

Table 33. Summary by Size of Farm: 1978

[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
<b>FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS</b>							
Farms.....	number.....	102 945	4 566	11 089	3 048	8 371	8 361
	percent.....	100.0	4.4	10.7	2.9	8.1	8.1
Land in farms.....	acres.....	28 631 863	15 021	319 947	177 776	681 840	982 270
Average size of farm.....	acres.....	278	3	29	58	81	117
Value of land and buildings <sup>1</sup> .....	farms.....	102 944	4 251	11 055	3 079	8 323	8 089
	\$1,000.....	26 033 501	195 287	652 345	200 840	656 654	816 357
Average per farm.....	dollars.....	252 889	45 939	59 009	65 228	78 896	100 921
Average per acre.....	dollars.....	901	13 746	2 047	1 120	966	861
Farms by value of land and buildings:							
\$1 to \$19,999.....		4 592	1 075	1 845	251	640	372
\$20,000 to \$39,999.....		9 531	1 354	2 732	701	1 403	1 107
\$40,000 to \$69,999.....		14 768	1 025	3 168	1 058	2 303	1 898
\$70,000 to \$99,999.....		11 524	423	1 721	548	1 824	1 354
\$100,000 to \$149,999.....		12 479	171	956	326	1 082	1 686
\$150,000 to \$199,999.....		10 000	148	369	124	802	769
\$200,000 to \$499,999.....		26 810	52	219	67	260	870
\$500,000 to \$999,999.....		9 629	3	43	4	5	20
\$1,000,000 or more.....		3 611	-	2	-	4	13
Owned and rented land by operator:							
Land owned.....	farms.....	90 746	3 866	9 792	2 632	7 401	7 324
	acres.....	20 354 064	161 418	513 766	217 735	676 496	902 186
Land rented or leased from others.....	farms.....	45 456	769	2 476	909	1 978	2 537
	acres.....	9 747 365	5 047	57 128	40 773	122 037	198 701
Land rented or leased to others.....	farms.....	12 417	873	2 860	931	1 360	1 305
	acres.....	1 469 566	151 444	250 947	80 732	116 693	118 617
<b>LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE</b>							
Total cropland.....	farms.....	97 376	1 289	9 702	2 852	8 075	8 203
	acres.....	22 671 837	4 267	202 407	120 132	473 629	700 400
Harvested cropland.....	farms.....	94 991	1 103	8 723	2 696	7 853	8 032
	acres.....	19 189 946	3 175	151 781	94 231	384 647	570 369
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 49 acres.....		21 024	1 103	8 723	1 976	3 761	2 156
50 to 99 acres.....		16 587	-	-	720	4 092	3 988
100 to 199 acres.....		24 805	-	-	-	-	1 888
200 to 499 acres.....		25 188	-	-	-	-	-
500 to 999 acres.....		5 796	-	-	-	-	-
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....		1 325	-	-	-	-	-
2,000 acres or more.....		266	-	-	-	-	-
Cropland:							
Pasture or grazing only.....	farms.....	34 317	210	3 271	924	2 525	2 922
	acres.....	1 646 788	702	38 457	17 219	54 700	80 854
Cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses not harvested or pastured.....	farms.....	11 114	17	348	203	665	737
	acres.....	360 194	30	2 241	1 897	7 585	9 586
On which all crops failed.....	farms.....	5 378	140	294	128	420	463
	acres.....	150 757	156	2 545	1 605	5 584	7 574
In cultivated summer fallow.....	farms.....	8 046	10	158	95	283	399
	acres.....	535 941	29	1 183	1 097	3 448	7 469
Idle.....	farms.....	22 008	52	818	360	1 382	1 598
	acres.....	788 211	175	6 200	4 083	17 665	24 548
Total woodland.....							
	farms.....	40 145	268	3 348	1 221	3 672	3 976
	acres.....	2 654 907	873	46 352	25 813	96 467	141 746
Woodland pastured.....	farms.....	23 021	183	1 655	648	1 940	2 332
	acres.....	1 270 831	639	22 422	12 452	43 489	71 494
Woodland not pastured.....	farms.....	26 599	99	1 930	753	2 285	2 434
	acres.....	1 384 076	234	23 930	13 361	52 978	70 252
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured.....							
	farms.....	20 123	147	1 382	533	1 414	1 763
	acres.....	1 204 312	504	15 627	9 945	30 151	50 678
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc.....							
	farms.....	79 771	3 963	8 112	2 089	6 295	6 077
	acres.....	2 100 807	9 377	55 561	21 886	81 593	89 446
Pastureland, all types.....							
	farms.....	57 792	512	5 464	1 682	4 672	5 274
	acres.....	4 121 931	1 845	76 506	39 616	128 340	203 026
Irrigated land.....							
	farms.....	2 123	108	263	44	79	81
	acres.....	271 856	180	1 750	629	1 626	2 922
Harvested cropland irrigated.....	farms.....	2 083	106	252	40	74	74
	acres.....	268 565	(0)	1 541	591	1 487	2 611
Pastureland irrigated.....	farms.....	51	2	9	4	4	9
	acres.....	1 148	(0)	117	25	48	248
Other land irrigated.....	farms.....	85	-	10	3	7	5
	acres.....	2 143	-	92	13	91	63
Land set aside in the federal farm programs in 1978.....	farms.....	31 048	5	497	365	1 429	1 821
	acres.....	898 607	16	2 382	2 294	9 219	15 914
<b>RACE AND TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>							
All operators.....	number.....	102 945	4 566	11 089	3 048	8 371	8 361
Full owners.....	number.....	57 658	3 815	8 641	2 144	6 408	5 835
Part owners.....	number.....	32 785	49	1 120	475	950	1 453
Tenants.....	number.....	12 502	702	1 328	429	1 013	1 073
White.....							
Full owners.....	number.....	102 678	4 557	11 060	3 036	8 347	8 332
Part owners.....	number.....	57 504	3 806	8 617	2 134	6 389	5 815
Tenants.....	number.....	32 708	49	1 120	474	947	1 449
Black and other races.....							
Full owners.....	number.....	154	9	24	10	19	20
Part owners.....	number.....	77	-	-	1	3	4
Tenants.....	number.....	36	-	5	1	2	5

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

(Excludes abnormal farms; see text)

All Farms	Farms and Land in Farms					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		
<b>FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS</b>							
Farms.....	12 948	7 945	8 071	24 859	10 590	2 527	570
Land in farms.....	2 048 952	1 572 638	1 919 418	8 855 142	7 081 118	3 291 568	1 686 173
Average size of farm.....	158	198	238	356	669	1 303	2 958
Value of land and buildings.....	12 979	7 962	8 404	24 832	10 873	2 527	570
Average per farm.....	1 834 772	1 411 200	1 813 817	7 930 317	6 421 110	2 832 479	1 268 324
Average per acre.....	141 364	177 241	215 827	319 358	590 555	1 120 885	2 225 130
	892	894	908	896	882	860	752
<b>Farms by value of land and buildings:</b>							
\$1 to \$19,999.....	361	48	-	-	-	-	-
\$20,000 to \$39,999.....	1 122	470	359	276	7	-	-
\$40,000 to \$69,999.....	1 941	1 082	781	1 385	126	1	-
\$70,000 to \$99,999.....	2 045	976	786	1 636	210	1	-
\$100,000 to \$149,999.....	2 299	1 382	1 142	2 842	561	31	1
\$150,000 to \$199,999.....	2 292	1 209	1 173	2 390	695	27	2
\$200,000 to \$499,999.....	2 827	2 597	3 849	11 925	3 676	441	27
\$500,000 to \$999,999.....	65	180	299	4 139	3 965	819	87
\$1,000,000 or more.....	27	18	15	239	1 633	1 207	453
<b>Owned and rented land by operator:</b>							
Land owned.....	11 198	6 987	7 028	21 915	9 715	2 367	521
Land rented or leased from others.....	1 756 175	1 232 818	1 473 485	6 143 701	4 388 214	1 928 739	959 331
Land rented or leased to others.....	3 884	3 474	3 719	15 082	8 041	2 105	482
	419 428	404 052	512 533	2 962 462	2 840 259	1 416 879	768 066
	1 149	615	593	1 728	729	205	69
	126 651	64 232	66 600	251 021	147 355	54 050	41 224
<b>LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE</b>							
Total cropland.....	12 841	7 905	8 048	24 799	10 573	2 523	566
Harvested cropland.....	1 545 833	1 168 427	1 491 166	7 000 343	5 794 575	2 788 562	1 382 096
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 49 acres.....	1 577	728	389	543	64	3	1
50 to 99 acres.....	3 563	1 537	1 046	1 488	141	11	1
100 to 199 acres.....	7 436	5 265	4 029	5 531	617	33	6
200 to 499 acres.....	-	290	2 534	17 007	5 134	209	14
500 to 999 acres.....	-	-	-	-	4 581	1 169	46
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	-	-	-	-	-	1 094	231
2,000 acres or more.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	266
Cropland:							
Pasture or grazing only.....	4 682	2 931	3 163	9 253	3 617	689	130
Cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses not harvested or pastured.....	157 557	113 863	134 413	541 980	351 546	115 080	40 417
On which all crops failed.....	1 355	816	1 113	3 532	1 793	436	99
In cultivated summer fallow.....	21 385	15 412	23 010	107 927	101 321	47 138	22 662
Idle.....	643	494	416	1 524	684	137	35
	11 176	10 803	8 924	45 208	32 466	15 945	8 771
	838	411	536	2 353	1 987	746	230
	18 927	9 460	15 853	102 093	164 540	119 706	92 136
	2 696	1 804	1 913	6 878	3 477	841	189
	45 466	36 019	44 058	232 198	214 802	104 554	58 443
Total woodland.....	5 422	3 634	3 404	9 977	4 182	839	202
Woodland pastured.....	250 388	209 792	205 115	842 047	571 483	174 754	90 077
Woodland not pastured.....	3 090	2 201	2 117	5 991	2 402	383	79
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured.....	121 018	99 354	104 600	423 380	259 633	72 164	40 186
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc.....	3 510	2 352	2 276	6 985	3 175	640	160
	129 370	110 438	100 515	418 667	311 850	102 590	49 891
Pastureland, all types.....	7 751	5 055	5 098	15 003	5 862	1 177	242
Irrigated land.....	359 336	276 049	313 252	1 305 870	868 330	340 640	209 121
Harvested cropland irrigated.....	123	112	142	537	450	135	49
Pastureland irrigated.....	7 431	8 006	12 436	66 664	86 193	47 030	36 989
Other land irrigated.....	121	112	137	536	447	135	49
Land set aside in the federal farm programs in 1978.....	7 318	7 931	12 292	66 198	85 327	46 776	(D)
	3	2	-	9	7	1	1
	29	(D)	-	214	369	(D)	(D)
	8	2	8	15	20	3	4
	84	(D)	144	252	497	(D)	(D)
	3 543	2 399	2 863	10 617	5 631	1 513	615
	39 107	30 793	46 702	253 592	261 178	150 249	87 161
<b>RACE AND TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>							
All operators.....	12 948	7 945	8 071	24 859	10 590	2 527	570
Full owners.....	9 093	4 484	4 356	9 814	2 556	424	88
Part owners.....	2 064	2 487	2 644	12 040	7 133	1 939	431
Tenants.....	1 791	974	1 071	3 005	901	164	51
White.....	12 923	7 923	8 054	24 798	10 557	2 521	570
Full owners.....	9 076	4 472	4 348	9 793	2 546	420	88
Part owners.....	2 061	2 484	2 635	12 006	7 114	1 938	431
Tenants.....	1 786	967	1 071	2 999	897	163	51
Black and other races.....	25	22	17	61	33	6	-
Full owners.....	17	12	8	21	10	4	-
Part owners.....	3	3	9	34	19	1	-
Tenants.....	5	7	-	6	4	1	-

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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.....	91 944	4 102	10 399	2 799	7 757	7 690
..... acres.....	23 762 462	13 743	300 456	163 293	631 994	903 485
Partnership..... farms.....	9 458	340	574	226	568	608
..... acres.....	3 603 332	869	16 562	13 162	46 118	71 426
Corporations:						
Family held..... farms.....	1 238	88	69	15	33	39
..... acres.....	1 136 653	292	1 665	864	2 684	4 539
More than 10 stockholders..... farms.....	23	1	3	2	-	-
10 or less stockholders..... farms.....	1 215	87	66	13	33	39
Other than family held..... farms.....	158	25	17	6	5	8
..... acres.....	91 990	81	422	(D)	420	874
More than 10 stockholders..... farms.....	24	5	1	2	1	-
10 or less stockholders..... farms.....	134	20	16	4	4	8
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, etc..... farms.....	147	11	30	2	8	16
..... acres.....	37 426	36	842	(D)	624	1 946

OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS

Operators by place of residence:						
On farm operated.....	82 336	3 321	8 504	2 172	6 235	6 361
Not on farm operated.....	10 849	599	1 481	520	1 270	1 120
Operators by age group:						
Under 25 years.....	4 685	688	580	176	386	434
25 to 34 years.....	16 272	1 045	1 971	538	1 319	1 254
35 to 44 years.....	22 123	858	3 481	667	1 664	1 465
45 to 54 years.....	24 663	724	2 065	579	1 657	1 801
55 to 64 years.....	23 819	846	1 556	561	1 693	2 012
65 years and over.....	11 383	405	1 436	527	1 652	1 395
Average age.....	47.5	42.4	45.3	47.7	49.2	49.3
Operators by sex:						
Male.....	100 738	4 422	10 702	2 923	8 099	8 142
Female.....	2 207	144	387	125	272	219
Operators of Spanish origin.....	172	2	16	7	19	7
Operators by principal occupation:						
Farming.....	72 044	1 738	2 989	1 132	3 773	4 874
Other.....	30 901	2 828	8 100	1 916	4 598	3 487
Operators reporting days of work off farm:						
None.....	50 134	1 473	2 019	791	2 671	3 277
1 to 99 days.....	13 207	351	764	261	760	905
100 to 199 days.....	7 914	391	1 213	339	860	829
200 days or more.....	25 454	2 193	6 663	1 542	3 694	2 858

FARMS BY SIZE

1 to 9 acres.....	4 566	4 566	-	-	-	-
10 to 49 acres.....	11 089	-	11 089	-	-	-
50 to 69 acres.....	3 048	-	-	3 048	-	-
70 to 99 acres.....	8 371	-	-	-	8 371	-
100 to 139 acres.....	8 361	-	-	-	-	8 361
140 to 179 acres.....	12 948	-	-	-	-	-
180 to 219 acres.....	7 945	-	-	-	-	-
220 to 259 acres.....	8 071	-	-	-	-	-
260 to 499 acres.....	24 859	-	-	-	-	-
500 to 999 acres.....	10 590	-	-	-	-	-
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	2 527	-	-	-	-	-
2,000 acres or more.....	570	-	-	-	-	-

FARMS BY STANDARD INDUSTRIAL CLASSIFICATION (SEE TEXT)

Cash grain farms (011).....	40 231	111	2 846	1 168	3 572	3 158
Field crop, except cash grain farms (013).....	5 369	11	1 129	215	610	589
Cotton farms (0131).....	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tobacco farms (0132).....	8	2	5	-	-	-
Sugar crop, Irish potato, hay, peanut, and other field crop farms (0133, 0134, 0139).....	5 361	9	1 124	215	610	589
Vegetable and melon farms (016).....	734	178	185	47	95	60
Fruit and tree nut farms (017).....	339	50	199	14	24	18
Horticultural specialty farms (018).....	517	218	136	24	25	21
General farms, primarily crop (019).....	2 867	13	676	152	302	251
Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021).....	28 409	2 943	4 338	1 068	2 482	2 266
Beef cattle farms, except feedlots (0212).....	9 207	582	1 673	426	1 073	978
Dairy farms (024).....	17 854	276	335	196	864	1 605
Poultry and egg farms (025).....	1 541	350	491	48	119	81
Animal specialty farms (027).....	1 476	304	655	72	129	71
General farms, primarily livestock (029).....	3 608	112	99	44	149	241

VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD

Market value of agricultural products sold..... farms.....	102 945	4 566	11 089	3 048	8 371	8 361
..... \$1,000.....	4 539 020	95 299	111 258	30 926	94 829	152 186
Farms by value of agricultural products sold:						
\$500,000 or more.....	412	16	25	2	7	12
\$200,000 to \$499,999.....	2 396	52	68	16	26	18
\$100,000 to \$199,999.....	7 147	91	64	11	38	42
\$40,000 to \$99,999.....	24 893	382	220	55	180	617
\$20,000 to \$39,999.....	19 209	426	337	166	636	1 573
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	14 127	569	706	419	1 830	2 067
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	11 137	658	1 551	668	2 000	1 636
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	8 402	565	1 992	706	1 496	1 100
Less than \$2,500.....	15 222	1 807	6 126	1 005	2 158	1 296

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	140 to 179 acres	180 to 219 acres	220 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres			
<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION</b>								
Individual or family..... farms.....	11 729	7 273	7 332	22 110	8 726	1 738	289	
..... acres.....	1 856 207	1 439 835	1 744 022	7 865 720	5 791 528	2 231 738	820 441	
Partnership..... farms.....	1 130	622	671	2 525	1 564	501	129	
..... acres.....	178 688	122 926	159 291	906 891	1 070 590	662 696	354 113	
Corporations:								
Family held..... farms.....	59	35	43	168	280	272	137	
..... acres.....	9 258	6 919	10 183	62 790	204 829	374 449	458 181	
More than 10 stockholders..... farms.....	1	—	1	3	5	5	2	
10 or less stockholders..... farms.....	58	35	42	165	275	267	135	
Other than family held..... farms.....	13	5	15	28	12	10	14	
..... acres.....	2 085	978	3 552	10 302	8 082	14 171	(D)	
More than 10 stockholders..... farms.....	1	—	1	2	2	1	8	
10 or less stockholders..... farms.....	12	5	14	26	10	9	6	
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, etc. .... farms.....	17	10	10	28	8	6	1	
..... acres.....	2 714	1 980	2 370	9 439	6 089	8 514	(D)	
<b>OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS</b>								
Operators by place of residence:								
On farm operated.....	10 075	6 555	6 691	21 022	8 941	2 040	419	
Not on farm operated.....	1 570	734	711	1 831	742	195	76	
Operators by age group:								
Under 25 years.....	631	355	303	867	227	34	4	
25 to 34 years.....	1 764	1 269	1 245	3 859	1 576	363	69	
35 to 44 years.....	2 224	1 443	1 588	5 156	2 700	725	152	
45 to 54 years.....	2 799	1 813	2 037	6 933	3 227	823	205	
55 to 64 years.....	3 655	2 189	2 114	6 207	2 391	480	115	
65 years and over.....	1 875	876	784	1 837	469	102	25	
Average age.....	49.6	48.2	48.0	47.4	46.5	46.2	47.0	
Operators by sex:								
Male.....	12 636	7 794	7 935	24 530	10 479	2 510	566	
Female.....	312	151	136	329	111	17	4	
Operators of Spanish origin.....	20	6	18	46	28	2	1	
Operators by principal occupation:								
Farming.....	9 430	6 232	6 780	22 106	10 009	2 437	544	
Other.....	3 518	1 713	1 291	2 753	581	90	26	
Operators reporting days of work off farm:								
None.....	6 280	4 325	4 659	15 479	6 882	1 832	446	
1 to 99 days.....	1 633	1 061	1 233	3 968	1 829	378	64	
100 to 199 days.....	1 175	535	568	1 429	478	82	15	
200 days or more.....	2 950	1 479	1 056	2 314	578	98	29	
<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>								
1 to 9 acres.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
10 to 49 acres.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
50 to 69 acres.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
70 to 99 acres.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
100 to 139 acres.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
140 to 179 acres.....	12 948	—	—	—	—	—	—	
180 to 219 acres.....	—	7 945	—	—	—	—	—	
220 to 259 acres.....	—	—	8 071	—	—	—	—	
260 to 499 acres.....	—	—	—	24 859	—	—	—	
500 to 999 acres.....	—	—	—	—	10 590	—	—	
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	—	—	—	—	—	2 527	—	
2,000 acres or more.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	570	
<b>FARMS BY STANDARD INDUSTRIAL CLASSIFICATION (SEE TEXT)</b>								
Cash grain farms (011).....	5 174	2 769	3 067	10 629	5 657	1 674	406	
Field crop, except cash grain farms (013).....	633	369	300	823	442	185	63	
Cotton farms (0131).....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Tobacco farms (0132).....	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	
Sugar crop, Irish potato, hay, peanut, and other field crop farms (0133, 0134, 0139).....	633	369	300	822	442	185	63	
Vegetable and melon farms (016).....	40	26	26	51	16	3	7	
Fruit and tree nut farms (017).....	13	6	4	9	2	—	—	
Horticultural specialty farms (018).....	21	13	9	28	14	5	3	
General farms, primarily crop (019).....	296	261	140	465	229	69	13	
Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021).....	3 233	1 879	1 859	5 577	2 297	405	62	
Beef cattle farms, except feedlots (0212).....	1 086	615	523	1 529	550	134	38	
Dairy farms (024).....	2 806	2 222	2 210	5 871	1 359	104	6	
Poultry and egg farms (025).....	111	71	51	139	59	15	6	
Animal specialty farms (027).....	155	32	15	26	15	2	—	
General farms, primarily livestock (029).....	466	297	390	1 241	500	65	4	
<b>VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD</b>								
Market value of agricultural products sold..... farms.....	12 948	7 945	8 071	24 859	10 590	2 527	570	
..... \$1,000.....	336 717	249 525	316 879	1 389 047	1 048 856	487 594	225 904	
Farms by value of agricultural products sold:								
\$500,000 or more.....	16	5	7	33	83	96	110	
\$200,000 to \$499,999.....	40	38	43	353	739	709	294	
\$100,000 to \$199,999.....	130	145	259	2 378	2 929	948	112	
\$40,000 to \$99,999.....	1 998	1 927	2 873	11 437	4 563	599	42	
\$20,000 to \$39,999.....	3 951	2 502	2 374	5 667	1 456	114	7	
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	2 746	1 354	1 189	2 688	516	41	2	
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	1 799	798	639	1 210	166	12	—	
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	1 064	469	395	530	81	3	1	
Less than \$2,500.....	1 204	707	292	563	57	5	2	

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 ----- farms.....	68 844	155	3 703	1 599	5 241	5 271
\$1,000.....	1 790 336	173	9 710	6 651	29 118	40 620
farms.....	13 626	—	—	—	—	20
\$1,000.....	1 130 751	—	—	—	—	928
Commodity Credit Corporation loans..... farms.....	17 056	3	136	104	478	681
\$1,000.....	245 000	2	288	220	1 650	2 941
Cotton and cottonseed ----- farms.....	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000.....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sales of \$40,000 or more ----- farms.....	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000.....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Commodity Credit Corporation loans..... farms.....	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000.....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco ----- farms.....	12	2	5	—	—	1
\$1,000.....	60	(0)	12	—	—	(D)
Sales of \$40,000 or more ----- farms.....	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000.....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage ----- farms.....	22 074	17	1 857	571	1 837	2 058
\$1,000.....	72 398	12	1 862	676	2 769	4 012
Sales of \$40,000 or more ----- farms.....	95	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000.....	8 383	—	—	—	—	—
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ----- farms.....	3 814	226	625	103	193	187
\$1,000.....	41 219	196	1 495	543	1 027	1 398
Sales of \$40,000 or more ----- farms.....	123	—	2	1	1	4
\$1,000.....	15 425	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	287
Fruits, nuts, and berries ----- farms.....	526	54	247	29	60	38
\$1,000.....	5 207	98	785	163	461	437
Sales of \$40,000 or more ----- farms.....	31	—	6	2	4	4
\$1,000.....	3 883	—	305	(D)	296	345
Nursery and greenhouse products ----- farms.....	646	229	167	34	38	29
\$1,000.....	43 271	8 804	8 706	868	1 804	1 523
Sales of \$40,000 or more ----- farms.....	182	62	39	5	8	9
\$1,000.....	39 198	7 340	7 578	551	1 542	1 366
Other crops ----- farms.....	2 026	15	57	25	37	49
\$1,000.....	128 432	(0)	205	239	339	(D)
Sales of \$40,000 or more ----- farms.....	1 024	—	—	—	1	4
\$1,000.....	112 163	—	—	—	(D)	(D)
Poultry and poultry products ----- farms.....	7 974	672	1 582	278	720	688
\$1,000.....	303 334	29 656	36 241	7 995	14 753	15 476
Sales of \$40,000 or more ----- farms.....	842	107	130	26	53	55
\$1,000.....	293 362	28 714	35 141	7 788	14 126	14 769
Dairy products ----- farms.....	24 635	359	515	264	1 133	2 025
\$1,000.....	767 599	4 666	4 897	2 667	14 780	37 538
Sales of \$40,000 or more ----- farms.....	6 990	23	15	4	34	168
\$1,000.....	434 502	1 499	825	197	1 698	8 221
Cattle and calves ----- farms.....	54 561	1 465	3 844	1 249	3 530	4 509
\$1,000.....	768 132	15 917	19 487	5 128	13 642	24 855
Sales of \$40,000 or more ----- farms.....	3 433	127	30	11	17	33
\$1,000.....	413 840	7 608	9 128	988	1 356	6 310
Hogs and pigs ----- farms.....	27 305	2 012	2 325	552	1 558	1 808
\$1,000.....	579 163	29 005	20 586	4 589	14 557	21 248
Sales of \$40,000 or more ----- farms.....	4 026	157	93	19	67	121
\$1,000.....	344 891	15 109	9 008	1 418	5 981	8 698
Sheep, lambs, and wool ----- farms.....	4 804	292	610	154	372	391
\$1,000.....	13 239	604	1 056	416	609	669
Sales of \$40,000 or more ----- farms.....	27	—	4	—	—	—
\$1,000.....	2 951	—	219	—	—	—
Other livestock and livestock products (see text) ----- farms.....	3 930	409	1 323	202	333	275
\$1,000.....	26 628	6 132	6 219	991	970	3 809
Sales of \$40,000 or more ----- farms.....	137	43	40	4	3	8
\$1,000.....	18 945	4 292	3 785	563	453	3 366

SELECTED FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES<sup>1</sup>

Livestock and poultry purchased ----- farms.....	41 464	2 437	4 574	1 132	2 701	2 844
\$1,000.....	481 546	22 935	19 716	4 845	9 546	14 185
Farms with expenses of —						
\$1 to \$4,999 ----- farms.....	28 198	1 844	4 047	917	2 327	2 265
\$5,000 to \$19,999 ----- farms.....	7 811	306	397	174	276	431
\$20,000 to \$49,999 ----- farms.....	3 395	223	64	23	68	132
\$50,000 or more ----- farms.....	2 060	64	66	18	30	16
Feed for livestock and poultry ----- farms.....	66 130	3 533	7 045	1 662	4 383	5 046
\$1,000.....	500 867	27 834	37 344	7 066	15 615	22 498
Farms with expenses of —						
\$1 to \$4,999 ----- farms.....	46 249	2 803	6 315	1 484	3 959	4 127
\$5,000 to \$19,999 ----- farms.....	15 780	409	515	124	344	826
\$20,000 to \$49,999 ----- farms.....	2 832	217	79	33	34	51
\$50,000 or more ----- farms.....	1 269	104	136	21	46	42
Commercially mixed formula feeds ----- farms.....	38 637	2 051	3 414	692	2 023	2 722
tons.....	1 835 427	114 206	161 996	30 141	66 029	80 159
\$1,000.....	308 322	19 312	25 172	4 782	9 935	13 236
Farms by tons purchased:						
1 to 99 tons ----- farms.....	36 410	1 808	3 267	649	1 973	2 646
100 to 499 tons ----- farms.....	1 744	196	73	27	17	52
500 tons or more ----- farms.....	483	47	74	16	33	24
Farms with expenses of —						
\$1 to \$4,999 ----- farms.....	28 748	1 632	3 037	622	1 897	2 333
\$5,000 to \$19,999 ----- farms.....	7 866	183	245	29	70	326
\$20,000 to \$49,999 ----- farms.....	1 234	156	32	22	16	27
\$50,000 or more ----- farms.....	789	80	100	19	40	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			
<b>VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD—Con.</b>								
Market value of agricultural products sold—Con.								
Grain	farms.....	9 055	5 402	6 001	20 084	9 428	2 372	533
	\$1,000.....	102 686	73 969	104 777	543 766	496 302	259 835	122 729
Sales of \$40,000 or more	farms.....	89	191	582	5 092	5 162	1 991	499
	\$1,000.....	4 076	8 944	28 519	299 653	414 537	252 029	122 064
Commodity Credit Corporation loans	farms.....	1 542	1 031	1 477	6 322	3 886	1 126	270
	\$1,000.....	8 320	6 767	11 050	69 622	75 861	46 548	21 731
Cotton and cottonseed	farms.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	\$1,000.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sales of \$40,000 or more	farms.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	\$1,000.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Commodity Credit Corporation loans	farms.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	\$1,000.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco	farms.....	—	1	—	3	—	—	—
	\$1,000.....	—	(D)	—	12	—	—	—
Sales of \$40,000 or more	farms.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	\$1,000.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage	farms.....	2 929	1 986	1 924	5 848	2 392	544	111
	\$1,000.....	6 227	5 217	5 529	21 619	13 504	7 196	3 775
Sales of \$40,000 or more	farms.....	—	2	—	14	28	37	14
	\$1,000.....	—	(D)	—	(D)	1 602	3 108	2 747
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons	farms.....	311	227	240	1 024	520	127	31
	\$1,000.....	2 346	1 832	2 215	11 177	8 973	4 487	5 532
Sales of \$40,000 or more	farms.....	4	3	4	27	34	27	16
	\$1,000.....	179	348	394	2 338	3 394	2 948	5 321
Fruits, nuts, and berries	farms.....	28	17	13	25	15	—	—
	\$1,000.....	876	562	30	1 569	226	—	—
Sales of \$40,000 or more	farms.....	2	4	—	7	2	—	—
	\$1,000.....	(D)	542	—	1 476	(D)	—	—
Nursery and greenhouse products	farms.....	38	18	17	44	22	6	4
	\$1,000.....	1 920	1 334	565	7 725	2 274	7 178	570
Sales of \$40,000 or more	farms.....	10	6	3	19	13	4	4
	\$1,000.....	1 704	1 186	471	7 491	2 233	7 167	570
Other crops	farms.....	76	45	57	399	679	428	159
	\$1,000.....	1 298	(D)	1 397	14 224	35 713	42 636	31 055
Sales of \$40,000 or more	farms.....	8	7	9	120	401	329	145
	\$1,000.....	514	347	783	9 120	30 024	40 306	30 772
Poultry and poultry products	farms.....	935	549	533	1 437	491	77	12
	\$1,000.....	35 432	13 779	14 104	39 587	48 045	27 836	20 431
Sales of \$40,000 or more	farms.....	83	58	45	160	88	29	8
	\$1,000.....	34 167	13 010	13 299	37 408	46 860	27 654	20 427
Dairy products	farms.....	3 687	2 793	2 930	8 189	2 428	283	29
	\$1,000.....	85 746	78 628	90 215	307 938	118 331	18 834	3 359
Sales of \$40,000 or more	farms.....	572	648	846	3 195	1 277	190	18
	\$1,000.....	29 465	34 948	47 151	197 497	92 983	16 902	3 115
Cattle and calves	farms.....	7 161	4 790	5 065	15 565	6 034	1 150	199
	\$1,000.....	46 142	36 642	50 010	241 007	196 513	87 010	31 778
Sales of \$40,000 or more	farms.....	115	103	179	1 219	1 110	393	96
	\$1,000.....	8 187	7 924	14 898	114 328	137 456	75 462	30 195
Hogs and pigs	farms.....	3 422	2 033	2 423	7 655	3 001	459	57
	\$1,000.....	50 828	34 973	46 388	193 754	126 244	30 544	6 449
Sales of \$40,000 or more	farms.....	292	214	331	1 470	1 019	211	32
	\$1,000.....	20 491	16 360	23 124	114 533	97 216	26 921	6 032
Sheep, lambs, and wool	farms.....	587	417	324	1 133	437	74	13
	\$1,000.....	1 200	597	1 036	4 822	1 781	303	146
Sales of \$40,000 or more	farms.....	2	—	3	11	5	1	1
	\$1,000.....	(D)	—	348	1 686	433	(D)	(D)
Other livestock and livestock products (see text)	farms.....	379	168	134	443	204	51	9
	\$1,000.....	2 017	1 265	613	1 848	948	1 735	81
Sales of \$40,000 or more	farms.....	10	7	4	9	6	2	1
	\$1,000.....	1 490	1 016	451	1 238	622	(D)	(D)
<b>SELECTED FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES<sup>1</sup></b>								
Livestock and poultry purchased	farms.....	4 630	3 273	3 448	10 850	4 583	850	142
	\$1,000.....	31 676	19 210	27 846	138 441	123 201	51 377	18 568
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999		3 480	2 328	2 265	6 378	2 045	267	35
\$5,000 to \$19,999		829	696	786	2 609	1 093	186	28
\$20,000 to \$49,999		255	208	309	1 212	731	148	22
\$50,000 or more		66	41	88	651	714	249	57
Feed for livestock and poultry	farms.....	8 082	5 361	5 891	17 032	6 767	1 127	201
	\$1,000.....	44 520	31 975	36 445	136 028	90 245	34 629	16 670
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999		6 249	3 648	3 698	9 846	3 532	509	79
\$5,000 to \$19,999		1 585	1 506	1 903	5 900	2 262	348	58
\$20,000 to \$49,999		161	147	236	984	698	156	36
\$50,000 or more		87	60	54	302	275	114	28
Commercially mixed formula feeds	farms.....	4 930	3 548	3 884	10 751	3 908	622	92
	tons.....	177 921	121 542	123 054	430 923	313 627	134 718	81 111
	\$1,000.....	29 039	20 552	21 911	74 835	55 000	22 365	12 183
Farms by tons purchased:								
1 to 99 tons		4 775	3 415	3 762	10 126	3 452	476	61
100 to 499 tons		104	104	102	534	394	119	22
500 tons or more		51	29	20	91	62	27	9
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999		4 062	2 725	2 825	7 168	2 133	280	34
\$5,000 to \$19,999		748	705	955	3 035	1 338	204	28
\$20,000 to \$49,999		50	72	74	397	287	84	17
\$50,000 or more		70	46	30	151	150	54	13

See footnote at end of table.

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

[Excludes abnormal farms; see text]

All Farms

SELECTED FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES<sup>1</sup>—Con.

	Total	1 to 9 acres	10 to 49 acres	50 to 69 acres	70 to 99 acres	100 to 139 acres
Animal health costs.....farms.....	59 799	2 704	5 322	1 433	3 882	4 423
.....\$1,000.....	35 851	969	1 274	332	894	1 633
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$499.....	41 325	2 310	4 868	1 325	3 491	3 587
\$500 to \$999.....	9 085	186	271	68	244	562
\$1,000 to \$2,999.....	7 584	165	148	28	120	252
\$3,000 or more.....	1 805	43	35	12	27	22
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees.....farms.....	80 095	666	4 869	1 895	6 105	6 298
.....\$1,000.....	137 679	1 164	2 158	808	3 164	4 538
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999.....	41 209	558	4 747	1 786	5 646	4 848
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	33 594	54	88	100	452	1 400
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	3 871	17	9	8	6	36
\$10,000 or more.....	1 421	37	25	1	1	14
Commercial fertilizer.....farms.....	76 624	394	4 403	1 810	5 415	5 594
.....\$1,000.....	318 042	141	1 580	1 146	4 381	6 617
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$2,499.....	42 489	385	4 389	1 750	5 262	4 980
\$2,500 to \$9,999.....	26 429	8	14	60	152	614
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	5 443	1	—	—	—	—
\$20,000 or more.....	2 263	—	—	—	1	—
Other agricultural chemicals including lime.....farms.....	74 266	676	4 510	1 769	5 025	5 457
.....\$1,000.....	123 637	131	763	529	1 855	2 571
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$2,499.....	60 672	672	4 508	1 769	5 010	5 438
\$2,500 to \$9,999.....	11 943	3	2	—	15	19
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	1 311	1	—	—	—	—
\$20,000 or more.....	340	—	—	—	—	—
Energy and petroleum products.....farms.....	102 555	4 004	10 985	3 059	8 302	8 085
.....\$1,000.....	277 233	4 850	7 462	2 455	7 959	10 645
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$2,499.....	65 383	3 683	10 670	2 902	7 925	7 256
\$2,500 to \$9,999.....	33 879	261	255	150	355	809
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	2 723	24	34	4	16	12
\$20,000 or more.....	570	36	26	3	6	8
Petroleum products.....farms.....	102 496	3 994	10 976	3 059	8 263	8 085
.....\$1,000.....	220 415	3 525	5 323	1 717	5 889	7 744
Gasoline.....farms.....	99 210	3 783	10 623	2 960	8 007	7 831
.....\$1,000.....	103 202	1 526	2 836	1 141	3 906	4 864
Diesel fuel.....farms.....	59 914	555	1 652	779	2 392	3 275
.....\$1,000.....	66 807	281	433	186	623	1 213
LP gas, butane, and propane.....farms.....	26 143	660	808	274	847	957
.....\$1,000.....	28 639	439	632	156	536	640
Fuel oil.....farms.....	14 483	410	859	252	817	895
.....\$1,000.....	5 415	511	623	63	218	290
Natural gas.....farms.....	2 079	126	117	41	104	134
.....\$1,000.....	2 320	545	350	12	87	98
Kerosene, motor oil, and grease.....farms.....	102 494	3 994	10 974	3 059	8 263	8 085
.....\$1,000.....	14 031	223	450	160	518	638
Electricity.....farms.....	82 736	2 793	7 254	2 063	5 980	5 936
.....\$1,000.....	55 739	1 310	2 082	707	2 006	2 782
Other—coal, wood, coke, etc.....farms.....	4 172	88	344	178	352	464
.....\$1,000.....	1 080	15	57	30	65	119
Hired farm labor.....farms.....	44 015	1 173	2 330	841	2 499	2 848
.....\$1,000.....	157 730	5 231	5 708	1 143	2 995	4 562
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999.....	36 448	1 027	2 178	818	2 433	2 701
\$5,000 to \$19,999.....	6 332	93	96	16	49	127
\$20,000 to \$49,999.....	956	25	34	3	16	11
\$50,000 or more.....	279	28	22	4	1	9
Workers by number of days worked:						
150 days or more.....farms.....	13 222	226	328	87	332	572
.....workers.....	26 233	888	758	134	598	965
Less than 150 days.....farms.....	37 711	1 099	2 216	817	2 308	2 524
.....workers.....	144 906	3 125	6 987	2 714	6 409	7 872
Contract labor.....farms.....	4 074	98	177	66	210	198
.....\$1,000.....	10 617	210	187	60	252	253
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$2,499.....	2 922	81	154	64	184	174
\$2,500 to \$9,999.....	940	14	22	1	25	23
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	180	1	—	1	1	—
\$20,000 or more.....	32	2	1	—	—	1
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment.....farms.....	53 124	772	4 126	1 424	4 442	4 431
.....\$1,000.....	68 614	615	1 508	772	2 827	3 486
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$2,499.....	46 326	738	4 109	1 407	4 325	4 189
\$2,500 to \$9,999.....	6 344	32	14	17	117	242
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	364	—	2	—	—	—
\$20,000 or more.....	90	2	1	—	—	—
<b>FARM-RELATED INCOME</b>						
Income from machine work, customwork, and other agricultural services.....farms.....	11 992	248	364	161	488	578
.....\$1,000.....	25 355	489	413	161	696	780
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption.....farms.....	5 246	538	1 109	215	444	412
.....\$1,000.....	9 917	393	1 565	412	754	678

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		
<b>SELECTED FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES<sup>1</sup>—Con.</b>							
Animal health costs.....farms.....	7 470	5 026	5 628	16 076	6 591	1 054	190
.....\$1,000.....	3 168	2 650	3 372	11 597	7 103	1 930	929
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$499.....	5 677	3 343	3 617	9 248	3 344	438	77
\$500 to \$999.....	1 087	964	1 003	3 268	1 244	167	21
\$1,000 to \$2,999.....	626	629	854	2 942	1 476	294	50
\$3,000 or more.....	80	90	154	618	527	155	42
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees.....farms.....	11 037	6 833	7 417	22 339	9 849	2 295	492
.....\$1,000.....	10 218	7 633	10 014	42 327	33 198	15 785	6 673
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999.....	7 094	3 776	3 236	7 299	1 932	259	28
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	3 871	3 001	4 052	14 003	5 673	818	82
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	61	35	114	890	1 872	710	113
\$10,000 or more.....	11	21	15	147	372	508	269
Commercial fertilizer.....farms.....	10 196	6 355	7 203	22 075	10 167	2 459	553
.....\$1,000.....	17 166	13 292	19 961	93 739	90 144	45 892	23 985
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$2,499.....	7 966	4 347	3 924	7 997	1 388	97	4
\$2,500 to \$9,999.....	2 210	1 956	3 186	12 455	5 211	520	43
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	20	52	85	1 543	2 757	913	72
\$20,000 or more.....	—	—	8	80	811	929	434
Other agricultural chemicals including lime.....farms.....	9 942	6 100	6 979	21 157	9 829	2 290	532
.....\$1,000.....	6 730	5 119	7 867	37 352	34 682	17 741	8 297
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$2,499.....	9 751	5 871	6 303	15 988	4 848	472	42
\$2,500 to \$9,999.....	190	227	676	5 058	4 431	1 143	179
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	1	2	—	107	510	524	166
\$20,000 or more.....	—	—	—	4	40	151	145
Energy and petroleum products.....farms.....	12 971	7 956	8 404	24 826	10 868	2 527	568
.....\$1,000.....	23 190	16 713	21 507	84 523	61 318	25 924	10 687
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$2,499.....	10 309	5 535	4 827	10 307	1 796	163	10
\$2,500 to \$9,999.....	2 596	2 369	3 497	14 005	8 059	1 389	134
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	60	50	70	477	903	805	268
\$20,000 or more.....	6	2	10	37	110	170	156
Petroleum products.....farms.....	12 971	7 956	8 404	24 825	10 868	2 527	568
.....\$1,000.....	17 497	12 491	16 186	66 882	51 111	22 665	9 384
Gasoline.....farms.....	12 559	7 617	8 159	24 091	10 575	2 444	561
.....\$1,000.....	10 389	7 040	8 813	31 429	20 100	7 980	3 179
Diesel fuel.....farms.....	7 064	4 907	5 752	20 530	10 026	2 429	553
.....\$1,000.....	3 450	2 871	3 891	20 928	18 972	9 554	4 405
LP gas, butane, and propane.....farms.....	2 475	1 676	2 578	9 035	5 146	1 349	338
.....\$1,000.....	1 778	1 271	1 925	8 521	7 999	3 570	1 173
Fuel oil.....farms.....	1 905	1 099	1 267	4 100	2 144	572	163
.....\$1,000.....	472	287	312	1 354	845	313	128
Natural gas.....farms.....	241	136	172	569	326	94	19
.....\$1,000.....	100	82	89	362	383	150	59
Kerosene, motor oil, and grease.....farms.....	12 971	7 956	8 404	24 825	10 868	2 527	568
.....\$1,000.....	1 308	940	1 156	4 289	2 811	1 099	440
Electricity.....farms.....	10 445	6 556	7 376	21 749	9 791	2 286	507
.....\$1,000.....	5 562	4 135	5 217	17 374	10 045	3 232	1 286
Other—coal, wood, coke, etc.....farms.....	536	326	424	977	372	87	24
.....\$1,000.....	131	87	104	267	162	26	16
Hired farm labor.....farms.....	4 923	3 288	4 266	12 544	6 837	1 955	511
.....\$1,000.....	8 490	6 592	9 758	37 178	35 626	25 492	14 957
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999.....	4 608	3 000	3 796	10 410	4 587	801	89
\$5,000 to \$19,999.....	284	253	441	1 950	1 993	825	205
\$20,000 to \$49,999.....	23	30	25	166	221	270	132
\$50,000 or more.....	8	5	4	18	36	59	85
Workers by number of days worked:							
150 days or more.....farms.....	1 007	858	1 098	4 200	2 888	1 217	409
.....workers.....	1 766	1 353	2 038	7 661	5 580	2 981	1 511
Less than 150 days.....farms.....	4 323	2 849	3 703	10 331	5 562	1 552	427
.....workers.....	14 346	10 379	12 678	42 425	24 340	9 676	3 955
Contract labor.....farms.....	420	246	379	1 005	898	294	83
.....\$1,000.....	526	362	708	2 077	3 011	1 717	1 253
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$2,499.....	388	213	338	730	475	107	14
\$2,500 to \$9,999.....	27	26	22	256	373	127	24
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	1	6	13	18	49	52	38
\$20,000 or more.....	4	1	6	1	1	8	7
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment.....farms.....	7 385	4 229	4 823	13 763	6 023	1 400	306
.....\$1,000.....	6 649	4 436	6 323	21 142	12 074	5 237	3 544
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$2,499.....	6 929	3 839	4 123	11 227	4 528	804	108
\$2,500 to \$9,999.....	452	389	681	2 400	1 383	495	122
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	4	1	17	135	103	59	43
\$20,000 or more.....	—	—	2	1	9	42	33
<b>FARM-RELATED INCOME</b>							
Income from machine work, customwork, and other agricultural services.....farms.....	1 202	923	1 063	4 103	2 199	556	107
.....\$1,000.....	1 998	1 370	1 818	8 495	5 713	2 428	995
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption.....farms.....	499	359	310	891	366	86	17
.....\$1,000.....	1 456	899	571	1 814	824	455	96

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
<b>VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup></b>							
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment	12 975	7 962	8 399	24 826	10 873	2 527	569
\$1,000	385 350	276 521	358 392	1 476 908	1 038 122	398 605	144 210
Forms by value group:							
\$1 to \$4,999	662	299	188	350	42	1	—
\$5,000 to \$9,999	2 145	1 031	683	1 166	176	14	2
\$10,000 to \$19,999	3 062	1 688	1 332	2 524	518	95	6
\$20,000 to \$49,999	4 663	2 959	3 510	7 661	1 810	174	28
\$50,000 to \$99,999	1 963	1 486	1 870	8 508	3 554	389	41
\$100,000 to \$199,999	433	454	730	4 039	3 819	1 004	128
\$200,000 to \$499,999	47	45	86	576	932	823	319
\$500,000 or more	—	—	—	2	22	27	45
<b>SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup></b>							
Automobiles	11 252	6 709	7 630	22 659	10 005	2 292	494
number	15 371	9 176	10 632	33 029	15 749	4 126	1 038
Motortrucks, including pickups	10 968	6 854	7 570	23 165	10 452	2 496	558
number	14 693	9 150	11 141	39 929	25 879	9 986	3 301
Wheel tractors	12 022	7 500	8 016	23 822	10 588	2 470	564
number	34 180	22 072	25 013	81 956	41 904	11 596	3 370
2 or 3	7 443	4 325	4 675	11 613	3 915	589	74
number	19 040	11 178	12 109	30 749	10 462	1 581	200
4 or more	3 031	2 211	2 700	10 679	6 261	1 809	479
number	13 592	9 930	12 263	49 677	31 030	9 943	3 159
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled only	4 289	2 767	3 733	14 904	8 431	2 199	484
number	4 417	2 868	3 934	15 848	9 423	2 868	911
Cornpickers, corn heads, and picker-shellers	7 060	4 241	4 914	15 823	6 500	1 284	191
number	8 470	5 004	5 962	19 840	8 063	1 598	286
Corn heads for combines	2 579	1 717	2 503	10 276	5 357	1 188	170
number	2 656	1 772	2 611	10 890	5 676	1 331	229
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers	5 417	3 072	3 202	8 464	2 205	244	39
number	5 814	3 232	3 351	8 950	2 387	267	57
Cottonpickers	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
number	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Mower conditioners	4 075	2 871	3 249	9 422	3 638	693	129
number	4 156	2 944	3 307	9 794	3 771	766	163
Pickup balers	6 764	4 548	4 965	14 250	5 797	1 103	206
number	6 949	4 635	5 122	14 790	6 174	1 230	244
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type	2 627	1 934	2 381	7 711	3 545	684	114
number	2 841	1 985	2 478	8 238	3 737	730	132
<b>AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS<sup>1</sup></b>							
Agricultural chemicals, including commercial fertilizer and lime	11 208	6 807	7 611	22 917	10 431	2 485	558
\$1,000	23 896	18 411	27 828	131 091	124 825	63 633	32 282
Commercial fertilizer	9 969	6 242	7 071	21 888	10 137	2 458	553
acres on which used	719 838	539 260	801 053	3 894 717	3 749 613	1 993 870	1 062 860
Lime	527	456	622	1 598	714	103	17
acres on which used	19 570	15 201	21 986	79 586	52 090	17 847	6 822
tons	48 474	40 598	60 581	193 627	147 301	46 105	17 505
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—							
Insects on hay and other crops	2 924	1 768	2 307	6 757	3 288	879	197
acres on which used	204 831	141 956	235 876	1 055 466	978 388	507 671	224 440
Nematodes in crops	377	289	308	784	421	129	30
acres on which used	23 179	22 605	29 647	94 729	106 656	54 840	27 339
Diseases in crops and orchards	205	221	169	552	388	174	54
acres on which used	13 347	15 037	14 230	81 038	99 468	86 531	59 880
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture	7 765	4 837	5 411	17 000	8 179	1 960	477
acres on which used	631 383	479 604	692 417	3 423 404	3 271 888	1 648 758	897 880
Chemicals for—							
Defoliation or for growth control of crops, or thinning of fruit	193	78	99	436	274	154	55
acres on which used	11 909	2 426	10 591	54 059	53 574	44 070	27 111
Insect control on livestock and poultry	3 427	2 160	2 860	8 656	3 775	709	135
Sanitation and rodent and bird control	2 196	1 600	1 755	5 774	2 590	582	136
<b>LIVESTOCK</b>							
Cattle and calves inventory	7 218	5 051	5 023	15 322	5 908	1 125	193
number	283 264	237 289	278 990	1 136 439	697 305	236 317	76 042
Farms with—							
1 to 9	769	518	295	798	181	43	9
10 to 49	4 306	2 499	2 221	5 045	1 300	159	26
50 to 99	1 852	1 675	1 917	5 765	1 740	219	21
100 to 199	271	333	542	3 137	1 799	310	38
200 to 499	18	23	48	537	796	290	54
500 or more	2	3	—	40	92	104	45
Cows and heifers that had calved	6 067	4 249	4 260	12 672	4 756	873	160
number	125 535	104 097	119 502	439 494	235 282	73 135	23 808
Beef cows	2 711	1 714	1 650	5 669	2 899	670	141
number	35 231	24 442	29 308	141 418	123 736	55 742	20 611
Farms with—							
1 to 9	1 271	745	533	1 260	305	39	14
10 to 49	1 396	932	1 047	3 729	1 657	253	31
50 to 99	42	33	63	615	703	191	25
100 to 199	1	3	5	56	209	139	36
200 to 499	—	—	—	8	—	42	28
500 or more	1	—	2	1	25	6	7

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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	26 079	412	715	372	1 441	2 190
farms						
number	766 246	5 451	6 526	3 626	18 087	42 191
Farms with—						
1 to 4	2 279	80	314	138	370	254
5 to 9	1 444	153	150	73	241	209
10 to 49	18 782	166	242	158	818	1 682
50 to 99	3 257	11	9	3	12	45
100 to 199	298	2	—	—	—	—
200 to 499	18	—	—	—	—	—
500 or more	1	—	—	—	—	—
Heifers and heifer calves	45 253	1 090	2 904	990	2 944	3 748
farms						
number	1 003 996	11 147	19 124	7 505	22 180	41 735
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	46 491	1 140	3 495	1 098	3 074	3 691
farms						
number	1 031 101	23 096	20 992	8 048	21 717	34 760
Cattle and calves sold	54 561	1 465	3 844	1 249	3 530	4 509
farms						
number	1 869 967	40 724	48 291	14 776	42 067	72 678
\$1,000	768 132	15 917	19 487	5 128	13 642	24 855
Calves	26 191	633	1 512	558	1 868	2 561
farms						
number	396 080	7 140	11 586	4 597	16 053	26 338
\$1,000	70 072	1 600	2 106	813	2 583	3 684
Cattle	47 921	1 165	3 173	1 067	2 953	3 850
farms						
number	1 473 887	33 584	36 705	10 179	26 014	46 340
\$1,000	698 060	14 317	17 381	4 315	11 058	21 171
Fattened on grain and concentrates	17 779	522	1 053	429	929	1 085
farms						
number	889 350	19 231	20 687	4 432	7 538	19 551
\$1,000	452 803	8 413	10 597	2 115	3 539	9 937
Hogs and pigs inventory	26 756	1 928	2 356	559	1 602	1 808
farms						
number	4 126 368	203 737	156 268	41 416	119 349	153 147
Farms with—						
1 to 9	3 496	198	671	173	434	372
10 to 49	7 534	787	943	191	678	657
50 to 99	4 667	375	381	90	206	322
100 to 199	4 686	325	206	60	145	245
200 to 499	4 620	183	116	39	110	176
500 or more	1 753	60	39	6	29	36
Used or to be used for breeding	20 921	1 539	1 727	409	1 244	1 431
farms						
number	620 274	37 920	31 888	6 652	24 466	28 561
Other	24 255	1 746	2 099	486	1 310	1 589
farms						
number	3 506 094	165 817	124 380	34 764	94 883	124 586
Hogs and pigs sold	27 305	2 012	2 325	552	1 558	1 808
farms						
number	6 688 305	399 058	297 748	60 691	198 730	274 106
\$1,000	579 163	29 005	20 586	4 589	14 557	21 248
Feeder pigs sold	8 982	1 050	1 010	235	600	732
farms						
number	1 826 329	207 862	160 643	26 730	93 201	117 255
\$1,000	80 673	9 167	6 904	1 162	3 984	5 125
Litters of pigs farrowed between—						
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30	21 704	1 614	1 800	430	1 307	1 508
farms						
number	785 053	49 272	35 313	7 646	25 056	34 483
Dec. 1 and May 31	18 872	1 360	1 432	347	1 075	1 283
farms						
number	395 013	25 952	16 930	3 844	12 328	17 166
June 1 and Nov. 30	18 584	1 452	1 372	351	1 060	1 259
farms						
number	390 040	23 320	18 383	3 802	12 728	17 317
Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory	4 865	283	706	150	376	385
farms						
number	242 533	10 705	18 295	8 350	13 294	14 851
\$1,000	4 525	254	661	138	338	367
Ewes 1 year old or older	151 196	6 638	11 836	5 019	7 840	9 921
farms						
number	4 616	292	601	150	360	382
\$1,000	212 591	9 114	16 985	6 471	10 128	10 999
Sheep and lambs shorn	4 419	260	549	134	327	375
farms						
number	200 383	8 781	17 558	5 682	9 186	12 312
pounds of wool	1 515 607	67 437	125 028	44 079	73 147	93 554
Horses and ponies inventory	12 384	502	2 333	553	1 092	968
farms						
number	54 200	1 677	9 927	2 834	5 566	4 136
Horses and ponies sold	2 716	166	881	141	218	205
farms						
number	8 599	539	2 392	453	731	664
\$1,000	5 464	410	1 875	247	422	338
Goats inventory	696	30	330	31	88	46
farms						
number	4 635	379	1 837	327	403	489
Goats sold	411	22	253	13	55	17
farms						
number	2 780	487	1 399	169	259	126
\$1,000	116	31	47	4	7	11

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Chickens 3 months old or older inventory	9 424	607	1 613	377	935	939
farms						
number	11 742 666	1 781 226	2 482 722	388 294	408 726	804 293
Farms with—						
1 to 399	8 371	519	1 514	354	877	870
400 to 3,199	573	17	23	9	33	33
3,200 to 9,999	204	25	31	5	12	14
10,000 to 19,999	152	22	20	3	8	14
20,000 to 49,999	88	15	15	5	5	5
50,000 to 99,999	22	8	5	—	—	2
100,000 or more	14	1	5	1	—	1
Hens and pullets of laying age	9 221	590	1 504	370	924	933
farms						
number	9 945 374	1 302 117	1 766 217	377 291	394 871	767 563
Pullets 3 months old or older not of laying age	1 057	248	266	37	163	46
farms						
number	1 797 292	479 109	716 505	11 003	13 855	36 730

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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]					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			
<b>LIVESTOCK—Con.</b>								
<b>Cattle and calves inventory—Con.</b>								
<b>Cows and heifers that had calved—Con.</b>								
Milk cows	farms	3 865	2 882	2 989	8 351	2 528	301	33
	number	90 304	79 655	90 194	298 076	111 546	17 393	3 197
Farms with—								
1 to 4	farms	298	152	137	345	159	27	5
5 to 9	farms	217	112	86	149	51	1	2
10 to 49	farms	3 232	2 389	2 432	6 133	1 400	125	5
50 to 99	farms	114	226	330	1 623	774	99	11
100 to 199	farms	4	3	4	99	138	42	6
200 to 499	farms	—	—	—	2	6	7	3
500 or more	farms	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
Heifers and heifer calves	farms	6 011	4 303	4 308	12 986	4 933	890	146
	number	87 501	76 279	89 384	357 416	209 816	63 812	18 097
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	farms	5 857	4 161	4 232	13 269	5 298	999	177
	number	70 228	56 913	70 104	339 529	252 207	99 370	34 137
Cattle and calves sold	farms	7 161	4 790	5 065	15 565	6 034	1 150	199
	number	132 079	103 251	132 850	593 252	437 345	186 283	66 371
	\$1,000	46 142	36 642	50 010	241 007	196 513	87 010	31 778
Calves	farms	3 914	2 681	2 650	7 028	2 312	404	70
	number	44 909	33 600	37 624	123 955	60 461	21 473	8 344
	\$1,000	6 831	5 003	5 994	20 925	12 809	5 661	2 062
Cattle	farms	6 241	4 214	4 491	14 044	5 490	1 057	176
	number	87 170	69 651	95 226	469 297	376 884	164 810	58 027
	\$1,000	39 311	31 640	44 016	220 082	183 704	81 350	29 715
Fattened on grain and concentrates	farms	2 039	1 348	1 569	5 672	2 565	497	71
	number	35 305	31 166	45 917	279 057	266 348	121 328	38 790
	\$1,000	17 026	15 085	23 121	140 793	136 908	63 253	22 015
Hogs and pigs inventory	farms	3 358	2 000	2 337	7 439	2 866	448	55
	number	377 829	252 576	342 461	1 374 983	848 291	209 544	46 767
Farms with—								
1 to 9	farms	472	225	233	567	128	21	2
10 to 49	farms	1 006	602	595	1 565	439	68	3
50 to 99	farms	698	417	466	1 294	375	39	4
100 to 199	farms	620	364	477	1 639	542	57	6
200 to 499	farms	453	315	438	1 771	874	132	13
500 or more	farms	109	77	128	603	508	131	27
Used or to be used for breeding	farms	2 721	1 594	1 907	5 880	2 118	311	40
	number	64 875	41 688	55 427	193 320	104 582	24 412	6 483
Other	farms	3 037	1 815	2 135	6 885	2 676	424	53
	number	312 954	210 888	287 034	1 181 663	743 709	185 132	40 284
Hogs and pigs sold	farms	3 422	2 033	2 423	7 655	3 001	459	57
	number	609 707	414 585	533 264	2 147 520	1 362 827	319 787	70 282
	\$1,000	50 828	34 973	46 388	193 754	126 244	30 544	6 449
Feeder pigs sold	farms	1 142	671	731	2 002	709	88	12
	number	202 011	131 760	144 795	442 620	251 741	33 910	13 801
	\$1,000	8 931	5 909	6 331	19 401	11 737	1 359	663
Litters of pigs farrowed between—								
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30	farms	2 813	1 651	1 976	6 063	2 184	318	40
	number	79 010	50 984	68 753	250 193	139 720	35 783	8 840
Dec. 1 and May 31	farms	2 436	1 444	1 730	5 439	1 999	289	38
	number	40 170	25 936	33 957	126 097	70 000	18 071	4 562
June 1 and Nov. 30	farms	2 377	1 408	1 714	5 320	1 942	292	37
	number	38 840	25 048	34 796	124 096	69 720	17 712	4 278
Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory	farms	579	421	324	1 126	431	73	11
	number	25 400	18 449	18 586	74 702	30 590	8 320	991
Ewes 1 year old or older	farms	541	394	305	1 050	403	65	9
	number	15 681	13 556	11 050	43 958	20 284	4 801	612
Sheep and lambs sold	farms	581	309	314	1 116	426	73	12
	number	20 329	9 774	15 821	77 575	27 096	5 909	2 390
Sheep and lambs shorn	farms	538	398	308	1 049	407	65	9
	number	20 048	13 658	14 453	64 251	28 289	5 510	655
	pounds of wool	155 270	106 440	115 125	464 438	219 982	44 954	6 153
Horses and ponies inventory	farms	1 292	984	767	2 450	1 133	241	69
	number	6 214	3 650	3 145	10 114	5 368	1 121	448
Horses and ponies sold	farms	298	125	100	365	171	39	7
	number	1 046	384	544	1 151	533	146	16
	\$1,000	443	174	294	802	374	74	10
Goats inventory	farms	41	28	36	52	11	2	1
	number	274	227	156	336	193	(D)	(D)
Goats sold	farms	19	8	3	15	6	—	—
	number	168	36	16	63	57	—	—
	\$1,000	9	1	(2)	1	5	—	—
<b>POULTRY</b>								
Chickens 3 months old or older inventory	farms	1 239	788	629	1 674	545	70	8
	number	864 690	720 949	461 220	2 258 825	1 357 137	199 114	15 470
Farms with—								
1 to 399	farms	1 086	693	531	1 435	433	53	6
400 to 3,199	farms	107	62	74	147	65	3	—
3,200 to 9,999	farms	18	15	12	46	21	4	1
10,000 to 19,999	farms	17	10	6	27	16	8	1
20,000 to 49,999	farms	9	7	5	14	6	2	—
50,000 to 99,999	farms	2	—	—	2	2	—	—
100,000 or more	farms	—	1	—	3	2	—	—
Hens and pullets of laying age	farms	1 218	782	624	1 662	536	70	8
	number	787 210	609 388	386 632	2 092 194	1 255 325	191 096	15 470
Pullets 3 months old or older not of laying age	farms	79	41	29	104	40	4	—
	number	77 480	111 561	74 588	166 631	101 812	8 018	—

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
<b>POULTRY—Con.</b>							
Chickens 3 months old or older sold	farms	3 111	213	517	82	235	287
	number	13 206 687	2 049 137	3 416 879	404 721	332 189	768 900
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold	farms	1 869	201	586	66	129	116
	number	11 295 993	1 086 938	2 018 426	219 349	1 049 703	192 895
Farms with—							
1 to 1,999		1 774	190	570	64	122	112
2,000 to 59,999		43	6	6	1	—	3
60,000 to 99,999		9	1	2	—	1	—
100,000 or more		43	4	8	1	6	1
Turkey hens kept for breeding	farms	314	27	54	14	23	24
	number	516 153	42 523	65 480	34 968	19 274	21 942
Turkeys sold	farms	433	41	73	17	26	31
	number	23 350 312	568 076	2 114 189	388 732	1 504 652	1 133 566
<b>CROPS HARVESTED</b>							
Corn for all purposes	farms	67 574	273	3 428	1 437	4 924	5 591
	acres	6 479 708	837	41 270	28 937	127 311	204 103
For grain or seed	farms	63 530	269	3 263	1 370	4 628	5 250
	acres	5 795 849	819	38 785	27 074	117 090	180 809
	bushels	571 348 845	79 994	3 281 790	2 358 747	10 531 898	16 629 772
Irrigated	farms	1 249	3	12	10	17	25
	acres	149 577	6	132	200	584	1 355
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres		13 613	269	2 946	957	2 519	1 921
25 to 99 acres		29 482	—	317	413	2 109	3 222
100 to 499 acres		19 732	—	—	—	—	107
500 acres or more		703	—	—	—	—	—
Wheat for grain	farms	23 665	10	425	279	1 004	1 099
	acres	2 478 924	36	6 037	5 375	20 360	27 517
	bushels	80 967 999	1 291	164 542	134 317	531 454	699 742
Irrigated	farms	47	—	3	—	1	1
	acres	2 207	—	52	—	(D)	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres		7 097	10	352	202	704	690
25 to 99 acres		9 655	—	73	77	300	390
100 to 499 acres		6 095	—	—	—	—	19
500 acres or more		818	—	—	—	—	—
Oats for grain	farms	47 672	32	1 443	857	3 242	3 997
	acres	1 676 421	90	17 435	11 377	50 489	75 646
	bushels	89 752 394	4 192	706 321	531 213	2 353 623	3 738 459
Irrigated	farms	107	—	2	—	5	7
	acres	3 064	—	(D)	—	35	182
Barley for grain	farms	9 410	1	87	69	232	295
	acres	960 094	(D)	(D)	1 448	5 438	8 397
	bushels	46 433 852	(D)	(D)	57 676	233 836	364 735
Irrigated	farms	27	1	1	—	1	1
	acres	1 430	(D)	(D)	—	(D)	(D)
Flaxseed	farms	1 317	—	18	8	33	39
	acres	73 676	—	373	196	790	975
	bushels	1 114 390	—	5 681	2 042	10 311	12 048
Irrigated	farms	1	—	—	—	—	—
	acres	(D)	—	—	—	—	—
Sunflower seed	farms	3 020	—	30	11	36	52
	acres	598 062	—	786	257	1 411	2 640
	pounds	845 914 201	—	921 197	417 451	1 802 079	3 784 141
Irrigated	farms	28	—	—	—	—	—
	acres	3 087	—	—	—	—	—
Soybeans for beans	farms	39 252	89	1 561	759	2 536	2 676
	acres	3 742 606	425	25 968	17 879	76 301	102 927
	bushels	123 035 099	14 365	776 762	547 541	2 356 628	3 233 614
Irrigated	farms	252	—	9	4	6	12
	acres	13 987	—	153	52	146	255
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres		6 788	89	1 246	441	1 039	847
25 to 99 acres		18 780	—	315	318	1 497	1 747
100 to 499 acres		13 311	—	—	—	—	82
500 acres or more		373	—	—	—	—	—
Dry field and seed beans	farms	390	1	7	5	9	11
	acres	30 671	(D)	(D)	89	333	158
	100-lb bags	426 980	(D)	(D)	1 420	4 637	2 636
Irrigated	farms	49	—	1	—	—	—
	acres	4 233	—	(D)	—	—	—
Irish potatoes	farms	817	15	48	25	58	50
	acres	89 572	13	218	218	404	404
	hundredweight	18 085 699	2 315	35 541	36 036	64 272	86 203
Irrigated	farms	99	2	7	2	8	5
	acres	19 782	(D)	6	(D)	35	56
Farms by acres harvested:							
0.1 to 0.9 acres		207	7	16	11	36	25
1.0 to 4.9 acres		134	8	21	7	9	15
5.0 to 24.9 acres		74	—	8	4	8	3
25.0 to 99.9 acres		147	—	3	3	5	7
100.0 acres or more		255	—	—	—	—	—

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	
	farms	number	farms	number	farms	number	farms	number	farms	number	farms	number	farms	number
<b>POULTRY—Con.</b>														
Chickens 3 months old or older sold	farms	419	243	235	623	222	32	3						
	number	789 445	1 453 139	394 640	2 249 275	1 054 195	279 067	15 100						
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold	farms	150	125	103	294	90	8	1						
	number	880 530	1 020 823	2 729 234	1 991 490	96 249	(D)	(D)						
Farms with—														
1 to 1,999		142	116	91	273	86	7	1						
2,000 to 59,999		4	3	5	10	4	1	—						
60,000 to 99,999		—	1	1	3	—	—	—						
100,000 or more		4	5	6	8	—	—	—						
Turkey hens kept for breeding	farms	27	24	19	59	34	6	3						
	number	20 419	13 994	29 204	88 418	132 222	18 702	29 007						
Turkeys sold	farms	50	21	21	75	55	15	8						
	number	2 963 920	761 065	768 014	2 546 018	4 139 257	3 450 245	3 012 578						
<b>CROPS HARVESTED</b>														
Corn for all purposes	farms	9 571	6 190	6 540	20 058	7 824	1 504	234						
	acres	489 083	382 733	504 032	2 314 135	1 635 864	598 932	152 471						
For grain or seed	farms	9 061	5 720	6 172	18 873	7 317	1 388	219						
	acres	432 123	326 319	439 955	2 054 635	1 489 713	548 453	140 074						
Irrigated	bushels	41 471 120	31 289 836	42 934 296	201 318 542	150 666 044	56 325 360	14 461 446						
	farms	68	78	105	440	373	94	24						
	acres	3 915	4 968	7 270	40 920	52 732	26 895	10 600						
Farms by acres harvested:														
1 to 24 acres		1 798	911	695	1 265	290	38	4						
25 to 99 acres		6 870	4 207	3 938	7 104	1 146	135	21						
100 to 499 acres		393	602	1 539	10 504	5 744	763	80						
500 acres or more		—	—	—	—	137	452	114						
Wheat for grain	farms	2 302	1 433	1 836	7 886	5 262	1 689	440						
	acres	73 734	49 505	74 052	512 673	753 936	574 745	380 954						
Irrigated	bushels	2 036 593	1 363 730	2 115 394	15 083 438	24 202 947	20 400 992	14 233 559						
	farms	(D)	4	7	13	11	4	2						
	acres	(D)	64	339	241	721	420	(D)						
Farms by acres harvested:														
1 to 24 acres		1 149	694	752	2 019	482	41	2						
25 to 99 acres		1 065	666	948	4 156	1 739	225	16						
100 to 499 acres		88	73	136	1 711	2 965	1 005	98						
500 acres or more		—	—	—	—	76	418	324						
Oats for grain	farms	6 871	4 731	4 849	14 795	5 747	977	131						
	acres	163 718	123 418	148 149	586 633	366 052	108 087	25 327						
Irrigated	bushels	8 458 738	6 277 025	7 762 025	31 609 689	20 489 127	6 319 508	1 502 474						
	farms	7	9	13	39	21	3	1						
	acres	144	234	227	1 265	681	135	(D)						
Barley for grain	farms	645	390	543	2 910	2 795	1 112	331						
	acres	21 878	13 455	21 298	168 087	312 906	245 531	160 381						
Irrigated	bushels	938 324	568 923	903 745	7 424 172	14 955 877	12 543 607	8 388 888						
	farms	1	2	2	9	6	1	2						
	acres	(D)	(D)	(D)	382	563	(D)	(D)						
Flaxseed	farms	119	64	68	461	344	136	27						
	acres	3 641	2 354	2 360	19 105	24 512	13 557	5 813						
Irrigated	bushels	49 145	33 896	34 476	291 277	389 381	217 720	68 413						
	farms	1	—	—	—	—	—	—						
	acres	(D)	—	—	—	—	—	—						
Sunflower seed	farms	119	66	89	736	1 035	608	238						
	acres	6 162	3 918	5 968	72 475	167 797	173 296	163 352						
Irrigated	pounds	8 010 171	5 110 885	8 236 573	98 259 464	230 389 773	246 001 351	242 981 116						
	farms	—	—	—	2	16	8	2						
	acres	—	—	—	(D)	1 690	727	(D)						
Soybeans for beans	farms	5 377	3 157	3 793	12 659	5 439	1 062	144						
	acres	267 509	185 336	267 440	1 333 665	1 014 742	360 610	89 804						
Irrigated	bushels	8 686 815	6 060 235	8 782 678	43 943 136	33 596 959	12 066 093	2 970 273						
	farms	14	9	23	81	70	20	4						
	acres	365	290	969	3 636	5 310	2 351	460						
Farms by acres harvested:														
1 to 24 acres		1 075	523	437	927	150	13	1						
25 to 99 acres		4 050	2 287	2 393	4 980	1 075	111	7						
100 to 499 acres		252	347	963	6 752	4 159	696	60						
500 acres or more		—	—	—	—	55	242	76						
Dry field and seed beans	farms	22	16	28	136	90	52	13						
	acres	666	806	1 147	7 647	6 900	8 811	3 961						
Irrigated	100-lb bags	9 451	10 308	15 224	113 320	95 032	112 848	59 868						
	farms	3	1	1	12	20	10	1						
	acres	185	(D)	(D)	768	1 850	1 270	(D)						
Irish potatoes	farms	70	38	50	182	144	104	33						
	acres	1 171	952	1 378	10 843	17 972	33 743	22 257						
Irrigated	hundredweight	239 412	159 910	279 999	2 096 026	3 523 431	6 367 324	5 195 230						
	farms	3	4	5	23	21	10	9						
	acres	76	171	427	2 916	3 447	3 592	9 015						
Farms by acres harvested:														
0.1 to 0.9 acres		29	13	19	45	6	—	—						
1.0 to 4.9 acres		15	10	11	30	7	—	—						
5.0 to 24.9 acres		9	5	6	14	11	6	—						
25.0 to 99.9 acres		15	8	9	47	43	7	—						
100.0 acres or more		2	2	5	46	77	91	32						

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
Sugar beets for sugar.....farms.....	1 313	—	9	10	6	13
.....acres.....	258 082	—	346	434	401	848
.....tons.....	4 712 581	—	6 309	7 680	8 417	15 806
Irrigated.....farms.....	19	—	—	—	—	—
.....acres.....	3 516	—	—	—	—	—
Hay crops (see text).....farms.....	61 600	268	5 043	1 682	4 977	5 566
.....acres.....	2 733 219	629	56 121	27 956	100 994	149 505
.....tons, dry.....	7 321 250	1 517	125 927	65 103	238 904	386 902
Irrigated.....farms.....	483	—	10	3	9	11
.....acres.....	18 380	—	199	12	78	227
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres.....	25 161	268	4 747	1 332	3 452	2 754
25 to 99 acres.....	30 325	—	296	350	1 521	2 771
100 to 499 acres.....	6 046	—	—	—	4	41
500 acres or more.....	68	—	—	—	—	—
Alfalfa hay.....farms.....	53 129	231	4 096	1 359	3 976	4 605
.....acres.....	1 883 434	488	42 681	20 168	70 566	103 336
.....tons, dry.....	5 821 924	1 315	105 823	54 426	194 069	312 960
Irrigated.....farms.....	430	—	7	3	7	10
.....acres.....	13 779	—	165	12	71	133
Wild hay.....farms.....	9 724	15	527	259	788	1 005
.....acres.....	177 487	34	5 451	2 781	10 043	14 031
.....tons, dry.....	256 240	53	8 787	3 225	12 228	19 167
Irrigated.....farms.....	12	—	1	—	2	1
.....acres.....	405	—	(D)	—	(D)	(D)
Grass silage and haylage.....farms.....	5 570	5	26	28	65	186
.....acres.....	238 298	20	218	264	1 177	3 739
.....tons, green.....	1 509 671	80	1 373	1 434	5 767	26 062
Irrigated.....farms.....	74	—	1	—	—	—
.....acres.....	2 814	—	(D)	—	—	—
All vegetables harvested for sale (see text).....farms.....	3 840	226	635	107	195	191
.....acres.....	184 565	752	3 244	1 640	4 179	5 363
Irrigated.....farms.....	362	14	60	15	23	16
.....acres.....	20 587	24	401	197	248	368
Farms by acres harvested:						
0.1 to 4.9 acres.....	1 012	214	473	50	60	52
5.0 to 24.9 acres.....	661	12	132	27	59	43
25.0 to 99.9 acres.....	1 812	—	30	30	76	90
100.0 acres or more.....	355	—	—	—	—	6
Green peas excluding cowpeas.....farms.....	1 593	8	31	21	59	77
.....acres.....	55 180	10	407	303	1 215	1 755
Irrigated.....farms.....	62	2	3	—	—	—
.....acres.....	2 908	(D)	1	—	—	(D)
Sweet corn.....farms.....	2 585	40	415	71	138	131
.....acres.....	110 560	63	1 633	1 012	2 363	3 142
Irrigated.....farms.....	235	3	28	10	12	7
.....acres.....	14 231	1	126	141	149	145
Land in orchards.....farms.....	464	53	163	28	50	40
.....acres.....	5 270	154	1 013	281	550	663
Irrigated.....farms.....	39	6	14	3	6	4
.....acres.....	374	18	105	3	54	5
Farms by acres in orchards:						
0.1 to 4.9 acres.....	293	41	100	16	31	19
5.0 to 24.9 acres.....	114	12	55	6	11	10
25.0 to 99.9 acres.....	46	—	8	6	8	11
100.0 acres or more.....	11	—	—	—	—	—

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
<b>CROPS HARVESTED—Con.</b>								
Sugar beets for sugar	farms	33	15	26	248	493	330	130
	acres	2 401	1 228	2 533	27 785	83 727	82 544	55 835
	tons	45 602	22 038	47 974	496 809	1 515 848	1 529 840	1 016 258
Irrigated	farms	—	—	—	—	2	6	11
	acres	—	—	—	—	(D)	(D)	2 382
Hay crops (see text)	farms	8 434	5 651	5 599	16 613	6 362	1 193	212
	acres	266 976	223 443	243 302	936 031	518 491	156 979	52 792
	tons, dry	713 465	607 139	667 848	2 554 720	1 396 958	428 280	134 487
Irrigated	farms	29	37	42	183	124	25	10
	acres	953	1 094	1 367	6 332	5 441	1 710	967
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres		3 554	1 788	1 729	4 147	1 226	151	13
25 to 99 acres		4 760	3 656	3 506	9 867	3 098	450	50
100 to 499 acres		120	207	364	2 597	2 025	559	129
500 acres or more		—	—	—	2	13	33	20
Alfalfa hay	farms	7 255	4 964	4 936	14 809	5 676	1 038	184
	acres	190 090	160 895	170 485	640 065	350 667	98 818	35 175
	tons, dry	584 981	499 914	538 487	2 012 110	1 090 661	320 205	106 973
Irrigated	farms	25	33	38	168	110	22	7
	acres	649	875	927	5 010	4 110	1 265	562
Wild hay	farms	1 408	956	952	2 721	921	150	22
	acres	18 531	13 815	16 051	53 435	28 392	11 829	3 094
	tons, dry	24 548	19 765	22 747	83 107	41 455	17 001	4 157
Irrigated	farms	—	—	—	5	1	—	2
	acres	—	—	—	91	(D)	—	(D)
Grass silage and haylage	farms	507	437	617	2 374	1 106	199	20
	acres	12 006	13 028	20 691	100 784	66 175	17 295	2 901
	tons, green	78 387	86 068	133 424	632 112	404 679	122 910	17 375
Irrigated	farms	3	4	10	28	24	3	—
	acres	136	139	221	881	1 133	(D)	(D)
All vegetables harvested for sale (see text)	farms	313	227	242	1 026	520	127	31
	acres	10 692	8 199	10 329	54 612	40 219	15 324	30 012
Irrigated	farms	24	13	13	86	77	14	7
	acres	846	474	704	5 884	6 873	2 248	2 321
Farms by acres harvested:								
0.1 to 4.9 acres		48	24	24	47	18	2	—
5.0 to 24.9 acres		74	46	47	154	58	6	3
25.0 to 99.9 acres		182	145	154	721	315	63	6
100.0 acres or more		9	12	17	104	129	56	22
Green peas excluding cowpeas	farms	172	126	133	578	305	66	17
	acres	4 240	3 232	3 561	18 636	12 704	4 148	4 968
Irrigated	farms	2	1	2	22	26	1	2
	acres	(D)	(D)	(D)	796	1 451	(D)	(D)
Sweet corn	farms	208	149	171	763	381	98	20
	acres	5 913	4 618	6 563	33 160	24 410	9 309	18 375
Irrigated	farms	15	7	13	63	58	13	6
	acres	665	199	638	3 675	4 708	2 123	1 661
Land in orchards	farms	31	20	12	45	18	3	1
	acres	630	367	259	1 048	298	(D)	(D)
Irrigated	farms	1	1	—	3	1	—	—
	acres	(D)	(D)	—	181	(D)	—	—
Farms by acres in orchards:								
0.1 to 4.9 acres		21	14	7	30	11	2	1
5.0 to 24.9 acres		3	1	3	7	5	1	—
25.0 to 99.9 acres		4	4	1	3	1	—	—
100.0 acres or more		3	1	1	5	1	—	—

<sup>1</sup>1978 data are based on a sample of farms; see text.