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FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS								
Farms	38 876	22 280	10 970	5 626	22 593	10 357	8 379	3 857
Land in farms	9 555 442	3 009 533	4 981 303	1 564 606	8 624 734	2 385 745	4 757 090	1 481 899
Average size of farm	246	135	454	278	382	230	568	384
Value of land and buildings ¹	38 873	22 213	11 084	5 576	22 640	10 260	8 530	3 850
Average per farm	\$1,000 9 541 077	\$1,000 2 776 693	\$1,000 5 004 669	\$1,000 1 759 714	\$1,000 8 417 275	\$1,000 2 039 694	\$1,000 4 747 997	\$1,000 1 629 584
Average per acre	dollars 245 442	dollars 125 003	dollars 451 521	dollars 315 587	dollars 371 787	dollars 198 800	dollars 556 623	dollars 423 268
	999	947	989	1 132	972	870	978	1 118
Farms by value of land and buildings:								
\$1 to \$19,999	4 436	3 216	349	871	1 404	1 085	112	207
\$20,000 to \$39,999	6 315	5 166	678	471	2 175	1 655	290	230
\$40,000 to \$69,999	7 193	5 148	1 491	554	3 122	2 125	635	362
\$70,000 to \$99,999	4 426	2 631	1 110	689	2 355	1 328	689	338
\$100,000 to \$149,999	4 219	2 477	1 273	469	2 725	1 319	992	414
\$150,000 to \$199,999	2 115	946	746	423	1 579	602	648	329
\$200,000 to \$499,999	5 451	1 776	2 589	1 086	4 715	1 349	2 392	974
\$500,000 to \$999,999	2 722	501	1 611	610	2 620	461	1 561	598
\$1,000,000 or more	1 996	352	1 237	407	1 945	336	1 211	398
Owned and rented land by operator:								
Land owned	33 402	22 280	10 970	152	18 851	10 357	8 379	115
Land rented or leased from others	5 631 832	3 662 139	1 946 218	23 475	4 803 544	2 917 021	1 866 414	20 109
Land rented or leased to others	16 572	156	10 970	5 626	12 336	100	8 379	3 857
	4 870 520	16 989	3 272 542	1 580 989	4 626 696	12 730	3 117 435	1 496 531
	acres 4 674	acres 3 472	acres 971	acres 231	acres 2 884	acres 1 889	acres 816	acres 179
	946 910	669 595	237 457	39 858	805 506	544 006	226 759	34 741
LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE								
Total cropland	33 991	18 866	10 179	4 946	21 117	9 246	8 157	3 714
Harvested cropland	6 495 597	1 595 594	3 627 415	1 272 588	6 075 856	1 305 422	3 536 939	1 233 495
	acres 26 898	acres 13 416	acres 9 169	acres 4 313	acres 18 642	acres 7 482	acres 7 713	acres 3 447
	4 900 562	896 050	2 932 772	1 071 740	4 799 039	830 766	2 912 580	1 055 693
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 49 acres	15 581	10 784	3 205	1 592	7 498	4 969	1 791	738
50 to 99 acres	2 744	1 219	1 051	474	2 592	1 116	1 013	463
100 to 199 acres	2 345	624	1 102	619	2 330	612	1 100	618
200 to 499 acres	3 264	430	1 874	960	3 258	426	1 872	960
500 to 999 acres	1 938	217	1 258	463	1 938	217	1 258	463
1,000 to 1,999 acres	802	93	532	177	802	93	532	177
2,000 acres or more	224	49	147	28	224	49	147	28
Cropland:								
Pasture or grazing only	17 328	11 429	4 569	1 330	9 190	5 091	3 296	803
Cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses not harvested or pastured	1 168 410	563 882	491 987	112 541	892 554	369 065	431 000	92 489
On which all crops failed	734	423	213	98	504	228	181	95
In cultivated summer fallow	32 017	12 288	15 161	4 568	27 860	8 930	14 466	4 464
Idle	1 269	561	539	169	775	216	413	146
	acres 72 917	acres 27 138	acres 34 411	acres 11 368	acres 66 333	acres 22 135	acres 33 227	acres 10 971
	1 107	408	418	281	907	249	392	266
	acres 119 242	acres 25 221	acres 59 945	acres 34 076	acres 116 520	acres 23 357	acres 59 296	acres 33 867
	3 608	1 917	1 202	489	2 279	958	956	365
	acres 202 449	acres 71 015	acres 93 139	acres 38 295	acres 173 550	acres 51 169	acres 86 370	acres 36 011
Total woodland	14 523	9 254	4 095	1 174	8 091	4 530	2 958	603
Woodland pastured	1 481 861	732 503	639 059	110 299	1 153 260	521 084	549 789	82 387
Woodland not pastured	8 440	5 353	2 488	599	4 619	2 644	1 641	334
	acres 672 329	acres 283 329	acres 339 473	acres 48 936	acres 504 057	acres 196 139	acres 270 352	acres 37 566
	8 018	5 238	2 139	641	4 676	2 611	1 747	318
	acres 809 532	acres 448 583	acres 299 586	acres 61 363	acres 649 203	acres 324 945	acres 279 437	acres 44 821
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured	6 121	3 232	2 129	760	3 360	1 669	1 360	331
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc.	1 036 966	404 070	503 747	129 149	936 159	342 250	474 849	119 060
	acres 23 827	acres 14 717	acres 6 866	acres 2 244	acres 12 767	acres 6 552	acres 5 112	acres 1 103
	541 018	277 366	211 082	52 570	459 459	216 989	195 513	46 957
Pastureland, all types	24 647	15 719	6 687	2 241	12 852	7 056	4 641	1 155
Irrigated land	2 877 705	1 251 872	1 335 207	290 626	2 332 770	907 454	1 176 201	249 115
Harvested cropland irrigated	4 118	1 428	1 743	947	3 662	1 120	1 683	859
Pastureland irrigated	681 208	103 297	402 430	175 481	677 383	100 470	401 832	175 081
Other land irrigated	4 029	1 370	1 720	939	3 623	1 097	1 671	855
	acres 668 639	acres 97 266	acres 397 065	acres 174 308	acres 666 743	acres 95 928	acres 396 771	acres 174 044
	144	84	47	13	83	41	33	9
	acres 7 398	acres 3 038	acres 3 412	acres 948	acres 5 737	acres 1 814	acres 3 111	acres 812
	52	23	26	3	45	17	25	3
	acres 5 171	acres 2 993	acres 1 953	acres 225	acres 4 903	acres 2 728	acres 1 950	acres 225
Land set aside in the federal farm programs in 1978	1 216	381	640	195	1 011	251	578	182
	acres 24 567	acres 5 828	acres 13 912	acres 4 827	acres 23 074	acres 4 742	acres 13 569	acres 4 763
RACE AND TENURE OF OPERATOR								
All operators	38 876	22 280	10 970	5 626	22 593	10 357	8 379	3 857
Full owners	22 280	22 280	-	-	10 357	10 357	-	-
Part owners	10 970	-	10 970	-	8 379	-	8 379	-
Tenants	5 626	-	-	5 626	3 857	-	-	3 857
White	35 479	20 453	10 268	4 758	21 459	9 893	8 010	3 556
Full owners	20 453	20 453	-	-	9 893	9 893	-	-
Part owners	10 268	-	10 268	-	8 010	-	8 010	-
Tenants	4 758	-	-	4 758	3 556	-	-	3 556
Black and other races	3 397	1 827	702	868	1 134	464	369	301
Full owners	1 827	1 827	-	-	464	464	-	-
Part owners	702	-	702	-	369	-	369	-
Tenants	868	-	-	868	301	-	-	301

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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.....	35 096	20 925	9 595	4 576	19 574	9 380	7 107	3 087
..... acres.....	6 792 524	2 203 565	3 554 762	1 034 197	5 948 395	1 625 345	3 341 245	981 805
Partnership..... farms.....	2 899	972	1 078	849	2 213	650	990	573
..... acres.....	1 513 115	345 472	812 731	354 912	1 440 055	310 811	803 960	325 284
Corporations:								
Family held..... farms.....	651	274	228	149	627	255	225	147
..... acres.....	879 367	313 028	420 659	145 680	877 416	312 069	420 242	145 105
More than 10 stockholders..... farms.....	45	25	17	3	44	24	17	3
10 or less stockholders..... farms.....	606	249	211	146	583	231	208	144
Other than family held..... farms.....	97	33	35	29	96	32	35	29
..... acres.....	313 810	119 374	173 808	20 628	310 030	115 594	173 808	20 628
More than 10 stockholders..... farms.....	20	12	7	1	20	12	7	1
10 or less stockholders..... farms.....	77	21	28	28	76	20	28	28
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, etc..... farms.....	133	76	34	23	83	40	22	21
..... acres.....	56 626	28 094	19 343	9 189	48 838	21 926	17 835	9 077
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS								
Operators by place of residence:								
On farm operated.....	26 805	15 987	8 054	2 764	14 679	7 047	5 993	1 639
Not on farm operated.....	7 457	3 345	1 761	2 351	5 052	1 784	1 474	1 794
Operators by age group:								
Under 25 years.....	1 126	222	178	726	846	128	160	558
25 to 34 years.....	4 757	1 826	1 610	1 321	3 142	882	1 252	1 008
35 to 44 years.....	7 666	3 874	2 651	1 141	4 793	1 824	2 094	875
45 to 54 years.....	8 681	4 790	2 795	1 096	5 424	2 421	2 260	743
55 to 64 years.....	9 496	6 229	2 328	939	5 064	2 718	1 865	481
65 years and over.....	7 150	5 339	1 408	403	3 324	2 384	748	192
Average age.....	50.7	54.0	48.6	42.1	48.9	53.4	47.5	40.0
Operators by sex:								
Male.....	36 765	20 572	10 741	5 452	21 612	9 605	8 205	3 802
Female.....	2 111	1 708	229	174	981	752	174	55
Operators of Spanish origin.....	376	230	100	46	191	63	87	41
Operators by principal occupation:								
Farming.....	16 695	7 122	6 307	3 266	13 425	4 612	5 904	2 909
Other.....	22 181	15 158	4 663	2 360	9 168	5 745	2 475	948
Operators reporting days of work off farm:								
None.....	14 871	7 535	5 073	2 263	10 180	3 929	4 377	1 874
1 to 99 days.....	3 568	1 784	1 043	741	2 169	826	802	541
100 to 199 days.....	3 768	2 270	981	517	2 135	1 059	741	335
200 days or more.....	15 024	9 749	3 395	1 880	6 819	3 899	2 014	906
FARMS BY SIZE								
1 to 9 acres.....	3 952	2 996	269	687	929	831	28	70
10 to 49 acres.....	11 710	9 122	1 452	1 136	3 853	2 832	518	503
50 to 69 acres.....	2 932	1 925	696	311	1 601	1 002	372	227
70 to 99 acres.....	3 422	2 277	788	357	2 065	1 218	545	302
100 to 139 acres.....	3 688	1 844	1 238	606	2 203	1 148	744	311
140 to 179 acres.....	2 059	1 063	675	321	1 662	779	578	305
180 to 219 acres.....	1 560	630	635	295	1 272	468	529	275
220 to 259 acres.....	1 201	439	528	234	1 017	319	475	223
260 to 499 acres.....	3 605	1 019	1 824	762	3 368	866	1 766	736
500 to 999 acres.....	2 784	542	1 650	592	2 693	492	1 617	584
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	1 377	256	870	251	1 351	240	864	247
2,000 acres or more.....	586	167	345	74	579	162	343	74
FARMS BY STANDARD INDUSTRIAL CLASSIFICATION (SEE TEXT)								
Cash grain farms (011).....	9 286	2 794	4 245	2 247	8 198	2 125	3 996	2 077
Field crop, except cash grain farms (013).....	4 112	1 478	1 627	1 007	3 282	922	1 489	871
Cotton farms (0131).....	1 797	452	927	418	1 676	393	891	392
Tobacco farms (0132).....	11	4	3	4	7	4	3	—
Sugar crop, Irish potato, hay, peanut, and other field crop farms (0133, 0134, 0139).....	2 304	1 022	697	585	1 599	525	595	479
Vegetable and melon farms (016).....	634	426	119	89	350	222	81	47
Fruit and tree nut farms (017).....	818	713	53	52	291	266	19	6
Horticultural specialty farms (018).....	438	345	64	29	289	248	19	22
General farms, primarily crop (019).....	507	310	183	14	230	97	124	9
Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021).....	19 969	14 123	3 977	1 869	7 884	5 221	2 044	619
Beef cattle farms, except feedlots (0212).....	16 814	11 694	3 684	1 436	6 984	4 528	1 898	558
Dairy farms (024).....	1 255	643	483	129	1 227	617	481	129
Poultry and egg farms (025).....	827	672	73	82	505	398	59	48
Animal specialty farms (027).....	544	423	73	48	301	227	47	27
General farms, primarily livestock (029).....	486	353	73	60	36	14	20	2
VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD								
Market value of agricultural products sold..... farms.....	38 876	22 280	10 970	5 626	22 593	10 357	8 379	3 857
..... \$1,000.....	1 225 117	367 459	636 000	221 658	1 208 896	355 768	633 321	219 807
Farms by value of agricultural products sold:								
\$500,000 or more.....	224	74	131	19	224	74	131	19
\$200,000 to \$499,999.....	1 096	296	600	200	1 096	296	600	200
\$100,000 to \$199,999.....	2 054	473	1 147	434	2 054	473	1 147	434
\$40,000 to \$99,999.....	3 531	779	1 914	838	3 531	779	1 914	838
\$20,000 to \$39,999.....	2 674	757	1 251	666	2 674	757	1 251	666
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	3 201	1 497	1 087	617	3 201	1 497	1 087	617
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	4 344	2 587	1 184	573	4 344	2 587	1 184	573
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	5 469	3 894	1 065	510	5 469	3 894	1 065	510
Less than \$2,500.....	16 283	11 923	2 591	1 769	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)

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VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD—Con.								
Market value of agricultural products sold—Con.								
Grain	11 418	3 413	5 363	2 642	10 314	2 726	5 120	2 468
\$1,000	569 360	90 119	346 233	133 008	568 105	89 360	345 997	132 748
Sales of \$40,000 or more	3 804	448	2 373	983	3 804	448	2 373	983
\$1,000	483 756	69 325	303 904	110 527	483 756	69 325	303 904	110 527
Commodity Credit Corporation loans	561	112	289	160	544	98	287	159
\$1,000	13 897	1 559	8 707	3 632	13 883	1 547	8 706	3 630
Cotton and cottonseed	2 667	719	1 405	543	2 524	645	1 362	517
\$1,000	139 006	22 862	89 973	26 171	138 834	22 766	89 930	26 138
Sales of \$40,000 or more	848	114	573	161	848	114	573	161
\$1,000	117 582	18 448	77 832	21 302	117 582	18 448	77 832	21 302
Commodity Credit Corporation loans	499	88	303	108	486	80	301	105
\$1,000	4 954	387	3 650	918	4 945	381	3 648	916
Tobacco	14	4	6	4	10	4	6	—
\$1,000	152	24	122	6	146	24	122	—
Sales of \$40,000 or more	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage	2 534	1 584	789	161	1 787	992	665	130
\$1,000	7 422	3 926	2 941	555	6 727	3 368	2 828	531
Sales of \$40,000 or more	4	1	3	—	4	1	3	—
\$1,000	266	(D)	(D)	—	266	(D)	(D)	—
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons	1 123	746	264	113	649	401	183	65
\$1,000	4 104	1 992	1 559	553	3 837	1 797	1 511	529
Sales of \$40,000 or more	11	3	7	1	11	3	7	1
\$1,000	726	(D)	515	(D)	726	(D)	515	(D)
Fruits, nuts, and berries	899	704	112	83	527	407	97	23
\$1,000	5 089	3 251	1 652	186	4 846	3 065	1 646	136
Sales of \$40,000 or more	14	8	5	1	14	8	5	1
\$1,000	1 898	(D)	1 163	(D)	1 898	(D)	1 163	(D)
Nursery and greenhouse products	517	394	83	40	345	275	37	33
\$1,000	15 474	10 392	3 280	1 802	15 268	10 250	3 226	1 793
Sales of \$40,000 or more	63	43	11	9	63	43	11	9
\$1,000	12 838	8 191	3 043	1 605	12 838	8 191	3 043	1 605
Other crops	1 849	584	678	587	1 515	385	635	495
\$1,000	104 083	14 095	55 809	34 179	103 834	13 967	55 782	34 085
Sales of \$40,000 or more	605	85	290	230	605	85	290	230
\$1,000	93 941	12 075	51 628	30 238	93 941	12 075	51 628	30 238
Poultry and poultry products	1 692	1 259	234	199	819	571	172	76
\$1,000	122 646	99 497	20 524	2 625	122 491	99 375	20 506	2 610
Sales of \$40,000 or more	410	341	58	11	410	341	58	11
\$1,000	121 329	98 453	20 407	2 470	121 329	98 453	20 407	2 470
Dairy products	1 410	736	541	133	1 359	692	534	133
\$1,000	109 028	47 281	52 914	8 834	108 995	47 251	52 910	8 834
Sales of \$40,000 or more	950	422	426	102	950	422	426	102
\$1,000	101 789	42 998	50 597	8 194	101 789	42 998	50 597	8 194
Cattle and calves	22 928	14 660	6 204	2 064	12 372	6 951	4 298	1 123
\$1,000	133 334	62 908	57 649	12 777	121 964	54 657	55 678	11 629
Sales of \$40,000 or more	475	187	251	37	475	187	251	37
\$1,000	48 026	16 221	26 828	4 977	48 026	16 221	26 828	4 977
Hogs and pigs	3 394	2 298	579	517	1 353	820	403	130
\$1,000	8 417	6 057	1 785	575	7 263	5 164	1 677	423
Sales of \$40,000 or more	28	21	5	2	28	21	5	2
\$1,000	2 951	2 072	(D)	(D)	2 951	2 072	(D)	(D)
Sheep, lambs, and wool	549	348	156	45	286	154	112	20
\$1,000	263	195	52	17	190	131	47	11
Sales of \$40,000 or more	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other livestock and livestock products (see text)	1 607	1 051	409	147	1 063	629	321	113
\$1,000	6 738	4 859	1 507	372	6 396	4 595	1 460	341
Sales of \$40,000 or more	25	22	3	—	25	22	3	—
\$1,000	3 215	2 465	750	—	3 215	2 465	750	—
SELECTED FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES¹								
Livestock and poultry purchased	10 676	6 728	2 745	1 203	6 017	3 301	2 085	631
\$1,000	58 879	31 401	22 590	4 887	55 618	29 134	21 892	4 591
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999	8 858	5 775	2 042	1 041	4 270	2 389	1 399	482
\$5,000 to \$19,999	1 174	615	443	116	1 109	575	431	103
\$20,000 to \$49,999	467	261	174	32	461	260	169	32
\$50,000 or more	177	77	86	14	177	77	86	14
Feed for livestock and poultry	25 747	16 632	6 609	2 506	12 795	7 170	4 459	1 166
\$1,000	144 947	90 795	45 243	8 910	137 739	85 532	43 979	8 228
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999	23 205	15 319	5 607	2 279	10 280	5 868	3 468	944
\$5,000 to \$19,999	1 046	495	461	90	1 024	489	450	85
\$20,000 to \$49,999	776	380	292	104	771	375	292	104
\$50,000 or more	720	438	249	33	720	438	249	33
Commercially mixed formula feeds	9 931	6 028	2 717	1 186	4 987	2 814	1 699	474
tons	743 641	482 864	219 351	41 425	727 293	472 062	215 713	39 518
\$1,000	110 916	72 669	32 278	5 968	108 560	71 036	31 823	5 702
Farms by tons purchased:								
1 to 99 tons	8 553	5 264	2 223	1 066	3 616	2 052	1 210	354
100 to 499 tons	1 022	509	403	110	1 015	507	398	110
500 tons or more	356	255	91	10	356	255	91	10
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999	8 079	5 034	2 022	1 023	3 142	1 822	1 009	311
\$5,000 to \$19,999	654	306	284	64	649	306	279	64
\$20,000 to \$49,999	633	322	230	81	631	320	230	81
\$50,000 or more	565	366	181	18	565	366	181	18

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SELECTED FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES¹—Con.								
Animal health costs.....farms.....	16 457	10 307	4 403	1 747	9 592	5 368	3 323	901
.....\$1,000.....	4 714	2 434	1 843	437	4 002	1 953	1 722	327
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$499.....	14 419	9 352	3 513	1 554	7 703	4 526	2 459	718
\$500 to \$999.....	1 066	507	442	117	956	427	422	107
\$1,000 to \$2,999.....	754	334	354	66	717	303	348	66
\$3,000 or more.....	218	114	94	10	216	112	94	10
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees.....farms.....	16 620	7 402	6 200	3 018	12 378	4 513	5 435	2 430
.....\$1,000.....	55 107	9 760	32 609	12 738	54 565	9 401	32 529	12 635
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$999.....	9 317	5 881	2 169	1 267	5 093	3 005	1 409	679
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	3 968	1 110	1 965	893	3 950	1 097	1 960	893
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	1 674	202	1 016	456	1 674	202	1 016	456
\$10,000 or more.....	1 661	209	1 050	402	1 661	209	1 050	402
Commercial fertilizer.....farms.....	24 998	12 613	8 786	3 599	16 568	6 790	6 957	2 821
.....\$1,000.....	82 085	16 752	47 705	17 627	79 562	14 997	47 203	17 361
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$2,499.....	18 521	11 326	5 074	2 121	10 112	5 523	3 246	1 343
\$2,500 to \$9,999.....	4 059	969	2 186	904	4 038	949	2 185	904
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	1 519	201	940	378	1 519	201	940	378
\$20,000 or more.....	899	117	586	196	899	117	586	196
Other agricultural chemicals including lime.....farms.....	21 164	9 726	7 748	3 690	15 933	5 941	6 858	3 134
.....\$1,000.....	76 624	14 689	45 389	16 546	75 663	14 057	45 194	16 413
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$2,499.....	15 683	8 833	4 532	2 318	10 470	5 061	3 647	1 762
\$2,500 to \$9,999.....	3 349	581	1 880	888	3 332	568	1 876	888
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	1 241	186	760	295	1 240	186	759	295
\$20,000 or more.....	891	126	576	189	891	126	576	189
Energy and petroleum products.....farms.....	38 557	21 972	11 058	5 527	22 517	10 181	8 523	3 813
.....\$1,000.....	87 191	22 626	46 992	17 574	83 447	19 944	46 352	17 151
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$2,499.....	30 787	20 302	6 677	3 808	14 749	8 512	4 143	2 094
\$2,500 to \$9,999.....	5 593	1 339	3 039	1 215	5 592	1 339	3 038	1 215
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	1 556	219	956	381	1 555	218	956	381
\$20,000 or more.....	621	112	386	123	621	112	386	123
Petroleum products.....farms.....	38 516	21 948	11 058	5 510	22 509	10 180	8 523	3 806
.....\$1,000.....	78 708	19 422	42 862	16 424	75 441	17 117	42 302	16 023
Gasoline.....farms.....	33 620	19 006	9 723	4 891	19 830	8 729	7 791	3 310
.....\$1,000.....	27 113	8 094	13 731	5 288	25 045	6 601	13 402	5 042
Diesel fuel.....farms.....	20 257	8 770	8 005	3 482	15 639	5 682	6 991	2 966
.....\$1,000.....	35 856	6 791	21 016	8 050	35 293	6 451	20 892	7 950
LP gas, butane, and propane.....farms.....	6 035	2 430	2 532	1 073	5 156	1 751	2 396	1 009
.....\$1,000.....	5 773	1 613	2 990	1 170	5 629	1 499	2 968	1 162
Fuel oil.....farms.....	2 897	1 310	1 051	536	2 202	812	907	483
.....\$1,000.....	1 175	328	563	284	1 125	293	555	277
Natural gas.....farms.....	1 738	775	775	188	1 554	638	735	181
.....\$1,000.....	2 425	935	1 182	308	2 393	911	1 175	307
Kerosene, motor oil, and grease.....farms.....	38 516	21 948	11 058	5 510	22 509	10 180	8 523	3 806
.....\$1,000.....	6 366	1 661	3 380	1 325	5 956	1 361	3 311	1 284
Electricity.....farms.....	16 406	8 521	5 870	2 015	12 184	5 184	5 245	1 755
.....\$1,000.....	8 318	3 118	4 060	1 140	7 868	2 765	3 985	1 118
Other—coal, wood, coke, etc.....farms.....	608	368	203	37	444	234	173	37
.....\$1,000.....	165	86	70	9	137	62	66	9
Hired farm labor.....farms.....	14 469	6 148	5 984	2 337	11 901	4 245	5 487	2 169
.....\$1,000.....	100 613	27 079	56 434	17 100	98 947	25 785	56 150	17 012
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999.....	10 503	5 213	3 720	1 570	7 939	3 313	3 224	1 402
\$5,000 to \$19,999.....	2 765	641	1 587	537	2 764	640	1 587	537
\$20,000 to \$49,999.....	900	215	503	182	897	213	502	182
\$50,000 or more.....	301	79	174	48	301	79	174	48
Workers by number of days worked:								
150 days or more.....farms.....	5 644	1 678	2 846	1 120	5 468	1 547	2 817	1 104
.....workers.....	15 495	4 417	8 236	2 842	15 247	4 232	8 198	2 817
Less than 150 days.....farms.....	12 010	5 317	4 823	1 870	9 580	3 509	4 354	1 717
.....workers.....	50 461	19 831	22 951	7 679	43 882	14 812	21 762	7 308
Contract labor.....farms.....	2 204	1 158	732	314	1 796	815	693	288
.....\$1,000.....	4 459	1 777	1 921	760	4 182	1 537	1 903	743
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$2,499.....	1 749	990	520	239	1 367	673	481	213
\$2,500 to \$9,999.....	369	138	173	58	343	112	173	58
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	62	20	29	13	62	20	29	13
\$20,000 or more.....	24	10	10	4	24	10	10	4
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment.....farms.....	10 492	4 688	4 133	1 671	8 050	2 885	3 655	1 510
.....\$1,000.....	25 650	6 168	14 269	5 212	24 772	5 463	14 152	5 158
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$2,499.....	8 022	4 192	2 729	1 101	5 599	2 408	2 251	940
\$2,500 to \$9,999.....	1 965	416	1 088	461	1 946	397	1 088	461
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	348	50	220	78	348	50	220	78
\$20,000 or more.....	157	30	96	31	157	30	96	31
FARM-RELATED INCOME								
Income from machine work, customwork, and other agricultural services.....farms.....	1 951	447	906	598	1 458	286	832	340
.....\$1,000.....	6 677	939	3 874	1 864	6 123	819	3 773	1 531
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption.....farms.....	1 687	1 137	395	155	907	521	279	107
.....\$1,000.....	3 904	2 170	1 453	281	3 483	1 843	1 381	259

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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
VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT¹								
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ---farms---	38 777	22 149	11 063	5 565	22 611	10 244	8 523	3 844
\$1,000---	1 245 297	360 404	646 356	238 538	1 132 967	277 828	628 514	226 625
Farms by value group:								
\$1 to \$4,999 -----	7 026	4 977	1 374	675	2 499	1 782	425	292
\$5,000 to \$9,999 -----	13 006	9 337	1 940	1 729	3 471	2 187	784	500
\$10,000 to \$19,999 -----	6 351	3 870	1 797	684	4 914	2 772	1 524	618
\$20,000 to \$49,999 -----	5 888	2 579	2 191	1 118	5 309	2 178	2 036	1 095
\$50,000 to \$99,999 -----	3 057	788	1 648	621	2 979	737	1 641	601
\$100,000 to \$199,999 -----	2 081	389	1 245	447	2 072	380	1 245	447
\$200,000 to \$499,999 -----	1 263	186	797	280	1 262	185	797	280
\$500,000 or more -----	105	23	71	11	105	23	71	11
SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT¹								
Automobiles -----farms---	18 835	9 761	6 579	2 495	13 517	5 608	5 868	2 041
number -----	24 899	12 689	8 989	3 221	18 349	7 571	8 051	2 727
Motortrucks, including pickups -----farms---	31 439	17 382	9 721	4 336	19 971	8 715	7 911	3 345
number -----	50 251	22 655	20 209	7 387	37 487	13 022	18 143	6 322
Wheel tractors -----farms---	32 036	17 541	9 974	4 521	20 052	8 713	8 028	3 111
number -----	64 051	26 826	26 745	10 480	49 630	16 330	24 247	9 053
2 or 3 -----farms---	10 141	4 525	4 252	1 364	8 164	3 150	3 805	1 209
number -----	23 620	10 217	10 132	3 271	19 283	7 228	9 136	2 919
4 or more -----farms---	3 909	811	2 251	847	3 887	795	2 250	842
number -----	22 445	4 404	13 142	4 899	22 346	4 334	13 138	4 874
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled only -----farms---	6 401	1 236	3 723	1 442	6 228	1 113	3 688	1 427
number -----	9 697	1 821	5 694	2 182	9 511	1 685	5 659	2 167
Cornpickers, corn heads, and picker-shellers -----farms---	1 020	493	423	104	913	409	400	104
number -----	1 117	544	460	113	998	448	437	113
Corn heads for combines -----farms---	358	153	155	50	322	121	151	50
number -----	399	169	175	55	351	125	171	55
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers -----farms---	695	360	280	55	624	308	261	55
number -----	718	375	285	58	647	323	266	58
Cottonpickers -----farms---	1 980	393	1 228	359	1 969	385	1 226	358
number -----	2 884	541	1 845	498	2 872	532	1 843	497
Mower conditioners -----farms---	6 196	3 118	2 528	550	4 384	1 965	1 938	481
number -----	7 360	3 707	2 978	675	5 374	2 453	2 346	575
Pickup balers -----farms---	5 513	2 735	2 171	607	4 205	1 969	1 904	332
number -----	6 162	3 021	2 495	646	4 792	2 232	2 189	371
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type -----farms---	1 617	539	745	333	886	415	371	100
number -----	1 849	629	853	367	1 064	478	452	134
AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS¹								
Agricultural chemicals, including commercial fertilizer and lime -----farms---	29 369	14 874	10 037	4 458	19 562	8 060	8 019	3 483
\$1,000---	158 709	31 441	93 095	34 173	155 225	29 054	92 398	33 774
Commercial fertilizer -----farms---	23 185	11 480	8 183	3 522	15 892	6 317	6 811	2 764
acres on which used -----	3 417 873	714 993	1 987 496	715 384	3 306 614	641 126	1 962 359	703 029
Lime -----farms---	5 001	2 708	1 828	465	3 504	1 543	1 575	386
acres on which used -----	317 405	105 146	166 902	45 357	293 022	87 183	162 498	43 341
tons -----	406 394	136 565	213 747	56 082	372 903	112 289	206 723	53 891
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—								
Insects on hay and other crops -----farms---	10 479	4 279	4 326	1 874	8 571	2 873	4 007	1 691
acres on which used -----	2 310 879	378 031	1 422 902	509 946	2 292 868	366 259	1 419 066	507 543
Nematodes in crops -----farms---	1 031	420	369	242	784	297	344	143
acres on which used -----	140 129	26 322	77 781	36 026	138 871	25 882	77 630	35 359
Diseases in crops and orchards -----farms---	2 572	1 211	829	532	1 949	803	723	423
acres on which used -----	370 228	52 012	219 271	98 945	366 973	49 488	218 956	98 529
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture -----farms---	12 949	5 086	5 263	2 600	10 559	3 385	4 794	2 380
acres on which used -----	3 321 650	600 369	1 976 841	744 440	3 269 357	567 656	1 967 016	734 685
Chemicals for—								
Defoliation or for growth control of crops, or thinning of fruit -----farms---	2 940	808	1 452	680	2 656	602	1 388	666
acres on which used -----	544 734	83 481	333 890	127 363	542 392	81 951	333 239	127 202
Insect control on livestock and poultry -----farms---	7 838	4 393	2 581	864	5 113	2 442	2 061	610
Sanitation and rodent and bird control -----farms---	3 841	2 161	1 205	475	2 520	1 255	953	312
LIVESTOCK								
Cattle and calves inventory -----farms---	24 585	15 935	6 487	2 163	12 383	6 878	4 366	1 139
number -----	1 115 993	543 862	468 905	103 226	916 793	402 721	431 837	82 235
Farms with—								
1 to 9 -----	5 236	3 744	1 143	349	1 386	838	409	139
10 to 49 -----	13 954	9 611	3 032	1 311	5 922	3 668	1 734	520
50 to 99 -----	2 918	1 572	1 054	292	2 638	1 388	979	271
100 to 199 -----	1 586	697	752	137	1 553	679	739	135
200 to 499 -----	701	247	394	60	695	242	393	60
500 or more -----	190	64	112	14	189	63	112	14
Cows and heifers that had calved -----farms---	22 718	14 676	6 022	2 020	11 627	6 421	4 140	1 066
number -----	674 052	330 983	280 863	62 206	558 252	248 833	260 685	48 734
Beef cows -----farms---	20 940	13 598	5 503	1 839	10 422	5 805	3 682	935
number -----	558 727	277 852	228 423	52 452	446 879	199 102	208 644	39 133
Farms with—								
1 to 9 -----	8 426	6 042	1 760	624	2 364	1 443	704	217
10 to 49 -----	10 035	6 476	2 553	1 006	5 672	3 348	1 811	513
50 to 99 -----	1 508	727	661	120	1 429	670	643	116
100 to 199 -----	607	231	317	59	598	227	312	59
200 to 499 -----	297	96	176	25	293	92	176	25
500 or more -----	67	26	36	5	66	25	36	5

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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	
LIVESTOCK—Con.									
Cattle and calves inventory—Con.									
Cows and heifers that had calved—Con.									
Milk cows	farms.....	3 869	2 519	1 035	315	2 232	1 174	827	231
	number.....	115 325	53 131	52 440	9 754	111 373	49 731	52 041	9 601
Farms with—									
1 to 4	.....	2 347	1 675	501	171	890	494	301	95
5 to 9	.....	202	166	22	14	64	43	15	6
10 to 49	.....	371	254	76	41	329	213	75	41
50 to 99	.....	571	275	239	57	571	275	239	57
100 to 199	.....	322	123	170	29	322	123	170	29
200 to 499	.....	49	23	23	3	49	23	23	3
500 or more	.....	7	3	4	—	7	3	4	—
Heifers and heifer calves	farms.....	19 366	12 234	5 391	1 741	9 857	5 394	3 568	895
	number.....	261 277	128 701	109 104	23 472	210 718	93 529	98 513	18 676
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	farms.....	20 506	13 047	5 681	1 778	10 436	5 718	3 794	924
	number.....	180 664	84 178	78 938	17 548	147 823	60 359	72 639	14 825
Cattle and calves sold									
	farms.....	22 928	14 660	6 204	2 064	12 372	6 951	4 298	1 123
	number.....	564 741	272 714	238 595	53 432	502 072	227 113	227 300	47 659
	\$1,000.....	133 334	62 908	57 649	12 777	121 964	54 657	55 678	11 629
Calves	farms.....	19 471	12 329	5 331	1 811	10 419	5 765	3 689	965
	number.....	319 265	160 129	128 175	30 961	274 508	127 808	120 359	26 341
	\$1,000.....	58 039	28 483	24 066	5 490	51 047	23 523	22 902	4 623
Cattle	farms.....	9 441	5 476	4 230	1 320	8 908	5 108	3 014	786
	number.....	245 476	112 585	110 420	22 471	227 564	99 305	106 941	21 318
	\$1,000.....	75 295	34 425	33 583	7 287	70 917	31 134	32 777	7 007
Fattened on grain and concentrates	farms.....	1 621	1 084	400	137	991	586	296	109
	number.....	22 131	12 367	8 256	1 508	20 426	11 049	7 938	1 439
	\$1,000.....	6 627	3 530	2 698	399	6 235	3 227	2 627	381
Hogs and pigs inventory									
	farms.....	5 715	3 679	1 114	922	1 930	1 017	656	257
	number.....	102 722	71 282	19 752	11 688	63 741	42 949	16 546	4 246
Farms with—									
1 to 9	.....	3 418	2 153	746	519	1 071	493	403	175
10 to 49	.....	1 937	1 267	300	370	600	338	190	72
50 to 99	.....	219	159	35	25	124	92	30	2
100 to 199	.....	77	52	21	4	75	50	21	4
200 to 499	.....	42	31	8	3	40	29	8	3
500 or more	.....	22	17	4	1	20	15	4	1
Used or to be used for breeding	farms.....	3 582	2 421	588	573	1 179	685	381	113
	number.....	19 434	13 894	3 392	2 148	11 064	7 701	2 829	534
Other	farms.....	5 426	3 509	1 038	879	1 782	938	598	246
	number.....	83 288	57 388	16 360	9 540	52 677	35 248	13 717	3 712
Hogs and pigs sold									
	farms.....	3 394	2 298	579	517	1 353	820	403	130
	number.....	116 237	82 036	24 262	9 939	89 610	61 167	22 131	6 312
	\$1,000.....	8 417	6 057	1 785	575	7 263	5 164	1 677	423
Feeder pigs sold	farms.....	777	588	120	69	275	165	78	32
	number.....	27 928	13 112	18146	43	384	274	3 070	535
	\$1,000.....	563	413	107	43	384	274	95	16
Litters of pigs farrowed between—									
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30	farms.....	3 794	2 591	601	602	1 240	733	391	116
	number.....	18 538	13 159	3 657	1 722	12 199	8 356	3 205	638
Dec. 1 and May 31	farms.....	3 039	2 051	466	466	1 040	622	336	82
	number.....	9 875	6 968	1 933	974	6 133	4 207	1 654	272
June 1 and Nov. 30	farms.....	2 265	1 584	376	305	906	550	266	90
	number.....	8 663	6 191	1 724	748	6 066	4 149	1 551	366
Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory									
	farms.....	782	487	211	84	378	196	156	26
	number.....	13 134	9 548	2 728	858	7 886	5 063	2 422	401
Ewes 1 year old or older	farms.....	594	379	151	64	301	158	125	18
	number.....	7 852	5 578	1 686	588	4 878	3 063	1 567	248
Sheep and lambs sold	farms.....	460	285	134	41	248	136	96	16
	number.....	7 857	5 784	1 522	551	4 860	3 276	1 345	239
Sheep and lambs shorn	farms.....	393	263	90	40	219	127	76	16
	number.....	8 549	6 216	1 760	573	5 535	3 651	1 628	256
	pounds of wool.....	40 098	28 377	9 332	2 389	27 757	17 668	8 710	1 379
Horses and ponies inventory									
	farms.....	9 355	5 295	2 988	1 072	4 780	2 339	1 944	497
	number.....	33 605	19 432	11 218	2 955	20 079	10 046	8 357	1 676
Horses and ponies sold	farms.....	1 213	752	339	122	812	446	271	95
	number.....	3 640	2 189	1 032	419	2 824	1 558	904	362
	\$1,000.....	3 708	2 816	617	275	3 442	2 617	577	247
Goats inventory	farms.....	478 260	13 192	181 366	47	106	738	614	131 518
	number.....	88	67	15	6	37	23	11	3
	\$1,000.....	799	620	88	91	413	302	43	68
	number.....	23	19	2	1	11	9	1	1
POULTRY									
Chickens 3 months old or older inventory									
	farms.....	7 831	5 228	1 722	881	2 540	1 462	784	294
	number.....	3 984 233	3 423 449	446 744	114 040	3 828 891	3 309 999	424 186	94 706
Farms with—									
1 to 399	.....	7 705	5 124	1 705	876	2 415	1 359	767	289
400 to 3,199	.....	17	15	2	—	16	14	2	—
3,200 to 9,999	.....	24	21	2	1	24	21	2	1
10,000 to 19,999	.....	41	32	6	3	41	32	6	3
20,000 to 49,999	.....	33	26	6	1	33	26	6	1
50,000 to 99,999	.....	6	6	—	—	6	6	—	—
100,000 or more	.....	5	4	1	—	5	4	1	—
Hens and pullets of laying age	farms.....	7 690	5 126	1 708	856	2 509	1 443	775	291
	number.....	3 559 748	3 042 817	410 877	106 054	3 437 601	2 955 673	389 675	92 253
Pullets 3 months old or older not of laying age	farms.....	1 924	1 420	239	265	516	321	135	60
	number.....	424 485	380 632	35 867	7 986	391 290	354 326	34 511	2 453

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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.....	432	314	46	72	254	175	32	47
.....number.....	4 066 321	3 403 221	363 935	299 165	4 057 449	3 395 469	363 390	298 590
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold.....farms.....	347	282	55	10	323	264	51	8
.....number.....	64 790 721	51 627 746	11 871 911	1 291 064	64 790 390	51 627 487	11 871 883	1 291 020
Farms with—								
1 to 1,999.....	37	23	10	4	13	5	6	2
2,000 to 59,999.....	20	18	2	—	20	18	2	—
60,000 to 99,999.....	45	40	3	2	45	40	3	2
100,000 or more.....	245	201	40	4	245	201	40	4
Turkey hens kept for breeding.....farms.....	656	489	87	80	250	177	59	14
.....number.....	2 767	1 983	363	421	1 158	818	272	68
Turkeys sold.....farms.....	68	25	7	36	19	13	5	1
.....number.....	410	291	48	71	155	117	(D)	(D)
CROPS HARVESTED								
Corn for all purposes.....farms.....	3 253	1 875	1 123	255	1 592	774	675	143
.....acres.....	46 871	18 669	23 541	4 661	38 144	13 300	20 857	3 987
For grain or seed.....farms.....	3 040	1 758	1 038	244	1 454	716	606	132
.....acres.....	36 317	13 780	18 283	4 254	28 450	8 993	15 877	3 580
bushels.....	1 961 216	608 349	1 130 424	222 443	1 711 378	461 569	1 045 217	204 592
Irrigated.....farms.....	93	55	33	5	64	33	29	2
.....acres.....	1 559	757	788	14	1 476	691	(D)	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres.....	2 809	1 685	915	209	1 230	647	484	99
25 to 99 acres.....	158	56	78	24	151	52	77	22
100 to 499 acres.....	72	17	44	11	72	17	44	11
500 acres or more.....	1	—	1	—	1	—	1	—
Wheat for grain.....farms.....	128	40	67	21	121	33	67	21
.....acres.....	12 983	2 398	8 687	1 898	12 912	2 327	8 687	1 898
bushels.....	398 757	72 914	258 151	67 692	397 459	71 616	258 151	67 692
Irrigated.....farms.....	3	1	2	—	3	1	2	—
.....acres.....	431	(D)	(D)	—	431	(D)	(D)	—
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres.....	42	20	18	4	36	14	18	4
25 to 99 acres.....	51	12	28	11	50	11	28	11
100 to 499 acres.....	29	8	16	5	29	8	16	5
500 acres or more.....	6	—	5	1	6	—	5	1
Rice.....farms.....	2 730	541	1 391	798	2 669	513	1 386	770
.....acres.....	599 555	79 525	356 325	163 705	599 086	79 246	356 279	163 561
100-lb bags.....	22 439 800	2 967 330	13 394 687	6 077 783	22 426 207	2 960 204	13 393 152	6 072 851
Irrigated.....farms.....	2 731	541	1 392	798	2 670	513	1 387	770
.....acres.....	599 641	79 525	356 411	163 705	599 172	79 246	356 365	163 561
Soybeans for beans.....farms.....	10 259	2 923	4 930	2 406	9 402	2 365	4 779	2 258
.....acres.....	2 998 520	477 971	1 859 779	660 770	2 985 325	469 701	1 857 208	658 416
bushels.....	74 854 892	11 659 778	46 428 273	16 766 841	74 658 664	11 539 433	46 395 899	16 723 332
Irrigated.....farms.....	300	108	137	55	285	95	137	53
.....acres.....	39 627	10 269	20 927	8 431	39 491	10 147	20 927	8 417
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres.....	1 604	1 017	364	223	877	536	242	99
25 to 99 acres.....	2 658	1 095	976	587	2 528	1 018	947	563
100 to 499 acres.....	4 112	572	2 342	1 198	4 112	572	2 342	1 198
500 acres or more.....	1 885	239	1 248	398	1 885	239	1 248	398
Cotton.....farms.....	2 679	725	1 407	547	2 527	645	1 362	520
.....acres.....	518 075	79 628	343 643	94 804	516 184	78 817	342 983	94 384
bales.....	472 953	77 443	307 439	88 071	472 310	77 095	307 281	87 934
Irrigated.....farms.....	169	31	119	19	168	30	119	19
.....acres.....	19 037	2 320	14 963	1 754	19 033	2 316	14 963	1 754
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres.....	539	288	163	88	399	213	119	67
25 to 99 acres.....	876	287	408	181	864	282	407	175
100 to 499 acres.....	996	119	641	236	996	119	641	236
500 acres or more.....	268	31	195	42	268	31	195	42
Irish potatoes.....farms.....	480	293	143	44	290	158	95	37
.....acres.....	1 197	391	569	237	1 054	295	532	227
hundredweight.....	140 407	47 196	71 014	22 197	131 214	40 380	69 437	21 397
Irrigated.....farms.....	15	11	3	1	13	10	2	1
.....acres.....	15	10	(D)	(D)	10	9	(D)	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:								
0.1 to 0.9 acres.....	265	179	69	17	155	93	48	14
1.0 to 4.9 acres.....	172	100	53	19	93	52	26	15
5.0 to 24.9 acres.....	33	12	15	6	32	11	15	6
25.0 to 99.9 acres.....	9	2	6	1	9	2	6	1
100.0 acres or more.....	1	—	—	1	1	—	—	1
Sweetpotatoes.....farms.....	791	345	257	189	473	163	211	99
.....acres.....	13 443	2 452	7 917	3 074	12 465	2 126	7 811	2 528
bushels.....	2 242 171	406 398	1 434 764	401 009	2 178 980	377 956	1 426 907	374 117
Irrigated.....farms.....	28	12	12	4	18	7	9	2
.....acres.....	723	38	663	22	713	(D)	661	(D)
Sugarcane for sugar.....farms.....	1 011	197	420	394	979	177	416	386
.....acres.....	296 191	37 977	157 495	100 719	295 914	37 860	157 447	100 607
tons.....	6 788 588	843 659	3 584 702	2 360 227	6 784 515	841 218	3 583 884	2 359 413
Irrigated.....farms.....	11	—	8	3	10	—	8	2
.....acres.....	1 748	—	1 314	434	(D)	—	1 314	(D)

See footnote at end of table.

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
CROPS HARVESTED—Con.								
Hay crops (see text)								
farms	12 107	7 568	3 627	912	7 235	3 947	2 776	512
acres	388 446	180 042	169 122	39 282	319 197	135 429	155 811	27 957
tons, dry	703 744	327 725	319 087	56 932	619 555	266 989	302 552	50 014
farms	206	120	77	9	126	57	61	8
acres	6 461	2 632	3 427	402	5 722	2 055	3 275	392
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres	7 680	5 480	1 847	353	3 609	2 265	1 144	200
25 to 99 acres	3 598	1 797	1 326	475	2 816	1 406	1 181	229
100 to 499 acres	802	288	434	80	783	273	431	79
500 acres or more	27	3	20	4	27	3	20	4
Alfalfa hay								
farms	520	357	138	25	317	193	103	21
acres	12 758	7 330	4 989	439	10 247	5 377	4 501	369
tons, dry	22 857	12 740	9 226	891	19 719	10 243	8 699	777
farms	12	6	6	—	7	4	3	—
acres	249	213	36	—	210	194	16	—
Irrigated								
farms	1 128	750	265	113	652	403	184	65
acres	7 732	3 551	3 140	1 041	6 253	2 553	2 780	920
farms	312	214	56	42	209	146	45	18
acres	1 161	597	435	129	993	467	412	114
Farms by acres harvested:								
0.1 to 4.9 acres	750	538	146	66	349	244	81	24
5.0 to 24.9 acres	317	197	88	32	246	145	74	27
25.0 to 99.9 acres	52	13	25	14	48	12	23	13
100.0 acres or more	9	2	6	1	9	2	6	1
Land in orchards								
farms	1 780	1 270	381	129	750	447	242	61
acres	21 293	12 243	7 591	1 460	16 239	7 914	7 010	1 316
farms	108	95	12	1	71	64	7	—
acres	792	556	(D)	(D)	650	432	218	—
Farms by acres in orchards:								
0.1 to 4.9 acres	1 129	804	228	97	398	249	115	34
5.0 to 24.9 acres	507	381	104	22	238	138	82	18
25.0 to 99.9 acres	101	63	33	5	72	39	29	4
100.0 acres or more	43	22	16	5	42	21	16	5

1978 data are based on a sample of farms; see text.