

Table 29. Summary by Tenure of Operator: 1978

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	All farms				Farms with sales of \$2,500 or more			
	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants
FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS								
Farms.....	number.. 58 602	37 508	15 370	5 724	38 840	22 043	12 802	3 995
Land in farms.....	percent... 100.0	64.0	26.2	9.7	66.2	37.6	21.8	6.8
Average size of farm.....	acres... 13 670 561	6 546 841	6 255 456	868 264	12 134 801	5 264 854	6 053 724	816 223
Value of land and buildings ¹	farms... 58 600	37 505	15 210	5 885	38 823	21 987	12 758	4 078
	\$1,000... 10 551 787	4 915 561	4 894 430	741 796	9 276 177	3 865 928	4 729 057	681 191
Average per farm.....	dollars... 180 064	131 064	321 790	126 048	238 935	175 827	370 673	167 040
Average per acre.....	dollars... 773	754	784	834	765	740	780	814
Farms by value of land and buildings:								
\$1 to \$19,999.....	6 412	4 396	661	1 355	2 563	1 722	272	569
\$20,000 to \$39,999.....	9 984	7 507	1 285	1 192	4 350	3 117	656	577
\$40,000 to \$69,999.....	11 633	8 785	1 955	893	6 467	4 475	1 334	658
\$70,000 to \$99,999.....	6 985	4 785	1 708	492	4 866	3 138	1 298	430
\$100,000 to \$149,999.....	7 141	4 633	1 901	607	5 694	3 463	1 668	563
\$150,000 to \$199,999.....	3 855	2 249	1 310	296	3 239	1 715	1 262	262
\$200,000 to \$499,999.....	8 234	3 670	3 786	778	7 451	3 025	3 677	749
\$500,000 to \$999,999.....	2 839	968	1 664	207	2 716	858	1 652	206
\$1,000,000 or more.....	1 517	512	940	65	1 477	474	939	64
Owned and rented land by operator:								
Land owned.....	farms... 52 963	37 508	15 370	85	34 910	22 043	12 802	65
Land rented or leased from others.....	farms... 10 559 309	7 196 087	3 350 571	12 651	9 005 601	5 753 282	3 240 875	11 444
Land rented or leased to others.....	farms... 21 282	188	15 370	5 724	16 949	152	12 802	3 995
	acres... 3 922 926	20 674	3 020 149	882 103	3 763 918	17 558	2 918 562	827 798
	farms... 7 836	6 438	1 145	253	5 184	3 980	1 002	202
	acres... 811 674	669 920	115 264	26 490	634 718	505 986	105 713	23 019
LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE								
Total cropland.....	farms... 52 143	32 357	14 947	4 839	35 310	19 038	12 524	3 748
	acres... 6 957 528	2 489 408	3 829 630	638 490	6 429 465	2 076 879	3 742 788	609 798
Harvested cropland.....	farms... 42 907	24 490	14 163	4 254	31 046	15 522	12 063	3 461
	acres... 4 737 110	1 285 157	2 946 398	505 555	4 581 498	1 178 887	2 910 058	492 553
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 49 acres.....	25 897	18 780	5 145	1 972	14 314	9 959	3 141	1 214
50 to 99 acres.....	6 107	3 021	2 248	838	5 865	2 893	2 166	806
100 to 199 acres.....	4 553	1 495	2 352	706	4 523	1 480	2 340	703
200 to 499 acres.....	4 226	860	2 783	583	4 221	857	2 781	583
500 to 999 acres.....	1 520	234	1 167	119	1 519	233	1 167	119
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	509	73	406	30	509	73	406	30
2,000 acres or more.....	95	27	62	6	95	27	62	6
Cropland:								
Pasture or grazing only.....	farms... 26 995	18 538	7 095	1 362	18 043	10 936	6 054	1 053
	acres... 1 543 182	879 949	578 682	84 551	1 272 925	655 203	543 195	74 527
Cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses not harvested or pastured.....	farms... 3 023	1 981	915	127	2 080	1 153	815	112
	acres... 87 117	49 003	35 082	3 032	73 231	36 484	34 039	2 708
On which all crops failed.....	farms... 5 092	2 714	1 846	532	3 188	1 341	1 522	325
	acres... 181 796	71 226	92 496	18 074	147 554	47 073	85 700	14 781
In cultivated summer fallow.....	farms... 1 617	1 091	473	53	1 174	720	408	46
	acres... 69 469	37 193	30 665	1 611	64 274	33 050	29 695	1 529
Idle.....	farms... 10 741	6 219	3 509	1 013	7 874	3 833	3 209	832
	acres... 338 854	166 880	146 307	25 667	289 983	126 182	140 101	23 700
Total woodland.....	farms... 36 729	25 151	10 161	1 417	25 702	15 705	8 846	1 151
	acres... 5 132 043	3 136 463	1 834 394	161 186	4 350 979	2 456 180	1 748 252	146 547
Woodland pastured.....	farms... 18 864	13 225	4 898	741	13 117	8 320	4 164	633
	acres... 1 372 287	835 621	483 834	52 832	1 149 573	651 524	451 195	46 854
Woodland not pastured.....	farms... 26 265	17 762	7 562	941	18 526	11 084	6 692	750
	acres... 3 759 756	2 300 842	1 350 560	108 354	3 201 406	1 804 656	1 297 057	99 693
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured.....	farms... 9 277	5 985	2 743	549	6 614	3 870	2 305	439
	acres... 904 880	510 711	351 460	42 709	802 511	426 945	336 986	38 580
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc.....	farms... 39 306	26 258	10 483	2 565	25 212	15 083	8 578	1 551
	acres... 676 110	410 259	239 972	25 879	551 846	304 850	225 698	21 298
Pastureland, all types.....	farms... 38 170	26 143	10 089	1 938	25 647	15 640	8 501	1 506
	acres... 3 820 349	2 226 281	1 413 976	180 092	3 225 009	1 733 672	1 331 376	159 961
Irrigated land.....	farms... 4 631	1 632	2 355	644	4 352	1 438	2 329	585
	acres... 462 897	111 962	303 626	47 309	459 880	109 895	303 406	46 579
Harvested cropland irrigated.....	farms... 4 477	1 546	2 329	602	4 276	1 382	2 312	582
	acres... 451 941	106 688	298 755	46 498	450 095	105 001	298 677	46 417
Pastureland irrigated.....	farms... 219	126	85	8	180	94	79	7
	acres... 7 737	4 314	3 348	75	7 306	4 011	3 223	72
Other land irrigated.....	farms... 125	50	31	44	66	32	28	6
	acres... 3 219	960	1 523	736	2 479	883	1 506	90
Land set aside in the federal farm programs in 1978.....	farms... 8 403	3 385	4 032	986	7 437	2 706	3 830	901
	acres... 168 029	46 992	104 368	16 669	162 058	43 033	102 887	16 138
RACE AND TENURE OF OPERATOR								
All operators.....	number.. 58 602	37 508	15 370	5 724	38 840	22 043	12 802	3 995
Full owners.....	number.. 37 508	37 508	-	-	22 043	22 043	-	-
Part owners.....	number.. 15 370	-	15 370	-	12 802	-	12 802	-
Tenants.....	number.. 5 724	-	-	5 724	3 995	-	-	3 995
White.....	number.. 54 053	34 825	14 418	4 810	37 128	21 241	12 204	3 683
Full owners.....	number.. 34 825	34 825	-	-	21 241	21 241	-	-
Part owners.....	number.. 14 418	-	14 418	-	12 204	-	12 204	-
Tenants.....	number.. 4 810	-	-	4 810	3 683	-	-	3 683
Black and other races.....	number.. 4 549	2 683	952	914	1 712	802	598	312
Full owners.....	number.. 2 683	2 683	-	-	802	802	-	-
Part owners.....	number.. 952	-	952	-	598	-	598	-
Tenants.....	number.. 914	-	-	914	312	-	-	312

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	All farms				Farms with sales of \$2,500 or more			
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FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION								
Individual or family.....farms.....	52 310	34 375	13 233	4 702	33 510	19 605	10 801	3 104
.....acres.....	10 475 775	5 146 330	4 729 400	600 045	9 042 225	3 945 869	4 541 334	555 022
Partnership.....farms.....	5 015	2 340	1 795	880	4 134	1 717	1 660	757
.....acres.....	2 045 175	713 023	1 141 065	191 087	1 960 148	648 244	1 127 428	184 476
Corporations:								
Family held.....farms.....	930	529	290	111	908	513	290	105
.....acres.....	876 940	476 327	343 295	57 318	869 028	468 678	343 295	57 055
More than 10 stockholders.....farms.....	33	24	8	1	32	23	8	1
10 or less stockholders.....farms.....	897	505	282	110	876	490	282	104
Other than family held.....farms.....	167	116	35	16	167	116	35	16
.....acres.....	130 395	98 446	25 199	6 750	130 395	98 446	25 199	6 750
More than 10 stockholders.....farms.....	20	17	1	2	20	17	1	2
10 or less stockholders.....farms.....	147	99	34	14	147	99	34	14
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, etc.....farms.....	180	148	17	15	180	148	17	15
.....acres.....	142 276	112 715	16 497	13 064	133 005	103 617	16 468	12 920
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS								
Operators by place of residence:								
On farm operated.....	41 644	26 995	11 563	3 086	27 121	15 430	9 765	1 926
Not on farm operated.....	9 703	5 340	2 323	2 040	6 816	3 399	1 827	1 590
Operators by age group:								
Under 25 years.....	1 210	450	243	517	942	329	210	403
25 to 34 years.....	6 680	2 642	2 548	1 490	4 807	1 618	2 058	1 131
35 to 44 years.....	11 758	6 794	3 775	1 189	7 659	3 724	3 123	812
45 to 54 years.....	13 736	8 494	4 132	1 110	9 431	5 293	3 374	764
55 to 64 years.....	14 242	10 059	3 300	883	9 759	6 224	2 952	583
65 years and over.....	10 974	9 069	1 372	535	6 242	4 855	1 085	302
Average age.....	51.2	54.0	47.2	43.0	50.4	53.6	47.4	41.9
Operators by sex:								
Male.....	54 866	34 424	15 023	5 419	36 591	20 190	12 517	3 884
Female.....	3 736	3 084	347	305	2 249	1 853	285	111
Operators of Spanish origin.....	239	145	68	26	169	89	61	19
Operators by principal occupation:								
Farming.....	27 786	15 555	9 365	2 866	22 660	11 334	8 864	2 462
Other.....	30 816	21 953	6 005	2 858	16 180	10 709	3 938	1 533
Operators reporting days of work off farm:								
None.....	22 940	14 019	6 783	2 138	17 297	9 274	6 302	1 721
1 to 99 days.....	4 430	2 436	1 412	582	3 352	1 587	1 267	498
100 to 199 days.....	4 175	2 622	1 023	530	2 814	1 572	852	390
200 days or more.....	24 094	16 580	5 332	2 182	13 003	8 195	3 609	1 199
FARMS BY SIZE								
1 to 9 acres.....	5 222	3 910	367	945	2 292	1 788	207	297
10 to 49 acres.....	13 496	9 925	2 070	1 501	5 641	4 086	872	683
50 to 69 acres.....	5 371	3 878	959	534	3 088	2 076	576	436
70 to 99 acres.....	5 672	4 073	1 143	456	3 688	2 390	891	407
100 to 139 acres.....	6 480	4 560	1 363	557	4 369	2 721	1 141	507
140 to 179 acres.....	4 106	2 645	1 100	361	3 217	1 883	992	342
180 to 219 acres.....	2 972	1 745	910	317	2 451	1 344	810	297
220 to 259 acres.....	2 356	1 351	817	188	1 992	1 034	780	178
260 to 499 acres.....	6 525	3 044	2 970	511	5 952	2 558	2 896	498
500 to 999 acres.....	4 012	1 509	2 247	256	3 836	1 363	2 220	253
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	1 682	569	1 040	73	1 627	519	1 035	73
2,000 acres or more.....	708	299	384	25	687	281	382	24
FARMS BY STANDARD INDUSTRIAL CLASSIFICATION (SEE TEXT)								
Cash grain farms (011).....	8 323	3 882	3 055	1 386	5 539	2 168	2 433	938
Field crop, except cash grain farms (013).....	8 398	3 477	3 493	1 428	7 424	2 681	3 353	1 390
Cotton farms (0131).....	282	71	133	78	273	68	129	76
Tobacco farms (0132).....	2 648	965	1 169	514	2 603	926	1 164	513
Sugar crop, Irish potato, hay, peanut, and other field crop farms (0133, 0134, 0139).....	5 468	2 441	2 191	836	4 548	1 687	2 060	801
Vegetable and melon farms (016).....	1 044	662	247	135	646	362	185	99
Fruit and tree nut farms (017).....	1 836	1 573	194	69	711	497	160	54
Horticultural specialty farms (018).....	632	561	29	42	470	410	29	31
General farms, primarily crop (019).....	3 109	1 257	1 544	308	2 503	845	1 384	274
Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021) ..								
Beef cattle farms, except feedlots (0212).....	27 397	20 292	5 280	1 825	14 693	10 026	3 804	863
Dairy farms (024).....	16 768	13 420	2 726	622	8 148	6 024	1 750	374
Poultry and egg farms (025).....	1 075	443	526	106	1 051	419	526	106
Animal specialty farms (027).....	5 460	4 328	808	324	5 100	4 098	798	204
General farms, primarily livestock (029).....	827	685	101	41	578	475	76	27
	501	348	93	60	125	62	54	9
VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD								
Market value of agricultural products sold.....farms.....	58 602	37 508	15 370	5 724	38 840	22 043	12 802	3 995
.....\$1,000.....	2 388 886	1 166 191	1 034 322	188 373	2 368 213	1 150 062	1 031 282	186 869
Farms by value of agricultural products sold:								
\$500,000 or more.....	449	229	197	23	449	229	197	23
\$200,000 to \$499,999.....	2 283	1 028	1 104	151	2 283	1 028	1 104	151
\$100,000 to \$199,999.....	3 907	1 836	1 802	269	3 907	1 836	1 802	269
\$40,000 to \$99,999.....	6 516	2 867	2 915	734	6 516	2 867	2 915	734
\$20,000 to \$39,999.....	4 773	2 210	1 845	718	4 773	2 210	1 845	718
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	5 720	3 149	1 834	737	5 720	3 149	1 834	737
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	6 953	4 587	1 662	704	6 953	4 587	1 662	704
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	8 239	6 137	1 443	659	8 239	6 137	1 443	659
Less than \$2,500.....	19 762	15 465	2 568	1 729	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)

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VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD—Con.								
Market value of agricultural products sold—Con.								
Grain	20 454	8 286	9 187	2 981	17 600	6 571	8 495	2 534
farms	288 566	68 592	187 010	32 964	285 492	66 816	186 199	32 477
Sales of \$40,000 or more	1 775	309	1 304	162	1 775	309	1 304	162
Commodity Credit Corporation loans	150 891	29 140	109 793	11 957	150 891	29 140	109 793	11 957
farms	1 666	475	951	240	1 666	475	951	240
\$1,000	10 672	1 701	7 562	1 409	10 672	1 701	7 562	1 409
Cotton and cottonseed	871	213	517	141	857	205	513	139
farms	32 040	5 405	23 461	3 174	32 026	5 400	23 456	3 170
Sales of \$40,000 or more	249	41	185	23	249	41	185	23
Commodity Credit Corporation loans	24 285	3 685	18 691	1 909	24 285	3 685	18 691	1 909
farms	121	14	92	15	120	13	92	15
\$1,000	2 763	151	2 250	363	2 763	150	2 250	363
Tobacco	4 336	1 560	2 058	718	4 235	1 468	2 052	715
farms	145 324	33 673	92 642	19 009	145 242	33 602	92 634	19 006
Sales of \$40,000 or more	1 245	224	864	157	1 245	224	864	157
\$1,000	98 200	17 735	70 320	10 146	98 200	17 735	70 320	10 146
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage	4 358	2 607	1 456	295	3 478	1 878	1 331	269
farms	17 536	8 829	7 393	1 314	16 652	8 079	7 283	1 291
Sales of \$40,000 or more	40	11	27	2	40	11	27	2
\$1,000	2 448	(D)	1 493	(D)	2 448	(D)	1 493	(D)
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons	3 124	1 553	1 137	434	2 359	960	1 024	375
farms	28 343	6 457	18 081	3 805	27 872	6 110	18 006	3 757
Sales of \$40,000 or more	122	24	84	14	122	24	84	14
\$1,000	16 619	2 104	12 448	2 066	16 619	2 104	12 448	2 066
Fruits, nuts, and berries	3 602	2 285	1 132	185	2 789	1 529	1 089	171
farms	56 304	22 363	31 536	2 404	55 684	21 788	31 507	2 388
Sales of \$40,000 or more	214	78	116	20	214	78	116	20
\$1,000	43 627	15 608	26 467	1 552	43 627	15 608	26 467	1 552
Nursery and greenhouse products	732	619	59	54	557	457	57	43
farms	36 994	20 554	13 205	3 236	36 713	20 289	13 204	3 220
Sales of \$40,000 or more	154	120	19	15	154	120	19	15
\$1,000	33 141	17 341	12 934	2 866	33 141	17 341	12 934	2 866
Other crops	10 175	3 465	5 173	1 537	9 696	3 170	5 016	1 510
farms	318 000	64 455	215 948	37 597	317 695	64 264	215 857	37 574
Sales of \$40,000 or more	2 234	366	1 623	245	2 234	366	1 623	245
\$1,000	231 993	39 383	169 958	22 652	231 993	39 383	169 958	22 652
Poultry and poultry products	6 252	5 020	997	235	5 548	4 365	957	226
farms	853 913	668 767	146 920	38 226	853 736	668 599	146 914	38 226
Sales of \$40,000 or more	4 483	3 565	741	177	4 483	3 565	741	177
\$1,000	837 823	656 311	143 919	37 593	837 823	656 311	143 919	37 593
Dairy products	1 348	611	616	121	1 304	567	616	121
farms	141 963	41 684	86 576	13 704	141 938	41 658	86 576	13 704
Sales of \$40,000 or more	923	314	512	97	923	314	512	97
\$1,000	137 212	38 919	84 967	13 325	137 212	38 919	84 967	13 325
Cattle and calves	31 072	21 048	8 473	1 551	21 553	12 981	7 343	1 229
farms	242 139	125 378	101 567	15 194	231 198	116 111	100 292	14 795
Sales of \$40,000 or more	777	286	447	44	777	286	447	44
\$1,000	102 262	46 885	47 727	7 650	102 262	46 885	47 727	7 650
Hogs and pigs	16 069	8 751	5 587	1 731	12 013	5 908	5 005	1 100
farms	217 779	92 601	108 412	16 766	214 406	90 248	107 819	16 339
Sales of \$40,000 or more	1 185	439	674	72	1 185	439	674	72
\$1,000	126 091	51 595	66 194	8 302	126 091	51 595	66 194	8 302
Sheep, lambs, and wool	90	70	18	2	59	42	16	1
farms	73	51	(D)	(D)	57	35	(D)	(D)
Sales of \$40,000 or more	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other livestock and livestock products (see text)	2 238	1 586	492	160	1 499	1 010	405	84
farms	9 912	7 383	(D)	(D)	9 503	7 065	(D)	(D)
Sales of \$40,000 or more	44	34	5	5	44	34	5	5
\$1,000	4 743	3 466	636	641	4 743	3 466	636	641
SELECTED FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES¹								
Livestock and poultry purchased	21 131	13 099	6 237	1 795	16 370	9 625	5 545	1 200
farms	234 532	149 240	69 048	16 244	231 679	146 941	68 696	16 042
\$1,000	13 492	8 171	3 995	1 326	8 798	4 764	3 303	731
Farms with expenses of—	4 955	3 307	1 374	274	4 888	3 240	1 374	274
\$1 to \$4,999	2 031	1 280	601	150	2 031	1 280	601	150
\$5,000 to \$19,999	653	341	267	45	653	341	267	45
\$20,000 to \$49,999	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Feed for livestock and poultry	41 129	27 314	10 629	3 186	28 290	17 200	9 126	1 964
farms	654 687	447 171	173 083	34 433	647 692	441 653	172 273	33 767
\$1,000	30 721	20 940	7 252	2 529	17 925	10 859	5 752	1 314
Farms with expenses of—	3 810	1 850	1 630	330	3 767	1 817	1 627	323
\$1 to \$4,999	2 735	1 781	801	153	2 735	1 781	801	153
\$5,000 to \$19,999	3 863	2 743	946	174	3 863	2 743	946	174
\$20,000 to \$49,999	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Commercially mixed formula feeds	19 318	13 045	4 936	1 337	14 828	9 646	4 314	868
farms	3 509 483	2 500 850	828 914	179 719	3 494 722	2 490 153	827 173	177 396
tons	547 919	392 852	128 165	26 903	545 768	391 284	127 891	26 593
\$1,000	13 462	8 807	3 580	1 075	8 972	5 408	2 958	606
Farms by tons purchased:	3 375	2 448	777	150	3 375	2 448	777	150
1 to 99 tons	2 481	1 790	579	112	2 481	1 790	579	112
100 to 499 tons	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
500 tons or more	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Farms with expenses of—	11 856	8 088	2 844	924	7 383	4 700	2 224	459
\$1 to \$4,999	1 814	856	792	166	1 797	845	790	162
\$5,000 to \$19,999	2 135	1 495	537	103	2 135	1 495	537	103
\$20,000 to \$49,999	3 513	2 606	763	144	3 513	2 606	763	144
\$50,000 or more	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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Table 29. Summary by Tenure of Operator: 1978—Con.

[Excludes abnormal farms; see text]

	All farms				Farms with sales of \$2,500 or more			
	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants
SELECTED FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES¹—Con.								
Animal health costs.....farms	26 528	17 097	7 522	1 909	20 763	12 577	6 776	1 410
\$1,000.....\$1,000	12 518	7 332	4 460	726	12 068	6 969	4 416	682
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$499.....	20 603	13 547	5 527	1 529	14 876	9 057	4 781	1 038
\$500 to \$999.....	3 073	1 975	935	163	3 051	1 960	935	156
\$1,000 to \$2,999.....	2 172	1 218	761	193	2 156	1 203	761	192
\$3,000 or more.....	680	357	299	24	680	357	299	24
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees.....farms	30 854	15 729	11 498	3 627	23 730	10 530	10 247	2 953
\$1,000.....\$1,000	61 391	16 498	37 780	7 113	60 342	15 819	37 523	7 001
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$999.....	19 544	12 469	5 124	1 951	12 459	7 291	3 891	1 277
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	8 145	2 623	4 137	1 385	8 107	2 603	4 119	1 385
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	1 804	367	1 256	181	1 804	367	1 256	181
\$10,000 or more.....	1 361	270	981	110	1 360	269	981	110
Commercial fertilizer.....farms	41 615	23 828	13 484	4 303	30 032	15 006	11 666	3 360
\$1,000.....\$1,000	202 910	55 969	126 948	19 993	196 771	51 882	125 587	19 302
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$2,499.....	27 137	19 106	5 649	2 382	15 756	10 398	3 888	1 470
\$2,500 to \$9,999.....	9 098	3 711	3 985	1 402	8 898	3 598	3 929	1 371
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	2 764	534	1 915	315	2 763	534	1 914	315
\$20,000 or more.....	2 616	477	1 935	204	2 615	476	1 935	204
Other agricultural chemicals including lime.....farms	34 826	18 873	12 153	3 800	27 069	13 017	10 813	3 239
\$1,000.....\$1,000	88 666	22 153	57 595	8 918	86 696	20 844	57 120	8 733
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$2,499.....	27 771	17 205	7 571	2 995	20 086	11 365	6 273	2 448
\$2,500 to \$9,999.....	4 965	1 314	3 027	624	4 896	1 300	2 986	610
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	1 209	211	887	111	1 207	210	886	111
\$20,000 or more.....	881	143	668	70	880	142	668	70
Energy and petroleum products.....farms	58 059	37 030	15 177	5 852	38 601	21 810	12 735	4 056
\$1,000.....\$1,000	128 091	53 163	63 617	11 311	123 223	49 483	62 902	10 838
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$2,499.....	45 255	31 804	8 753	4 698	25 798	16 584	6 311	2 903
\$2,500 to \$9,999.....	10 133	4 506	4 662	965	10 132	4 506	4 662	964
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	1 962	515	1 292	155	1 962	515	1 292	155
\$20,000 or more.....	709	205	470	34	709	205	470	34
Petroleum products.....farms	58 010	36 995	15 177	5 838	38 565	21 787	12 735	4 043
\$1,000.....\$1,000	105 881	41 901	54 254	9 726	101 861	38 823	53 660	9 379
Gasoline.....farms	49 922	31 565	13 396	4 961	33 463	18 465	11 518	3 480
\$1,000.....\$1,000	39 653	16 402	19 325	3 925	37 118	14 411	18 990	3 717
Diesel fuel.....farms	34 578	18 596	12 016	3 966	27 262	13 204	10 850	3 208
\$1,000.....\$1,000	39 094	11 556	23 564	3 973	38 319	11 011	23 411	3 897
LP gas, butane, and propane.....farms	10 785	5 642	4 113	1 030	9 989	5 186	3 957	846
\$1,000.....\$1,000	17 230	9 216	7 007	1 006	17 114	9 140	6 979	995
Fuel oil.....farms	2 181	1 179	751	161	1 695	857	651	187
\$1,000.....\$1,000	1 110	535	509	65	1 067	503	503	60
Natural gas.....farms	1 367	983	317	67	1 135	752	317	66
\$1,000.....\$1,000	1 759	1 284	410	64	1 714	1 239	410	64
Kerosene, motor oil, and grease.....farms	58 009	36 994	15 177	5 838	38 564	21 786	12 735	4 043
\$1,000.....\$1,000	7 037	2 907	3 438	691	6 529	2 519	3 365	644
Electricity.....farms	29 818	17 376	9 912	2 530	24 922	13 688	9 172	2 062
\$1,000.....\$1,000	21 978	11 103	9 308	1 567	21 182	10 548	9 190	1 443
Other—coal, wood, coke, etc.....farms	1 091	823	198	70	666	439	165	62
\$1,000.....\$1,000	231	159	55	18	180	111	52	17
Hired farm labor.....farms	22 853	12 189	8 270	2 394	19 566	9 678	7 775	2 113
\$1,000.....\$1,000	138 960	56 261	71 989	10 711	136 863	54 598	71 698	10 567
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999.....	16 938	10 182	4 881	1 875	13 653	7 672	4 386	1 595
\$5,000 to \$19,999.....	4 430	1 530	2 491	409	4 428	1 529	2 491	408
\$20,000 to \$49,999.....	1 113	326	699	88	1 113	326	699	88
\$50,000 or more.....	372	151	199	22	372	151	199	22
Workers by number of days worked:								
150 days or more.....farms	8 701	3 816	4 134	751	8 482	3 634	4 109	739
workers.....	21 778	9 261	10 930	1 587	21 506	9 038	10 893	1 575
Less than 150 days.....farms	19 068	10 520	6 434	2 114	15 932	8 129	5 960	1 843
workers.....	102 737	44 840	44 833	13 064	93 757	37 781	43 463	12 513
Contract labor.....farms	3 701	2 210	1 169	322	3 058	1 671	1 102	285
\$1,000.....\$1,000	12 642	5 941	5 920	781	12 377	5 715	5 898	764
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$2,499.....	2 780	1 820	720	240	2 142	1 286	653	203
\$2,500 to \$9,999.....	603	235	307	61	598	230	307	61
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	258	132	109	17	258	132	109	17
\$20,000 or more.....	60	23	33	4	60	23	33	4
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment.....farms	20 134	10 653	7 302	2 179	15 948	7 518	6 526	1 904
\$1,000.....\$1,000	32 048	10 823	17 690	3 535	30 463	9 670	17 338	3 456
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$2,499.....	16 697	9 644	5 261	1 792	12 606	6 571	4 518	1 517
\$2,500 to \$9,999.....	3 024	936	1 731	357	2 929	874	1 698	357
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	326	56	250	20	326	56	250	20
\$20,000 or more.....	87	17	60	10	87	17	60	10
FARM-RELATED INCOME								
Income from machine work, customwork, and other agricultural services.....farms	3 633	953	2 123	557	3 194	705	2 003	486
\$1,000.....\$1,000	10 575	2 015	7 075	1 485	10 133	1 752	6 949	1 432
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption.....farms	3 107	2 031	839	237	1 810	973	645	192
\$1,000.....\$1,000	4 967	2 613	1 938	416	4 351	2 133	1 823	394

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[Excludes abnormal farms; see text]

	All farms				Farms with sales of \$2,500 or more				
	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants	
VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT¹									
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment	farms	58 372	37 321	15 195	5 856	38 756	21 937	12 753	4 066
	\$1,000	1 461 844	586 256	732 065	143 523	1 331 434	488 613	713 228	129 592
Farms by value group:									
\$1 to \$4,999	-----	10 662	7 935	1 551	1 176	5 858	4 220	937	701
\$5,000 to \$9,999	-----	19 577	15 274	2 666	1 637	6 990	5 063	1 325	602
\$10,000 to \$19,999	-----	10 858	6 853	3 068	937	9 280	5 719	2 702	859
\$20,000 to \$49,999	-----	9 469	4 892	3 276	1 301	8 877	4 595	3 175	1 107
\$50,000 to \$99,999	-----	4 129	1 448	2 163	518	4 079	1 424	2 145	510
\$100,000 to \$199,999	-----	2 650	696	1 734	220	2 646	694	1 732	220
\$200,000 to \$499,999	-----	950	205	683	62	949	204	683	62
\$500,000 or more	-----	77	18	54	5	77	18	54	5
SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT¹									
Automobiles	farms	33 709	20 604	10 181	2 924	25 027	13 633	9 046	2 348
	number	47 936	29 017	15 032	3 887	35 793	19 138	13 464	3 191
Mototrucks, including pickups	farms	48 067	29 239	13 954	4 874	33 960	18 526	11 883	3 551
	number	79 428	41 537	30 286	7 605	63 126	29 229	27 786	6 111
Wheel tractors	farms	49 445	30 760	14 047	4 638	33 894	18 477	11 989	3 428
	number	84 744	45 048	31 773	7 923	66 525	30 790	29 368	6 367
2 or 3	farms	16 285	8 360	6 225	1 700	13 951	6 593	5 916	1 442
	number	37 013	18 637	14 513	3 863	32 119	14 961	13 867	3 291
4 or more	farms	3 548	1 015	2 227	306	3 517	996	2 225	296
	number	18 119	5 026	11 665	1 428	17 980	4 941	11 653	1 386
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled only	farms	8 634	2 350	5 000	1 284	8 182	2 206	4 872	1 104
	number	9 893	2 645	5 808	1 440	9 415	2 491	5 680	1 244
Cornpickers, corn heads, and picker-shellers	farms	9 396	3 180	4 970	1 246	8 619	2 835	4 725	1 059
	number	11 256	3 716	6 137	1 403	10 458	3 365	5 877	1 216
Corn heads for combines	farms	7 057	1 888	4 097	1 072	6 685	1 790	3 988	907
	number	7 615	2 049	4 443	1 123	7 243	1 951	4 334	958
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers	farms	3 232	1 591	1 399	242	2 811	1 338	1 253	220
	number	3 641	1 667	1 694	280	3 215	1 414	1 573	258
Cottonpickers	farms	918	198	642	78	905	191	636	78
	number	1 177	243	830	104	1 159	231	824	104
Mower conditioners	farms	8 469	4 966	2 886	617	7 022	3 798	2 671	553
	number	9 426	5 414	3 330	682	7 890	4 166	3 106	618
Pickup balers	farms	8 296	4 464	3 263	569	7 263	3 732	3 001	530
	number	8 870	4 683	3 586	601	7 827	3 950	3 315	562
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type	farms	2 155	1 058	938	159	1 948	892	901	155
	number	2 629	1 264	1 182	183	2 418	1 094	1 145	179
AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS¹									
Agricultural chemicals, including commercial fertilizer and lime	farms	45 333	26 644	14 074	4 615	32 397	16 685	12 097	3 615
	\$1,000	291 576	78 122	184 543	28 911	283 467	72 726	182 706	28 035
Commercial fertilizer	farms	35 896	19 750	12 272	3 874	26 493	12 692	10 751	3 050
	acres on which used	4 546 171	1 269 711	2 808 698	467 762	4 386 679	1 161 232	2 774 885	450 562
Lime	farms	16 563	8 118	6 858	1 587	13 465	5 771	4 292	1 402
	acres on which used	1 340 427	365 282	846 905	128 240	1 294 590	331 936	838 311	124 343
	tons	1 358 387	376 748	854 913	126 726	1 311 480	342 305	845 950	123 225
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—									
Insects on hay and other crops	farms	16 036	7 411	6 506	2 119	13 348	5 455	6 084	1 809
	acres on which used	1 760 776	399 632	1 163 382	197 762	1 732 780	382 807	1 157 552	192 421
Nematodes in crops	farms	6 503	2 389	2 998	1 116	5 942	2 055	2 850	1 037
	acres on which used	492 268	109 282	320 525	62 461	487 874	107 320	319 011	61 543
Diseases in crops and orchards	farms	6 018	2 724	2 434	860	5 047	2 039	2 278	730
	acres on which used	494 424	128 091	314 507	51 826	486 324	123 069	312 807	50 448
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture	farms	18 065	8 507	7 478	2 080	14 957	6 321	6 774	1 862
	acres on which used	2 484 219	616 498	1 619 948	247 773	2 417 696	570 674	1 603 330	243 692
Chemicals for—									
Defoliation or for growth control of crops, or thinning of fruit	farms	1 887	657	854	376	1 661	569	781	311
	acres on which used	143 301	35 267	93 079	14 955	140 330	34 644	90 998	14 688
Insect control on livestock and poultry	farms	14 330	8 430	4 796	1 104	11 501	6 192	4 388	921
Sanitation and rodent and bird control	farms	7 510	4 433	2 532	545	6 126	3 291	2 380	455
LIVESTOCK									
Cattle and calves inventory	farms	32 845	22 306	8 903	1 636	21 737	13 000	7 499	1 238
	number	1 605 711	815 205	699 980	90 526	1 446 054	680 864	679 830	85 360
Farms with—									
1 to 9	-----	6 532	4 922	1 269	341	2 580	1 725	695	160
10 to 49	-----	18 295	13 547	3 938	810	11 369	7 629	3 139	601
50 to 99	-----	4 295	2 405	1 669	221	4 088	2 233	1 641	214
100 to 199	-----	2 311	929	1 182	200	2 291	913	1 179	199
200 to 499	-----	1 163	411	703	49	1 160	408	703	49
500 or more	-----	249	92	142	15	249	92	142	15
Cows and heifers that had calved	farms	29 783	20 163	8 207	1 413	19 865	11 808	6 929	1 128
	number	859 695	437 216	374 594	47 885	768 995	360 658	363 114	45 223
Beef cows	farms	27 715	18 882	7 570	1 263	18 419	11 089	6 337	993
	number	727 915	394 460	297 241	36 214	639 723	320 070	286 018	33 635
Farms with—									
1 to 9	-----	9 861	7 624	1 851	386	4 126	2 787	1 109	230
10 to 49	-----	14 320	9 671	3 977	672	10 811	6 756	3 496	559
50 to 99	-----	2 301	1 086	1 065	150	2 255	1 050	1 056	149
100 to 199	-----	889	361	487	41	885	358	486	41
200 to 499	-----	303	125	167	11	301	123	167	11
500 or more	-----	41	15	23	3	41	15	23	3

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	All farms				Farms with sales of \$2,500 or more			
	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants
LIVESTOCK—Con.								
Cattle and calves inventory—Con.								
Cows and heifers that had calved—Con.								
Milk cows	farms... 3 565	2 270	1 081	214	2 363	1 261	926	176
	number... 131 780	42 756	77 353	11 671	129 272	40 588	77 096	11 588
Farms with—								
1 to 4	2 128	1 599	435	94	1 027	680	287	60
5 to 9	233	188	39	6	144	108	33	3
10 to 49	294	177	98	19	282	167	97	18
50 to 99	426	170	196	60	426	170	196	60
100 to 199	335	102	204	29	335	102	204	29
200 to 499	139	31	103	5	139	31	103	5
500 or more	10	3	6	1	10	3	6	1
Heifers and heifer calves	farms... 24 937	16 591	7 131	1 215	17 178	10 058	6 120	1 000
	number... 397 164	198 970	176 071	22 123	360 469	168 162	171 360	20 947
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	farms... 27 761	18 757	7 612	1 392	18 946	11 272	6 613	1 061
	number... 348 852	179 019	149 315	20 518	316 590	152 044	145 356	19 190
Cattle and calves sold	farms... 31 072	21 048	8 473	1 551	21 553	12 981	7 343	1 229
	number... 899 090	476 104	369 836	53 150	841 594	427 306	362 967	51 321
	\$1,000... 242 139	125 378	101 567	15 194	231 198	116 111	100 292	14 795
Calves	farms... 23 427	15 892	6 405	1 130	16 673	10 271	5 484	918
	number... 408 915	224 084	159 448	25 383	372 355	193 598	154 566	24 191
	\$1,000... 75 773	41 097	29 508	5 167	70 051	36 355	28 726	4 970
Cattle	farms... 21 440	14 412	5 907	1 121	15 407	9 184	5 290	933
	number... 490 175	252 020	210 388	27 767	469 239	233 708	208 401	27 130
	\$1,000... 166 366	84 281	72 059	10 026	161 147	79 755	71 566	9 825
Fattened on grain and concentrates	farms... 3 290	1 917	1 152	221	2 613	1 388	1 058	167
	number... 153 802	82 419	62 505	8 878	151 686	80 679	62 266	8 741
	\$1,000... 61 781	32 589	25 305	3 887	61 212	32 161	25 241	3 810
Hogs and pigs inventory	farms... 17 635	9 973	5 710	1 952	12 107	6 059	4 903	1 145
	number... 1 678 793	720 213	823 907	134 673	1 606 175	669 242	813 924	123 009
Farms with—								
1 to 9	4 636	3 218	980	438	1 937	1 270	490	177
10 to 49	6 680	4 126	1 645	909	3 980	2 251	1 353	376
50 to 99	2 384	1 073	1 046	265	2 268	993	1 023	252
100 to 199	1 863	837	851	175	1 851	827	849	175
200 to 499	1 427	475	823	129	1 426	474	823	129
500 or more	645	244	365	36	645	244	365	36
Used or to be used for breeding	farms... 14 196	7 912	4 691	1 593	10 214	5 019	4 212	983
	number... 254 232	113 703	120 552	19 977	238 571	102 145	118 372	18 054
Other	farms... 16 151	8 966	5 352	1 833	11 113	5 462	4 588	1 063
	number... 1 424 561	606 510	703 355	114 696	1 367 604	567 097	695 552	104 955
Hogs and pigs sold	farms... 16 069	8 751	5 587	1 731	12 013	5 908	5 005	1 100
	number... 2 540 406	1 118 474	1 223 090	198 842	2 470 523	1 068 962	1 211 959	189 602
	\$1,000... 217 779	92 601	108 412	16 766	214 406	90 248	107 819	16 339
Feeder pigs sold	farms... 4 480	2 724	1 276	480	2 969	1 616	1 081	272
	number... 358 669	207 673	119 890	31 106	326 617	183 947	114 963	27 707
	\$1,000... 13 127	7 777	4 270	1 080	12 181	7 075	4 127	979
Litters of pigs farrowed between—								
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30	farms... 14 662	8 176	4 901	1 585	10 508	5 188	4 321	999
	number... 323 985	142 249	158 074	23 662	310 616	132 664	155 846	22 106
Dec. 1 and May 31	farms... 13 005	7 207	4 442	1 356	9 676	4 795	3 970	911
	number... 163 852	72 559	79 531	11 762	156 611	67 340	78 403	10 868
June 1 and Nov. 30	farms... 11 883	6 384	4 312	1 187	9 187	4 444	3 892	851
	number... 160 133	69 690	78 543	11 900	154 005	65 324	77 443	11 238
Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory	farms... 128	92	30	6	81	54	26	1
	number... 3 665	1 999	1 639	27	2 965	1 386	(D)	(D)
Ewes 1 year old or older	farms... 106	79	23	4	66	46	20	—
	number... 2 632	1 379	1 234	19	2 221	1 014	1 207	—
Sheep and lambs sold	farms... 80	62	16	2	53	38	14	1
	number... 1 387	1 106	(D)	(D)	1 082	818	(D)	(D)
Sheep and lambs shorn	farms... 77	60	16	1	51	36	15	—
	number... 2 999	1 465	(D)	(D)	2 573	1 066	1 507	—
	pounds of wool... 20 052	8 387	(D)	(D)	17 535	6 069	11 466	—
Horses and ponies inventory	farms... 7 034	4 855	1 779	400	4 081	2 482	1 380	219
	number... 27 500	19 236	6 387	1 877	18 819	12 746	5 165	908
Horses and ponies sold	farms... 1 247	833	311	103	931	605	277	49
	number... 4 090	2 695	1 048	347	3 280	2 113	969	198
	\$1,000... 4 468	3 483	702	283	4 233	3 315	680	239
Goats inventory	farms... 718	555	127	36	288	181	89	18
	number... 8 411	5 484	2 414	513	4 612	2 332	2 038	242
Goats sold	farms... 232	158	55	19	137	93	37	7
	number... 2 651	1 968	577	106	1 972	1 540	359	73
	\$1,000... 78	64	12	2	60	52	7	1
POULTRY								
Chickens 3 months old or older inventory	farms... 7 564	5 604	1 359	601	3 750	2 572	944	234
	number... 30 618 397	22 766 285	5 464 268	2 387 844	30 486 762	22 682 668	5 456 058	2 348 036
Farms with—								
1 to 399	6 199	4 577	1 102	520	2 393	1 551	687	155
400 to 3,199	52	41	8	3	45	36	8	1
3,200 to 9,999	364	303	56	5	363	302	56	5
10,000 to 19,999	456	315	88	53	456	315	88	53
20,000 to 49,999	380	281	85	14	380	281	85	14
50,000 to 99,999	87	65	17	5	87	65	17	5
100,000 or more	26	21	3	1	26	22	3	1
Hens and pullets of laying age	farms... 7 303	5 413	1 301	589	3 510	2 397	889	224
	number... 24 714 084	18 203 804	4 371 259	2 139 021	24 610 689	18 135 053	4 364 164	2 111 472
Pullets 3 months old or older not of laying age	farms... 1 891	1 296	384	211	830	527	258	45
	number... 5 904 313	4 562 481	1 093 009	248 823	5 876 073	4 547 615	1 091 894	236 564

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[Excludes abnormal farms; see text]

	All farms				Farms with sales of \$2,500 or more			
	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants
POULTRY—Con.								
Chickens 3 months old or older sold.....farms...	2 246	1 637	356	253	1 878	1 403	340	135
.....number...	38 556 454	28 676 412	6 936 084	2 943 958	38 521 580	28 652 868	6 935 512	2 933 200
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold.....farms...	3 467	2 847	544	76	3 363	2 747	540	76
.....number...	435 392 829	351 937 381	75 252 386	8 203 062	435 372 868	351 917 496	75 252 310	8 203 062
Farms with—								
1 to 1,999.....	130	117	11	2	29	20	7	2
2,000 to 59,999.....	660	482	157	21	457	479	157	21
60,000 to 99,999.....	859	757	89	13	859	757	89	13
100,000 or more.....	1 818	1 491	287	40	1 818	1 491	287	40
Turkey hens kept for breeding.....farms...	518	418	89	11	180	105	64	11
.....number...	45 326	42 967	2 330	29	43 546	41 252	2 265	29
Turkeys sold.....farms...	82	47	32	3	75	41	31	3
.....number...	2 004 796	973 539	996 857	34 400	2 004 768	973 513	996 855	34 400
CROPS HARVESTED								
Corn for all purposes.....farms...	23 996	11 595	9 735	2 666	18 676	7 888	8 580	2 208
.....acres...	1 636 448	479 687	988 229	168 532	1 578 618	444 865	971 348	162 405
For grain or seed.....farms...	23 077	11 140	9 316	2 621	17 866	7 525	8 172	2 169
.....acres...	1 523 626	446 228	914 383	163 015	1 466 642	412 046	897 651	156 945
bushels.....	78 327 544	23 206 939	47 241 539	7 879 066	76 732 071	22 237 292	46 796 470	7 698 309
Irrigated.....farms...	1 681	456	1 028	197	1 633	422	1 022	189
.....acres...	176 518	41 585	120 424	14 509	176 218	41 377	120 373	14 468
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres.....	9 862	6 378	2 562	922	5 197	3 068	1 594	535
25 to 99 acres.....	8 597	3 773	3 611	1 213	8 055	3 468	3 439	1 148
100 to 499 acres.....	4 371	936	2 962	473	4 367	936	2 958	473
500 acres or more.....	247	53	181	13	247	53	181	13
Sorghums for all purposes.....farms...	1 363	435	810	118	1 289	383	799	107
.....acres...	63 806	18 062	41 274	4 470	62 990	17 656	41 039	4 295
For grain or seed.....farms...	887	283	521	83	835	249	511	75
.....acres...	36 227	9 994	23 548	2 685	35 556	9 720	23 317	2 519
bushels.....	1 233 505	323 044	835 699	74 762	1 218 513	315 185	833 172	70 156
Irrigated.....farms...	56	17	38	1	55	16	38	1
.....acres...	2 309	(D)	1 478	(D)	(D)	(D)	1 478	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres.....	436	167	220	49	391	135	213	43
25 to 99 acres.....	364	94	240	30	357	92	237	28
100 to 499 acres.....	86	22	60	4	86	22	60	4
500 acres or more.....	1	-	1	-	1	-	1	-
Wheat for grain.....farms...	2 027	636	1 178	213	1 877	525	1 150	202
.....acres...	108 947	23 897	73 689	11 361	107 477	22 876	73 350	11 251
bushels.....	3 278 871	719 911	2 233 743	325 217	3 248 866	696 971	2 228 559	323 336
Irrigated.....farms...	41	7	27	7	41	7	27	7
.....acres...	2 280	472	1 362	446	2 280	472	1 362	446
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres.....	887	388	411	88	752	287	387	78
25 to 99 acres.....	833	201	542	90	818	191	538	89
100 to 499 acres.....	296	42	219	35	296	42	219	35
500 acres or more.....	11	5	6	-	11	5	6	-
Oats for grain.....farms...	1 885	582	1 075	228	1 755	496	1 046	213
.....acres...	95 500	22 140	64 161	9 199	94 219	21 368	63 881	8 970
bushels.....	4 633 227	1 036 304	3 157 031	439 892	4 595 280	1 014 671	3 146 420	434 189
Irrigated.....farms...	51	9	32	10	51	9	32	10
.....acres...	3 435	596	1 967	872	3 435	596	1 967	872
Soybeans for beans.....farms...	12 654	4 200	6 523	1 931	11 530	3 534	6 291	1 705
.....acres...	1 585 509	290 219	1 091 351	203 939	1 566 362	279 622	1 086 721	200 019
bushels.....	27 258 060	5 165 483	18 822 538	3 270 039	27 037 472	5 035 868	18 774 482	3 227 122
Irrigated.....farms...	526	127	315	84	525	126	315	84
.....acres...	48 292	11 983	28 757	7 552	48 280	11 971	28 757	7 552
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres.....	3 223	1 764	1 005	454	2 323	1 220	839	264
25 to 99 acres.....	4 909	1 722	2 364	823	4 687	1 601	2 298	788
100 to 499 acres.....	3 889	633	2 653	603	3 887	632	2 653	602
500 acres or more.....	633	81	501	51	633	81	501	51
Cotton.....farms...	885	220	522	143	867	211	515	141
.....acres...	113 946	20 022	82 759	11 165	113 766	19 954	82 679	11 133
bales.....	103 800	17 162	76 510	10 128	103 747	17 145	76 486	10 116
Irrigated.....farms...	26	6	19	1	26	6	19	1
.....acres...	1 888	(D)	1 357	(D)	1 888	(D)	1 357	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres.....	212	74	70	68	195	65	64	66
25 to 99 acres.....	310	82	191	37	309	82	190	37
100 to 499 acres.....	322	58	227	37	322	58	227	37
500 acres or more.....	41	6	34	1	41	6	34	1
Tobacco.....farms...	4 341	1 565	2 058	718	4 237	1 470	2 052	715
.....acres...	55 177	12 917	34 877	7 383	55 059	12 807	34 872	7 380
pounds.....	113 094 972	26 121 090	72 063 675	14 910 207	112 987 873	26 022 292	72 057 548	14 908 033
Irrigated.....farms...	1 417	375	811	231	1 414	372	811	231
.....acres...	21 292	4 018	14 761	2 513	21 289	4 015	14 761	2 513
Farms by acres harvested:								
0.1 to 5.0 acres.....	1 518	881	387	250	1 414	786	381	247
5.1 to 25.0 acres.....	2 289	587	1 275	427	2 289	587	1 275	427
25.1 acres or more.....	534	97	396	41	534	97	396	41

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	All farms				Farms with sales of \$2,500 or more			
	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants
CROPS HARVESTED—Con.								
Irish potatoes ----- farms	353	255	84	14	221	140	72	9
----- acres	770	272	464	34	682	193	458	31
----- hundredweight	94 510	35 841	54 958	3 711	87 533	29 688	54 553	3 292
Irrigated ----- farms	11	6	5	—	9	5	4	—
----- acres	111	14	96	—	110	14	96	—
Farms by acres harvested:								
0.1 to 0.9 acres -----	215	164	47	4	140	101	37	2
1.0 to 4.9 acres -----	105	81	16	8	48	29	14	5
5.0 to 24.9 acres -----	25	9	14	2	25	9	14	2
25.0 to 99.9 acres -----	8	1	7	—	8	1	7	—
100.0 acres or more -----	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sweetpotatoes ----- farms	735	383	268	84	526	258	191	77
----- acres	4 663	675	3 671	317	4 420	486	3 629	305
----- bushels	985 707	87 129	818 384	80 194	956 794	72 436	804 745	79 613
Irrigated ----- farms	38	11	18	9	34	7	18	9
----- acres	1 656	49	1 480	127	1 654	48	1 480	127
Peanuts for nuts ----- farms	9 597	3 147	4 979	1 471	9 316	2 974	4 894	1 448
----- acres	503 086	102 099	340 454	60 533	501 735	101 648	339 616	60 471
----- pounds	1 547 875 195	312 905 168	1 048 857 857	186 112 170	1 546 649 260	312 091 299	1 048 551 859	186 006 102
Irrigated ----- farms	2 062	501	1 279	282	2 057	496	1 279	282
----- acres	137 402	24 992	97 453	14 957	137 397	24 987	97 453	14 957
Hay crops (see text) ----- farms	17 244	10 810	5 677	757	12 598	7 190	4 776	632
----- acres	477 421	246 417	206 695	24 309	419 078	202 288	194 284	22 506
----- tons, dry	951 026	457 504	446 412	47 110	883 355	405 277	433 032	45 046
Irrigated ----- farms	251	141	96	14	222	113	95	14
----- acres	6 345	3 483	2 555	307	6 039	3 185	2 547	307
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres -----	11 662	7 920	3 276	466	7 570	4 703	2 504	363
25 to 99 acres -----	4 660	2 514	1 902	244	4 123	2 120	1 779	224
100 to 499 acres -----	900	363	491	46	883	354	485	44
500 acres or more -----	22	13	8	1	22	13	8	1
All vegetables harvested for sale (see text) ----- farms	3 142	1 570	1 138	434	2 369	969	1 025	375
----- acres	60 758	14 124	36 641	9 993	58 712	12 677	36 256	9 779
Irrigated ----- farms	561	198	285	78	513	160	278	75
----- acres	28 913	4 148	20 793	3 972	28 830	4 085	20 785	3 960
Farms by acres harvested:								
0.1 to 4.9 acres -----	1 480	984	364	132	794	433	275	86
5.0 to 24.9 acres -----	1 269	496	526	247	1 183	446	503	234
25.0 to 99.9 acres -----	297	67	185	45	296	67	184	45
100.0 acres or more -----	96	23	63	10	96	23	63	10
Land in orchards ----- farms	5 634	3 843	1 513	278	3 757	2 149	1 397	211
----- acres	155 499	75 749	71 047	8 703	142 089	63 334	70 500	8 255
Irrigated ----- farms	186	110	63	13	136	65	59	12
----- acres	12 320	8 139	3 164	1 016	11 274	7 118	3 155	1 001
Farms by acres in orchards:								
0.1 to 4.9 acres -----	2 416	1 737	564	115	1 457	912	480	65
5.0 to 24.9 acres -----	2 297	1 629	582	86	1 455	825	554	76
25.0 to 99.9 acres -----	629	360	219	50	558	300	215	43
100.0 acres or more -----	292	117	148	27	287	112	148	27
Peaches ----- farms	858	704	138	16	335	217	103	15
----- total acres	22 279	10 989	10 471	819	21 309	10 093	10 398	818
----- pounds	101 960 708	40 976 527	58 427 119	2 557 062	101 767 953	40 833 733	58 377 254	2 556 966

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