

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.....	59 140	18 219	634	1 114	1 401	2 851	4 668	7 551
..... percent.....	100.0	30.8	1.0	1.8	2.3	4.8	7.8	12.7
Land in farms..... acres.....	11 856 821	5 058 648	124 904	327 397	450 990	853 182	1 386 250	1 915 925
Average size of farm..... acres.....	200	278	197	294	322	299	297	254
Value of land and buildings ¹ dollars.....	59 213	18 632	646	1 120	1 563	2 672	4 773	7 858
Average per farm..... \$1,000.....	6 674 760	2 572 296	77 616	158 168	272 678	408 112	711 610	944 113
Average per acre..... dollars.....	112 724	138 057	120 148	141 221	174 457	152 736	149 090	120 146
Average per acre..... dollars.....	552	490	539	526	523	517	494	460
Farms by value of land and buildings:								
\$1 to \$19,999.....	4 765	1 458	31	89	192	183	299	664
\$20,000 to \$39,999.....	9 849	2 252	108	93	134	232	544	1 141
\$40,000 to \$69,999.....	13 300	3 520	103	209	178	454	821	1 755
\$70,000 to \$99,999.....	8 693	2 522	64	132	209	325	638	1 154
\$100,000 to \$149,999.....	9 675	3 383	162	224	208	671	836	1 282
\$150,000 to \$199,999.....	4 897	1 792	87	121	223	279	492	590
\$200,000 to \$499,999.....	6 928	3 158	79	226	323	423	1 003	1 104
\$500,000 to \$999,999.....	827	421	11	18	75	72	112	133
\$1,000,000 or more.....	279	126	1	8	21	33	28	35
Owned and rented land by operator:								
Land owned..... farms.....	52 091	16 121	333	749	1 138	2 510	4 281	7 110
..... acres.....	9 031 110	3 943 817	63 506	140 543	272 894	597 786	1 059 958	1 809 130
Land rented or leased from others..... farms.....	21 246	7 274	401	796	1 243	1 879	2 226	2 226
..... acres.....	4 050 740	1 722 178	87 447	208 657	218 162	317 821	449 680	440 411
Land rented or leased to others..... farms.....	6 472	2 812	76	89	150	288	572	1 637
..... acres.....	1 225 029	607 347	26 049	21 803	40 066	62 425	123 388	333 616
LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE								
Total cropland..... farms.....	44 767	15 245	526	966	1 136	2 406	3 957	6 254
..... acres.....	5 147 417	2 282 699	80 696	168 565	211 186	363 913	627 118	831 221
Harvested cropland..... farms.....	32 775	12 884	482	824	987	2 114	3 393	5 084
..... acres.....	2 113 639	1 122 291	46 939	93 175	111 486	177 611	316 526	376 554
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 9 acres.....	3 491	810	48	70	55	90	211	336
10 to 29 acres.....	9 718	3 031	52	85	151	722	708	1 313
30 to 49 acres.....	5 926	2 023	50	108	139	279	547	900
50 to 99 acres.....	6 992	3 045	116	193	222	404	841	1 269
100 to 199 acres.....	4 609	2 569	171	244	219	368	661	906
200 to 499 acres.....	1 894	1 295	44	108	196	233	387	327
500 acres or more.....	145	111	1	16	5	18	38	33
Cropland:								
Pasture or grazing only..... farms.....	25 022	7 756	226	482	525	1 363	1 983	3 177
..... acres.....	2 432 392	851 271	23 044	52 096	68 940	141 263	223 666	342 262
Cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses not harvested or pastured..... farms.....	2 180	950	28	69	84	130	280	359
..... acres.....	98 290	45 883	1 516	2 980	4 331	7 740	15 009	14 287
On which all crops failed..... farms.....	2 525	1 161	38	89	111	193	331	399
..... acres.....	156 851	86 520	5 195	6 530	9 206	15 759	22 221	27 609
In cultivated summer fallow..... farms.....	2 511	1 413	47	87	90	160	439	590
..... acres.....	167 442	102 093	1 862	6 817	7 614	11 485	31 108	43 207
Idle..... farms.....	4 202	1 711	70	145	190	197	450	659
..... acres.....	178 803	74 641	2 140	6 967	9 609	10 035	18 588	27 302
Total woodland..... farms.....								
..... acres.....	17 062	4 801	65	252	333	794	1 247	2 110
Woodland pastured..... farms.....	1 388 630	465 886	7 763	19 898	34 869	113 851	110 074	179 431
..... acres.....	13 469	3 840	46	149	269	614	1 004	1 758
Woodland not pastured..... farms.....	1 055 466	346 893	5 493	13 663	26 559	65 809	84 501	150 868
..... acres.....	5 068	1 409	23	127	104	269	359	527
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured..... farms.....	333 164	118 993	2 270	6 235	8 310	48 042	25 573	28 563
..... acres.....	27 863	9 610	241	582	745	1 423	2 560	4 059
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc..... farms.....	4 943 198	2 160 519	34 419	132 455	192 083	353 466	608 427	839 669
..... acres.....	31 609	10 253	269	567	700	1 658	2 565	4 494
Pastureland, all types..... farms.....	377 576	149 544	2 026	6 479	12 852	21 952	40 631	65 604
..... acres.....	50 630	15 673	417	906	1 141	2 531	4 080	6 598
Irrigated land..... farms.....	8 431 056	3 358 683	62 956	198 214	287 582	560 538	916 594	1 332 799
..... acres.....	1 276	534	22	64	63	83	144	158
Harvested cropland irrigated..... farms.....	48 663	25 997	1 196	3 587	3 699	3 197	7 379	6 939
..... acres.....	1 086	474	22	60	59	77	128	128
Pastureland irrigated..... farms.....	35 072	20 243	(D)	(D)	3 066	2 512	5 894	4 389
..... acres.....	257	94	2	6	8	11	26	41
Other land irrigated..... farms.....	10 445	4 435	(D)	(D)	317	384	1 221	2 192
..... acres.....	62	32	-	4	5	7	6	10
Land set aside in the federal farm programs in 1978..... farms.....	3 146	1 319	-	80	316	301	264	358
..... acres.....	6 567	3 605	174	306	303	478	1 013	1 331
..... acres.....	196 840	119 963	5 538	11 084	12 162	16 288	36 346	38 545
RACE AND TENURE OF OPERATOR								
All operators..... number.....	59 140	18 219	634	1 114	1 401	2 851	4 668	7 551
Full owners..... number.....	38 122	11 040	235	388	610	1 623	2 809	5 375
Part owners..... number.....	13 687	4 959	92	354	516	876	1 447	1 674
Tenants..... number.....	7 331	2 220	307	372	275	352	412	502
White..... number.....	56 414	17 456	627	1 086	1 322	2 712	4 506	7 203
Full owners..... number.....	36 462	10 603	232	368	590	1 580	2 718	5 115
Part owners..... number.....	12 997	4 759	92	350	501	827	1 391	1 598
Tenants..... number.....	6 955	2 094	303	368	231	305	397	490
Black and other races..... number.....	2 726	763	7	28	79	139	162	348
Full owners..... number.....	1 660	437	3	20	20	43	91	260
Part owners..... number.....	690	200	-	4	15	49	56	76
Tenants..... number.....	376	126	4	4	44	47	15	12

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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	40 921	1 498	5 607	9 802	11 505	7 818	4 691	
	percent	69.1	2.5	9.4	16.5	19.4	13.2	7.9	
Land in farms	acres	6 798 173	152 729	788 499	1 581 177	1 947 992	1 457 715	870 061	
Average size of farm	acres	166	102	141	161	169	186	185	
Value of land and buildings ¹	farms	40 581	1 502	5 441	9 670	11 437	7 950	4 581	
	\$1,000	4 102 464	99 497	463 059	963 648	1 264 651	859 155	452 454	
Average per farm	dollars	101 093	66 243	85 105	99 653	110 575	108 069	98 767	
Average per acre	dollars	599	619	618	596	641	562	549	
Farms by value of land and buildings:									
\$1 to \$19,999		3 307	98	583	682	738	631	575	
\$20,000 to \$39,999		7 597	555	1 172	1 805	1 761	1 431	873	
\$40,000 to \$69,999		9 780	451	1 535	2 500	2 394	1 819	1 081	
\$70,000 to \$99,999		6 171	176	735	1 481	1 933	1 112	734	
\$100,000 to \$149,999		6 292	106	664	1 433	2 299	1 233	557	
\$150,000 to \$199,999		3 105	56	309	737	1 024	710	269	
\$200,000 to \$499,999		3 770	51	388	891	1 142	886	412	
\$500,000 to \$999,999		406	7	37	125	76	101	60	
\$1,000,000 or more		153	2	18	16	70	27	20	
Owned and rented land by operator:									
Land owned	farms	35 970	726	4 345	8 660	10 673	7 201	4 365	
	acres	5 087 293	56 987	432 594	1 088 128	1 476 301	1 174 725	858 558	
Land rented or leased from others	farms	13 972	936	2 534	3 651	3 430	2 342	1 079	
	acres	2 328 562	104 259	412 303	613 457	626 209	395 366	176 968	
Land rented or leased to others	farms	3 660	48	352	687	962	817	794	
	acres	617 682	8 517	56 398	120 408	154 518	112 376	165 465	
LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE									
Total cropland	farms	29 522	1 063	4 096	7 305	7 832	5 781	3 445	
	acres	2 864 718	81 988	355 397	684 854	815 953	583 901	342 625	
Harvested cropland	farms	19 891	540	2 856	4 812	5 345	4 035	2 303	
	acres	991 348	26 910	142 202	238 883	274 790	197 255	111 308	
Farms by acres harvested:									
1 to 9 acres		2 681	122	385	727	590	532	325	
10 to 29 acres		6 687	156	927	1 583	1 863	1 354	804	
30 to 49 acres		3 903	76	476	967	1 114	822	448	
50 to 99 acres		3 947	111	682	875	1 010	824	445	
100 to 199 acres		2 040	59	318	492	578	384	209	
200 to 499 acres		599	15	64	158	180	114	68	
500 acres or more		34	1	4	10	10	5	4	
Cropland:									
Pasture or grazing only	farms	17 266	712	2 305	4 361	4 651	3 303	1 934	
	acres	1 581 121	46 962	173 658	380 760	462 330	324 199	193 212	
Cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses not harvested or pastured	farms	1 230	26	158	299	342	272	133	
	acres	52 407	426	6 021	11 140	15 576	11 642	7 602	
On which all crops failed	farms	1 364	31	173	360	400	257	143	
	acres	70 331	2 955	8 259	16 407	18 318	16 517	7 875	
In cultivated summer fallow	farms	1 098	31	160	193	327	249	138	
	acres	65 349	2 344	9 465	11 194	17 660	15 087	9 599	
Idle	farms	2 491	64	345	662	689	465	266	
	acres	104 162	2 391	15 792	26 470	27 279	19 201	13 029	
Total woodland		farms	12 261	298	1 664	3 000	3 501	2 502	1 296
	acres	922 744	11 350	103 839	223 654	267 763	204 593	111 545	
Woodland pastured	farms	9 629	121	1 255	2 353	2 854	1 997	1 049	
	acres	708 573	9 002	79 688	168 310	205 134	158 912	87 527	
Woodland not pastured	farms	3 659	188	524	929	954	704	360	
	acres	214 171	2 348	24 151	55 344	62 629	45 681	24 018	
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured		farms	18 253	479	2 426	4 171	5 437	3 612	2 128
	acres	2 782 679	53 635	304 781	624 761	801 586	614 229	383 687	
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc.	farms	21 356	681	2 938	5 166	6 307	3 954	2 310	
	acres	228 032	5 756	24 482	47 908	62 690	54 992	32 204	
Pastureland, all types		farms	34 957	1 164	4 636	8 388	10 082	6 714	3 973
	acres	5 072 373	109 599	558 127	1 173 831	1 469 050	1 097 340	664 426	
Irrigated land	farms	742	53	76	211	184	146	72	
	acres	22 666	866	2 684	4 715	6 449	5 898	2 054	
Harvested cropland irrigated	farms	612	51	66	175	146	121	53	
	acres	14 829	554	2 274	3 199	4 171	3 299	1 332	
Pastureland irrigated	farms	163	4	9	46	53	33	18	
	acres	6 010	(D)	(D)	1 467	1 927	1 436	542	
Other land irrigated	farms	30	(D)	4	5	12	3	5	
	acres	1 827	(D)	(D)	49	351	1 163	180	
Land set aside in the federal farm programs in 1978	farms	2 962	153	413	679	812	599	306	
	acres	76 877	3 889	10 298	18 324	20 860	14 550	8 956	
RACE AND TENURE OF OPERATOR									
All operators	number	40 921	1 498	5 607	9 802	11 505	7 818	4 691	
Full owners	number	27 082	563	3 087	6 173	8 113	5 505	3 641	
Part owners	number	8 728	160	1 237	2 469	2 529	1 672	661	
Tenants	number	5 111	775	1 283	1 160	863	641	389	
White	number	38 958	1 488	5 303	9 447	11 021	7 402	4 297	
Full owners	number	25 859	555	2 864	5 927	7 834	5 256	3 423	
Part owners	number	8 238	159	1 186	2 387	2 376	1 548	582	
Tenants	number	4 861	774	1 253	1 133	811	598	292	
Black and other races	number	1 963	10	304	355	484	416	394	
Full owners	number	1 223	8	223	246	279	249	218	
Part owners	number	490	1	51	82	153	124	79	
Tenants	number	250	1	30	27	52	43	97	

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Farms With Sales of Less Than \$20,000	Farming							
	Total farming and other occupations	Age of operator						65 years and over
		Total	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.....	55 074	16 774	527	939	1 278	2 606	4 360	7 064
..... acres.....	10 802 680	4 616 491	106 583	262 350	412 132	779 472	1 290 822	1 765 132
Partnership..... farms.....	3 709	1 248	65	162	103	187	274	457
..... acres.....	946 834	379 177	17 001	60 066	33 775	58 902	83 573	125 860
Corporations:								
Family held..... farms.....	157	70	1	2	10	11	22	24
..... acres.....	72 448	41 221	(D)	(D)	2 761	4 938	9 006	23 471
More than 10 stockholders..... farms.....	2	1	-	-	-	-	1	-
10 or less stockholders..... farms.....	155	69	1	2	10	11	21	24
Other than family held..... farms.....	13	8	-	1	2	3	1	1
..... acres.....	4 620	3 524	-	(D)	(D)	1 294	(D)	(D)
More than 10 stockholders..... farms.....	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
10 or less stockholders..... farms.....	12	8	-	1	2	3	1	1
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, etc..... farms.....	187	119	41	10	8	44	11	5
..... acres.....	30 239	18 235	(D)	3 592	(D)	8 576	(D)	(D)
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS								
Operators by place of residence:								
On farm operated.....	38 353	12 378	250	597	874	2 096	3 228	5 333
Not on farm operated.....	13 760	3 474	320	386	329	458	804	1 177
Operators by age group:								
Under 25 years.....	2 132	634	634	-	-	-	-	-
25 to 34 years.....	6 721	1 114	-	1 114	-	-	-	-
35 to 44 years.....	11 203	1 401	-	-	1 401	-	-	-
45 to 54 years.....	14 356	2 851	-	-	-	2 851	-	-
55 to 64 years.....	12 486	4 668	-	-	-	-	4 668	-
65 years and over.....	12 242	7 551	-	-	-	-	-	7 551
Average age.....	51.0	58.4	21.1	29.6	39.7	50.1	59.9	71.4
Operators by sex:								
Male.....	55 137	16 674	623	1 066	1 318	2 637	4 243	6 787
Female.....	4 003	1 545	11	48	83	214	425	764
Operators of Spanish origin.....	149	51	2	-	2	13	16	18
Operators by principal occupation:								
Farming.....	18 219	18 219	634	1 114	1 401	2 851	4 668	7 551
Other.....	40 921	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Operators reporting days of work off farm:								
None.....	16 310	11 312	295	384	460	1 526	2 851	5 796
1 to 99 days.....	4 267	2 433	159	263	271	467	681	592
100 to 199 days.....	5 294	1 385	78	227	285	331	336	128
200 days or more.....	31 335	1 155	50	146	259	281	264	155
FARMS BY SIZE								
1 to 9 acres.....	3 897	897	111	64	132	100	182	308
10 to 49 acres.....	10 462	1 745	55	124	97	502	339	628
50 to 69 acres.....	3 194	656	14	32	35	108	158	309
70 to 99 acres.....	7 241	1 668	50	74	79	226	465	774
100 to 139 acres.....	5 561	1 431	49	74	79	159	295	775
140 to 179 acres.....	8 298	2 881	137	157	171	291	727	1 398
180 to 219 acres.....	3 333	1 160	38	57	91	159	309	506
220 to 259 acres.....	3 024	1 137	23	63	77	171	309	494
260 to 499 acres.....	9 342	4 064	110	286	369	661	1 145	1 493
500 to 999 acres.....	3 759	2 004	36	144	207	358	580	679
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	892	501	11	35	58	95	140	162
2,000 acres or more.....	137	75	-	4	6	21	19	25
FARMS BY STANDARD INDUSTRIAL CLASSIFICATION (SEE TEXT)								
Cash grain farms (011).....	6 479	3 275	190	304	293	467	870	1 151
Field crop, except cash grain farms (013).....	3 361	1 152	59	97	103	183	293	417
Cotton farms (0131).....	572	350	34	29	24	50	83	130
Tobacco farms (0132).....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sugar crop, Irish potato, hay, peanut, and other field crop farms (0133, 0134, 0139).....	2 789	802	25	68	79	133	210	287
Vegetable and melon farms (016).....	193	62	2	3	7	12	19	19
Fruit and tree nut farms (017).....	537	65	-	6	2	12	21	24
Horticultural specialty farms (018).....	240	103	40	5	12	14	20	12
General farms, primarily crop (019).....	1 072	448	11	38	42	50	126	181
Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021).....	44 837	12 702	320	627	899	2 039	3 214	5 603
Beef cattle farms, except feedlots (0212).....	39 938	11 601	240	553	806	1 902	2 927	5 173
Dairy farms (024).....	304	114	7	9	10	17	29	42
Poultry and egg farms (025).....	274	51	-	3	2	12	11	23
Animal specialty farms (027).....	1 278	144	2	15	26	31	35	35
General farms, primarily livestock (029).....	565	103	3	7	5	14	30	44
VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD								
Market value of agricultural products sold..... farms.....	59 140	18 219	634	1 114	1 401	2 851	4 668	7 551
..... \$1,000.....	331 710	140 206	5 166	10 324	12 529	22 093	38 511	51 583
Farms by value of agricultural products sold:								
\$15,000 or more.....	4 538	2 611	70	265	299	425	780	772
\$10,000 to \$14,999.....	6 938	3 408	157	240	316	596	946	1 153
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	13 491	4 792	182	292	336	610	1 239	2 133
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	13 471	3 892	167	155	211	479	916	1 964
Less than \$2,500.....	20 702	3 516	58	162	239	741	787	1 529
\$2,000 to \$2,499.....	3 729	706	19	28	53	105	162	339
\$1,500 to \$1,999.....	4 707	1 019	8	28	38	423	170	352
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....	4 999	763	14	33	57	110	193	356
Less than \$1,000.....	7 267	1 028	17	73	91	103	262	482

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FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION							
Individual or family..... farms.....	38 300	1 416	5 193	9 231	10 869	7 244	4 347
..... acres.....	6 186 189	127 525	717 333	1 453 789	1 776 499	1 314 981	796 062
Partnership..... farms.....	2 461	77	400	537	599	530	318
..... acres.....	567 657	22 808	69 901	121 908	153 884	130 153	69 003
Corporations:							
Family held..... farms.....	87	2	10	13	19	24	19
..... acres.....	31 227	(D)	1 115	(D)	12 198	9 254	3 948
More than 10 stockholders..... farms.....	1	—	—	—	—	1	—
10 or less stockholders..... farms.....	86	2	10	13	19	23	19
Other than family held..... farms.....	5	—	—	2	1	2	—
..... acres.....	1 096	—	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	—
More than 10 stockholders..... farms.....	1	—	—	1	—	—	—
10 or less stockholders..... farms.....	4	—	—	1	1	2	—
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, etc. farms.....	68	3	4	19	17	18	7
..... acres.....	12 004	(D)	150	2 141	(D)	(D)	1 048
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS							
Operators by place of residence:							
On farm operated.....	25 975	667	3 458	6 283	7 580	4 942	3 045
Not on farm operated.....	10 286	703	1 567	2 343	2 681	1 930	1 062
Operators by age group:							
Under 25 years.....	1 498	1 498	—	—	—	—	—
25 to 34 years.....	5 607	—	5 607	—	—	—	—
35 to 44 years.....	9 802	—	—	9 802	—	—	—
45 to 54 years.....	11 505	—	—	—	11 505	—	—
55 to 64 years.....	7 818	—	—	—	—	7 818	—
65 years and over.....	4 691	—	—	—	—	—	4 691
Average age.....	47.8	22.1	30.1	39.5	49.6	59.0	71.2
Operators by sex:							
Male.....	38 463	1 466	5 458	9 417	10 982	7 204	3 936
Female.....	2 458	32	149	385	523	614	755
Operators of Spanish origin.....	98	3	10	25	29	18	13
Operators by principal occupation:							
Farming.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other.....	40 921	1 498	5 607	9 802	11 505	7 818	4 691
Operators reporting days of work off farm:							
None.....	4 998	57	149	312	704	1 064	2 712
1 to 99 days.....	1 834	104	161	322	388	382	477
100 to 199 days.....	3 909	160	545	917	990	894	403
200 days or more.....	30 180	1 177	4 752	8 251	9 423	5 478	1 099
FARMS BY SIZE							
1 to 9 acres.....	3 000	345	431	649	903	379	293
10 to 49 acres.....	8 717	487	1 414	2 172	2 526	1 329	789
50 to 69 acres.....	2 538	51	430	668	591	480	318
70 to 99 acres.....	5 573	196	774	1 291	1 526	1 096	690
100 to 139 acres.....	4 130	69	564	1 068	1 074	866	489
140 to 179 acres.....	5 417	140	679	1 278	1 454	1 166	700
180 to 219 acres.....	2 173	52	253	533	646	425	264
220 to 259 acres.....	1 887	40	230	480	520	391	226
260 to 499 acres.....	5 278	86	604	1 193	1 604	1 168	623
500 to 999 acres.....	1 755	24	185	369	530	421	226
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	391	6	37	85	118	87	58
2,000 acres or more.....	62	2	6	16	13	10	15
FARMS BY STANDARD INDUSTRIAL CLASSIFICATION (SEE TEXT)							
Cash grain farms (011).....	3 204	177	504	773	799	589	362
Field crop, except cash grain farms (013).....	2 209	49	387	532	553	434	254
Cotton farms (0131).....	222	7	45	58	59	35	18
Tobacco farms (0132).....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sugar crop, Irish potato, hay, peanut, and other field crop farms (0133, 0134, 0139).....	1 987	42	342	474	494	399	236
Vegetable and melon farms (016).....	131	41	12	24	20	23	11
Fruit and tree nut farms (017).....	472	7	91	139	118	85	32
Horticultural specialty farms (018).....	137	—	13	34	43	34	13
General farms, primarily crop (019).....	624	10	81	228	137	100	68
Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021).....	32 135	1 195	4 270	7 390	9 311	6 185	3 784
Beef cattle farms, except feedlots (0212).....	28 337	851	3 546	6 233	8 523	5 659	3 525
Dairy farms (024).....	190	1	14	73	40	40	20
Poultry and egg farms (025).....	223	2	11	107	63	26	14
Animal specialty farms (027).....	1 134	13	150	404	319	156	92
General farms, primarily livestock (029).....	462	3	74	98	100	146	41
VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD							
Market value of agricultural products sold..... farms.....	40 921	1 498	5 607	9 802	11 505	7 818	4 691
..... \$1,000.....	191 504	6 043	25 644	44 541	55 228	39 252	20 795
Farms by value of agricultural products sold:							
\$15,000 or more.....	1 927	35	312	478	552	375	175
\$10,000 to \$14,999.....	3 530	71	464	800	1 110	749	336
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	8 699	475	1 134	1 956	2 321	1 834	979
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	9 579	299	1 098	2 184	2 881	1 967	1 150
Less than \$2,500.....	17 186	618	2 599	4 384	4 641	2 893	2 051
\$2,000 to \$2,499.....	3 023	99	380	711	821	590	422
\$1,500 to \$1,999.....	3 688	128	469	871	1 155	592	473
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....	4 236	128	725	1 096	993	708	586
Less than \$1,000.....	6 239	263	1 025	1 706	1 672	1 003	570

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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						
			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	12 068	6 281	358	527	552	894	1 695	2 255
	\$1,000	58 223	34 263	1 904	3 320	3 457	5 086	9 431	11 064
Sales of \$5,000 or more	farms	4 587	2 802	187	274	289	404	759	889
	\$1,000	41 638	26 129	1 490	2 661	2 824	3 868	7 287	7 998
Commodity Credit Corporation loans	farms	2 324	1 243	71	101	107	208	370	386
	\$1,000	4 872	2 759	143	240	216	559	837	764
Cotton and cottonseed	farms	1 328	853	67	121	59	102	245	259
	\$1,000	6 941	4 615	379	540	373	599	1 329	1 396
Sales of \$5,000 or more	farms	576	400	35	38	35	51	113	128
	\$1,000	4 977	3 422	291	332	311	471	966	1 053
Commodity Credit Corporation loans	farms	117	85	7	10	4	15	25	24
	\$1,000	337	253	5	12	2	58	106	71
Tobacco	farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	\$1,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sales of \$5,000 or more	farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	\$1,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage	farms	5 571	1 960	48	169	171	276	496	800
	\$1,000	12 982	5 226	136	528	542	838	1 374	1 809
Sales of \$5,000 or more	farms	683	302	11	35	36	53	75	92
	\$1,000	5 683	2 594	76	307	297	462	688	764
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons	farms	447	199	3	12	22	31	57	74
	\$1,000	1 003	480	13	18	44	117	165	124
Sales of \$5,000 or more	farms	61	38	1	1	2	9	15	10
	\$1,000	488	304	(D)	(D)	(D)	89	118	70
Fruits, nuts, and berries	farms	712	258	1	12	15	54	60	116
	\$1,000	1 299	509	(D)	(D)	48	96	114	192
Sales of \$5,000 or more	farms	76	32	-	5	2	7	9	9
	\$1,000	681	276	-	(D)	(D)	47	58	93
Nursery and greenhouse products	farms	276	114	40	6	15	14	25	14
	\$1,000	1 357	656	162	26	85	144	170	71
Sales of \$5,000 or more	farms	99	42	-	3	10	12	13	4
	\$1,000	913	421	-	20	74	141	144	42
Other crops	farms	874	512	22	60	74	85	136	135
	\$1,000	3 794	2 395	149	397	321	372	668	487
Sales of \$5,000 or more	farms	284	180	12	30	25	31	52	30
	\$1,000	2 503	1 633	120	319	211	259	473	250
Poultry and poultry products	farms	1 697	600	1	22	29	80	142	326
	\$1,000	1 116	506	(D)	(D)	26	118	106	209
Sales of \$5,000 or more	farms	80	23	-	2	1	8	5	7
	\$1,000	665	287	-	(D)	(D)	85	57	87
Dairy products	farms	553	219	8	18	19	25	62	87
	\$1,000	2 384	1 225	74	123	140	177	336	376
Sales of \$5,000 or more	farms	184	104	7	11	12	17	25	32
	\$1,000	1 765	1 014	71	104	132	158	270	279
Cattle and calves	farms	47 251	14 853	365	768	1 120	2 388	3 882	6 330
	\$1,000	224 785	85 598	1 956	4 709	6 934	13 548	23 696	34 755
Sales of \$5,000 or more	farms	16 787	6 773	185	385	557	1 060	1 909	2 677
	\$1,000	155 179	65 275	1 509	3 695	5 546	10 636	18 638	25 250
Hogs and pigs	farms	5 752	1 467	84	121	173	239	323	527
	\$1,000	10 826	3 158	338	392	358	601	766	703
Sales of \$5,000 or more	farms	579	165	14	29	22	31	38	31
	\$1,000	4 697	1 428	142	253	177	269	339	248
Sheep, lambs, and wool	farms	893	255	15	18	28	52	67	75
	\$1,000	1 113	409	40	29	36	111	87	105
Sales of \$5,000 or more	farms	40	22	3	2	-	8	4	5
	\$1,000	314	163	(D)	(D)	-	63	29	31
Other livestock and livestock products (see text)	farms	3 745	957	12	45	85	407	174	234
	\$1,000	5 887	1 166	11	138	167	286	271	293
Sales of \$5,000 or more	farms	284	58	1	9	7	14	12	15
	\$1,000	2 676	523	(D)	(D)	61	117	124	116
SELECTED FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES¹									
Livestock and poultry purchased	farms	20 721	6 028	244	543	643	842	1 551	2 205
	\$1,000	54 916	17 330	1 518	3 284	2 286	2 420	3 581	4 242
Farms with expenses of—									
\$1 to \$499	farms	5 970	1 667	36	101	213	140	512	665
\$500 to \$2,499	farms	8 668	2 521	83	199	172	403	599	1 065
\$2,500 to \$4,999	farms	2 885	772	35	70	142	143	188	194
\$5,000 or more	farms	3 198	1 068	90	173	116	156	252	281
Feed for livestock and poultry	farms	49 303	14 703	423	835	1 257	1 831	3 857	6 500
	\$1,000	68 624	23 330	624	1 491	2 340	3 600	6 449	8 826
Farms with expenses of—									
\$1 to \$499	farms	14 027	3 758	106	182	257	403	850	1 960
\$500 to \$2,499	farms	27 600	8 027	229	509	699	918	2 160	3 512
\$2,500 to \$4,999	farms	5 690	2 125	67	64	197	362	619	816
\$5,000 or more	farms	1 986	793	21	80	104	148	228	212
Commercially mixed farm feeds	farms	17 153	4 804	157	307	460	664	1 262	1 954
	tons	134 768	46 956	2 023	3 005	5 775	7 369	12 172	16 612
	\$1,000	18 543	6 478	244	487	740	1 113	1 662	2 232
Farms by tons purchased:									
1 to 49 tons	farms	13 454	3 521	122	227	327	413	945	1 487
50 to 99 tons	farms	3 537	1 206	25	72	119	245	290	455
100 tons or more	farms	162	77	10	8	14	6	27	12
Farms with expenses of—									
\$1 to \$499	farms	6 913	1 562	37	103	142	155	431	694
\$500 to \$2,499	farms	8 532	2 528	100	136	242	371	646	1 033
\$2,500 to \$4,999	farms	1 291	529	10	42	51	102	136	188
\$5,000 or more	farms	417	185	10	26	25	36	49	39

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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.....	5 787	262	922	1 379	1 450	1 154	620
	\$1,000.....	23 961	1 055	3 581	5 838	6 370	4 594	2 522
Sales of \$5,000 or more	farms.....	1 785	74	254	449	502	333	173
	\$1,000.....	15 509	644	2 134	4 005	4 329	2 817	1 580
Commodity Credit Corporation loans	farms.....	1 081	61	163	268	287	214	88
	\$1,000.....	2 113	116	318	471	600	423	185
Cotton and cottonseed	farms.....	475	15	93	126	124	77	40
	\$1,000.....	2 326	35	458	634	664	375	161
Sales of \$5,000 or more	farms.....	176	2	30	45	60	28	11
	\$1,000.....	1 555	(D)	(D)	420	496	243	91
Commodity Credit Corporation loans	farms.....	32	1	6	9	8	3	5
	\$1,000.....	84	(D)	(D)	8	27	16	18
Tobacco	farms.....	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
	\$1,000.....	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Sales of \$5,000 or more	farms.....	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
	\$1,000.....	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage	farms.....	3 611	71	558	947	936	717	382
	\$1,000.....	7 755	129	1 010	2 203	2 089	1 460	864
Sales of \$5,000 or more	farms.....	381	6	46	122	102	65	40
	\$1,000.....	3 090	39	348	1 018	878	500	307
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons	farms.....	248	42	27	66	45	45	23
	\$1,000.....	523	93	50	146	83	101	50
Sales of \$5,000 or more	farms.....	23	--	3	9	4	4	3
	\$1,000.....	184	--	22	77	36	29	20
Fruits, nuts, and berries	farms.....	454	10	50	111	115	112	56
	\$1,000.....	790	34	88	220	219	165	63
Sales of \$5,000 or more	farms.....	44	3	7	12	12	6	4
	\$1,000.....	405	25	49	121	113	71	26
Nursery and greenhouse products	farms.....	162	--	14	38	48	41	21
	\$1,000.....	700	--	90	157	200	173	81
Sales of \$5,000 or more	farms.....	57	--	9	11	15	15	7
	\$1,000.....	493	--	79	106	127	124	57
Other crops	farms.....	362	11	71	109	93	48	30
	\$1,000.....	1 398	45	295	391	358	217	92
Sales of \$5,000 or more	farms.....	104	6	20	30	28	15	5
	\$1,000.....	870	38	197	225	232	141	36
Poultry and poultry products	farms.....	1 097	16	137	296	335	154	159
	\$1,000.....	609	5	52	326	138	57	32
Sales of \$5,000 or more	farms.....	57	--	2	45	7	2	1
	\$1,000.....	379	--	(D)	271	61	(D)	(D)
Dairy products	farms.....	334	2	26	73	86	104	43
	\$1,000.....	1 159	(D)	(D)	279	327	271	131
Sales of \$5,000 or more	farms.....	80	1	10	21	23	15	10
	\$1,000.....	751	(D)	(D)	197	216	138	79
Cattle and calves	farms.....	32 398	1 076	4 204	7 294	9 539	6 359	3 926
	\$1,000.....	139 187	4 161	17 463	30 370	41 232	29 853	16 108
Sales of \$5,000 or more	farms.....	10 014	439	1 231	2 115	2 850	2 253	1 126
	\$1,000.....	89 904	2 759	11 609	19 023	26 256	20 293	9 964
Hogs and pigs	farms.....	4 285	272	873	1 404	954	529	253
	\$1,000.....	7 669	404	1 705	2 394	1 725	1 107	334
Sales of \$5,000 or more	farms.....	414	20	119	114	95	52	14
	\$1,000.....	3 269	188	909	942	712	409	109
Sheep, lambs, and wool	farms.....	638	22	86	237	157	87	49
	\$1,000.....	705	29	114	223	192	99	48
Sales of \$5,000 or more	farms.....	18	--	4	3	8	3	--
	\$1,000.....	151	--	44	28	61	18	--
Other livestock and livestock products (see text)	farms.....	2 788	27	445	883	752	488	193
	\$1,000.....	4 722	38	602	1 360	1 633	780	308
Sales of \$5,000 or more	farms.....	226	--	22	55	89	42	18
	\$1,000.....	2 153	--	236	496	906	375	139
SELECTED FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES¹								
Livestock and poultry purchased	farms.....	14 693	612	2 301	4 070	3 949	2 498	1 263
	\$1,000.....	37 587	981	6 981	11 326	10 471	5 677	2 152
Farms with expenses of--								
\$1 to \$499	farms.....	4 303	348	635	1 160	1 073	651	436
\$500 to \$2,499	farms.....	6 147	159	803	1 640	1 777	1 126	642
\$2,500 to \$4,999	farms.....	2 113	64	435	647	490	391	86
\$5,000 or more	farms.....	2 130	41	428	623	609	330	99
Feed for livestock and poultry	farms.....	34 600	1 242	4 504	8 337	10 041	6 643	3 833
	\$1,000.....	45 295	1 455	5 492	11 139	13 009	9 656	4 544
Farms with expenses of--								
\$1 to \$499	farms.....	10 269	357	1 333	2 394	2 987	1 865	1 333
\$500 to \$2,499	farms.....	19 573	774	2 684	4 713	5 708	3 705	1 989
\$2,500 to \$4,999	farms.....	3 565	78	338	928	1 026	781	414
\$5,000 or more	farms.....	1 193	33	149	302	320	292	97
Commercially mixed formula feeds	farms.....	12 349	733	1 818	3 304	3 141	2 209	1 144
	tons.....	87 812	6 243	11 294	22 499	23 888	16 462	7 426
	\$1,000.....	12 065	759	1 646	3 026	3 318	2 263	1 053
Farms by tons purchased:								
1 to 49 tons	farms.....	9 933	400	1 576	2 809	2 493	1 714	941
50 to 99 tons	farms.....	2 331	327	234	470	631	474	195
100 tons or more	farms.....	85	6	8	25	17	21	8
Farms with expenses of--								
\$1 to \$499	farms.....	5 351	314	660	1 608	1 219	917	633
\$500 to \$2,499	farms.....	6 004	407	1 071	1 464	1 600	1 077	385
\$2,500 to \$4,999	farms.....	762	6	58	170	263	164	101
\$5,000 or more	farms.....	232	6	29	62	59	51	25

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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					
			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.....	36 216	11 344	379	703	1 073	1 478	3 066	4 645
\$1,000.....	5 380	1 640	62	113	232	255	421	556
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$99.....	18 747	5 608	158	320	436	642	1 500	2 552
\$100 to \$999.....	16 026	5 358	216	342	559	778	1 452	2 011
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	1 087	302	3	33	57	38	98	73
\$5,000 or more.....	356	76	2	8	21	20	16	9
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees.....farms.....	15 253	6 371	291	405	590	792	1 850	2 443
\$1,000.....	6 791	3 668	182	312	517	654	916	1 087
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$99.....	4 629	1 543	12	51	77	169	572	662
\$100 to \$999.....	6 952	2 998	162	195	234	309	841	1 257
\$1,000 to \$2,499.....	2 021	842	41	57	97	150	245	252
\$5,000 or more.....	1 651	988	76	102	182	164	192	272
Commercial fertilizer.....farms.....	25 448	9 864	392	563	926	1 639	2 744	3 600
\$1,000.....	24 809	12 557	487	890	1 531	2 073	3 621	3 955
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$499.....	10 918	3 295	90	111	251	594	838	1 411
\$500 to \$999.....	6 322	2 298	80	169	194	342	707	806
\$1,000 to \$2,499.....	5 998	2 903	171	181	270	461	810	1 010
\$2,500 or more.....	2 210	1 368	51	102	211	242	389	373
Other agricultural chemicals including lime.....farms.....	16 938	6 536	360	386	555	958	1 819	2 458
\$1,000.....	6 846	3 415	171	233	336	597	881	1 197
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$499.....	12 741	4 408	259	242	351	554	1 348	1 654
\$500 to \$999.....	2 315	1 137	45	71	120	232	211	458
\$1,000 to \$2,499.....	1 579	804	54	65	60	138	191	296
\$2,500 or more.....	303	187	2	8	24	34	69	50
Energy and petroleum products.....farms.....	58 628	18 491	636	1 120	1 563	2 645	4 737	7 790
\$1,000.....	42 355	18 536	657	1 535	2 234	2 949	5 132	6 027
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$499.....	32 252	7 398	193	353	532	759	1 706	3 855
\$500 to \$999.....	13 192	4 874	208	254	301	961	1 230	1 920
\$1,000 to \$2,499.....	10 603	4 709	183	329	477	676	1 324	1 720
\$2,500 or more.....	2 581	1 510	52	184	253	249	477	295
Petroleum products.....farms.....	58 554	18 471	636	1 120	1 563	2 640	4 737	7 775
\$1,000.....	35 231	15 712	600	1 351	1 894	2 545	4 319	5 003
Gasoline.....farms.....	50 613	16 034	538	963	1 339	2 382	4 109	6 703
\$1,000.....	19 193	7 973	295	646	885	1 397	2 072	2 678
Diesel fuel.....farms.....	22 155	8 629	409	639	915	1 196	2 349	3 121
\$1,000.....	6 921	3 682	187	377	494	539	1 061	1 023
LP gas, butane, and propane.....farms.....	14 160	5 442	162	359	553	749	1 668	1 951
\$1,000.....	5 030	2 350	53	171	317	361	702	746
Fuel oil.....farms.....	3 018	1 234	78	60	101	108	365	522
\$1,000.....	357	147	9	7	20	24	42	47
Natural gas.....farms.....	1 286	528	20	46	55	58	149	200
\$1,000.....	421	213	14	30	27	32	63	48
Kerosene, motor oil, and grease.....farms.....	58 546	18 470	636	1 120	1 563	2 640	4 736	7 775
\$1,000.....	3 310	1 346	42	121	151	192	380	461
Electricity.....farms.....	27 576	10 100	250	611	894	1 280	2 850	4 215
\$1,000.....	6 812	2 699	57	179	328	381	972	1 349
Other—coal, wood, coke, etc.....farms.....	2 040	753	7	20	83	128	205	310
\$1,000.....	312	125	1	4	13	23	33	52
Hired farm labor.....farms.....	14 063	5 111	181	271	487	753	1 391	2 028
\$1,000.....	10 528	4 056	134	213	544	530	1 082	1 553
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$499.....	7 609	2 762	98	138	179	429	765	1 153
\$500 to \$2,499.....	5 524	1 948	73	114	241	282	521	717
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	832	355	10	16	56	37	94	142
\$5,000 or more.....	98	46	—	3	11	5	11	16
Workers by number of days worked:								
150 days or more.....farms.....	1 488	557	14	45	90	68	110	230
workers.....	1 915	736	20	50	133	74	134	325
Less than 150 days.....farms.....	13 150	4 806	179	231	465	714	1 349	1 868
workers.....	33 546	12 310	486	562	1 251	1 889	3 339	4 783
Contract labor.....farms.....	3 685	1 255	5	62	124	173	322	569
\$1,000.....	2 771	1 068	3	57	134	169	264	441
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$499.....	1 916	574	—	37	42	58	176	261
\$500 to \$999.....	895	324	5	8	24	61	50	176
\$1,000 to \$2,499.....	690	298	—	12	52	38	81	115
\$2,500 or more.....	184	59	—	5	6	16	15	17
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment.....farms.....	17 373	6 774	206	417	464	807	1 938	2 942
\$1,000.....	14 361	6 266	204	343	354	792	1 679	2 893
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$499.....	8 778	3 033	89	203	241	363	867	1 270
\$500 to \$999.....	3 709	1 455	28	106	89	166	428	638
\$1,000 to \$2,499.....	3 837	1 811	68	83	94	213	530	823
\$2,500 or more.....	1 049	475	21	25	40	65	113	211
FARM-RELATED INCOME								
Income from machine work, customwork, and other agricultural services.....farms.....	2 717	1 433	135	181	213	259	340	305
\$1,000.....	6 187	3 857	289	536	1 129	724	769	410
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption.....farms.....	1 855	532	10	33	43	80	140	226
\$1,000.....	2 274	785	19	52	86	122	184	322

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
SELECTED FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES¹—Con.							
Animal health costs.....farms	24 872	1 064	3 448	6 033	7 062	4 847	2 418
.....\$1,000.....	3 741	128	533	950	1 169	697	263
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$99.....	13 139	345	1 803	2 865	3 907	2 744	1 475
\$100 to \$999.....	10 668	703	1 422	2 897	2 846	1 907	893
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	785	16	201	207	194	122	45
\$5,000 or more.....	280	—	22	64	115	74	5
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees.....farms	8 882	231	1 291	2 219	2 556	1 716	869
.....\$1,000.....	3 124	104	578	795	861	496	290
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$99.....	3 086	63	387	729	857	722	328
\$100 to \$999.....	3 954	122	562	1 059	1 168	685	358
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	1 179	12	237	251	346	217	116
\$5,000 or more.....	663	34	105	180	185	92	67
Commercial fertilizer.....farms	15 584	477	2 030	3 961	4 398	3 249	1 469
.....\$1,000.....	12 252	271	1 464	3 205	3 589	2 593	1 130
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$499.....	7 623	291	1 032	1 829	2 158	1 601	712
\$500 to \$999.....	4 024	94	520	1 113	1 029	848	420
\$1,000 to \$2,499.....	3 095	75	406	792	939	607	276
\$2,500 or more.....	842	17	72	227	272	193	61
Other agricultural chemicals including lime.....farms	10 402	642	1 403	2 666	2 900	1 924	867
.....\$1,000.....	3 432	93	283	756	1 086	823	391
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$499.....	8 333	589	1 248	2 177	2 231	1 438	650
\$500 to \$999.....	1 178	50	110	304	382	223	109
\$1,000 to \$2,499.....	775	1	43	165	241	238	87
\$2,500 or more.....	116	2	2	20	46	25	21
Energy and petroleum products.....farms	40 137	1 486	5 365	9 571	11 354	7 860	4 501
.....\$1,000.....	23 819	1 030	2 926	5 878	6 930	4 578	2 477
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$499.....	24 854	894	3 473	5 897	6 828	4 836	2 926
\$500 to \$999.....	8 318	161	1 105	2 036	2 485	1 608	923
\$1,000 to \$2,499.....	5 894	402	643	1 359	1 732	1 223	535
\$2,500 or more.....	1 071	29	144	279	309	193	117
Petroleum products.....farms	40 083	1 475	5 356	9 563	11 348	7 851	4 490
.....\$1,000.....	19 519	689	2 533	4 779	5 677	3 750	2 092
Gasoline.....farms	34 579	1 324	4 636	8 331	9 764	6 741	3 783
.....\$1,000.....	11 219	442	1 459	2 849	3 139	2 122	1 208
Diesel fuel.....farms	13 526	396	1 944	3 141	3 951	2 804	1 290
.....\$1,000.....	3 239	85	448	792	957	655	302
LP gas, butane, and propane.....farms	8 718	183	1 148	2 014	2 838	1 520	1 015
.....\$1,000.....	2 679	84	332	557	882	495	329
Fuel oil.....farms	1 784	48	252	436	446	348	254
.....\$1,000.....	210	2	23	60	47	41	36
Natural gas.....farms	758	59	36	201	217	172	73
.....\$1,000.....	208	14	17	49	69	44	15
Kerosene, motor oil, and grease.....farms	40 076	1 474	5 353	9 562	11 347	7 851	4 489
.....\$1,000.....	1 964	61	254	471	584	393	201
Electricity.....farms	17 476	622	1 901	4 676	4 998	3 488	1 791
.....\$1,000.....	4 113	337	371	1 051	1 197	795	363
Other—coal, wood, coke, etc.....farms	1 287	24	140	318	394	230	181
.....\$1,000.....	188	4	22	49	56	33	23
Hired farm labor.....farms	8 952	194	1 166	2 198	2 540	1 831	1 023
.....\$1,000.....	6 471	88	774	1 559	1 725	1 587	738
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$499.....	4 847	138	733	1 162	1 319	988	507
\$500 to \$2,499.....	3 576	56	341	923	1 108	674	474
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	477	—	91	102	101	147	36
\$5,000 or more.....	52	—	1	11	12	22	6
Workers by number of days worked:							
150 days or more.....farms	931	8	119	244	218	200	142
.....workers	1 179	11	141	321	278	262	166
Less than 150 days.....farms	8 344	186	1 065	2 034	2 424	1 709	926
.....workers	21 236	421	2 419	5 364	6 021	5 033	1 978
Contract labor.....farms	2 430	67	263	630	682	495	293
.....\$1,000.....	1 702	47	155	489	492	302	218
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$499.....	1 342	24	160	304	411	291	152
\$500 to \$999.....	571	3	45	209	133	115	66
\$1,000 to \$2,499.....	392	40	58	55	98	79	62
\$2,500 or more.....	125	—	—	62	40	10	13
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment.....farms	10 599	173	1 459	2 641	2 953	2 247	1 126
.....\$1,000.....	8 095	102	1 068	2 053	2 149	1 756	967
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$499.....	5 745	107	863	1 442	1 691	1 134	508
\$500 to \$999.....	2 254	35	270	566	604	511	268
\$1,000 to \$2,499.....	2 026	25	235	493	525	465	283
\$2,500 or more.....	574	6	91	140	133	137	67
FARM-RELATED INCOME							
Income from machine work, customwork, and other agricultural services.....farms	1 284	102	268	364	293	179	78
.....\$1,000.....	2 330	129	433	750	558	318	142
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption.....farms	1 323	18	189	385	325	270	136
.....\$1,000.....	1 489	14	195	322	338	383	238

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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... 58 965	18 570	637	1 120	1 563	2 666	4 761	7 823
\$1,000	farms... 683 840	282 163	8 584	21 700	31 159	48 870	79 395	92 454
Farms by value group:								
\$1 to \$4,999	farms... 13 985	3 678	160	183	153	420	802	1 960
\$5,000 to \$9,999	farms... 23 553	5 851	194	255	405	691	1 436	2 870
\$10,000 to \$19,999	farms... 12 627	4 650	160	275	444	796	1 204	1 771
\$20,000 to \$49,999	farms... 6 963	3 299	97	292	452	477	993	988
\$50,000 to \$99,999	farms... 1 546	908	14	107	88	242	257	200
\$100,000 to \$199,999	farms... 267	166	12	8	16	40	63	27
\$200,000 to \$499,999	farms... 24	18	—	—	5	—	6	7
\$500,000 or more	farms... —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT¹								
Automobiles	farms... 33 363	12 090	237	688	974	1 887	3 347	4 957
number	43 430	15 259	339	991	1 335	2 400	4 193	6 001
Mototrucks, including pickups	farms... 51 072	16 398	515	981	1 342	2 489	4 248	6 823
number	74 204	26 133	780	1 642	2 555	3 953	7 385	9 818
Wheel tractors	farms... 44 691	15 047	378	811	1 324	2 179	4 102	6 253
number	62 569	23 232	528	1 255	2 142	3 405	6 650	9 252
2 or 3	farms... 12 802	5 368	95	267	485	768	1 699	2 054
number	28 041	11 956	242	612	1 104	1 680	3 777	4 541
4 or more	farms... 791	482	1	24	61	89	154	153
number	3 430	2 079	(D)	(D)	260	403	624	665
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled only	farms... 6 309	3 547	119	335	449	527	1 073	1 044
number	7 169	4 053	160	346	543	603	1 249	1 152
Cornpickers, corn heads, and picker-shellers	farms... 526	232	—	20	52	48	32	80
number	678	296	—	25	92	55	38	86
Corn heads for combines	farms... 241	120	—	5	47	27	20	21
number	360	172	—	10	87	28	26	21
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers	farms... 303	124	—	15	5	27	12	65
number	318	124	—	15	5	27	12	65
Cottonpickers	farms... 203	71	1	—	6	14	22	28
number	219	75	(D)	—	(D)	14	26	28
Mower conditioners	farms... 8 619	3 479	78	171	340	814	952	1 124
number	9 351	3 778	91	175	371	847	1 096	1 198
Pickup balers	farms... 10 269	4 842	100	216	511	1 067	1 407	1 541
number	11 069	5 299	115	273	569	1 121	1 576	1 645
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type	farms... 1 052	413	9	4	59	97	125	119
number	1 178	469	9	4	65	107	131	153
AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS¹								
Agricultural chemicals, including commercial fertilizer and lime	farms... 31 156	11 571	511	652	1 026	1 826	3 135	4 421
\$1,000	farms... 31 655	15 971	658	1 122	1 867	2 670	4 502	5 152
Commercial fertilizer	farms... 23 558	9 265	365	553	880	1 603	2 589	3 275
acres on which used	1 607 205	812 496	26 153	61 151	95 385	133 243	244 275	252 289
Lime	farms... 2 121	801	9	44	86	145	185	332
acres on which used	80 285	44 274	590	2 363	2 078	7 924	8 329	22 990
tons	118 320	57 649	1 252	3 815	3 715	13 651	13 801	21 415
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—								
Insects on hay and other crops	farms... 5 820	2 775	181	234	245	354	739	1 022
acres on which used	289 543	170 970	9 484	21 616	15 523	24 307	43 716	56 324
Nematodes in crops	farms... 444	180	16	21	11	49	38	45
acres on which used	16 019	8 388	668	708	695	3 875	1 353	1 089
Diseases in crops and orchards	farms... 1 426	514	51	24	40	135	120	144
acres on which used	32 672	13 446	558	765	1 726	4 214	3 484	2 699
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture	farms... 9 412	3 640	235	227	325	522	972	1 359
acres on which used	605 463	279 225	14 185	14 101	29 524	52 321	71 921	97 173
Chemicals for—								
Defoliation or for growth control of crops, or thinning of fruit	farms... 486	294	33	2	8	59	94	98
acres on which used	11 194	7 798	893	(D)	(D)	585	3 321	2 675
Insect control on livestock and poultry	farms... 11 570	3 993	126	161	317	666	1 137	1 586
Sanitation and rodent and bird control	farms... 3 533	1 266	42	65	76	222	352	509
LIVESTOCK								
Cattle and calves inventory	farms... 46 516	14 638	368	803	1 114	2 355	3 811	6 187
number	1 598 649	634 378	15 666	40 200	55 029	108 728	177 160	237 595
Farms with—								
1 to 9	farms... 6 489	1 170	34	64	124	140	251	557
10 to 49	farms... 30 037	9 022	247	449	598	1 400	2 255	4 073
50 to 99	farms... 7 592	3 267	62	199	249	564	972	1 221
100 to 199	farms... 2 121	1 023	17	67	122	213	296	308
200 to 499	farms... 262	144	7	22	21	36	33	25
500 or more	farms... 15	12	1	2	—	2	4	3
Cows and heifers that had calved	farms... 41 314	13 014	300	653	972	1 872	3 560	5 657
number	877 011	342 029	7 078	18 036	29 658	57 532	99 070	130 655
Beef cows	farms... 40 333	12 745	290	610	942	1 840	3 502	5 561
number	866 767	337 900	6 931	17 547	29 137	56 953	98 024	129 308
Farms with—								
1 to 9	farms... 11 729	2 524	61	131	188	296	666	1 182
10 to 49	farms... 25 130	8 615	215	384	572	1 220	2 344	3 880
50 to 99	farms... 3 007	1 350	10	70	149	262	424	435
100 to 199	farms... 422	228	3	25	29	58	63	50
200 to 499	farms... 42	25	1	—	4	4	2	14
500 or more	farms... 3	3	—	—	—	—	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	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 ..	40 395	1 502	5 387	9 629	11 408	7 931	4 538
..... \$1,000 ..	401 677	11 824	50 500	93 028	124 478	81 718	40 129
Farms by value group:							
\$1 to \$4,999 ..	10 307	634	1 148	2 637	2 477	2 085	1 326
\$5,000 to \$9,999 ..	17 702	508	2 696	4 143	4 901	3 432	2 022
\$10,000 to \$19,999 ..	7 977	268	943	1 856	2 657	1 473	780
\$20,000 to \$49,999 ..	3 664	77	535	806	1 133	778	335
\$50,000 to \$99,999 ..	638	12	64	164	207	124	67
\$100,000 to \$199,999 ..	101	3	1	23	27	39	8
\$200,000 to \$499,999 ..	6	—	—	—	6	—	—
\$500,000 or more ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT¹							
Automobiles .. farms ..	21 273	536	2 628	4 740	6 330	4 499	2 540
..... number ..	28 171	700	3 364	6 379	8 690	5 892	3 146
Motortrucks, including pickups .. farms ..	34 674	1 319	4 719	8 214	9 908	6 759	3 755
..... number ..	48 071	1 638	6 513	11 628	14 043	9 373	4 876
Wheel tractors .. farms ..	29 644	1 137	3 741	7 146	8 509	6 055	3 056
..... number ..	39 337	1 667	4 823	9 270	11 370	8 120	4 087
2 or 3 .. farms ..	7 434	430	837	1 647	2 181	1 532	807
..... number ..	16 085	900	1 799	3 565	4 723	3 377	1 721
4 or more .. farms ..	309	15	38	60	101	60	35
..... number ..	1 351	75	158	266	420	280	152
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled only .. farms ..	2 762	104	435	590	760	604	269
..... number ..	3 116	121	478	670	874	686	287
Cornpickers, corn heads, and picker-shellers .. farms ..	294	4	44	76	53	87	30
..... number ..	382	4	44	109	68	127	30
Corn heads for combines .. farms ..	121	4	25	30	15	42	5
..... number ..	188	4	25	62	15	77	5
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers .. farms ..	179	—	19	47	43	45	25
..... number ..	194	—	19	47	53	50	25
Cottonpickers .. farms ..	132	3	10	46	16	53	4
..... number ..	144	3	10	46	16	65	4
Mower conditioners .. farms ..	5 140	65	648	1 209	1 638	1 089	491
..... number ..	5 573	74	682	1 313	1 796	1 195	513
Pickup balers .. farms ..	5 427	141	615	1 246	1 738	1 120	567
..... number ..	5 770	176	643	1 294	1 861	1 206	590
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type .. farms ..	639	13	49	175	210	104	88
..... number ..	709	13	55	188	231	115	107
AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS¹							
Agricultural chemicals, including commercial fertilizer and lime .. farms ..	19 585	885	2 596	4 985	5 425	3 904	1 790
..... \$1,000 ..	15 684	364	1 747	3 961	4 676	3 415	1 521
Commercial fertilizer .. farms ..	14 293	438	1 920	3 611	4 054	2 913	1 357
..... acres on which used ..	794 709	18 694	99 791	200 276	238 980	163 664	73 304
Lime .. farms ..	1 320	11	179	303	425	322	80
..... acres on which used ..	36 011	390	3 513	7 401	12 684	8 859	3 164
..... tons ..	60 671	1 185	5 305	12 346	19 922	15 821	6 092
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—							
Insects on hay and other crops .. farms ..	3 045	63	434	742	866	611	329
..... acres on which used ..	118 573	1 738	16 691	25 426	34 789	29 271	10 658
Nematodes in crops .. farms ..	264	5	36	53	119	36	15
..... acres on which used ..	7 631	460	681	688	3 817	955	1 030
Diseases in crops and orchards .. farms ..	912	40	108	202	273	201	88
..... acres on which used ..	19 226	360	750	3 271	6 045	6 815	2 005
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture .. farms ..	5 772	209	757	1 540	1 641	1 121	504
..... acres on which used ..	326 238	9 664	28 413	79 106	100 227	65 551	43 277
Chemicals for—							
Defoliation or for growth control of crops, or thinning of fruit .. farms ..	192	3	14	49	46	78	2
..... acres on which used ..	3 396	60	327	796	1 274	(D)	(D)
Insect control on livestock and poultry .. farms ..	7 577	467	928	1 946	2 139	1 432	665
Sanitation and rodent and bird control .. farms ..	2 267	58	190	635	728	448	208
LIVESTOCK							
Cattle and calves inventory .. farms ..	31 878	1 064	4 132	7 412	9 251	6 245	3 774
..... number ..	964 271	23 169	119 037	209 748	283 477	213 666	115 174
Farms with—							
1 to 9 ..	5 319	165	810	1 434	1 572	886	452
10 to 49 ..	21 015	825	2 638	4 841	5 996	4 013	2 702
50 to 99 ..	4 325	60	536	886	1 311	1 048	484
100 to 199 ..	1 098	14	140	224	335	262	123
200 to 499 ..	118	—	8	27	36	35	12
500 or more ..	3	—	—	—	1	1	1
Cows and heifers that had calved .. farms ..	28 300	858	3 565	6 532	8 149	5 705	3 491
..... number ..	534 982	14 015	63 047	115 195	157 525	119 555	65 645
Beef cows .. farms ..	27 588	843	3 501	6 320	7 948	5 572	3 404
..... number ..	528 867	13 842	62 138	113 599	156 027	118 414	64 847
Farms with—							
1 to 9 ..	9 205	215	1 380	2 221	2 636	1 614	1 139
10 to 49 ..	16 515	613	1 882	3 724	4 759	3 488	2 049
50 to 99 ..	1 657	14	228	318	485	419	193
100 to 199 ..	194	1	10	53	66	45	19
200 to 499 ..	17	—	1	4	2	6	4
500 or more ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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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 calves inventory - Con.								
Cows and heifers that had calved - Con.								
Milk cows	farms..... 3 590	1 189	17	84	146	171	316	455
	number..... 10 244	4 129	147	489	521	579	1 046	1 347
Farms with -								
1 to 4	farms..... 3 187	1 026	9	66	131	149	270	401
5 to 9	farms..... 159	44	2	3	2	5	16	16
10 to 49	farms..... 237	115	6	13	11	17	30	38
50 to 99	farms..... 7	4	-	2	2	-	-	-
100 to 199	farms..... -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
200 to 499	farms..... -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
500 or more	farms..... -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Heifers and heifer calves	farms..... 35 932	11 731	237	638	832	1 953	3 132	4 939
	number..... 369 507	146 219	3 837	10 050	12 321	26 429	40 136	53 446
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	farms..... 40 170	13 097	314	688	973	2 176	3 440	5 506
	number..... 352 131	146 130	4 751	12 114	13 050	24 767	37 954	53 494
Cattle and calves sold	farms..... 47 251	14 853	365	768	1 120	2 388	3 882	6 330
	number..... 901 862	340 433	7 356	19 003	27 672	55 897	93 378	137 127
	\$1,000..... 224 785	85 598	1 956	4 709	6 934	13 548	23 696	34 755
Calves	farms..... 36 397	10 977	242	543	816	1 606	2 887	4 883
	number..... 536 982	196 654	3 929	11 271	16 417	33 213	53 582	78 242
	\$1,000..... 116 941	42 837	883	2 397	3 638	6 919	11 791	17 208
Cattle	farms..... 31 376	10 251	275	490	715	1 710	2 715	4 346
	number..... 364 880	143 779	3 427	7 732	11 255	22 684	39 796	58 885
	\$1,000..... 107 844	42 761	1 073	2 312	3 295	6 629	11 905	17 547
Fattened on grain and concentrates	farms..... 2 905	869	16	34	52	115	255	397
	number..... 28 556	12 085	163	418	644	1 539	3 410	5 911
	\$1,000..... 8 468	3 460	44	116	171	457	1 042	1 630
Hogs and pigs inventory	farms..... 6 664	1 527	53	130	197	310	368	469
	number..... 123 755	31 744	2 410	4 277	3 506	7 089	7 593	6 869
Farms with -								
1 to 9	farms..... 3 335	799	20	49	117	153	169	291
10 to 49	farms..... 2 772	560	15	55	61	119	163	147
50 to 99	farms..... 364	111	10	16	13	24	22	26
100 to 199	farms..... 159	46	6	7	5	9	14	5
200 to 499	farms..... 32	11	2	3	1	5	-	-
500 or more	farms..... 2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Used or to be used for breeding	farms..... 4 923	1 149	40	97	150	213	274	375
	number..... 28 150	7 151	332	1 398	808	1 745	1 509	1 359
Other	farms..... 5 695	1 273	46	113	133	271	319	391
	number..... 95 605	24 593	2 078	2 879	2 698	5 344	6 084	5 510
Hogs and pigs sold	farms..... 5 752	1 467	84	121	173	239	323	527
	number..... 176 259	48 934	4 559	5 960	5 483	9 879	11 953	11 100
	\$1,000..... 10 826	3 158	338	392	358	601	766	703
Feeder pigs sold	farms..... 2 468	620	62	52	53	94	120	239
	number..... 81 923	22 383	1 422	3 481	2 448	4 477	5 270	5 285
	\$1,000..... 2 883	798	62	130	93	146	186	182
Litters of pigs farrowed between -								
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30	farms..... 5 262	1 314	79	98	152	223	288	474
	number..... 28 506	7 774	653	875	920	1 655	1 901	1 770
Dec. 1 and May 31	farms..... 4 008	1 121	72	79	139	197	245	389
	number..... 14 604	4 126	324	456	473	835	984	1 054
June 1 and Nov. 30	farms..... 3 950	856	69	73	90	195	200	229
	number..... 13 902	3 648	329	419	447	820	917	716
Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory	farms..... 1 121	300	15	22	29	86	68	80
	number..... 31 766	12 850	1 184	909	1 436	2 787	3 389	3 145
Ewes 1 year old or older	farms..... 885	271	14	12	25	80	65	75
	number..... 21 323	9 060	968	679	1 038	1 538	2 715	2 122
Sheep and lambs sold	farms..... 834	247	14	17	28	52	65	71
	number..... 20 796	7 794	814	443	565	2 176	1 715	2 081
Sheep and lambs shorn	farms..... 719	213	15	15	19	39	54	71
	number..... 23 823	9 387	965	660	888	2 563	1 822	2 489
	pounds of wool..... 155 110	68 000	6 493	5 808	5 988	16 307	13 529	19 875
Horses and ponies inventory	farms..... 15 822	3 699	85	288	336	925	937	1 128
	number..... 55 479	12 319	236	1 001	1 546	2 523	3 486	3 527
Horses and ponies sold	farms..... 3 103	759	11	35	65	371	129	148
	number..... 8 204	1 661	20	110	183	511	376	461
	\$1,000..... 5 206	936	11	126	144	220	200	235
Goats inventory	farms..... 328	80	3	13	8	12	23	21
	number..... 3 138	992	5	143	167	229	277	171
Goats sold	farms..... 133	39	1	4	7	9	12	6
	number..... 1 398	539	(D)	(D)	82	104	184	105
	\$1,000..... 70	21	(D)	(D)	4	5	3	5
POULTRY								
Chickens 3 months old or older inventory	farms..... 8 627	2 738	23	100	187	403	639	1 386
	number..... 304 345	130 142	440	14 968	7 944	18 480	33 544	54 766
Farms with -								
1 to 399	farms..... 8 596	2 720	23	98	187	398	633	1 381
400 to 3,199	farms..... 22	12	-	-	-	5	4	3
3,200 to 9,999	farms..... 9	6	-	2	-	-	2	2
10,000 to 19,999	farms..... -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
20,000 to 49,999	farms..... -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
50,000 to 99,999	farms..... -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
100,000 or more	farms..... -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hens and pullets of laying age	farms..... 8 226	2 727	23	100	187	398	637	1 382
	number..... 263 653	118 006	(D)	(D)	7 665	17 072	25 130	52 897
Pullets 3 months old or older not of laying age	farms..... 1 547	290	2	9	24	91	64	100
	number..... 40 692	12 136	(D)	(D)	279	1 408	8 414	1 869

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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						
	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
LIVESTOCK—Con.							
Cattle and calves inventory—Con.							
Cows and heifers that had calved—Con.							
Milk cows	farms	36	249	681	642	500	293
	number	173	909	1 596	1 498	1 141	798
Farms with—							
1 to 4	farms	31	202	639	579	456	254
5 to 9	number	3	18	15	35	22	22
10 to 49	farms	1	29	25	28	22	17
50 to 99	number	1	—	2	—	—	—
100 to 199	farms	—	—	—	—	—	—
200 to 499	number	—	—	—	—	—	—
500 or more	farms	—	—	—	—	—	—
	number	—	—	—	—	—	—
Heifers and heifer calves	farms	560	3 093	5 801	6 853	4 998	2 896
	number	4 577	27 558	48 898	67 278	49 967	25 010
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	farms	665	3 565	6 236	7 698	5 621	3 288
	number	4 577	28 432	45 655	58 674	44 144	24 519
Cattle and calves sold	farms	1 076	4 204	7 294	9 539	6 359	3 926
	number	16 236	69 043	122 742	167 984	119 135	66 289
	\$1,000	4 161	17 463	30 370	41 232	29 853	16 108
Calves	farms	762	3 274	5 723	7 422	5 057	3 182
	number	11 288	42 160	74 577	100 363	71 070	40 870
	\$1,000	2 671	9 467	16 245	21 446	15 599	8 676
Cattle	farms	572	2 583	4 853	6 251	4 393	2 473
	number	4 948	26 883	48 165	67 621	48 065	25 419
	\$1,000	1 490	7 995	14 125	19 786	14 253	7 432
Fattened on grain and concentrates	farms	116	246	502	529	399	244
	number	543	1 819	3 410	4 700	3 783	2 216
	\$1,000	181	562	1 067	1 378	1 137	684
Hogs and pigs inventory	farms	316	1 174	1 658	1 085	613	291
	number	5 557	25 015	27 869	19 435	10 080	4 055
Farms with—							
1 to 9	farms	83	598	822	498	352	183
10 to 49	number	219	451	733	494	224	91
50 to 99	farms	10	62	69	75	25	12
100 to 199	number	3	60	24	14	8	4
200 to 499	farms	1	3	8	4	—	—
500 or more	number	—	—	2	—	—	—
Used or to be used for breeding	farms	255	879	1 203	793	439	205
	number	1 425	5 593	6 309	4 699	2 280	693
Other	farms	300	949	1 456	969	488	260
	number	4 132	19 422	21 560	14 736	7 800	3 362
Hogs and pigs sold	farms	272	873	1 404	954	529	253
	number	4 788	30 910	38 700	28 516	19 334	5 077
	\$1,000	404	1 705	2 394	1 725	1 107	334
Feeder pigs sold	farms	176	455	510	359	227	121
	number	1 602	13 515	18 627	13 163	10 518	2 115
	\$1,000	76	467	666	465	333	77
Litters of pigs farrowed between—							
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30	farms	260	869	1 301	841	459	218
	number	828	5 567	6 191	4 318	3 002	826
Dec. 1 and May 31	farms	113	653	887	656	388	190
	number	345	2 710	3 063	2 155	1 680	525
June 1 and Nov. 30	farms	245	762	1 008	641	338	100
	number	483	2 857	3 128	2 163	1 322	301
Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory	farms	23	133	286	184	144	51
	number	719	2 706	5 381	4 859	3 753	1 498
Ewes 1 year old or older	farms	20	115	199	147	89	44
	number	426	1 694	3 119	3 297	2 800	927
Sheep and lambs sold	farms	22	81	217	141	82	44
	number	478	2 168	3 671	3 548	2 225	912
Sheep and lambs shorn	farms	19	68	175	126	78	40
	number	544	1 969	4 185	3 908	2 904	926
	pounds of wool	3 564	13 211	24 151	23 712	16 247	6 225
Horses and ponies inventory	farms	480	1 980	3 526	3 410	1 923	804
	number	859	6 583	12 574	11 973	8 066	3 105
Horses and ponies sold	farms	21	388	754	611	410	160
	number	47	848	2 067	1 997	1 039	545
	\$1,000	32	514	1 243	1 510	702	269
Goats inventory	farms	5	54	73	67	30	19
	number	38	307	470	558	447	326
Goats sold	farms	1	14	35	23	13	8
	number	(D)	(D)	175	218	127	80
	\$1,000	(D)	(D)	11	16	6	5
POULTRY							
Chickens 3 months old or older inventory	farms	92	782	1 515	1 723	1 072	705
	number	1 998	24 290	55 382	50 289	24 429	17 815
Farms with—							
1 to 399	farms	92	779	1 511	1 720	1 070	704
400 to 3,199	number	—	2	2	3	2	1
3,200 to 9,999	farms	—	1	2	—	—	—
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	89	775	1 503	1 376	1 057	699
	number	1 591	16 098	50 483	38 488	22 845	16 142
Pullets 3 months old or older not of laying age	farms	51	153	251	583	118	101
	number	407	8 192	4 899	11 801	1 584	1 673

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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						
			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	491 farms	154	—	7	9	28	44	66	
	number	162 112	96 494	—	12 449	15 278	24 027	20 466	24 274
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold	71 farms	22	—	5	2	7	1	7	
	number	223 949	91 613	—	651	(D)	28 333	(D)	62 404
Farms with —									
1 to 1,999	63	18	—	5	2	5	1	5	
2,000 to 15,999	7	4	—	—	—	2	—	2	
16,000 to 29,999	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
30,000 or more	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Turkey hens kept for breeding	354 farms	73	—	4	9	10	20	30	
	number	1 407	414	—	9	83	37	54	231
Turkeys sold	80 farms	52	—	—	2	2	5	43	
	number	2 703	2 317	—	—	(D)	(D)	57	2 101
CROPS HARVESTED									
Corn for all purposes	619 farms	308	7	16	27	46	79	133	
	acres	13 256	7 952	278	842	875	1 590	2 117	2 250
For grain or seed	546 farms	265	2	14	16	42	67	124	
	acres	9 852	5 709	(D)	(D)	394	1 187	1 183	2 071
Irrigated	259 910 farms	154 128	(D)	(D)	11 533	25 401	33 305	53 256	
	acres	20	10	3	2	1	2	2	
Farms by acres harvested:									
1 to 24 acres	459	212	—	7	13	35	54	103	
25 to 99 acres	74	43	2	5	2	5	12	17	
100 to 499 acres	13	10	—	2	1	2	1	4	
500 acres or more	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Sorghums for all purposes	2 462 farms	1 428	52	161	132	238	360	485	
	acres	105 179	65 702	2 438	7 240	6 378	10 687	18 176	20 783
For grain or seed	1 939 farms	1 129	46	149	112	188	287	347	
	acres	89 126	55 328	2 218	6 727	5 646	8 848	15 642	16 247
Irrigated	2 219 111 farms	1 394 877	75 757	216 829	155 211	221 510	353 948	371 622	
	acres	90	58	3	12	7	16	14	
Farms by acres harvested:									
1 to 24 acres	877	481	21	39	45	103	112	161	
25 to 99 acres	858	523	19	94	52	67	140	151	
100 to 499 acres	196	117	6	16	14	16	31	34	
500 acres or more	8	8	—	—	1	2	4	1	
Wheat for grain	10 559 farms	5 560	288	456	484	754	1 518	2 060	
	acres	1 000 066	605 655	28 786	53 786	62 929	87 459	174 515	198 180
Irrigated	20 112 428 farms	12 157 534	610 510	1 103 287	1 204 958	1 737 826	3 598 080	3 992 873	
	acres	124	69	1	11	7	10	26	
Farms by acres harvested:									
1 to 24 acres	1 895	809	33	49	51	105	213	358	
25 to 99 acres	4 966	2 428	140	178	185	308	643	974	
100 to 499 acres	3 623	2 267	114	219	244	334	645	711	
500 acres or more	75	56	1	10	4	7	17	17	
Oats for grain	1 338 farms	663	14	43	42	97	191	276	
	acres	30 113	15 228	254	1 075	1 209	2 109	4 840	5 741
Irrigated	918 190 farms	472 562	7 616	40 742	34 373	58 647	153 237	177 947	
	acres	13	7	—	2	1	—	2	
Barley for grain	443 farms	286	4	11	26	39	95	111	
	acres	11 294	7 714	284	831	886	779	2 674	2 260
Irrigated	313 344 farms	218 526	4 849	17 332	22 727	26 481	80 914	66 223	
	acres	7	3	—	—	2	—	—	
Soybeans for beans	1 598 farms	788	73	82	79	172	177	205	
	acres	87 008	49 898	5 274	7 712	7 044	10 267	10 507	9 094
Irrigated	1 006 705 farms	567 306	117 952	72 761	59 350	111 285	108 710	97 248	
	acres	31	22	—	2	4	6	7	
Farms by acres harvested:									
1 to 24 acres	540	242	9	16	17	72	56	72	
25 to 99 acres	826	402	58	33	35	71	90	115	
100 to 499 acres	231	144	6	33	27	29	31	18	
500 acres or more	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Cotton	1 336 farms	856	67	121	59	102	245	262	
	acres	55 314	37 398	3 106	4 045	3 108	5 323	11 276	10 540
Irrigated	26 251 farms	17 712	1 491	2 034	1 499	2 475	4 985	5 228	
	acres	70	48	8	9	3	5	13	
Farms by acres harvested:									
1 to 24 acres	501	301	17	64	19	35	83	83	
25 to 99 acres	746	488	45	50	33	48	143	169	
100 to 499 acres	89	67	5	7	7	19	19	10	
500 acres 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	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.....	337	5	37	111	102	42	40
..... number.....	65 618	351	7 741	34 661	17 300	4 589	976
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold..... farms.....	49	3	8	19	9	5	5
..... number.....	132 336	83	12 680	61 824	57 329	261	159
Farms with—							
1 to 1,999.....	45	3	7	18	7	5	5
2,000 to 15,999.....	3	—	1	—	2	—	—
16,000 to 29,999.....	1	—	—	1	—	—	—
30,000 or more.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Turkey hens kept for breeding..... farms.....	281	7	69	61	77	48	19
..... number.....	993	15	130	275	273	151	149
Turkeys sold..... farms.....	28	1	6	9	3	7	2
..... number.....	386	(D)	46	73	49	55	(D)
CROPS HARVESTED							
Corn for all purposes..... farms.....	311	—	36	121	68	49	37
..... acres.....	5 304	—	657	2 049	1 403	630	565
For grain or seed..... farms.....	281	—	29	107	62	46	37
..... acres.....	4 143	—	476	1 743	775	584	565
Irrigated..... bushels.....	105 782	—	12 227	39 701	21 532	15 439	16 883
..... farms.....	10	—	1	—	1	5	3
..... acres.....	380	—	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	121
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres.....	247	—	24	91	56	42	34
25 to 99 acres.....	31	—	4	15	6	4	2
100 to 499 acres.....	3	—	1	1	—	—	1
500 acres or more.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sorghums for all purposes..... farms.....	1 034	29	178	239	245	213	130
..... acres.....	39 477	983	7 702	8 359	10 652	7 318	4 463
For grain or seed..... farms.....	810	22	152	196	191	162	87
..... acres.....	33 798	806	7 283	7 247	8 845	6 208	3 409
Irrigated..... bushels.....	824 234	18 774	157 564	173 686	226 535	148 660	99 015
..... farms.....	32	—	4	3	11	9	5
..... acres.....	2 028	—	305	268	750	495	210
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres.....	396	13	58	97	93	80	55
25 to 99 acres.....	335	7	79	83	72	72	22
100 to 499 acres.....	79	2	15	16	26	10	10
500 acres or more.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wheat for grain..... farms.....	4 999	247	781	1 137	1 245	1 042	547
..... acres.....	394 411	17 825	60 198	92 584	104 490	75 483	43 831
Irrigated..... bushels.....	7 954 894	366 723	1 165 503	1 897 491	2 078 731	1 576 130	870 316
..... farms.....	55	2	6	14	19	8	6
..... acres.....	2 904	(D)	(D)	881	902	407	225
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres.....	1 086	63	134	234	264	257	134
25 to 99 acres.....	2 538	125	442	584	587	534	266
100 to 499 acres.....	1 356	58	205	313	387	249	144
500 acres or more.....	19	1	—	6	7	2	3
Oats for grain..... farms.....	675	5	76	204	187	126	77
..... acres.....	14 885	107	1 966	5 019	3 760	2 747	1 286
Irrigated..... bushels.....	445 628	4 246	58 269	144 796	110 655	88 418	39 244
..... farms.....	6	—	—	—	2	3	1
..... acres.....	269	—	—	—	(D)	70	(D)
Barley for grain..... farms.....	157	5	15	41	37	37	22
..... acres.....	3 580	66	412	1 046	855	668	533
Irrigated..... bushels.....	94 818	2 090	11 848	24 412	20 921	21 290	14 257
..... farms.....	4	—	—	1	3	—	—
..... acres.....	80	—	—	(D)	(D)	—	—
Soybeans for beans..... farms.....	810	20	127	216	225	154	68
..... acres.....	37 110	1 046	6 151	10 235	11 058	5 996	2 674
Irrigated..... bushels.....	439 399	12 547	63 082	121 360	140 973	69 723	31 714
..... farms.....	9	—	2	5	—	2	—
..... acres.....	173	—	(D)	68	—	(D)	—
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres.....	298	10	40	88	76	56	28
25 to 99 acres.....	424	6	72	103	118	89	36
100 to 499 acres.....	87	4	15	25	30	9	4
500 acres or more.....	1	—	—	—	1	—	—
Cotton..... farms.....	480	15	93	130	125	77	40
..... acres.....	17 916	285	3 195	4 895	5 245	3 071	1 225
Irrigated..... bales.....	8 539	136	1 689	2 248	2 531	1 345	590
..... farms.....	22	—	5	3	6	6	2
..... acres.....	670	—	86	169	227	(D)	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres.....	200	11	43	56	36	34	20
25 to 99 acres.....	258	4	44	70	83	38	19
100 to 499 acres.....	22	—	6	4	6	5	1
500 acres 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		Farming							
		Total farming and 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
CROPS HARVESTED—Con.									
Irish potatoes	farms.....	182	68	—	—	4	10	23	31
	acres.....	290	79	—	—	4	27	8	41
	hundredweight.....	21 450	7 314	—	—	110	934	988	5 282
Irrigated	farms.....	12	4	—	—	—	—	2	2
	acres.....	127	2	—	—	—	—	(D)	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:									
	0.1 to 0.9 acres.....	134	49	—	—	3	5	19	22
	1.0 to 4.9 acres.....	40	15	—	—	1	4	4	6
	5.0 to 24.9 acres.....	7	4	—	—	—	1	—	3
	25.0 to 99.9 acres.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	100.0 acres or more.....	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Peanuts for nuts	farms.....	772	452	16	52	70	77	121	116
	acres.....	21 624	14 522	717	2 073	2 418	2 908	4 158	2 248
	pounds.....	18 988 212	12 289 934	612 187	1 929 307	2 057 692	2 148 837	3 414 774	2 127 137
Irrigated	farms.....	170	106	7	20	24	13	21	21
	acres.....	4 001	2 758	229	483	526	324	855	341
Hay crops (see text)	farms.....	23 384	8 790	177	473	637	1 539	2 344	3 620
	acres.....	790 361	324 318	6 260	16 494	27 567	56 399	91 002	126 596
	tons, dry.....	1 058 722	445 678	7 760	25 771	38 579	82 885	125 132	165 551
Irrigated	farms.....	423	199	7	23	17	32	56	64
	acres.....	12 554	6 657	210	684	820	968	1 868	2 107
Farms by acres harvested:									
	1 to 24 acres.....	11 982	4 143	75	248	255	769	1 044	1 752
	25 to 99 acres.....	10 186	4 099	92	193	326	666	1 169	1 653
	100 to 499 acres.....	1 208	544	10	32	56	103	129	214
	500 acres or more.....	8	4	—	—	—	1	2	1
Allalfa hay	farms.....	3 610	1 803	36	147	170	227	474	749
	acres.....	89 938	48 112	979	3 770	5 025	6 449	12 091	19 798
	tons, dry.....	187 254	100 233	2 211	8 091	10 908	15 436	26 440	37 147
Irrigated	farms.....	240	118	5	17	7	19	37	33
	acres.....	6 308	3 632	110	455	237	471	1 090	1 269
Wild hay	farms.....	6 202	2 345	63	59	129	564	555	975
	acres.....	206 407	80 103	2 355	1 888	5 573	14 655	18 954	36 678
	tons, dry.....	220 564	83 376	2 098	2 113	5 546	14 089	21 577	37 953
Irrigated	farms.....	21	8	—	—	2	—	—	6
	acres.....	611	221	—	—	(D)	—	—	(D)
All vegetables harvested for sale (see text)	farms.....	450	200	3	12	22	31	57	75
	acres.....	3 447	1 710	83	136	276	330	510	376
Irrigated	farms.....	121	31	1	—	3	10	9	8
	acres.....	782	266	(D)	—	(D)	37	85	43
Farms by acres harvested:									
	0.1 to 4.9 acres.....	234	106	—	7	7	15	29	48
	5.0 to 24.9 acres.....	184	74	2	3	12	10	21	26
	25.0 to 99.9 acres.....	32	20	1	2	3	6	7	1
	100.0 acres or more.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Land in orchards	farms.....	2 434	699	2	25	43	154	217	258
	acres.....	28 411	8 586	(D)	(D)	797	2 221	1 845	3 197
Irrigated	farms.....	158	42	—	2	5	9	14	12
	acres.....	807	281	—	(D)	(D)	117	52	97
Farms by acres in orchards:									
	0.1 to 4.9 acres.....	1 066	316	1	5	19	43	124	124
	5.0 to 24.9 acres.....	1 076	289	1	14	15	87	70	102
	25.0 to 99.9 acres.....	268	86	—	6	7	21	23	29
	100.0 acres or more.....	24	8	—	—	2	3	—	3

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
CROPS HARVESTED—Con.							
Irish potatoes ----- farms...	114	1	6	22	43	32	10
----- acres...	211	(D)	(D)	26	22	33	5
----- hundredweight...	14 136	(D)	(D)	2 943	3 397	4 270	683
Irrigated ----- farms...	8	-	1	4	-	3	-
----- acres...	125	-	(D)	(D)	-	1	-
Farms by acres harvested:							
0.1 to 0.9 acres	85	1	4	14	36	22	8
1.0 to 4.9 acres	25	-	1	6	7	9	2
5.0 to 24.9 acres	3	-	-	2	-	1	-
25.0 to 99.9 acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
100.0 acres or more	1	-	1	-	-	-	-
Peanuts for nuts ----- farms...	320	10	65	94	83	34	34
----- acres...	7 102	216	1 518	2 000	1 897	908	563
----- pounds...	6 698 278	195 649	1 475 180	1 833 152	1 757 823	1 037 788	398 686
Irrigated ----- farms...	64	3	20	20	11	8	2
----- acres...	1 243	29	462	356	177	(D)	(D)
Hay crops (see text) ----- farms...	14 594	268	1 946	3 543	4 102	3 026	1 709
----- acres...	466 043	6 225	60 720	110 852	133 640	99 048	55 558
----- tons, dry...	613 044	7 773	77 535	150 017	177 476	129 171	71 072
Irrigated ----- farms...	224	6	26	47	62	60	23
----- acres...	5 897	129	629	1 080	1 685	1 769	605
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres	7 839	184	1 049	1 965	2 153	1 574	914
25 to 99 acres	6 087	79	808	1 403	1 755	1 329	713
100 to 499 acres	664	5	89	174	194	120	82
500 acres or more	4	-	-	1	-	3	-
Alfalfa hay ----- farms...	1 807	37	229	445	490	384	222
----- acres...	41 826	761	4 954	11 061	10 776	9 242	5 032
----- tons, dry...	87 021	1 340	10 795	22 703	23 140	19 529	9 514
Irrigated ----- farms...	122	5	15	27	38	27	10
----- acres...	2 676	49	431	534	854	606	202
Wild hay ----- farms...	3 857	49	435	874	1 092	848	559
----- acres...	126 299	1 383	16 990	24 383	34 451	29 351	19 741
----- tons, dry...	137 188	1 675	19 127	26 977	37 256	31 217	20 936
Irrigated ----- farms...	13	-	1	4	2	5	1
----- acres...	390	-	(D)	106	(D)	185	(D)
All vegetables harvested for sale (see text) ----- farms...	250	42	27	66	46	46	23
----- acres...	1 737	366	168	382	403	342	76
Irrigated ----- farms...	90	40	7	16	11	12	4
----- acres...	516	360	19	68	23	40	5
Farms by acres harvested:							
0.1 to 4.9 acres	128	2	15	41	26	26	18
5.0 to 24.9 acres	110	40	12	21	15	17	5
25.0 to 99.9 acres	12	-	-	4	5	3	-
100.0 acres or more	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Land in orchards ----- farms...	1 735	15	246	436	464	398	176
----- acres...	19 825	170	2 409	5 576	5 413	4 222	2 034
Irrigated ----- farms...	116	-	4	61	23	20	8
----- acres...	527	-	16	251	172	57	30
Farms by acres in orchards:							
0.1 to 4.9 acres	750	8	62	204	183	211	82
5.0 to 24.9 acres	787	5	163	182	219	144	74
25.0 to 99.9 acres	182	2	20	44	58	39	19
100.0 acres or more	16	-	1	6	4	4	1

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