livestock and livestock products sold	588
farms	1 190
\$1,000	4
Sales of \$40,000 and over	313
farms	71
\$1,000	1 489
Sales of \$40,000 and over	10
farms	952
\$1,000	—
Forest products sold	116
farms	196
\$1,000	—
Sales of \$40,000 and over	—
farms	—
\$1,000	—

	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	
207	4	26	50	59	55	13	
18	—	—	1	3	10	4	
31	—	1	6	12	7	5	
61	2	7	11	22	16	3	
247	8	42	66	60	44	27	
7 458	315	1 489	2 144	1 862	1 165	483	
372	14	64	93	112	61	28	
139	2	12	24	55	25	21	
93	3	18	25	19	19	9	
109	3	19	32	26	18	11	
39	2	5	8	10	8	6	
16 949	702	3 081	4 545	4 436	2 962	1 223	
310 446	9 621	51 576	83 132	89 133	52 710	24 274	
7	—	—	1	1	2	3	
71	1	5	17	27	10	11	
186	5	21	52	68	27	13	
1 236	32	194	329	364	222	95	
3 001	83	598	831	851	495	143	
4 253	176	813	1 138	1 151	721	254	
4 546	4 253	812	1 258	1 061	804	388	
3 302	175	568	829	826	607	297	
347	7	70	90	87	74	19	
12 006	425	2 138	3 214	3 259	2 115	855	
148 817	4 682	24 614	37 706	43 819	27 125	10 871	
563	17	63	137	192	109	45	
37 510	996	4 378	8 681	13 146	7 069	3 240	
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
3 025	87	461	837	821	592	227	
5 607	154	779	1 558	1 565	1 131	420	
1	—	—	—	1	—	—	
(D)	—	—	—	(D)	—	—	
51	3	9	12	9	10	8	
231	15	32	64	66	36	19	
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
68	—	7	22	15	16	8	
258	—	2	56	30	131	39	
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
77	—	4	19	32	12	10	
370	—	12	51	188	65	53	
1	—	—	—	1	—	—	
(D)	—	—	—	(D)	—	—	
1 015	19	174	311	263	177	71	
9 248	63	786	2 290	3 094	1 563	1 453	
76	1	8	13	30	16	8	
7 806	(D)	(D)	2 011	2 538	1 275	1 268	
694	22	105	179	214	123	51	
5 655	223	954	1 362	1 764	1 010	340	
10	—	3	2	2	2	—	
559	(D)	196	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	
9 183	295	1 576	2 624	2 471	1 546	671	
70 015	1 639	8 606	18 424	21 335	12 322	7 689	
241	7	19	61	87	36	31	
27 046	525	1 271	6 595	9 682	4 334	4 640	
6 818	322	1 509	2 120	1 601	908	358	
65 775	2 748	15 090	20 604	15 780	8 457	3 096	
220	6	58	62	55	27	12	
14 955	438	3 703	4 505	3 604	1 969	735	
1 603	52	290	440	441	256	124	
1 596	48	336	486	426	197	104	
1	—	—	1	—	—	—	
(D)	—	—	(D)	—	—	—	
588	28	161	186	123	65	25	
1 190	28	165	303	299	259	137	
4	—	—	1	2	—	1	
313	—	—	(D)	(D)	—	(D)	
71	2	7	13	26	18	5	
1 489	(D)	179	195	683	396	(D)	
10	—	1	2	5	2	—	
952	—	(D)	(D)	495	(D)	—	
116	2	17	41	26	17	13	
196	(2)	21	33	85	19	38	
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	

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	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	farms... 115 720	98 771	3 202	11 385	17 824	27 202	26 813	12 345
	\$1,000... 3 975 587	3 744 958	84 553	480 041	894 882	1 223 886	818 195	243 400
Livestock and poultry purchased	farms... 59 224	51 438	1 699	6 749	10 469	14 871	12 784	4 866
	\$1,000... 921 468	877 400	18 066	108 017	219 426	304 749	175 034	52 107
Feed for livestock and poultry	farms... 81 099	70 300	2 132	8 516	13 574	20 227	18 345	7 506
	\$1,000... 808 261	760 382	18 292	108 352	189 669	252 411	149 780	41 877
Commercially mixed formula feeds	farms... 69 189	60 091	1 803	7 403	11 697	17 269	15 548	6 371
	tons... 2 712 841	2 530 259	60 527	365 632	620 697	835 250	505 326	142 827
	\$1,000... 501 477	468 958	11 274	67 892	115 603	154 512	93 498	26 179
Feed ingredients	farms... 22 793	20 452	641	2 635	4 097	6 057	5 231	1 791
	tons... 535 316	514 924	12 256	71 260	127 222	171 850	105 626	26 710
	\$1,000... 96 061	92 434	2 292	12 954	22 581	30 600	19 139	4 868
Whole grains	farms... 28 812	24 768	818	3 336	5 045	7 230	5 991	2 348
	tons... 1 859 892	1 763 116	41 639	239 500	466 000	597 111	325 641	93 225
	\$1,000... 196 905	186 578	4 446	25 618	48 682	63 433	34 536	9 863
Hay, green chop, and silage	farms... 9 373	7 495	247	1 041	1 536	2 115	1 785	771
	tons... 474 037	427 166	10 387	63 496	94 808	139 943	90 682	27 850
	\$1,000... 13 818	12 411	281	1 887	2 803	3 866	2 607	967
Animal health cost for livestock and poultry	farms... 72 950	65 031	1 715	7 778	12 949	19 178	16 862	6 549
	\$1,000... 33 178	31 413	747	4 628	7 796	10 001	6 385	1 857
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees	farms... 106 360	93 045	2 866	10 880	17 142	26 127	25 346	10 684
	\$1,000... 145 199	137 027	3 418	17 278	30 806	42 647	32 869	10 009
Commercial fertilizer purchased	farms... 92 011	81 172	2 554	9 896	15 455	23 274	21 658	8 335
	\$1,000... 380 807	361 456	9 251	47 646	86 127	113 619	81 732	23 080
Commercial fertilizer used	farms... 86 324	76 669	2 419	9 550	14 884	22 169	20 214	7 433
	acres fertilized... 12 374 981	11 750 120	297 400	1 549 172	2 769 894	3 679 456	2 692 713	761 485
	dry tons... 1 325 824	1 260 228	32 100	169 360	305 207	391 476	282 749	79 335
	liquid or gas tons... 572 969	544 425	13 194	74 040	131 388	172 290	119 681	33 833
Other agricultural chemicals (see text)	farms... 78 220	69 630	2 091	8 418	13 448	20 127	18 600	6 946
	\$1,000... 134 216	127 561	3 009	17 378	30 617	39 710	28 780	8 066
Lime	farms... 11 742	10 616	193	1 221	2 131	3 254	2 802	1 015
	tons... 1 581 848	1 479 425	27 033	185 240	318 395	472 811	360 958	114 988
	\$1,000... 8 115	7 588	140	993	1 651	2 423	1 788	593
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business	farms... 114 157	97 684	3 110	11 286	17 665	26 932	26 561	12 130
	\$1,000... 196 939	184 242	4 514	22 722	40 473	57 718	44 464	14 352
Gasoline	farms... 110 853	94 958	2 929	10 907	17 163	26 291	25 861	11 807
	\$1,000... 108 266	99 807	2 398	11 429	20 508	30 942	25 616	8 912
Diesel oil	farms... 58 740	54 225	1 794	7 361	11 579	16 093	13 193	4 205
	\$1,000... 47 238	45 406	1 213	6 146	10 909	14 489	9 908	2 740
LP gas, butane, and propane	farms... 40 912	37 482	1 080	4 878	7 957	11 224	9 215	3 128
	\$1,000... 25 248	24 119	518	3 284	5 840	7 743	5 285	1 450
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil	farms... 113 929	97 532	3 105	11 275	17 650	26 899	26 518	12 085
	\$1,000... 16 187	14 911	385	1 864	3 215	4 542	3 655	1 250
Hired farm labor	farms... 44 310	39 319	988	4 563	7 526	11 713	10 458	4 071
	\$1,000... 84 518	78 812	1 053	7 516	18 088	27 458	18 401	6 296
Workers by number of days worked:								
150 days or more	farms... 9 383	8 877	101	819	1 941	3 103	2 154	759
	workers... 13 693	12 907	135	1 120	3 032	4 584	2 971	1 065
25 to 149 days	farms... 11 647	10 750	160	1 202	2 525	3 606	2 476	781
	workers... 24 076	22 095	308	2 215	5 595	7 562	4 741	1 674
Less than 25 days	farms... 31 750	27 652	812	3 353	4 833	7 728	7 768	3 158
	workers... 173 238	155 048	3 912	17 190	29 209	46 465	42 051	16 221
Contract labor	farms... 2 843	2 440	43	281	464	721	645	286
	\$1,000... 4 022	3 614	50	410	862	1 101	863	329
Machine hire and customwork	farms... 72 310	61 959	1 655	6 965	11 071	17 509	17 262	7 497
	\$1,000... 90 093	80 313	1 711	8 558	15 537	24 302	21 898	8 308
All other production expenses	farms... 115 529	98 684	3 189	11 383	17 817	27 187	26 786	12 322
	\$1,000... 1 176 885	1 102 737	24 441	137 536	255 481	350 170	257 990	77 120
Farm-Related Income and Expenses								
Farm-related income	farms... 27 788	24 758	868	3 558	5 191	7 172	5 738	2 231
	\$1,000... 81 852	74 420	2 135	9 821	16 224	22 253	17 100	6 888
\$10,000 and over	farms... 1 652	1 503	38	178	346	433	356	152
	\$1,000... 30 557	27 813	593	3 018	5 983	8 397	6 897	2 924
Farm-related income from—								
Customwork and other agricultural services	farms... 17 487	16 373	675	2 748	3 857	4 914	3 339	840
	\$1,000... 43 797	41 684	1 551	6 782	10 191	12 964	8 372	1 824
Recreational services	farms... 310	273	12	30	37	87	85	22
	\$1,000... 347	198	4	32	48	61	45	8
Payments from government farm programs	farms... 6 537	5 707	141	706	1 195	1 766	1 340	559
	\$1,000... 9 368	8 577	155	1 126	2 035	2 693	1 840	729
Rent from farmland and payments from lease or sale of allotments	farms... 5 443	4 336	117	406	609	1 029	1 284	891
	\$1,000... 21 186	17 322	293	1 077	2 275	4 220	5 578	3 879
Other farm-related income	farms... 3 230	2 881	77	378	575	863	717	271
	\$1,000... 7 154	6 640	133	805	1 674	2 315	1 265	448
Expenses for farm-related income sources	farms... 10 183	9 071	350	1 399	1 930	2 481	2 068	843
	\$1,000... 22 410	20 128	615	2 735	4 523	5 629	4 790	1 836

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					
		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... 16 949	702	3 081	4 545	4 436	2 962	1 223
	\$1,000... 230 629	7 061	38 866	66 068	65 706	36 124	16 803
Livestock and poultry purchased	farms... 7 786	334	1 729	2 341	1 865	1 061	456
	\$1,000... 44 068	1 376	7 602	12 888	12 327	6 001	3 873
Feed for livestock and poultry	farms... 10 799	446	2 104	3 162	2 805	1 629	653
	\$1,000... 47 879	1 806	9 113	14 674	12 685	6 550	3 051
Commercially mixed formula feeds	farms... 9 098	390	1 822	2 673	2 347	1 347	519
	tons... 182 582	6 354	35 374	56 569	49 644	24 101	10 539
	\$1,000... 32 519	1 140	6 298	10 237	8 606	4 378	1 861
Feed ingredients	farms... 2 331	106	467	703	595	324	136
	tons... 20 391	929	4 420	6 383	4 862	2 740	1 058
	\$1,000... 3 626	168	827	1 032	871	521	207
Whole grains	farms... 4 044	210	925	1 228	933	529	219
	tons... 96 776	4 392	16 201	28 260	26 457	13 722	7 743
	\$1,000... 10 327	460	1 735	3 037	2 790	1 458	848
Hay, green chop, and silage	farms... 1 878	60	359	550	516	273	120
	tons... 46 870	988	8 174	12 467	14 204	6 607	4 431
	\$1,000... 1 407	39	253	369	418	194	135
Animal health cost for livestock and poultry	farms... 7 919	249	1 349	2 257	2 174	1 338	552
	\$1,000... 1 765	49	292	543	487	290	103
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees	farms... 13 315	457	2 360	3 636	3 615	2 341	906
	\$1,000... 8 172	227	1 267	2 197	2 482	1 420	578
Commercial fertilizer purchased	farms... 10 839	372	1 988	3 088	2 929	1 786	676
	\$1,000... 19 351	499	3 195	5 417	5 751	3 263	1 227
Commercial fertilizer used	farms... 9 655	324	1 821	2 774	2 604	1 549	583
	acres fertilized... 624 861	16 709	103 756	171 056	189 529	102 558	41 253
	dry tons... 65 596	1 669	11 145	18 466	19 460	10 928	3 928
	liquid or gas tons... 28 543	871	4 692	7 403	9 284	4 530	1 764
Other agricultural chemicals (see text)	farms... 8 590	278	1 474	2 395	2 426	1 473	544
	\$1,000... 6 655	164	986	1 754	2 087	1 183	481
Lime	farms... 1 126	10	193	310	323	219	71
	tons... 102 423	403	18 754	28 734	29 430	20 013	5 089
	\$1,000... 527	2	91	156	157	95	27
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business	farms... 16 473	646	2 986	4 453	4 343	2 877	1 168
	\$1,000... 12 697	403	2 034	3 516	3 647	2 205	892
Gasoline	farms... 15 895	612	2 886	4 312	4 188	2 779	1 118
	\$1,000... 8 459	265	1 364	2 349	2 391	1 490	601
Diesel oil	farms... 4 515	165	899	1 268	1 217	691	275
	\$1,000... 1 833	60	289	493	558	302	132
LP gas, butane, and propane	farms... 3 430	100	673	983	930	543	201
	\$1,000... 1 128	34	186	308	332	198	70
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil	farms... 16 397	635	2 972	4 434	4 329	2 865	1 162
	\$1,000... 1 276	44	196	367	366	215	89
Hired farm labor	farms... 4 991	139	880	1 447	1 413	813	299
	\$1,000... 5 705	59	501	1 385	1 983	1 116	661
Workers by number of days worked:							
150 days or more	farms... 506	4	34	116	182	115	55
	workers... 786	4	51	178	296	168	89
25 to 149 days	farms... 897	10	93	251	324	150	69
	workers... 1 981	12	162	580	628	415	184
Less than 25 days	farms... 4 098	135	782	1 206	1 107	646	222
	workers... 18 190	450	2 525	5 998	5 552	2 756	909
Contract labor	farms... 403	12	63	116	118	73	21
	\$1,000... 408	5	65	112	125	74	26
Machine hire and customwork	farms... 10 351	322	1 865	2 944	2 781	1 767	672
	\$1,000... 9 781	220	1 418	2 616	2 929	1 908	691
All other production expenses	farms... 16 845	702	3 059	4 518	4 413	2 934	1 219
	\$1,000... 74 148	2 253	12 393	20 967	21 203	12 114	5 220
Farm-Related Income and Expenses							
Farm-related income	farms... 3 030	89	585	821	813	528	194
	\$1,000... 7 432	120	1 179	1 875	2 236	1 435	587
\$10,000 and over	farms... 149	3	24	34	48	27	13
	\$1,000... 2 744	40	353	676	990	459	226
Farm-related income from—							
Customwork and other agricultural services	farms... 1 114	47	289	315	249	152	62
	\$1,000... 2 113	59	522	539	548	297	147
Recreational services	farms... 37	—	5	14	8	7	3
	\$1,000... 149	—	4	86	12	47	(2)
Payments from government farm programs	farms... 830	15	116	225	260	159	55
	\$1,000... 791	8	109	243	247	142	43
Rent from farmland and payments from lease or sale of allotments	farms... 1 107	23	181	291	313	210	89
	\$1,000... 3 864	42	449	881	1 278	833	382
Other farm-related income	farms... 349	10	74	85	100	65	15
	\$1,000... 514	11	96	127	150	115	15
Expenses for farm-related income sources	farms... 1 112	38	189	330	292	202	61
	\$1,000... 2 282	29	317	616	751	406	163

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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.....	59 039	43 661	1 710	5 296	7 806	12 149	11 054	5 646
..... \$1,000.....	381 297	188 276	6 055	21 462	34 172	53 626	47 633	25 327
Farms by family off-farm income:								
\$1 to \$249..... farms.....	3 966	3 799	225	767	788	962	805	252
..... \$1,000.....	2 949	2 856	128	395	611	838	698	186
\$250 to \$499..... farms.....	4 847	4 646	232	592	947	1 316	1 243	316
..... \$1,000.....	20 881	19 201	719	1 980	3 152	5 218	4 986	3 146
\$5,000 to \$9,999..... farms.....	11 928	8 087	252	933	1 346	2 303	2 026	1 227
..... \$1,000.....	11 866	4 383	127	555	815	1 319	1 118	449
\$20,000 to \$29,999..... farms.....	1 892	487	24	57	92	142	122	50
..... \$1,000.....	710	202	3	17	55	51	56	20
Family off-farm income from —								
Nonfarm-related business..... farms.....	8 720	5 245	238	694	1 086	1 578	1 274	375
..... \$1,000.....	69 937	28 376	955	3 418	6 368	8 970	6 872	1 793
Wages, salaries, commissions, and tips..... farms.....	35 467	23 209	1 247	3 303	4 636	7 155	5 357	1 511
..... \$1,000.....	243 351	103 039	4 365	14 768	21 029	32 294	24 433	6 150
Interest, dividends, or royalties..... farms.....	27 991	23 200	637	2 395	3 710	6 342	6 710	3 406
..... \$1,000.....	41 973	35 765	430	1 913	4 430	9 625	12 388	6 979
Federal Social Security, pensions, etc..... farms.....	8 026	6 870	110	488	591	777	1 271	3 633
..... \$1,000.....	19 567	16 737	211	1 037	1 474	1 795	2 733	9 486
Rent of nonfarm property..... farms.....	3 182	2 397	38	178	385	650	724	422
..... \$1,000.....	6 469	4 360	95	326	870	942	1 207	920
Selected Machinery and Equipment								
Automobiles..... farms.....	104 181	90 707	2 730	10 454	16 656	25 399	24 743	10 725
..... number.....	144 585	125 412	3 432	13 106	23 744	38 081	33 230	13 819
2 or 3..... farms.....	31 605	27 334	540	2 193	5 616	9 694	6 815	2 476
..... number.....	67 700	58 444	1 156	4 589	12 045	20 925	14 493	5 236
4 and over..... farms.....	1 254	1 051	18	73	197	433	240	90
..... number.....	5 563	4 646	104	329	856	1 884	1 049	424
Motortrucks, including pickups..... farms.....	95 031	82 500	2 342	9 835	15 922	23 727	22 096	8 578
..... number.....	127 460	111 981	3 060	13 418	22 510	32 684	29 303	11 006
2 or 3..... farms.....	22 971	20 748	580	2 591	4 514	6 209	5 114	1 740
..... number.....	50 372	45 624	1 241	5 673	9 994	13 627	11 280	3 809
4 and over..... farms.....	1 391	1 284	17	140	314	423	289	101
..... number.....	6 419	5 889	74	641	1 422	1 962	1 330	460
Tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers..... farms.....	104 092	89 823	2 578	10 408	16 591	25 131	24 469	10 646
..... number.....	302 184	271 045	5 802	28 862	53 513	81 043	73 522	28 303
2 or 3..... farms.....	64 317	55 311	1 406	6 551	9 784	14 835	15 793	6 942
..... number.....	162 399	141 324	3 403	16 338	25 508	38 680	40 423	16 972
4 and over..... farms.....	28 425	27 021	366	2 496	5 950	9 070	7 000	2 139
..... number.....	128 435	122 230	1 593	11 163	27 148	41 137	31 423	9 766
Wheel tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers..... farms.....	103 948	89 715	2 575	10 398	16 570	25 106	24 443	10 623
..... number.....	299 345	268 634	5 762	28 606	53 029	80 337	72 924	27 976
Crawler tractors..... farms.....	2 532	2 154	36	234	430	637	541	276
..... number.....	2 839	2 411	40	256	484	706	598	327
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled..... farms.....	39 968	37 927	800	4 662	8 558	12 223	9 182	2 502
..... number.....	41 211	39 093	816	4 793	8 829	12 623	9 448	2 584
Cornpickers, corn heads, and pickers..... farms.....	71 370	66 134	1 377	7 406	13 263	20 056	17 975	6 057
..... number.....	87 073	81 174	1 631	9 110	16 655	25 125	21 599	7 054
Corn heads for combines..... farms.....	35 902	34 222	720	4 346	7 888	11 117	8 109	2 042
..... number.....	37 076	35 333	741	4 505	8 172	11 476	8 335	2 104
Other cornpickers and pickers..... farms.....	48 824	44 783	874	4 493	8 293	13 319	12 973	4 831
..... number.....	49 997	45 841	890	4 605	8 483	13 649	13 264	4 950
Mower conditioners..... farms.....	18 460	16 855	328	1 971	3 592	5 056	4 263	1 645
..... number.....	18 867	17 214	338	2 006	3 687	5 137	4 358	1 688
Pickup balers..... farms.....	44 802	41 120	660	3 763	8 026	12 992	11 535	4 144
..... number.....	46 074	42 273	671	3 866	8 258	13 382	11 834	4 262
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled..... farms.....	11 958	11 122	264	1 250	2 174	3 293	2 958	1 183
..... number.....	12 339	11 488	270	1 318	2 248	3 385	3 046	1 221
Field forage harvesters, shear bar..... farms.....	16 077	15 222	248	1 817	3 531	4 909	3 540	1 177
..... number.....	16 648	15 767	258	1 889	3 624	5 089	3 671	1 236
Value of Machinery and Equipment								
Estimated market value of machinery and equipment..... farms.....	111 974	95 907	3 045	11 134	17 417	26 527	26 086	11 698
..... \$1,000.....	3 374 756	3 130 044	72 356	383 496	694 378	965 812	757 560	256 443
Farms by value group:								
\$1 to \$4,999..... farms.....	9 325	5 830	367	519	605	1 089	1 562	1 688
..... \$1,000.....	27 839	17 650	1 021	1 608	1 818	3 371	4 888	4 944
\$5,000 to \$9,999..... farms.....	12 092	8 465	362	793	918	1 686	2 804	1 902
..... \$1,000.....	84 673	59 543	2 597	5 633	6 442	11 960	19 786	13 124
\$10,000 to \$19,999..... farms.....	22 341	17 890	710	1 916	2 373	4 355	5 537	2 999
..... \$1,000.....	315 563	253 545	9 975	27 246	33 715	61 334	78 794	42 481
\$20,000 to \$49,999..... farms.....	49 299	45 280	1 349	5 559	8 667	13 090	12 455	4 160
..... \$1,000.....	1 526 795	1 413 248	40 896	173 402	276 787	415 522	382 367	124 275
\$50,000 to \$99,999..... farms.....	15 473	15 062	224	1 916	3 848	5 190	3 114	770
..... \$1,000.....	981 971	956 297	13 928	122 373	246 120	330 678	194 887	48 312
\$100,000 and over..... farms.....	3 444	3 380	33	431	1 006	1 117	614	179
..... \$1,000.....	437 915	429 761	53 234	129 495	142 947	142 947	76 840	23 307

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	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..	15 378	594	2 931	4 294	4 148	2 555	856
..... \$1,000..	193 021	5 014	34 053	57 145	56 345	31 357	9 106
Farms by family off-farm income:							
\$1 to \$249..... farms..	167	16	33	51	23	32	12
..... \$1,000..	93	11	9	28	30	10	5
\$250 to \$499..... farms..	201	21	42	39	48	32	19
..... \$1,000..	1 680	138	297	370	363	304	208
\$5,000 to \$9,999..... farms..	3 841	200	755	851	1 039	756	240
..... \$1,000..	7 483	192	1 546	2 347	2 023	1 076	299
\$10,000 to \$19,999..... farms..	1 405	13	206	467	431	243	45
..... \$1,000..	508	3	43	141	191	102	28
\$20,000 to \$29,999..... farms..							
..... \$1,000..							
\$30,000 and over..... farms..							
..... \$1,000..							
Family off-farm income from—							
Nonfarm-related business..... farms..	3 475	98	601	977	1 020	621	158
..... \$1,000..	41 561	682	6 317	12 741	13 488	6 733	1 600
Wages, salaries, commissions, and tips..... farms..	12 258	504	2 420	3 470	3 321	2 003	540
..... \$1,000..	140 313	4 149	26 459	42 171	40 160	22 209	5 164
Interest, dividends, or royalties..... farms..	4 791	158	897	1 221	1 282	896	337
..... \$1,000..	6 208	106	712	1 220	1 596	1 385	1 187
Federal Social Security, pensions, etc..... farms..	1 156	28	173	199	203	236	317
..... \$1,000..	2 830	34	310	469	462	565	990
Rent of nonfarm property..... farms..	785	19	101	185	240	172	68
..... \$1,000..	2 109	43	254	544	640	465	164
Selected Machinery and Equipment							
Automobiles..... farms..	13 474	507	2 395	3 704	3 619	2 327	922
..... number..	19 173	638	2 962	5 379	5 666	3 314	1 214
2 or 3..... farms..	4 271	116	504	1 245	1 422	744	240
..... number..	9 256	241	1 055	2 712	3 142	1 590	516
4 and over..... farms..	203	2	5	57	93	41	5
..... number..	917	8	21	265	420	182	21
Motortrucks, including pickups..... farms..	12 531	442	2 352	3 532	3 356	2 065	784
..... number..	15 479	544	2 807	4 235	4 312	2 576	1 005
2 or 3..... farms..	2 223	98	363	562	676	367	157
..... number..	4 748	200	754	1 202	1 474	782	336
4 and over..... farms..	107	—	14	14	42	29	8
..... number..	530	—	78	77	200	125	50
Tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers..... farms..	14 269	452	2 466	3 968	3 925	2 493	965
..... number..	31 139	858	4 905	8 845	8 947	5 471	2 113
2 or 3..... farms..	9 006	266	1 411	2 528	2 575	1 627	599
..... number..	21 075	596	3 268	5 929	6 081	3 782	1 419
4 and over..... farms..	1 404	25	171	427	447	243	91
..... number..	6 205	101	753	1 903	1 963	1 066	419
Wheel tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers..... farms..	14 233	451	2 459	3 960	3 913	2 490	960
..... number..	30 711	853	4 846	8 718	8 814	5 403	2 077
Crawler tractors..... farms..	378	5	56	113	103	66	35
..... number..	428	5	59	127	133	68	36
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled..... farms..	2 041	51	363	568	588	338	133
..... number..	2 118	52	371	586	621	345	143
Cornpickers, corn heads, and picker-shellers..... farms..	5 236	119	854	1 524	1 545	869	325
..... number..	5 899	141	947	1 728	1 740	962	381
Corn heads for combines..... farms..	1 680	45	295	483	495	264	98
..... number..	1 743	47	298	502	520	269	107
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers..... farms..	4 041	92	636	1 192	1 187	676	258
..... number..	4 156	94	649	1 226	1 220	693	274
Mower conditioners..... farms..	1 605	42	254	462	464	264	119
..... number..	1 653	42	265	471	481	274	120
Pickup balers..... farms..	3 682	70	452	1 107	1 126	697	230
..... number..	3 801	70	461	1 145	1 166	718	241
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled..... farms..	836	35	98	225	237	169	72
..... number..	851	35	98	232	241	172	73
Field forage harvesters, shear bar..... farms..	855	17	110	228	285	158	57
..... number..	881	17	113	235	294	164	58
Value of Machinery and Equipment							
Estimated market value of machinery and equipment..... farms..	16 067	628	2 897	4 362	4 257	2 801	1 122
..... \$1,000..	244 712	8 312	39 328	65 216	70 812	43 939	17 105
Farms by value group:							
\$1 to \$4,999..... farms..	3 495	211	752	875	805	597	255
..... \$1,000..	10 189	547	2 183	2 575	2 383	1 755	745
\$5,000 to \$9,999..... farms..	3 627	114	704	1 083	869	595	262
..... \$1,000..	25 130	819	4 886	7 447	6 034	4 110	1 835
\$10,000 to \$19,999..... farms..	4 451	152	775	1 227	1 223	782	292
..... \$1,000..	62 018	2 186	10 698	16 866	17 047	11 100	4 120
\$20,000 to \$49,999..... farms..	4 019	143	595	1 044	1 206	751	280
..... \$1,000..	113 547	4 203	16 733	29 288	34 241	21 167	7 915
\$50,000 to \$99,999..... farms..	411	8	66	117	132	62	26
..... \$1,000..	25 674	557	4 056	6 942	8 407	4 101	1 612
\$100,000 and over..... farms..	64	—	5	16	22	14	7
..... \$1,000..	8 153	—	772	2 098	2 700	1 705	878

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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
Agricultural Chemicals								
Agricultural chemicals..... farms...	98 195	86 020	2 718	10 312	16 099	24 338	23 245	9 308
\$1,000.....	515 023	489 017	12 260	65 025	116 744	153 330	110 512	31 146
Commercial fertilizer..... farms...	92 013	81 174	2 554	9 896	15 455	23 274	21 660	8 335
acres on which used...	12 374 981	11 750 120	297 400	1 549 172	2 769 894	3 679 456	2 692 713	761 485
tons.....	1 898 792	1 804 653	45 294	243 400	436 595	563 766	402 430	113 169
\$1,000.....	380 807	361 456	9 251	47 646	86 127	113 619	81 732	23 080
Lime..... farms...	11 742	10 616	1 193	1 221	2 131	3 254	2 802	1 015
acres on which used...	675 770	631 731	11 371	77 837	137 369	203 631	152 427	49 096
tons.....	1 581 848	1 479 425	27 033	185 240	318 395	472 811	360 958	114 988
\$1,000.....	8 115	7 588	140	993	1 651	2 423	1 788	593
Sproys, dusts, fumigants, etc. to control—								
Insects on hay crops..... farms...	4 255	3 953	90	368	672	1 085	1 208	530
acres on which used...	113 134	107 089	2 240	11 184	20 195	30 877	30 599	11 994
\$1,000.....	728	685	15	75	132	198	192	73
Insects on other crops..... farms...	31 858	29 463	921	4 150	6 538	8 500	7 075	2 279
acres on which used...	4 970 790	4 780 057	120 373	660 294	1 204 323	1 476 666	1 030 947	287 454
\$1,000.....	27 688	26 469	630	3 531	6 463	8 195	5 924	1 727
Nematodes in crops..... farms...	385	362	8	41	75	96	106	36
acres on which used...	51 811	48 799	646	4 816	13 562	14 374	11 711	3 690
\$1,000.....	310	296	3	29	71	108	64	21
Diseases in crops and orchards..... farms...	585	516	14	69	91	140	147	55
acres on which used...	76 226	72 663	2 364	13 444	13 868	22 875	16 488	3 624
\$1,000.....	638	601	24	116	111	158	155	37
Weeds or grass in crops..... farms...	57 015	51 489	1 568	6 519	10 495	15 250	13 241	4 416
acres on which used...	11 280 670	10 787 707	266 506	1 438 392	2 638 399	3 441 168	2 394 931	608 311
\$1,000.....	86 352	82 306	1 985	11 540	20 427	25 797	17 894	4 662
Weeds or brush in pasture..... farms...	4 600	4 288	104	501	966	1 262	1 096	359
acres on which used...	171 719	162 537	3 701	21 198	38 607	48 104	38 807	12 120
\$1,000.....	537	506	11	62	127	143	122	42
Weeds on other land..... farms...	9 518	8 994	215	1 043	2 051	2 810	2 206	669
acres on which used...	96 110	92 542	1 863	10 484	21 514	30 519	21 343	6 819
\$1,000.....	420	403	8	46	88	131	95	34
Defoliation, growth of crops, or thinning of fruit..... farms...	660	587	16	76	98	183	151	63
acres on which used...	44 830	41 027	710	5 616	8 110	12 464	10 470	3 657
\$1,000.....	368	335	7	47	75	96	79	31
Insect control on livestock and poultry..... farms...	10 731	9 969	244	1 435	2 477	3 065	2 163	585
\$1,000.....	1 089	1 040	18	130	279	363	198	51
Other chemicals (see text)..... farms...	12 305	10 445	299	1 173	1 734	2 871	2 986	1 382
\$1,000.....	7 971	7 332	170	810	1 192	2 096	2 268	797
Grain Storage Facilities on Farm								
Farms with grain storage facilities:								
None.....	9 792	6 489	462	794	880	1 476	1 755	1 122
Under 1,000 bushels.....	4 797	3 177	112	286	392	670	958	759
1,000 to 4,999 bushels.....	24 309	20 318	603	1 979	2 900	5 072	6 347	3 417
5,000 to 9,999 bushels.....	21 580	19 958	519	2 270	3 599	5 776	5 827	1 967
10,000 to 24,999 bushels.....	23 281	22 459	458	2 820	5 020	7 274	5 395	1 492
25,000 to 49,999 bushels.....	6 391	6 251	97	797	1 685	2 049	1 292	331
50,000 bushels and over.....	1 808	1 761	18	228	481	554	370	110
Not reporting.....	23 763	18 359	934	2 211	2 867	4 331	4 869	3 147
Livestock								
Cattle and calves..... farms...	74 458	65 268	1 756	7 631	12 671	18 576	17 064	7 570
number.....	6 294 893	5 882 262	120 501	708 805	1 369 477	1 853 479	1 343 545	486 455
Cows and heifers that had calved..... farms...	59 933	52 510	1 346	6 001	10 037	14 824	13 894	6 408
number.....	2 171 236	1 993 642	42 976	239 655	435 651	590 555	489 344	195 463
Beef cows..... farms...	49 337	42 606	1 077	4 633	7 812	11 794	11 694	5 596
number.....	1 780 016	1 614 524	33 190	181 118	339 067	473 579	414 303	173 267
Milk cows..... farms...	17 378	16 034	369	1 988	3 584	4 905	3 711	1 477
number.....	391 220	379 118	9 786	58 535	96 584	116 976	75 041	22 196
Heifers and heifer calves that had not calved..... farms...	49 852	43 965	1 115	5 257	8 735	12 649	11 417	4 792
number.....	1 389 087	1 298 941	27 556	168 382	308 235	414 106	285 928	94 734
Beef heifers and heifer calves..... farms...	41 100	35 709	909	4 095	6 828	10 120	9 589	4 168
number.....	1 164 291	1 082 533	22 553	134 754	254 160	344 913	243 340	82 813
Heifers and heifer calves for milk cow replacement..... farms...	12 007	11 254	277	1 527	2 585	3 447	2 520	898
number.....	224 796	216 408	5 003	33 628	54 075	69 193	42 588	11 921
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves..... farms...	62 339	54 832	1 429	6 456	10 845	15 876	14 191	6 035
number.....	2 734 570	2 589 679	49 969	300 770	625 591	848 818	568 273	196 258
Cattle and calves sold..... farms...	76 343	67 160	1 768	7 771	12 918	19 141	17 753	7 809
number.....	4 620 203	4 363 022	79 525	508 192	1 042 927	1 435 238	970 699	326 441
\$1,000.....	1 589 726	1 519 710	25 788	172 789	370 435	516 593	327 741	106 366
Calves..... farms...	27 814	23 542	666	2 866	4 266	6 115	6 436	3 193
number.....	602 585	531 201	11 934	66 595	107 481	145 038	139 481	60 672
\$1,000.....	88 088	77 728	1 697	9 588	15 695	21 099	20 680	8 971
Cattle..... farms...	64 290	57 070	1 449	6 472	11 119	16 523	15 084	6 423
number.....	4 017 618	3 831 821	67 591	441 597	935 446	1 290 200	831 218	265 769
\$1,000.....	1 501 638	1 441 982	24 091	163 201	354 740	495 494	307 061	97 395
Fattened on grain and concentrates..... farms...	32 061	29 478	686	3 304	6 044	8 960	7 748	2 736
number.....	2 935 484	2 836 930	47 654	322 271	704 902	994 336	591 271	176 496
\$1,000.....	1 181 487	1 144 938	18 158	127 370	284 405	404 636	238 441	71 927
Hogs and pigs..... farms...	57 552	51 636	1 675	6 890	10 686	15 301	12 679	4 405
number.....	11 092 821	10 524 650	334 266	1 650 203	2 563 382	3 219 261	2 170 125	587 413
Used or to be used for breeding..... farms...	45 418	41 143	1 323	5 472	8 546	12 246	10 131	3 425
number.....	1 498 204	1 412 125	46 842	219 502	330 601	428 856	303 846	82 478
Other..... farms...	54 085	48 789	1 588	6 544	10 236	14 585	11 820	4 016
number.....	9 594 617	9 112 525	287 424	1 430 701	2 232 781	2 790 405	1 866 279	504 935

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..	12 175	420	2 218	3 391	3 300	2 064	782
\$1,000.....	26 007	663	4 181	7 171	7 838	4 446	1 708
Commercial fertilizer.....farms..	10 839	372	1 988	3 088	2 929	1 786	676
acres on which used.....	624 861	16 709	103 756	171 056	189 529	102 558	41 253
tons.....	94 139	2 540	15 837	25 868	28 744	15 458	5 692
\$1,000.....	19 351	499	3 195	5 417	5 751	3 263	1 227
Lime.....farms..	1 126	10	193	310	323	219	71
acres on which used.....	44 039	274	7 519	12 383	12 955	8 534	2 374
tons.....	102 423	403	18 754	28 734	29 430	20 013	5 089
\$1,000.....	527	2	91	156	157	95	27
Sprays, dusts, fumigants, etc. to control—							
Insects on hay crops.....farms..	302	3	36	81	82	76	24
acres on which used.....	6 045	40	610	1 730	1 628	1 473	564
\$1,000.....	42	(Z)	5	11	12	11	4
Insects on other crops.....farms..	2 395	77	410	700	664	396	148
acres on which used.....	190 733	6 412	26 085	52 491	62 663	32 558	10 524
\$1,000.....	1 219	46	149	328	396	225	76
Nematodes in crops.....farms..	23	—	2	8	6	7	—
acres on which used.....	3 012	—	135	557	1 740	580	—
\$1,000.....	14	—	1	3	6	4	—
Diseases in crops and orchards.....farms..	69	1	12	17	21	13	5
acres on which used.....	3 563	196	596	1 196	787	581	207
\$1,000.....	37	2	5	10	12	5	4
Weeds or grass in crops.....farms..	5 526	149	904	1 547	1 641	955	330
acres on which used.....	492 963	11 940	73 275	129 734	155 537	84 997	37 480
\$1,000.....	4 046	91	605	1 045	1 288	695	321
Weeds or brush in pasture.....farms..	312	4	48	90	94	50	26
acres on which used.....	9 182	305	878	2 381	2 344	1 640	1 634
\$1,000.....	32	(Z)	2	10	9	6	4
Weeds on other land.....farms..	524	6	68	163	171	85	31
acres on which used.....	3 568	77	440	970	1 273	543	265
\$1,000.....	17	1	2	4	6	3	2
Defoliation, growth of crops, or thinning of fruit.....farms..	73	—	13	20	18	17	5
acres on which used.....	3 803	—	956	1 106	893	719	129
\$1,000.....	33	—	9	7	10	6	1
Insect control on livestock and poultry.....farms..	762	20	128	276	194	109	35
\$1,000.....	49	2	6	16	15	8	2
Other chemicals (see text).....farms..	1 860	79	391	528	441	303	118
\$1,000.....	639	20	112	165	176	125	41
Grain Storage Facilities on Farm							
Farms with grain storage facilities:							
None.....	3 303	196	602	841	847	590	227
Under 1,000 bushels.....	1 620	50	248	456	433	305	128
1,000 to 4,999 bushels.....	3 991	67	598	1 070	1 190	752	314
5,000 to 9,999 bushels.....	1 622	36	263	481	466	263	113
10,000 to 24,999 bushels.....	822	14	109	227	286	136	50
25,000 to 49,999 bushels.....	140	—	18	24	56	27	15
50,000 bushels and over.....	47	—	3	12	16	10	6
Not reporting.....	5 404	339	1 240	1 434	1 142	879	370
Livestock							
Cattle and calves.....farms..	9 190	290	1 602	2 652	2 468	1 517	661
number.....	412 631	9 353	58 019	115 918	125 149	73 316	30 876
Cows and heifers that had calved.....farms..	7 423	206	1 212	2 130	2 051	1 280	544
number.....	177 594	3 702	23 932	49 694	52 983	33 542	13 741
Beef cows.....farms..	6 731	186	1 086	1 947	1 852	1 167	493
number.....	165 492	3 297	21 881	46 659	49 346	31 281	13 028
Milk cows.....farms..	1 344	35	229	404	388	204	84
number.....	12 102	405	2 051	3 035	3 637	2 261	713
Heifers and heifer calves that had not calved.....farms..	5 887	148	993	1 750	1 621	988	387
number.....	90 146	2 073	12 695	26 982	26 736	14 270	7 390
Beef heifers and heifer calves.....farms..	5 391	128	910	1 607	1 493	901	352
number.....	81 758	1 577	11 153	24 688	24 765	12 791	6 784
Heifers and heifer calves for milk cow replacement.....farms..	753	27	121	232	205	121	47
number.....	8 388	496	1 542	2 294	1 971	1 479	606
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves.....farms..	7 507	211	1 292	2 195	2 057	1 245	507
number.....	144 891	3 578	21 392	39 242	45 430	25 504	9 745
Cattle and calves sold.....farms..	9 183	295	1 576	2 624	2 471	1 546	671
number.....	257 181	5 876	34 608	69 459	77 643	44 951	24 644
\$1,000.....	70 015	1 639	8 606	18 424	21 335	12 322	7 689
Calves.....farms..	4 272	142	729	1 257	1 151	696	297
number.....	71 384	1 805	11 963	20 760	20 490	11 648	4 718
\$1,000.....	10 359	275	1 697	2 864	3 086	1 766	670
Cattle.....farms..	7 220	225	1 227	2 063	1 923	1 253	529
number.....	185 797	4 071	22 645	48 699	57 153	33 303	19 926
\$1,000.....	59 656	1 364	6 909	15 561	18 249	10 555	7 018
Fattened on grain and concentrates.....farms..	2 583	83	443	756	720	392	189
number.....	98 554	2 301	9 401	26 664	31 528	15 606	13 054
\$1,000.....	36 549	929	3 258	9 644	11 533	5 845	5 341
Hogs and pigs.....farms..	5 916	279	1 302	1 877	1 390	778	290
number.....	568 171	28 699	128 369	170 961	133 494	78 870	27 778
Used or to be used for breeding.....farms..	4 275	194	944	1 371	990	553	223
number.....	86 079	3 738	19 197	25 779	20 396	11 622	5 347
Other.....farms..	5 296	263	1 146	1 690	1 262	685	250
number.....	482 092	24 961	109 172	145 182	113 098	67 248	22 431

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						65 years and over
		Total	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... 64 108	57 290	1 858	7 447	11 606	16 821	14 379	5 179
	number... 18 736 841	17 651 658	494 669	2 674 235	4 274 952	5 469 301	3 722 199	1 016 302
	\$1,000... 1 347 051	1 281 277	32 163	186 248	310 442	403 283	275 819	73 322
Feeder pigs	farms... 10 352	8 121	413	1 464	1 664	2 031	1 786	763
	number... 2 063 872	1 745 663	96 211	361 581	412 357	467 809	313 688	94 017
	\$1,000... 50 296	42 891	2 296	8 684	10 329	11 600	7 748	2 233
Litters of pigs farrowed between -								
December 1 of preceding year and								
November 30	farms... 50 348	45 258	1 481	5 925	9 280	13 296	11 317	3 959
	number... 2 121 426	2 000 471	61 039	311 027	480 591	614 783	418 252	114 779
December 1 and May 31	farms... 46 236	41 764	1 318	5 512	8 650	12 334	10 368	3 582
	number... 1 150 817	1 085 633	31 760	162 418	254 412	334 045	236 124	66 874
June 1 and November 30	farms... 40 745	36 734	1 246	5 207	7 952	11 014	8 611	2 704
	number... 970 609	914 838	29 279	148 609	226 179	280 738	182 128	47 905
Sheep and lambs of all ages	farms... 9 886	8 317	195	809	1 505	2 297	2 379	1 132
	number... 441 798	388 210	8 669	45 828	71 192	108 646	105 099	48 776
Lambs under 1 year old	farms... 6 488	5 465	133	518	964	1 516	1 559	775
	number... 181 268	162 115	2 886	22 860	28 580	44 606	44 428	18 755
Ewes 1 year old or older	farms... 9 367	7 896	179	750	1 414	2 196	2 271	1 086
	number... 246 616	214 102	5 464	21 812	40 118	60 866	57 280	28 562
Rams and wethers 1 year old or								
older	farms... 6 587	5 555	131	503	1 001	1 570	1 617	733
	number... 13 914	11 993	319	1 156	2 494	3 174	3 391	1 459
Sheep and lambs sold	farms... 9 942	8 379	196	814	1 495	2 315	2 405	1 154
	number... 465 235	415 508	8 803	44 037	69 791	129 687	117 596	45 594
Sheep and lambs shorn	farms... 8 912	7 598	174	700	1 348	2 122	2 193	1 061
	number... 395 718	352 080	8 531	43 055	62 408	103 113	96 832	38 141
	pounds of wool... 2 838 843	2 518 006	62 014	277 383	449 871	707 906	731 423	289 409
Horses and ponies	farms... 11 161	8 411	261	1 202	2 085	2 435	1 670	758
	number... 42 577	31 002	601	4 195	7 105	8 961	6 846	3 294
Sold	farms... 1 577	1 089	31	143	239	323	258	95
	number... 6 443	4 677	61	513	941	1 137	1 687	338
	\$1,000... 2 063	1 322	17	175	227	437	341	125
Horses	farms... 8 780	6 464	240	1 035	1 571	1 799	1 227	592
	number... 31 747	22 463	518	3 424	4 944	6 399	4 784	2 394
Sold	farms... 1 309	885	28	126	186	267	203	75
	number... 5 008	3 522	56	456	768	921	1 046	275
	\$1,000... 1 968	1 254	17	171	216	419	310	121
Any goats	farms... 132	87	3	20	16	22	16	10
	number... 840	603	27	73	79	238	68	118
Sold	farms... 37	25	1	6	4	6	4	4
	number... 328	120	25	11	11	25	19	29
	\$1,000... 10	3	(2)	(2)	(2)	1	1	1
Poultry								
Chickens 3 months old or older	farms... 14 490	12 626	231	995	2 081	3 497	3 834	1 988
	number... 7 066 609	6 200 726	127 382	389 565	1 243 222	2 405 163	1 510 920	524 474
Sold	farms... 5 319	4 899	93	299	799	1 459	1 557	692
	number... 7 616 792	6 494 466	75 648	385 966	1 707 925	2 724 482	1 275 447	324 998
Hens and pullets of laying age	farms... 14 189	12 396	221	963	2 041	3 430	3 771	1 970
	number... 6 596 016	5 822 643	116 842	369 013	1 169 555	2 234 672	1 434 601	497 960
Kept for table or market egg								
production	farms... 13 994	12 221	221	956	2 010	3 383	3 715	1 936
	number... 6 293 540	5 529 323	116 822	366 250	1 103 169	2 109 487	1 351 577	482 018
Kept for hatching egg								
production	farms... 430	364	1	24	60	95	118	66
	number... 302 476	293 320	20	2 763	66 386	125 185	83 024	15 942
Pullets 3 months old or older not of								
laying age	farms... 362	313	15	32	41	78	91	56
	number... 411 827	326 604	9 972	17 898	62 643	153 059	61 541	21 491
Roosters and male chickens	farms... 2 409	1 862	45	217	377	465	504	254
	number... 58 766	51 479	568	2 654	11 024	17 432	14 778	5 023
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3								
months old	farms... 151	124	4	6	20	38	39	17
	number... 664 115	561 239	310	57 126	81 503	267 370	145 380	9 550
Broilers and other meat-type								
chickens sold	farms... 1 168	942	26	134	226	274	213	69
	number... 464 496	297 736	13 847	43 139	83 936	69 980	67 663	19 171
Turkeys	farms... 251	198	6	31	51	58	38	14
	number... 591 361	534 150	51	44 927	58 892	390 414	39 705	161
Sold	farms... 250	220	4	24	36	95	49	12
	number... 4 210 454	3 850 456	26 600	367 974	391 217	2 082 061	836 700	145 904
Heavy breeds for slaughter	farms... 167	134	6	22	33	42	24	7
	number... 512 244	457 037	49	39 118	27 096	372 329	18 382	63
Sold	farms... 214	192	2	19	26	90	45	10
	number... 3 882 044	3 678 284	15 100	361 392	295 894	2 051 309	815 735	138 854
Light breeds for slaughter	farms... 37	23	-	4	8	3	5	3
	number... 576	280	-	79	65	27	39	70
Sold	farms... 26	19	2	5	4	4	1	2
	number... 251 385	98 622	11 500	6 582	65 906	9 549	35	5 050
Turkey hens kept for breeding	farms... 68	57	1	8	16	18	9	5
	number... 78 541	76 833	2	5 730	31 731	18 058	21 284	28
Sold	farms... 34	31	-	-	8	12	10	1
	number... 77 025	73 550	-	-	29 417	21 203	20 930	2 000
Crops Harvested								
Field corn for all purposes	farms... 103 850	91 395	2 846	10 750	16 952	25 726	24 877	10 244
	acres... 12 330 711	11 689 038	304 392	1 494 462	2 653 875	3 619 457	2 772 368	844 484
Commercial fertilizer used	farms... 83 428	74 403	2 355	9 345	14 524	21 624	19 535	7 020
	acres... 10 634 376	10 117 102	263 342	1 339 743	2 370 415	3 182 918	2 312 740	647 944
Field corn for grain or seed	farms... 102 441	90 316	2 819	10 636	16 789	25 395	24 589	10 088
	acres... 11 542 560	10 931 240	290 522	1 395 072	2 464 254	3 369 728	2 616 358	795 306
	bushels... 904 209 137	858 323 293	21 815 948	110 312 249	196 472 492	265 189 141	204 181 518	60 351 945
Irrigated	farms... 197	185	9	27	37	57	43	12
	acres... 27 247	26 654	1 496	4 238	6 428	7 498	5 179	1 815

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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	
Livestock—Continued							
Hogs and pigs sold							
farms	6 818	322	1 509	2 120	1 601	908	358
number	1 085 183	49 157	251 590	345 877	259 329	129 399	49 831
\$1,000	65 775	2 748	15 090	20 604	15 780	8 457	3 096
Feeder pigs							
farms	2 231	119	609	710	470	234	89
number	318 209	19 640	84 111	104 276	72 871	27 558	9 753
\$1,000	7 404	401	2 028	2 375	1 746	637	218
Litters of pigs farrowed between--							
December 1 of preceding year and							
November 30	5 090	232	1 154	1 600	1 183	659	262
number	120 955	5 889	27 939	39 064	28 050	14 454	5 559
December 1 and May 31	4 472	203	1 008	1 414	1 040	570	237
number	65 184	3 023	14 909	20 933	15 152	8 064	3 103
June 1 and November 30	4 011	193	936	1 271	923	495	193
number	55 771	2 866	13 030	18 131	12 898	6 390	2 456
Sheep and lambs of all ages							
farms	1 569	50	276	432	437	253	121
number	53 588	1 846	9 469	13 530	16 715	8 231	3 797
Lambs under 1 year old							
farms	1 023	35	174	280	281	168	85
number	19 153	402	4 062	4 379	5 891	2 874	1 545
Ewes 1 year old or older							
farms	1 471	50	252	403	414	236	116
number	32 514	1 360	5 103	8 639	10 292	4 984	2 136
Rams and wethers 1 year old or							
older	1 032	29	166	290	298	171	78
number	1 921	84	304	512	532	373	116
Sheep and lambs sold							
farms	1 563	52	280	427	433	249	122
number	49 727	1 616	10 990	14 726	12 953	6 309	3 133
Sheep and lambs shorn							
farms	1 314	42	193	357	390	229	103
number	43 638	1 333	7 824	13 007	12 590	6 369	2 515
pounds of wool	320 837	10 476	50 899	90 663	95 954	52 485	20 360
Horses and ponies							
farms	2 750	77	593	992	643	353	92
number	11 575	201	2 196	4 018	2 812	1 753	595
Sold							
farms	488	26	139	159	95	49	20
number	1 766	45	410	601	404	191	115
\$1,000	741	22	141	147	101	211	119
Horses							
farms	2 316	75	524	823	526	298	70
number	9 284	183	1 886	3 153	2 165	1 480	417
Sold							
farms	424	23	125	141	78	45	12
number	1 486	37	369	538	277	169	96
\$1,000	713	22	137	140	89	207	118
Any goats							
farms	45	-	17	16	7	3	2
number	237	-	110	89	23	10	5
Sold							
farms	12	-	5	5	1	-	1
number	208	-	119	84	4	-	1
\$1,000	7	-	5	2	(2)	-	(2)
Poultry							
Chickens 3 months old or older							
farms	1 864	40	312	583	464	332	133
number	865 883	2 898	91 555	179 266	346 065	125 495	120 604
Sold							
farms	420	6	58	102	118	96	40
number	1 122 326	1 779	78 991	171 895	518 880	260 411	90 370
Hens and pullets of laying age							
farms	1 793	38	300	557	443	326	129
number	773 373	2 813	76 929	169 219	311 453	123 881	89 078
Kept for table or market egg							
production	1 773	38	299	553	439	317	127
number	764 217	2 813	76 609	165 932	310 531	120 515	87 817
Kept for hatching egg							
production	66	-	11	22	10	17	6
number	9 156	-	320	3 287	922	3 366	1 261
Pullets 3 months old or older not of							
laying age	49	-	8	16	13	8	4
number	85 223	-	13 129	7 806	32 342	913	31 033
Roosters and male chickens							
farms	547	10	114	192	138	65	28
number	7 287	85	1 497	2 241	2 270	701	493
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3							
months old	27	-	2	11	6	6	2
number	102 876	-	6	9 430	24 140	(0)	(0)
Broilers and other meat-type							
chickens sold	226	8	61	100	36	17	4
number	166 760	1 050	11 944	91 590	12 563	48 833	780
Turkeys							
farms	53	-	10	26	12	3	2
number	57 211	-	75	34 060	71	(0)	(0)
Sold							
farms	30	1	2	13	5	3	6
number	359 998	(0)	(0)	183 851	24 803	59 508	34 830
Heavy breeds for slaughter							
farms	33	-	4	16	9	2	2
number	55 207	-	6	32 147	51	(0)	(0)
Sold							
farms	22	-	2	7	5	2	6
number	203 760	-	(0)	90 281	(0)	(0)	34 830
Light breeds for slaughter							
farms	14	-	5	8	1	-	-
number	296	-	45	247	4	-	-
Sold							
farms	7	1	-	4	1	1	-
number	152 763	(0)	-	90 095	(0)	(0)	-
Turkey hens kept for breeding							
farms	11	-	1	4	5	1	-
number	1 708	-	24	1 666	16	2	-
Sold							
farms	3	-	-	3	-	-	-
number	3 475	-	-	3 475	-	-	-
Crops Harvested							
Field corn for all purposes							
farms	12 455	425	2 245	3 481	3 321	2 143	840
acres	641 673	19 721	106 661	170 218	187 138	112 695	45 240
Commercial fertilizer used							
farms	9 025	306	1 743	2 618	2 404	1 425	529
acres	517 274	14 990	89 539	140 488	153 415	85 695	33 147
Field corn for grain or seed							
farms	12 125	421	2 187	3 385	3 228	2 079	825
acres	611 320	19 210	102 734	161 461	178 147	107 180	42 588
bushels	45 885 844	1 369 832	7 895 550	12 124 522	13 308 044	8 142 621	3 045 275
Irrigated							
farms	12	-	-	4	5	1	2
acres	593	-	-	90	350	84	69

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						65 years and over
		Total	Under 25 years	25 to 34 years	35 to 44 years	45 to 54 years	55 to 64 years	
Crops Harvested—Continued								
Sorghums for all purposes	farms... 981	836	37	104	179	229	179	108
	acres... 20 681	18 307	1 020	2 694	3 443	4 524	4 302	2 324
Commercial fertilizer used	farms... 348	292	13	52	68	83	52	24
	acres... 8 034	7 253	423	1 500	1 285	1 582	1 912	551
Sorghums for grain or seed	farms... 339	295	18	35	65	63	69	45
	acres... 11 256	9 919	707	1 427	1 690	1 804	2 775	1 516
Irrigated	bushels... 489 617	433 350	36 613	57 304	59 380	72 191	127 583	80 279
	farms... 3	2	—	1	—	—	1	—
	acres... 17	12	—	1	—	—	11	—
Soybeans for beans	farms... 81 097	72 408	2 283	8 447	13 221	20 569	20 018	7 870
	acres... 6 757 067	6 400 874	165 962	772 510	1 392 061	1 984 430	1 600 062	485 849
	bushels... 186 772 388	177 550 134	4 520 272	21 384 854	39 057 050	54 929 590	44 434 900	13 223 468
Irrigated	farms... 65	60	2	7	10	16	21	4
	acres... 2 825	2 585	70	438	454	503	979	141
Commercial fertilizer used	farms... 9 988	8 871	261	1 115	1 845	2 501	2 340	809
	acres... 858 795	806 501	18 100	98 670	191 564	242 214	201 347	54 606
Peanuts for nuts	farms... —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	acres... —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	pounds... —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Irrigated	farms... —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	acres... —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Commercial fertilizer used	farms... —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	acres... —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wheat	farms... 2 055	1 837	66	193	312	515	512	239
	acres... 56 918	53 132	1 355	5 468	9 886	14 954	14 348	7 121
	bushels... 1 691 939	1 584 697	47 276	152 012	314 808	445 856	412 932	211 813
Irrigated	farms... 3	3	—	—	—	—	2	1
	acres... 62	62	—	—	—	—	22	40
Commercial fertilizer used	farms... 793	732	23	70	162	231	189	57
	acres... 26 417	24 994	711	2 032	5 711	7 519	7 087	1 934
Cotton	farms... —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	acres... —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	boles... —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Irrigated	farms... —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	acres... —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Commercial fertilizer used	farms... —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	acres... —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco	farms... —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	acres... —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	pounds... —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Irrigated	farms... —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	acres... —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Commercial fertilizer used	farms... —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	acres... —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Irish potatoes	farms... 264	219	—	11	15	55	80	58
	acres... 310	289	—	29	42	27	66	125
	hundredweight... 36 678	34 647	—	4 993	7 703	2 540	7 662	11 749
Irrigated	farms... 20	18	—	1	3	3	8	3
	acres... 96	95	—	2	37	7	35	14
Commercial fertilizer used	farms... 43	38	—	5	4	4	13	12
	acres... 249	243	—	26	41	14	47	115
Hoy	farms... 68 720	61 061	1 444	6 726	11 629	17 657	16 542	7 063
	acres... 2 168 825	1 991 472	41 905	230 347	422 111	596 176	496 766	204 167
	tons... 5 681 812	5 264 887	107 103	617 697	1 169 790	1 597 942	1 275 128	497 227
Commercial fertilizer used	farms... 6 038	5 548	126	825	1 348	1 690	1 178	381
	acres... 196 833	182 867	3 316	29 727	48 783	54 611	35 696	10 734
Alfalfa and alfalfa mixtures for hay or dehydrating	farms... 50 029	44 567	1 053	5 019	8 787	12 985	11 894	4 829
	acres... 1 364 896	1 252 766	26 464	145 020	273 279	375 347	309 602	123 054
	tons, dry... 3 919 713	3 631 427	72 919	427 555	826 957	1 097 634	877 268	329 094
Irrigated	farms... 7	7	—	—	3	3	—	—
	acres... 177	177	—	18	108	51	—	—
Clover, timothy, and mixtures of clover and grasses for hay	farms... 19 807	17 435	407	1 715	2 955	4 916	5 001	2 441
	acres... 541 598	492 193	10 731	49 296	88 345	145 058	134 218	64 545
	tons, dry... 1 213 842	1 113 265	24 550	115 249	208 964	335 985	292 657	135 860
Irrigated	farms... 2	1	—	—	1	—	—	—
	acres... 41	40	—	—	40	—	—	—
Field seeds	farms... 1 038	972	16	85	130	288	288	165
	acres... 16 554	15 709	245	1 395	2 558	4 862	4 363	2 286
Irrigated	farms... —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	acres... —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Commercial fertilizer used	farms... 21	17	1	—	3	5	6	—
	acres... 415	383	15	30	43	164	131	—
Vegetables	farms... 404	324	6	35	60	86	82	55
	acres... 10 533	9 689	125	1 335	3 178	1 980	1 848	1 223
Irrigated	farms... 37	35	1	6	8	7	9	4
	acres... 929	901	16	219	204	135	303	25
Commercial fertilizer used	farms... 202	176	2	17	36	49	49	23
	acres... 7 379	7 120	37	837	2 715	1 428	1 352	751
Berries	farms... 84	66	1	3	18	12	18	14
	acres... 74	53	(2)	6	14	7	13	12
Irrigated	farms... 8	8	—	—	3	1	3	1
	acres... 15	15	—	—	3	3	9	(2)
Commercial fertilizer used	farms... 10	9	—	2	1	1	3	2
	acres... 25	25	—	6	3	3	9	4
Land in orchards	farms... 231	138	2	16	26	29	29	36
	acres... 2 152	1 633	20	382	493	217	240	282
Irrigated	farms... 1	1	—	—	—	—	—	1
	acres... 30	30	—	—	—	—	—	30
Commercial fertilizer used	farms... 15	9	1	1	4	—	1	2
	acres... 329	288	1	150	114	—	2	21

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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
Crops Harvested—Continued							
Sorghums for all purposes	farms... 145	5	25	44	43	20	8
	acres... 2 374	55	279	544	756	417	323
Commercial fertilizer used	farms... 56	4	8	26	15	3	—
	acres... 781	40	60	332	289	60	—
Sorghums for grain or seed	farms... 44	—	9	17	10	4	4
	acres... 1 337	—	138	304	408	193	294
	bushels... 56 267	—	4 502	10 609	12 095	13 908	15 153
Irrigated	farms... 1	—	—	—	—	—	1
	acres... 5	—	—	—	—	—	5
Soybeans for beans	farms... 8 689	325	1 499	2 305	2 372	1 551	637
	acres... 356 193	12 540	56 059	89 019	105 383	63 897	29 295
	bushels... 9 222 254	314 317	1 472 398	2 281 607	2 720 429	1 680 625	752 878
Irrigated	farms... 5	—	—	2	1	1	1
	acres... 240	—	—	160	20	30	30
Commercial fertilizer used	farms... 1 117	29	189	323	329	176	71
	acres... 52 294	1 029	7 754	14 609	16 113	8 004	4 785
Peanuts for nuts	farms... —	—	—	—	—	—	—
	acres... —	—	—	—	—	—	—
	pounds... —	—	—	—	—	—	—
Irrigated	farms... —	—	—	—	—	—	—
	acres... —	—	—	—	—	—	—
Commercial fertilizer used	farms... —	—	—	—	—	—	—
	acres... —	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wheat	farms... 218	2	39	55	52	49	21
	acres... 3 786	31	710	859	976	947	263
	bushels... 107 242	880	19 844	24 454	28 757	26 390	6 917
Irrigated	farms... —	—	—	—	—	—	—
	acres... —	—	—	—	—	—	—
Commercial fertilizer used	farms... 61	—	8	18	11	21	3
	acres... 1 423	—	239	464	339	371	10
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... 45	1	5	18	10	9	2
	acres... 22	(Z)	5	11	3	2	1
	hundredweight... 2 031	5	439	1 290	141	124	32
Irrigated	farms... 2	—	—	2	—	—	—
	acres... 1	—	—	1	—	—	—
Commercial fertilizer used	farms... 5	—	—	3	—	1	1
	acres... 7	—	—	5	—	1	1
Hay	farms... 7 659	190	1 185	2 224	2 175	1 389	496
	acres... 177 353	3 466	22 880	50 496	53 238	35 662	11 611
	tons... 416 925	8 573	52 588	120 704	125 060	82 136	27 864
Commercial fertilizer used	farms... 490	5	53	158	177	73	24
	acres... 13 966	106	1 180	3 978	5 705	2 172	825
Alfalfa and alfalfa mixtures for hay or dehydrating	farms... 5 462	130	835	1 598	1 562	986	351
	acres... 112 130	2 143	14 604	32 653	33 089	22 610	7 031
	tons, dry... 288 286	5 653	36 553	85 176	85 847	56 489	18 568
Irrigated	farms... —	—	—	—	—	—	—
	acres... —	—	—	—	—	—	—
Clover, timothy, and mixtures of clover and grasses for hay	farms... 2 372	61	369	673	695	430	144
	acres... 49 405	908	6 749	12 997	15 522	9 592	3 637
	tons, dry... 100 577	2 187	13 568	26 446	30 722	20 019	7 635
Irrigated	farms... 1	—	—	1	—	—	—
	acres... 1	—	—	1	—	—	—
Field seeds	farms... 66	—	6	16	23	14	7
	acres... 845	—	42	172	403	148	80
Irrigated	farms... —	—	—	—	—	—	—
	acres... —	—	—	—	—	—	—
Commercial fertilizer used	farms... 4	—	—	3	—	—	1
	acres... 32	—	—	17	—	—	15
Vegetables	farms... 80	—	9	29	16	18	8
	acres... 844	—	7	200	144	398	96
Irrigated	farms... 2	—	—	—	1	—	1
	acres... 28	—	—	—	25	—	3
Commercial fertilizer used	farms... 26	—	4	6	5	6	5
	acres... 260	—	2	29	119	76	33
Berries	farms... 18	—	1	6	8	2	1
	acres... 22	—	8	1	7	5	(Z)
Irrigated	farms... —	—	—	—	—	—	—
	acres... —	—	—	—	—	—	—
Commercial fertilizer used	farms... 1	—	—	1	—	—	—
	acres... (Z)	—	—	(Z)	—	—	—
Land in orchards	farms... 93	—	4	29	37	14	9
	acres... 519	—	34	92	243	98	51
Irrigated	farms... —	—	—	—	—	—	—
	acres... —	—	—	—	—	—	—
Commercial fertilizer used	farms... 6	—	—	1	1	1	3
	acres... 41	—	—	9	20	4	8