

Table 33. Summary by Size of Farm: 1978

[Excludes abnormal farms; see text]

All Farms

FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS

	Total	1 to 9 acres	10 to 49 acres	50 to 69 acres	70 to 99 acres	100 to 139 acres
Farms..... number.....	58 739	2 677	12 300	4 141	7 376	6 594
..... percent.....	100.0	4.5	20.9	7.0	12.5	11.2
Land in farms..... acres.....	15 522 260	9 927	364 313	241 752	604 631	773 123
Average size of farm..... acres.....	264	4	30	58	82	117
Value of land and buildings ¹ farms.....	58 743	2 584	12 462	4 081	7 409	6 341
..... \$1,000.....	11 874 267	102 595	592 061	244 969	523 374	527 763
Average per farm..... dollars.....	202 139	39 703	47 509	60 026	70 640	83 230
Average per acre..... dollars.....	768	10 492	1 613	1 037	862	709

Farms by value of land and buildings:

\$1 to \$19,999.....	5 023	972	2 709	458	650	138
\$20,000 to \$39,999.....	8 818	926	3 781	1 037	1 378	902
\$40,000 to \$69,999.....	12 548	390	3 365	1 442	2 653	2 217
\$70,000 to \$99,999.....	8 161	104	1 586	636	1 533	1 248
\$100,000 to \$149,999.....	6 872	61	680	284	707	1 127
\$150,000 to \$199,999.....	4 218	95	183	113	271	411
\$200,000 to \$499,999.....	7 792	26	117	96	175	285
\$500,000 to \$999,999.....	3 021	1	38	15	23	8
\$1,000,000 or more.....	2 290	9	3	-	19	5

Owned and rented land by operator:

Land owned..... farms.....	52 499	2 376	11 195	3 827	6 836	6 076
..... acres.....	9 763 032	78 901	373 792	236 655	544 261	680 345
Land rented or leased from others..... farms.....	20 707	384	2 754	825	1 527	1 688
..... acres.....	6 683 896	3 730	66 824	36 930	92 493	139 026
Land rented or leased to others..... farms.....	4 620	508	896	390	377	428
..... acres.....	924 668	72 704	76 303	31 833	32 123	46 248

LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE

Total cropland..... farms.....	50 333	882	9 748	3 515	6 034	5 909
..... acres.....	10 526 325	3 091	206 832	143 296	313 884	443 851
Harvested cropland..... farms.....	40 021	560	6 238	2 507	4 575	4 705
..... acres.....	7 622 992	1 765	97 407	63 479	128 568	180 851
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 49 acres.....	23 552	560	6 238	2 063	3 675	3 486
50 to 99 acres.....	4 942	-	-	444	900	690
100 to 199 acres.....	3 137	-	-	-	-	529
200 to 499 acres.....	3 832	-	-	-	-	-
500 to 999 acres.....	2 684	-	-	-	-	-
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	1 411	-	-	-	-	-
2,000 acres or more.....	463	-	-	-	-	-
Cropland:						
Pasture or grazing only..... farms.....	27 449	294	4 947	2 076	3 680	3 875
..... acres.....	2 445 719	1 106	94 669	71 567	166 111	242 921
Cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses not harvested or pastured..... farms.....	1 451	11	186	103	177	177
..... acres.....	60 103	32	1 962	1 883	3 636	4 863
On which all crops failed..... farms.....	2 158	14	518	70	258	168
..... acres.....	123 402	60	3 858	1 060	3 556	4 047
In cultivated summer fallow..... farms.....	939	2	70	41	61	62
..... acres.....	58 001	(D)	504	454	759	1 203
Idle..... farms.....	4 318	68	681	247	492	356
..... acres.....	216 108	117	8 432	4 853	11 254	9 966
Total woodland..... farms.....	33 107	165	5 269	2 472	5 009	4 522
..... acres.....	2 861 269	731	67 365	55 083	181 134	199 014
Woodland pastured..... farms.....	21 619	118	3 052	1 520	3 285	3 211
..... acres.....	1 509 019	546	34 795	29 522	106 330	114 272
Woodland not pastured..... farms.....	17 308	85	2 627	1 235	2 392	2 364
..... acres.....	1 352 250	185	32 570	25 561	74 804	84 742
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured..... farms.....	13 377	377	2 930	963	1 894	1 570
..... acres.....	1 510 843	1 271	52 579	28 304	77 843	95 415
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc..... farms.....	35 601	2 209	7 991	2 503	4 660	4 001
..... acres.....	623 823	4 834	37 537	15 069	31 770	34 843
Pastureland, all types..... farms.....	42 236	772	8 524	3 284	6 148	5 566
..... acres.....	5 465 581	2 923	182 043	129 393	350 284	452 608
Irrigated land..... farms.....	6 431	115	510	135	267	247
..... acres.....	1 682 861	291	5 697	2 369	9 279	10 536
Harvested cropland irrigated..... farms.....	6 320	110	476	129	256	237
..... acres.....	1 673 204	273	5 130	2 173	8 694	9 929
Pastureland irrigated..... farms.....	159	5	32	8	13	15
..... acres.....	6 448	14	(D)	(D)	516	529
Other land irrigated..... farms.....	83	3	12	2	7	8
..... acres.....	3 209	4	(D)	(D)	69	78
Land set aside in the federal farm programs in 1978..... farms.....	2 578	6	119	65	108	126
..... acres.....	59 163	19	770	734	953	986

RACE AND TENURE OF OPERATOR

All operators..... number.....	58 739	2 677	12 300	4 141	7 376	6 594
Full owners..... number.....	38 136	2 310	9 566	3 324	5 854	4 911
Part owners..... number.....	14 152	63	1 601	496	967	1 152
Tenants..... number.....	6 451	304	1 133	321	555	531
White..... number.....	56 543	2 365	11 516	3 959	7 102	6 378
Full owners..... number.....	36 870	2 041	9 063	3 222	5 721	4 790
Part owners..... number.....	13 631	60	1 459	449	900	1 093
Tenants..... number.....	6 042	264	994	288	481	495
Black and other races..... number.....	2 196	312	784	282	274	216
Full owners..... number.....	1 266	269	503	102	133	121
Part owners..... number.....	521	3	142	47	67	59
Tenants..... number.....	409	40	139	33	74	36

See footnote at end of table.

Table 33. Summary by Size of Farm: 1978—Con.

[Excludes abnormal farms, see text]

All Farms	[Excludes abnormal farms, see text]						1,000 to 1,999 acres	2,000 acres or more
	140 to 179 acres	180 to 219 acres	220 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres			
FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS								
Farms	4 716	3 165	2 578	7 284	4 877	2 201	830	
number								
percent	8.0	5.3	4.3	12.4	8.3	3.7	1.4	
Land in farms	741 989	624 303	609 708	2 594 896	3 326 529	2 955 154	2 675 935	
acres								
Average size of farm	157	197	237	356	682	1 343	3 224	
acres								
Value of land and buildings ¹	4 672	3 408	2 667	7 345	4 758	2 186	830	
farms								
\$1,000	504 240	442 811	400 426	1 663 011	2 432 652	2 386 443	2 053 921	
dollars								
Average per farm	107 928	129 932	150 140	226 414	511 276	1 091 694	2 474 603	
dollars								
Average per acre	684	659	634	637	752	814	767	
dollars								
Farms by value of land and buildings:								
\$1 to \$19,999	75	20	1	-	-	-	-	
\$20,000 to \$39,999	357	179	135	112	11	-	-	
\$40,000 to \$69,999	1 050	626	333	410	61	1	-	
\$70,000 to \$99,999	1 128	678	429	720	91	8	-	
\$100,000 to \$149,999	1 065	859	695	1 197	164	33	-	
\$150,000 to \$199,999	598	488	430	1 292	315	19	3	
\$200,000 to \$499,999	356	508	613	3 297	2 055	239	25	
\$500,000 to \$999,999	41	49	29	311	1 676	750	80	
\$1,000,000 or more	2	1	2	6	385	1 136	722	
Owned and rented land by operator:								
Land owned	4 330	2 808	2 326	6 283	3 990	1 773	679	
farms								
acres	617 084	488 023	475 725	1 725 048	1 741 165	1 334 565	1 467 468	
Land rented or leased from others	1 468	1 221	1 038	3 873	3 485	1 792	652	
farms								
acres	157 234	164 332	166 653	970 376	1 719 788	1 756 767	1 409 743	
Land rented or leased to others	254	186	151	500	445	299	186	
farms								
acres	32 329	28 052	32 670	100 528	134 424	136 178	201 276	
LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE								
Total cropland	4 300	2 934	2 389	6 920	4 741	2 146	815	
farms								
acres	409 046	373 153	351 307	1 635 042	2 414 030	2 251 319	1 981 474	
Harvested cropland	3 417	2 461	2 057	6 108	4 474	2 112	807	
farms								
acres	173 524	165 281	169 213	963 653	1 861 459	2 004 817	1 812 975	
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 49 acres	2 292	1 414	1 083	2 107	546	78	10	
50 to 99 acres	475	422	361	1 079	476	80	15	
100 to 199 acres	650	470	245	681	415	128	19	
200 to 499 acres	-	155	368	2 241	884	141	43	
500 to 999 acres	-	-	-	-	2 153	494	37	
1,000 to 1,999 acres	-	-	-	-	-	1 191	220	
2,000 acres or more	-	-	-	-	-	-	463	
Cropland:								
Pasture or grazing only	2 756	1 898	1 509	3 844	1 862	538	170	
farms								
acres	213 761	193 193	169 751	610 687	468 066	151 878	62 009	
Cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses not harvested or pastured	130	94	65	202	165	97	44	
farms								
acres	4 597	3 674	2 424	9 895	10 980	8 356	7 801	
On which all crops failed	127	70	81	279	281	186	106	
farms								
acres	3 834	2 533	2 663	13 637	25 909	27 543	34 702	
In cultivated summer fallow	42	37	38	133	144	195	114	
farms								
acres	1 219	860	880	5 630	7 763	14 527	24 191	
Idle	311	207	163	599	633	384	177	
farms								
acres	12 111	7 612	6 376	31 540	39 853	44 198	39 796	
Total woodland	3 332	2 109	1 799	4 597	2 455	1 015	363	
farms								
acres	214 197	162 517	168 075	631 106	559 292	356 543	266 212	
Woodland pastured	2 393	1 482	1 288	3 139	1 494	488	149	
farms								
acres	123 527	91 816	100 382	347 117	291 575	153 201	115 936	
Woodland not pastured	1 624	1 034	876	2 528	1 559	716	268	
farms								
acres	90 670	70 701	67 693	283 989	267 717	203 342	150 276	
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured	1 187	693	634	1 547	919	427	236	
farms								
acres	87 083	63 802	68 819	238 610	242 277	243 307	311 533	
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc.	2 774	1 790	1 466	3 919	2 558	1 235	495	
farms								
acres	31 663	24 831	21 507	90 138	110 930	103 985	116 716	
Pastureland, all types	3 970	2 593	2 114	5 262	2 681	941	381	
farms								
acres	424 371	348 811	338 952	1 196 414	1 001 918	548 386	489 478	
Irrigated land	286	218	218	1 158	1 690	1 109	478	
farms								
acres	17 078	16 485	20 110	181 212	488 194	552 942	378 668	
Harvested cropland irrigated	278	215	212	1 142	1 684	1 104	477	
farms								
acres	16 699	16 033	19 620	179 941	486 873	550 183	377 656	
Pastureland irrigated	10	8	8	23	17	13	7	
farms								
acres	213	452	327	1 153	656	1 348	580	
Other land irrigated	3	-	5	9	15	14	5	
farms								
acres	166	-	163	118	665	1 411	432	
Land set aside in the federal farm programs in 1978	107	112	100	463	644	493	235	
farms								
acres	924	1 010	1 525	6 142	12 863	16 212	17 025	
RACE AND TENURE OF OPERATOR								
All operators	4 716	3 165	2 578	7 284	4 877	2 201	830	
number								
Full owners	3 254	1 947	1 544	3 421	1 408	418	179	
number								
Part owners	1 064	854	776	2 824	2 540	1 325	490	
number								
Tenants	398	364	258	1 039	929	458	161	
number								
White	4 593	3 079	2 536	7 178	4 831	2 178	828	
number								
Full owners	3 200	1 919	1 530	3 398	1 395	413	178	
number								
Part owners	1 021	813	757	2 762	2 516	1 311	490	
number								
Tenants	372	347	249	1 018	920	454	160	
number								
Black and other races	123	86	42	106	46	23	2	
number								
Full owners	54	28	14	23	13	5	1	
number								
Part owners	43	41	19	62	24	14	1	
number								
Tenants	26	17	9	21	9	4	1	
number								

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Table 33. Summary by Size of Farm: 1978—Con.

[Excludes abnormal farms; see text]

All Farms

FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION

	Total	1 to 9 acres	10 to 49 acres	50 to 69 acres	70 to 99 acres	100 to 139 acres
Individual or family.....farms...	53 006	2 525	11 733	3 916	6 952	6 211
.....acres...	11 498 325	9 458	346 737	228 678	569 680	728 828
Partnership.....farms...	4 335	107	482	193	357	318
.....acres...	2 429 280	305	15 196	11 200	29 399	36 578
Corporations:						
Family held.....farms...	1 173	33	57	22	56	46
.....acres...	1 412 446	112	1 620	1 294	4 687	5 461
More than 10 stockholders.....farms...	27	4	2	1	-	1
10 or less stockholders.....farms...	1 146	29	55	21	56	45
Other than family held.....farms...	136	10	17	7	6	8
.....acres...	116 438	(D)	405	404	466	931
More than 10 stockholders.....farms...	23	4	4	2	1	-
10 or less stockholders.....farms...	113	6	13	5	5	8
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, etc.....farms...	89	2	11	3	5	11
.....acres...	65 771	(D)	355	176	399	1 325

OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS

Operators by place of residence:						
On farm operated.....farms...	41 425	1 816	9 173	2 966	5 508	4 763
Not on farm operated.....farms...	10 354	362	1 666	668	1 035	1 047
Operators by age group:						
Under 25 years.....farms...	1 222	54	299	96	100	164
25 to 34 years.....farms...	7 407	516	1 730	509	887	805
35 to 44 years.....farms...	12 072	489	2 730	810	1 277	1 237
45 to 54 years.....farms...	14 490	633	2 758	892	1 968	1 437
55 to 64 years.....farms...	13 823	496	2 679	928	1 680	1 708
65 years and over.....farms...	9 725	489	2 104	906	1 464	1 243
Average age.....acres...	50.4	49.0	49.9	51.6	51.9	51.3
Operators by sex:						
Male.....farms...	55 331	2 483	11 441	3 891	6 806	6 198
Female.....farms...	3 408	194	859	250	570	396
Operators of Spanish origin.....farms...	216	43	25	18	27	17
Operators by principal occupation:						
Farming.....farms...	27 937	1 000	3 614	1 386	2 606	2 888
Other.....farms...	30 802	1 677	8 686	2 755	4 770	3 706
Operators reporting days of work off farm:						
None.....farms...	23 318	986	3 258	1 423	2 383	2 401
1 to 99 days.....farms...	5 010	155	904	302	562	587
100 to 199 days.....farms...	5 114	150	1 253	320	650	658
200 days or more.....farms...	23 048	1 294	6 530	1 951	3 542	2 708

FARMS BY SIZE

1 to 9 acres.....farms...	2 677	2 677	-	-	-	-
10 to 49 acres.....farms...	12 300	-	12 300	-	-	-
50 to 69 acres.....farms...	4 141	-	-	4 141	-	-
70 to 99 acres.....farms...	7 376	-	-	-	7 376	-
100 to 139 acres.....farms...	6 594	-	-	-	-	6 594
140 to 179 acres.....farms...	4 716	-	-	-	-	-
180 to 219 acres.....farms...	3 165	-	-	-	-	-
220 to 259 acres.....farms...	2 578	-	-	-	-	-
260 to 499 acres.....farms...	7 284	-	-	-	-	-
500 to 999 acres.....farms...	4 877	-	-	-	-	-
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....farms...	2 201	-	-	-	-	-
2,000 acres or more.....farms...	830	-	-	-	-	-

FARMS BY STANDARD INDUSTRIAL CLASSIFICATION (SEE TEXT)

Cash grain farms (011).....farms...	11 906	56	1 392	582	795	835
Field crop, except cash grain farms (013).....farms...	3 378	28	652	237	343	339
Cotton farms (0131).....farms...	1 759	21	291	83	102	104
Tobacco farms (0132).....farms...	2	2	-	-	-	-
Sugar crop, Irish potato, hay, peanut, and other field crop farms (0133, 0134, 0139).....farms...	1 617	5	361	154	241	235
Vegetable and melon farms (016).....farms...	702	114	312	55	72	41
Fruit and tree nut farms (017).....farms...	457	40	246	37	43	29
Horticultural specialty farms (018).....farms...	339	147	106	17	24	13
General farms, primarily crop (019).....farms...	903	4	342	51	121	74
Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021).....farms...	32 858	1 602	7 243	2 602	4 903	4 374
Beef cattle farms, except feedlots (0212).....farms...	28 131	808	5 538	2 319	4 302	3 947
Dairy farms (024).....farms...	1 231	16	94	71	110	142
Poultry and egg farms (025).....farms...	5 826	522	1 409	439	904	646
Animal specialty farms (027).....farms...	704	132	318	38	44	50
General farms, primarily livestock (029).....farms...	435	16	186	12	17	51

VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD

Market value of agricultural products sold.....farms...	58 739	2 677	12 300	4 141	7 376	6 594
.....\$1,000...	2 511 402	95 619	239 177	78 642	147 013	138 435
Farms by value of agricultural products sold:						
\$500,000 or more.....farms...	478	17	29	12	15	16
\$200,000 to \$499,999.....farms...	2 379	47	179	59	127	101
\$100,000 to \$199,999.....farms...	4 228	98	431	150	285	257
\$40,000 to \$99,999.....farms...	6 281	219	586	184	440	289
\$20,000 to \$39,999.....farms...	3 982	69	204	87	188	342
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....farms...	5 312	145	401	317	527	744
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....farms...	8 031	214	1 169	685	1 186	1 196
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....farms...	9 934	395	2 194	990	1 549	1 852
Less than \$2,500.....farms...	18 114	1 473	7 107	1 657	3 059	1 797

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Table 33. Summary by Size of Farm: 1978—Con.

[Excludes abnormal farms; see text]

All Farms	Farms by Size						2,000 acres or more
	140 to 179 acres	180 to 219 acres	220 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 to 1,999 acres	
FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION							
Individual or family	4 318	2 892	2 349	6 440	3 937	1 377	356
Partnership	679 282	570 147	555 417	2 287 757	2 661 568	1 816 092	1 044 681
Corporations:							
Family held	337	217	194	715	688	506	221
Other than family held	53 097	42 867	46 003	260 413	481 683	682 192	770 347
More than 10 stockholders	49	41	28	107	217	285	232
10 or less stockholders	7 739	8 309	6 638	38 135	158 784	411 378	768 289
Other than family held	—	1	—	1	9	3	5
More than 10 stockholders	49	40	28	106	208	282	227
10 or less stockholders	6	6	5	11	21	26	13
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, etc.	938	1 216	(D)	4 080	14 729	36 339	55 705
More than 10 stockholders	1	—	—	1	4	4	2
10 or less stockholders	5	6	5	10	17	22	11
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, etc.	6	9	2	11	14	7	8
Average age	933	1 764	(D)	4 511	9 765	9 153	36 913
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS							
Operators by place of residence:							
On farm operated	3 302	2 120	1 840	4 989	3 166	1 319	463
Not on farm operated	797	607	456	1 488	1 228	699	301
Operators by age group:							
Under 25 years	116	62	44	170	96	18	3
25 to 34 years	474	355	250	851	699	238	93
35 to 44 years	904	626	487	1 548	1 192	585	187
45 to 54 years	1 159	795	684	1 907	1 315	660	282
55 to 64 years	1 221	760	659	1 866	1 112	522	192
65 years and over	842	567	454	942	463	178	73
Average age	51.3	51.1	51.7	49.7	48.0	48.4	49.1
Operators by sex:							
Male	4 462	2 974	2 399	6 961	4 741	2 161	814
Female	254	191	179	323	136	40	16
Operators of Spanish origin	18	9	6	25	14	13	1
Operators by principal occupation:							
Farming	2 165	1 559	1 444	4 677	3 887	1 954	757
Other	2 551	1 606	1 134	2 607	990	247	73
Operators reporting days of work off farm:							
None	1 696	1 193	1 063	3 504	3 119	1 655	637
1 to 99 days	425	317	251	860	444	145	58
100 to 199 days	490	300	253	638	278	92	32
200 days or more	1 891	1 216	888	1 941	795	215	77
FARMS BY SIZE							
1 to 9 acres	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
10 to 49 acres	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
50 to 69 acres	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
70 to 99 acres	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100 to 139 acres	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
140 to 179 acres	4 716	—	—	—	—	—	—
180 to 219 acres	—	3 165	—	—	—	—	—
220 to 259 acres	—	—	2 578	—	—	—	—
260 to 499 acres	—	—	—	7 284	—	—	—
500 to 999 acres	—	—	—	—	4 877	—	—
1,000 to 1,999 acres	—	—	—	—	—	2 201	—
2,000 acres or more	—	—	—	—	—	—	830
FARMS BY STANDARD INDUSTRIAL CLASSIFICATION (SEE TEXT)							
Cash grain farms (011)	635	503	485	2 069	2 484	1 463	607
Field crop, except cash grain farms (013)	255	175	129	487	414	235	84
Cotton farms (0131)	82	79	52	297	346	223	79
Tobacco farms (0132)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sugar crop, Irish potato, hay, peanut, and other field crop farms (0133, 0134, 0139)	173	96	77	190	68	12	5
Vegetable and melon farms (016)	32	20	18	26	8	4	—
Fruit and tree nut farms (017)	15	13	8	17	5	3	1
Horticultural specialty farms (018)	11	5	6	8	2	—	—
General farms, primarily crop (019)	43	66	46	69	46	25	16
Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021)	3 061	1 880	1 464	3 680	1 541	399	109
Beef cattle farms, except feedlots (0212)	2 759	1 754	1 365	3 417	1 443	373	106
Dairy farms (024)	117	137	112	306	116	8	2
Poultry and egg farms (025)	479	318	282	549	221	51	6
Animal specialty farms (027)	24	17	13	32	25	7	4
General farms, primarily livestock (029)	44	31	15	41	15	6	1
VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD							
Market value of agricultural products sold	4 716	3 165	2 578	7 284	4 877	2 201	830
Farms by value of agricultural products sold:	115 665	86 309	80 748	303 557	437 702	430 245	358 290
\$500,000 or more	12	10	6	34	34	38	255
\$200,000 to \$499,999	78	70	70	154	263	842	389
\$100,000 to \$199,999	194	130	99	436	1 321	736	91
\$40,000 to \$99,999	317	266	319	1 774	1 563	278	46
\$20,000 to \$39,999	399	414	366	1 155	600	129	29
\$10,000 to \$19,999	643	462	402	1 088	473	100	10
\$5,000 to \$9,999	969	669	451	1 128	319	39	6
\$2,500 to \$4,999	975	532	433	819	170	24	1
Less than \$2,500	1 129	612	432	696	134	15	3

See footnote at end of table.

Table 33. Summary by Size of Farm: 1978—Con.

[Excludes abnormal farms; see text]

All Farms

VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD—Con.

Market value of agricultural products sold—Con.

	Total	1 to 9 acres	10 to 49 acres	50 to 69 acres	70 to 99 acres	100 to 139 acres
Grain	14 644	68	1 644	693	1 011	1 033
farms	14 644	68	1 644	693	1 011	1 033
\$1,000	956 155	122	5 162	3 544	6 657	9 501
Sales of \$40,000 or more	5 882	—	—	—	1	—
farms	5 882	—	—	—	1	—
\$1,000	853 572	—	—	—	(D)	—
Commodity Credit Corporation loans	994	2	56	22	26	67
farms	994	2	56	22	26	67
\$1,000	18 065	(D)	(D)	37	72	210
Cotton and cottanseed	4 114	24	394	135	206	255
farms	4 114	24	394	135	206	255
\$1,000	191 353	26	1 362	716	1 355	2 099
Sales of \$40,000 or more	1 406	—	—	—	—	1
farms	1 406	—	—	—	—	1
\$1,000	156 894	—	—	—	—	(D)
Commodity Credit Corporation loans	678	—	33	21	30	30
farms	678	—	33	21	30	30
\$1,000	9 364	—	34	35	85	74
Tabacco	4	2	—	—	—	1
farms	4	2	—	—	—	1
\$1,000	11	(D)	—	—	—	(D)
Sales of \$40,000 or more	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000	—	—	—	—	—	—
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage	4 909	11	799	409	620	687
farms	4 909	11	799	409	620	687
\$1,000	15 786	6	840	570	968	1 103
Sales of \$40,000 or more	34	—	—	—	—	—
farms	34	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000	4 312	—	—	—	—	—
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons	1 267	136	432	102	137	114
farms	1 267	136	432	102	137	114
\$1,000	7 818	538	1 597	609	750	628
Sales of \$40,000 or more	29	—	1	2	3	2
farms	29	—	1	2	3	2
\$1,000	2 060	—	(D)	(D)	125	(D)
Fruits, nuts, and berries	799	40	196	65	103	81
farms	799	40	196	65	103	81
\$1,000	6 752	42	853	344	449	310
Sales of \$40,000 or more	36	—	3	2	—	1
farms	36	—	3	2	—	1
\$1,000	3 850	—	245	(D)	—	(D)
Nursery and greenhouse products	435	150	131	27	37	26
farms	435	150	131	27	37	26
\$1,000	11 684	3 482	2 211	495	942	640
Sales of \$40,000 or more	39	11	3	4	2	5
farms	39	11	3	4	2	5
\$1,000	9 569	2 594	1 663	386	(D)	534
Other crops	278	10	60	17	43	19
farms	278	10	60	17	43	19
\$1,000	1 645	5	57	10	47	17
Sales of \$40,000 or more	7	—	—	—	—	—
farms	7	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000	494	—	—	—	—	—
Poultry and poultry products	7 041	631	1 794	531	1 104	796
farms	7 041	631	1 794	531	1 104	796
\$1,000	923 893	84 208	201 066	59 508	109 458	92 688
Sales of \$40,000 or more	5 012	351	1 175	377	801	567
farms	5 012	351	1 175	377	801	567
\$1,000	909 203	82 680	196 941	58 119	107 758	91 085
Dairy products	1 756	28	203	107	173	209
farms	1 756	28	203	107	173	209
\$1,000	67 183	537	1 679	1 154	3 706	5 122
Sales of \$40,000 or more	648	5	3	28	28	43
farms	648	5	3	28	28	43
\$1,000	52 214	332	152	275	1 734	2 820
Cattle and calves	38 502	963	7 057	2 936	5 629	5 165
farms	38 502	963	7 057	2 936	5 629	5 165
\$1,000	259 348	3 291	16 154	9 070	17 861	21 901
Sales of \$40,000 or more	725	4	6	3	3	6
farms	725	4	6	3	3	6
\$1,000	66 382	294	328	155	181	439
Hogs and pigs	6 657	841	1 957	409	867	643
farms	6 657	841	1 957	409	867	643
\$1,000	51 289	2 331	6 427	1 934	3 926	3 879
Sales of \$40,000 or more	130	2	12	5	13	15
farms	130	2	12	5	13	15
\$1,000	30 104	(D)	1 888	618	1 508	1 850
Sheep, lambs, and wool	134	5	24	3	12	18
farms	134	5	24	3	12	18
\$1,000	127	4	15	8	10	11
Sales of \$40,000 or more	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other livestock and livestock products (see text)	2 906	244	756	261	287	308
farms	2 906	244	756	261	287	308
\$1,000	18 358	1 021	1 753	680	884	512
Sales of \$40,000 or more	75	6	6	2	6	—
farms	75	6	6	2	6	—
\$1,000	13 071	429	542	(D)	473	—
SELECTED FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES¹						
Livestock and poultry purchased	20 553	1 283	5 012	1 452	2 392	2 157
farms	20 553	1 283	5 012	1 452	2 392	2 157
\$1,000	242 289	28 880	56 267	10 915	19 406	17 271
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999	12 547	831	3 534	910	1 420	1 377
\$5,000 to \$19,999	5 184	340	993	398	657	512
\$20,000 to \$49,999	2 244	84	415	124	273	235
\$50,000 or more	578	28	70	20	42	33
Feed for livestock and poultry	42 210	2 129	9 452	3 167	5 876	4 680
farms	42 210	2 129	9 452	3 167	5 876	4 680
\$1,000	579 976	29 397	101 357	33 516	68 221	58 888
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999	33 777	1 655	7 997	2 692	4 871	3 899
\$5,000 to \$19,999	2 459	57	194	90	197	169
\$20,000 to \$49,999	2 385	219	494	149	337	209
\$50,000 or more	3 589	198	767	236	471	403
Commercially mixed formula feeds	19 291	1 297	4 849	1 390	2 442	2 025
farms	19 291	1 297	4 849	1 390	2 442	2 025
tons	3 356 979	187 155	621 834	203 140	410 146	336 755
\$1,000	513 997	28 138	96 063	31 209	63 543	52 471
Farms by tons purchased:						
1 to 99 tons	13 219	870	3 569	971	1 584	1 410
100 to 499 tons	3 936	325	860	279	564	379
500 tons or more	2 136	102	420	140	294	236
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999	12 395	829	3 467	933	1 492	1 335
\$5,000 to \$19,999	1 244	58	131	82	167	99
\$20,000 to \$49,999	2 214	215	489	146	315	203
\$50,000 or more	3 438	195	762	229	468	388

See footnote at end of table.

Table 33. Summary by Size of Farm: 1978—Con.

[Excludes abnormal farms; see text]

All Farms	[Excludes abnormal farms; see text]						
	140 to 179 acres	180 to 219 acres	220 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 to 1,999 acres	2,000 acres or more
VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD—Con.							
Market value of agricultural products sold—Con.							
Grain	818	662	608	2 615	3 003	1 764	725
\$1,000..	12 153	11 300	13 799	100 925	245 018	285 208	262 767
Sales of \$40,000 or more	41	43	93	1 080	2 291	1 629	704
\$1,000..	(D)	2 060	4 950	70 081	229 675	282 313	262 330
Commodity Credit Corporation loans	50	31	46	183	265	174	72
\$1,000..	178	214	344	1 995	3 986	4 636	6 313
Cotton and cottonseed	176	194	150	728	867	668	317
\$1,000..	2 258	2 876	2 648	19 050	43 819	59 282	55 859
Sales of \$40,000 or more	8	13	11	157	445	489	282
\$1,000..	(D)	602	599	9 352	35 168	55 555	55 193
Commodity Credit Corporation loans	23	35	20	128	175	126	57
\$1,000..	118	128	101	855	2 440	3 037	2 458
Tobacco	--	--	1	--	--	--	--
\$1,000..	--	--	(D)	--	--	--	--
Sales of \$40,000 or more	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
\$1,000..	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage	468	343	281	714	382	128	67
\$1,000..	1 071	793	881	2 890	3 049	1 283	2 331
Sales of \$40,000 or more	1	--	2	8	11	4	8
\$1,000..	(D)	--	(D)	543	1 247	581	1 786
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons	87	64	38	95	41	16	5
\$1,000..	681	340	320	942	832	507	72
Sales of \$40,000 or more	5	--	1	5	6	4	--
\$1,000..	315	--	(D)	280	614	406	--
Fruits, nuts, and berries	64	38	28	91	37	31	25
\$1,000..	626	848	379	791	1 046	736	328
Sales of \$40,000 or more	4	4	2	7	7	4	2
\$1,000..	397	736	(D)	395	933	603	(D)
Nursery and greenhouse products	17	11	11	14	8	2	1
\$1,000..	637	457	289	1 443	915	(D)	(D)
Sales of \$40,000 or more	2	2	3	4	2	--	1
\$1,000..	(D)	(D)	272	1 375	(D)	--	(D)
Other crops	16	21	14	25	12	15	26
\$1,000..	38	34	6	70	200	528	632
Sales of \$40,000 or more	--	--	--	--	1	3	3
\$1,000..	--	--	--	--	(D)	(D)	196
Poultry and poultry products	553	355	319	630	256	62	10
\$1,000..	69 103	45 353	40 106	95 572	76 529	38 048	12 255
Sales of \$40,000 or more	435	286	226	507	223	55	9
\$1,000..	67 916	44 491	39 463	94 309	76 199	37 989	12 254
Dairy products	171	172	148	373	153	16	3
\$1,000..	5 671	6 409	5 963	21 583	13 816	1 178	366
Sales of \$40,000 or more	65	79	69	230	108	9	3
\$1,000..	3 967	4 904	4 572	18 847	13 221	1 024	366
Cattle and calves	3 677	2 427	1 998	5 014	2 459	837	340
\$1,000..	19 008	15 314	14 560	48 774	44 563	30 091	18 760
Sales of \$40,000 or more	7	15	22	121	235	168	135
\$1,000..	371	1 032	1 543	7 856	17 871	20 826	15 488
Hogs and pigs	422	260	213	614	303	100	28
\$1,000..	3 783	2 207	1 529	10 122	4 214	10 426	511
Sales of \$40,000 or more	15	5	5	25	11	20	2
\$1,000..	2 193	1 201	499	6 911	2 609	9 870	(D)
Sheep, lambs, and wool	10	11	8	25	12	3	3
\$1,000..	4	13	8	36	12	5	1
Sales of \$40,000 or more	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
\$1,000..	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Other livestock and livestock products (see text)	174	136	111	274	221	91	43
\$1,000..	632	364	258	1 359	3 689	2 912	4 295
Sales of \$40,000 or more	4	2	1	6	21	14	7
\$1,000..	422	(D)	(D)	840	3 219	2 643	4 204
SELECTED FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES¹							
Livestock and poultry purchased	1 762	1 267	915	2 517	1 211	421	164
\$1,000..	15 062	10 693	8 762	29 068	22 005	15 417	8 544
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999	1 059	777	571	1 265	574	178	51
\$5,000 to \$19,999	501	329	184	797	337	97	39
\$20,000 to \$49,999	169	133	136	382	194	77	22
\$50,000 or more	33	28	24	73	106	69	52
Feed for livestock and poultry	3 713	2 639	1 965	5 103	2 335	819	332
\$1,000..	48 166	33 270	28 827	80 055	55 012	32 613	10 653
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999	3 025	2 105	1 541	3 728	1 592	497	175
\$5,000 to \$19,999	191	177	144	567	403	183	87
\$20,000 to \$49,999	194	149	100	333	95	62	44
\$50,000 or more	303	208	180	475	245	77	26
Commercially mixed formula feeds	1 490	1 164	821	2 373	994	329	117
tons..	284 125	195 814	159 736	453 278	289 524	167 931	47 542
\$1,000..	42 830	29 767	24 646	68 568	45 027	23 682	8 056
Farms by tons purchased:							
1 to 99 tons	1 000	757	533	1 549	666	231	79
100 to 499 tons	312	277	172	529	164	49	26
500 tons or more	178	130	116	295	164	49	12
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999	930	718	465	1 354	609	205	58
\$5,000 to \$19,999	79	108	98	275	85	34	28
\$20,000 to \$49,999	189	139	97	303	77	26	15
\$50,000 or more	292	199	161	441	223	64	16

See footnote at end of table.

Table 33. Summary by Size of Farm: 1978—Con.

[Excludes abnormal farms; see text]

All Farms	[Excludes abnormal farms; see text]						
	140 to 179 acres	180 to 219 acres	220 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 to 1,999 acres	2,000 acres or more
SELECTED FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES¹—Con.							
Animal health costs.....farms.....	2 688	2 082	1 519	4 112	1 908	638	266
.....\$1,000.....	653	491	412	1 353	1 254	616	480
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$499.....	2 402	1 886	1 331	3 420	1 323	404	106
\$500 to \$999.....	155	119	85	413	258	113	48
\$1,000 to \$2,999.....	112	61	88	241	272	87	74
\$3,000 or more.....	19	16	15	38	55	34	38
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees.....farms.....	1 516	1 352	1 062	3 691	3 231	1 842	724
.....\$1,000.....	1 310	1 308	1 744	9 111	17 546	17 607	13 444
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999.....	1 109	904	616	1 641	577	164	27
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	383	419	359	1 436	1 206	435	89
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	22	22	49	508	913	440	128
\$10,000 or more.....	2	7	38	106	535	803	480
Commercial fertilizer.....farms.....	2 961	2 265	1 846	5 487	4 024	1 989	766
.....\$1,000.....	3 055	2 944	3 245	15 089	28 492	29 234	22 422
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$2,499.....	2 709	1 948	1 416	3 423	1 082	233	38
\$2,500 to \$9,999.....	251	311	427	1 872	1 873	625	141
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	1	6	3	177	832	569	159
\$20,000 or more.....	—	—	—	15	237	562	428
Other agricultural chemicals including lime.....farms.....	1 901	1 635	1 366	4 133	3 530	1 840	734
.....\$1,000.....	1 155	1 311	1 404	8 049	18 359	23 856	24 519
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$2,499.....	1 833	1 521	1 214	2 989	1 331	268	49
\$2,500 to \$9,999.....	68	112	146	1 076	1 656	570	110
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	—	1	6	66	446	604	136
\$20,000 or more.....	—	1	—	2	97	398	439
Energy and petroleum products.....farms.....	4 635	3 390	2 651	7 310	4 749	2 186	830
.....\$1,000.....	5 736	4 619	4 810	19 986	32 209	30 652	22 943
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$2,499.....	4 041	2 843	2 043	4 678	1 487	332	47
\$2,500 to \$9,999.....	547	525	575	2 337	2 081	544	103
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	40	20	31	280	956	789	207
\$20,000 or more.....	7	2	2	15	225	521	473
Petroleum products.....farms.....	4 635	3 390	2 651	7 305	4 749	2 185	830
.....\$1,000.....	4 679	3 883	3 921	16 914	26 998	25 563	19 154
Gasoline.....farms.....	4 112	3 018	2 419	6 805	4 478	2 059	797
.....\$1,000.....	2 140	1 726	1 657	6 703	9 165	7 255	4 995
Diesel fuel.....farms.....	2 319	1 900	1 717	5 076	4 035	2 051	783
.....\$1,000.....	832	899	1 043	5 753	12 181	12 854	10 340
LP gas, butane, and propane.....farms.....	1 042	837	732	2 272	1 911	1 112	486
.....\$1,000.....	1 030	735	710	2 500	2 947	2 802	1 826
Fuel oil.....farms.....	239	197	172	395	369	196	67
.....\$1,000.....	36	52	52	184	283	351	181
Natural gas.....farms.....	160	142	100	360	281	171	97
.....\$1,000.....	250	171	129	395	504	448	518
Kerosene, motor oil, and grease.....farms.....	4 635	3 390	2 651	7 304	4 749	2 185	830
.....\$1,000.....	391	300	331	1 380	1 919	1 853	1 294
Electricity.....farms.....	2 243	1 701	1 382	4 425	3 453	1 819	714
.....\$1,000.....	969	698	851	2 970	5 170	5 065	3 781
Other—coal, wood, coke, etc.....farms.....	235	133	137	371	193	56	24
.....\$1,000.....	88	39	37	102	41	23	8
Hired farm labor.....farms.....	1 363	1 126	932	3 360	3 422	1 913	789
.....\$1,000.....	3 325	2 532	2 513	12 555	31 080	41 506	41 711
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999.....	1 264	1 012	810	2 497	1 452	321	53
\$5,000 to \$19,999.....	77	104	113	812	1 624	758	137
\$20,000 to \$49,999.....	17	6	7	40	309	682	299
\$50,000 or more.....	3	4	2	11	37	152	300
Workers by number of days worked:							
150 days or more.....farms.....	253	249	198	1 278	2 388	1 666	739
.....workers.....	469	381	357	2 065	4 931	5 662	5 346
Less than 150 days.....farms.....	1 207	951	831	2 726	2 449	1 365	594
.....workers.....	3 422	3 288	2 609	10 096	9 431	9 460	7 323
Contract labor.....farms.....	335	296	278	580	488	314	114
.....\$1,000.....	327	304	309	1 033	1 239	1 423	865
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$2,499.....	305	270	249	483	355	152	37
\$2,500 to \$9,999.....	29	23	27	90	115	132	52
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	1	2	1	6	16	22	15
\$20,000 or more.....	—	1	1	1	2	8	10
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment.....farms.....	1 578	1 134	867	2 822	2 230	1 122	436
.....\$1,000.....	1 687	1 322	1 172	5 284	7 462	7 484	6 439
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$2,499.....	1 437	992	714	2 170	1 227	344	63
\$2,500 to \$9,999.....	128	134	152	582	854	527	170
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	13	8	1	69	134	183	96
\$20,000 or more.....	—	—	—	1	15	68	107
FARM-RELATED INCOME							
Income from machine work, customwork, and other agricultural services.....farms.....	263	220	193	684	559	261	97
.....\$1,000.....	559	418	435	1 821	1 959	1 389	1 102
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption.....farms.....	147	89	112	206	90	14	9
.....\$1,000.....	235	257	194	572	581	134	75

See footnote at end of table.

Table 33. Summary by Size of Farm: 1978—Con.

[Excludes abnormal farms; see text]

All Farms

VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT¹

	Total	1 to 9 acres	10 to 49 acres	50 to 69 acres	70 to 99 acres	100 to 139 acres
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment --- farms... \$1,000...	58 626	2 584	12 414	4 081	7 386	6 322
Farms by value group:	1 668 191	27 672	109 835	37 332	78 719	81 899
\$1 to \$4,999	12 276	690	4 079	1 227	1 989	1 412
\$5,000 to \$9,999	18 923	1 209	5 724	1 742	3 063	2 150
\$10,000 to \$19,999	10 602	409	1 608	717	1 421	1 449
\$20,000 to \$49,999	9 097	232	759	346	737	1 150
\$50,000 to \$99,999	3 212	27	192	42	134	121
\$100,000 to \$199,999	2 694	9	44	4	28	25
\$200,000 to \$499,999	1 677	5	5	3	14	14
\$500,000 or more	145	3	3	-	-	1

SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT¹

Automobiles	farms... 30 587	1 188	5 043	1 836	3 496	3 312
	number... 41 097	1 503	6 446	2 399	4 451	4 181
Motortrucks, including pickups	farms... 51 882	2 247	10 396	3 508	6 382	5 676
	number... 87 783	2 845	12 583	4 498	8 154	7 557
Wheel tractors	farms... 48 255	1 447	8 840	3 300	5 767	5 351
	number... 89 222	1 808	11 073	4 204	7 553	7 330
2 or 3	farms... 15 064	273	1 690	714	1 227	1 490
	number... 34 511	592	3 681	1 527	2 689	3 260
4 or more	farms... 4 898	13	76	28	90	64
	number... 26 418	55	318	119	414	273
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled only	farms... 9 700	45	368	118	347	465
	number... 14 074	46	424	134	363	540
Cornpickers, corn heads, and picker-shellers	farms... 586	5	68	25	37	38
	number... 655	5	68	25	38	53
Corn heads for combines	farms... 235	-	1	-	13	5
	number... 278	-	(D)	-	(D)	15
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers	farms... 369	5	67	25	25	38
	number... 377	5	67	25	25	38
Cottonpickers	farms... 3 519	-	123	65	79	147
	number... 5 256	-	143	65	85	188
Mower conditioners	farms... 7 950	117	805	357	661	895
	number... 8 638	127	850	376	677	970
Pickup balers	farms... 10 236	124	710	385	932	1 191
	number... 11 000	129	750	399	947	1 259
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type	farms... 1 529	27	138	111	121	146
	number... 1 869	27	178	132	147	159

AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS¹

Agricultural chemicals, including commercial fertilizer and lime	farms... 39 395	837	6 728	2 252	4 166	4 420	
	\$1,000... 193 767	173	2 161	1 304	2 747	4 249	
Commercial fertilizer	farms... 32 613	538	4 601	1 688	3 386	3 577	
	acres on which used... 5 291 065	1 786	65 013	44 967	103 336	170 937	
Lime	farms... 6 577	144	950	296	792	741	
	acres on which used... 318 319	962	9 979	5 949	16 733	18 160	
	tons... 553 716	1 022	16 661	11 230	28 414	33 687	
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control--							
Insects on hay and other crops	farms... 7 807	92	933	362	635	628	
	acres on which used... 1 791 894	336	13 680	7 403	15 777	23 096	
Nematodes in crops	farms... 1 715	25	164	29	70	88	
	acres on which used... 330 774	47	2 906	298	2 312	3 453	
Diseases in crops and orchards	farms... 2 402	108	469	89	192	218	
	acres on which used... 239 989	231	4 090	1 044	2 870	3 913	
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture	farms... 17 954	143	2 426	948	1 613	1 635	
	acres on which used... 4 924 693	536	38 225	26 571	60 576	86 766	
Chemicals for--							
Defoliation or for growth control of crops, or thinning of fruit	farms... 3 222	17	254	150	147	197	
	acres on which used... 591 433	69	3 241	2 299	4 507	18 078	
Insect control on livestock and poultry	farms... 12 002	437	1 992	801	1 445	1 290	
	Sanitation and rodent and bird control	farms... 4 798	214	830	273	453	468

LIVESTOCK

Cattle and calves inventory	farms... 38 684	1 021	7 718	2 803	5 547	5 099
	number... 1 708 886	16 538	105 965	57 315	127 089	148 795
Farms with--						
1 to 9	6 521	459	3 123	496	856	613
10 to 49	22 539	497	4 471	2 202	4 259	3 755
50 to 99	5 940	53	113	95	401	649
100 to 199	2 575	7	9	10	29	79
200 to 499	937	5	1	-	2	1
500 or more	172	-	1	-	-	2
Cows and heifers that had calved	farms... 35 791	776	6 891	2 611	5 141	4 761
	number... 947 521	8 201	53 765	31 629	71 552	86 240
Beef cows	farms... 33 522	679	6 209	2 479	4 806	4 520
	number... 870 340	7 305	50 095	29 602	66 057	79 499
Farms with--						
1 to 9	10 683	415	4 372	1 086	1 793	1 170
10 to 49	18 679	247	1 821	1 376	2 966	3 240
50 to 99	2 873	13	11	16	45	107
100 to 199	959	4	3	1	2	1
200 to 499	295	-	2	-	-	2
500 or more	33	-	-	-	-	-

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Table 33. Summary by Size of Farm: 1978—Con.

[Excludes abnormal farms; see text]

All Farms	[Excludes abnormal farms; see text]						
	140 to 179 acres	180 to 219 acres	220 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 to 1,999 acres	2,000 acres or more
VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT¹							
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment	4 666	3 408	2 659	7 332	4 758	2 186	830
\$1,000...	65 356	55 047	52 034	224 565	368 179	337 312	230 241
Farms by value group:							
\$1 to \$4,999	996	522	397	749	190	21	4
\$5,000 to \$9,999	1 467	969	652	1 395	467	76	9
\$10,000 to \$19,999	1 127	985	685	1 553	519	99	30
\$20,000 to \$49,999	879	743	702	2 203	1 026	273	47
\$50,000 to \$99,999	168	152	170	960	962	230	54
\$100,000 to \$199,999	23	36	46	422	1 134	771	152
\$200,000 to \$499,999	6	1	7	50	457	686	429
\$500,000 or more	-	-	-	-	3	30	105
SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT¹							
Automobiles	2 394	1 885	1 442	4 620	3 198	1 596	577
number	3 135	2 474	1 871	5 972	4 707	2 766	1 192
Motortrucks, including pickups	3 992	3 117	2 388	6 711	4 533	2 118	814
number	5 584	4 713	3 782	12 065	12 401	8 731	4 870
Wheel tractors	4 004	2 989	2 343	6 723	4 540	2 134	817
number	6 049	4 867	4 106	13 274	13 445	9 656	5 857
2 or 3	1 360	1 203	998	3 391	2 184	1 187	79
number	3 055	2 615	2 297	7 840	5 572	1 877	196
4 or more	90	133	132	603	1 473	1 488	708
number	440	599	596	2 705	6 990	8 278	5 631
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled only	406	449	492	1 932	2 724	1 662	692
number	461	504	536	2 280	3 901	3 023	1 862
Cornpickers, corn heads, and picker-shellers	46	41	36	95	99	60	36
number	46	45	37	96	119	70	53
Corn heads for combines	7	14	13	41	77	33	31
number	7	14	13	42	90	40	43
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers	39	31	24	54	28	28	5
number	39	31	24	54	29	30	10
Cottonpickers	126	153	151	723	910	707	335
number	145	168	166	855	1 270	1 297	874
Mower conditioners	846	518	580	1 589	1 006	391	185
number	909	572	619	1 739	1 127	439	233
Pickup balers	1 058	877	717	2 308	1 295	449	190
number	1 085	956	748	2 502	1 459	524	242
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type	162	109	95	295	176	98	51
number	222	130	106	353	212	131	72
AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS¹							
Agricultural chemicals, including commercial fertilizer and lime	3 299	2 532	1 994	5 985	4 293	2 084	805
\$1,000...	4 210	4 255	4 649	23 138	46 850	53 090	46 941
farms	2 831	2 181	1 783	5 354	3 933	1 977	764
acres on which used	158 762	154 063	170 095	757 831	1 327 936	1 304 315	1 032 024
lime	463	462	421	1 064	750	337	157
acres on which used	12 106	15 472	21 633	51 938	55 846	50 454	59 087
tons	19 041	24 793	27 433	89 597	102 606	91 398	107 834
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—							
Insects on hay and other crops	472	379	347	1 348	1 372	864	375
acres on which used	23 139	25 702	25 041	180 573	434 840	527 757	514 550
Nematodes in crops	79	107	80	326	398	249	100
acres on which used	5 460	6 267	11 172	36 558	92 272	97 452	72 577
Diseases in crops and orchards	193	204	105	286	271	179	88
acres on which used	7 599	6 185	5 401	20 932	48 851	67 660	71 213
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture	1 360	1 075	945	2 960	2 802	1 442	605
acres on which used	92 242	93 824	110 661	589 118	1 211 260	1 351 038	1 263 876
Chemicals for—							
Defoliation or for growth control of crops, or thinning of fruit	140	155	164	587	649	510	252
acres on which used	7 504	7 393	8 728	66 851	123 512	184 355	174 896
Insect control on livestock and poultry	1 089	896	630	1 795	1 019	391	217
Sanitation and rodent and bird control	477	391	240	695	416	231	110
LIVESTOCK							
Cattle and calves inventory	3 642	2 392	1 994	4 898	2 417	821	332
number	132 109	108 418	100 759	351 374	287 452	157 066	116 006
Farms with—							
1 to 9	350	157	132	210	80	35	10
number	2 379	1 388	1 031	1 859	529	140	29
10 to 49	798	657	620	1 678	682	150	44
number	111	177	194	968	709	226	56
50 to 99	4	13	17	178	389	218	109
number	-	-	-	5	28	52	84
100 to 199	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
number	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
200 to 499	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
number	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
500 or more	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cows and heifers that had calved	3 400	2 253	1 888	4 680	2 310	778	302
number	75 258	61 412	58 971	199 418	161 070	81 464	58 541
Beef cows	3 235	2 102	1 767	4 420	2 239	766	300
number	68 570	54 091	52 317	176 502	148 074	80 067	58 161
Farms with—							
1 to 9	670	340	209	420	149	46	13
number	2 391	1 546	1 278	2 668	893	206	47
10 to 49	168	199	255	1 103	715	192	49
number	6	15	25	216	408	202	76
50 to 99	-	2	-	12	73	115	89
number	-	-	-	1	1	5	26
100 to 199	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
number	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
200 to 499	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
number	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
500 or more	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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Table 33. Summary by Size of Farm: 1978—Con.

[Excludes abnormal farms; see text]

All Farms

LIVESTOCK—Con.

Cattle and calves inventory—Con.

Cows and heifers that had calved—Con.

	Total	1 to 9 acres	10 to 49 acres	50 to 69 acres	70 to 99 acres	100 to 139 acres
Milk cows.....farms.....	5 391	163	1 318	342	765	652
.....number.....	77 181	896	3 670	2 027	5 495	6 741
Farms with—						
1 to 4.....	3 781	137	1 190	242	610	421
5 to 9.....	195	8	45	23	24	57
10 to 49.....	861	15	83	77	116	146
50 to 99.....	433	2	—	—	14	26
100 to 199.....	103	1	—	—	—	2
200 to 499.....	17	—	—	—	1	—
500 or more.....	1	—	—	—	—	—
Heifers and heifer calves.....farms.....	30 513	718	5 648	2 279	4 204	3 828
.....number.....	408 649	4 290	28 842	14 426	31 010	35 194
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves.....farms.....	33 402	669	6 155	2 479	4 785	4 515
.....number.....	352 716	4 047	23 358	11 260	24 527	27 361
Cattle and calves sold.....farms.....	38 502	963	7 057	2 936	5 629	5 165
.....number.....	1 041 146	14 247	67 829	38 250	77 321	92 412
.....\$1,000.....	259 348	3 291	16 154	9 070	17 861	21 901
Calves.....farms.....	32 014	767	5 684	2 491	4 569	4 373
.....number.....	575 989	7 664	40 094	21 700	48 299	56 325
.....\$1,000.....	117 642	1 469	8 104	4 389	9 502	11 198
Cattle.....farms.....	26 352	644	4 677	1 987	3 698	3 491
.....number.....	465 157	6 583	27 735	16 550	29 022	36 087
.....\$1,000.....	141 706	1 821	8 050	4 681	8 359	10 703
Fattened on grain and concentrates.....farms.....	2 025	65	473	161	236	274
.....number.....	47 376	395	2 618	1 182	2 092	2 918
.....\$1,000.....	15 182	116	760	332	579	853
Hogs and pigs inventory.....farms.....	8 017	885	2 746	439	1 027	685
.....number.....	412 639	27 104	61 461	14 713	25 726	31 223
Farms with—						
1 to 9.....	3 742	348	1 391	237	576	312
10 to 49.....	3 115	416	1 112	141	354	276
50 to 99.....	585	61	154	31	54	55
100 to 199.....	347	52	47	19	24	17
200 to 499.....	147	7	33	8	12	17
500 or more.....	81	1	9	3	7	8
Used or to be used for breeding.....farms.....	5 985	722	1 955	341	789	521
.....number.....	81 834	5 635	13 983	3 351	6 153	7 312
Other.....farms.....	6 655	746	2 310	372	755	550
.....number.....	330 805	21 469	47 478	11 362	19 573	23 911
Hogs and pigs sold.....farms.....	6 657	841	1 957	409	867	643
.....number.....	813 467	37 282	106 988	28 167	60 026	60 970
.....\$1,000.....	51 289	2 331	6 427	1 934	3 926	3 879
Feeder pigs sold.....farms.....	3 224	367	816	210	489	364
.....number.....	398 979	19 668	58 283	13 539	30 388	34 567
.....\$1,000.....	15 829	758	2 354	577	1 289	1 348
Litters of pigs farrowed between—						
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30.....farms.....	6 427	769	2 081	385	853	582
.....number.....	97 279	5 862	14 785	3 619	7 598	8 466
Dec. 1 and May 31.....farms.....	5 249	611	1 569	337	759	466
.....number.....	48 037	2 876	7 368	1 861	3 884	4 116
June 1 and Nov. 30.....farms.....	4 745	545	1 538	233	581	435
.....number.....	49 242	2 986	7 417	1 758	3 714	4 350
Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory.....farms.....	175	8	38	7	19	24
.....number.....	4 604	73	532	99	218	276
Ewes 1 year old or older.....farms.....	145	6	25	7	15	23
.....number.....	3 308	35	304	96	146	188
Sheep and lambs sold.....farms.....	122	5	21	3	10	17
.....number.....	2 583	68	285	182	270	234
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms.....	110	4	18	2	9	16
.....number.....	4 032	(D)	341	(D)	282	212
.....pounds of wool.....	27 073	(D)	2 323	(D)	1 586	2 090
Horses and ponies inventory.....farms.....	11 486	268	2 172	749	1 799	1 258
.....number.....	39 543	691	6 134	2 288	4 853	4 446
Horses and ponies sold.....farms.....	1 915	106	525	216	195	194
.....number.....	5 389	273	1 299	721	514	456
.....\$1,000.....	4 315	249	1 067	484	466	218
Goats inventory.....farms.....	682	84	204	48	108	124
.....number.....	8 391	744	1 137	247	948	2 239
Goats sold.....farms.....	253	78	44	7	23	59
.....number.....	2 972	508	602	47	275	566
.....\$1,000.....	102	16	22	1	16	14
POULTRY						
Chickens 3 months old or older inventory.....farms.....	8 626	677	2 701	727	1 210	1 137
.....number.....	23 072 124	1 256 002	3 666 799	1 627 343	2 692 634	2 353 044
Farms with—						
1 to 399.....	7 529	600	2 445	638	1 034	1 023
400 to 3,199.....	29	5	9	4	3	—
3,200 to 9,999.....	384	34	118	22	84	32
10,000 to 19,999.....	371	24	79	40	54	48
20,000 to 49,999.....	236	11	42	18	29	27
50,000 to 99,999.....	55	2	8	4	5	5
100,000 or more.....	22	1	—	1	—	2
Hens and pullets of laying age.....farms.....	8 338	662	2 656	719	1 140	1 102
.....number.....	18 877 239	1 032 269	3 090 135	1 451 935	2 083 316	1 702 702
Pullets 3 months old or older not of laying age.....farms.....	1 850	140	450	106	348	513
.....number.....	4 194 885	223 733	576 664	175 408	609 318	650 342

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All Farms	140 to 179 acres	180 to 219 acres	220 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 to 1,999 acres	2,000 acres or more
LIVESTOCK— Con.							
Cattle and calves inventory— Con.							
Cows and heifers that had calved— Con.							
Milk cows.....farms.....	446	371	279	708	294	44	9
.....number.....	6 688	7 321	6 654	22 916	12 996	1 397	380
Farms with—							
1 to 4.....	287	214	145	349	154	26	6
5 to 9.....	10	5	4	14	4	1	—
10 to 49.....	99	83	68	123	43	8	—
50 to 99.....	48	64	55	170	48	4	2
100 to 199.....	2	5	6	47	37	3	—
200 to 499.....	—	—	1	5	7	2	1
500 or more.....	—	—	—	—	1	—	—
Heifers and heifer calves.....farms.....	2 976	2 007	1 595	4 202	2 058	706	292
.....number.....	31 369	26 287	22 976	86 017	65 850	35 467	26 921
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves.....farms.....	3 169	2 137	1 762	4 420	2 245	761	305
.....number.....	25 482	20 719	18 812	65 939	60 532	40 135	30 544
Cattle and calves sold.....farms.....	3 677	2 427	1 998	5 014	2 459	837	340
.....number.....	82 088	62 157	60 974	195 671	172 790	107 595	69 812
.....\$1,000.....	19 008	15 314	14 560	48 774	44 563	30 091	18 760
Calves.....farms.....	3 156	2 084	1 724	4 220	2 028	679	239
.....number.....	50 972	37 068	36 910	112 070	93 517	43 825	27 545
.....\$1,000.....	10 006	7 726	7 323	23 275	19 400	9 465	5 785
Cattle.....farms.....	2 549	1 704	1 280	3 595	1 833	621	273
.....number.....	31 116	25 089	24 064	83 601	79 273	63 770	42 267
.....\$1,000.....	9 002	7 588	7 238	25 499	25 163	20 627	12 975
Fattened on grain and concentrates.....farms.....	158	109	79	262	143	48	17
.....number.....	1 921	1 801	1 313	5 984	4 717	19 076	3 359
.....\$1,000.....	554	618	369	1 774	1 540	6 255	1 432
Hogs and pigs inventory.....farms.....	520	295	300	666	319	107	28
.....number.....	33 048	19 518	11 385	71 405	34 661	76 938	5 457
Farms with—							
1 to 9.....	245	139	150	223	94	23	4
10 to 49.....	162	113	95	264	131	41	10
50 to 99.....	36	22	33	84	40	13	2
100 to 199.....	59	11	16	55	30	10	7
200 to 499.....	11	5	3	22	19	7	3
500 or more.....	7	5	3	18	5	13	2
Used or to be used for breeding.....farms.....	405	213	199	506	235	76	23
.....number.....	4 420	3 050	2 828	7 654	3 854	23 086	508
Other.....farms.....	449	239	247	584	287	91	25
.....number.....	28 628	16 468	8 557	63 751	30 807	53 852	4 949
Hogs and pigs sold.....farms.....	422	260	213	614	303	100	28
.....number.....	57 618	31 502	26 061	129 262	58 538	211 224	5 829
.....\$1,000.....	3 783	2 207	1 529	10 122	4 214	10 426	511
Feeder pigs sold.....farms.....	221	138	111	332	133	33	10
.....number.....	21 607	12 886	16 530	47 519	21 851	120 669	1 472
.....\$1,000.....	922	552	723	1 914	919	4 416	58
Litters of pigs farrowed between—							
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30.....farms.....	426	227	213	540	248	79	24
.....number.....	5 447	3 694	3 416	10 348	4 783	28 701	560
Dec. 1 and May 31.....farms.....	344	195	191	473	213	71	20
.....number.....	2 818	1 879	1 831	5 406	2 450	13 304	244
June 1 and Nov. 30.....farms.....	342	177	150	449	203	69	23
.....number.....	2 629	1 815	1 585	4 942	2 333	15 397	316
Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory.....farms.....	9	12	10	27	13	4	4
.....number.....	173	472	229	1 105	1 234	132	61
Ewes 1 year old or older.....farms.....	8	11	10	23	11	3	3
.....number.....	119	367	160	590	1 157	93	53
Sheep and lambs sold.....farms.....	9	11	7	23	10	3	3
.....number.....	101	282	140	739	161	83	38
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms.....	9	9	6	21	10	3	3
.....number.....	140	452	181	989	1 140	85	51
.....pounds of wool.....	876	3 179	1 610	7 442	5 438	928	246
Horses and ponies inventory.....farms.....	1 004	685	584	1 543	892	377	155
.....number.....	3 082	2 912	2 123	5 308	4 024	1 923	1 759
Horses and ponies sold.....farms.....	110	84	79	182	142	54	28
.....number.....	287	230	149	604	593	151	112
.....\$1,000.....	103	113	77	387	911	93	149
Goats inventory.....farms.....	27	15	13	34	15	5	3
.....number.....	380	561	387	749	538	438	23
Goats sold.....farms.....	10	6	4	15	6	1	—
.....number.....	282	109	89	132	359	(D)	—
.....\$1,000.....	13	7	4	2	7	(D)	—
POULTRY							
Chickens 3 months old or older inventory.....farms.....	507	371	373	617	234	55	17
.....number.....	1 878 519	1 434 640	1 096 229	2 196 003	2 142 007	2 279 508	449 396
Farms with—							
1 to 399.....	418	303	325	515	179	37	12
400 to 3,199.....	4	—	—	3	1	—	—
3,200 to 9,999.....	28	19	18	16	9	3	1
10,000 to 19,999.....	27	25	10	49	14	—	—
20,000 to 49,999.....	27	16	16	25	18	7	—
50,000 to 99,999.....	1	7	3	8	8	2	—
100,000 or more.....	2	1	1	1	5	6	2
Hens and pullets of laying age.....farms.....	485	320	363	597	227	51	16
.....number.....	1 445 330	996 088	843 548	1 856 429	2 005 813	1 965 334	404 340
Pullets 3 months old or older not of laying age.....farms.....	59	86	36	73	26	9	4
.....number.....	433 189	438 552	252 681	339 574	136 194	314 174	45 056

See footnote at end of table.

Table 33. Summary by Size of Farm: 1978—Con.

[Excludes abnormal farms, see text]

All Farms	Total	1 to 9 acres	10 to 49 acres	50 to 69 acres	70 to 99 acres	100 to 139 acres
POULTRY—Con.						
Chickens 3 months old or older sold	farms... 1 829	257	422	143	274	190
	number... 29 380 013	1 674 654	5 214 426	1 840 098	3 650 973	2 872 124
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold	farms... 4 253	336	1 042	339	653	496
	number... 518 387 268	30 540 996	116 029 504	36 139 824	74 282 527	66 311 811
Farms with—						
1 to 1,999	133	37	47	6	28	4
2,000 to 59,999	665	73	173	60	111	74
60,000 to 99,999	1 270	113	330	119	206	135
100,000 or more	2 185	113	492	154	308	283
Turkey hens kept for breeding	farms... 526	22	142	26	186	41
	number... 35 798	104	355	79	523	181
Turkeys sold	farms... 283	43	41	15	51	23
	number... 10 348 266	220 772	1 212 727	320 062	992 324	645 862
CROPS HARVESTED						
Corn for all purposes	farms... 1 324	28	263	100	165	128
	acres... 29 444	83	1 372	619	1 246	1 215
For grain or seed	farms... 1 168	26	248	94	152	118
	acres... 22 116	77	1 273	577	1 070	1 034
Irrigated	bushels... 1 322 617	2 553	46 510	15 387	35 424	48 754
	farms... 93	1	13	4	4	12
	acres... 4 612	(D)	(D)	14	19	184
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres	1 014	26	243	91	145	108
25 to 99 acres	98	—	5	3	7	9
100 to 499 acres	54	—	—	—	—	1
500 acres or more	2	—	—	—	—	—
Sorghums for grain or seed	farms... 2 255	3	114	125	100	125
	acres... 173 400	13	1 697	2 179	2 310	2 593
Irrigated	bushels... 10 148 283	1 187	95 858	96 188	129 429	149 513
	farms... 86	—	1	1	1	4
	acres... 5 856	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	101
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres	690	3	93	104	66	80
25 to 99 acres	985	—	21	21	34	45
100 to 499 acres	560	—	—	—	—	—
500 acres or more	20	—	—	—	—	—
Wheat for grain	farms... 2 718	9	175	61	125	145
	acres... 243 852	43	2 688	1 369	2 983	3 768
Irrigated	bushels... 8 778 272	1 764	94 261	45 705	88 036	123 647
	farms... 33	1	1	—	1	—
	acres... 3 146	(D)	(D)	—	(D)	—
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres	730	9	151	37	76	84
25 to 99 acres	1 214	—	24	24	49	59
100 to 499 acres	713	—	—	—	—	2
500 acres or more	61	—	—	—	—	—
Oats for grain	farms... 539	1	15	9	26	40
	acres... 31 911	(D)	(D)	114	500	482
Irrigated	bushels... 2 240 254	(D)	(D)	2 275	26 766	20 060
	farms... 42	1	—	—	—	1
	acres... 3 857	(D)	—	—	—	(D)
Rice	farms... 4 727	7	123	29	90	132
	acres... 1 077 884	40	2 463	865	3 759	6 317
Irrigated	100-lb bags... 47 947 553	1 648	103 537	37 147	168 208	256 993
	farms... 7	—	123	29	90	132
	acres... 1 077 884	40	2 463	865	3 759	6 317
Soybeans for beans	farms... 13 986	84	1 506	652	931	969
	acres... 4 590 644	345	32 619	23 486	44 870	66 345
Irrigated	bushels... 103 653 380	8 710	687 490	521 831	859 468	1 309 803
	farms... 2 195	4	50	17	79	47
	acres... 493 453	15	1 046	389	3 703	2 275
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres	1 613	84	923	118	205	78
25 to 99 acres	3 690	—	583	534	726	654
100 to 499 acres	5 828	—	—	—	—	237
500 acres or more	2 855	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton	farms... 4 126	24	403	135	208	255
	acres... 754 781	127	5 889	3 016	5 825	9 368
Irrigated	bales... 647 820	80	4 444	2 356	4 618	7 231
	farms... 464	3	14	8	6	8
	acres... 80 675	14	268	232	251	325
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres	809	24	337	88	105	92
25 to 99 acres	1 293	—	66	47	103	150
100 to 499 acres	1 659	—	—	—	—	13
500 acres or more	365	—	—	—	—	—
Irish potatoes	farms... 454	10	127	40	82	53
	acres... 332	3	91	30	86	21
Irrigated	hundredweight... 29 461	223	7 112	2 605	8 474	1 749
	farms... 30	1	8	7	8	2
	acres... 49	(D)	3	4	34	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:						
0.1 to 0.9 acres	374	10	111	33	66	44
1.0 to 4.9 acres	64	—	12	4	11	9
5.0 to 24.9 acres	15	—	4	3	4	—
25.0 to 99.9 acres	1	—	—	—	1	—
100.0 acres or more	—	—	—	—	—	—

See footnote at end of table.

Table 33. Summary by Size of Farm: 1978—Con.

[Excludes abnormal farms; see text]

All Farms	[Excludes abnormal farms; see text]						
	140 to 179 acres	180 to 219 acres	220 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 to 1,999 acres	2,000 acres or more
POULTRY—Con.							
Chickens 3 months old or older sold	farms... 136	95	72	139	75	20	6
	number... 2 476 507	1 944 449	1 491 764	3 212 304	2 494 439	2 302 775	205 500
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold	farms... 368	221	189	416	156	35	2
	number... 44 728 502	29 501 121	24 662 913	59 410 675	26 297 498	(D)	(D)
Farms with—							
1 to 1,999	2	2	1	4	1	1	—
2,000 to 59,999	52	30	27	51	12	2	—
60,000 to 99,999	118	62	56	93	34	4	—
100,000 or more	196	127	105	268	109	28	2
Turkey hens kept for breeding	farms... 26	11	19	36	12	5	—
	number... 95	49	82	236	34 067	27	—
Turkeys sold	farms... 17	14	13	38	20	6	2
	number... 869 678	409 079	723 538	1 518 448	2 133 776	(D)	(D)
CROPS HARVESTED							
Corn for all purposes	farms... 108	68	66	176	118	63	41
	acres... 1 038	1 068	1 249	4 665	4 738	4 247	7 904
For grain or seed	farms... 101	64	56	147	98	35	29
	acres... 867	965	892	3 691	3 795	2 113	5 762
Irrigated	bushels... 33 961	52 355	49 491	193 648	245 658	116 423	482 453
	farms... 7	5	4	8	14	9	12
	acres... 13	215	160	273	1 141	437	2 123
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres	95	56	49	113	64	19	5
25 to 99 acres	6	5	6	20	23	8	6
100 to 499 acres	—	3	1	14	11	8	16
500 acres or more	—	—	—	—	—	—	2
Sorghums for grain or seed	farms... 146	102	127	507	550	252	104
	acres... 5 040	4 007	5 031	32 228	52 895	39 099	26 308
Irrigated	bushels... 302 742	222 883	302 954	1 829 593	3 179 105	2 301 412	1 537 419
	farms... 5	2	—	21	32	15	4
	acres... 174	(D)	—	979	2 285	1 685	420
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres	60	38	44	127	60	13	2
25 to 99 acres	83	58	76	258	278	84	25
100 to 499 acres	3	6	7	122	212	145	65
500 acres or more	—	—	—	—	—	8	12
Wheat for grain	farms... 123	108	115	533	638	443	243
	acres... 3 770	3 968	5 005	28 949	55 726	63 673	71 910
Irrigated	bushels... 110 440	123 232	159 746	976 513	1 919 268	2 349 022	2 786 638
	farms... —	3	3	5	6	8	5
	acres... —	54	55	204	264	1 417	1 115
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres	58	41	33	126	81	27	7
25 to 99 acres	62	62	70	322	325	172	45
100 to 499 acres	3	5	12	85	230	231	145
500 acres or more	—	—	—	—	2	13	46
Oats for grain	farms... 17	12	26	78	171	109	35
	acres... 254	332	815	2 701	11 304	11 305	3 952
Irrigated	bushels... 12 674	19 811	52 509	162 956	815 152	846 668	273 230
	farms... 1	—	3	10	18	5	3
	acres... (D)	—	153	586	1 514	957	596
Rice	farms... 168	137	153	948	1 497	1 011	432
	acres... 9 950	10 019	12 482	119 204	310 744	340 867	261 174
Irrigated	100-lb bags... 452 281	417 971	534 617	5 236 054	13 972 670	15 293 036	11 473 391
	farms... 168	137	153	948	1 497	1 011	432
	acres... 9 950	10 019	12 482	119 204	310 744	340 867	261 174
Soybeans for beans	farms... 771	628	576	2 506	2 915	1 733	715
	acres... 67 642	68 398	77 764	521 865	1 149 055	1 298 027	1 240 228
Irrigated	bushels... 1 423 479	1 361 337	1 651 530	11 063 592	25 086 273	30 294 060	29 385 807
	farms... 72	65	73	405	735	480	168
	acres... 5 004	4 371	5 788	49 057	153 428	175 442	92 935
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres	69	31	19	58	23	5	—
25 to 99 acres	372	240	159	294	101	20	7
100 to 499 acres	330	357	398	2 154	1 974	343	35
500 acres or more	—	—	—	—	817	1 365	673
Cotton	farms... 176	194	150	729	867	668	317
	acres... 9 522	12 887	10 737	80 402	180 905	235 129	200 974
Irrigated	bales... 7 693	9 925	9 097	67 392	154 055	199 326	181 603
	farms... 12	17	12	85	118	121	60
	acres... 876	728	842	8 571	17 986	30 715	19 867
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres	43	26	17	47	24	4	2
25 to 99 acres	107	128	98	350	162	68	14
100 to 499 acres	26	40	35	332	643	435	135
500 acres or more	—	—	—	—	38	161	166
Irish potatoes	farms... 35	29	31	34	13	—	—
	acres... 18	36	12	30	6	—	—
Irrigated	hundredweight... 1 553	3 354	734	3 281	376	—	—
	farms... 2	—	1	1	—	—	—
	acres... (D)	—	(D)	(D)	—	—	—
Farms by acres harvested:							
0.1 to 0.9 acres	31	19	24	24	12	—	—
1.0 to 4.9 acres	3	8	7	9	1	—	—
5.0 to 24.9 acres	1	2	—	1	—	—	—
25.0 to 99.9 acres	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100.0 acres or more	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

See footnote at end of table.

Table 33. Summary by Size of Farm: 1978—Con.

[Excludes abnormal farms; see text]

All Farms

CROPS HARVESTED—Con.

	Total	1 to 9 acres	10 to 49 acres	50 to 69 acres	70 to 99 acres	100 to 139 acres
Sweetpotatoes ----- farms...	170	12	47	12	28	13
acres...	658	9	57	9	31	17
Irrigated ----- farms...	93 281	868	6 747	1 545	6 145	3 620
acres...	20	5	2	5	2	2
acres...	322	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
Hay crops (see text) ----- farms...	25 373	108	3 578	1 760	3 429	3 712
acres...	905 451	401	48 234	31 529	66 791	92 158
Irrigated ----- farms...	1 399 211	568	63 512	42 787	96 803	123 979
acres...	245	1	28	11	22	24
acres...	7 416	(D)	(D)	233	372	394
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres -----	13 408	108	3 015	1 324	2 464	2 114
25 to 99 acres -----	10 252	—	563	436	964	1 550
100 to 499 acres -----	1 666	—	—	—	1	48
500 acres or more -----	47	—	—	—	—	—
Alfalfa hay ----- farms...	1 255	12	155	90	159	149
acres...	42 010	35	1 976	1 251	2 355	2 955
tons, dry...	104 754	86	3 221	2 679	4 915	5 373
Irrigated ----- farms...	22	1	3	—	4	1
acres...	676	(D)	20	—	55	(D)
All vegetables harvested for sale (see text) ----- farms...	1 272	137	432	104	137	114
acres...	12 266	409	1 746	693	826	646
Irrigated ----- farms...	469	68	133	48	56	45
acres...	4 342	170	496	218	401	275
Farms by acres harvested:						
0.1 to 4.9 acres -----	791	107	302	77	87	75
5.0 to 24.9 acres -----	388	30	126	20	43	33
25.0 to 99.9 acres -----	77	—	4	7	7	6
100.0 acres or more -----	16	—	—	—	—	—
Land in orchards ----- farms...	1 915	81	535	86	200	464
acres...	19 272	178	2 486	821	1 312	996
Irrigated ----- farms...	179	4	110	11	12	4
acres...	1 381	8	453	102	81	29
Farms by acres in orchards:						
0.1 to 4.9 acres -----	1 330	69	370	49	133	427
5.0 to 24.9 acres -----	430	12	150	27	55	24
25.0 to 99.9 acres -----	124	—	15	10	12	13
100.0 acres or more -----	31	—	—	—	—	—

See footnote at end of table.

Table 33. Summary by Size of Farm: 1978—Con.

[Excludes abnormal farms; see text]

All Farms		140 to 179 acres	180 to 219 acres	220 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 to 1,999 acres	2,000 acres or more
CROPS HARVESTED—Con.								
Sweetpotatoes	farms	15	11	10	18	3	1	—
	acres	47	45	10	93	(D)	(D)	—
	bushels	5 460	6 090	1 030	16 501	(D)	(D)	—
Irrigated	farms	1	1	—	1	—	1	—
	acres	(D)	(D)	—	(D)	—	(D)	—
Hay crops (see text)	farms	2 666	1 877	1 536	3 905	1 932	628	242
	acres	77 255	66 430	59 596	194 766	150 646	68 552	49 093
	tons, dry	115 338	94 650	95 732	306 035	253 408	107 871	98 528
Irrigated	farms	20	14	12	44	40	19	10
	acres	418	426	222	1 379	2 548	791	388
Farms by acres harvested:								
	1 to 24 acres	1 383	814	565	1 143	347	104	27
	25 to 99 acres	1 206	970	884	2 299	1 049	264	67
	100 to 499 acres	77	93	87	463	529	243	125
	500 acres or more	—	—	—	—	7	17	23
Alfalfa hay	farms	116	84	68	202	133	49	38
	acres	2 694	2 194	1 963	6 256	7 949	3 652	8 730
	tons, dry	4 671	4 006	4 949	14 223	23 272	8 409	28 950
Irrigated	farms	—	1	1	6	3	1	1
	acres	—	(D)	(D)	206	327	(D)	(D)
All vegetables harvested for sale (see text)	farms	89	64	38	95	41	16	5
	acres	990	548	674	2 177	1 913	1 402	242
Irrigated	farms	32	25	14	29	12	7	—
	acres	257	165	111	358	1 053	839	—
Farms by acres harvested:								
	0.1 to 4.9 acres	51	31	17	31	9	3	1
	5.0 to 24.9 acres	27	28	15	43	18	4	1
	25.0 to 99.9 acres	11	5	5	16	9	5	2
	100.0 acres or more	—	—	1	5	5	4	1
Land in orchards	farms	129	67	50	137	68	53	45
	acres	1 195	950	937	2 016	2 423	2 195	3 762
Irrigated	farms	12	5	2	8	5	3	3
	acres	127	(D)	(D)	151	256	41	47
Farms by acres in orchards:								
	0.1 to 4.9 acres	93	43	24	70	33	10	9
	5.0 to 24.9 acres	21	17	14	45	18	28	19
	25.0 to 99.9 acres	14	4	9	18	10	10	9
	100.0 acres or more	1	3	3	4	7	5	8

¹1978 data are based on a sample of farms; see text.