

Table 32. Summary by Age and Principal Occupation of Operators for Farms With Sales of Less Than \$20,000: 1978

[Excludes abnormal farms; see text]

Farms With Sales of Less Than \$20,000	Total farming and other occupations	Farming							
		Total	Age of operator						
			Under 25 years	25 to 34 years	35 to 44 years	45 to 54 years	55 to 64 years	65 years and over	
FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS									
Farms	number	1 825	619	15	51	72	193	154	134
	percent	100.0	33.9	0.8	2.7	3.9	10.5	8.4	7.3
Land in farms	acres	511 872	197 405	2 425	20 612	23 373	44 680	66 744	39 571
Average size of farm	acres	280	319	162	404	325	232	433	295
Value of land and buildings ¹	farms	1 814	641	33	42	67	194	172	133
	\$1,000	351 153	157 550	4 015	7 676	25 823	45 092	47 006	27 938
Average per farm	dollars	193 579	245 787	121 666	182 756	385 414	232 435	273 289	210 059
Average per acre	dollars	707	825	714	539	1 308	929	733	724
Farms by value of land and buildings:									
\$1 to \$19,999		103	26	5	3	3	6	6	3
\$20,000 to \$39,999		195	35	—	—	5	3	14	13
\$40,000 to \$69,999		254	78	5	5	6	26	10	26
\$70,000 to \$99,999		239	88	6	7	2	21	28	24
\$100,000 to \$149,999		331	99	10	4	—	55	20	10
\$150,000 to \$199,999		194	73	—	7	5	24	22	15
\$200,000 to \$499,999		371	164	7	14	32	27	54	30
\$500,000 to \$999,999		94	60	—	2	12	28	10	8
\$1,000,000 or more		33	18	—	—	2	4	8	4
Owned and rented land by operator:									
Land owned	farms	1 649	538	12	37	62	161	142	124
	acres	255 898	133 865	2 213	12 241	17 528	37 252	28 575	36 056
Land rented or leased from others	farms	376	160	3	20	23	55	37	22
	acres	268 904	68 161	212	8 401	6 155	8 793	39 531	5 069
Land rented or leased to others	farms	75	30	—	1	3	5	9	12
	acres	12 930	4 621	—	(D)	310	1 365	1 362	1 554
LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE									
Total cropland	farms	1 490	549	14	42	66	168	138	121
	acres	139 968	77 814	2 100	3 910	12 257	26 501	18 818	14 228
Harvested cropland	farms	1 137	484	11	37	52	154	122	108
	acres	57 962	36 018	679	2 553	6 127	11 323	8 919	6 417
Farms by acres harvested:									
1 to 9 acres		263	80	1	10	3	46	8	12
10 to 29 acres		315	77	1	2	9	14	25	26
30 to 49 acres		171	63	2	2	5	13	16	25
50 to 99 acres		197	125	5	14	12	34	37	23
100 to 199 acres		146	106	2	6	14	36	32	16
200 to 499 acres		42	30	—	3	7	10	4	6
500 acres or more		3	3	—	—	2	1	—	—
Cropland:									
Pasture or grazing only	farms	725	266	6	18	28	72	78	64
	acres	53 333	25 410	(D)	1 254	2 452	7 241	7 462	(D)
Cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses not harvested or pastured	farms	50	24	4	—	5	8	3	4
	acres	5 033	4 621	112	—	203	4 142	95	69
On which all crops failed	farms	74	39	—	1	10	9	15	4
	acres	3 789	2 956	—	(D)	1 536	739	332	(D)
In cultivated summer fallow	farms	59	18	2	—	5	3	5	3
	acres	3 419	1 328	(D)	—	668	240	268	(D)
Idle	farms	307	89	4	2	16	28	25	14
	acres	16 432	7 481	837	(D)	1 271	2 816	1 742	(D)
Total woodland									
	farms	48	19	—	1	—	9	3	6
	acres	3 382	2 433	—	(D)	—	502	(D)	1 852
Woodland pastured	farms	15	6	—	—	—	2	3	1
	acres	399	262	—	—	—	(D)	50	(D)
Woodland not pastured	farms	35	14	—	1	—	7	1	5
	acres	2 983	2 171	—	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	(D)
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured									
	farms	378	161	1	16	20	40	45	39
	acres	342 162	102 353	(D)	16 046	9 460	(D)	45 135	18 649
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc.	farms	1 212	410	9	30	51	112	109	99
	acres	26 360	14 805	(D)	(D)	1 656	4 767	(D)	4 842
Pastureland, all types									
	farms	1 009	389	7	29	46	106	111	90
	acres	395 894	128 025	563	17 300	11 912	20 361	52 647	25 242
Irrigated land	farms	1 388	537	13	41	59	164	137	123
	acres	107 432	72 219	831	6 272	9 454	18 419	25 978	11 265
Harvested cropland irrigated	farms	1 137	484	11	37	52	154	122	108
	acres	57 962	36 018	679	2 553	6 127	11 323	8 919	6 417
Pastureland irrigated	farms	595	233	4	14	17	65	71	62
	acres	45 156	33 176	(D)	3 719	1 605	6 547	16 423	(D)
Other land irrigated	farms	83	34	3	—	8	6	15	2
	acres	4 314	3 025	(D)	—	1 722	549	636	(D)
Land set aside in the federal farm programs in 1978	farms	27	20	1	3	1	6	4	5
	acres	712	486	(D)	170	(D)	161	78	(D)
RACE AND TENURE OF OPERATOR									
All operators	number	1 825	619	15	51	72	193	154	134
Full owners	number	1 453	461	12	31	49	138	119	112
Part owners	number	195	76	—	6	13	23	22	12
Tenants	number	177	82	3	14	10	32	13	10
White	number	1 707	564	12	49	67	156	151	129
Full owners	number	1 357	419	9	31	45	108	117	109
Part owners	number	184	70	—	4	12	20	22	12
Tenants	number	166	75	3	14	10	28	12	8
Black and other races	number	118	55	3	2	5	37	3	5
Full owners	number	96	42	3	—	4	30	2	3
Part owners	number	11	6	—	2	1	3	—	—
Tenants	number	11	7	—	—	—	4	1	2

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[Excludes abnormal farms; see text]

Farms With Sales of Less Than \$20,000		Other occupations						
		Age of operator						
		Total	Under 25 years	25 to 34 years	35 to 44 years	45 to 54 years	55 to 64 years	65 years and over
FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS								
Farms	number	1 206	6	139	362	320	264	115
	percent	66.0	0.3	7.6	19.8	17.5	14.4	6.3
Land in farms	acres	314 467	590	16 051	150 167	33 090	25 834	88 735
Average size of farm	acres	261	98	115	415	103	98	772
Value of land and buildings ¹	farms	1 173	5	118	350	334	269	97
	\$1,000	193 603	581	18 532	54 788	56 459	35 035	28 208
Average per farm	dollars	165 049	116 200	157 053	156 536	169 038	130 241	290 804
Average per acre	dollars	633	1 046	1 446	349	2 019	1 418	339
Farms by value of land and buildings:								
\$1 to \$19,999		77	1	14	13	23	21	5
\$20,000 to \$39,999		160	—	22	35	46	43	14
\$40,000 to \$69,999		176	3	17	43	57	51	5
\$70,000 to \$99,999		151	—	9	45	49	35	13
\$100,000 to \$149,999		232	—	17	118	44	48	5
\$150,000 to \$199,999		121	—	16	34	52	16	3
\$200,000 to \$499,999		207	1	16	58	44	45	43
\$500,000 to \$999,999		34	—	6	2	14	7	5
\$1,000,000 or more		15	—	1	2	5	3	4
Owned and rented land by operator:								
Land owned	farms	1 111	3	111	352	283	248	114
	acres	122 033	455	10 689	32 173	29 195	20 705	28 816
Land rented or leased from others	farms	216	3	46	47	69	41	10
	acres	200 743	135	5 616	118 980	4 970	10 507	60 535
Land rented or leased to others	farms	45	—	7	5	11	14	8
	acres	8 309	—	254	986	1 075	5 378	616
LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE								
Total cropland	farms	941	6	100	286	256	199	94
	acres	62 154	582	6 022	20 919	16 328	12 109	6 194
Harvested cropland	farms	653	5	66	183	183	149	67
	acres	21 944	194	2 013	6 239	6 766	3 616	3 116
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 9 acres		183	—	13	51	30	55	34
10 to 29 acres		238	1	33	64	79	47	14
30 to 49 acres		108	3	10	33	33	23	6
50 to 99 acres		72	1	6	17	23	21	4
100 to 199 acres		40	—	2	15	16	3	4
200 to 499 acres		12	—	2	3	2	—	5
500 acres or more		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cropland:								
Pasture or grazing only	farms	459	3	62	139	117	98	40
	acres	27 923	198	3 012	9 960	6 436	5 848	2 469
Cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses not harvested or pastured	farms	26	—	3	7	10	5	1
	acres	412	—	126	112	88	(D)	(D)
On which all crops failed	farms	35	1	5	3	12	11	3
	acres	833	(D)	173	123	123	233	(D)
In cultivated summer fallow	farms	41	—	2	31	5	3	(D)
	acres	2 091	—	(D)	1 610	397	(D)	—
Idle	farms	218	1	20	67	82	38	10
	acres	8 951	(D)	714	2 825	2 518	2 343	(D)
Total woodland								
	farms	29	—	5	11	5	4	4
	acres	949	—	565	75	31	190	88
Woodland pastured	farms	9	—	—	2	2	3	2
	acres	137	—	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Woodland not pastured	farms	21	—	5	10	3	1	2
	acres	812	—	565	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured								
	farms	217	—	25	64	53	47	28
	acres	239 809	—	8 768	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc.	farms	802	4	77	265	237	172	47
	acres	11 555	8	696	3 088	1 913	3 597	2 253
Pastureland, all types	farms	620	3	79	189	158	130	61
	acres	267 869	198	11 780	136 090	21 268	15 856	82 677
Irrigated land	farms	851	5	93	247	229	189	88
	acres	35 213	194	3 617	9 149	10 735	7 625	3 893
Harvested cropland irrigated	farms	653	5	66	183	183	149	67
	acres	21 944	194	2 013	6 239	6 766	3 616	3 116
Pastureland irrigated	farms	362	—	45	111	97	77	32
	acres	11 980	—	1 418	2 720	3 472	3 665	705
Other land irrigated	farms	49	—	7	10	15	13	4
	acres	1 289	—	186	190	497	344	72
Land set aside in the federal farm programs in 1978	farms	7	—	—	1	4	—	2
	acres	226	—	—	(D)	49	—	(D)
RACE AND TENURE OF OPERATOR								
All operators	number	1 206	6	139	362	320	264	115
Full owners	number	992	3	94	315	252	223	105
Part owners	number	119	—	17	37	31	25	9
Tenants	number	95	3	28	10	37	16	1
White	number	1 143	6	129	343	307	249	109
Full owners	number	938	3	87	299	241	208	100
Part owners	number	114	—	16	36	29	25	8
Tenants	number	91	3	26	8	37	16	1
Black and other races	number	63	—	10	19	13	15	6
Full owners	number	54	—	7	16	11	15	5
Part owners	number	5	—	1	1	2	—	1
Tenants	number	4	—	2	2	—	—	—

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		Total	Age of operator					
			Under 25 years	25 to 34 years	35 to 44 years	45 to 54 years	55 to 64 years	
FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION								
Individual or family..... farms.....	1 598	543	10	42	64	171	136	120
..... acres.....	378 059	168 681	1 235	14 641	20 046	37 198	61 434	34 127
Partnership..... farms.....	159	58	5	5	5	17	13	13
..... acres.....	52 710	(D)	1 190	851	1 059	5 888	4 889	(D)
Corporations:								
Family held..... farms.....	56	16	—	4	3	3	5	1
..... acres.....	18 299	9 278	—	5 120	2 268	(D)	421	(D)
More than 10 stockholders..... farms.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
10 or less stockholders..... farms.....	56	16	—	4	3	3	5	1
Other than family held..... farms.....	4	1	—	—	—	1	—	—
..... acres.....	62 030	(D)	—	—	—	(D)	—	—
More than 10 stockholders..... farms.....	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
10 or less stockholders..... farms.....	3	1	—	—	—	1	—	—
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, etc..... farms.....	8	1	—	—	—	1	—	—
..... acres.....	774	(D)	—	—	—	(D)	—	—
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS								
Operators by place of residence:								
On farm operated.....	1 395	511	9	42	62	147	135	116
Not on farm operated.....	318	69	3	7	9	28	12	10
Operators by age group:								
Under 25 years.....	21	15	15	—	—	—	—	—
25 to 34 years.....	190	51	—	51	—	—	—	—
35 to 44 years.....	434	72	—	—	72	—	—	—
45 to 54 years.....	513	193	—	—	—	193	—	—
55 to 64 years.....	418	154	—	—	—	—	154	—
65 years and over.....	249	134	—	—	—	—	—	134
Average age.....	50.4	53.8	20.2	30.2	40.4	50.2	59.6	72.5
Operators by sex:								
Male.....	1 660	560	14	44	59	176	143	124
Female.....	165	59	1	7	13	17	11	10
Operators of Spanish origin.....	55	19	—	1	5	7	5	1
Operators by principal occupation:								
Farming.....	619	619	15	51	72	193	154	134
Other.....	1 206	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Operators reporting days of work off farm:								
None.....	476	361	5	21	27	110	99	99
1 to 99 days.....	170	103	5	16	9	35	26	12
100 to 199 days.....	182	71	3	6	20	23	11	8
200 days or more.....	962	49	1	7	8	18	13	2
FARMS BY SIZE								
1 to 9 acres.....	428	76	1	15	6	33	8	13
10 to 49 acres.....	522	129	3	3	11	43	33	36
50 to 69 acres.....	85	28	1	4	5	7	3	8
70 to 99 acres.....	155	60	—	7	7	15	17	14
100 to 139 acres.....	103	50	2	1	3	17	19	8
140 to 179 acres.....	130	60	3	5	9	10	23	10
180 to 219 acres.....	62	32	1	1	3	18	6	3
220 to 259 acres.....	70	21	—	—	2	5	7	7
260 to 499 acres.....	142	80	4	6	11	23	19	17
500 to 999 acres.....	63	40	—	3	10	12	6	9
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	40	27	—	2	5	8	8	4
2,000 acres or more.....	25	16	—	4	—	2	5	5
FARMS BY STANDARD INDUSTRIAL CLASSIFICATION (SEE TEXT)								
Cash grain farms (011).....	23	9	—	—	—	2	5	2
Field crop, except cash grain farms (013).....	456	184	5	11	23	64	46	35
Cotton farms (0131).....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco farms (0132).....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sugar crop, Irish potato, hay, peanut, and other field crop farms (0133, 0134, 0139).....	456	184	5	11	23	64	46	35
Vegetable and melon farms (016).....	5	3	1	—	—	1	—	1
Fruit and tree nut farms (017).....	4	1	—	—	1	—	—	—
Horticultural specialty farms (018).....	35	26	—	6	1	18	1	—
General farms, primarily crop (019).....	47	29	1	—	—	22	3	3
Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021).....	862	311	7	30	41	67	84	82
Beef cattle farms, except feedlots (0212).....	643	257	5	29	31	52	68	72
Dairy farms (024).....	5	1	—	—	—	1	—	1
Poultry and egg farms (025).....	20	2	—	—	—	1	—	1
Animal specialty farms (027).....	299	50	1	2	5	18	15	9
General farms, primarily livestock (029).....	69	3	—	2	1	—	—	—
VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD								
Market value of agricultural products sold..... farms.....	1 825	619	15	51	72	193	154	134
..... \$1,000.....	8 823	4 372	92	447	555	1 140	1 183	955
Farms by value of agricultural products sold:								
\$15,000 or more.....	125	82	1	12	12	21	24	12
\$10,000 to \$14,999.....	155	92	—	10	12	21	27	22
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	387	171	7	7	19	46	44	48
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	349	103	3	17	7	30	24	22
Less than \$2,500.....	809	171	4	5	22	75	35	30
\$2,000 to \$2,499.....	146	54	—	2	5	33	9	5
\$1,500 to \$1,999.....	120	26	2	1	3	6	5	9
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....	221	27	2	1	3	8	5	8
Less than \$1,000.....	322	64	—	1	11	28	16	8

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FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION							
Individual or family.....farms.....	1 055	5	121	333	296	203	97
.....acres.....	209 378	555	13 856	141 278	27 596	19 801	6 292
Partnership.....farms.....	101	1	16	24	22	28	10
.....acres.....	(D)	(D)	(D)	5 658	5 354	4 695	16 467
Corporations:							
Family held.....farms.....	40	—	1	3	—	29	7
.....acres.....	9 021	—	(D)	(D)	—	492	5 976
More than 10 stockholders.....farms.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
10 or less stockholders.....farms.....	40	—	1	3	—	29	7
Other than family held.....farms.....	3	—	—	1	—	1	1
.....acres.....	61 360	—	—	(D)	—	(D)	(D)
More than 10 stockholders.....farms.....	1	—	—	1	—	—	—
10 or less stockholders.....farms.....	2	—	—	—	—	1	1
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, etc.....farms.....	7	—	1	1	2	3	—
.....acres.....	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS							
Operators by place of residence:							
On farm operated.....	884	3	101	267	234	194	85
Not on farm operated.....	249	3	31	70	70	53	22
Operators by age group:							
Under 25 years.....	6	6	—	—	—	—	—
25 to 34 years.....	139	—	139	—	—	—	—
35 to 44 years.....	362	—	—	362	—	—	—
45 to 54 years.....	320	—	—	—	320	—	—
55 to 64 years.....	264	—	—	—	—	264	—
65 years and over.....	115	—	—	—	—	—	115
Average age.....	48.6	22.0	30.9	39.9	49.5	58.4	73.6
Operators by sex:							
Male.....	1 100	6	123	343	307	252	69
Female.....	106	—	16	19	13	12	46
Operators of Spanish origin.....	36	—	8	13	6	8	1
Operators by principal occupation:							
Farming.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other.....	1 206	6	139	362	320	264	115
Operators reporting days of work off farm:							
None.....	115	—	1	31	14	39	30
1 to 99 days.....	67	—	6	18	14	20	9
100 to 199 days.....	111	1	20	30	21	30	9
200 days or more.....	913	5	112	283	271	175	67
FARMS BY SIZE							
1 to 9 acres.....	352	—	41	109	92	68	42
10 to 49 acres.....	393	2	50	114	106	91	30
50 to 69 acres.....	57	2	13	16	11	13	2
70 to 99 acres.....	95	—	10	18	34	25	8
100 to 139 acres.....	53	1	1	13	18	15	5
140 to 179 acres.....	70	—	3	34	18	9	6
180 to 219 acres.....	30	—	3	5	8	12	2
220 to 259 acres.....	49	—	5	30	6	6	2
260 to 499 acres.....	62	1	7	11	17	16	10
500 to 999 acres.....	23	—	2	5	4	7	5
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	13	—	3	3	5	2	—
2,000 acres or more.....	9	—	1	4	1	—	3
FARMS BY STANDARD INDUSTRIAL CLASSIFICATION (SEE TEXT)							
Cash grain farms (011).....	14	—	2	1	5	6	—
Field crop, except cash grain farms (013).....	272	3	22	95	93	47	12
Cotton farms (0131).....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco farms (0132).....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sugar crop, Irish potato, hay, peanut, and other field crop farms (0133, 0134, 0139).....	272	3	22	95	93	47	12
Vegetable and melon farms (016).....	2	—	—	—	1	1	—
Fruit and tree nut farms (017).....	3	—	—	—	—	1	1
Horticultural specialty farms (018).....	9	—	—	—	3	6	—
General farms, primarily crop (019).....	18	—	1	3	6	7	1
Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021).....	551	2	77	142	122	111	97
Beef cattle farms, except feedlots (0212).....	386	—	51	85	85	81	84
Dairy farms (024).....	4	1	1	1	—	—	1
Poultry and egg farms (025).....	18	—	—	2	2	14	—
Animal specialty farms (027).....	249	—	33	66	80	67	3
General farms, primarily livestock (029).....	66	—	3	52	7	4	—
VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD							
Market value of agricultural products sold.....farms.....	1 206	6	139	362	320	264	115
.....\$1,000.....	4 451	28	413	1 165	1 374	1 096	375
Farms by value of agricultural products sold:							
\$15,000 or more.....	43	1	2	13	16	7	4
\$10,000 to \$14,999.....	63	—	5	16	18	18	6
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	216	—	23	52	65	62	14
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	246	3	27	62	85	51	18
Less than \$2,500.....	638	2	82	219	136	126	73
\$2,000 to \$2,499.....	92	—	9	18	42	16	7
\$1,500 to \$1,999.....	94	—	14	31	17	28	4
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....	194	—	24	49	36	41	44
Less than \$1,000.....	258	2	35	121	41	41	18

See footnote at end of table.

Table 32. Summary by Age and Principal Occupation of Operators for Farms With Sales of Less Than \$20,000: 1978—Con.

(Excludes abnormal farms; see text)

Farms With Sales of Less Than \$20,000	Total farming and other occupations	Farming							
		Total	Age of operator						
			Under 25 years	25 to 34 years	35 to 44 years	45 to 54 years	55 to 64 years	65 years and over	
VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD—Con.									
Market value of agricultural products sold—Con.									
Grain	farms	73	45	2	2	6	10	17	8
	\$1,000	220	131	(D)	(D)	14	32	62	19
Sales of \$5,000 or more	farms	14	8	—	—	1	2	4	1
	\$1,000	122	63	—	—	(D)	(D)	37	(D)
Commodity Credit Corporation loans	farms	2	2	—	—	—	1	1	—
	\$1,000	(D)	(D)	—	—	—	(D)	(D)	—
Cotton and cottonseed	farms	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	\$1,000	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sales of \$5,000 or more	farms	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	\$1,000	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Commodity Credit Corporation loans	farms	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	\$1,000	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco	farms	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	\$1,000	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sales of \$5,000 or more	farms	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	\$1,000	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage	farms	555	221	8	12	29	69	59	44
	\$1,000	2 647	1 429	48	113	182	374	440	273
Sales of \$5,000 or more	farms	208	116	4	9	17	28	36	22
	\$1,000	1 955	1 179	38	106	155	265	396	219
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons	farms	28	5	1	—	—	2	—	2
	\$1,000	45	33	(D)	—	—	(D)	—	(D)
Sales of \$5,000 or more	farms	3	2	—	—	—	1	—	1
	\$1,000	32	(D)	—	—	—	(D)	—	(D)
Fruits, nuts, and berries	farms	11	4	—	1	1	1	—	1
	\$1,000	6	1	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	(D)
Sales of \$5,000 or more	farms	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	\$1,000	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Nursery and greenhouse products	farms	58	28	—	7	1	19	1	—
	\$1,000	139	88	—	(D)	(D)	43	(D)	—
Sales of \$5,000 or more	farms	7	2	—	—	1	—	1	—
	\$1,000	54	(D)	—	—	(D)	—	(D)	—
Other crops	farms	14	7	—	—	1	3	2	1
	\$1,000	29	24	—	—	(D)	4	(D)	(D)
Sales of \$5,000 or more	farms	1	1	—	—	1	—	—	—
	\$1,000	(D)	(D)	—	—	(D)	—	—	—
Poultry and poultry products	farms	96	22	—	3	4	5	7	3
	\$1,000	42	9	—	1	1	6	(Z)	1
Sales of \$5,000 or more	farms	2	1	—	—	—	1	—	—
	\$1,000	(D)	(D)	—	—	—	(D)	—	—
Dairy products	farms	12	3	—	—	1	1	—	1
	\$1,000	46	11	—	—	(D)	(D)	—	(D)
Sales of \$5,000 or more	farms	4	1	—	—	—	—	—	1
	\$1,000	34	(D)	—	—	—	—	—	(D)
Cattle and calves ²	farms	855	346	9	30	39	83	97	88
	\$1,000	4 021	2 218	29	275	258	531	539	586
Sales of \$5,000 or more	farms	307	179	3	20	19	41	45	51
	\$1,000	3 049	1 855	20	242	221	434	440	499
Hogs and pigs	farms	202	46	2	5	10	13	11	5
	\$1,000	344	89	(D)	11	22	23	22	(D)
Sales of \$5,000 or more	farms	20	7	—	1	3	—	3	—
	\$1,000	179	47	—	(D)	(D)	—	18	—
Sheep, lambs, and wool	farms	176	62	3	6	7	17	16	13
	\$1,000	198	83	1	4	4	35	19	20
Sales of \$5,000 or more	farms	4	2	—	—	—	2	—	—
	\$1,000	53	(D)	—	—	—	(D)	—	—
Other livestock and livestock products (see text)	farms	438	99	1	10	14	34	20	20
	\$1,000	1 085	257	(D)	(D)	47	73	87	32
Sales of \$5,000 or more	farms	69	15	—	1	2	6	5	1
	\$1,000	519	147	—	(D)	(D)	39	61	(D)
SELECTED FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES¹									
Livestock and poultry purchased	farms	757	258	8	11	29	101	57	52
	\$1,000	1 707	875	1	23	124	481	172	74
Farms with expenses of—									
\$1 to \$499		262	67	8	4	7	26	12	10
\$500 to \$2,499		327	102	—	5	6	49	11	31
\$2,500 to \$4,999		87	46	—	1	3	10	23	9
\$5,000 or more		81	43	—	1	13	16	11	2
Feed for livestock and poultry	farms	1 291	414	21	23	46	132	108	84
	\$1,000	1 831	692	20	44	96	238	181	112
Farms with expenses of—									
\$1 to \$499		442	128	10	2	14	32	29	41
\$500 to \$2,499		660	201	7	15	14	69	64	32
\$2,500 to \$4,999		124	57	4	5	13	24	6	5
\$5,000 or more		65	28	—	1	5	7	9	6
Commercially mixed formula feeds	farms	545	158	—	9	22	52	45	30
	tons	3 155	949	—	57	250	336	187	118
	\$1,000	463	150	—	8	35	55	32	19
Farms by tons purchased:									
1 to 49 tons		473	131	—	7	13	42	41	28
50 to 99 tons		70	26	—	2	8	10	4	2
100 tons or more		2	1	—	—	1	—	—	—
Farms with expenses of—									
\$1 to \$499		232	46	—	4	3	6	18	15
\$500 to \$2,499		289	106	—	4	15	46	26	15
\$2,500 to \$4,999		18	5	—	1	3	—	1	—
\$5,000 or more		6	1	—	—	1	—	—	—

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Table 32. Summary by Age and Principal Occupation of Operators for Farms With Sales of Less Than \$20,000: 1978—Con.

[Excludes abnormal farms; see text]

Farms With Sales of Less Than \$20,000	Other occupations						
	Total	Age of operator					
		Under 25 years	25 to 34 years	35 to 44 years	45 to 54 years	55 to 64 years	65 years and over
VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD—Con.							
Market value of agricultural products sold—Con.							
Grain	farms.. 28	--	2	7	11	7	1
	\$1,000.. 89	--	(D)	24	21	31	(D)
Sales of \$5,000 or more	farms.. 6	--	--	1	1	3	1
	\$1,000.. 58	--	--	(D)	(D)	26	(D)
Commodity Credit Corporation loans	farms.. --	--	--	--	--	--	--
	\$1,000.. --	--	--	--	--	--	--
Cotton and cottonseed	farms.. --	--	--	--	--	--	--
	\$1,000.. --	--	--	--	--	--	--
Sales of \$5,000 or more	farms.. --	--	--	--	--	--	--
	\$1,000.. --	--	--	--	--	--	--
Commodity Credit Corporation loans	farms.. --	--	--	--	--	--	--
	\$1,000.. --	--	--	--	--	--	--
Tobacco	farms.. --	--	--	--	--	--	--
	\$1,000.. --	--	--	--	--	--	--
Sales of \$5,000 or more	farms.. --	--	--	--	--	--	--
	\$1,000.. --	--	--	--	--	--	--
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage	farms.. 334	3	35	105	112	64	15
	\$1,000.. 1 218	5	76	399	512	167	59
Sales of \$5,000 or more	farms.. 92	--	3	34	41	9	5
	\$1,000.. 776	--	19	292	353	74	38
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons	farms.. 23	--	--	1	20	1	1
	\$1,000.. 13	--	--	(D)	4	(D)	(D)
Sales of \$5,000 or more	farms.. 1	--	--	--	--	1	--
	\$1,000.. (D)	--	--	--	--	(D)	--
Fruits, nuts, and berries	farms.. 7	--	--	3	2	1	1
	\$1,000.. 5	--	--	1	(D)	(D)	(D)
Sales of \$5,000 or more	farms.. --	--	--	--	--	--	--
	\$1,000.. --	--	--	--	--	--	--
Nursery and greenhouse products	farms.. 30	--	--	--	21	8	1
	\$1,000.. 52	--	--	--	(D)	30	(D)
Sales of \$5,000 or more	farms.. 5	--	--	--	3	2	--
	\$1,000.. 35	--	--	--	(D)	(D)	--
Other crops	farms.. 7	--	3	1	2	1	--
	\$1,000.. 4	--	2	(D)	(D)	(D)	--
Sales of \$5,000 or more	farms.. --	--	--	--	--	--	--
	\$1,000.. --	--	--	--	--	--	--
Poultry and poultry products	farms.. 74	--	4	17	21	24	8
	\$1,000.. 33	--	(Z)	4	4	24	1
Sales of \$5,000 or more	farms.. 1	--	--	--	--	1	--
	\$1,000.. (D)	--	--	--	--	(D)	--
Dairy products	farms.. 9	1	3	1	3	--	1
	\$1,000.. 35	(D)	15	(D)	(Z)	--	(D)
Sales of \$5,000 or more	farms.. 3	--	2	--	--	--	1
	\$1,000.. 25	--	(D)	--	--	--	(D)
Cattle and calves	farms.. 509	1	70	116	115	119	88
	\$1,000.. 1 803	(D)	(D)	394	470	480	251
Sales of \$5,000 or more	farms.. 128	1	11	27	37	37	15
	\$1,000.. 1 194	(D)	(D)	246	342	348	144
Hogs and pigs	farms.. 156	--	23	58	39	29	7
	\$1,000.. 256	--	36	84	72	38	24
Sales of \$5,000 or more	farms.. 13	--	3	5	3	1	1
	\$1,000.. 133	--	(D)	50	40	(D)	(D)
Sheep, lambs, and wool	farms.. 114	1	12	48	26	21	6
	\$1,000.. 115	(D)	4	58	21	17	9
Sales of \$5,000 or more	farms.. 2	--	--	2	--	--	--
	\$1,000.. (D)	--	--	(D)	--	--	--
Other livestock and livestock products (see text)	farms.. 339	--	44	91	111	87	6
	\$1,000.. 829	--	82	196	245	301	6
Sales of \$5,000 or more	farms.. 54	--	4	9	10	31	6
	\$1,000.. 371	--	28	62	67	215	--
SELECTED FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES¹							
Livestock and poultry purchased	farms.. 499	2	66	146	145	77	63
	\$1,000.. 832	(D)	112	250	317	94	(D)
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$499	195	1	20	54	39	40	41
\$500 to \$2,499	225	1	34	61	81	32	16
\$2,500 to \$4,999	41	--	9	16	14	--	2
\$5,000 or more	38	--	3	15	11	5	4
Feed for livestock and poultry	farms.. 877	3	107	265	246	206	50
	\$1,000.. 1 139	1	114	294	432	250	47
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$499	314	1	26	127	76	67	17
\$500 to \$2,499	459	2	72	109	129	116	31
\$2,500 to \$4,999	67	--	9	20	18	19	1
\$5,000 or more	37	--	--	9	23	4	1
Commercially mixed formula feeds	farms.. 387	3	45	105	128	80	26
	tons.. 2 206	9	213	523	886	506	69
	\$1,000.. 313	1	34	77	116	76	9
Farms by tons purchased:							
1 to 49 tons	342	3	37	95	110	71	26
50 to 99 tons	44	--	8	9	18	9	--
100 tons or more	1	--	--	1	--	--	--
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$499	186	1	20	60	50	33	22
\$500 to \$2,499	183	2	24	38	71	44	4
\$2,500 to \$4,999	13	--	1	4	7	1	--
\$5,000 or more	5	--	--	3	--	2	--

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Table 32. Summary by Age and Principal Occupation of Operators for Farms With Sales of Less Than \$20,000: 1978—Con.

[Excludes abnormal farms; see text]

Farms With Sales of Less Than \$20,000	Total farming and other occupations	Farming						65 years and over
		Total	Age of operator					
			Under 25 years	25 to 34 years	35 to 44 years	45 to 54 years	55 to 64 years	
SELECTED FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES¹—Con.								
Animal health costs.....farms.....	1 074	388	23	16	45	126	103	75
.....\$1,000.....	289	115	3	4	27	55	18	8
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$99.....	433	186	3	4	21	54	56	48
\$100 to \$999.....	512	160	20	9	17	48	40	26
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	56	13	—	2	3	4	3	1
\$5,000 or more.....	73	29	—	1	4	20	4	—
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees.....farms.....	515	257	16	14	22	97	62	46
.....\$1,000.....	317	246	25	19	29	85	67	21
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$99.....	131	55	—	2	4	21	10	18
\$100 to \$999.....	248	100	9	4	8	43	18	18
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	37	23	—	1	—	6	8	8
\$5,000 or more.....	99	79	7	7	10	27	26	2
Commercial fertilizer.....farms.....	513	249	26	17	26	77	68	35
.....\$1,000.....	390	201	24	15	32	51	57	21
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$499.....	324	141	9	10	8	59	36	19
\$500 to \$999.....	103	55	2	3	10	11	17	12
\$1,000 to \$2,499.....	54	32	15	2	3	3	7	2
\$2,500 or more.....	32	21	—	2	5	4	8	2
Other agricultural chemicals including lime.....farms.....	482	237	28	21	22	55	69	42
.....\$1,000.....	108	84	6	2	5	36	27	9
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$499.....	439	200	28	21	22	36	55	38
\$500 to \$999.....	26	21	—	—	—	5	12	4
\$1,000 to \$2,499.....	16	15	—	—	—	14	1	—
\$2,500 or more.....	1	1	—	—	—	—	1	—
Energy and petroleum products.....farms.....	1 762	638	33	40	67	194	172	132
.....\$1,000.....	1 965	1 112	40	78	153	355	319	169
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$499.....	719	141	15	6	7	48	34	31
\$500 to \$999.....	409	145	5	13	12	35	34	46
\$1,000 to \$2,499.....	430	206	7	4	30	72	56	37
\$2,500 or more.....	204	146	6	17	18	39	48	18
Petroleum products.....farms.....	1 753	634	33	40	67	190	172	132
.....\$1,000.....	1 483	826	28	61	121	254	228	136
Gasoline.....farms.....	1 740	633	33	40	67	190	171	132
.....\$1,000.....	970	516	19	30	71	142	156	97
Diesel fuel.....farms.....	575	278	21	20	43	72	79	43
.....\$1,000.....	261	168	3	6	33	67	42	17
LP gas, butane, and propane.....farms.....	331	164	15	15	15	50	51	18
.....\$1,000.....	81	54	2	(D)	(D)	19	8	2
Fuel oil.....farms.....	131	65	—	2	6	27	20	10
.....\$1,000.....	33	18	—	(D)	(D)	5	4	6
Natural gas.....farms.....	3	3	—	—	3	—	—	—
.....\$1,000.....	1	1	—	—	1	—	—	—
Kerosene, motor oil, and grease.....farms.....	1 753	634	33	40	67	190	172	132
.....\$1,000.....	136	70	4	6	8	21	18	13
Electricity.....farms.....	968	404	22	25	44	107	125	81
.....\$1,000.....	473	282	12	17	(D)	(D)	88	(D)
Other—coal, wood, coke, etc.....farms.....	24	11	—	—	1	1	8	1
.....\$1,000.....	8	4	—	—	(D)	(D)	3	(D)
Hired farm labor.....farms.....	488	232	14	18	33	68	58	41
.....\$1,000.....	933	590	10	51	171	163	140	55
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$499.....	136	56	5	3	5	13	15	15
\$500 to \$2,499.....	266	115	9	4	18	36	28	20
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	59	43	—	8	7	15	10	3
\$5,000 or more.....	27	18	—	3	3	4	5	3
Workers by number of days worked:								
150 days or more.....farms.....	105	67	—	5	13	22	16	11
.....workers.....	166	116	—	7	35	34	28	12
Less than 150 days.....farms.....	430	198	14	15	26	62	46	35
.....workers.....	1 097	542	28	23	119	124	140	108
Contract labor.....farms.....	126	53	—	3	8	10	12	20
.....\$1,000.....	124	74	—	3	10	13	29	20
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$499.....	45	17	—	2	3	—	4	8
\$500 to \$999.....	40	7	—	1	—	4	2	—
\$1,000 to \$2,499.....	32	22	—	—	4	5	1	12
\$2,500 or more.....	9	7	—	1	—	1	5	—
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment.....farms.....	649	275	15	7	25	76	94	58
.....\$1,000.....	553	286	13	5	23	62	101	83
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$499.....	323	114	10	5	10	31	35	23
\$500 to \$999.....	169	83	—	—	8	36	26	13
\$1,000 to \$2,499.....	112	50	5	1	4	6	24	10
\$2,500 or more.....	45	28	—	1	3	3	9	12
FARM-RELATED INCOME								
Income from machine work, customwork, and other agricultural services.....farms.....	99	62	6	6	8	20	11	11
.....\$1,000.....	202	157	20	29	20	42	28	18
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption.....farms.....	140	40	—	7	4	12	10	7
.....\$1,000.....	177	76	—	5	7	40	11	12

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Table 32. Summary by Age and Principal Occupation of Operators for Farms With Sales of Less Than \$20,000: 1978—Con.

[Excludes abnormal farms; see text]

Farms With Sales of Less Than \$20,000	Other occupations						
	Total	Age of operator					
		Under 25 years	25 to 34 years	35 to 44 years	45 to 54 years	55 to 64 years	65 years and over
SELECTED FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES¹—Con.							
Animal health costs.....farms.....	686	4	92	210	217	128	35
.....\$1,000.....	175	(Z)	29	61	44	35	6
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$99.....	247	3	30	65	73	55	21
\$100 to \$999.....	352	1	41	113	130	55	12
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	43	—	15	16	4	8	—
\$5,000 or more.....	44	—	6	16	10	10	2
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees.....farms.....	258	—	24	82	87	56	9
.....\$1,000.....	71	—	6	19	32	13	2
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$99.....	76	—	8	27	15	21	5
\$100 to \$999.....	148	—	14	44	61	26	3
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	14	—	1	3	3	6	1
\$5,000 or more.....	20	—	1	8	8	3	—
Commercial fertilizer.....farms.....	264	—	26	78	90	54	16
.....\$1,000.....	189	—	8	105	54	16	5
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$499.....	183	—	21	52	51	45	14
\$500 to \$999.....	48	—	3	9	28	8	—
\$1,000 to \$2,499.....	22	—	1	8	10	1	2
\$2,500 or more.....	11	—	1	9	1	—	—
Other agricultural chemicals including lime.....farms.....	245	—	20	66	81	68	10
.....\$1,000.....	24	—	1	7	8	8	1
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$499.....	239	—	19	65	79	66	10
\$500 to \$999.....	5	—	1	1	1	2	—
\$1,000 to \$2,499.....	1	—	—	—	1	—	—
\$2,500 or more.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Energy and petroleum products.....farms.....	1 124	5	111	345	330	236	97
.....\$1,000.....	852	5	61	252	303	176	56
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$499.....	578	2	77	169	155	115	60
\$500 to \$999.....	264	1	15	90	72	64	22
\$1,000 to \$2,499.....	224	1	17	73	72	48	13
\$2,500 or more.....	58	1	2	13	31	9	2
Petroleum products.....farms.....	1 119	5	111	345	329	232	97
.....\$1,000.....	657	(D)	(D)	186	236	137	45
Gasoline.....farms.....	1 107	5	111	338	327	230	96
.....\$1,000.....	454	1	36	128	165	93	30
Diesel fuel.....farms.....	297	1	41	77	97	57	24
.....\$1,000.....	93	(D)	(D)	31	37	15	5
LP gas, butane, and propane.....farms.....	167	1	17	39	38	55	17
.....\$1,000.....	27	(D)	(D)	5	7	9	4
Fuel oil.....farms.....	66	—	5	20	15	18	8
.....\$1,000.....	16	—	1	5	3	6	1
Natural gas.....farms.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....\$1,000.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Kerosene, motor oil, and grease.....farms.....	1 119	5	111	345	329	232	97
.....\$1,000.....	66	(Z)	5	18	24	15	4
Electricity.....farms.....	564	2	48	197	172	116	29
.....\$1,000.....	191	(D)	(D)	(D)	66	(D)	11
Other—coal, wood, coke, etc.....farms.....	13	—	4	1	6	2	—
.....\$1,000.....	4	—	2	(D)	1	(D)	—
Hired farm labor.....farms.....	256	1	21	55	107	46	26
.....\$1,000.....	342	(D)	(D)	53	141	58	73
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$499.....	80	—	11	19	19	26	5
\$500 to \$2,499.....	151	—	10	34	79	12	16
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	16	1	—	1	8	6	—
\$5,000 or more.....	9	—	—	1	1	2	5
Workers by number of days worked:							
150 days or more.....farms.....	38	—	3	5	16	8	6
.....workers.....	50	—	4	6	20	9	11
Less than 150 days.....farms.....	232	1	20	52	96	41	22
.....workers.....	555	(D)	(D)	150	212	80	65
Contract labor.....farms.....	73	—	1	10	41	11	10
.....\$1,000.....	50	—	(D)	(D)	34	3	5
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$499.....	28	—	—	4	7	10	7
\$500 to \$999.....	33	—	—	4	28	1	—
\$1,000 to \$2,499.....	10	—	1	1	5	—	3
\$2,500 or more.....	2	—	—	1	1	—	—
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment.....farms.....	374	1	47	103	139	63	21
.....\$1,000.....	267	(D)	(D)	75	95	54	25
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$499.....	209	1	35	51	81	30	11
\$500 to \$999.....	86	—	6	24	38	12	6
\$1,000 to \$2,499.....	62	—	6	27	12	14	3
\$2,500 or more.....	17	—	—	1	8	7	1
FARM-RELATED INCOME							
Income from machine work, customwork, and other agricultural services.....farms.....	37	1	12	11	9	4	—
.....\$1,000.....	45	(D)	17	14	6	(D)	—
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption.....farms.....	100	—	12	31	38	12	7
.....\$1,000.....	102	—	9	53	18	19	3

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Table 32. Summary by Age and Principal Occupation of Operators for Farms With Sales of Less Than \$20,000: 1978—Con.

[Excludes abnormal farms; see text]

Farms With Sales of Less Than \$20,000	Total farming and other occupations	Farming						
		Total	Age of operator					65 years and over
			Under 25 years	25 to 34 years	35 to 44 years	45 to 54 years	55 to 64 years	
VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT¹								
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ... farms...	1 807	641	33	42	67	194	172	133
\$1,000...	28 317	14 607	943	798	2 285	4 222	4 090	2 269
Farms by value group:								
\$1 to \$4,999	294	88	6	6	1	28	18	29
\$5,000 to \$9,999	734	185	—	12	12	60	61	40
\$10,000 to \$19,999	357	116	13	9	3	39	28	24
\$20,000 to \$49,999	293	160	4	12	38	36	41	29
\$50,000 to \$99,999	104	77	10	2	10	27	19	9
\$100,000 to \$199,999	22	12	—	1	3	4	3	1
\$200,000 to \$499,999	3	3	—	—	—	—	2	1
\$500,000 or more	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT¹								
Automobiles ... farms...	806	379	12	15	45	115	109	83
number...	1 070	467	12	18	56	138	132	111
Motortrucks, including pickups ... farms...	1 548	597	33	40	65	185	158	116
number...	2 417	1 059	47	64	116	353	301	178
Wheel tractors ... farms...	1 195	509	28	22	61	156	132	110
number...	1 946	962	38	38	144	271	257	214
2 or 3 ... farms...	427	214	10	9	28	49	70	48
number...	957	504	20	20	63	120	167	114
4 or more ... farms...	63	45	—	1	14	12	7	11
number...	284	208	—	(D)	(D)	56	35	49
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled only ... farms...	34	22	—	2	5	7	4	4
number...	35	23	—	(D)	(D)	7	4	5
Cornpickers, corn heads, and picker-shellers ... farms...	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
number...	(D)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Corn heads for combines ... farms...	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
number...	(D)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers ... farms...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
number...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cottonpickers ... farms...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
number...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Mower conditioners ... farms...	390	219	18	10	23	59	63	46
number...	434	237	18	13	23	63	69	51
Pickup balers ... farms...	495	275	18	9	39	78	84	47
number...	562	323	18	10	42	100	94	59
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type ... farms...	113	63	—	1	12	15	22	13
number...	131	70	—	(D)	(D)	17	27	13
AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS¹								
Agricultural chemicals, including commercial fertilizer and lime ... farms...	778	370	32	30	38	90	111	69
\$1,000...	498	285	30	18	37	87	83	30
Commercial fertilizer ... farms...	470	242	22	15	26	77	68	34
acres on which used...	13 944	8 341	843	507	1 437	1 875	2 710	969
Lime ... farms...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
acres on which used...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
tons...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—								
Insects on hay and other crops ... farms...	238	177	21	16	14	48	48	30
acres on which used...	10 921	9 308	1 045	180	478	3 970	2 296	1 339
Nematodes in crops ... farms...	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
acres on which used...	(D)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Diseases in crops and orchards ... farms...	40	17	—	6	2	—	3	6
acres on which used...	173	77	—	(D)	(D)	—	57	12
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture ... farms...	97	47	7	6	8	7	15	4
acres on which used...	3 266	2 222	31	51	178	581	1 189	192
Chemicals for—								
Defoliation or for growth control of crops, or thinning of fruit ... farms...	9	7	—	1	—	—	3	3
acres on which used...	163	(D)	—	(D)	—	—	98	(D)
Insect control on livestock and poultry ... farms...	318	125	16	4	17	20	39	29
Sanitation and rodent and bird control ... farms...	74	18	—	2	2	2	12	—
LIVESTOCK								
Cattle and calves inventory ... farms...	1 005	410	9	30	43	122	112	94
number...	47 304	31 993	288	3 044	9 459	8 235	5 549	5 418
Farms with—								
1 to 9	356	102	2	2	11	43	26	18
10 to 49	400	148	2	11	13	41	49	32
50 to 99	143	84	5	6	7	16	22	28
100 to 199	72	49	—	5	8	12	10	14
200 to 499	30	24	—	6	2	9	5	2
500 or more	4	3	—	—	2	1	—	—
Cows and heifers that had calved ... farms...	775	344	7	29	35	105	94	74
number...	24 220	16 699	155	1 621	5 374	3 617	3 013	2 919
Beef cows ... farms...	697	323	7	27	31	101	85	72
number...	23 802	16 523	(D)	(D)	5 340	3 582	2 977	2 871
Farms with—								
1 to 9	272	95	2	—	7	45	23	18
10 to 49	303	146	5	16	8	33	46	38
50 to 99	74	42	—	5	9	10	9	9
100 to 199	38	33	—	6	5	10	6	6
200 to 499	8	5	—	—	—	3	1	1
500 or more	2	2	—	—	2	—	—	—

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Table 32. Summary by Age and Principal Occupation of Operators for Farms With Sales of Less Than \$20,000: 1978—Con.

[Excludes abnormal farms; see text]

Farms With Sales of Less Than \$20,000	Other occupations						
	Total	Age of operator					
		Under 25 years	25 to 34 years	35 to 44 years	45 to 54 years	55 to 64 years	65 years and over
VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT¹							
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment	farms... 1 166	5	118	345	332	269	97
	\$1,000... 13 710	90	1 606	3 701	4 329	3 115	868
Farms by value group:							
\$1 to \$4,999	206	2	28	60	44	58	14
\$5,000 to \$9,999	549	1	57	166	135	130	60
\$10,000 to \$19,999	241	1	10	80	96	39	15
\$20,000 to \$49,999	133	—	19	25	48	36	5
\$50,000 to \$99,999	27	1	3	12	5	3	3
\$100,000 to \$199,999	10	—	1	2	4	3	—
\$200,000 to \$499,999	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$500,000 or more	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT¹							
Automobiles	farms... 427	—	34	88	149	122	34
	number... 603	—	47	127	184	188	57
Motortrucks, including pickups	farms... 951	4	99	290	267	199	92
	number... 1 358	4	140	386	411	309	108
Wheel tractors	farms... 686	3	66	196	199	174	48
	number... 984	6	114	259	287	248	70
2 or 3	farms... 213	—	23	57	58	58	17
	number... 453	—	47	120	128	122	36
4 or more	farms... 18	1	8	—	6	2	1
	number... 76	(D)	32	—	24	(D)	(D)
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled only	farms... 12	—	—	2	6	3	1
	number... 12	—	—	(D)	6	3	(D)
Cornpickers, corn heads, and picker-shellers	farms... 2	—	—	—	—	2	—
	number... (D)	—	—	—	—	(D)	—
Corn heads for combines	farms... 2	—	—	—	—	2	—
	number... (D)	—	—	—	—	(D)	—
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers	farms... —	—	—	—	—	—	—
	number... —	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cottonpickers	farms... —	—	—	—	—	—	—
	number... —	—	—	—	—	—	—
Mower conditioners	farms... 171	2	22	39	64	33	11
	number... 197	(D)	(D)	42	64	43	14
Pickup balers	farms... 220	2	26	68	70	39	15
	number... 239	(D)	(D)	73	72	44	17
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type	farms... 50	1	15	15	14	4	1
	number... 61	(D)	(D)	19	16	9	(D)
AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS¹							
Agricultural chemicals, including commercial fertilizer and lime	farms... 408	—	42	111	137	100	18
	\$1,000... 214	—	9	112	62	24	6
Commercial fertilizer	farms... 228	—	12	68	87	48	13
	acres on which used... 5 603	—	294	2 649	1 816	575	269
Lime	farms... —	—	—	—	—	—	—
	acres on which used... —	—	—	—	—	—	—
	tons... —	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—							
Insects on hay and other crops	farms... 61	—	6	24	11	18	2
	acres on which used... 1 613	—	59	624	520	295	(D)
Nematodes in crops	farms... 2	—	2	—	—	—	—
	acres on which used... (D)	—	(D)	—	—	—	—
Diseases in crops and orchards	farms... 23	—	3	4	3	11	2
	acres on which used... 96	—	(D)	16	22	28	(D)
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture	farms... 50	—	2	17	11	14	6
	acres on which used... 1 044	—	(D)	298	404	298	(D)
Chemicals for—							
Defoliation or for growth control of crops, or thinning of fruit	farms... 2	—	—	2	—	—	—
	acres on which used... (D)	—	—	(D)	—	—	—
Insect control on livestock and poultry	farms... 193	—	20	55	74	40	4
Sanitation and rodent and bird control	farms... 56	—	5	17	30	1	3
LIVESTOCK							
Cattle and calves inventory	farms... 595	3	74	149	145	135	89
	number... 15 311	52	1 483	3 815	4 173	3 819	1 969
Farms with—							
1 to 9	254	2	19	73	64	55	41
10 to 49	252	1	50	54	55	54	38
50 to 99	59	—	4	11	17	22	5
100 to 199	23	—	1	8	7	4	3
200 to 499	6	—	—	3	1	—	2
500 or more	1	—	—	—	1	—	—
Cows and heifers that had calved	farms... 431	2	59	115	108	101	46
	number... 7 521	(D)	(D)	1 845	2 064	1 870	914
Beef cows	farms... 374	1	54	97	88	91	43
	number... 7 279	(D)	(D)	1 778	1 996	1 838	891
Farms with—							
1 to 9	177	1	22	58	39	39	18
10 to 49	157	—	29	30	37	39	22
50 to 99	32	—	3	5	10	13	1
100 to 199	5	—	—	3	1	—	1
200 to 499	3	—	—	1	—	—	1
500 or more	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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Table 32. Summary by Age and Principal Occupation of Operators for Farms With Sales of Less Than \$20,000: 1978—Con.

[Excludes abnormal farms; see text]

Farms With Sales of Less Than \$20,000	Total farming and other occupations	Farming							
		Total	Age of operator					65 years and over	
			Under 25 years	25 to 34 years	35 to 44 years	45 to 54 years	55 to 64 years		
LIVESTOCK—Con.									
Cattle and heifers inventory—Con.									
Cows and heifers that had calved—Con.									
Milk cows	farms number	213 418	89 176	2 (D)	11 (D)	9 34	33 35	23 36	11 48
Farms with—									
1 to 4	farms	201	85	2	11	6	33	23	10
5 to 9	number	8	3	—	—	3	—	—	—
10 to 49	farms	4	1	—	—	—	—	—	1
50 to 99	number	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100 to 199	farms	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
200 to 499	number	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
500 or more	farms	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Heifers and heifer calves	farms number	747 12 203	328 7 917	6 72	28 705	30 2 070	96 2 376	93 1 340	75 1 354
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	farms number	780 10 881	345 7 377	9 61	29 718	35 2 015	93 2 242	97 1 196	82 1 145
Cattle and calves sold	farms number	855 14 940	346 8 248	9 102	30 1 042	39 1 003	83 1 993	97 1 931	88 2 177
Calves	\$1,000 farms number	4 021 467 7 032	2 218 204 4 070	29 6 46	275 18 469	258 28 542	531 47 1 103	539 57 876	586 48 1 034
Cattle	\$1,000 farms number	1 500 663 7 908	881 273 4 178	13 7 56	97 26 573	115 26 461	228 65 890	206 76 1 055	222 73 1 143
Fattened on grain and concentrates	\$1,000 farms number	2 520 83 715	1 337 34 383	17 1 (D)	177 1 (D)	143 5 (D)	303 10 (D)	333 9 129	364 8 111
Hogs and pigs inventory	\$1,000 farms number	298 3 869	83 1 139	4 76	3 103	11 79	47 636	12 182	6 63
Farms with—									
1 to 9	farms	209	56	2	2	6	37	5	4
10 to 49	number	71	22	2	—	5	6	7	2
50 to 99	farms	10	2	—	—	—	2	—	—
100 to 199	number	7	3	—	1	—	2	—	—
200 to 499	farms	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
500 or more	number	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Used or to be used for breeding	farms number	169 928	36 254	4 (D)	2 (D)	6 34	13 89	7 100	4 15
Other	farms number	249 2 941	77 885	2 (D)	2 (D)	11 45	46 547	11 82	5 48
Hogs and pigs sold	farms number	202 5 897	46 1 777	2 (D)	5 (D)	10 394	13 421	11 683	5 76
Feeder pigs sold	\$1,000 farms number	344 78 2 621	89 20 1 150	(D) 2 (D)	(D) — (D)	22 8 227	23 2 (D)	22 7 639	4 1 (D)
Litters of pigs farrowed between—	\$1,000 farms number	73 199 909	33 42 204	(D) 4 8	(D) 2 (D)	7 11 45	(D) 13 61	19 8 75	(D) 4 (D)
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30	farms number	174 487	33 95	2 (D)	2 (D)	8 18	12 37	7 32	2 (D)
Dec. 1 and May 31	farms number	126 422	27 109	2 (D)	—	9 27	6 24	7 43	3 (D)
June 1 and Nov. 30	farms number	206 4 392	73 2 324	1 (D)	6 (D)	13 131	17 574	22 744	14 645
Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory	farms number	179 2 748	68 1 475	1 (D)	6 (D)	12 102	16 421	19 408	14 384
Ewes 1 year old or older	farms number	158 3 290	61 1 275	3 22	6 55	6 77	17 534	16 278	13 309
Sheep and lambs sold	farms number	152 3 086	56 1 615	1 (D)	6 (D)	6 90	15 454	16 416	12 488
Sheep and lambs shorn	farms pounds of wool	26 740 1 005	14 072 319	(D) 6	(D) 28	794 35	3 778 104	3 720 86	4 366 60
Horses and ponies inventory	farms number	5 854 346	2 179 77	15 1	184 5	325 13	804 30	529 13	322 15
Horses and ponies sold	farms number	975 902	315 179	(D) (D)	(D) (D)	39 46	86 63	99 33	28 21
Goats inventory	\$1,000 farms number	128 522	27 98	— —	4 23	8 45	11 14	3 (D)	1 (D)
Goats sold	farms number	40 256	8 52	— —	4 19	2 (D)	1 (D)	1 (D)	— —
	\$1,000	15	1	—	1	(D)	(D)	(D)	—
POULTRY									
Chickens 3 months old or older inventory	farms number	375 12 060	117 3 768	1 (D)	8 211	21 (D)	37 2 260	28 607	22 348
Farms with—									
1 to 399	farms	373	116	1	8	21	36	28	22
400 to 3,199	number	2	1	—	—	—	1	—	—
3,200 to 9,999	farms	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
10,000 to 19,999	number	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
20,000 to 49,999	farms	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
50,000 to 99,999	number	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 or more	farms	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hens and pullets of laying age	farms number	367 10 851	113 3 547	1 (D)	8 (D)	21 325	34 2 113	27 562	22 348
Pullets 3 months old or older not of laying age	farms number	82 1 209	26 221	1 (D)	2 (D)	1 (D)	18 147	4 45	— —

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Table 32. Summary by Age and Principal Occupation of Operators for Farms With Sales of Less Than \$20,000: 1978—Con.

[Excludes abnormal farms; see text]

Farms With Sales of Less Than \$20,000	Other occupations						
	Total	Age of operator					
		Under 25 years	25 to 34 years	35 to 44 years	45 to 54 years	55 to 64 years	65 years and over
LIVESTOCK—Con.							
Cattle and calves inventory—Con.							
Cows and heifers that had calved—Con.							
Milk cows	farms..... 124	1	18	37	36	23	9
	number..... 242	(D)	(D)	67	68	32	23
Farms with—							
1 to 4	116	1	14	37	34	22	8
5 to 9	5	—	3	—	1	1	—
10 to 49	3	—	1	—	1	—	1
50 to 99	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100 to 199	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
200 to 499	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
500 or more	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Heifers and heifer calves	farms..... 419	2	43	98	99	100	77
	number..... 4 286	(D)	(D)	1 153	1 105	1 064	615
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	farms..... 435	1	52	114	114	109	45
	number..... 3 504	(D)	(D)	817	1 004	885	440
Cattle and calves sold	farms..... 509	1	70	116	115	119	88
	number..... 6 692	(D)	(D)	1 538	1 730	1 782	911
	\$1,000..... 1 803	(D)	(D)	394	470	480	251
Calves	farms..... 263	—	41	72	57	61	32
	number..... 2 962	—	345	892	684	697	344
	\$1,000..... 620	—	73	167	163	153	64
Cattle	farms..... 390	1	54	77	95	88	75
	number..... 3 730	(D)	(D)	646	1 046	1 085	567
	\$1,000..... 1 183	(D)	(D)	227	307	326	187
Fattened on grain and concentrates	farms..... 49	1	8	12	11	12	5
	number..... 332	(D)	(D)	61	112	76	20
	\$1,000..... 118	(D)	(D)	29	35	24	6
Hogs and pigs inventory	farms..... 215	—	38	72	58	37	10
	number..... 2 730	—	606	728	699	374	323
Farms with—							
1 to 9	153	—	28	48	41	29	7
10 to 49	49	—	7	21	16	5	—
50 to 99	8	—	—	3	—	3	2
100 to 199	4	—	3	—	—	—	1
200 to 499	1	—	—	—	1	—	—
500 or more	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Used or to be used for breeding	farms..... 133	—	23	50	35	21	4
	number..... 674	—	193	207	166	91	17
Other	farms..... 172	—	32	57	46	28	9
	number..... 2 056	—	413	521	533	283	306
Hogs and pigs sold	farms..... 156	—	23	58	39	29	7
	number..... 4 120	—	773	1 365	999	698	285
	\$1,000..... 256	—	36	84	72	38	24
Feeder pigs sold	farms..... 58	—	7	17	17	14	3
	number..... 1 471	—	548	318	280	295	30
	\$1,000..... 40	—	16	8	7	7	1
Litters of pigs farrowed between—							
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30	farms..... 157	—	32	54	38	28	5
	number..... 705	—	226	203	135	123	18
Dec. 1 and May 31	farms..... 141	—	31	47	33	27	3
	number..... 392	—	120	107	75	83	7
June 1 and Nov. 30	farms..... 99	—	14	43	28	10	4
	number..... 313	—	106	96	60	40	11
Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory	farms..... 133	1	13	53	35	24	7
	number..... 2 068	(D)	(D)	585	739	281	304
Ewes 1 year old or older	farms..... 111	1	9	43	30	22	6
	number..... 1 273	(D)	(D)	347	477	215	148
Sheep and lambs sold	farms..... 97	1	6	44	20	20	6
	number..... 2 015	(D)	(D)	1 062	358	316	150
Sheep and lambs shorn	farms..... 96	1	11	37	22	19	6
	number..... 1 471	(D)	(D)	397	538	260	164
	pounds of wool..... 12 668	(D)	(D)	3 006	4 273	2 522	2 064
Horses and ponies inventory	farms..... 686	3	101	206	166	141	69
	number..... 3 675	8	658	949	863	894	303
Horses and ponies sold	farms..... 269	—	35	76	82	73	3
	number..... 660	—	69	179	178	228	6
	\$1,000..... 724	—	78	179	186	277	4
Goats inventory	farms..... 101	1	16	54	25	3	2
	number..... 424	(D)	33	218	131	27	(D)
Goats sold	farms..... 32	—	2	16	7	5	2
	number..... 204	—	(D)	85	78	30	(D)
	\$1,000..... 14	—	(D)	3	10	1	(D)
POULTRY							
Chickens 3 months old or older inventory	farms..... 258	1	31	81	66	58	21
	number..... 8 292	(D)	(D)	1 720	1 879	3 255	608
Farms with—							
1 to 399	257	1	31	81	66	57	21
400 to 3,199	1	—	—	—	—	1	—
3,200 to 9,999	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
10,000 to 19,999	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
20,000 to 49,999	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
50,000 to 99,999	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 or more	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hens and pullets of laying age	farms..... 254	1	31	81	66	55	20
	number..... 7 304	(D)	(D)	1 531	1 695	2 977	401
Pullets 3 months old or older not of laying age	farms..... 56	—	10	14	15	8	9
	number..... 988	—	130	189	184	278	207

See footnote at end of table.

Table 32. Summary by Age and Principal Occupation of Operators for Farms With Sales of Less Than \$20,000: 1978—Con.

[Excludes abnormal farms; see text]

Farms With Sales of Less Than \$20,000	Total farming and other occupations	Farming						65 years and over
		Total	Age of operator					
			Under 25 years	25 to 34 years	35 to 44 years	45 to 54 years	55 to 64 years	
POULTRY—Con.								
Chickens 3 months old or older sold	farms... 33	9	—	1	3	2	1	2
	number... 3 579	1 392	—	(D)	76	(D)	(D)	(D)
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold	farms... 20	4	—	2	1	1	—	—
	number... 2 294	59	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	—
Farms with—								
1 to 1,999	20	4	—	2	1	1	—	—
2,000 to 15,999	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
16,000 to 29,999	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
30,000 or more	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Turkey hens kept for breeding	farms... 28	10	—	—	4	—	3	3
	number... 90	30	—	—	13	—	11	6
Turkeys sold	farms... 7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	number... 61	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
CROPS HARVESTED								
Wheat for grain	farms... 32	17	—	1	2	1	11	2
	acres... 436	330	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	255	(D)
	bushels... 18 111	14 410	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	12 476	(D)
Irrigated	farms... 32	17	—	1	2	1	11	2
	acres... 436	330	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	255	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres	28	14	—	1	1	1	9	2
25 to 99 acres	3	2	—	—	1	—	1	—
100 to 499 acres	1	1	—	—	—	—	1	—
500 acres or more	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Barley for grain	farms... 55	39	1	1	5	13	12	7
	acres... 1 849	1 349	(D)	(D)	(D)	568	433	155
	bushels... 88 402	54 869	(D)	(D)	(D)	17 590	24 154	7 160
Irrigated	farms... 55	39	1	1	5	13	12	7
	acres... 1 849	1 349	(D)	(D)	(D)	568	433	155
Irish potatoes	farms... 11	5	—	—	1	3	—	1
	acres... 45	29	—	—	(D)	(D)	—	(D)
	hundredweight... 10 030	8 610	—	—	(D)	(D)	—	(D)
Irrigated	farms... 11	5	—	—	1	3	—	1
	acres... 45	29	—	—	(D)	(D)	—	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:								
0.1 to 0.9 acres	4	1	—	—	—	—	—	1
1.0 to 4.9 acres	5	3	—	—	—	3	—	—
5.0 to 24.9 acres	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
25.0 to 99.9 acres	1	1	—	—	1	—	—	—
100.0 acres or more	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hay crops (see text)	farms... 1 026	436	10	30	48	131	114	103
	acres... 54 409	33 922	638	2 480	5 890	10 745	8 006	6 163
	tons, dry... 121 020	77 855	2 021	6 940	11 324	24 392	18 903	14 275
Irrigated	farms... 1 026	436	10	30	48	131	114	103
	acres... 54 409	33 922	638	2 480	5 890	10 745	8 006	6 163
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres	460	108	1	5	8	36	27	31
25 to 99 acres	399	205	8	17	20	50	57	53
100 to 499 acres	164	120	1	8	18	44	30	19
500 acres or more	3	3	—	—	2	1	—	—
Alfalfa hay	farms... 864	358	10	25	39	117	95	72
	acres... 36 834	22 798	595	1 465	4 817	7 166	5 337	3 418
	tons, dry... 96 520	62 066	1 946	5 072	9 602	19 489	15 471	10 486
Irrigated	farms... 864	358	10	25	39	117	95	72
	acres... 36 834	22 798	595	1 465	4 817	7 166	5 337	3 418
Wild hay	farms... 135	81	—	7	7	23	20	24
	acres... 10 634	6 450	—	705	754	2 356	1 219	1 416
	tons, dry... 13 089	8 324	—	1 425	1 066	2 521	1 480	1 832
Irrigated	farms... 135	81	—	7	7	23	20	24
	acres... 10 634	6 450	—	705	754	2 356	1 219	1 416
Field seed crops	farms... 9	5	—	—	—	—	3	2
	acres... 584	134	—	—	—	—	(D)	(D)
Irrigated	farms... 9	5	—	—	—	—	3	2
	acres... 584	134	—	—	—	—	(D)	(D)
All vegetables harvested for sale (see text)	farms... 28	5	1	—	—	2	—	2
	acres... 120	42	(D)	—	—	(D)	—	(D)
Irrigated	farms... 28	5	1	—	—	2	—	2
	acres... 120	42	(D)	—	—	(D)	—	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:								
0.1 to 4.9 acres	22	2	—	—	—	1	—	1
5.0 to 24.9 acres	5	3	1	—	—	1	—	1
25.0 to 99.9 acres	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100.0 acres or more	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Land in orchards	farms... 96	19	—	1	4	1	5	8
	acres... 146	30	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	8	11
Irrigated	farms... 96	19	—	1	4	1	5	8
	acres... 146	30	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	8	11
Farms by acres in orchards:								
0.1 to 4.9 acres	88	16	—	1	3	1	4	7
5.0 to 24.9 acres	8	3	—	—	1	—	1	1
25.0 to 99.9 acres	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100.0 acres or more	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

See footnote at end of table.

Table 32. Summary by Age and Principal Occupation of Operators for Farms With Sales of Less Than \$20,000: 1978—Con.

[Excludes abnormal farms; see text]

Farms With Sales of Less Than \$20,000	Other occupations						
	Total	Age of operator					
		Under 25 years	25 to 34 years	35 to 44 years	45 to 54 years	55 to 64 years	65 years and over
POULTRY—Con.							
Chickens 3 months old or older sold.....farms.....	24	—	1	6	7	8	2
.....number.....	2 187	—	(D)	408	227	1 512	(D)
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold.....farms.....	16	—	—	3	—	11	2
.....number.....	2 235	—	—	(D)	—	2 083	(D)
Farms with—							
1 to 1,999.....	16	—	—	3	—	11	2
2,000 to 15,999.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
16,000 to 29,999.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
30,000 or more.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Turkey hens kept for breeding.....farms.....	18	—	3	8	6	1	—
.....number.....	60	—	(D)	22	19	(D)	—
Turkeys sold.....farms.....	7	—	—	2	2	2	1
.....number.....	61	—	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
CROPS HARVESTED							
Wheat for grain.....farms.....	15	—	4	5	4	2	—
.....acres.....	106	—	(D)	27	33	(D)	—
.....bushels.....	3 701	—	(D)	1 162	1 238	(D)	—
Irrigated.....farms.....	15	—	4	5	4	2	—
.....acres.....	106	—	(D)	27	33	(D)	—
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres.....	14	—	3	5	4	2	—
25 to 99 acres.....	1	—	1	—	—	—	—
100 to 499 acres.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
500 acres or more.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Barley for grain.....farms.....	16	—	—	5	6	4	1
.....acres.....	500	—	—	(D)	157	173	(D)
.....bushels.....	33 533	—	—	(D)	10 277	12 041	(D)
Irrigated.....farms.....	16	—	—	5	6	4	1
.....acres.....	500	—	—	(D)	157	173	(D)
Irish potatoes.....farms.....	6	—	3	1	2	—	—
.....acres.....	17	—	2	(D)	(D)	—	—
.....hundredweight.....	1 420	—	750	(D)	(D)	—	—
Irrigated.....farms.....	6	—	3	1	2	—	—
.....acres.....	17	—	2	(D)	(D)	—	—
Farms by acres harvested:							
0.1 to 0.9 acres.....	3	—	3	—	—	—	—
1.0 to 4.9 acres.....	2	—	—	—	2	—	—
5.0 to 24.9 acres.....	1	—	—	1	—	—	—
25.0 to 99.9 acres.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100.0 acres or more.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hay crops (see text).....farms.....	590	5	58	170	166	125	66
.....acres.....	20 487	200	1 944	5 707	6 127	3 311	3 198
.....tons, dry.....	43 165	324	3 666	12 441	14 608	7 896	4 230
Irrigated.....farms.....	590	5	58	170	166	125	66
.....acres.....	20 487	200	1 944	5 707	6 127	3 311	3 198
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres.....	352	1	38	100	87	78	48
25 to 99 acres.....	194	4	17	54	65	45	9
100 to 499 acres.....	44	—	3	16	14	2	9
500 acres or more.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Alfalfa hay.....farms.....	506	3	54	146	139	113	51
.....acres.....	14 036	130	1 556	4 154	4 578	2 655	963
.....tons, dry.....	34 454	268	2 890	10 394	11 856	7 191	1 855
Irrigated.....farms.....	506	3	54	146	139	113	51
.....acres.....	14 036	130	1 556	4 154	4 578	2 655	963
Wild hay.....farms.....	54	2	3	16	18	6	9
.....acres.....	4 184	(D)	(D)	789	869	263	2 008
.....tons, dry.....	4 765	(D)	(D)	1 107	1 112	247	1 951
Irrigated.....farms.....	54	2	3	16	18	6	9
.....acres.....	4 184	(D)	(D)	789	869	263	2 008
Field seed crops.....farms.....	4	—	—	1	3	—	—
.....acres.....	450	—	—	(D)	(D)	—	—
Irrigated.....farms.....	4	—	—	1	3	—	—
.....acres.....	450	—	—	(D)	(D)	—	—
All vegetables harvested for sale (see text).....farms.....	23	—	—	1	20	1	1
.....acres.....	79	—	—	(D)	25	(D)	(D)
Irrigated.....farms.....	23	—	—	1	20	1	1
.....acres.....	79	—	—	(D)	25	(D)	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:							
0.1 to 4.9 acres.....	20	—	—	1	19	—	—
5.0 to 24.9 acres.....	2	—	—	—	1	1	—
25.0 to 99.9 acres.....	1	—	—	—	—	—	1
100.0 acres or more.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Land in orchards.....farms.....	77	—	4	16	32	22	3
.....acres.....	116	—	13	31	38	26	9
Irrigated.....farms.....	77	—	4	16	32	22	3
.....acres.....	116	—	13	31	38	26	9
Farms by acres in orchards:							
0.1 to 4.9 acres.....	72	—	3	15	32	20	2
5.0 to 24.9 acres.....	5	—	1	1	—	2	1
25.0 to 99.9 acres.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100.0 acres or more.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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