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FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION									
Individual or family	72 499	72 499	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Partnership	28 362 276	28 362 276	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Corporations:	5 919	—	5 919	—	—	—	—	—	
Family held	4 188 547	—	4 188 547	—	—	—	—	—	
More than 10 stockholders	590	—	—	590	590	576	—	—	
10 or less stockholders	1 244 351	—	—	1 244 351	1 244 351	1 198 485	—	—	
Other than family held	14	—	—	14	14	—	—	—	
More than 10 stockholders	576	—	—	576	576	576	—	—	
10 or less stockholders	85	—	—	85	—	—	85	75	
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, etc.	192 415	—	—	192 415	—	—	192 415	182 109	
More than 10 stockholders	10	—	—	10	—	—	10	—	
10 or less stockholders	75	—	—	75	—	—	75	75	
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, etc.	248	—	—	—	—	—	—	248	
Total	257 053	—	—	—	—	—	—	257 053	
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS									
Operators by place of residence:									
On farm operated	51 840	47 934	3 430	359	316	305	43	40	
Not on farm operated	18 378	15 829	2 179	254	218	215	26	29	
Operators by age group:									
Under 25 years	2 739	2 473	214	8	8	8	—	—	
25 to 34 years	9 168	8 928	928	52	43	42	9	8	
35 to 44 years	15 102	13 948	994	127	107	103	20	17	
45 to 54 years	19 501	17 939	1 306	174	139	138	35	29	
55 to 64 years	17 797	16 201	1 368	180	168	164	12	12	
65 years and over	15 034	13 772	1 109	134	125	121	9	9	
Average age	50.8	50.8	50.0	52.7	53.3	53.3	48.6	49.2	
Operators by sex:									
Male	74 757	68 299	5 580	653	569	556	84	74	
Female	4 584	4 200	339	22	21	20	1	1	
Operators of Spanish origin	188	162	24	1	—	—	1	1	
Operators by principal occupation:									
Farming	33 549	30 061	2 869	463	398	388	65	57	
Other	45 792	42 438	3 050	212	192	188	20	18	
Operators reporting days of work off farm:									
None	26 924	24 292	2 154	365	317	307	48	42	
1 to 99 days	7 060	6 348	627	65	54	54	11	10	
100 to 199 days	6 995	6 312	584	50	45	45	5	5	
200 days or more	35 327	32 814	2 304	150	136	133	14	11	
FARMS BY SIZE									
1 to 9 acres	4 182	3 794	290	44	36	35	8	8	
10 to 49 acres	10 761	10 345	372	25	19	19	6	6	
50 to 69 acres	3 307	3 078	169	17	17	17	—	—	
70 to 99 acres	7 596	7 127	444	14	11	10	3	3	
100 to 139 acres	5 799	5 403	370	17	15	15	2	2	
140 to 179 acres	8 969	8 279	632	39	35	35	4	3	
180 to 219 acres	3 705	3 433	244	22	18	18	4	2	
220 to 259 acres	3 593	3 330	249	10	10	10	—	—	
260 to 499 acres	13 705	12 486	1 119	87	79	79	8	5	
500 to 999 acres	10 141	9 015	990	100	90	88	10	9	
1,000 to 1,999 acres	5 215	4 466	605	128	113	112	15	14	
2,000 acres or more	2 368	1 743	435	172	147	138	25	23	
FARMS BY STANDARD INDUSTRIAL CLASSIFICATION (SEE TEXT)									
Cash grain farms (011)	11 114	9 865	1 127	96	85	84	11	10	
Field crop, except cash grain farms (013)	5 101	4 663	388	39	36	36	3	3	
Cotton farms (0131)	1 537	1 390	124	20	18	18	2	2	
Tobacco farms (0132)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Sugar crop, Irish potato, hay, peanut, and other field crop farms (0133, 0134, 0139)	3 564	3 273	264	19	18	18	1	1	
Vegetable and melon farms (016)	238	213	24	1	1	1	—	—	
Fruit and tree nut farms (017)	566	533	25	5	4	4	1	—	
Horticultural specialty farms (018)	334	209	35	47	38	35	9	8	
General farms, primarily crop (019)	2 289	2 076	188	22	18	18	4	4	
Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021)	55 167	50 833	3 795	388	344	334	44	38	
Beef cattle farms, except feedlots (0212)	49 153	45 295	3 395	328	296	288	32	28	
Dairy farms (024)	1 584	1 385	170	22	20	20	2	2	
Poultry and egg farms (025)	876	817	29	28	22	22	6	5	
Animal specialty farms (027)	1 370	1 270	81	17	12	12	5	5	
General farms, primarily livestock (029)	702	635	57	10	10	10	—	—	
VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD									
Market value of agricultural products sold	79 341	72 499	5 919	675	590	576	85	75	
Farms by value of agricultural products sold:	2 364 126	1 579 378	269 513	506 604	356 950	342 422	149 655	108 449	
\$500,000 or more	260	137	52	68	54	51	14	10	
\$200,000 to \$499,999	1 058	735	212	104	94	91	10	7	
\$100,000 to \$199,999	2 398	1 964	318	105	85	82	20	19	
\$40,000 to \$99,999	7 566	6 583	823	139	119	118	20	19	
\$20,000 to \$39,999	8 919	8 006	805	89	81	79	8	5	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	11 476	10 381	999	66	63	62	3	3	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	13 491	12 510	912	42	38	38	4	4	
\$2,500 to \$4,999	13 471	12 456	873	47	43	42	4	3	
Less than \$2,500	20 702	19 727	925	15	13	13	2	2	

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SELECTED FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES¹—Con.									
Animal health costs.....farms.....	52 264	47 363	4 327	468	409	402	59	52	106
.....\$1,000.....	19 340	13 667	2 436	3 177	1 941	1 924	1 235	688	60
Farms with expenses of—									
\$1 to \$499.....	44 843	41 127	3 419	215	192	192	23	22	82
\$500 to \$999.....	3 996	3 512	415	66	56	53	10	8	3
\$1,000 to \$2,999.....	2 702	2 227	364	95	85	84	10	9	16
\$3,000 or more.....	723	497	129	92	76	73	16	13	5
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees.....farms.....	26 200	23 569	2 217	324	281	277	43	39	90
.....\$1,000.....	33 590	26 489	3 691	3 302	2 802	2 559	500	291	108
Farms with expenses of—									
\$1 to \$999.....	18 427	16 919	1 394	82	73	73	9	8	32
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	6 354	5 510	649	138	123	123	15	13	57
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	972	827	96	48	37	36	11	11	1
\$10,000 or more.....	447	313	78	56	48	45	8	7	—
Commercial fertilizer.....farms.....	41 322	36 883	3 807	484	422	412	62	57	148
.....\$1,000.....	114 440	95 337	14 335	4 467	3 780	3 587	688	594	300
Farms with expenses of—									
\$1 to \$2,499.....	28 665	26 066	2 260	216	180	176	36	33	123
\$2,500 to \$9,999.....	10 270	8 925	1 188	142	131	130	11	10	15
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	1 738	1 406	256	68	60	60	8	8	8
\$20,000 or more.....	649	486	103	58	51	46	7	6	2
Other agricultural chemicals including lime.....farms.....	28 833	25 615	2 704	378	327	318	51	43	136
.....\$1,000.....	33 647	26 556	4 838	2 069	1 650	1 604	420	187	183
Farms with expenses of—									
\$1 to \$2,499.....	25 556	22 932	2 267	236	201	198	35	31	121
\$2,500 to \$9,999.....	2 847	2 373	366	95	87	83	8	8	13
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	320	234	52	34	29	27	5	3	—
\$20,000 or more.....	110	76	19	13	10	10	3	1	2
Energy and petroleum products.....farms.....	78 739	71 944	5 892	715	626	615	89	80	188
.....\$1,000.....	134 517	111 752	15 128	7 252	5 490	5 318	1 762	1 288	385
Farms with expenses of—									
\$1 to \$2,499.....	64 071	59 573	4 103	247	231	230	16	15	148
\$2,500 to \$9,999.....	12 953	11 083	1 534	305	255	249	50	46	31
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	1 356	1 064	191	93	84	82	9	9	8
\$20,000 or more.....	359	224	64	70	56	54	14	10	1
Petroleum products.....farms.....	78 663	71 874	5 886	715	626	615	89	80	188
.....\$1,000.....	115 226	96 062	13 243	5 603	4 282	4 147	1 321	973	317
Gasoline.....farms.....	68 807	62 816	5 206	605	525	515	80	71	180
.....\$1,000.....	48 910	41 513	5 205	2 017	1 560	1 526	457	321	176
Diesel fuel.....farms.....	38 344	34 036	3 647	524	449	439	75	68	137
.....\$1,000.....	36 643	30 153	4 839	1 585	1 288	1 259	297	253	66
LP gas, butane, and propane.....farms.....	23 198	20 913	1 936	252	218	212	34	31	97
.....\$1,000.....	14 595	12 457	1 486	612	400	394	212	161	40
Fuel oil.....farms.....	4 633	4 120	448	53	47	45	6	6	12
.....\$1,000.....	1 012	845	130	34	33	32	1	1	3
Natural gas.....farms.....	2 939	2 539	298	98	74	70	24	20	4
.....\$1,000.....	5 432	3 750	638	1 034	765	704	269	158	11
Kerosene, motor oil, and grease.....farms.....	78 645	71 858	5 886	713	624	613	89	80	188
.....\$1,000.....	8 632	7 344	945	322	237	231	85	78	21
Electricity.....farms.....	43 105	38 927	3 554	504	434	425	70	62	120
.....\$1,000.....	18 868	15 305	1 854	1 642	1 202	1 166	440	315	67
Other—coal, wood, coke, etc.....farms.....	2 526	2 325	176	20	20	20	—	—	5
.....\$1,000.....	423	385	31	6	6	6	—	—	1
Hired farm labor.....farms.....	25 481	22 550	2 336	492	414	405	78	69	103
.....\$1,000.....	79 498	50 919	9 691	18 141	14 547	12 801	3 595	1 459	747
Farms with expenses of—									
\$1 to \$4,999.....	21 999	19 876	1 845	207	184	184	23	20	71
\$5,000 to \$19,999.....	2 914	2 354	384	156	120	119	36	36	20
\$20,000 to \$49,999.....	457	288	89	71	63	61	8	7	9
\$50,000 or more.....	111	32	18	58	47	41	11	6	3
Workers by number of days worked:									
150 days or more.....farms.....	6 051	4 937	764	315	251	242	64	56	35
.....workers.....	11 754	7 824	1 487	2 336	1 546	1 267	790	211	107
Less than 150 days.....farms.....	22 558	20 102	1 982	386	325	320	61	53	88
.....workers.....	70 402	58 397	6 385	5 258	2 721	2 582	2 537	230	362
Contract labor.....farms.....	6 511	5 674	716	109	93	91	16	14	12
.....\$1,000.....	10 588	8 677	1 281	605	427	422	179	48	24
Farms with expenses of—									
\$1 to \$2,499.....	5 316	4 708	542	57	50	49	7	7	9
\$2,500 to \$9,999.....	1 072	870	160	39	32	31	7	6	3
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	106	84	13	9	8	8	1	1	—
\$20,000 or more.....	17	12	1	4	3	3	1	—	—
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment.....farms.....	29 039	26 131	2 503	361	329	324	32	29	44
.....\$1,000.....	52 585	44 389	5 752	2 215	1 947	1 893	268	188	228
Farms with expenses of—									
\$1 to \$2,499.....	23 210	21 159	1 858	166	158	157	8	8	27
\$2,500 to \$9,999.....	5 078	4 387	539	140	122	119	18	17	12
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	619	504	80	33	30	30	3	2	2
\$20,000 or more.....	132	81	26	22	19	18	3	2	3
FARM-RELATED INCOME									
Income from machine work, customwork, and other agricultural services.....farms.....	5 713	5 079	564	62	54	52	8	8	8
.....\$1,000.....	19 677	16 770	2 329	557	288	286	268	268	22
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption.....farms.....	2 337	2 081	228	23	21	21	2	—	5
.....\$1,000.....	4 150	3 404	470	209	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	68

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VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT¹									
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ... farms...	79 086	72 276	5 901	716	626	615	90	81	193
\$1,000...	1 783 058	1 514 078	208 882	55 954	43 690	42 528	12 264	6 434	4 143
Farms by value group:									
\$1 to \$4,999	14 664	13 713	860	65	63	63	2	2	26
\$5,000 to \$9,999	25 065	23 493	1 406	66	62	62	4	3	100
\$10,000 to \$19,999	15 811	14 654	979	154	126	123	28	28	24
\$20,000 to \$49,999	13 247	11 849	1 257	120	102	100	18	15	21
\$50,000 to \$99,999	6 648	5 694	797	144	131	128	13	13	13
\$100,000 to \$199,999	3 025	2 452	466	100	85	84	15	14	7
\$200,000 to \$499,999	595	408	133	52	48	46	4	3	2
\$500,000 or more	31	13	3	15	9	9	6	3	—
SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT¹									
Automobiles ... farms...	49 303	45 177	3 616	454	417	409	37	36	56
number...	64 808	58 621	5 417	692	634	619	58	56	78
Motortrucks, including pickups ... farms...	70 384	64 270	5 332	651	563	553	88	79	131
number...	126 021	111 441	11 954	2 335	1 939	1 881	396	324	291
Wheel tractors ... farms...	63 270	57 492	4 969	629	550	540	79	72	180
number...	105 615	93 498	10 051	1 758	1 490	1 454	268	197	308
2 or 3 ... farms...	23 717	21 203	2 141	288	255	250	33	29	85
number...	54 072	48 180	5 002	710	633	620	77	68	180
4 or more ... farms...	3 316	2 577	586	146	123	121	23	21	7
number...	15 306	11 606	2 807	853	685	665	168	107	40
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled only ... farms...	14 649	12 733	1 701	195	179	176	16	16	20
number...	17 987	15 519	2 156	292	270	265	22	22	20
Cornpickers, corn heads, and picker-shellers ... farms...	1 034	900	115	18	15	13	3	3	1
number...	1 398	1 167	(D)	27	23	21	4	4	(D)
Corn heads for combines ... farms...	644	556	71	16	14	12	2	2	1
number...	899	726	(D)	22	(D)	17	(D)	(D)	(D)
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers ... farms...	437	380	53	4	3	3	1	1	—
number...	499	441	53	5	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—
Cottonpickers ... farms...	662	585	58	19	17	17	2	2	—
number...	773	668	78	27	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—
Mower conditioners ... farms...	14 265	12 711	1 364	158	141	137	17	15	32
number...	15 696	13 867	1 598	191	170	165	21	19	40
Pickup balers ... farms...	17 835	15 834	1 727	206	181	178	25	23	68
number...	19 998	17 548	2 101	277	247	241	30	28	72
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type ... farms...	2 128	1 796	282	50	46	46	4	4	—
number...	2 412	2 027	327	58	50	50	8	8	—
AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS¹									
Agricultural chemicals, including commercial fertilizer and lime ... farms...	48 301	43 329	4 269	546	476	465	70	62	157
\$1,000...	148 087	121 893	19 173	6 537	5 429	5 190	1 107	782	484
Commercial fertilizer ... farms...	39 107	34 883	3 604	477	416	406	61	56	143
acres on which used...	7 295 290	6 074 753	949 157	253 877	219 646	211 347	34 231	33 069	17 503
Lime ... farms...	2 950	2 645	268	31	27	27	4	3	6
acres on which used...	160 359	135 827	17 620	6 544	4 967	4 967	1 577	1 502	368
tons...	257 712	217 358	28 347	11 541	8 455	8 455	3 086	2 936	466
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control— Insects on hay and other crops ... farms...	12 087	10 521	1 287	216	194	188	22	18	63
acres on which used...	1 723 431	1 428 600	222 110	69 355	55 127	52 168	14 228	12 967	3 366
Nematodes in crops ... farms...	896	788	89	15	13	12	2	2	4
acres on which used...	78 196	66 565	9 216	2 307	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	108
Diseases in crops and orchards ... farms...	2 181	1 884	206	43	39	37	4	2	48
acres on which used...	136 550	102 329	25 746	7 801	6 544	(D)	1 257	(D)	674
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture ... farms...	17 348	15 384	1 656	230	204	199	26	20	78
acres on which used...	2 638 471	2 102 629	397 420	109 447	92 260	88 525	17 187	15 646	28 975
Chemicals for— Defoliation or for growth control of crops, or thinning of fruit ... farms...	1 248	1 038	142	20	19	17	1	—	48
acres on which used...	98 040	79 971	15 759	1 673	(D)	1 611	(D)	—	637
Insect control on livestock and poultry ... farms...	19 105	17 111	1 701	221	198	193	23	17	72
Sanitation and rodent and bird control ... farms...	6 018	5 312	575	103	85	85	18	12	28
LIVESTOCK									
Cattle and calves inventory ... farms...	63 604	58 201	4 721	513	450	438	63	57	169
number...	5 027 674	3 924 682	617 071	458 018	333 397	327 616	124 621	97 392	27 903
Farms with—									
1 to 9	6 802	6 471	308	9	9	9	—	—	14
10 to 49	33 048	30 956	1 912	93	86	85	7	7	87
50 to 99	11 948	10 850	1 005	72	66	62	6	6	21
100 to 199	7 105	6 252	727	103	87	87	16	15	23
200 to 499	3 544	2 887	528	119	104	102	15	13	10
500 or more	1 157	785	241	117	98	93	19	16	14
Cows and heifers that had calved ... farms...	54 936	50 352	4 042	390	341	331	49	45	152
number...	2 018 338	1 708 871	231 265	61 618	53 902	51 829	7 716	6 709	16 584
Beef cows ... farms...	52 856	48 474	3 868	371	324	314	47	43	143
number...	1 914 144	1 625 719	215 955	56 475	48 942	46 869	7 533	6 526	15 995
Farms with—									
1 to 9	12 454	11 765	653	22	20	19	2	2	14
10 to 49	30 558	28 344	2 022	105	95	94	10	10	87
50 to 99	6 330	5 568	659	86	77	75	9	9	17
100 to 199	2 400	1 973	340	79	66	65	13	12	8
200 to 499	913	691	154	59	48	43	11	8	9
500 or more	201	133	40	20	18	18	2	2	8

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LIVESTOCK — Con.										
Cattle and calves inventory — Con.										
Cows and heifers that had calved — Con.										
Milk cows	5 668	5 144	457	43	40	40	3	3	24	
Farms with —	104 194	83 152	15 310	5 143	4 960	4 960	183	183	589	
1 to 4	3 736	3 476	229	15	14	14	1	1	16	
5 to 9	198	181	15	1	1	1	—	—	1	
10 to 49	966	858	96	9	8	8	1	1	3	
50 to 99	571	496	65	7	7	7	—	—	3	
100 to 199	164	110	46	7	6	6	1	1	1	
200 to 499	32	23	6	3	3	3	—	—	—	
500 or more	1	—	—	1	1	1	—	—	—	
Heifers and heifer calves	49 331	45 064	3 734	387	340	329	47	42	146	
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1 184 644	933 704	133 838	111 885	74 146	72 812	37 739	33 991	5 217	
Farms	55 934	50 974	4 339	465	408	398	57	51	156	
Farms	1 824 692	1 282 107	251 968	284 515	205 349	202 975	79 166	56 692	6 102	
Cattle and calves sold	65 121	59 600	4 813	538	475	463	63	57	170	
Farms	4 241 272	2 889 409	512 944	819 811	578 858	575 070	240 953	184 703	19 108	
Farms	1 485 834	890 407	166 830	423 051	293 308	291 953	129 743	100 688	5 545	
Farms	45 444	41 981	3 053	281	245	238	36	32	129	
Farms	1 155 568	981 905	132 540	31 365	25 690	25 123	5 675	5 326	9 758	
Farms	266 802	226 439	29 291	8 642	7 075	6 916	1 568	1 491	2 430	
Farms	46 639	42 454	3 642	442	388	378	54	48	101	
Farms	3 085 704	1 907 504	380 404	788 446	553 168	549 947	235 278	179 377	9 350	
Farms	1 219 031	663 969	137 540	414 408	286 233	285 037	128 174	99 196	3 115	
Farms	4 191	3 769	338	79	65	62	14	12	5	
Farms	938 066	221 463	64 893	651 635	427 229	426 392	224 406	168 988	75	
Farms	488 310	98 032	27 658	362 595	238 324	237 930	124 271	95 466	25	
Hogs and pigs inventory	8 546	7 836	609	37	27	27	10	10	64	
Farms	326 647	259 854	40 195	23 773	14 425	14 425	9 348	9 348	2 825	
Farms	3 789	3 542	232	8	7	7	1	1	7	
Farms	3 405	3 126	224	8	5	5	3	3	47	
Farms	661	587	65	4	3	3	1	1	5	
Farms	419	367	45	3	2	2	1	1	4	
Farms	199	163	30	6	3	3	3	3	—	
Farms	73	51	13	8	7	7	1	1	—	
Farms	6 260	5 727	451	25	18	18	7	7	57	
Farms	58 143	49 748	6 341	1 661	1 482	1 482	179	179	393	
Farms	7 368	6 739	534	34	25	25	9	9	61	
Farms	268 504	210 106	33 854	22 112	12 943	12 943	9 169	9 169	2 432	
Hogs and pigs sold	7 585	6 924	566	32	23	23	9	9	63	
Farms	501 911	399 683	59 219	39 141	23 424	23 424	15 717	15 717	3 868	
Farms	41 774	32 136	5 329	3 976	2 401	2 401	1 575	1 575	334	
Farms	2 890	2 660	217	7	3	3	4	4	6	
Farms	128 775	117 011	10 236	1 337	55	55	1 282	1 282	191	
Farms	4 809	4 344	405	54	3	3	51	51	7	
Litters of pigs farrowed between —										
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30	6 669	6 113	473	25	18	18	7	7	58	
Farms	66 031	54 702	7 405	3 253	3 037	3 037	216	216	671	
Farms	5 269	4 777	416	22	16	16	6	6	54	
Farms	33 675	27 972	3 672	1 685	1 569	1 569	116	116	346	
Farms	5 146	4 682	389	22	16	16	6	6	53	
Farms	32 356	26 730	3 733	1 568	1 468	1 468	100	100	325	
Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory	1 712	1 535	117	11	5	5	6	6	49	
Farms	100 577	83 102	8 635	8 373	660	660	7 713	7 713	467	
Farms	1 399	1 247	99	11	5	5	6	6	42	
Farms	60 245	49 857	5 295	4 960	462	462	4 498	4 498	133	
Farms	1 389	1 259	109	11	5	5	6	6	10	
Farms	77 388	63 291	5 258	8 568	1 094	1 094	7 474	7 474	271	
Farms	1 184	1 073	97	11	5	5	6	6	3	
Farms	69 019	57 285	6 522	5 058	528	528	4 530	4 530	154	
Farms	508 071	411 960	46 605	48 171	3 414	3 414	44 757	44 757	1 335	
Horses and ponies inventory	21 796	19 980	1 555	209	175	169	34	32	52	
Farms	82 967	73 642	7 393	1 645	1 287	1 263	358	335	287	
Farms	3 919	3 597	266	43	36	36	7	7	13	
Farms	11 764	10 548	911	257	161	161	96	96	48	
Farms	11 914	10 390	945	552	371	371	181	181	27	
Farms	379	358	15	3	3	3	—	—	3	
Farms	3 335	3 074	229	8	8	8	—	—	24	
Farms	138	130	8	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Farms	1 458	1 368	90	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Farms	71	60	11	—	—	—	—	—	—	
POULTRY										
Chickens 3 months old or older inventory	10 050	9 423	526	46	38	38	8	8	55	
Farms	3 426 417	2 845 518	119 099	449 311	368 815	368 815	80 496	80 496	12 489	
Farms	9 840	9 239	515	33	28	28	5	5	53	
Farms	45	38	4	2	2	2	—	—	1	
Farms	83	75	3	4	2	2	2	2	1	
Farms	36	30	3	3	3	3	—	—	—	
Farms	32	30	1	1	1	1	—	—	—	
Farms	11	10	—	1	1	1	—	—	—	
Farms	3	1	—	2	2	2	—	—	—	
Farms	9 632	9 018	518	43	36	36	7	7	53	
Farms	2 984 147	2 488 972	117 638	365 761	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	11 776	
Farms	1 659	1 530	77	8	7	7	1	1	44	
Farms	442 270	356 546	1 461	83 550	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	713	

See footnote at end of table.

Table 30. Summary by Type of Organization: 1978—Con.

[Excludes abnormal farms; see text]

All Farms	Corporation							Other — cooper- ative, estate or trust, etc.	
	Total	Individual or family	Partnership	Total	Family held		Other than family held		
					Total	10 or less stockholders	Total		10 or less stockholders
POULTRY — Con.									
Chickens 3 months old or older sold ----- farms.....	769	710	36	20	14	14	6	6	3
..... number.....	3 689 485	2 881 862	189 464	612 832	476 749	476 749	136 083	136 083	5 327
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold ----- farms.....	487	459	14	11	11	11	—	—	3
..... number.....	45 674 824	42 438 459	1 061 290	1 661 000	1 661 000	1 661 000	—	—	514 075
Farms with —									
1 to 1,999 -----	76	72	3	—	—	—	—	—	1
2,000 to 59,999 -----	64	59	4	1	1	1	—	—	—
60,000 to 99,999 -----	132	129	1	1	1	1	—	—	1
100,000 or more -----	215	199	6	9	9	9	—	—	1
Turkey hens kept for breeding ----- farms.....	418	387	29	2	2	2	—	—	—
..... number.....	11 578	1 470	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	—	—
Turkeys sold ----- farms.....	120	104	13	3	2	2	1	—	—
..... number.....	1 780 955	1 184 318	196 537	400 100	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	—
CROPS HARVESTED									
Corn for all purposes ----- farms.....	1 288	1 088	161	37	33	32	4	4	2
..... acres.....	93 868	65 103	(D)	13 648	11 044	10 979	2 604	2 604	(D)
For grain or seed ----- farms.....	928	815	96	16	14	13	2	2	(D)
..... acres.....	56 701	40 870	(D)	7 470	(D)	5 753	(D)	(D)	(D)
Irrigated ----- farms.....	3 770 666	2 503 017	(D)	711 437	(D)	590 824	(D)	(D)	(D)
..... bushels.....	156	114	29	12	10	10	2	2	1
Farms by acres harvested:	27 911	15 428	(D)	6 989	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
1 to 24 acres -----	555	512	43	—	—	—	—	—	—
25 to 99 acres -----	225	191	27	6	5	4	1	1	1
100 to 499 acres -----	128	102	23	3	3	3	—	—	—
500 acres or more -----	20	10	3	7	6	6	1	1	—
Sorghums for all purposes ----- farms.....	5 890	5 145	645	90	76	74	14	14	10
..... acres.....	579 379	476 592	78 723	23 220	17 019	16 319	6 201	6 201	844
For grain or seed ----- farms.....	4 781	4 172	528	72	60	58	12	12	9
..... acres.....	518 696	429 164	68 440	20 313	14 202	13 502	6 111	6 111	779
Irrigated ----- farms.....	18 079 445	14 661 255	2 533 896	857 822	596 754	546 754	261 068	261 068	26 472
..... bushels.....	680	564	86	28	22	22	6	6	2
Farms by acres harvested:	95 854	74 251	(D)	8 366	4 511	4 511	3 855	3 855	(D)
1 to 24 acres -----	1 340	1 221	114	4	2	2	2	2	1
25 to 99 acres -----	2 131	1 873	235	18	17	16	1	1	5
100 to 499 acres -----	1 114	919	151	41	36	36	5	5	3
500 acres or more -----	196	159	28	9	5	4	4	4	—
Wheat for grain ----- farms.....	22 891	20 195	2 348	293	264	257	29	28	55
..... acres.....	5 083 666	4 326 087	613 505	137 350	119 608	115 727	17 742	17 635	6 724
Irrigated ----- farms.....	125 656 425	106 636 745	15 354 198	3 494 145	3 063 544	2 980 956	430 601	429 485	171 337
..... bushels.....	767	630	108	26	21	20	5	5	3
Farms by acres harvested:	129 330	95 454	21 421	12 135	7 790	7 090	4 345	4 345	320
1 to 24 acres -----	2 280	2 100	163	8	8	8	—	—	9
25 to 99 acres -----	6 949	6 181	691	54	51	49	3	3	23
100 to 499 acres -----	11 112	9 799	1 162	131	121	120	10	9	20
500 acres or more -----	2 550	2 115	332	100	84	80	16	16	3
Oats for grain ----- farms.....	2 689	2 398	251	36	34	33	2	2	4
..... acres.....	89 700	76 480	9 208	3 839	(D)	3 364	(D)	(D)	173
Irrigated ----- farms.....	2 985 169	2 529 142	312 163	140 739	(D)	117 739	(D)	(D)	3 125
..... bushels.....	41	37	4	—	—	—	—	—	—
Farms by acres harvested:	1 579	1 329	250	—	—	—	—	—	—
1 to 24 acres -----	1 269	1 100	149	18	18	18	—	—	2
25 to 99 acres -----	52 878	43 114	(D)	1 515	1 515	1 515	—	—	(D)
100 to 499 acres -----	1 766 788	1 400 623	(D)	55 757	55 757	55 757	—	—	(D)
500 acres or more -----	28	23	2	3	3	3	—	—	—
Barley for grain ----- farms.....	1 433	968	(D)	265	265	265	—	—	—
Soybeans for beans ----- farms.....	3 043	2 642	347	47	42	41	5	5	7
..... acres.....	382 017	285 132	78 088	18 030	16 185	15 238	1 845	1 845	767
Irrigated ----- farms.....	5 155 849	3 734 602	1 126 565	288 338	263 114	242 464	25 224	25 224	6 344
..... bushels.....	139	100	27	12	9	9	3	3	—
Farms by acres harvested:	11 048	6 535	2 439	2 074	1 754	1 754	320	320	—
1 to 24 acres -----	698	647	48	1	1	1	—	—	2
25 to 99 acres -----	1 336	1 183	140	11	10	10	1	1	2
100 to 499 acres -----	857	716	115	23	21	21	2	2	3
500 acres or more -----	152	96	44	12	10	9	2	2	—
Cotton ----- farms.....	4 350	3 881	411	52	45	45	7	7	6
..... acres.....	554 232	477 559	61 817	14 603	12 598	12 598	2 005	2 005	253
Irrigated ----- farms.....	338 606	283 752	42 473	12 218	10 872	10 872	1 346	1 346	163
..... bales.....	622	543	71	8	8	8	—	—	—
Farms by acres harvested:	74 729	57 182	13 760	3 787	3 787	3 787	—	—	—
1 to 24 acres -----	699	605	89	4	4	4	—	—	1
25 to 99 acres -----	1 890	1 704	163	18	17	17	1	1	5
100 to 499 acres -----	1 611	1 459	131	21	16	16	5	5	—
500 acres or more -----	150	113	28	9	8	8	1	1	—

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Table 30. Summary by Type of Organization: 1978—Con.

[Excludes abnormal farms; see text]

All Farms				Corporation				Other— cooper- ative, estate or trust, etc.		
	Total	Individual or family	Partnership	Total	Family held		Other than family held			
					Total	10 or less stockholders	Total		10 or less stockholders	
CROPS HARVESTED—Con.										
Irish potatoes	farms	235	212	21	1	1	1	--	--	1
	acres	1 395	1 131	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	--	--	(D)
	hundredweight	204 814	154 767	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	--	--	(D)
Irrigated	farms	27	23	3	1	1	1	--	--	--
	acres	819	613	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	--	--	--
Farms by acres harvested:										
	0.1 to 0.9 acres	159	142	16	--	--	--	--	--	1
	1.0 to 4.9 acres	47	46	1	--	--	--	--	--	--
	5.0 to 24.9 acres	15	12	3	--	--	--	--	--	--
	25.0 to 99.9 acres	10	9	1	--	--	--	--	--	--
	100.0 acres or more	4	3	--	1	1	1	--	--	--
Peanuts for nuts	farms	1 839	1 647	165	24	20	20	4	4	3
	acres	102 974	87 934	12 931	1 985	1 790	1 790	195	195	124
	pounds	177 326 997	149 499 763	22 523 315	5 114 660	4 584 078	4 584 078	530 582	530 582	189 259
Irrigated	farms	914	798	93	20	16	16	4	4	3
	acres	58 479	48 598	8 084	1 713	1 518	1 518	195	195	84
Hay crops (see text)	farms	35 630	32 172	2 963	368	326	321	42	38	127
	acres	1 812 075	1 538 637	202 956	59 751	53 136	50 821	6 615	5 884	10 731
	tons, dry	2 960 221	2 475 024	352 012	116 717	101 188	96 785	15 529	14 501	16 468
Irrigated	farms	1 387	1 162	169	52	46	44	6	5	4
	acres	78 906	59 572	10 583	8 669	6 444	4 394	2 225	2 145	82
Farms by acres harvested:										
	1 to 24 acres	14 958	13 893	985	60	54	54	6	6	20
	25 to 99 acres	16 399	14 787	1 392	141	124	121	17	16	79
	100 to 499 acres	4 103	3 378	562	140	123	122	17	14	23
	500 acres or more	170	114	24	27	25	24	2	2	5
Alfalfa hay	farms	8 028	6 974	875	156	144	142	12	12	23
	acres	356 834	290 891	47 416	17 584	15 821	13 771	1 763	1 763	943
	tons, dry	981 381	787 579	136 925	53 923	46 694	42 534	7 229	7 229	2 954
Irrigated	farms	922	764	118	38	34	32	4	4	2
	acres	52 605	38 933	(D)	6 936	5 558	3 508	1 378	1 378	(D)
Wild hay	farms	8 454	7 729	626	76	66	63	10	7	23
	acres	401 449	345 346	39 658	13 349	12 592	12 412	757	381	3 096
	tons, dry	449 014	384 575	47 047	14 549	13 427	13 303	1 122	547	2 843
Irrigated	farms	36	34	1	1	1	1	--	--	--
	acres	1 477	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	--	--	--
All vegetables harvested for sale (see text)	farms	666	590	72	3	2	2	1	1	1
	acres	14 171	11 833	(D)	279	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Irrigated	farms	197	174	21	2	2	2	--	--	--
	acres	3 762	2 806	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	--	--	--
Farms by acres harvested:										
	0.1 to 4.9 acres	275	234	40	1	1	1	--	--	--
	5.0 to 24.9 acres	246	229	17	--	--	--	--	--	--
	25.0 to 99.9 acres	111	100	9	1	--	--	1	1	1
	100.0 acres or more	34	27	6	1	1	1	--	--	--
Land in orchards	farms	2 949	2 612	263	27	26	25	1	--	47
	acres	53 840	41 930	9 585	1 479	(D)	1 182	(D)	--	846
Irrigated	farms	171	152	15	2	1	1	1	--	2
	acres	1 254	930	94	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	--	(D)
Farms by acres in orchards:										
	0.1 to 4.9 acres	1 201	1 097	95	7	7	7	--	--	2
	5.0 to 24.9 acres	1 272	1 122	98	10	10	10	--	--	42
	25.0 to 99.9 acres	385	324	55	5	5	4	--	--	1
	100.0 acres or more	91	69	15	5	4	4	1	--	2

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