

APPENDIX Report Forms

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FARM FINANCE SURVEY — 1979 OPERATOR'S REPORT

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Bureau of the Census
1201 East Tenth Street
Jeffersonville, Indiana 47132

The financial needs of the American farmers are changing.

It is important to know facts such as:

The relative debt burden of farmers

That sufficient loan funds are available from the different lenders

The capital investment, operating expenditures, and the amount and sources of income of farmers

These and many other financial problems can be examined only by obtaining information from you and the other survey respondents. Please give the best answers you can, making estimates when you do not have exact figures. Your answers will be combined with others so that confidentiality is maintained. Please answer each question that applies to you.

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(Please correct any error in name and address, including ZIP code.)

Section 1 ACREAGE in 1979 and CURRENT MARKET VALUE of land and buildings
(See instruction sheet.) Include all cropland, pastureland, rangeland, woodland, wasteland, idle land, house lots, etc.

None

1. All land owned ☐

2. All land rented or leased FROM OTHERS, including land worked on shares; leased Federal, State, and railroad land; and land used rent free. (Do NOT include land used on a per-head basis under a grazing permit.) Also complete item 5 below ☐

3. ALL land rented or leased TO OTHERS, including land worked on shares by others and land subleased ☐

4. TOTAL ACRES IN "THIS PLACE" (Please ADD acres owned (item 1) and acres rented (item 2), then SUBTRACT acres rented to others (item 3), and enter your answer in this space.)

"THIS PLACE" means your farm or ranch, feedlots, poultry houses, greenhouses, and/or any other agricultural operations.

5. If you rented land FROM OTHERS (item 2 above), please enter the following information for each landlord.

Name of landlord	Mailing address of landlord	Number of acres rented	Rental arrangements in 1979 — Mark (X) all that apply			
			Share of crops	Share of livestock or products	Cash as rent	Other arrangements
First name, middle initial, last name	Number and street or rural route and box number	052	053 1 <input type="checkbox"/>	2 <input type="checkbox"/>	3 <input type="checkbox"/>	4 <input type="checkbox"/>
Post Office	State ZIP code					
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Post Office	State ZIP code					
First name, middle initial, last name	Number and street or rural route and box number	060	061 1 <input type="checkbox"/>	2 <input type="checkbox"/>	3 <input type="checkbox"/>	4 <input type="checkbox"/>
Post Office	State ZIP code					

List any additional landlords on continuation sheet.

6. Of the land you rented or leased to others (item 3 above), how many acres did you own? ☐

None

Number of acres

Current market value

Dollars Cents

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PLEASE READ

You may be able to skip most of this form if

- a. All the land you owned or rented was worked on shares or rented to someone else.
b. There were no crops or livestock in 1979 on the acres in THIS PLACE (item 4).
c. The land you operated prior to 1979 has been sold to someone else.
If a, b, or c apply to your operation, please explain in section 14, complete section 15 and mail back the report form in the return envelope.

7. How many set aside acres did you have in the Federal Farm Program in 1979? ☐ Acres

None 064

8. Was any farm or ranch land sold by you in 1979 for —

None

a. Farming or ranching purposes? ☐b. Other purposes? ☐

Acres	Sales value	
	Dollars	Cents
065	066 \$	
067	068 \$	

9. If you rented land from others (item 2), how much cash rent did you pay for the year 1979?

None

Acres	Cash rent	
	Dollars	Cents
069	070 \$	

10. Is this farm or ranch operated by a hired manager? (See enclosed instruction sheet.)

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1 ☐ YES 2 ☐ NO

Section 2 PURCHASES, EXPENDITURES AND CREDIT USED DURING 1979 FOR THE AGRICULTURAL OPERATION

These items concern the kinds of purchases and expenditures made and the amount of credit used during 1979 for agricultural operations on this place, section 1, item 4. In column 1, report the total cost of the purchases or expenditures. In column 2, report the amount of credit used, if any, for the purchases and expenditures. (See enclosed instruction sheet.)

▶ **NOTE** — For each expense or purchase in column 1, complete column 2 either with the dollar amount or mark (X) in the "No credit used" box.

■ **Agricultural capital purchases for this place during 1979**

1. Purchases in 1979 of land, including buildings — *Include only land in this place as reported in section 1, item 4.*

2. Expenditures for land and irrigation improvements including land preparation, well drilling, ponds, drainage, roads, feedlots, fences, trench silos, lagoons, etc.

3. Expenditures for buildings and structures — *Include new or additions to dwellings, barns, shelters, milking parlors, hog houses, poultry houses, crop storage, silos, and others. Exclude repairs.*

4. Purchases of tractors and farm machinery at net cost — *(Total cost minus trade-in values)*

a. New

b. Used

5. Purchases of trucks and autos at net cost — *(Total cost minus trade-in values)*

a. New

b. Used

6. Purchases of breeding livestock and dairy cows and heifers

7. All other agricultural capital purchases — *Include movable irrigation equipment and machinery such as pipes, siphons, nozzles, pumps and engines; other motor driven vehicles such as airplanes or other special use vehicles that were used on this place. Exclude capital purchases covered above*

■ **Agricultural operating expenses and other purchases for this place during 1979. Do not include here depreciation, income taxes, cash rent; expenditures for the purchase of land, buildings, or machinery; expenditures for the farm dwelling including repairs, taxes, insurance, and other items; also exclude expenses paid by landlords, and value of items furnished by contractors.**

8. Expenditures for feed — grain, hay, silage, mixed feeds, concentrates, etc.

9. Purchases of livestock and poultry other than breeding stock and dairy cows and heifers

10. Purchases of fertilizer

11. Expenditures for hired wages and contract labor — *Report gross cash payments to employees, including paid family members, before deductions for Social Security, taxes, insurance premiums, etc.*

12. Purchases of gasoline, diesel fuel, LP gas, other fuel, motor oil, and grease for farm use only

13. All other agricultural operating expenditures such as machine hire, customwork, seeds, pesticides, real estate and personal property taxes, utilities; upkeep of farm buildings, machinery, fences, drains and irrigation systems; interest and other finance charges; storage charges; lime, soil conditioners, etc.

14. Funds borrowed during 1979 for any farm purpose other than listed above (such as replenishment of working capital or to increase your bank balance)

TOTAL COST AND CREDIT USED					
Total purchases or expenditures in 1979 (1)			Portion financed Exclude 30-day accounts (2)		
None	Total amount Cash and credit		No credit used	Dollars	Cents
	Dollars	Cents			
	072			073	
<input type="checkbox"/>	\$		<input type="checkbox"/>	\$	
	074			075	
<input type="checkbox"/>	\$		<input type="checkbox"/>	\$	
	076			077	
<input type="checkbox"/>	\$		<input type="checkbox"/>	\$	
	078			079	
<input type="checkbox"/>	\$		<input type="checkbox"/>	\$	
	080			081	
<input type="checkbox"/>	\$		<input type="checkbox"/>	\$	
	082			083	
<input type="checkbox"/>	\$		<input type="checkbox"/>	\$	
	084			085	
<input type="checkbox"/>	\$		<input type="checkbox"/>	\$	
	086			087	
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	088			089	
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<input type="checkbox"/>	\$		<input type="checkbox"/>	\$	
				103	
<input type="checkbox"/>	\$		<input type="checkbox"/>	\$	

Section 3 DEBTS AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1979 (See enclosed instruction sheet.)			AMOUNT OWED ON DECEMBER 31, 1979 (Exclude interest)								
The debts to be reported are those owed as of December 31, 1979 arising from the operation of the acres in section 1, item 4.			Total amount owed For each entry in this column please answer columns 2 and 3			Amount of debt secured by real estate Include debts secured by mortgages on land and buildings, deeds of trust, land purchase, etc.			Amount of debt not secured by real estate Include debts secured by notes, machinery, crops, or other non-real estate assets, and unsecured debts.		
			(1)			(2)			(3)		
			None	Dollars	Cents	None	Dollars	Cents	None	Dollars	Cents
■ Source of Debt											
1. Federal Land Banks (or Federal Land Bank Associations)			<input type="checkbox"/>	104 \$		<input type="checkbox"/>	105 \$		<input type="checkbox"/>	109 \$	
2. The Farmers Home Administration			<input type="checkbox"/>	107 \$		<input type="checkbox"/>	108 \$		<input type="checkbox"/>	112 \$	
3. Small Business Administration			<input type="checkbox"/>	110 \$		<input type="checkbox"/>	111 \$		<input type="checkbox"/>	115 \$	
4. Insurance Companies — Exclude premiums due			<input type="checkbox"/>	113 \$		<input type="checkbox"/>	114 \$		<input type="checkbox"/>	118 \$	
5. Commercial banks and savings banks (national or State banks, trust companies, etc.)			<input type="checkbox"/>	116 \$		<input type="checkbox"/>	117 \$		<input type="checkbox"/>		
6. Individuals from whom you bought part or all of this acreage —											
a. Under a mortgage or deed of trust			<input type="checkbox"/>	119 \$		<input type="checkbox"/>	120 \$		<input type="checkbox"/>		
b. Under a land purchase contract			<input type="checkbox"/>	122 \$		<input type="checkbox"/>	123 \$		<input type="checkbox"/>		
7. Production credit associations			<input type="checkbox"/>	125 \$		<input type="checkbox"/>	126 \$		<input type="checkbox"/>	127 \$	
8. Other lending institutions (mortgage companies, real estate agents or dealers, savings and loan associations, agricultural credit corporations, finance companies, State or county agencies, credit unions, livestock loan companies, etc.)			<input type="checkbox"/>	129 \$		<input type="checkbox"/>	129 \$		<input type="checkbox"/>	130 \$	
9. Merchants and dealers, including cooperatives, mail order companies, farm machinery companies, and other manufacturers, (exclude debts on 30-day accounts) for purchase of —											
a. Tractors and farm machinery, including repairs			<input type="checkbox"/>	131 \$		<input type="checkbox"/>	132 \$		<input type="checkbox"/>	133 \$	
b. Autos and trucks, including repairs			<input type="checkbox"/>	134 \$		<input type="checkbox"/>	135 \$		<input type="checkbox"/>	136 \$	
c. Gasoline, oil, and other fuel			<input type="checkbox"/>	137 \$		<input type="checkbox"/>	138 \$		<input type="checkbox"/>	139 \$	
d. Feed, seed, and fertilizer			<input type="checkbox"/>	140 \$		<input type="checkbox"/>	141 \$		<input type="checkbox"/>	142 \$	
e. Livestock and poultry			<input type="checkbox"/>	143 \$		<input type="checkbox"/>	144 \$		<input type="checkbox"/>	145 \$	
f. All other purchases for the operation of this acreage from merchants and dealers, including building supplies, fencing, hardware, customwork, and similar purchases			<input type="checkbox"/>	146 \$		<input type="checkbox"/>	147 \$		<input type="checkbox"/>	148 \$	
10. Any other individuals, a relative, a friend, a landlord, an estate, etc. — Exclude debts on 30-day accounts.			<input type="checkbox"/>	149 \$		<input type="checkbox"/>	150 \$		<input type="checkbox"/>	151 \$	
11. Commodity Credit Corporation loans:											
a. On crops			<input type="checkbox"/>	152 \$		<input type="checkbox"/>	153 \$		<input type="checkbox"/>	154 \$	
b. For crop storage facilities			<input type="checkbox"/>	155 \$		<input type="checkbox"/>	156 \$		<input type="checkbox"/>	157 \$	
12. Unpaid bills for veterinary services, utilities, past due taxes or insurance premiums, and debts for other purposes relating to this acreage — Include all debts on account not expected to be paid in 30 days.			<input type="checkbox"/>	158 \$		<input type="checkbox"/>	159 \$		<input type="checkbox"/>	160 \$	

Section 4 MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD DURING 1979 (See enclosed instruction sheet.)			Section 6 INCOME AND EXPENSES FROM FARM-RELATED SOURCES IN 1979 (See enclosed instruction sheet.)		
1. What was the total market value of farm products sold from this place in 1979? — Include the value of the landlord's and/or contractor's share, estimating if necessary. Include value of Government CCC loans, but exclude sales of forest products. a. If you rented or leased land from others on a share basis, what was the value of your landlord's share of the total sales reported in item 1 above?			■ Part A — Income from Farm-Related Sources Report amount received before taxes and expenses.		
	None	Dollars Cents		None	Dollars Cents
		161 \$			167 \$
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Section 8 TAXES

Did you own any farm or ranch land in 1979?

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1 ☐ YES — Complete this section (See enclosed instruction sheet.)2 ☐ NO — Go to section 9

1. What was the number of acres of your farm or ranch land as shown on your tax bill(s) for 1979? 175 Acres

None	Dollars	Cents
	176	
	\$	
	177	
	\$	

2. What was the assessed value of land, buildings, and other improvements shown on your real estate tax bill(s) for 1979?
- ☐
- \$

3. What was the total amount of real estate taxes (land, buildings, and other improvements) payable by you as shown on your tax bill(s) for 1979?
- ☐
- \$

Section 9 ASSETS OWNED BY THE FARM OPERATOR
(See enclosed instruction sheet.)

■ Items owned — Exclude value of land reported in section 1.

	None	Dollars	Cents
1. Dwellings		178	
a. Farm dwellings for hired laborers	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$	
b. Operator's dwelling if on this place (section 1, item 4) (If not on this place report in item 21 below.)	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$	
2. All other buildings except dwellings	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$	
3. Autos	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$	
4. Trucks	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$	
5. Tractors	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$	
6. Other farm machinery and equipment	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$	
7. Crops stored: Include crops under Government CCC loans. a. On-farm b. Off-farm	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	\$ \$	
8. Beef animals	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$	
9. Dairy animals	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$	
10. Hogs and pigs	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$	
11. Sheep and lambs	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$	
12. Poultry — Include layers, broilers, turkeys, etc.	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$	
13. Other livestock (horses, mink, bees, fish, rabbits, etc.)	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$	
14. Money owed to you	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$	
15. U.S. Savings Bonds	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$	
16. Other bonds, corporate stocks, and certificates of deposit	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$	
17. Cash values of life insurance	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$	
18. Money in checking and savings accounts in banks	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$	
19. Money in savings and loan associations and other savings accounts	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$	
20. Cash and currency on hand	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$	
21. Nonfarm assets owned and debts — Include nonfarm property such as off farm dwellings, cotton gins, stocks of cooperative organizations, motels, stores, vehicles, machinery, and equipment for nonfarm uses, etc. Estimated market value of these assets (as of December 31, 1979) Debts related to these assets (as of December 31, 1979)	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	\$ \$	

Section 10 OFF-FARM INCOME DURING 1979
(See enclosed instruction sheet.)

1. How much did you and members of your family living in your household receive in 1979 from each of the following sources?

	None	Dollars	Cents
a. Cash wages, salaries, tips, Armed Forces pay, commissions, piece-rate payments, and cash bonuses (report amount before deducting income taxes and other withholding items).		229	
(1) Nonfarm jobs or professions	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$	
(2) Farm work — Exclude customwork reported in section 6, item 1.	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$	
b. Operation of a non-farm-related business (not reported in section 6) or professional practice. — Report NET after cash expenses.	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$	
c. Retirement and/or disability —		232	
(1) Social Security	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$	
(2) Other public (government retiree, military, or railroad) veterans payments	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$	
(3) Private pensions	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$	
d. Public assistance, SSI (Supplemental Security Income), welfare benefits, unemployment compensation	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$	
e. Interest	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$	
f. Dividends	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$	
g. Income from estates or trusts, net cash rental income from nonfarm property, net royalties, or lease payments for mineral rights	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$	
h. Annuities, alimony, regular contributions from persons not living in the household, and other money income, from any other source	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$	

Section 11 WHEN AND HOW OWNED LAND OPERATED WAS ACQUIRED

	None	Acres
1. Copy reported acres from section 1, item 1	<input type="checkbox"/>	270
2. Copy reported acres from section 1, item 6	<input type="checkbox"/>	271
3. Subtract item 2 from item 1, this is the "owned land operated" by you	<input type="checkbox"/>	272
If "owned land operated" is greater than zero — complete this section, otherwise skip to section 12.		
4. When did you purchase or acquire the "owned land operated"? Please enter acres by years listed below.		
a. During 1979	<input type="checkbox"/>	280
(1) Was any of the land purchased in 1979 financed by a mortgage on land you already owned? 281 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No		
b. 1975 through 1978	<input type="checkbox"/>	282
c. 1970 through 1974	<input type="checkbox"/>	283
d. 1965 through 1969	<input type="checkbox"/>	284
e. 1960 through 1964	<input type="checkbox"/>	285
f. Prior to 1960	<input type="checkbox"/>	286
g. TOTAL (Should equal item 3 above).	<input type="checkbox"/>	287
5. How did you purchase or acquire the "owned land operated"? Please enter acres by appropriate source.		
a. Purchase from non-relative	<input type="checkbox"/>	288
b. Purchase from a relative	<input type="checkbox"/>	289
c. Inherited or gift	<input type="checkbox"/>	290
d. Other — Specify	<input type="checkbox"/>	291
e. TOTAL (Should equal item 3 above)	<input type="checkbox"/>	292

Section 12 OFF-FARM WORK AND EDUCATION

(See enclosed instruction sheet.)

- **Note:** Answer column 1 for operator.
Answer column 2 for spouse; if no spouse mark (X) box 3, column 2.

1. Off-farm work — Did you (or did your spouse) work for pay at an off-farm job during 1979?
Include self-employment, business, or professional work. Exclude exchange farm work.

Column 1
REPORT FOR OPERATOR
⇓

- 300 1 ☐ Yes — Complete this section
2 ☐ No — Skip to item 2

Column 2
REPORT FOR SPOUSE
⇓

- 301 1 ☐ Yes — Complete this section
2 ☐ No — Skip to item 2
3 ☐ No spouse

If more than one off-farm job, describe the one at which the most hours were worked.

a. Were you (or was your spouse):

- Employee of another farm or ranch?
- Employee of a private company, business or individual, for wage, salary, or commission?
- Federal, State, or local government employee?
- Self employed—operating a farm related business?
- Self employed—operating a nonfarm related business or professional practice?

- 302 1 ☐
2 ☐
3 ☐
4 ☐
5 ☐ } Mark (X) one box

- 303 1 ☐
2 ☐
3 ☐
4 ☐
5 ☐ } Mark (X) one box

b. What kind of business or industry was this? (Example: public school system, road construction company, textile mill, automobile repair service, truck assembly plant, dairy farm.)

304 Specify _____

305 Specify _____

c. What kind of work were you (or was your spouse) doing on the off-farm job in 1979? (Example: high school English teacher, lawyer, sales clerk, real estate agent, automobile mechanic, machinist, practical nurse, manager, farm or ranch worker, etc.)

Specify _____

Specify _____

d. Describe the most important work activity on the off-farm job in 1979. (For example: sells farm supplies, repairs equipment, drives truck, general farm work, manages own business.)

Specify _____

Specify _____

e. How many hours per week were normally worked for pay at this off-farm job?

310 _____ Hours

311 _____ Hours

f. How many weeks per year were normally worked at this off-farm job?

312 _____ Weeks

313 _____ Weeks

g. How many miles were traveled one way to work at this off-farm job?

314 _____ Miles

315 _____ Miles

2. Education — What was the highest grade (or year) of school ever completed? Mark (X) applicable box.

- 316 Less than 5 5-8 9-11
1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐
4 ☐ 12 13-14 15-16
5 ☐ 6 ☐
17 or more
7 ☐

- 317 Less than 5 5-8 9-11
1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐
4 ☐ 12 13-14 15-16
5 ☐ 6 ☐
17 or more
7 ☐

Section 13 HOUSEHOLD CHARACTERISTICS

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1. Citizenship of operator 1 ☐ United States 2 ☐ Other — Specify country _____

2. Size of household. How many persons were included in your household on December 31, 1979? Include yourself (operator or senior partner), spouse, children, and others such as other relatives, or others living in your household Number

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a. Of these, how many were under 16 years of age? Number

3. Was the farm or family income benefited by any of the following programs during 1979? Mark (X) all that apply.

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- 1 ☐ The county Cooperative Extension Service
2 ☐ Agricultural Conservation Program (ACP) of ASCS
3 ☐ Soil Conservation Program
4 ☐ Federal Crop Insurance
5 ☐ Forest service

- 6 ☐ Direct contact with specialists at a State Agricultural College
7 ☐ Food stamp or special nutrition programs
8 ☐ Aid to families with dependent children (AFDC)
9 ☐ Formal job training program sponsored by any school, military service, or government program such as CETA

Section 14 REMARKS AND EXPLANATIONS**Section 15 SIGNATURE OF PERSON COMPLETING THIS REPORT — Please check your answers, then sign below.**

Name _____ 330 Date _____ Telephone _____ 331 Area code _____ Number _____

FORM 79-A9A(D)
(1-14-80)

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
BUREAU OF THE CENSUS

INSTRUCTION SHEET

1979 FARM FINANCE SURVEY

GENERAL INFORMATION

To make recordkeeping more economical, every case drawn in the Farm Finance Survey has a separate Census File Number. In order to close out the survey, we need a reply from everyone receiving the report form, whether agricultural operations were conducted in 1979 or not. Please follow the instructions given below for completing section 1. You will then be able to determine what additional information is to be provided.

1. The enclosed report form may contain sections and inquiries which do not apply to you. Where this is the case, you may simply mark the "None" or "No" box and go on to the next item or section.

2. If You Receive More Than One Report Form for the 1979 Farm Finance Survey

If you had multiple farming operations, you should complete a report form for EACH SEPARATE and DISTINCT production unit (farm, ranch, feedlot, greenhouse, etc., for which you maintained SEPARATE records of operating expense and sales, livestock and other inventories, crop acreages, and production).

If you received more than one report form and you DID NOT have multiple farming operations, complete only ONE report form for your place. Near the address label of each extra report form write "Extra" and the 11-digit Census File Number from the label of the report form you complete. Return the extra report(s) in the same envelope with your completed report form, so that we can remove the extra addresses from our mail register.

3. Partnership Operations

Complete only ONE report form for the entire partnership farm and ranch operations, including all partners' shares on the same report. If two or more report forms were received for the partnership see item 2 above.

A partnership is an association of two or more persons who have agreed (informally or under legal contract) on the amount of their contributions or profits.

Co-ownership of land by husband and wife or joint filing of income tax forms does not constitute a partnership unless an agreement to share contributions, decisionmaking, profits, and liabilities also exists. The "Senior Partner" should complete the report form for this operation. Consider the "Senior Partner" as the person mainly in charge of the agricultural operation on this place. If partners share the work equally, consider the oldest individual as the "Senior Partner."

4. How to Enter Your Response on the Report Form

To make tabulation easier and more accurate, please enter your answers in the proper spaces, on the correct lines, and in the units requested, i.e., dollars, acres, etc. Write any explanation outside the answer spaces, in the remarks section, or on a separate piece of paper.

If you do not recall exact figures, please give your best estimate. You may indicate "Est." (for estimated) beside the answer, if you like. For all dollar items, report whole dollars, although a "Cents" column is provided for those who wish to report cents.

COMPLETING THE REPORT FORM

Section 1 — Acreage in 1979 and Current Market Value of Land and Buildings

This section determines the land for which you should report agricultural activities. It also provides space for reporting value of land and buildings, names and addresses of landlords, and other land-related items.

Changes in the Acres Operated in 1979 — Report all land that was associated with your agricultural operation in 1979 even if some or all of it was no longer a part of your operation on December 31, 1979.

If you had agricultural operations at any time during 1979, but quit farming before December 31, 1979, report your 1979 operations and sales for that land for the portion of the year that you operated. Normally you would not have any inventory values for poultry, livestock, machinery, and equipment to report. Please explain in section 14 that you quit farming or ranching during 1979 and give the approximate date.

If you acquired land for agricultural operations, but did not use it for livestock and crop production, include that land in section 1. Please explain the changes in acres if necessary in section 14.

Completing Items 1, 2, 3, and 4 of Section 1 — Use items 1, 2, and 3 to determine the total acres of land for which you should complete the census report form. Include all land with which you were associated in 1979, regardless of location or use. Do not include holdings of residential property not associated with agricultural operations. Report all land in whole acres in this section. If you used less than one acre, report it as one acre.

Item 1 — Land Owned — Report all land owned and associated with agriculture in 1979 whether held under title, purchase contract or mortgage, homestead law, or as heir or trustee of an undivided estate, by you and/or your spouse, or by the partnership, corporation, or organization for which you are reporting.

Item 2 — Land Rented or Leased FROM Others — Report all land rented by you even though the landlord may have supplied equipment, fertilizer, or other materials and/or some supervision of the work.

INCLUDE in item 2 —

- a. Land (for agricultural uses) that you rented FROM others for cash payments
- b. Land worked on a share basis
- c. Land (owned by someone else) which you used rent-free
- d. Federal, State, Indian, or railroad land rented or leased by the acre

DO NOT INCLUDE in item 2 — Land used on a per-head or animal unit license or permit basis, such as land used under section 3 of the Taylor Grazing Act, National Forest Land, or Indian Reservation Permit Land.

Item 3 — Land Rented TO OTHERS — Cash tenants, share tenants, and share croppers are farm operators for census purposes and are responsible for reporting all land they operate.

INCLUDE in item 3 —

- a. Owned land rented TO others for cash or a share of the crops or livestock
- b. Land which you rented from others and then subleased to others in 1979
- c. Land rented out for residential or other nonfarm purposes, if it was part of the land reported in items 1 or 2
- d. Land worked for you by someone else on a share-of-crop basis
- e. Land which you allowed others to use rent-free

Note: In the remaining sections (except section 8) of the questionnaire DO NOT report any items relating to the land reported in item 3 "Land rented or leased TO others for all of 1979." Operations on this land should be reported by the individual tenant(s).

Item 4 — Acres in This Place — This is the sum of the land that you owned in 1979 (item 1), PLUS the land that you rented FROM others (item 2), MINUS the land that you rented TO others (item 3). It is very important that you report this figure correctly (even if "0" acres), since much of the form applies only to the resulting net figure — the "Acres in This Place."

"Zero Acres in Place" — Should you complete the rest of this form?

If you yourself had crop or livestock activities on the land for any portion of the year, you should complete the rest of the form. See "Changes in Acres Operated in 1979" above.

If all your land was operated by a renter or sharecropper for all of 1979, you do not have to complete the entire form. In this case, you should:

- a. Explain in section 14 that "All land was rented out," and give the name and address of the renter or sharecropper in 1979.
- b. Complete section 15 with name, date, and telephone number.

If for any other reason you had no agricultural operations during 1979:

- a. Explain briefly in section 14, "Sold Farm," "Retired," etc., and give the approximate date that you quit operating. If you sold your farm, please give the name and address of the current owner or operator, if known.

- b. Complete section 15 with name, date, and telephone number.

Mail the form in the return envelope provided.

Value of Land and Buildings — Please give your best estimate of the current market value of the land, including all permanent buildings and permanently attached or built-in equipment.

Include the value of the dwelling(s) on the place and of all farm buildings such as barns, poultry houses, fruit packing sheds, vegetable sheds, etc.

Include the value of attached or built-in machinery and equipment which would normally be included with the sale of the farm or ranch such as:

Crop drying equipment (not portable)
Tobacco curing equipment
Stationary feed grinding and mixing equipment
Automatic feeding and watering equipment
Cages and pens, used for confinement of livestock and poultry
Cold storage facilities for fruit, vegetables, etc.
Stationary hatchery equipment
Stationary greenhouse heating and watering equipment

Exclude the value of portable equipment and machinery.

Do not include the value of major agricultural manufacturing or processing plants, such as cotton gins or sugar mills, that may be located on the place, nor the value of other buildings used for nonagricultural purposes, such as retail stores, filling stations, factories, motels, etc.

Hired Manager — A hired manager is a person who is paid a salary or wage (and sometimes a commission) to operate a farm or ranch for an individual or family, a corporation, an institution, or other organizations. The manager is often responsible for purchases, sales, making decisions involving the crop or livestock operations for the farm or ranch, and sometimes supervises others in performing these operations.

As such, the manager is the person in charge of the place he or she manages. Do not confuse a hired manager with a foreman, caretaker, share operator, or hired person who merely carries out the employer's instructions.

Section 2 — Purchases, Expenditures, and Credit Used During 1979 for the Agricultural Operation

Do not include any of the following kinds of expenditures in this section:

Expenditures on farm property rented to others
Expenditures on nonfarm property
Expenditures made by landlord(s)
Expenditures related to nonfarm activities (trading and speculation or livestock dealer activities)

Column 1 — Report all purchases or expenditures made for the agricultural operation during 1979. Include sales taxes, but exclude finance charges. Finance charges should be included in item 13. Report the costs of items minus trade-in allowed. Mark (X) the box in the "None" column if you had no expenditures for the items in column 1.

Column 2 — Report the total amount of credit obtained for more than 30 days at time of purchase from seller or other lender (not the amount remaining to be paid at the end of 1979). Mark (X) the box in the "No Credit Used" box in column 2 if you paid in cash or check within 30 days of purchase.

Hired Labor — Expenditures for hired labor should include gross wages or salaries, commissions, paid bonuses, and leave pay before deductions, plus the value of benefits paid by you — Social Security taxes, unemployment insurance, etc. Do not include room and board, house rent, or other items paid in kind.

If during the year you borrowed funds for general farming or ranching operations and cannot readily state the specific purpose for which the funds were used, report the amount borrowed in item 14, column 2.

Section 3 -- Debts as of December 31, 1979

Report all debts owed as of December 31, 1979, related to the agricultural operations on this place.

For debts covering more land than the acres in this place, report your estimate for that part of the debt applying only to this place. The share to be reported should be estimated in proportion to the market values of the properties. If you cannot allocate debt between owned land reported in section 1, item 4, and owned land rented to others, report the total debt for owned land, and explain in "Remarks" in section 14. Other debts should also be prorated if they relate only in part to the agricultural operations on this place.

Do not include any of the following kinds of debts:

Debts of farm property rented to others
Debts on nonagricultural property such as cotton gins, canning factories, sugar mills, motels, stores, etc.
Your landlord(s) share of any debts
Charge accounts that are usually paid in full each month (debts owed for less than 30 days should not be reported)

For each of the specified lending sources to which no debt was owed on December 31, 1979, mark (X) the small box in the "None" box for column 1.

Column 1 -- Total amount owed -- For each source of debt, the entry for column 1 should be equal to the sum of the debts reported in columns 2 and 3. If all of the debt from a source is secured by real estate, the entry in this column should be the same as the entry in column 2. Likewise, if none of the debt is secured by real estate, the entry should be the same as the entry in column 3.

Column 2 -- Amount of debt secured by farm real estate -- For each source, report as of December 31, 1979, the amount of debt that was secured by all or part of the real estate in this place. Include debts secured entirely by mortgages (first, second, or third), deeds of trust, and land purchase contracts. Also include in this column debts secured in part by the real estate in this place and in part by chattel mortgages or liens on livestock, poultry, equipment, or crops.

Column 3 -- Amount of debt not secured by farm real estate -- For each source, report as of December 31, 1979, the amount of debt arising from the operation of this place that was not secured by farm real estate. Include unsecured debts and debts secured entirely by chattel mortgages and crop liens. Also include unpaid bills and accounts which you owed for a period of more than 30 days, as of December 31, 1979.

Section 4 -- Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

Report the gross value of all crops, livestock, poultry and their products sold from this place in 1979. Reasonable estimates are acceptable.

INCLUDE --

Calendar Year -- Report all sales in calendar year 1979 regardless of the year produced.

Shares -- If land was rented on a share basis or worked on share for others, include the value of the landlord's share of any products removed from this place. Estimate the equivalent market value, if necessary.

Partnership -- If the farm or ranch is operated as a partnership, report the total value of all products sold from the place for all partners.

Government Loans -- Consider the value of a crop placed under Government loan or seal in 1979 as sold.

Co-op and Pool-type Arrangements -- If a crop was sold through an organization which makes payments in several installments over a period of time, report the total value received in 1979 regardless of the crop year.

Contract Production -- For products produced under a contract or agreement, report an estimate of the market value of the product at the time it was removed from this place even though you may have received only a portion of this value.

Sales by Other Household Members -- Include the sales of products made from the place by other household members, such as 4H projects, etc.

EXCLUDE --

Nonfarm Activities -- Sales of nonfarm-related businesses or activities such as livestock dealer activities. For example, do not include the value of animals purchased and resold within 30 days.

Home Use -- Do not include the value of home use.

Forest Products -- The value of forest products sold should be reported in section 6, item 5.

Sales From Other Places -- Exclude farm sales from land rented to others or from livestock held on or sold from someone else's farm or ranch.

Section 5 -- Contracts

Many farm products are produced and marketed under a contract or binding agreement between the farm operator (producer) and the person who buys or uses the farm product. It may be a production contract, a marketing contract, or a combination of both.

Production contracts usually specify the kind and/or amount of farm products to be produced and may specify variety or breed, the operations to be performed during production, and the inputs and technical assistance to be supplied by the contractor.

Marketing contracts usually specify the kind and/or amount of farm products to be delivered, but usually do not specify the particular operations or methods to be used in production, or furnish inputs such as feed, seed, labor, or equipment.

For each commodity or product produced under production contract, report the dollar amount you received from the contractor in item 1. In item 2, report an estimate of the total market value of the products you produced under contract. In item 3, report an estimate of the cost of the items and services provided by the contractor.

Do not include contracts made by you for services (customwork, hauling, etc.) or to produce farm items for you wherein you are the purchaser rather than the supplier of the products.

If a sales contract or agreement provides also for supplying or furnishing feed, seed, labor, or equipment, report it as a production contract. Do not report contracts or agreements which do not provide specifically for the production of agricultural products.

Section 6 -- Income and Expenses From Farm-Related Sources in 1979

Items 1, 2, and 6 refer only to those income producing activities for which you use part of the land, machinery, equipment, labor, or capital normally used on this place, and which you do not consider as entirely separate from your farming activities. Report gross amount received before taxes and expenses.

Do not report income or expenses for customwork or agricultural services provided for others if operated as an entirely separate business from your agricultural operations. The net income from any such separate business should be reported in section 10, item 1b, Off-Farm Income.

In item 3, report any payments you received in 1979 from the following government farm programs:

Wheat, rice, feed grains, and upland cotton target price program
Grain storage payments
Special crop acreage grazing and hay program
Cropland adjustment program
Land diversion program
Disaster payments program
Dairy indemnity payment program
Beekeeper indemnity payment program
Emergency feed program

Section 7 -- Net Farm Income of Partnerships

Report the proportion of the total net cash farm income received from this place by the operator of a partnership (the senior partner).

Consider the senior partner as the person mainly in charge of the agricultural operations. If the partners share the work equally, consider the oldest as the senior.

The net cash farm income is calculated by taking the gross sales of agricultural products of the farm, adding the gross income from farm-related sources, and subtracting the cash farm operating expenses and the cash operating expenses for farm-related income sources.

Section 8 -- Real Estate Taxes

The tax information which is to be reported in this section are those taxes levied on farm and ranch land, buildings, and other improvements, as reported on your tax bill for the year 1979.

If you have more than one tax bill (example, county, State, school district, etc.) for the same acres

- Include the acreage only once in item 1
- Report in item 2 the largest assessed value for any of the individual tax bills
- Report the sum of the taxes from all bills in item 3

Do not include taxes on nonfarm property, such as land and buildings used for cotton gins, sugar mills, canning factories, motels, stores, etc. For taxes that are levied on both agricultural and nonagricultural property, estimate and report only that portion of the taxes applying to your farm or ranch. Also exclude personal property taxes.

Section 9 -- Assets Owned by the Farm Operator

The assets to be reported are those owned as of December 31, 1979. Estimates are acceptable.

INCLUDE --

Family or individual operation -- Assets owned by the operator and related members of the household engaged in the farm business for items 1 through 21.

Partnership or family corporation operation -- Assets owned by the partnership or corporation are to be reported for items 1 through 13. Include equipment owned by partners or shareholders which is used exclusively by the partnership or corporation.

Assets owned by the senior partner and related members of the household engaged in the farm business for items 14 through 21.

For family corporation, report items 14 through 21 for the person who is considered to be in charge of the agricultural operation, including related members of the household engaged in the farm business.

Managed operation, including large corporation -- Assets managed for the farm owner for items 1 through 13. Assets owned by the hired manager and related members of the household engaged in the farm business for items 14 through 21.

EXCLUDE --

Assets of farm property for items 1 and 2 rented to others
In all cases your landlord's share of any assets
Poultry, livestock, and other assets owned by contractors, investors, etc.
Machinery, equipment, and other assets rented from others

Section 10 -- Off-Farm Income During 1979

Include income received between January 1, and December 31, 1979. Be sure to include wages, salaries, payments, etc., received by you, your spouse, your children, or other relatives who are members of your household. If you are not certain of the exact figures, please give your best estimate.

Do not include payments received by persons (such as hired workers, etc.) not related to you. If the report is for a partnership, include payments received by the senior partner and his/her relatives living in his/her household. Mark (X) the "None" box if you have no dollars to report.

Managed Farms Including Large Corporations

For a farm or ranch operated by a hired manager or by one family, relate all income items to the farm manager and the members of his/her family. In item 1a, include the salary, wages, or commissions received by the manager from the employer. Do not include any non-farm income received by the corporation or employer.

Section 12 -- Please complete this section for both the operator and spouse. The spouse of the operator is usually determined by how the two individuals consider each other. No legal status is required, but usually the spouse is either the wife or husband of the operator.

DUE DATE: 20 DAYS AFTER RECEIPT OF FORM

Form Approved: O.M.B. No. 41-579057

NOTICE Response to this inquiry is required by law (title 13, U.S. Code). By the same law your report to the Census Bureau is confidential. It may be seen only by sworn Census employees and may be used only for statistical purposes. The law also provides that copies retained in your files are immune from legal process.

FORM 79-A9B
(11-9-79)U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
BUREAU OF THE CENSUS

FARM FINANCE SURVEY — 1979

LANDLORD'S REPORT

COMPLETE AND RETURN TO

Bureau of the Census
1201 East Tenth Street
Jeffersonville, Indiana 47132

The financial needs of the American farmers and farm landlords are changing.

It is important to know facts such as:

Their relative debt burden

That sufficient loan funds are available
from different lendersThe net returns that farm operators and land owners earn
on their investments after paying their expenses

These and many other financial problems can be examined only by obtaining information from you and the other survey respondents. Please give the best answers you can, making estimates when you do not have exact figures. Your answers will be combined with others so that confidentiality is maintained. Please answer each question that applies to you.

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(Please correct any error in name and address, including ZIP code.)

Section 1 ACREAGE in 1979 and CURRENT MARKET VALUE of LAND and BUILDINGS (See instruction sheet, section 1)

1. How many acres owned or controlled by you were used in 1979 by the person listed on the top line of the address label?

Acres
049

2. What is your estimate of the market value of this acreage including the dwelling and all other buildings?

Market value
CENTS NOT REQUIRED
050
\$3. Of the acres entered in item 1, how many were purchased in 1979? ☐ None ☐ 051 Acres

Section 2 PURCHASES, EXPENDITURES, AND CREDIT USED DURING 1979 in connection with the acreage in section 1, item 1 — The items in this section concern the kinds of purchases and expenditures made and the amount of credit used during 1979 for agricultural operations. In column 1, report the total cost of the purchases or expenditures. In column 2, report the amount of credit used, if any, for the purchases (see instruction sheet, section 2). For each expense or purchase entered in column 1, complete column 2, either with the dollar amount or mark (X) in the "No credit used" box. Do not include your tenants' share of any expenses.

■ Agricultural capital purchases related to the acreage in section 1, item 1, during 1979

1. Purchases of land, including buildings — Include only land as reported in section 1, item 3

2. Expenditures for land and irrigation improvements including land preparation, well drilling, ponds, drainage, roads, feedlots, fences, trench silos, lagoons, etc.

3. Expenditures for buildings and structures — Include new or additions to dwellings, barns, shelters, milking parlors, hog houses, poultry houses, crop storage, silos, etc. Exclude repairs

4. Purchases of tractors and farm machinery at net cost —
Total cost minus trade-in values.

a. New

b. Used

5. Purchases of trucks and autos at net cost —
Total cost minus trade-in values.

a. New

b. Used

6. Purchases of breeding livestock and dairy cows and heifers

7. All other agricultural capital purchases — Include movable irrigation equipment and machinery such as pipes, siphons, nozzles, pumps and engines; other motor driven vehicles such as airplanes, or other special use vehicles that were used on this place. Exclude capital purchases covered above.

■ Agricultural operating expenses and other purchases related to the acreage in section 1, item 1, during 1979. Do not include here expenses paid by tenants, depreciation, income taxes, expenditures for the purchase of land, buildings, or machinery; expenditures for the landlord's dwelling including repairs, taxes, insurance, and other items.

8. Expenditures for feed — grain, hay, silage, mixed feeds, concentrates, etc.

9. Purchases of livestock and poultry other than breeding stock and dairy cows and heifers

10. Purchases of fertilizer

11. Expenditures for hired wages and contract labor — Report gross cash payments to employees including paid family members, before deductions for Social Security, taxes, insurance premiums, etc.

12. Purchases of gasoline, diesel fuel, LP gas, other fuel, motor oil, and grease for farm use only

13. All other agricultural operating expenditures such as machine hire, customwork, seeds, pesticides, real estate and personal property taxes, utilities; upkeep of farm buildings (including tenant's dwelling), machinery, fences, drains, and irrigation systems; interest and other finance charges; storage charges; lime, soil conditioners, etc.

14. Funds borrowed during 1979 in connection with the acreage in section 1, item 1, for any purpose other than listed above (such as replenishment of working capital)

TOTAL COST AND CREDIT USED

None	Total purchases or expenditures in 1979 (1)		Portion financed Exclude 30-day accounts (2)	
	Total amount Cash and credit		No credit used	Dollars
	Dollars	Cents		Cents
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Section 3 DEBTS AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1979 (See enclosed instruction sheet.)			AMOUNT OWED ON DECEMBER 31, 1979 — Exclude interest								
The debts to be reported are those owed as of December 31, 1979 arising from the operation of the acres in section 1, item 1.			Total amount owed For each entry in this column please answer columns 2 and 3.			Amount secured by farm real estate Include debts secured by mortgages on farm land and buildings, deeds of trust, land purchase, etc.			Amount not secured by farm real estate Include debts secured by notes, machinery, crops, or other non-real estate assets, and unsecured debts.		
			(1)			(2)			(3)		
			None	Dollars	Cents	None	Dollars	Cents	None	Dollars	Cents
■ Source of Debt											
1. Federal Land Banks (or Federal Land Bank Associations)			<input type="checkbox"/>	104 \$		<input type="checkbox"/>	105 \$		<input type="checkbox"/>		
2. The Farmers Home Administration			<input type="checkbox"/>	107 \$		<input type="checkbox"/>	108 \$		<input type="checkbox"/>	109 \$	
3. Small Business Administration			<input type="checkbox"/>	110 \$		<input type="checkbox"/>	111 \$		<input type="checkbox"/>	112 \$	
4. Insurance companies — Exclude premiums due			<input type="checkbox"/>	113 \$		<input type="checkbox"/>	114 \$		<input type="checkbox"/>	115 \$	
5. Commercial banks and savings banks (national or State banks, trust companies, etc.)			<input type="checkbox"/>	116 \$		<input type="checkbox"/>	117 \$		<input type="checkbox"/>	118 \$	
6. Individuals from whom you bought part or all of this acreage —											
a. Under a mortgage or deed of trust			<input type="checkbox"/>	119 \$		<input type="checkbox"/>	120 \$		<input type="checkbox"/>		
b. Under a land purchase contract			<input type="checkbox"/>	122 \$		<input type="checkbox"/>	123 \$		<input type="checkbox"/>		
7. Production credit associations			<input type="checkbox"/>	125 \$		<input type="checkbox"/>	126 \$		<input type="checkbox"/>	127 \$	
8. Other lending institutions (mortgage companies, real estate agents or dealers, savings and loan associations, agricultural credit corporations, finance companies, State or county agencies, livestock loan companies, Small Business Administration, etc.)			<input type="checkbox"/>	128 \$		<input type="checkbox"/>	129 \$		<input type="checkbox"/>	130 \$	
9. Merchants and dealers, including cooperatives, mail order companies, farm machinery companies, and other manufacturers (exclude debts on 30-day accounts) for purchase of —											
a. Tractors and farm machinery, including repairs			<input type="checkbox"/>	131 \$		<input type="checkbox"/>	132 \$		<input type="checkbox"/>	133 \$	
b. Autos and trucks, including repairs			<input type="checkbox"/>	134 \$		<input type="checkbox"/>	135 \$		<input type="checkbox"/>	136 \$	
c. Gasoline, oil, and other fuel			<input type="checkbox"/>	137 \$		<input type="checkbox"/>	138 \$		<input type="checkbox"/>	139 \$	
d. Feed, seed, and fertilizer			<input type="checkbox"/>	140 \$		<input type="checkbox"/>	141 \$		<input type="checkbox"/>	142 \$	
e. Livestock and poultry			<input type="checkbox"/>	143 \$		<input type="checkbox"/>	144 \$		<input type="checkbox"/>	145 \$	
f. All other purchases for the operation of this acreage from merchants and dealers, including building supplies, fencing hardware, customwork, and similar purchases			<input type="checkbox"/>	146 \$		<input type="checkbox"/>	147 \$		<input type="checkbox"/>	148 \$	
10. Any other individuals, a relative, a friend, an estate, etc. — Exclude debts on 30-day accounts			<input type="checkbox"/>	149 \$		<input type="checkbox"/>	150 \$		<input type="checkbox"/>	151 \$	
11. Commodity Credit Corporation loans —											
a. On crops			<input type="checkbox"/>	152 \$		<input type="checkbox"/>	153 \$		<input type="checkbox"/>	154 \$	
b. For crop storage facilities			<input type="checkbox"/>	155 \$		<input type="checkbox"/>	156 \$		<input type="checkbox"/>	157 \$	
12. Unpaid bills for veterinary services, utilities, past due taxes or insurance premiums, and debts for other purposes relating to this acreage — Include all debts on account not expected to be paid in 30-days			<input type="checkbox"/>	158 \$		<input type="checkbox"/>	159 \$		<input type="checkbox"/>	160 \$	

Section 4 TAXES (See enclosed instruction sheet.)			Section 6 RENTAL INCOME FOR 1979		
1. What was the number of acres of your farm or ranch land as shown on your tax bill(s) for 1979? (This may be the same or a larger acreage than that reported in section 1, item 1) 175 _____ Acres			The following items are related to your agricultural income for the acres reported in section 1, item 1. (Do not include the tenant's share.)		
2. What was the assessed value of land, buildings, and other improvements shown on your real estate tax bill(s) for 1979? None Dollars Cents			1. Share rent — How much did you receive in 1979 for the sale of your share of crops, livestock, and livestock products from the acres reported in section 1, item 1? (The value of crops placed under Government Loan or seal in 1979 should be included as sales in 1979, but do not include payments from Government farm programs or the sales of forest products.) None Dollars Cents		
3. What was the total amount of real estate taxes (land, buildings, and other improvements) payable by you as shown on your tax bill(s) for 1979? None Dollars Cents			2. Cash rent — How much cash rent did you receive in 1979 from the acres reported in section 1, item 1? Exclude share rental reported in item 1 above. None Dollars Cents		

Section 5 ASSETS OWNED BY THE LANDLORD (See enclosed instruction sheet.)			Section 7 TOTAL AGRICULTURAL LAND OWNERSHIP AND LAND SALES		
The assets to be reported are those owned as of December 31, 1979 involved with the ownership of the acres in section 1, item 1. Do not include your tenant's share of any assets.			1. In 1979, did you own land in addition to the acres entered in section 1, item 1? 033		
1. Dwellings — Exclude value of land reported in section 1. None Dollars Cents			1 <input type="checkbox"/> NO — Skip to item 2		
a. Farm dwellings for hired laborers			2 <input type="checkbox"/> YES — Please enter the total of all acres you owned and your estimate of the market value of the land including buildings		
b. Tenant's dwelling — Exclude if not located on the acres in section 1, item 1.			Please enter the total of all acres you rented out in 1979 and the market value of the land and buildings		
2. All other buildings except dwellings			Acres Market value Dollars Cents		
3. Autos			210 \$		
4. Trucks			211 \$		
5. Tractors			212 \$		
6. Other farm machinery and equipment			213 \$		
7. Crops stored: (Include crops under Government CCC loans.)			a. How many renters did you have in 1979? 214 _____ Number		
a. On-farm.			2. Are you related to any of your renters? 215 1 <input type="checkbox"/> YES 2 <input type="checkbox"/> NO		
b. Off-farm.			3. Of the land you owned in 1979, how many acres were obtained by:		
8. Beef animals			a. Purchase		
9. Dairy animals			b. Gift or inheritance		
10. Hogs and pigs			c. Other — Specify		
11. Sheep and lambs			4. Were you personally operating a farm anytime during 1979? 219 1 <input type="checkbox"/> YES 2 <input type="checkbox"/> NO		
12. Poultry — Include layers, broilers, turkeys, etc.			5. Was any land sold by you in 1979 for:		
13. Other livestock (horses, mink, bees, fish, rabbits, etc.)			Acres Sales value Dollars Cents		
			220 \$		
			221 \$		
			222 \$		
			223 \$		

Section 8 PARTICIPATION IN MANAGEMENT DECISIONS To be reported for the acres in section 1, item 1.			
Management decisions determined by — Mark (X) only one box for each item			
	Landlord only	Tenant only	Landlord and tenant jointly
1. Selection of fertilizer and chemicals	224 <input type="checkbox"/>	2 <input type="checkbox"/>	3 <input type="checkbox"/>
2. Cultivation practices	225 <input type="checkbox"/>	2 <input type="checkbox"/>	3 <input type="checkbox"/>
3. Selection of crop varieties or livestock breeds	226 <input type="checkbox"/>	2 <input type="checkbox"/>	3 <input type="checkbox"/>
4. Harvesting decisions	227 <input type="checkbox"/>	2 <input type="checkbox"/>	3 <input type="checkbox"/>
5. Marketing agricultural products	228 <input type="checkbox"/>	2 <input type="checkbox"/>	3 <input type="checkbox"/>

Section 9 TYPE OF OWNERSHIP
Mark (X) the one item which best describes the ownership of land rented out in 1979. (See enclosed instruction sheet.)
Land owned by —

1. FAMILY or INDIVIDUAL (sole proprietorship, excluding partnership and corporation) 242 ☐ } Complete part A section 10

2. PARTNERSHIP. Include family partnerships 2 ☐ }

3. CORPORATION INCORPORATED UNDER STATE LAW. Answer both a and b

a. Is this a family held corporation? 3 ☐ YES
4 ☐ NO } Complete part B section 10

b. Are there more than 10 stockholders? 5 ☐ YES
6 ☐ NO }

4. OTHER, such as cooperative, estate or trust, prison farm, grazing association, Indian reservation, etc. 7 ☐ Specify _____ Skip to section 11

Section 10 CHARACTERISTICS AND OCCUPATION OF LANDLORD

A. FOR INDIVIDUAL AND PARTNERSHIP LANDLORDS. Senior partner should report for partnerships.

1. RESIDENCE

a. Where does the landlord live? 243 ☐ On the land in section 1, item 1

Not on the land in section 1, item 1

2 ☐ On another farm

3 ☐ In a rural area, not on a farm

4 ☐ In a city, town, or urban area

b. Distance of residence from land in section 1, item 1 244

1 ☐ Less than 5 miles

2 ☐ 5–24.9 miles

3 ☐ 25–49.9 miles

4 ☐ 50 miles and over

2. RACE of landlord 245

1 ☐ White

2 ☐ Negro or Black

3 ☐ American Indian

4 ☐ Asian or Pacific Islander

5 ☐ Other — Specify _____

3. SPANISH ORIGIN — Is the landlord (senior partner or person in charge) of Spanish origin or descent (Mexican, Mexican American, Cuban, or other Spanish)? 246 ☐ YES 2 ☐ NO

4. AGE of landlord 247 _____ Years old

5. SEX of landlord 248 ☐ Male 2 ☐ Female

6. CITIZENSHIP of landlord 250 ☐ United States

2 ☐ Other — Specify country _____

7. OCCUPATION of landlord — At what occupation did the landlord spend the majority of his working time in 1979? 251

1 ☐ Operating a farm or ranch

2 ☐ Employed by a private business for wages, salary, or commission

3 ☐ Employed by a Federal, State, or local government

4 ☐ Self-employed — operating farm related business

5 ☐ Self-employed operating nonfarm related business or professional practice

6 ☐ Retired — previously farming or farm related business

7 ☐ Retired — nonfarm related occupation

8 ☐ Other — Specify _____

8. What proportion of the total business income (farm and nonfarm) you and your family received was from the sale of agricultural products and/or rental income from all agricultural lands you owned in 1979? 253

1 ☐ Less than 25%

2 ☐ 25% to 49%

3 ☐ 50% to 74%

4 ☐ 75% to 100%

Section 10 Continued

B. FOR CORPORATION LANDLORDS

In 1979 did the corporation have any business activities or interests other than that of a landlord; example, own or manage a nonfarm business or operate another farm or ranch?

034 ☐ NO — Skip to section 11

2 ☐ YES — If "YES" — Did the corporation engage in any of the following activities?

1. RELATED TO AGRICULTURE 255

a. Operate a farm or ranch 1 ☐ YES 2 ☐ NO

b. Manufacture, distribution, sale of farm supplies (feed, fertilizer, farm machinery, etc.) 256 1 ☐ YES 2 ☐ NO

c. Processing of crops, poultry, livestock (slaughter plant, meat packing, processing, canning, milling) 257 1 ☐ YES 2 ☐ NO

d. Wholesaling, retailing of farm products (grain elevators, livestock auctions, produce markets, other food stores including supermarkets, etc.) 258 1 ☐ YES 2 ☐ NO

e. Other activities related to farm products 259 1 ☐ YES — Specify _____ 2 ☐ NO

2. NONAGRICULTURAL ACTIVITIES

a. Manufacture of nonagricultural products 260 1 ☐ YES 2 ☐ NO

b. Wholesaling, retailing of nonagricultural products 261 1 ☐ YES 2 ☐ NO

c. Finance, insurance, and real estate 262 1 ☐ YES 2 ☐ NO

d. Other business activities 263 1 ☐ YES — Specify _____ 2 ☐ NO

3. Mark (X) one box to indicate the appropriate size of total business receipts (farm and nonfarm) of the corporation in 1979 264

1 ☐ Less than \$100,000

2 ☐ \$100,000 to \$499,999

3 ☐ \$500,000 to \$999,999

4 ☐ \$1,000,000 or more

4. Of the total receipts from all sources, what proportion was from the sale of agricultural products and/or rental income from all agricultural lands owned and/or operated? 265

1 ☐ Less than 25%

2 ☐ 25% to 49%

3 ☐ 50% to 74%

4 ☐ 75% or more

5. Does a foreign entity (company, individual, government, etc.) own any of the voting stock or other equity rights of the corporation? 266

1 ☐ YES — Mark (X) one to indicate percent of ownership

2 ☐ NO — Go to section 11

1 ☐ Less than 10% 4 ☐ 50%

2 ☐ 10 to 24% 5 ☐ 51 to 99%

3 ☐ 25 to 49% 6 ☐ 100%

Section 11 REMARKS AND EXPLANATIONS

Section 12 SIGNATURE OF PERSON COMPLETING THIS REPORT — Please check your answers, then sign below.

Mark (X) one

☐ Owner of land

☐ Agent

Name _____

268 Date _____

269 Area code _____

Number _____

Telephone _____

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INSTRUCTION SHEET

1979 FARM FINANCE SURVEY

GENERAL INFORMATION

The enclosed report form may contain sections and inquiries which do not apply to you. Where this is the case, you may simply mark the "None" or "No" box and go on to the next item or section.

Please begin with section 1 and read the items and instructions to see what information you should provide. Give the best answers you can. Write in estimates for information on which you do not keep records.

To make recordkeeping more economical, every case drawn in the Farm Finance Survey has a separate Census File Number. In order to close out the survey, WE NEED A REPLY FROM EVERYONE receiving the report form, whether agricultural land was owned in 1979 or not. Please complete and return your report as soon as you can, preferably within the next 2 weeks. Use the enclosed preaddressed envelope.

Please put your answers in the answer spaces (unshaded areas). You may write explanations and comments in the shaded areas to the left of the answer spaces or in the "Remarks" space on page 3.

Please mark answers of "Yes," "No," or "None" by placing an (X) in the small answer box. If the answer is "No" or "None" and a small answer box is not provided, leave the answer space blank.

If you do not recall exact figures, please give your best estimates. You may indicate "Est." (for estimated) beside the answer, if you like. For all dollar items, we need only whole dollars, although a "Cents" column is provided for those who wish to report cents.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR SPECIFIED SECTIONS

Section 1 — Acreage in 1979 and Current Market Value of Land and Buildings

Report all land used (rented, leased, used rent free, etc.) by the person or company listed in the label; include cropland, pastureland, woodland, and wasteland.

Please give your best estimate of the market value of the land, including all permanent buildings and permanently attached equipment. Include the value of the dwelling(s) on the place and of all farm buildings such as barns, poultry houses, fruit packing sheds, vegetable sheds, etc.

Do not include the value of major agricultural manufacturing or processing plants, such as cotton gins or sugar mills, that may be located on the place, nor the value of other buildings used for nonagricultural purposes. Examples are stores, filling stations, factories, motels, etc.

Section 2 — Purchases, Expenditures, and Credit Used During 1979 for the Agricultural Operation

Do not include any of the following kinds of expenditures in this section:

- Expenditures made by the tenant or the tenant's share of any costs
- Expenditures on nonfarm property
- Expenditures related to nonfarm activities (trading and speculation or livestock dealer activities)

Column 1 — Report all purchases or expenditures made by you for the agricultural operation during 1979. Include sales taxes, but exclude finance charges. Finance charges should be included in item 13. Report the costs of items minus their trade-in values. Mark (X) the box in the "None" column if you have no dollars to report in column 1.

Column 2 — Report the total amount of credit obtained at time of purchase from seller or other lender (not the amount remaining to be paid at the end of 1979). Mark (X) the box in the "No credit used" column if you have no dollars to report in column 2.

Section 3 — Debts as of December 31, 1979

The debts to be reported are those owed as of December 31, 1979, arising from the ownership of the acres in section 1, item 1.

For debts covering more land than the acres in section 1, item 1, report only your estimate of that part of the debt applying to these acres. The share to be reported should be estimated in proportion to the market values of the properties. If you cannot allocate debt between owned land reported in section 1, item 1, and total owned land, report the total debt for the total owned land and report the total owned acreage involved and explain in "Remarks" on page 3. Other debts should also be prorated if they relate only in part to the agricultural operations reported for the acreage in section 1, item 1.

Do not include any of the following kinds of debts:

- Debts on nonagricultural property such as cotton gins, canning factories, sugar mills, motels, stores, etc.
- Your tenant's share of any debts
- Charge accounts that are paid in full monthly (debts owed for less than 30 days should not be reported)

For each source to which no debt was owed on December 31, 1979, mark (X) in the "None" box for column 1.

Column 1 — Total amount owed — For each source of debt, the entry for column 1 should be equal to the sum of the debts reported in columns 2 and 3. If the total debt from a source is secured by real estate, the entry in this column should be the same as the entry in column 2. Likewise, if none of the debt is secured by real estate, the entry should be the same as for column 3.

Column 2 — Amount secured by farm real estate — For each source, report as of December 31, 1979, the amount of debt that was secured by all or part of the real estate in section 1, item 1. Include debts secured entirely by real estate mortgages (first, second, or third), deeds of trust, and land purchase contracts. Also include in this column debts secured in part by the real estate in this place and in part by chattel mortgages or liens on livestock, poultry, equipment, or crops.

Column 3 — Amount not secured by farm real estate — For each source, report as of December 31, 1979, the amount of debt arising from the operation of the acres reported in section 1, item 1, that was not secured by farm real estate. Include unsecured debts and debts secured entirely by chattel mortgages and crop liens. Also include unpaid bills and accounts which you owed for a period of more than 30 days, as of December 31, 1979.

Section 4 — Real Estate Taxes

The taxes which are to be reported in this section are those levied on farm and ranch land, buildings, and other improvements, as reported on your tax bill for the year 1979.

If you have more than one tax bill (example, county, State, school district, etc.) for the same acres —

- Include the acreage only once in item 1
- Report in item 2 the largest assessed value for any of the individual tax bills
- Report the sum of the taxes from all bills in item 3

Do not include taxes on nonfarm property, such as land and buildings used for cotton gins, sugar mills, canning factories, motels, stores, etc. For taxes that are levied on both agricultural and nonagricultural property, estimate and report only that portion of the taxes applying to your farm or ranch.

Section 5 — Assets Owned by the Landlord

The assets to be reported are those owned as of December 31, 1979. Estimates are acceptable. For each item owned, enter the estimated market value. If item is not owned, mark the "None" box.

Do not include —

- In all cases, your tenant's share of any assets
- Poultry, livestock, and other assets owned by contractors, investors, etc.
- Machinery, equipment, and other assets rented from others

Section 9 — Type of Ownership

Use the following definitions to assist you in determining the type of organization for your land ownership.

Individual or Family (Sole Proprietorship) — Defined as a farm or business organization controlled and operated by an individual. This includes family operations that are not incorporated and not operated under a partnership agreement.

Partnership — Defined as two or more persons who have agreed on the amount of their contribution (capital and effort) and the distribution of profits. Co-ownership of land by husband and wife or joint filing of income tax forms by husband and wife does not necessarily mean that a partnership exists unless there is some agreement as to sharing contributions, decision-making, profits, and liabilities.

Corporation, Including Family Corporations — Defined as a legal entity or artificial person created under the laws of a State to carry on a business. This definition does not include cooperatives.

Other — Such as a cooperative (defined as an incorporated or unincorporated enterprise or association created and formed jointly by the members), estate or trust (defined as fund of money or property administered for the benefit of another individual or organization), prison farm, grazing association, Indian reservation, etc.

Section 10 — Characteristics and Occupation of Landlord

Individual and partnership landlords should complete part A of this section and leave part B blank. Corporation landlords should complete part B and leave part A blank. Other types of landlords such as a cooperative, estate or trust, prison farm, grazing association, or Indian reservation should leave both parts A and B blank.