

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

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
Farms and Land in Farms								
Farms..... number..	85 083	72 977	2 054	7 816	13 329	19 679	20 381	9 718
..... percent..	100.0	85.8	2.4	9.2	15.7	23.1	24.0	11.4
Land in farms..... acres..	25 668 266	23 669 646	514 370	2 759 028	5 205 793	7 086 655	5 990 185	2 113 615
Average size of farm..... acres..	302	324	250	353	391	360	294	217
Value of land and buildings..... \$1,000..	11 065 415	10 267 224	227 534	1 294 325	2 359 550	3 098 131	2 487 948	799 736
Average per farm..... dollars..	130 054	140 691	110 776	165 599	177 024	157 433	122 072	82 294
Average per acre..... dollars..	431	434	442	469	453	437	415	378
Farms by value of farm:								
\$1 to \$9,999.....	1 420	981	70	83	140	144	288	256
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	4 706	3 424	131	243	380	601	1 061	1 008
\$20,000 to \$39,999.....	13 316	9 805	325	795	1 236	2 096	3 032	2 321
\$40,000 to \$69,999.....	17 765	14 445	432	1 364	2 140	3 579	4 445	2 485
\$70,000 to \$99,999.....	12 029	10 488	329	1 061	1 743	2 910	3 154	1 291
\$100,000 to \$149,999.....	12 400	11 354	299	1 294	2 158	3 340	3 222	1 041
\$150,000 to \$199,999.....	7 707	7 311	182	943	1 591	2 185	1 872	538
\$200,000 to \$499,999.....	13 226	12 723	249	1 682	3 203	4 048	2 855	686
\$500,000 and over.....	2 514	2 446	37	351	738	776	452	92
Owned and rented land by farm operator:								
Land owned..... farms..	76 190	65 255	1 025	5 835	11 915	18 181	19 109	9 190
..... acres..	18 599 669	16 828 441	212 998	1 407 875	3 339 760	5 082 589	4 805 323	1 979 896
Land rented or leased from others..... farms..	37 035	33 513	1 462	5 262	7 833	9 839	7 267	1 850
..... acres..	8 025 538	7 624 880	314 921	1 407 049	1 961 888	2 183 108	1 423 367	334 547
Land rented or leased to others..... farms..	7 937	6 128	118	421	749	1 287	1 836	1 717
..... acres..	956 941	783 675	13 549	55 896	95 855	179 042	238 505	200 828
Land in Farms According to Use								
Total cropland..... farms..	83 033	71 535	1 967	7 657	13 095	19 378	20 009	9 429
..... acres..	20 196 577	18 870 501	433 214	2 262 056	4 186 566	5 704 285	4 706 830	1 577 550
Harvested cropland..... farms..	82 151	71 000	1 947	7 620	13 015	19 264	19 858	9 296
..... acres..	17 178 480	16 175 645	370 445	1 963 960	3 640 528	4 924 430	4 002 944	1 273 338
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 49 acres.....	9 336	5 626	157	343	629	1 013	1 712	1 772
50 to 99 acres.....	16 841	12 751	358	1 022	1 564	2 733	4 086	2 988
100 to 199 acres.....	26 244	23 690	766	2 534	4 079	6 363	7 144	2 804
200 to 499 acres.....	23 782	23 064	587	2 936	5 108	7 229	5 718	1 486
500 to 999 acres.....	4 853	4 787	74	654	1 305	1 558	988	208
1,000 acres and over.....	1 095	1 082	5	131	330	368	210	38
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	964	958	4	116	294	326	184	34
2,000 acres and over.....	131	124	1	15	36	42	26	4
Cropland:								
Pasture or grazing only..... farms..	35 544	30 880	662	3 246	5 703	8 631	8 743	3 895
..... acres..	1 732 066	1 537 555	33 101	168 981	310 764	446 446	406 147	172 116
Cover crops, legumes, and soil improvement grasses not harvested or pastured..... farms..	3 940	3 135	65	349	573	784	844	520
..... acres..	125 289	105 344	2 494	11 938	19 925	27 002	26 593	17 392
On which all crops failed..... farms..	4 737	3 965	104	414	758	1 065	1 105	519
..... acres..	176 594	157 480	4 656	15 389	31 824	48 762	41 139	15 710
In cultivated summer fallow..... farms..	7 617	6 646	198	686	1 122	1 776	1 850	1 014
..... acres..	726 854	670 252	17 028	74 378	141 901	194 099	174 606	68 240
Idle..... farms..	6 194	5 169	152	540	887	1 361	1 417	812
..... acres..	257 294	224 225	5 490	27 410	41 624	63 546	55 401	30 754
Total woodland..... farms..	30 636	25 304	472	2 452	4 701	6 864	7 187	3 628
..... acres..	2 044 999	1 713 320	27 818	170 591	357 877	483 217	460 816	213 001
Woodland pastured..... farms..	19 578	16 345	279	1 553	3 062	4 449	4 676	2 326
..... acres..	1 097 593	936 238	14 911	90 984	194 753	263 096	252 632	119 862
Woodland not pastured..... farms..	19 029	15 648	298	1 543	2 933	4 257	4 436	2 181
..... acres..	947 406	777 082	12 907	79 607	163 124	220 121	208 184	93 139
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland								
pasture..... farms..	22 158	19 333	348	1 942	3 710	5 299	5 621	2 413
..... acres..	1 390 061	1 250 858	18 780	126 287	279 556	369 424	333 025	123 786
Improved pastureland and rangeland..... farms..	6 876	6 053	136	568	1 069	1 581	1 895	804
..... acres..	343 909	313 437	6 162	30 120	62 989	89 302	91 440	33 424
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland..... farms..	16 377	14 265	235	1 481	2 820	4 003	4 005	1 721
..... acres..	1 046 152	937 421	12 618	96 167	216 567	280 122	241 585	90 362
Other land (see text)								
..... farms..	68 884	59 504	1 369	6 228	11 045	16 277	16 736	7 849
..... acres..	2 036 629	1 834 967	34 558	200 094	381 794	529 729	489 514	199 278
Total pastureland..... farms..	55 816	48 209	983	4 998	8 981	13 291	13 675	6 281
..... acres..	4 219 720	3 724 651	66 792	386 252	785 073	1 078 966	991 804	415 764
Irrigated land..... farms..	670	566	7	58	122	183	144	52
..... acres..	59 315	54 620	1 306	6 468	16 947	17 105	9 818	2 976
Irrigated cropland harvested..... farms..	662	559	7	58	120	180	142	52
..... acres..	58 094	53 482	1 306	6 381	16 368	16 764	9 717	2 946
Artificial drainage..... farms..	23 229	21 267	575	2 607	4 325	6 253	5 649	1 858
..... acres drained..	4 169 189	4 009 117	87 070	541 395	991 958	1 261 465	899 624	227 605
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks..... farms..	9 424	8 292	171	862	1 735	2 592	2 240	692
..... number..	18 991	16 905	335	1 867	3 601	5 214	4 336	1 552
..... acres..	11 593	10 372	275	1 219	2 366	3 111	2 575	826
Race and Tenure of Farm Operator								
All farm operators.....	85 083	72 977	2 054	7 816	13 329	19 679	20 381	9 718
Full owners.....	48 089	39 491	592	2 558	5 500	9 843	13 120	7 878
Part owners.....	27 853	25 550	422	3 243	6 371	8 297	5 936	1 281
Tenants.....	9 141	7 936	1 040	2 015	1 458	1 539	1 325	559

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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.....	12 106	411	2 208	3 380	3 319	2 053	735
..... percent.....	14.2	0.5	2.6	4.0	3.9	2.4	0.9
Land in farms..... acres.....	1 998 620	45 561	323 256	554 443	591 421	350 596	133 343
Average size of farm..... acres.....	165	111	146	164	178	171	181
Value of land and buildings..... \$1,000.....	798 191	20 343	137 981	226 388	234 258	130 675	48 546
Average per farm..... dollars.....	65 933	49 497	62 491	66 979	70 581	63 651	66 049
Average per acre..... dollars.....	399	447	427	408	396	373	364
Farms by value of farm:							
\$1 to \$9,999.....	439	55	80	104	85	76	39
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	1 282	68	248	298	295	258	115
\$20,000 to \$39,999.....	3 511	106	685	941	957	609	213
\$40,000 to \$69,999.....	3 320	97	596	967	917	567	176
\$70,000 to \$99,999.....	1 541	37	284	457	455	223	50
\$100,000 to \$149,999.....	1 046	28	161	334	298	175	50
\$150,000 to \$199,999.....	396	9	65	130	128	47	17
\$200,000 to \$499,999.....	503	10	80	140	155	86	32
\$500,000 and over.....	68	1	9	9	29	12	8
Owned and rented land by farm operator:							
Land owned..... farms.....	10 935	260	1 821	3 112	3 137	1 937	668
..... acres.....	1 771 228	27 932	251 723	481 102	546 130	336 009	128 332
Land rented or leased from others..... farms.....	3 522	200	895	1 085	799	412	131
..... acres.....	400 658	19 667	94 479	116 099	95 534	50 795	24 084
Land rented or leased to others..... farms.....	1 809	30	319	495	468	332	165
..... acres.....	173 266	2 038	22 946	42 758	50 243	36 208	19 073
Land in Farms According to Use							
Total cropland..... farms.....	11 498	350	2 079	3 241	3 196	1 956	676
..... acres.....	1 326 076	33 046	228 213	370 345	386 751	228 822	78 899
Harvested cropland..... farms.....	11 151	333	2 013	3 138	3 094	1 911	662
..... acres.....	1 002 835	27 307	169 998	280 868	294 572	171 535	58 555
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 49 acres.....	3 710	122	732	987	965	661	243
50 to 99 acres.....	4 090	117	685	1 191	1 111	731	255
100 to 199 acres.....	2 554	78	478	734	759	396	109
200 to 499 acres.....	718	15	109	209	235	102	48
500 to 999 acres.....	66	7	7	16	19	18	5
1,000 acres and over.....	13	—	2	1	5	3	2
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	6	—	1	—	2	1	2
2,000 acres and over.....	7	—	1	1	3	2	—
Cropland:							
Pasture or grazing only..... farms.....	4 664	105	859	1 376	1 327	754	243
..... acres.....	194 511	3 020	33 693	58 262	56 275	30 858	12 403
Cover crops, legumes, and soil improvement grasses not harvested or pastured..... farms.....	805	19	151	265	219	112	39
..... acres.....	19 945	275	3 925	6 350	4 663	3 595	1 137
On which all crops failed..... farms.....	772	21	127	236	235	109	44
..... acres.....	19 114	295	3 107	5 257	6 188	2 962	1 305
In cultivated summer fallow..... farms.....	971	22	187	252	272	183	55
..... acres.....	56 602	1 648	10 435	13 590	15 438	13 107	2 384
Idle..... farms.....	1 025	29	181	252	291	184	88
..... acres.....	33 069	501	7 055	6 018	9 615	6 765	3 115
Total woodland farms..... 5 332							
..... acres.....	331 679	104	943	1 484	1 537	952	312
Woodland pastured..... farms.....	3 233	591	49 457	88 434	98 405	63 434	26 358
..... acres.....	161 355	58	522	940	971	551	191
Woodland not pastured..... farms.....	3 381	2 591	22 398	44 632	49 766	30 298	11 670
..... acres.....	170 324	73	630	908	956	631	183
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland							
pasture..... farms.....	2 825	51	492	803	835	477	167
..... acres.....	139 203	2 038	17 026	37 227	45 367	21 694	15 851
Improved pastureland and rangeland..... farms.....	823	16	150	214	238	151	54
..... acres.....	30 472	556	4 524	7 504	9 357	6 614	1 917
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland..... farms.....	2 112	35	365	619	629	349	115
..... acres.....	108 731	1 482	12 502	29 723	36 010	15 080	13 934
Other land (see text) farms..... 9 380							
..... acres.....	201 662	274	1 651	2 628	2 612	1 640	575
Total pastureland farms..... 7 607							
..... acres.....	495 069	160	1 334	2 228	2 190	1 264	431
Irrigated land..... farms.....	104	7 649	73 117	140 121	151 408	82 850	39 924
..... acres.....	4 695	2	14	26	30	23	9
Irrigated cropland harvested..... farms.....	103	2	14	26	29	23	9
..... acres.....	4 612	14	930	1 541	1 076	944	107
Artificial drainage farms..... 1 962							
..... acres drained.....	160 072	54	340	577	541	362	88
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks farms..... 1 132							
..... number.....	2 086	19	183	323	359	191	57
..... acres.....	1 221	25	312	544	763	354	88
Race and Tenure of Farm Operator							
All farm operators.....	12 106	411	2 208	3 380	3 319	2 053	735
Full owners.....	8 598	211	1 314	2 302	2 525	1 641	605
Part owners.....	2 303	49	503	800	603	288	60
Tenants.....	1 205	151	391	278	191	124	70

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Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over

Race and Tenure of Farm Operator—Continued

All farm operators—Continued

	Total farming and other occupations	Farming						
		Total	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
White ¹	84 883	72 813	2 046	7 801	13 295	19 629	20 345	9 697
Full owners.....	47 974	39 405	592	2 553	5 479	9 823	13 096	7 862
Part owners.....	27 802	25 502	421	3 240	6 358	8 271	5 931	1 281
Tenants.....	9 107	7 906	1 033	2 008	1 458	1 535	1 318	554
Black and other races ¹	200	164	8	15	34	50	36	21
Full owners.....	115	86	—	5	21	20	24	16
Part owners.....	51	48	1	3	13	26	5	—
Tenants.....	34	30	7	7	—	4	7	5

Farms by Type of Organization

	Total farming and other occupations	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..... farms.....	78 849	67 309	1 863	7 237	12 662	18 436	18 480	8 631
..... acres.....	23 039 439	21 173 490	456 904	2 498 137	4 840 777	6 455 917	5 168 652	1 753 103
Partnership..... farms.....	6 234	5 668	191	579	667	1 243	1 901	1 087
..... acres.....	2 628 827	2 496 156	57 466	260 891	365 016	630 738	821 533	360 512
Corporation, including family owned..... farms.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... acres.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other..... farms.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... acres.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

Farm Credit

	Total farming and other occupations	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..... farms.....	38 786	32 658	966	4 512	7 766	10 193	7 343	1 878
..... \$1,000.....	1 489 490	1 365 209	30 410	214 847	410 975	441 470	226 414	41 093
Debts secured by real estate..... farms.....	29 774	24 928	486	3 122	6 221	8 146	5 583	1 370
..... \$1,000.....	944 063	855 642	17 531	128 605	257 567	281 571	143 587	26 783
Debts not secured by real estate..... farms.....	26 057	22 300	747	3 401	5 604	6 925	4 553	1 070
..... \$1,000.....	545 427	509 567	12 880	86 243	153 408	159 899	82 827	14 310

Farm Operator Characteristics¹

	Total farming and other occupations	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 operators by age group:								
Under 25 years.....	2 465	2 054	2 054	—	—	—	—	—
25 to 34 years.....	10 024	7 816	—	7 816	—	—	—	—
35 to 44 years.....	16 709	13 329	—	—	13 329	—	—	—
45 to 54 years.....	22 998	19 679	—	—	—	19 679	—	—
55 to 64 years.....	22 434	20 381	—	—	—	—	20 381	—
65 years and over.....	10 453	9 718	—	—	—	—	—	9 718
Average age.....	49.7	50.5	21.9	30.1	39.9	49.7	59.3	70.4
Farm operators by place of residence:								
On farm operated.....	65 144	56 302	1 175	5 851	10 538	15 692	15 897	7 149
On another farm.....	2 812	2 489	518	512	404	455	422	178
In a rural area, not on a farm.....	670	363	19	80	57	81	81	45
In a city, town, or urban area.....	3 195	1 770	77	216	240	391	533	313
Farm operators by principal occupation:								
Farming.....	72 977	72 977	2 054	7 816	13 329	19 679	20 381	9 718
Other.....	12 106	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Farm operators reporting off-farm income:								
Greater than value of farm products sold.....	9 645	2 794	104	226	369	564	809	722
Less than value of farm products sold.....	41 644	37 195	1 220	4 249	6 820	10 246	9 946	4 714
Not reporting or none.....	33 794	32 988	730	3 341	6 140	8 869	9 626	4 282
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:								
1 to 49 days.....	23 727	12 869	807	1 949	2 561	3 609	3 066	877
50 to 99 days.....	6 099	5 894	376	845	1 118	1 566	1 525	464
100 to 149 days.....	2 066	1 897	146	311	385	533	395	127
150 to 199 days.....	2 028	1 586	97	294	356	465	301	73
200 days and over.....	2 444	1 095	59	162	246	352	232	44
Average.....	11 090	2 397	129	337	456	693	613	169
Persons in household (other than farm operator) working off farm:								
Farms reporting.....	12 382	9 532	242	1 044	1 907	3 130	2 531	678
Number of persons.....	14 584	11 180	257	1 086	2 285	3 840	2 956	756
By number of days worked:								
1 to 49 days.....	3 638	3 042	59	295	730	1 076	680	202
50 to 99 days.....	1 905	1 469	42	148	341	493	356	89
100 to 149 days.....	1 721	1 325	39	143	278	445	330	90
150 to 199 days.....	2 156	1 666	29	155	290	535	532	125
200 days and over.....	5 164	3 678	88	345	646	1 291	1 058	250

Farms by Size

	Total farming and other occupations	Total	Under 25 years	25 to 34 years	35 to 44 years	45 to 54 years	55 to 64 years	65 years and over
1 to 9 acres.....	1 601	1 078	76	135	170	222	286	189
10 to 49 acres.....	3 277	1 713	100	109	191	286	463	564
50 to 69 acres.....	1 559	937	42	65	82	149	254	345
70 to 99 acres.....	6 188	4 079	164	260	394	669	1 293	1 299
100 to 139 acres.....	7 175	5 403	154	438	643	1 203	1 823	1 142
140 to 179 acres.....	13 155	11 240	373	1 076	1 641	2 606	3 573	1 971
180 to 219 acres.....	7 649	6 736	235	746	1 085	1 768	2 055	847
220 to 259 acres.....	8 205	7 469	196	856	1 307	2 097	2 140	873
260 to 499 acres.....	24 462	22 920	530	2 697	4 843	6 997	5 970	1 883
500 to 999 acres.....	9 420	9 071	161	1 153	2 318	2 896	2 038	505
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	2 039	1 994	19	245	558	673	413	86
2,000 acres and over.....	353	337	4	36	97	113	73	14

Farms by Standard Industrial Classification (see text)

	Total farming and other occupations	Total	Under 25 years	25 to 34 years	35 to 44 years	45 to 54 years	55 to 64 years	65 years and over
Cash grain farms (011).....	35 823	30 528	1 071	3 208	4 931	7 755	8 886	4 677
Cotton farms (0131).....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco farms (0132).....	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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

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		Under 25 years	25 to 34 years	35 to 44 years	45 to 54 years	55 to 64 years	65 years and over
Race and Tenure of Farm Operator—Continued							
All farm operators—Continued							
White ¹	12 070	410	2 201	3 372	3 306	2 048	733
Full owners.....	8 569	210	1 310	2 296	2 514	1 636	603
Part owners.....	2 300	49	503	799	601	288	60
Tenants.....	1 201	151	388	277	191	124	70
Black and other races ¹	36	1	7	8	13	5	2
Full owners.....	29	1	4	6	11	5	2
Part owners.....	3	—	—	1	2	—	—
Tenants.....	4	—	3	1	—	—	—
Farms by Type of Organization							
Individual or family..... farms.....	11 540	394	2 109	3 292	3 165	1 935	645
..... acres.....	1 865 949	44 143	304 985	536 307	546 756	320 188	113 570
Partnership..... farms.....	566	17	99	88	154	118	90
..... acres.....	132 671	1 418	18 271	18 136	44 665	30 408	19 773
Corporation, including family owned..... farms.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... acres.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other..... farms.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... acres.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Farm Credit							
Total operator farm debt..... farms.....	6 128	189	1 299	2 049	1 734	684	173
..... \$1,000.....	124 281	2 836	26 877	44 439	35 447	12 082	2 599
Debts secured by real estate..... farms.....	4 846	114	985	1 697	1 401	524	125
..... \$1,000.....	88 420	1 869	19 271	32 374	24 748	8 343	1 814
Debts not secured by real estate..... farms.....	3 757	129	836	1 255	1 049	390	98
..... \$1,000.....	35 861	967	7 607	12 065	10 699	3 738	785
Farm Operator Characteristics¹							
Farm operators by age group:							
Under 25 years.....	411	411	—	—	—	—	—
25 to 34 years.....	2 208	—	2 208	—	—	—	—
35 to 44 years.....	3 380	—	—	3 380	—	—	—
45 to 54 years.....	3 319	—	—	—	3 319	—	—
55 to 64 years.....	2 053	—	—	—	—	2 053	—
65 years and over.....	735	—	—	—	—	—	735
Average age.....	45.1	21.5	30.3	39.6	49.3	58.7	71.0
Farm operators by place of residence:							
On farm operated.....	8 842	269	1 591	2 583	2 522	1 447	430
On another farm.....	323	49	109	68	55	29	13
In a rural area, not on a farm.....	307	18	82	99	58	43	7
In a city, town, or urban area.....	1 425	48	255	350	378	287	107
Farm operators by principal occupation:							
Farming.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other.....	12 106	411	2 208	3 380	3 319	2 053	735
Farm operators reporting off-farm income—							
Greater than value of farm products sold.....	6 851	174	1 258	2 026	1 923	1 170	300
Less than value of farm products sold.....	4 449	209	857	1 200	1 239	682	262
Not reporting or none.....	806	28	93	154	157	201	173
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm.....							
1 to 49 days.....	205	23	26	42	36	46	32
50 to 99 days.....	169	7	24	24	36	40	38
100 to 149 days.....	442	21	65	109	91	119	37
150 to 199 days.....	1 349	65	268	378	369	220	49
200 days and over.....	8 693	250	1 700	2 622	2 549	1 317	255
Persons in household (other than farm operator) working off farm:							
Farms reporting.....	2 850	54	414	807	925	516	134
Number of persons.....	3 404	60	432	992	1 152	599	169
By number of days worked:							
1 to 49 days.....	596	8	75	206	185	94	28
50 to 99 days.....	436	7	50	139	173	57	10
100 to 149 days.....	396	6	49	121	149	53	18
150 to 199 days.....	490	7	63	136	178	81	25
200 days and over.....	1 486	32	195	390	467	314	88
Farms by Size							
1 to 9 acres.....	523	65	113	102	118	79	46
10 to 49 acres.....	1 564	78	385	429	335	247	90
50 to 69 acres.....	622	16	136	176	148	101	45
70 to 99 acres.....	2 109	90	348	609	548	383	131
100 to 139 acres.....	1 772	38	306	534	511	275	108
140 to 179 acres.....	1 915	46	331	525	554	337	122
180 to 219 acres.....	913	24	156	255	281	153	44
220 to 259 acres.....	736	12	123	207	212	137	45
260 to 499 acres.....	1 542	38	259	424	473	275	73
500 to 999 acres.....	349	4	44	103	123	53	22
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	45	—	5	14	12	8	6
2,000 acres and over.....	16	—	2	2	4	5	3
Farms by Standard Industrial Classification (see text)							
Cash grain farms (011).....	5 295	201	974	1 489	1 403	913	315
Cotton farms (0131).....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco farms (0132).....	2	—	2	—	—	—	—

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)	3 452	2 571	69	239	408	632	699	524
Vegetable and melon farms (016)	435	275	7	28	43	58	71	68
Fruit and tree nut farms (017)	90	40	1	1	4	10	15	9
Horticultural specialty farms (018)	275	171	1	15	25	51	47	32
General farms, primarily crop (0191)	1 907	1 597	36	157	267	425	468	244
Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021)	16 850	13 063	410	1 499	2 380	3 379	3 475	1 920
Dairy farms (024)	22 865	21 812	400	2 435	4 726	6 472	5 866	1 913
Poultry and egg farms (025)	779	641	10	56	118	210	190	57
Animal specialty farms (027)	378	228	5	19	42	64	71	27
General farms, primarily livestock (0291)	2 067	1 958	44	153	370	596	570	225
Farms not classified by SIC	160	93	-	6	15	27	23	22

Value of Products Sold

Total farming and other occupations	Forming							
	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		
Market value of agricultural products sold	85 083	72 977	2 054	7 816	13 329	19 679	20 381	9 718
farms	3 211 207	3 050 878	63 030	371 240	726 341	952 512	734 927	202 829
\$1,000								
Farms by value of agricultural products sold								
\$500,000 and over	122	117	1	14	26	45	25	6
\$200,000 to \$499,999	1 239	1 209	5	129	386	386	252	51
\$100,000 to \$199,999	4 360	4 273	60	568	1 222	1 402	855	166
\$40,000 to \$99,999	19 605	19 146	429	2 551	4 587	6 227	4 418	934
\$20,000 to \$39,999	21 892	20 668	615	2 368	3 774	6 033	6 113	1 765
\$10,000 to \$19,999	17 293	14 776	540	1 414	2 134	3 532	4 832	2 324
\$5,000 to \$9,999	12 027	8 153	254	549	812	1 335	2 553	2 650
\$2,500 to \$4,999	7 533	4 137	130	190	353	643	1 184	1 637
Under \$2,500 (see text)	1 012	498	20	33	35	76	149	185
Grain sold	62 736	54 892	1 645	5 963	9 882	14 710	15 376	7 316
farms	1 424 151	1 356 717	30 567	168 593	308 573	411 773	338 414	98 797
\$1,000	10 469	10 293	172	1 375	2 543	3 312	2 394	497
Sales of \$40,000 and over	791 985	780 310	11 219	103 327	205 857	253 695	171 902	34 310
Tobacco sold	9	5	-	1	-	2	-	2
farms	36	26	-	6	-	17	-	4
\$1,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sales of \$40,000 and over	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cotton and cottonseed sold	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
\$1,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sales of \$40,000 and over	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage sold	20 307	16 663	385	1 631	2 851	4 198	4 768	2 830
farms	68 871	59 822	1 227	6 853	12 065	16 693	15 213	7 770
\$1,000	63	58	-	9	11	21	11	6
Sales of \$40,000 and over	3 788	3 575	-	589	648	1 327	676	336
Other field crops sold	2 553	2 447	88	289	519	790	593	168
farms	136 996	134 363	3 055	13 347	32 590	47 222	31 338	6 812
\$1,000	1 048	1 031	24	121	244	353	236	53
Sales of \$40,000 and over	115 175	113 173	2 136	10 874	28 276	40 185	26 223	5 479
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons sold	3 244	2 831	78	304	623	775	778	273
farms	30 814	26 398	742	2 738	6 162	8 254	6 455	2 046
\$1,000	83	70	2	6	22	25	13	2
Sales of \$40,000 and over	6 758	4 973	(D)	321	1 331	2 044	985	(D)
Fruit, nuts, and berries sold	237	151	8	9	15	41	47	31
farms	2 375	1 674	75	20	203	506	556	314
\$1,000	11	10	-	-	-	3	4	3
Sales of \$40,000 and over	988	(D)	-	-	-	297	420	210
Poultry and poultry products sold	7 917	6 913	119	581	1 139	1 897	2 106	1 071
farms	102 649	93 312	727	8 625	20 892	30 640	26 688	5 739
\$1,000	632	564	6	53	120	196	161	28
Sales of \$40,000 and over	90 769	82 750	543	7 883	19 323	27 339	23 192	4 470
Dairy products sold	29 353	28 035	516	3 019	5 982	8 419	7 582	2 517
farms	563 603	550 711	9 091	66 549	140 297	178 444	126 497	29 834
\$1,000	2 632	2 596	25	339	811	867	468	86
Sales of \$40,000 and over	144 819	142 796	1 304	17 818	44 200	48 045	26 116	5 312
Cattle and calves sold	54 346	47 972	1 058	5 182	9 451	13 585	13 258	5 438
farms	500 502	472 146	7 949	53 307	118 771	149 087	111 485	31 547
\$1,000	2 147	2 083	36	261	557	693	446	90
Sales of \$40,000 and over	235 508	228 162	2 729	26 139	66 281	76 160	46 840	10 015
Hogs and pigs sold	27 774	24 560	760	3 030	5 003	7 050	6 459	2 258
farms	345 901	327 335	9 173	49 385	80 680	100 360	70 540	17 197
\$1,000	1 760	1 713	35	288	495	545	293	57
Sales of \$40,000 and over	121 032	117 539	2 312	21 001	34 648	36 287	19 194	4 096
Sheep, lambs, and wool sold	5 097	4 219	99	401	741	1 140	1 234	604
farms	10 366	8 963	275	851	1 945	2 845	2 067	981
\$1,000	28	25	-	2	8	10	3	2
Sales of \$40,000 and over	2 640	2 363	-	(D)	657	1 068	235	(D)
Other livestock and livestock products sold	1 537	967	32	124	208	262	229	112
farms	12 612	10 004	126	389	2 345	3 390	3 079	675
\$1,000	78	69	-	1	13	27	23	5
Sales of \$40,000 and over	7 997	6 691	-	(D)	1 699	2 334	2 247	(D)
Nursery and greenhouse products sold	381	252	2	22	38	78	71	41
farms	10 798	8 139	14	382	1 623	2 770	2 357	994
\$1,000	82	64	-	1	13	25	19	6
Sales of \$40,000 and over	7 772	6 013	-	(D)	1 326	2 159	1 822	654
Forest products sold	1 173	930	14	105	184	235	271	121
farms	1 534	1 268	8	196	194	512	238	120
\$1,000	2	2	-	1	-	1	-	-
Sales of \$40,000 and over	(D)	(D)	-	(D)	-	(D)	-	-

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	
Farms by Standard Industrial Classification (see text) — Con.							
Sugar crop, Irish potato, hay, peanut, and other field crop farms (0133, 0134, 0139)	881	22	127	232	261	163	76
Vegetable and melon farms (016)	160	7	33	48	37	20	15
Fruit and tree nut farms (017)	50	1	4	10	14	18	3
Horticultural specialty farms (018)	104	3	13	22	28	25	13
General farms, primarily crop (0191)	310	10	69	94	70	54	13
Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021)	3 787	148	765	1 058	1 051	567	198
Dairy farms (024)	1 053	15	133	300	330	212	63
Poultry and egg farms (025)	138	2	19	42	40	21	14
Animal specialty farms (027)	150	2	29	48	38	22	11
General farms, primarily livestock (0291)	109	—	26	22	31	21	9
Farms not classified by SIC	67	—	14	15	16	17	5
Value of Products Sold							
Market value of agricultural products sold	12 106	411	2 208	3 380	3 319	2 053	735
\$1,000	160 330	4 443	26 887	44 868	47 715	27 072	9 345
Farms by value of agricultural products sold:							
\$500,000 and over	5	—	—	2	1	1	1
\$200,000 to \$499,999	30	1	4	5	10	9	1
\$100,000 to \$199,999	87	1	13	20	31	15	7
\$40,000 to \$99,999	459	10	66	135	152	68	28
\$20,000 to \$39,999	1 224	29	218	371	381	174	51
\$10,000 to \$19,999	2 517	92	464	773	690	398	100
\$5,000 to \$9,999	3 874	128	695	1 065	998	710	278
\$2,500 to \$4,999	3 396	138	630	866	923	604	235
Under \$2,500 (see text)	514	12	118	143	133	74	34
Grain sold	7 844	250	1 452	2 194	2 143	1 335	470
\$1,000	67 434	2 081	11 652	18 932	20 199	10 576	3 994
Sales of \$40,000 and over	176	5	22	44	65	30	10
\$1,000	11 675	286	1 755	2 555	4 322	1 885	872
Tobacco sold	4	2	2	—	—	—	—
\$1,000	9	5	5	—	—	—	—
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	3 644	93	641	1 027	1 018	623	242
\$1,000	9 050	228	1 360	2 598	2 633	1 618	611
Sales of \$40,000 and over	5	—	—	2	1	—	2
\$1,000	213	—	—	(D)	(D)	—	(D)
Other field crops sold	106	4	12	29	33	21	7
\$1,000	2 632	31	265	1 069	1 006	178	83
Sales of \$40,000 and over	17	—	2	4	8	2	1
\$1,000	2 002	—	(D)	894	749	(D)	(D)
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons sold	413	14	55	137	127	51	29
\$1,000	4 416	131	693	1 123	737	1 435	297
Sales of \$40,000 and over	13	1	5	2	—	3	2
\$1,000	1 785	(D)	231	(D)	—	1 131	(D)
Fruit, nuts, and berries sold	86	4	11	21	20	24	6
\$1,000	702	32	110	82	206	239	33
Sales of \$40,000 and over	1	—	1	—	—	—	—
\$1,000	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	—	—	—
Poultry and poultry products sold	1 004	33	176	332	243	150	70
\$1,000	9 337	161	1 100	2 864	2 756	2 229	227
Sales of \$40,000 and over	68	1	11	22	19	13	2
\$1,000	8 018	(D)	970	2 471	2 411	1 919	(D)
Dairy products sold	1 318	15	171	356	425	269	82
\$1,000	12 892	147	1 445	3 673	4 225	2 634	768
Sales of \$40,000 and over	36	1	2	11	12	5	5
\$1,000	2 023	(D)	(D)	671	666	284	235
Cattle and calves sold	6 374	163	1 148	1 858	1 819	1 057	329
\$1,000	28 356	611	4 797	7 620	9 277	4 638	1 412
Sales of \$40,000 and over	64	1	5	14	27	12	5
\$1,000	7 345	(D)	699	1 520	3 197	1 371	(D)
Hogs and pigs sold	3 214	146	727	957	839	411	134
\$1,000	18 566	922	4 350	5 300	5 248	2 052	693
Sales of \$40,000 and over	47	2	9	12	19	5	—
\$1,000	3 493	(D)	841	794	1 409	(D)	—
Sheep, lambs, and wool sold	878	20	158	285	251	122	42
\$1,000	1 403	24	299	367	470	201	42
Sales of \$40,000 and over	3	—	1	1	1	—	—
\$1,000	277	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	—
Other livestock and livestock products sold	570	13	144	179	140	74	20
\$1,000	2 608	10	364	572	557	339	767
Sales of \$40,000 and over	9	—	1	2	2	2	2
\$1,000	1 305	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Nursery and greenhouse products sold	129	3	22	25	33	31	15
\$1,000	2 659	61	396	606	319	883	393
Sales of \$40,000 and over	18	1	2	6	1	4	4
\$1,000	1 758	(D)	(D)	368	(D)	699	301
Forest products sold	243	2	41	59	69	54	18
\$1,000	267	(2)	50	62	81	50	24
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	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... 85 069	72 972	2 053	7 816	13 329	19 679	20 381	9 714
	\$1,000... 2 122 838	1 995 921	41 132	252 277	488 008	630 896	460 958	122 649
Livestock and poultry purchased	farms... 33 408	28 368	904	3 704	6 029	7 870	7 219	2 642
	\$1,000... 267 700	249 590	5 263	34 592	67 454	79 238	50 803	12 241
Feed for livestock and poultry	farms... 56 565	49 153	1 231	5 565	9 760	14 014	13 323	5 260
	\$1,000... 333 430	311 127	6 622	39 940	77 871	99 195	70 832	16 668
Commercially mixed formula feeds	farms... 45 016	39 116	988	4 440	7 767	11 067	10 641	4 213
	tons... 1 278 658	1 182 152	22 956	152 902	283 027	373 486	283 781	66 000
Feed ingredients	farms... 213 396	198 392	4 047	25 544	48 707	62 122	47 038	10 933
	\$1,000... 21 339	19 270	453	2 246	4 032	5 794	5 097	1 648
	tons... 298 147	284 476	5 412	34 074	71 746	95 003	64 328	13 912
	\$1,000... 50 484	48 230	918	5 993	12 379	16 019	10 567	2 353
Whole grains	farms... 19 995	17 171	476	2 097	3 519	4 991	4 489	1 599
	tons... 577 512	539 659	13 899	72 443	140 914	174 458	109 624	28 321
	\$1,000... 58 836	54 969	1 414	7 248	14 332	17 874	11 241	2 860
Hay, green chop, and silage	farms... 9 194	7 772	200	7 977	1 678	2 288	1 932	697
	tons... 384 199	342 192	11 938	42 493	87 060	111 126	69 339	20 238
	\$1,000... 10 714	9 536	243	1 154	2 452	3 179	1 986	521
Animal health cost for livestock and poultry	farms... 45 763	41 162	899	4 602	8 568	12 197	11 092	3 804
	\$1,000... 18 537	17 620	350	2 446	4 611	5 548	3 766	900
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees	farms... 72 221	63 624	1 738	6 997	12 071	17 858	17 541	7 419
	\$1,000... 99 452	94 030	2 147	11 508	21 654	29 382	22 926	6 413
Commercial fertilizer purchased	farms... 65 742	58 149	1 671	6 707	11 226	16 414	15 857	6 274
	\$1,000... 245 454	234 368	5 238	31 295	57 944	73 489	53 131	13 270
Commercial fertilizer used	farms... 61 402	54 741	1 555	6 425	10 751	15 563	14 837	5 610
acres fertilized	9 809 532	9 371 752	213 162	1 216 455	2 260 081	2 908 940	2 192 561	580 553
dry tons	966 679	921 840	20 599	122 917	228 614	286 399	209 283	54 027
liquid or gas tons	268 540	258 406	6 107	33 718	65 154	83 394	57 654	12 378
Other agricultural chemicals (see text)	farms... 52 634	47 085	1 234	5 390	9 334	13 487	12 750	4 890
	\$1,000... 69 777	66 727	1 471	9 187	16 799	20 598	15 014	3 658
Lime	farms... 2 417	2 188	37	291	473	694	513	180
	tons... 271 651	252 877	3 066	31 884	60 472	83 050	55 943	18 462
	\$1,000... 1 588	1 472	20	185	351	488	324	105
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business	farms... 83 682	71 868	2 000	7 717	13 171	19 440	20 040	9 500
	\$1,000... 140 493	131 514	2 888	15 332	29 092	41 240	32 736	10 225
Gasoline	farms... 82 112	70 573	1 910	7 516	12 962	19 142	19 709	9 334
	\$1,000... 81 510	75 374	1 655	8 180	15 840	23 372	19 686	6 641
Diesel oil	farms... 45 681	41 698	1 211	5 140	8 818	12 254	10 577	3 698
	\$1,000... 34 890	33 483	751	4 256	7 954	10 861	7 614	2 046
LP gas, butane, and propane	farms... 19 833	18 485	499	2 279	4 158	5 535	4 630	1 384
	\$1,000... 11 704	11 232	223	1 543	2 822	3 512	2 579	552
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil	farms... 83 585	71 788	1 996	7 710	13 162	19 423	20 013	9 484
	\$1,000... 12 390	11 426	258	1 353	2 477	3 494	2 858	986
Hired farm labor	farms... 31 409	27 738	617	3 146	5 224	8 070	7 692	2 989
	\$1,000... 69 049	64 351	843	5 899	14 357	22 344	16 093	4 814
Workers by number of days worked:								
150 days or more	farms... 6 998	6 574	79	594	1 364	2 229	1 741	567
	workers... 11 360	10 616	136	818	2 353	3 771	2 729	809
25 to 149 days	farms... 9 583	8 756	134	1 004	1 940	2 805	2 206	667
	workers... 24 722	22 913	364	2 311	5 156	8 026	5 510	1 546
Less than 25 days	farms... 21 119	18 297	476	2 190	3 179	4 961	5 256	2 235
	workers... 93 532	83 996	2 125	9 745	16 028	25 208	23 240	7 650
Contract labor	farms... 2 735	2 383	46	330	492	700	583	232
	\$1,000... 5 347	4 748	54	624	1 213	1 406	1 106	345
Machine hire and customwork	farms... 46 337	39 920	1 070	4 338	7 250	11 187	11 121	4 954
	\$1,000... 46 313	41 650	1 039	4 942	8 838	12 289	10 643	3 899
All other production expenses	farms... 84 789	72 804	2 049	7 806	13 322	19 656	20 339	9 632
	\$1,000... 827 285	780 196	15 217	96 512	188 176	246 167	183 908	50 216
Farm-Related Income and Expenses								
Farm-related income	farms... 20 357	17 709	593	2 212	3 477	4 831	4 483	2 113
	\$1,000... 46 184	41 334	1 242	5 161	8 325	11 774	10 000	4 832
\$10,000 and over	farms... 816	739	17	80	155	235	169	83
	\$1,000... 14 560	13 031	311	1 631	2 622	3 941	3 041	1 485
Farm-related income from—								
Customwork and other agricultural services	farms... 9 682	8 926	404	1 411	1 975	2 501	2 013	622
	\$1,000... 20 093	18 385	702	2 998	4 275	5 026	4 123	1 261
Recreational services	farms... 346	259	13	22	51	61	79	33
	\$1,000... 474	349	5	41	54	94	117	39
Payments from government farm programs	farms... 7 007	6 093	151	707	1 229	1 814	1 576	616
	\$1,000... 9 073	8 454	169	937	1 955	2 731	2 021	642
Rent from farmland and payments from lease or sale of allotments	farms... 4 449	3 407	69	240	450	745	985	918
	\$1,000... 11 340	9 273	143	558	1 066	2 247	2 786	2 473
Other farm-related income	farms... 2 762	2 502	85	311	480	750	601	275
	\$1,000... 5 204	4 873	223	628	975	1 676	954	417
Expenses for farm-related income sources	farms... 7 092	6 122	253	796	1 198	1 605	1 490	780
	\$1,000... 12 484	10 881	363	1 218	2 146	2 929	2 778	1 446

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...	12 097	411	2 206	3 376	3 318	2 053	733
\$1,000...	126 918	3 447	22 339	36 308	37 759	20 718	6 346
Livestock and poultry purchased ---- farms...	5 040	196	1 109	1 577	1 291	672	195
\$1,000...	18 109	511	3 664	5 228	5 452	2 610	643
Feed for livestock and poultry ---- farms...	7 412	242	1 448	2 220	2 022	1 128	352
\$1,000...	22 303	759	3 990	6 518	6 708	3 431	896
Commercially mixed formula feeds ---- farms...	5 900	196	1 171	1 781	1 578	884	290
tons...	96 506	3 206	15 327	29 682	27 291	17 170	3 829
\$1,000...	15 004	516	2 521	4 511	4 410	2 426	620
Feed ingredients ---- farms...	2 069	45	410	599	602	315	98
tons...	13 672	401	3 788	2 581	3 763	2 329	811
\$1,000...	2 254	74	478	458	689	429	126
Whole grains ---- farms...	2 824	96	609	860	752	386	121
tons...	37 853	1 572	7 275	11 556	12 884	3 504	1 062
\$1,000...	3 867	150	781	1 131	1 305	391	110
Hay, green chop, and silage ---- farms...	1 422	47	293	455	397	173	57
tons...	42 007	835	6 725	13 077	12 565	6 736	2 069
\$1,000...	1 178	19	211	417	304	186	41
Animal health cost for livestock and poultry ---- farms...	4 601	108	830	1 375	1 388	692	208
\$1,000...	917	28	148	266	280	129	65
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees ---- farms...	8 597	257	1 561	2 495	2 420	1 401	463
\$1,000...	5 422	154	888	1 563	1 496	1 051	270
Commercial fertilizer purchased ---- farms...	7 593	241	1 413	2 253	2 126	1 202	358
\$1,000...	11 086	314	1 880	3 209	3 254	1 812	616
Commercial fertilizer used ---- farms...	6 661	207	1 251	2 003	1 849	1 031	320
acres fertilized...	437 780	11 335	71 875	126 286	132 499	73 812	21 973
dry tons...	44 839	1 270	7 790	12 716	13 227	7 218	2 619
liquid or gas tons...	10 135	238	1 493	3 247	3 041	1 449	667
Other agricultural chemicals (see text) ---- farms...	5 549	171	980	1 640	1 601	897	260
\$1,000...	3 050	73	532	866	936	477	166
Lime ---- farms...	229	7	30	70	81	34	7
tons...	18 774	823	2 544	4 908	7 811	2 149	539
\$1,000...	115	4	17	35	45	12	3
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business ---- farms...	11 814	389	2 134	3 307	3 268	2 009	707
\$1,000...	8 979	233	1 510	2 521	2 699	1 482	535
Gasoline ---- farms...	11 539	374	2 077	3 232	3 192	1 975	689
\$1,000...	6 135	159	980	1 755	1 840	1 033	369
Diesel oil ---- farms...	3 983	132	759	1 142	1 111	609	230
\$1,000...	1 407	37	261	375	435	215	84
LP gas, butane, and propane ---- farms...	1 348	45	267	380	385	202	69
\$1,000...	473	7	105	118	145	75	22
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil ---- farms...	11 797	389	2 129	3 303	3 264	2 006	706
\$1,000...	964	30	164	273	279	160	59
Hired farm labor ---- farms...	3 671	101	733	1 059	997	603	178
\$1,000...	4 698	87	547	1 184	1 500	900	479
Workers by number of days worked:							
150 days or more ---- farms...	424	6	42	116	140	86	34
workers...	744	11	63	214	235	135	86
25 to 149 days ---- farms...	827	13	127	229	266	154	38
workers...	1 809	25	248	562	539	303	132
Less than 25 days ---- farms...	2 822	88	621	812	721	439	141
workers...	9 536	173	1 684	2 881	2 531	1 822	445
Contract labor ---- farms...	352	8	76	89	95	63	21
\$1,000...	599	6	101	105	149	218	20
Machine hire and customwork ---- farms...	6 417	189	1 212	1 856	1 837	1 029	294
\$1,000...	4 663	120	755	1 241	1 466	859	222
All other production expenses ---- farms...	11 985	407	2 189	3 343	3 288	2 038	720
\$1,000...	47 089	1 160	8 324	13 607	13 819	7 747	2 434
Farm-Related Income and Expenses							
Farm-related income ---- farms...	2 648	83	535	792	674	420	144
\$1,000...	4 849	121	888	1 392	1 362	813	273
\$10,000 and over ---- farms...	77	4	11	25	20	15	2
\$1,000...	1 529	49	321	400	393	321	45
Farm-related income from—							
Customwork and other agricultural services ---- farms...	756	44	159	250	169	105	29
\$1,000...	1 707	69	425	507	393	254	60
Recreational services ---- farms...	87	1	19	31	18	13	5
\$1,000...	125	3	17	34	49	10	12
Payments from government farm programs ---- farms...	914	18	183	268	266	151	28
\$1,000...	620	10	117	198	192	87	15
Rent from farmland and payments from lease or sale of allotments ---- farms...	1 042	18	195	308	264	174	83
\$1,000...	2 067	29	293	591	570	417	166
Other farm-related income ---- farms...	260	9	45	81	68	44	13
\$1,000...	330	10	37	62	158	44	20
Expenses for farm-related income sources ---- farms...	970	41	207	276	254	134	58
\$1,000...	1 604	55	346	473	410	240	79

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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..	45 097	33 887	1 177	3 752	5 920	9 143	9 145	4 750
..... \$1,000..	272 540	139 334	4 030	14 581	25 264	39 157	36 853	19 448
Farms by family off-farm income:								
\$1 to \$249..... farms..	2 884	2 757	151	459	606	718	665	158
..... \$1,000..	2 304	2 251	88	300	456	669	629	109
\$250 to \$499..... farms..	3 832	3 651	143	423	693	1 043	1 085	264
..... \$1,000..	16 950	15 605	508	1 556	2 446	3 840	4 266	2 989
\$5,000 to \$9,999..... farms..	9 277	6 172	187	646	1 017	1 832	1 600	890
..... \$1,000..	8 257	2 987	96	311	592	910	779	299
\$10,000 to \$19,999..... farms..	1 161	323	4	37	67	98	84	33
..... \$1,000..	432	141	-	20	43	33	37	8
\$20,000 to \$29,999..... farms..								
..... \$1,000..								
\$30,000 and over..... farms..								
..... \$1,000..								
Family off-farm income from—								
Nonfarm-related business..... farms..	6 336	3 946	150	527	758	1 173	1 007	331
..... \$1,000..	45 490	20 139	584	2 428	4 419	6 241	4 950	1 517
Wages, salaries, commissions, and tips..... farms..	26 437	17 243	837	2 192	3 361	5 164	4 436	1 253
..... \$1,000..	175 914	75 796	2 853	9 259	15 358	23 635	19 989	4 702
Interest, dividends, or royalties..... farms..	22 985	19 312	521	1 885	3 160	5 189	5 664	2 893
..... \$1,000..	30 744	26 485	381	1 619	3 656	7 251	8 675	4 904
Federal Social Security, pensions, etc..... farms..	7 940	6 846	96	469	569	761	1 388	3 563
..... \$1,000..	16 389	14 228	171	1 088	1 348	1 436	2 414	7 769
Rent of nonfarm property..... farms..	1 866	1 412	25	112	242	363	408	262
..... \$1,000..	4 003	2 685	42	187	483	593	825	556
Selected Machinery and Equipment								
Automobiles..... farms..	76 602	66 653	1 741	7 128	12 410	18 334	18 559	8 481
..... number..	107 759	93 291	2 275	9 224	17 628	27 509	25 643	11 012
2 or 3..... farms..	24 349	20 929	429	1 722	4 107	6 976	5 634	2 061
..... number..	52 177	44 746	907	3 621	8 777	15 025	12 044	4 372
4 and over..... farms..	962	819	17	56	152	330	199	65
..... number..	4 291	3 640	73	253	700	1 456	873	285
Motortrucks, including pickups..... farms..	72 372	62 783	1 538	6 949	12 110	17 655	17 280	7 251
..... number..	117 191	104 324	2 303	11 630	21 606	30 945	27 536	10 304
2 or 3..... farms..	24 147	21 860	493	2 569	4 704	6 540	5 687	1 867
..... number..	55 117	50 117	1 101	5 954	10 880	15 041	12 977	4 164
4 and over..... farms..	3 494	3 330	43	337	828	1 182	753	187
..... number..	17 343	16 614	200	1 633	4 148	5 971	3 719	943
Tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers..... farms..	77 737	67 073	1 658	7 167	12 487	18 385	18 816	8 560
..... number..	239 125	214 006	4 080	21 411	42 371	62 739	59 576	23 829
2 or 3..... farms..	44 462	37 695	914	4 008	6 499	9 764	10 980	5 530
..... number..	113 332	97 251	2 206	10 250	17 092	25 788	28 342	13 573
4 and over..... farms..	25 587	24 110	321	2 260	5 286	7 732	6 493	2 018
..... number..	118 105	111 487	1 451	10 262	24 577	36 062	29 891	9 244
Wheel tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers..... farms..	77 555	66 932	1 653	7 145	12 471	18 351	18 777	8 535
..... number..	235 059	210 525	4 038	21 079	41 701	61 695	58 620	23 392
Crawler tractors..... farms..	3 540	3 027	37	289	591	906	826	378
..... number..	4 066	3 481	42	332	670	1 044	956	437
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled..... farms..	31 773	29 780	600	3 370	6 262	9 093	7 919	2 536
..... number..	34 037	31 962	630	3 604	6 797	9 822	8 405	2 704
Cornpickers, corn heads, and pickers..... farms..	44 267	40 827	765	4 339	8 141	12 131	11 468	3 983
..... number..	51 204	47 419	885	5 080	9 510	14 192	13 296	4 456
Corn heads for combines..... farms..	17 895	17 109	370	2 201	3 980	5 344	4 270	944
..... number..	18 449	17 638	384	2 283	4 089	5 519	4 390	973
Other cornpickers and pickers..... farms..	31 412	28 554	489	2 669	5 191	8 293	8 556	3 356
..... number..	32 755	29 781	501	2 797	5 421	8 673	8 906	3 483
Mower conditioners..... farms..	20 781	18 588	320	1 896	3 881	5 519	5 082	1 890
..... number..	21 316	19 047	328	1 942	3 954	5 667	5 199	1 957
Pickup balers..... farms..	42 492	38 145	588	3 462	7 521	11 420	11 004	4 150
..... number..	43 154	38 739	598	3 527	7 657	11 591	11 153	4 213
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled..... farms..	26 561	24 590	462	2 467	4 872	7 284	6 862	2 643
..... number..	28 647	26 568	481	2 667	5 319	7 913	7 367	2 821
Field forage harvesters, shear bar..... farms..	19 416	18 314	313	1 923	4 210	5 854	4 657	1 357
..... number..	20 187	19 025	320	2 006	4 395	6 078	4 820	1 406
Value of Machinery and Equipment								
Estimated market value of machinery and equipment..... farms..	82 653	71 018	1 967	7 664	13 061	19 263	19 796	9 267
..... \$1,000..	2 595 160	2 405 937	50 893	281 757	535 744	729 784	602 859	204 900
Farms by value group:								
\$1 to \$4,999..... farms..	5 901	3 864	208	358	391	604	1 064	1 239
..... \$1,000..	18 467	12 321	606	1 119	1 240	2 008	3 463	3 884
\$5,000 to \$9,999..... farms..	9 473	6 752	262	602	822	1 404	2 176	1 486
..... \$1,000..	65 801	47 163	1 921	4 245	5 665	9 867	15 230	10 234
\$10,000 to \$19,999..... farms..	16 266	12 991	462	1 302	1 822	3 007	4 084	2 314
..... \$1,000..	228 179	183 332	6 415	18 318	25 840	42 382	57 504	32 872
\$20,000 to \$49,999..... farms..	36 403	33 205	807	3 587	6 354	9 527	9 386	3 544
..... \$1,000..	1 138 790	1 047 491	24 290	114 238	204 485	304 756	293 212	106 509
\$50,000 to \$99,999..... farms..	11 557	11 205	185	1 409	2 804	3 726	2 511	570
..... \$1,000..	732 738	710 953	11 932	89 618	181 369	235 742	156 967	35 327
\$100,000 and over..... farms..	3 053	3 001	43	406	868	995	575	114
..... \$1,000..	411 184	404 677	5 728	54 220	117 145	135 030	76 483	16 073

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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.....	11 210	378	2 106	3 217	3 142	1 837	530
..... \$1,000.....	133 206	3 025	22 827	40 136	39 714	22 389	5 115
Farms by family off-farm income:							
\$1 to \$249..... farms.....	127	10	22	32	31	24	8
..... \$1,000.....	53	4	9	13	16	4	7
\$250 to \$499..... farms.....	181	13	41	47	32	35	13
..... \$1,000.....	1 345	88	269	306	281	257	144
\$500 to \$999..... farms.....	3 105	138	620	769	874	545	159
..... \$1,000.....	5 270	115	1 004	1 671	1 558	753	169
\$10,000 to \$19,999..... farms.....	838	8	115	293	248	156	18
..... \$1,000.....	291	2	26	86	102	63	12
\$20,000 to \$29,999..... farms.....							
..... \$1,000.....							
\$30,000 and over..... farms.....							
..... \$1,000.....							
Family off-farm income from—							
Nonfarm-related business..... farms.....	2 390	71	392	691	730	390	116
..... \$1,000.....	25 351	461	3 632	7 426	8 393	4 349	1 091
Wages, salaries, commissions, and tips..... farms.....	9 194	313	1 795	2 699	2 550	1 490	347
..... \$1,000.....	100 118	2 440	18 258	31 242	29 029	16 323	2 826
Interest, dividends, or royalties..... farms.....	3 673	96	670	976	1 048	691	192
..... \$1,000.....	4 258	54	525	774	1 377	920	608
Federal Social Security, pensions, etc..... farms.....	1 094	41	167	231	266	202	187
..... \$1,000.....	2 161	63	234	395	478	463	528
Rent of nonfarm property..... farms.....	454	5	62	130	136	104	17
..... \$1,000.....	1 317	8	178	299	436	335	62
Selected Machinery and Equipment							
Automobiles..... farms.....	9 949	288	1 766	2 810	2 828	1 685	572
..... number.....	14 468	379	2 306	4 079	4 472	2 467	765
2 or 3..... farms.....	3 420	71	435	988	1 171	603	152
..... number.....	7 431	154	924	2 133	2 590	1 306	324
4 and over..... farms.....	143	2	16	33	63	22	7
..... number.....	651	10	67	157	288	101	28
Motortrucks, including pickups..... farms.....	9 589	281	1 799	2 798	2 675	1 535	501
..... number.....	12 867	357	2 353	3 730	3 651	2 117	659
2 or 3..... farms.....	2 287	52	395	657	683	402	98
..... number.....	5 000	113	852	1 443	1 487	890	215
4 and over..... farms.....	164	5	27	43	50	28	11
..... number.....	729	20	124	189	222	122	52
Tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers..... farms.....	10 664	324	1 899	3 031	2 985	1 836	589
..... number.....	25 119	600	4 140	7 146	7 439	4 443	1 351
2 or 3..... farms.....	6 767	173	1 121	1 968	1 941	1 205	359
..... number.....	16 081	387	2 640	4 681	4 699	2 845	829
4 and over..... farms.....	1 477	18	206	408	485	282	78
..... number.....	6 618	80	928	1 810	2 181	1 249	370
Wheel tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers..... farms.....	10 623	323	1 892	3 024	2 969	1 826	589
..... number.....	24 534	597	4 053	7 031	7 242	4 297	1 314
Crawler tractors..... farms.....	513	3	79	107	166	131	27
..... number.....	585	3	87	115	197	146	37
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled..... farms.....	1 993	49	320	586	592	356	90
..... number.....	2 075	49	334	606	623	369	94
Cornpickers, corn heads, and picker-shellers..... farms.....	3 440	85	582	1 045	1 000	562	166
..... number.....	3 785	97	638	1 148	1 106	615	181
Corn heads for combines..... farms.....	786	27	139	230	238	110	42
..... number.....	811	27	142	242	241	116	43
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers..... farms.....	2 858	65	477	873	827	482	134
..... number.....	2 974	70	496	906	865	499	138
Mower conditioners..... farms.....	2 193	53	327	646	690	369	108
..... number.....	2 269	53	341	667	722	376	110
Pickup balers..... farms.....	4 347	92	621	1 264	1 356	796	218
..... number.....	4 415	92	630	1 286	1 381	802	224
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled..... farms.....	1 971	45	343	542	542	386	113
..... number.....	2 079	47	367	573	578	397	117
Field forage harvesters, shear bar..... farms.....	1 102	30	174	294	328	202	74
..... number.....	1 162	30	178	314	343	223	74
Value of Machinery and Equipment							
Estimated market value of machinery and equipment..... farms.....	11 635	390	2 108	3 258	3 213	1 987	679
..... \$1,000.....	189 223	5 563	29 918	52 938	56 565	33 312	10 926
Farms by value group:							
\$1 to \$4,999..... farms.....	2 037	104	478	546	427	326	156
..... \$1,000.....	6 146	275	1 441	1 651	1 319	1 015	445
\$5,000 to \$9,999..... farms.....	2 721	86	528	782	762	430	133
..... \$1,000.....	18 638	616	3 609	5 323	5 226	2 958	906
\$10,000 to \$19,999..... farms.....	3 275	104	586	929	909	580	167
..... \$1,000.....	44 847	1 488	7 914	12 688	12 385	8 047	2 326
\$20,000 to \$49,999..... farms.....	3 198	84	458	877	995	586	198
..... \$1,000.....	91 299	2 283	12 897	24 848	29 011	16 712	5 548
\$50,000 to \$99,999..... farms.....	352	11	53	105	105	55	23
..... \$1,000.....	21 785	(D)	3 150	6 269	6 629	3 510	(D)
\$100,000 and over..... farms.....	52	1	5	19	15	10	2
..... \$1,000.....	6 507	(D)	907	2 160	1 995	1 070	(D)

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	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	
Agricultural Chemicals								
Agricultural chemicals..... farms.....	70 080	61 663	1 748	6 958	11 732	17 254	16 919	7 052
\$1,000.....	315 231	301 095	6 709	40 483	74 743	94 087	68 146	16 928
Commercial fertilizer..... farms.....	65 743	58 149	1 671	6 707	11 226	16 414	15 857	6 274
acres on which used.....	9 809 532	9 371 752	213 162	1 216 455	2 260 081	2 908 940	2 192 561	580 553
tons.....	1 235 219	1 180 245	26 706	156 635	293 768	369 793	266 937	66 405
\$1,000.....	245 454	234 368	5 238	31 295	57 944	73 489	53 131	13 270
Lime..... farms.....	2 417	2 188	37	291	473	694	513	180
acres on which used.....	105 386	98 311	1 600	11 438	22 865	34 752	20 954	6 702
tons.....	271 651	252 877	3 066	31 884	60 472	83 050	55 943	18 462
\$1,000.....	1 588	1 472	20	185	351	488	324	105
Sprays, dusts, fumigants, etc. to control—								
Insects on hay crops..... farms.....	3 318	3 095	51	298	529	907	923	387
acres on which used.....	103 605	98 610	1 520	11 143	21 148	29 515	25 349	9 935
\$1,000.....	569	541	12	64	114	151	142	57
Insects on other crops..... farms.....	15 131	14 004	414	1 854	3 149	4 026	3 423	1 138
acres on which used.....	2 225 577	2 142 480	43 748	287 146	564 583	644 913	476 544	125 546
\$1,000.....	13 683	13 106	282	1 691	3 392	3 997	2 951	793
Nematodes in crops..... farms.....	313	282	2	29	49	81	89	32
acres on which used.....	38 208	35 947	43	3 662	5 906	11 116	12 982	2 238
\$1,000.....	236	225	(Z)	25	39	68	73	20
Diseases in crops and orchards..... farms.....	654	580	28	70	104	175	141	62
acres on which used.....	96 077	92 834	3 168	12 198	18 664	28 264	25 795	4 745
\$1,000.....	754	719	25	100	160	204	180	51
Weeds or grass in crops..... farms.....	39 159	35 659	923	4 254	7 389	10 466	9 472	3 155
acres on which used.....	7 824 029	7 527 156	157 086	1 012 053	1 868 051	2 398 346	1 698 869	392 751
\$1,000.....	47 878	45 941	1 012	6 565	11 832	14 246	10 069	2 217
Weeds or brush in pasture..... farms.....	1 553	1 463	22	156	296	417	432	140
acres on which used.....	39 910	36 967	489	4 318	7 173	11 701	10 656	2 630
\$1,000.....	123	117	2	11	39	39	34	9
Weeds on other land..... farms.....	3 269	3 072	73	362	623	903	874	237
acres on which used.....	46 453	44 975	744	5 050	9 171	13 628	12 888	3 494
\$1,000.....	209	202	3	24	43	60	55	17
Defoliation, growth of crops, or thinning of fruit..... farms.....	499	458	14	59	82	149	112	42
acres on which used.....	50 743	48 471	1 959	5 735	10 735	15 187	11 934	2 921
\$1,000.....	291	273	9	32	56	103	59	14
Insect control on livestock and poultry..... farms.....	7 782	7 279	134	948	1 793	2 257	1 731	416
\$1,000.....	613	584	8	82	167	186	121	21
Other chemicals (see text)..... farms.....	9 197	7 785	232	818	1 410	2 156	2 155	1 014
\$1,000.....	3 834	3 546	98	411	624	1 054	1 006	352
Grain Storage Facilities on Farm								
Farms with grain storage facilities:								
None.....	7 925	5 792	368	666	903	1 354	1 615	886
Under 1,000 bushels.....	6 100	4 782	101	432	706	1 113	1 448	982
1,000 to 4,999 bushels.....	21 351	18 518	378	1 735	3 040	4 904	5 687	2 774
5,000 to 9,999 bushels.....	12 723	11 971	250	1 337	2 263	3 445	3 508	1 168
10,000 to 24,999 bushels.....	11 468	11 048	236	1 338	2 437	3 535	2 724	778
25,000 to 49,999 bushels.....	3 770	3 682	55	447	1 015	1 192	797	176
50,000 bushels and over.....	1 525	1 495	6	192	453	497	287	60
Not reporting.....	20 221	15 689	660	1 669	2 512	3 639	4 315	2 894
Livestock								
Cattle and calves..... farms.....	54 385	47 626	1 077	5 170	9 438	13 482	13 104	5 355
number.....	3 467 586	3 227 997	61 799	376 530	772 043	1 006 330	778 514	232 781
Cows and heifers that had calved..... farms.....	46 421	41 207	888	4 402	8 216	11 758	11 350	4 593
number.....	1 411 441	1 309 947	25 346	149 695	299 111	407 011	325 377	103 407
Beef cows..... farms.....	21 704	17 684	418	1 821	3 179	4 723	5 079	2 464
number.....	598 969	520 986	11 470	55 744	106 208	155 228	138 314	54 022
Milk cows..... farms.....	30 590	28 785	553	3 063	6 112	8 624	7 758	2 675
number.....	812 472	788 961	13 876	93 951	192 903	251 783	187 063	49 385
Heifers and heifer calves that had not calved..... farms.....	40 592	36 397	763	3 913	7 444	10 630	9 927	3 720
number.....	880 740	827 929	14 953	97 392	204 681	262 043	195 505	53 355
Beef heifers and heifer calves..... farms.....	20 137	16 836	390	1 738	3 136	4 650	4 807	2 115
number.....	415 226	376 633	7 814	43 375	91 128	114 628	91 937	27 751
Heifers and heifer calves for milk cow replacement..... farms.....	24 778	23 546	434	2 576	5 131	7 199	6 235	1 971
number.....	465 514	451 296	7 139	54 017	113 553	147 415	103 568	25 604
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves..... farms.....	44 493	39 031	892	4 381	7 946	11 131	10 597	4 084
number.....	1 175 405	1 090 121	21 500	129 443	268 251	337 276	257 632	76 019
Cattle and calves sold..... farms.....	54 346	47 972	1 058	5 182	9 451	13 585	13 258	5 438
number.....	1 688 155	1 571 908	27 568	179 889	377 804	487 028	385 977	113 642
\$1,000.....	500 502	472 146	7 949	53 307	118 771	149 087	111 485	31 547
Calves..... farms.....	25 447	22 426	460	2 373	4 265	6 265	6 376	2 687
number.....	357 503	321 253	5 563	36 173	65 137	95 074	90 903	28 403
\$1,000.....	34 195	30 329	546	3 657	6 068	8 819	8 412	2 827
Cattle..... farms.....	48 649	43 145	942	4 653	8 525	12 363	11 916	4 746
number.....	1 330 652	1 250 655	22 005	143 716	312 667	391 954	295 074	85 239
\$1,000.....	466 307	441 816	7 402	49 650	112 703	140 268	103 073	28 270
Fattened on grain and concentrates..... farms.....	15 732	14 217	309	1 481	2 870	4 231	3 914	1 412
number.....	745 925	718 142	11 030	79 926	189 066	235 598	159 977	42 545
\$1,000.....	294 287	283 995	4 213	30 794	75 381	93 810	63 522	16 275
Hogs and pigs..... farms.....	25 373	22 320	701	2 793	4 606	6 486	5 751	1 983
number.....	2 880 691	2 710 923	87 543	436 247	660 767	821 548	561 272	143 546
Used or to be used for breeding..... farms.....	19 374	17 229	520	2 121	3 507	5 040	4 526	1 515
number.....	402 479	372 324	11 406	56 966	86 042	113 484	82 428	21 998
Other..... farms.....	23 018	20 301	655	2 602	4 224	5 940	5 143	1 737
number.....	2 478 212	2 338 599	76 137	379 281	574 725	708 064	478 844	121 548

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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
Agricultural Chemicals							
Agricultural chemicals..... farms..	8 417	269	1 561	2 475	2 344	1 349	419
\$1,000.....	14 137	388	2 412	4 075	4 190	2 290	783
Commercial fertilizer..... farms..	7 594	241	1 413	2 253	2 127	1 202	358
acres on which used..	437 780	11 335	71 875	126 286	132 499	73 812	21 973
tons.....	54 974	1 508	9 282	15 963	16 268	8 667	3 286
\$1,000.....	11 086	314	1 880	3 209	3 254	1 812	616
Lime..... farms..	229	7	30	70	81	34	7
acres on which used..	7 075	260	837	1 811	3 064	913	190
tons.....	18 774	823	2 544	4 908	7 811	2 149	539
\$1,000.....	115	4	17	35	45	12	3
Sprays, dusts, fumigants, etc. to control—							
Insects on hay crops..... farms..	223	5	36	54	81	40	7
acres on which used..	4 995	112	550	1 792	1 484	844	213
\$1,000.....	28	1	4	11	8	5	1
Insects on other crops..... farms..	1 127	24	198	330	339	161	75
acres on which used..	83 097	1 336	14 272	22 741	24 734	13 188	6 826
\$1,000.....	577	8	131	146	165	84	42
Nematodes in crops..... farms..	31	—	6	16	6	2	1
acres on which used..	2 261	—	408	777	327	736	13
\$1,000.....	10	—	3	4	2	2	(2)
Diseases in crops and orchards..... farms..	74	—	15	11	24	14	10
acres on which used..	3 243	—	666	300	1 172	536	569
\$1,000.....	35	—	6	2	11	9	7
Weeds or grass in crops..... farms..	3 500	97	572	1 039	1 061	575	156
acres on which used..	296 873	6 732	46 562	86 549	92 708	50 673	13 649
\$1,000.....	1 937	50	307	573	603	313	91
Weeds or brush in pasture..... farms..	90	—	24	28	29	7	2
acres on which used..	2 943	—	391	1 286	1 108	103	55
\$1,000.....	7	—	1	3	3	(2)	(2)
Weeds on other land..... farms..	197	4	43	50	60	29	11
acres on which used..	1 478	9	124	393	539	288	125
\$1,000.....	7	(2)	1	2	2	1	(2)
Defoliation, growth of crops, or thinning of fruit..... farms..	41	—	13	11	10	6	1
acres on which used..	2 272	—	731	598	743	115	85
\$1,000.....	17	—	5	5	6	1	1
Insect control on livestock and poultry..... farms..	503	12	97	164	134	77	19
\$1,000.....	28	(2)	7	7	7	4	3
Other chemicals (see text)..... farms..	1 412	57	300	412	377	210	56
\$1,000.....	289	10	51	78	84	47	19
Grain Storage Facilities on Farm							
Farms with grain storage facilities:							
None.....	2 133	109	384	580	532	374	154
Under 1,000 bushels.....	1 318	26	198	353	410	258	73
1,000 to 4,999 bushels.....	2 833	42	463	809	862	504	153
5,000 to 9,999 bushels.....	752	16	126	205	230	135	40
10,000 to 24,999 bushels.....	420	5	54	139	146	55	21
25,000 to 49,999 bushels.....	88	—	7	35	34	12	—
50,000 bushels and over.....	30	—	4	5	15	3	3
Not reporting.....	4 532	213	972	1 254	1 090	712	291
Livestock							
Cattle and calves..... farms..	6 759	176	1 250	1 994	1 911	1 097	331
number.....	239 589	4 699	38 774	70 830	73 972	39 008	12 306
Cows and heifers that had calved..... farms..	5 214	108	890	1 549	1 527	872	268
number.....	101 494	1 644	15 449	30 788	30 719	17 160	5 734
Beef cows..... farms..	4 020	89	720	1 218	1 154	646	193
number.....	77 983	1 308	12 678	24 035	23 122	12 389	4 451
Milk cows..... farms..	1 805	33	246	524	576	329	97
number.....	23 511	336	2 771	6 753	7 597	4 771	1 283
Heifers and heifer calves that had not calved..... farms..	4 195	84	719	1 228	1 248	726	190
number.....	52 811	1 261	8 133	15 287	16 502	8 868	2 760
Beef heifers and heifer calves..... farms..	3 301	66	597	999	943	553	143
number.....	38 593	927	6 208	11 490	11 607	6 409	1 952
Heifers and heifer calves for milk cow replacement..... farms..	1 232	29	166	351	385	233	68
number.....	14 218	334	1 925	3 797	4 895	2 459	808
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves..... farms..	5 462	130	1 013	1 650	1 570	860	239
number.....	85 284	1 794	15 192	24 755	26 751	12 980	3 812
Cattle and calves sold..... farms..	6 374	163	1 148	1 858	1 819	1 057	329
number.....	116 247	2 497	20 452	31 708	35 641	19 845	6 104
\$1,000.....	28 356	611	4 797	7 620	9 277	4 638	1 412
Calves..... farms..	3 021	88	562	874	815	517	165
number.....	36 250	855	7 157	10 326	9 975	5 992	1 945
\$1,000.....	3 866	94	778	1 085	1 114	592	202
Cattle..... farms..	5 504	144	996	1 589	1 605	901	269
number.....	79 997	1 642	13 295	21 382	25 666	13 853	4 159
\$1,000.....	24 490	517	4 019	6 535	8 163	4 046	1 210
Fattened on grain and concentrates..... farms..	1 515	37	279	419	471	237	72
number.....	27 783	682	4 801	6 427	10 014	4 209	1 650
\$1,000.....	10 292	268	1 719	2 345	3 894	1 504	563
Hogs and pigs..... farms..	3 053	132	681	942	807	378	113
number.....	169 768	9 170	41 962	52 119	43 652	17 892	4 973
Used or to be used for breeding..... farms..	2 145	89	476	690	557	261	72
number.....	30 155	1 566	6 969	9 701	7 747	3 270	902
Other..... farms..	2 717	119	606	855	702	331	104
number.....	139 613	7 604	34 993	42 418	35 905	14 622	4 071

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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
Livestock—Continued								
Hogs and pigs sold	farms... 27 774	24 560	760	3 030	5 003	7 050	6 459	2 258
	number... 5 216 835	4 866 115	139 117	760 557	1 192 890	1 489 984	1 028 930	254 637
	\$1,000... 345 901	327 335	9 173	49 385	80 680	100 360	70 540	17 197
Feeder pigs	farms... 7 021	5 692	200	881	1 190	1 533	1 389	499
	number... 1 091 591	941 278	28 319	172 488	227 641	287 921	175 251	49 658
	\$1,000... 23 925	20 764	592	3 984	4 962	6 309	3 853	1 064
Litters of pigs farrowed between—								
December 1 of preceding year and								
November 30	farms... 21 682	19 141	579	2 357	3 863	5 534	5 083	1 725
	number... 570 470	528 781	16 490	81 131	127 930	162 248	113 729	27 253
December 1 and May 31	farms... 19 365	17 240	514	2 168	3 508	5 002	4 558	1 490
	number... 309 568	287 706	8 976	42 376	68 760	87 738	64 239	15 617
June 1 and November 30	farms... 16 733	14 725	476	1 971	3 136	4 383	3 635	1 124
	number... 260 902	241 075	7 514	38 755	59 170	74 510	49 490	11 636
Sheep and lambs of all ages	farms... 5 103	4 203	109	403	752	1 123	1 223	593
	number... 319 718	270 772	8 015	27 789	52 971	76 022	69 140	36 835
Lambs under 1 year old	farms... 3 580	2 932	89	273	514	778	840	438
	number... 126 509	108 448	2 702	12 434	19 432	33 347	24 895	15 618
Ewes 1 year old or older	farms... 4 844	3 994	104	382	685	1 068	1 188	567
	number... 183 540	154 324	5 122	14 626	31 980	40 735	41 780	20 081
Rams and wethers 1 year old or older	farms... 3 676	3 050	72	287	524	809	918	440
	number... 9 669	8 000	191	729	1 559	1 920	2 465	1 136
Sheep and lambs sold	farms... 4 997	4 142	98	391	719	1 126	1 219	589
	number... 306 810	263 180	6 891	24 205	54 265	81 244	65 234	31 341
Sheep and lambs shorn	farms... 4 628	3 889	93	360	674	1 030	1 172	560
	number... 250 806	214 482	6 258	20 200	45 365	61 497	53 724	27 438
	pounds of wool... 1 932 733	1 656 185	48 300	149 453	336 558	484 761	421 988	215 125
Horses and ponies	farms... 7 093	5 080	121	643	1 248	1 471	1 140	457
	number... 29 732	19 120	352	2 289	4 508	5 141	4 645	2 185
Sold	farms... 1 043	629	22	92	146	159	136	74
	number... 5 036	2 686	92	262	778	647	594	313
	\$1,000... 2 248	903	11	62	218	277	223	112
Horses	farms... 5 824	4 021	110	543	933	1 155	921	359
	number... 24 023	14 766	312	1 894	3 415	3 884	3 620	1 641
Sold	farms... 929	548	22	83	122	135	124	62
	number... 4 633	2 397	88	212	699	579	557	262
	\$1,000... 2 213	885	11	58	214	270	221	110
Any goats	farms... 76	54	1	15	14	11	8	5
	number... 458	329	6	113	71	95	22	22
Sold	farms... 26	18	1	4	6	2	4	1
	number... 119	83	6	16	13	28	18	2
	\$1,000... 6	4	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)	3	(Z)	(Z)
Poultry								
Chickens 3 months old or older	farms... 10 232	8 743	140	709	1 433	2 398	2 687	1 376
	number... 7 655 435	7 028 886	50 415	796 464	1 302 989	2 122 327	2 183 864	572 827
Sold	farms... 4 207	3 828	51	278	571	1 037	1 279	612
	number... 8 478 024	7 808 711	60 003	808 870	1 411 076	2 336 913	2 482 275	709 574
Hens and pullets of laying age	farms... 9 913	8 506	137	670	1 391	2 319	2 627	1 362
	number... 6 640 591	6 113 598	49 190	645 100	1 140 265	1 945 057	1 888 574	445 412
Kept for table or market egg production	farms... 9 754	8 372	136	655	1 368	2 283	2 592	1 338
	number... 6 393 638	5 874 586	47 780	628 208	1 062 383	1 895 534	1 837 493	403 188
Kept for hatching egg production	farms... 384	321	4	36	61	70	91	59
	number... 246 953	239 012	1 410	16 892	77 882	49 523	51 081	42 224
Pullets 3 months old or older not of laying age	farms... 315	268	9	36	47	53	88	35
	number... 952 561	861 440	511	146 127	149 455	162 410	281 142	121 795
Roosters and male chickens	farms... 2 024	1 538	35	176	323	405	425	174
	number... 62 283	53 848	714	5 237	13 269	14 860	14 148	5 620
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	farms... 159	124	2	5	33	44	21	19
	number... 513 494	404 044	20	446	203 005	153 464	44 977	2 132
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold	farms... 1 213	918	38	125	195	281	190	89
	number... 5 940 302	4 140 923	9 785	303 466	728 224	1 702 665	1 321 625	75 158
Turkeys	farms... 275	231	-	25	64	73	46	23
	number... 1 612 391	1 518 427	-	277 112	479 544	440 290	247 222	74 259
Sold	farms... 265	237	4	22	56	85	57	13
	number... 7 064 930	6 541 201	(D)	583 386	1 970 487	1 938 817	1 764 348	(D)
Heavy breeds for slaughter	farms... 135	111	-	8	34	37	22	10
	number... 496 612	469 234	-	12 470	179 181	127 233	136 864	13 486
Sold	farms... 169	155	2	8	34	60	44	7
	number... 3 966 352	3 736 622	(D)	152 943	1 085 654	1 208 665	1 194 785	(D)
Light breeds for slaughter	farms... 63	54	-	8	16	12	13	5
	number... 828 515	778 414	-	238 036	179 120	217 171	92 038	52 049
Sold	farms... 69	55	2	7	14	18	10	4
	number... 2 416 276	2 141 617	(D)	333 504	767 290	626 347	238 263	(D)
Turkey hens kept for breeding	farms... 113	98	-	12	28	32	15	11
	number... 287 264	270 779	-	26 606	121 243	95 886	18 320	8 724
Sold	farms... 73	68	-	11	16	11	4	4
	number... 682 302	662 962	-	96 939	117 543	103 805	331 300	13 375
Crops Harvested								
Field corn for all purposes	farms... 64 533	57 574	1 562	6 432	11 108	16 137	15 893	6 442
	acres... 5 882 417	5 592 130	133 921	726 553	1 315 943	1 716 944	1 332 169	366 600
Commercial fertilizer used	farms... 51 087	45 903	1 286	5 505	9 309	13 230	12 284	4 289
	acres... 5 030 766	4 796 361	115 893	645 833	1 164 847	1 484 154	1 109 033	276 601
Field corn for grain or seed	farms... 57 900	51 698	1 438	5 785	9 919	14 500	14 285	5 771
	acres... 4 989 754	4 741 085	117 930	623 239	1 101 100	1 445 300	1 139 439	313 877
	bushels... 311 934 656	297 418 777	7 069 646	39 580 215	70 430 643	90 321 025	71 079 342	18 937 886
Irrigated	farms... 285	263	4	33	75	97	45	9
	acres... 23 025	21 638	276	2 929	7 873	5 273	4 268	1 019

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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	
Livestock—Continued							
Hogs and pigs sold	farms... 3 214	146	727	957	839	411	134
	number... 350 720	19 048	84 600	105 220	91 927	37 826	12 099
	\$1,000... 18 566	922	4 350	5 300	5 248	2 052	693
Feeder pigs	farms... 1 329	76	332	432	314	137	38
	number... 150 313	9 380	37 734	50 266	34 693	13 560	4 680
	\$1,000... 3 161	173	823	1 036	745	275	110
Litters of pigs farrowed between—							
December 1 of preceding year and							
November 30	farms... 2 541	104	580	796	663	311	87
	number... 41 689	2 257	10 185	12 912	10 704	4 183	1 448
December 1 and May 31	farms... 2 125	86	492	667	557	245	78
	number... 21 862	1 115	5 307	6 625	5 656	2 335	824
June 1 and November 30	farms... 2 008	91	467	642	514	231	63
	number... 19 827	1 142	4 878	6 287	5 048	1 848	624
Sheep and lambs of all ages	farms... 900	19	168	287	259	125	42
	number... 48 946	1 227	7 877	13 278	16 586	8 112	1 866
Lambs under 1 year old	farms... 648	10	128	185	195	103	27
	number... 18 061	407	3 214	3 794	7 050	2 946	650
Ewes 1 year old or older	farms... 850	19	163	265	246	121	36
	number... 29 216	787	4 369	8 906	9 057	4 915	1 182
Rams and wethers 1 year old or	farms... 626	14	114	208	174	94	22
older	number... 1 669	33	294	578	479	251	34
Sheep and lambs sold	farms... 855	20	157	273	244	119	42
	number... 43 630	861	7 946	11 230	15 137	6 819	1 637
Sheep and lambs shorn	farms... 739	16	130	236	219	107	31
	number... 36 324	948	6 993	9 785	11 520	5 945	1 133
	pounds of wool... 276 548	6 895	47 113	74 881	92 047	46 303	9 309
Horses and ponies	farms... 2 013	32	400	703	569	239	70
	number... 10 612	252	1 971	3 558	3 206	1 215	410
Sold	farms... 414	10	108	131	105	49	11
	number... 2 350	22	487	555	1 004	224	58
	\$1,000... 1 345	3	182	203	311	102	543
Horses	farms... 1 803	32	377	613	502	213	66
	number... 9 257	150	1 799	3 075	2 804	1 068	361
Sold	farms... 381	9	103	111	104	44	10
	number... 2 236	12	477	504	983	204	56
	\$1,000... 1 329	2	181	194	308	101	543
Any goats	farms... 22	—	7	9	6	—	—
	number... 129	—	61	36	32	—	—
Sold	farms... 8	—	3	2	3	—	—
	number... 36	—	10	9	17	—	—
	\$1,000... 2	—	(2)	(2)	1	—	—
Poultry							
Chickens 3 months old or older	farms... 1 489	36	282	480	382	220	89
	number... 626 549	32 008	56 061	133 001	216 259	158 573	30 647
Sold	farms... 379	17	61	107	94	69	31
	number... 669 313	76 952	59 661	99 093	234 570	182 697	16 340
Hens and pullets of laying age	farms... 1 407	28	265	460	361	204	89
	number... 526 993	1 816	48 715	130 612	187 737	127 754	30 359
Kept for table or market egg	farms... 1 382	25	264	451	354	203	85
production	number... 519 052	1 735	48 567	129 773	182 281	127 439	29 257
Kept for hatching egg	farms... 63	3	10	21	14	7	8
production	number... 7 941	81	148	839	5 456	315	1 102
Pullets 3 months old or older not of	farms... 47	1	6	15	15	8	2
laying age	number... 91 121	(D)	5 092	440	26 256	29 313	(D)
Roosters and male chickens	farms... 486	17	117	154	57	20	20
	number... 8 435	(D)	2 254	1 949	2 266	1 506	(D)
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3	farms... 35	1	6	16	8	2	2
months old	number... 109 450	80	370	102 863	5 157	580	400
Broilers and other meat-type	farms... 295	9	56	118	67	30	15
chickens sold	number... 1 799 379	2 675	372 941	663 673	477 325	280 421	2 344
Turkeys	farms... 44	—	14	14	11	4	1
	number... 93 964	—	10 278	53 087	13 121	17 462	16
Sold	farms... 28	—	4	12	6	5	1
	number... 523 729	—	121 600	130 439	(D)	(D)	20
Heavy breeds for slaughter	farms... 24	—	10	6	5	3	—
	number... 27 378	—	10 257	1 071	40	16 010	—
Sold	farms... 14	—	3	5	2	3	1
	number... 229 730	—	13 000	21 010	(D)	(D)	20
Light breeds for slaughter	farms... 9	—	2	2	5	—	—
	number... 50 101	—	15	37 007	13 079	—	—
Sold	farms... 14	—	3	5	3	3	—
	number... 274 659	—	108 600	100 039	(D)	(D)	—
Turkey hens kept for breeding	farms... 15	—	4	7	1	2	1
	number... 16 485	—	6	15 009	2	1 452	16
Sold	farms... 5	—	—	3	1	1	—
	number... 19 340	—	—	9 390	(D)	(D)	—
Crops Harvested							
Field corn for all purposes	farms... 6 959	226	1 285	2 031	1 928	1 130	359
	acres... 290 287	9 891	51 317	83 756	83 434	43 725	18 164
Commercial fertilizer used	farms... 5 184	177	993	1 581	1 437	778	218
	acres... 234 405	7 909	41 975	70 325	68 077	32 523	13 596
Field corn for grain or seed	farms... 6 202	214	1 153	1 815	1 703	991	326
	acres... 248 669	8 883	44 953	71 083	70 378	36 832	16 540
Irrigated	bushels... 14 515 879	540 944	2 566 614	4 205 177	4 192 267	2 087 559	923 318
	farms... 22	—	4	7	7	4	—
	acres... 1 387	—	260	457	436	234	—

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		
Crops Harvested—Continued									
Sorghums for all purposes	farms..	679	561	15	74	129	150	127	66
	acres..	15 942	13 815	249	1 215	4 055	3 870	2 415	2 011
Commercial fertilizer used	farms..	259	204	8	39	44	48	37	28
	acres..	7 002	5 901	106	621	2 224	1 481	603	866
Sorghums for grain or seed	farms..	137	123	3	20	30	27	27	16
	acres..	6 192	5 756	60	508	1 997	1 558	1 068	565
Irrigated	bushels..	292 766	278 339	2 800	14 168	103 693	89 164	46 675	21 839
	farms..	2	2	—	—	—	2	—	—
	acres..	220	220	—	—	—	220	—	—
Soybeans for beans	farms..	39 967	35 830	1 046	3 834	6 616	9 923	10 137	4 274
	acres..	3 269 426	3 104 097	74 693	371 304	681 563	954 354	790 577	231 606
	bushels..	72 536 510	69 309 803	1 607 175	8 378 482	15 985 327	21 518 557	17 514 534	4 921 728
Irrigated	farms..	78	64	3	4	24	18	10	5
	acres..	3 555	3 214	100	188	1 112	1 134	395	285
Commercial fertilizer used	farms..	6 944	6 192	181	720	1 186	1 697	1 763	645
	acres..	548 964	520 456	13 010	63 301	114 226	155 797	138 380	35 742
Peanuts for nuts	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	acres..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	pounds..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Irrigated	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	acres..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Commercial fertilizer used	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	acres..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wheat	farms..	26 198	23 656	769	2 663	4 454	6 469	6 346	2 955
	acres..	2 492 337	2 375 267	61 798	299 967	539 952	723 093	564 467	185 990
	bushels..	71 955 278	68 859 540	1 668 548	8 611 595	15 985 298	21 087 396	16 408 965	5 097 738
Irrigated	farms..	44	38	—	4	13	13	2	6
	acres..	1 627	1 514	—	336	544	449	6	179
Commercial fertilizer used	farms..	15 801	14 674	448	1 778	3 010	4 234	3 809	1 395
	acres..	2 047 299	1 973 293	43 212	255 374	468 623	616 647	458 522	130 915
Cotton	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	acres..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	bales..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Irrigated	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	acres..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Commercial fertilizer used	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	acres..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco	farms..	9	5	—	1	—	2	—	2
	acres..	33	24	—	6	—	15	—	4
	pounds..	65 300	50 500	—	9 500	—	35 000	—	6 000
Irrigated	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	acres..	2	2	—	1	—	1	—	—
Commercial fertilizer used	farms..	19	19	—	6	—	13	—	—
	acres..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Irish potatoes	farms..	890	792	15	50	108	238	242	139
	acres..	85 817	84 371	1 568	4 451	22 142	31 223	19 071	5 916
	hundredweight..	13 782 144	13 555 959	240 485	684 206	3 335 084	5 396 723	2 974 262	925 199
Irrigated	farms..	82	77	1	4	15	33	16	8
	acres..	10 602	10 126	220	358	2 800	4 255	2 016	478
Commercial fertilizer used	farms..	561	525	15	39	91	186	138	56
	acres..	84 615	83 500	1 568	4 440	22 135	30 642	18 827	5 888
Hay	farms..	56 591	49 518	1 007	5 287	9 416	13 910	13 851	6 047
	acres..	2 548 122	2 289 206	42 155	254 182	500 302	684 014	588 296	220 257
	tons..	6 142 892	5 619 055	101 611	632 987	1 267 926	1 709 631	1 409 538	497 362
Commercial fertilizer used	farms..	11 002	10 341	196	1 359	2 640	3 143	2 372	631
	acres..	428 677	405 409	7 207	53 932	116 046	124 687	83 370	20 167
Alfalfa and alfalfa mixtures for hay or dehydrating	farms..	48 852	43 306	879	4 621	8 382	12 344	12 015	5 065
	acres..	1 728 474	1 579 048	30 777	172 928	348 870	481 293	402 940	142 240
	tons, dry..	4 715 490	4 367 797	82 310	485 615	993 233	1 354 632	1 089 182	362 825
Irrigated	farms..	94	87	—	20	21	22	19	5
	acres..	2 553	2 435	—	665	622	531	547	70
Clover, timothy, and mixtures of clover and grasses for hay	farms..	10 398	8 487	147	787	1 388	2 189	2 594	1 382
	acres..	402 896	329 472	5 150	33 866	62 027	88 782	93 933	45 714
	tons, dry..	725 710	606 017	9 815	63 649	116 751	163 984	169 210	82 608
Irrigated	farms..	12	11	—	—	2	2	7	—
	acres..	252	242	—	—	14	48	180	—
Field seeds	farms..	2 191	1 879	24	178	295	441	564	377
	acres..	101 876	90 972	745	8 622	17 442	22 116	27 024	15 023
Irrigated	farms..	5	4	—	—	—	—	1	3
	acres..	85	82	—	—	—	—	6	76
Commercial fertilizer used	farms..	371	313	5	45	62	75	84	42
	acres..	46 549	41 720	410	4 115	9 781	11 054	11 491	4 869
Vegetables	farms..	3 285	2 865	78	306	628	784	789	280
	acres..	140 144	120 721	3 221	12 723	28 733	36 602	30 460	8 983
Irrigated	farms..	105	91	3	11	9	22	30	16
	acres..	2 783	2 271	30	355	321	807	617	140
Commercial fertilizer used	farms..	1 399	1 238	33	149	298	345	314	99
	acres..	67 008	55 705	1 635	6 727	14 400	17 367	12 515	3 060
Berries	farms..	177	132	3	7	17	32	42	31
	acres..	591	298	61	14	41	48	88	47
Irrigated	farms..	54	37	2	3	4	13	9	6
	acres..	399	169	60	5	30	32	39	3
Commercial fertilizer used	farms..	27	20	—	2	3	5	7	3
	acres..	196	88	—	2	29	2	54	2
Land in orchards	farms..	211	135	5	9	19	35	45	22
	acres..	3 382	2 159	107	26	268	659	658	441
Irrigated	farms..	13	6	—	—	4	1	1	—
	acres..	260	45	—	—	36	2	7	—
Commercial fertilizer used	farms..	42	23	1	2	3	7	4	6
	acres..	1 260	791	5	4	75	368	153	186

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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 118	7	9	48	32	16	6
	acres 2 127	60	192	977	467	293	138
Commercial fertilizer used	farms 55	3	3	22	19	5	3
	acres 1 101	35	91	461	327	162	25
Sorghums for grain or seed	farms 14	-	1	8	4	1	-
	acres 436	-	6	302	108	20	-
Irrigated	bushels 14 427	-	83	11 144	2 820	380	-
	farms -	-	-	-	-	-	-
	acres -	-	-	-	-	-	-
Soybeans for beans	farms 4 137	142	779	1 188	1 123	687	218
	acres 165 329	5 094	31 223	45 754	47 954	26 442	8 862
Commercial fertilizer used	farms 3 226 707	91 650	590 201	895 669	959 575	514 297	175 315
	acres 14	-	3	5	2	3	1
Irrigated	farms 341	-	52	221	22	40	6
	acres 752	18	144	226	216	114	34
Commercial fertilizer used	farms 28 508	601	5 535	7 974	8 823	4 168	1 407
	acres -	-	-	-	-	-	-
Peanuts for nuts	farms -	-	-	-	-	-	-
	acres -	-	-	-	-	-	-
	pounds -	-	-	-	-	-	-
Irrigated	farms -	-	-	-	-	-	-
	acres -	-	-	-	-	-	-
Commercial fertilizer used	farms -	-	-	-	-	-	-
	acres -	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wheat	farms 2 542	88	469	685	665	455	180
	acres 117 070	3 410	17 425	33 557	35 221	20 781	6 676
Commercial fertilizer used	farms 3 095 738	81 192	447 009	912 329	950 465	541 908	162 835
	acres 6	-	2	-	3	1	-
Irrigated	farms 113	-	80	-	32	1	-
	acres 1 127	28	191	312	327	199	70
Commercial fertilizer used	farms 74 006	1 523	9 380	22 281	24 105	13 537	3 180
	acres -	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cotton	farms -	-	-	-	-	-	-
	acres -	-	-	-	-	-	-
	bales -	-	-	-	-	-	-
Irrigated	farms -	-	-	-	-	-	-
	acres -	-	-	-	-	-	-
Commercial fertilizer used	farms -	-	-	-	-	-	-
	acres -	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tobacco	farms 4	2	2	-	-	-	-
	acres 9	2	7	-	-	-	-
Commercial fertilizer used	farms 14 800	4 000	10 800	-	-	-	-
	acres -	-	-	-	-	-	-
Irrigated	farms -	-	-	-	-	-	-
	acres -	-	-	-	-	-	-
Commercial fertilizer used	farms -	-	-	-	-	-	-
	acres -	-	-	-	-	-	-
Irish potatoes	farms 98	-	7	37	24	22	8
	acres 1 446	-	406	146	679	164	51
Commercial fertilizer used	farms 226 185	-	68 250	26 931	101 721	23 533	5 750
	acres 5	-	1	1	2	1	-
Irrigated	farms 476	-	230	1	110	135	-
	acres 36	-	7	6	11	7	5
Commercial fertilizer used	farms 1 114	-	406	133	370	157	48
	acres -	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hay	farms 7 073	154	1 245	2 018	2 031	1 219	406
	acres 258 916	4 920	40 707	72 335	79 555	45 214	16 185
Commercial fertilizer used	farms 523 837	9 881	79 565	152 192	161 346	90 445	30 408
	acres 661	10	113	197	223	93	25
Alfalfa and alfalfa mixtures for hay or dehydrating	farms 23 268	266	2 754	6 745	8 999	3 746	758
	acres 5 546	124	1 024	1 585	1 599	920	294
Commercial fertilizer used	farms 149 426	3 219	26 075	41 512	44 041	25 801	8 778
	acres 347 693	7 221	56 146	99 805	106 324	59 401	18 796
Irrigated	farms 7	-	1	1	2	1	2
	acres 118	-	6	20	48	20	24
Clover, timothy, and mixtures of clover and grasses for hay	farms 1 911	35	305	556	550	353	112
	acres 73 424	1 047	10 349	19 513	24 197	12 983	5 335
Commercial fertilizer used	farms 119 693	1 853	16 576	32 973	38 067	21 489	8 735
	acres 1	-	-	-	-	-	1
Irrigated	farms 10	-	-	-	-	-	10
	acres -	-	-	-	-	-	-
Field seeds	farms 312	2	45	74	92	60	39
	acres 10 904	55	1 499	1 823	3 138	3 155	1 234
Commercial fertilizer used	farms 1	-	-	-	-	1	-
	acres 3	-	-	-	-	3	-
Irrigated	farms 58	-	12	16	12	12	6
	acres 4 829	-	840	645	889	2 060	395
Vegetables	farms 420	15	56	140	128	51	30
	acres 19 423	411	2 194	3 769	3 375	8 748	925
Commercial fertilizer used	farms 14	-	2	4	4	2	-
	acres 512	-	5	409	24	74	-
Irrigated	farms 161	6	17	44	55	26	13
	acres 11 303	109	610	1 350	1 625	7 325	284
Berries	farms 45	-	8	17	10	9	1
	acres 293	-	147	24	56	66	(2)
Commercial fertilizer used	farms 17	-	4	4	5	4	-
	acres 231	-	147	15	52	17	-
Irrigated	farms 7	-	3	2	-	2	-
	acres 108	-	47	11	-	50	-
Land in orchards	farms 76	4	8	19	16	23	6
	acres 1 223	43	116	184	324	453	103
Commercial fertilizer used	farms 7	2	1	-	-	3	1
	acres 215	8	1	-	-	201	5
Irrigated	farms 19	2	1	2	4	9	1
	acres 469	35	(2)	17	105	306	5