

Table 33. Summary by Size of Farm: 1978

[Excludes abnormal farms; see text]

All Farms

FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS

		Total	1 to 9 acres	10 to 49 acres	50 to 69 acres	70 to 99 acres	100 to 139 acres
Farms	number	2 476 340	215 027	475 086	156 311	230 587	225 093
	percent	100.0	8.6	19.1	6.3	9.3	9.0
Land in farms	acres	973 736 033	801 634	13 014 428	9 094 820	18 965 574	26 186 542
Average size of farm	acres	393	4	27	58	82	116
Value of land and buildings ¹	farms	2 476 326	211 865	473 231	154 715	227 053	225 216
	\$1,000	641 697 985	11 249 961	32 603 710	12 964 169	22 838 691	27 273 808
Average per farm	dollars	259 133	53 099	68 895	83 793	100 587	121 100
Average per acre	dollars	656	14 208	2 509	1 441	1 222	1 040

Farms by value of land and buildings:

\$1 to \$19,999	183 002	58 676	84 929	14 301	12 362	7 540
\$20,000 to \$39,999	296 486	55 006	115 146	33 315	35 948	26 335
\$40,000 to \$69,999	410 497	47 393	120 999	46 848	59 317	53 635
\$70,000 to \$99,999	281 276	21 580	60 023	22 129	46 081	36 771
\$100,000 to \$149,999	303 058	15 427	45 155	18 464	31 744	46 728
\$150,000 to \$199,999	199 142	6 720	20 568	8 285	18 287	19 481
\$200,000 to \$499,999	490 557	6 504	23 097	9 671	20 284	30 755
\$500,000 to \$999,999	199 678	514	2 822	1 364	2 518	3 136
\$1,000,000 or more	112 630	45	492	338	512	835

Owned and rented land by operator:

Land owned	farms	2 171 453	179 909	427 714	141 207	207 384	199 934
	acres	620 677 018	5 878 113	14 829 575	9 041 322	17 819 293	22 984 056
Land rented or leased from others	farms	1 032 561	50 040	110 210	42 803	61 508	73 767
	acres	405 468 310	612 765	2 436 849	1 823 376	3 637 907	5 925 927
Land rented or leased to others	farms	293 258	28 446	61 842	24 415	29 822	28 770
	acres	52 409 295	5 689 244	4 251 996	1 769 878	2 491 626	2 723 441

LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE

Total cropland	farms	2 257 134	125 748	426 466	145 313	216 946	214 113
	acres	460 493 037	436 415	8 579 954	5 773 124	12 260 895	16 800 316
Harvested cropland	farms	2 031 456	100 369	348 604	125 605	193 757	191 808
	acres	320 108 286	299 289	5 072 706	3 324 068	7 391 055	10 066 692
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 49 acres		958 080	100 369	348 604	104 139	126 852	99 871
50 to 99 acres		300 698	-	-	21 466	66 905	62 718
100 to 199 acres		302 945	-	-	-	-	29 219
200 to 499 acres		320 595	-	-	-	-	-
500 to 999 acres		109 722	-	-	-	-	-
1,000 to 1,999 acres		32 005	-	-	-	-	-
2,000 acres or more		7 411	-	-	-	-	-
Cropland:							
Pasture or grazing only	farms	1 042 135	30 423	180 673	71 617	108 716	114 692
	acres	75 987 038	100 979	2 683 921	1 869 825	3 717 045	5 232 139
Cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses not harvested or pastured	farms	205 050	1 819	19 669	10 773	18 239	19 793
	acres	7 146 165	4 263	146 004	118 936	250 965	319 214
On which all crops failed	farms	107 140	1 799	14 113	5 603	8 550	9 776
	acres	6 497 108	4 645	120 621	70 215	131 654	183 219
In cultivated summer follow	farms	186 055	722	8 480	4 502	8 460	8 879
	acres	33 888 093	1 362	56 094	50 096	129 694	186 297
Idle	farms	402 669	9 490	53 525	23 693	36 154	38 026
	acres	16 806 347	25 877	500 608	339 984	640 482	812 755
Total woodland	farms	1 018 122	11 097	153 339	82 071	123 747	130 833
	acres	85 804 987	29 764	1 801 251	1 791 322	3 651 510	5 371 531
Woodland pastured	farms	537 469	5 358	71 132	41 317	63 320	70 282
	acres	40 215 810	14 849	718 180	730 432	1 514 981	2 249 935
Woodland not pastured	farms	662 799	6 220	96 507	52 432	78 972	84 494
	acres	45 589 177	14 915	1 083 071	1 060 890	2 136 529	3 121 596
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured	farms	627 024	12 296	71 053	30 474	48 472	51 834
	acres	392 817 656	40 245	1 054 824	799 125	1 679 708	2 349 766
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc.	farms	1 655 479	151 201	313 913	102 518	154 083	150 388
	acres	34 680 353	295 210	1 578 399	731 249	1 373 461	1 664 929
Pastureland, all types	farms	1 612 886	45 758	265 826	105 567	159 789	164 274
	acres	509 020 504	156 073	4 456 925	3 399 382	6 911 734	9 831 840
Irrigated land	farms	301 905	36 028	69 676	13 393	17 708	15 073
	acres	50 540 662	115 903	1 100 381	446 947	833 364	929 482
Harvested cropland irrigated	farms	276 287	30 423	60 494	12 140	16 267	13 751
	acres	43 860 899	91 270	880 594	372 618	703 939	782 114
Pastureland irrigated	farms	63 393	6 866	17 461	3 078	4 397	3 740
	acres	5 618 464	23 169	201 344	67 192	116 561	132 404
Other land irrigated	farms	15 311	631	2 613	615	12 852	786
	acres	1 061 299	1 464	18 443	7 137	12 864	14 964
Land set aside in the federal farm programs in 1978	farms	425 680	528	14 000	9 792	22 591	26 812
	acres	16 204 233	1 460	66 406	59 507	161 416	236 299

RACE AND TENURE OF OPERATOR

All operators	number	2 476 340	215 027	475 086	156 311	230 587	225 093
Full owners	number	1 449 872	166 125	365 847	113 832	169 601	151 812
Part owners	number	713 036	13 479	60 795	27 015	37 094	47 481
Tenants	number	313 432	35 423	48 444	15 464	23 892	25 800
White	number	2 396 671	196 769	448 338	149 673	223 525	219 213
Full owners	number	1 402 616	154 495	348 459	109 903	165 378	148 194
Part owners	number	694 104	11 666	55 307	25 301	35 271	45 863
Tenants	number	299 951	30 608	44 572	14 469	22 876	25 156
Black and other races	number	79 669	18 258	26 748	6 638	7 062	5 880
Full owners	number	47 256	11 630	17 388	3 929	4 223	3 618
Part owners	number	18 932	1 813	5 488	1 714	1 823	1 618
Tenants	number	13 481	4 815	3 872	995	1 016	644

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

(Excludes abnormal farms; see text)

All Farms		140 to 179 acres	180 to 219 acres	220 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 to 1,999 acres	2,000 acres or more
FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS								
Farms	number	202 341	130 888	110 901	354 105	214 789	98 301	62 911
	percent	8.1	5.2	4.4	14.2	8.6	3.9	2.5
Land in farms	acres	31 913 238	25 874 800	26 380 943	126 868 524	147 651 999	133 748 120	413 235 411
Average size of farm	acres	158	198	238	358	687	1 361	6 569
Value of land and buildings ¹	farms	203 435	132 809	112 478	355 000	217 931	99 430	63 163
	\$1,000	31 783 101	26 174 780	26 431 325	123 845 457	127 021 053	85 101 376	114 410 555
Average per farm	dollars	156 232	197 085	234 991	348 860	582 849	855 892	1 811 354
Average per acre	dollars	990	996	988	974	848	629	276
Farms by value of land and buildings:								
\$1 to \$19,999		3 582	814	121	27	596	54	—
\$20,000 to \$39,999		14 623	6 341	3 658	4 750	904	430	30
\$40,000 to \$59,999		34 772	16 718	10 039	16 624	3 042	667	243
\$60,000 to \$79,999		34 767	17 361	12 287	24 090	4 809	1 134	244
\$80,000 to \$99,999		38 151	24 721	20 177	45 833	12 616	3 239	803
\$100,000 to \$149,999		28 941	19 194	14 504	41 769	16 600	3 723	1 070
\$150,000 to \$199,999		43 015	39 718	41 074	146 884	85 953	31 858	11 744
\$200,000 to \$499,999		4 645	6 980	9 715	60 260	59 022	30 789	17 913
\$500,000 to \$999,999		939	962	903	14 563	34 389	27 536	31 116
\$1,000,000 or more		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Owned and rented land by operator:								
Land owned	farms	174 711	114 032	95 290	301 705	185 932	86 963	56 672
	acres	26 460 710	20 221 398	19 441 448	83 250 074	85 392 916	75 176 888	240 181 225
Land rented or leased from others	farms	74 786	59 431	56 109	220 051	158 247	76 717	48 892
	acres	8 215 011	7 549 966	8 479 577	50 044 303	68 327 105	63 766 174	184 649 350
Land rented or leased to others	farms	21 878	13 946	10 993	33 317	20 656	10 747	8 426
	acres	2 762 483	1 896 564	1 540 082	6 425 853	6 068 022	5 194 942	11 595 164
LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE								
Total cropland	farms	194 098	126 461	107 350	344 638	208 198	93 466	54 337
	acres	21 407 490	17 269 940	18 103 595	90 074 764	103 314 975	80 998 352	85 413 217
Harvested cropland	farms	178 131	117 793	101 650	328 964	201 167	91 239	52 369
	acres	13 915 654	11 464 424	12 727 109	65 020 392	75 434 000	58 303 915	57 088 982
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 49 acres		61 728	34 493	21 365	42 735	12 521	3 448	1 955
50 to 99 acres		48 909	26 289	18 353	37 815	12 290	3 772	2 181
100 to 199 acres		67 494	51 986	39 778	81 244	22 725	6 515	3 984
200 to 499 acres		—	5 025	22 154	167 170	93 701	22 513	10 032
500 to 999 acres		—	—	—	—	59 930	36 941	12 851
1,000 to 1,999 acres		—	—	—	—	—	18 050	13 955
2,000 acres or more		—	—	—	—	—	—	7 411
Cropland:								
Pasture or grazing only	farms	99 424	67 046	55 942	173 420	93 294	32 125	14 763
	acres	5 594 598	4 526 985	4 028 835	17 615 963	16 137 406	7 798 521	6 680 821
Cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses not harvested or pastured	farms	19 657	12 816	12 291	43 017	28 858	12 787	5 331
	acres	379 234	277 065	292 954	1 397 169	1 559 160	1 225 464	1 175 737
On which all crops failed	farms	8 972	5 835	5 223	19 033	14 896	8 173	5 167
	acres	233 870	159 531	159 709	895 035	1 315 037	1 391 310	1 832 262
In cultivated summer fallow	farms	12 122	6 508	7 041	33 801	40 657	33 776	21 107
	acres	385 337	202 365	268 543	2 234 258	5 517 360	9 532 902	15 323 785
Idle	farms	36 376	23 651	21 922	75 907	51 171	22 438	10 316
	acres	898 797	639 570	626 445	2 911 947	3 352 012	2 746 240	3 311 630
Total woodland	farms	103 583	71 811	57 778	164 675	82 035	26 016	11 137
	acres	5 580 965	4 765 999	4 364 691	17 398 307	15 077 919	9 179 097	16 792 631
Woodland pastured	farms	56 474	39 211	32 163	91 891	45 491	14 068	6 762
	acres	2 427 898	1 996 988	1 858 448	7 495 650	6 723 092	4 243 100	10 242 257
Woodland not pastured	farms	66 681	47 679	38 679	111 701	55 969	17 284	6 181
	acres	3 153 067	2 769 011	2 506 243	9 902 657	8 354 827	4 935 997	6 550 374
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured	farms	50 562	33 049	30 174	106 160	84 811	57 227	50 912
	acres	3 005 128	2 381 472	2 475 336	13 109 721	23 259 939	39 244 444	303 417 948
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc.	farms	136 989	87 765	76 833	243 188	142 899	61 503	34 199
	acres	1 919 655	1 457 389	1 437 321	6 285 732	5 999 166	4 326 227	7 611 615
Pastureland, all types	farms	145 219	96 438	81 486	258 172	158 478	76 532	55 347
	acres	11 027 624	8 905 445	8 362 619	38 221 334	46 120 437	51 286 065	320 341 026
Irrigated land	farms	15 935	10 085	9 253	37 221	34 198	22 642	20 693
	acres	1 376 224	1 004 382	1 121 317	6 444 965	9 686 472	10 015 572	17 465 653
Harvested cropland irrigated	farms	14 934	9 527	8 794	35 729	32 967	21 848	19 413
	acres	1 210 553	880 018	998 302	5 833 446	8 846 632	9 101 790	14 159 623
Pastureland irrigated	farms	3 498	2 149	1 965	6 606	5 168	3 582	4 883
	acres	144 737	109 612	109 563	501 713	640 235	702 676	2 869 258
Other land irrigated	farms	890	531	510	2 414	2 437	1 696	1 336
	acres	20 934	14 752	13 452	109 806	199 605	211 106	436 772
Land set aside in the federal farm programs in 1978	farms	37 549	25 151	26 384	108 953	86 371	45 313	22 236
	acres	456 998	326 040	440 190	2 651 492	3 974 076	3 966 903	3 863 446
RACE AND TENURE OF OPERATOR								
All operators	number	202 341	130 888	110 901	354 105	214 789	98 301	62 911
Full owners	number	128 012	71 731	55 028	134 831	57 016	21 832	14 205
Part owners	number	45 749	41 859	39 842	165 189	127 733	64 620	42 180
Tenants	number	28 580	17 298	16 031	54 085	30 040	11 849	6 526
White	number	198 333	128 672	109 412	350 311	212 876	97 334	62 215
Full owners	number	125 806	70 656	54 335	133 361	56 398	21 590	14 041
Part owners	number	44 477	41 029	39 196	163 414	126 750	64 065	41 765
Tenants	number	28 050	16 987	15 881	53 536	29 728	11 679	6 409
Black and other races	number	4 008	2 216	1 489	3 794	1 913	967	696
Full owners	number	2 206	1 075	693	1 470	618	242	164
Part owners	number	1 272	830	646	1 775	983	555	415
Tenants	number	530	311	150	549	312	170	117

See footnote at end of table.

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(Excludes abnormal farms; see text)

All Farms**FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION**

	Total	1 to 9 acres	10 to 49 acres	50 to 69 acres	70 to 99 acres	100 to 139 acres
Individual or family	forms	2 175 437	194 292	438 096	143 056	210 332
Partnership	acres	686 575 506	735 112	11 986 530	8 322 716	17 295 954
Corporations:	forms	241 290	15 708	30 342	11 306	17 719
Family held	acres	159 303 369	49 610	853 971	659 184	1 460 413
More than 10 stockholders	forms	45 418	3 575	3 901	1 181	1 690
10 or less stockholders	acres	104 083 123	11 882	100 299	68 547	139 049
Other than family held	forms	1 275	53	87	30	28
More than 10 stockholders	acres	44 143	3 522	3 814	1 151	1 662
10 or less stockholders	forms	5 852	685	821	228	256
Other than family held	acres	16 119 626	2 360	19 005	13 189	21 203
More than 10 stockholders	forms	1 145	102	147	42	66
10 or less stockholders	acres	4 707	583	674	186	190
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, etc.	forms	8 343	767	1 926	540	590
	acres	7 654 409	2 670	54 623	31 184	48 955

OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS

Operators by place of residence:						
On farm operated	1 783 993	148 101	341 178	108 588	162 015	159 179
Not on farm operated	440 380	37 697	83 196	30 090	43 617	42 332
Operators by age group:						
Under 25 years	78 955	12 048	15 490	4 360	7 080	7 085
25 to 34 years	322 905	37 565	66 750	18 218	26 464	25 455
35 to 44 years	484 599	47 507	103 812	30 403	42 718	40 387
45 to 54 years	594 760	46 241	107 621	36 254	52 581	50 390
55 to 64 years	587 609	39 506	98 820	35 660	53 996	55 819
65 years and over	407 512	32 160	82 593	31 416	47 748	45 957
Average age	50.1	47.3	49.5	51.2	51.4	51.6
Operators by sex:						
Male	2 348 204	197 574	442 222	145 796	217 083	212 394
Female	128 136	17 453	32 864	10 515	13 504	12 699
Operators of Spanish origin	22 973	4 868	5 645	1 334	1 485	1 368
Operators by principal occupation:						
Farming	1 325 353	66 179	140 544	55 815	94 211	106 469
Other	1 150 987	148 848	334 542	100 496	136 376	118 624
Operators reporting days of work off farm:						
None	1 000 084	59 197	121 494	45 791	72 781	80 569
1 to 99 days	263 919	15 778	35 915	13 192	20 341	21 288
100 to 199 days	195 571	16 942	40 577	13 555	21 047	20 349
200 days or more	904 401	116 094	262 227	77 691	106 502	92 595

FARMS BY SIZE

1 to 9 acres	215 027	215 027	—	—	—	—
10 to 49 acres	475 086	—	475 086	—	—	—
50 to 69 acres	156 311	—	—	156 311	—	—
70 to 99 acres	230 587	—	—	—	230 587	—
100 to 139 acres	225 093	—	—	—	—	225 093
140 to 179 acres	202 341	—	—	—	—	—
180 to 219 acres	130 888	—	—	—	—	—
220 to 259 acres	110 901	—	—	—	—	—
260 to 499 acres	354 105	—	—	—	—	—
500 to 999 acres	214 789	—	—	—	—	—
1,000 to 1,999 acres	98 301	—	—	—	—	—
2,000 acres or more	62 911	—	—	—	—	—

**FARMS BY STANDARD INDUSTRIAL CLASSIFICATION
(SEE TEXT)**

Cash grain farms (011)	593 321	5 069	74 450	29 574	53 468	48 633
Field crop, except cash grain farms (013)	312 312	29 504	76 464	27 912	34 258	32 748
Cotton farms (0131)	32 081	394	2 921	1 193	1 616	1 724
Tobacco farms (0132)	142 591	26 865	41 406	15 077	15 381	14 458
Sugar crop, Irish potato, hay, peanut, and other field crop farms (0133, 0134, 0139)	137 640	2 245	32 137	11 642	17 261	16 566
Vegetable and melon farms (016)	35 344	6 176	12 770	3 088	3 141	2 656
Fruit and tree nut farms (017)	89 929	20 677	39 593	6 444	6 526	4 789
Horticultural specialty farms (018)	32 757	18 298	8 939	1 207	1 125	880
General farms, primarily crop (019)	71 758	783	14 386	5 192	7 347	7 947
Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021) ..	1 036 609	99 669	204 458	70 586	103 931	99 658
Beef cattle farms, except feedlots (0212)	661 960	37 620	127 370	50 492	74 359	72 107
Dairy farms (024)	168 473	3 030	5 644	3 865	10 829	17 822
Poultry and egg farms (025)	51 213	11 531	15 379	3 930	5 064	4 058
Animal specialty farms (027)	49 542	18 077	18 033	3 154	2 849	2 233
General farms, primarily livestock (029)	35 082	2 213	4 970	1 359	2 049	3 669

VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD

Market value of agricultural products sold.....	forms	2 476 340	215 027	475 086	156 311	230 587	225 093
	\$1,000.....	107 868 700	3 025 351	6 359 454	2 319 932	3 838 223	4 701 540
Farms by value of agricultural products sold:							
\$500,000 or more.....	17 976	495	1 474	384	497	460	
\$200,000 to \$499,999.....	62 780	1 862	3 433	1 007	1 455	1 642	
\$100,000 to \$199,999.....	141 926	3 590	5 327	2 011	3 326	3 595	
\$40,000 to \$99,999.....	363 383	7 831	12 721	5 622	9 597	14 497	
\$20,000 to \$39,999.....	306 112	9 158	18 070	7 567	16 577	28 081	
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	309 594	15 637	31 537	16 460	37 663	42 052	
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	331 042	25 815	62 094	30 106	48 486	44 562	
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	331 874	38 386	97 153	35 185	46 803	38 620	
Less than \$2,500.....	611 653	112 253	243 277	57 969	66 183	51 584	

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(Excludes abnormal farms; see text)

All Farms		140 to 179 acres	180 to 219 acres	220 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 to 1,999 acres	2,000 acres or more
FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION								
Individual or family	farms..	181 012	115 630	97 423	302 705	174 006	74 885	41 156
	acres..	28 547 540	22 854 375	23 171 972	108 263 231	119 236 148	101 576 118	220 981 496
Partnership	farms..	18 699	13 265	11 689	43 504	31 661	16 059	11 874
	acres..	2 951 012	2 625 165	2 782 897	15 707 112	21 894 663	21 905 351	86 156 743
Corporations:								
Family held	farms..	1 789	1 427	1 354	6 155	7 721	6 303	8 462
	acres..	282 866	282 718	322 282	2 258 160	5 525 870	8 799 711	86 075 548
More than 10 stockholders	farms..	42	32	35	112	206	171	429
10 or less stockholders	farms..	1 747	1 395	1 319	6 043	7 515	6 132	8 033
Other than family held	farms..	258	190	160	697	738	618	935
	acres..	40 546	38 033	38 179	252 581	529 835	866 878	14 267 022
More than 10 stockholders	farms..	38	31	32	124	117	115	279
10 or less stockholders	farms..	220	159	128	573	621	503	656
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, etc.	farms..	583	376	275	1 044	663	436	484
	acres..	91 274	74 509	65 613	387 440	465 483	600 062	5 754 602
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS								
Operators by place of residence:								
On farm operated		143 560	96 360	83 036	267 474	160 182	70 949	43 371
Not on farm operated		38 851	22 462	18 089	56 670	36 041	18 136	13 199
Operators by age group:								
Under 25 years		7 352	4 327	3 830	10 432	4 849	1 537	565
25 to 34 years		23 595	16 317	14 323	47 453	28 811	11 841	6 113
35 to 44 years		34 067	23 012	19 380	66 017	44 235	20 696	12 365
45 to 54 years		46 183	30 821	26 788	91 747	59 767	28 187	18 180
55 to 64 years		52 166	34 017	29 542	92 570	53 905	24 930	16 678
65 years and over		38 978	22 394	17 038	45 886	23 222	11 110	9 010
Average age		51.3	50.7	50.3	49.6	49.0	49.5	51.2
Operators by sex:								
Male		192 364	125 270	106 735	342 856	209 350	95 754	60 806
Female		9 977	5 618	4 166	11 249	5 439	2 547	2 105
Operators of Spanish origin		1 262	1 023	676	2 059	1 563	848	842
Operators by principal occupation:								
Farming		115 482	80 836	76 661	270 663	179 692	85 400	53 401
Other		86 859	50 052	34 240	83 442	35 097	12 901	9 510
Operators reporting days of work off farm:								
None		82 989	58 072	54 191	190 609	128 647	63 327	42 417
1 to 99 days		22 202	15 483	14 395	51 296	32 388	14 055	7 586
100 to 199 days		17 911	11 314	8 884	24 337	12 498	5 166	2 991
200 days or more		68 900	39 325	27 415	67 994	28 938	10 209	6 511
FARMS BY SIZE								
1 to 9 acres		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
10 to 49 acres		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
50 to 69 acres		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
70 to 99 acres		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100 to 139 acres		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
140 to 179 acres		202 341	—	—	—	—	—	—
180 to 219 acres		—	130 888	—	—	—	—	—
220 to 259 acres		—	—	110 901	—	—	—	—
260 to 499 acres		—	—	—	354 105	—	—	—
500 to 999 acres		—	—	—	—	214 789	—	—
1,000 to 1,999 acres		—	—	—	—	—	98 301	—
2,000 acres or more		—	—	—	—	—	—	62 911
FARMS BY STANDARD INDUSTRIAL CLASSIFICATION (SEE TEXT)								
Cash grain farms (011)		53 918	32 190	31 468	118 179	87 273	41 444	17 655
Field crop, except cash grain farms (013)		23 592	15 027	10 722	30 294	18 737	9 044	4 010
Cotton farms (0131)		2 074	1 161	1 111	6 086	7 111	4 637	2 053
Tobacco farms (0132)		8 528	5 771	3 611	8 154	2 667	535	138
Sugar crop, Irish potato, hay, peanut, and other field crop farms (0133, 0134, 0139)		12 990	8 095	6 000	16 054	8 959	3 872	1 819
Vegetable and melon farms (016)		1 579	1 002	760	2 056	1 167	575	374
Fruit and tree nut farms (017)		2 925	1 902	1 345	3 117	1 492	647	472
Horticultural specialty farms (018)		571	347	259	653	316	106	56
General farms, primarily crop (019)		6 062	4 138	3 407	10 122	7 079	3 633	1 662
Livestock farms, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialty (021)		84 023	52 429	42 055	128 631	76 041	37 746	37 382
Beef cattle farms, except feedlots (0212)		57 104	35 336	26 225	75 817	46 547	27 490	31 493
Dairy farms (024)		21 497	18 743	16 921	49 095	17 133	3 236	658
Poultry and egg farms (025)		2 761	1 855	1 374	3 404	1 376	379	102
Animal specialty farms (027)		1 489	801	481	1 521	545	222	137
General farms, primarily livestock (029)		3 924	2 454	2 109	7 033	3 630	1 269	403
VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD								
Market value of agricultural products sold	farms..	202 341	130 888	110 901	354 105	214 789	98 301	62 911
	\$1,000..	5 604 667	4 594 653	4 604 359	20 896 291	20 741 326	13 885 265	17 297 640
Farms by value of agricultural products sold:								
\$500,000 or more		460	377	313	1 712	2 537	3 169	6 098
\$200,000 to \$499,999		1 637	1 339	1 375	7 839	15 136	15 061	10 994
\$100,000 to \$199,999		4 144	3 980	4 823	34 337	45 056	18 488	13 249
\$40,000 to \$99,999		23 705	24 066	28 575	120 094	67 930	29 586	19 159
\$20,000 to \$39,999		39 345	28 033	24 959	70 623	38 291	17 876	7 532
\$10,000 to \$19,999		39 200	23 790	18 481	49 843	23 633	8 028	3 270
\$5,000 to \$9,999		36 183	20 045	13 992	33 664	11 640	3 140	1 315
\$2,500 to \$4,999		26 634	13 759	9 273	18 465	5 377	1 608	611
Less than \$2,500		31 033	15 499	9 110	17 528	5 189	1 345	683

See footnote at end of table.

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

[Excludes abnormal farms; see text]

All Farms		Total	1 to 9 acres	10 to 49 acres	50 to 69 acres	70 to 99 acres	100 to 139 acres
VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD—Con.							
Market value of agricultural products sold—Con.							
Grain	farms.....	1 049 429	6 736	104 864	48 154	87 900	88 653
	\$1,000.....	26 906 557	8 418	269 478	196 884	506 313	673 278
Sales of \$40,000 or more	farms.....	190 458	—	2	8	42	247
	\$1,000.....	18 109 750	—	(D)	(D)	2 375	12 142
Commodity Credit Corporation loans	farms.....	160 939	79	2 839	1 995	5 440	6 665
	\$1,000.....	1 958 951	47	3 581	3 388	12 517	20 283
Cotton and cottonseed	farms.....	53 480	419	3 673	1 612	2 457	2 747
	\$1,000.....	3 099 679	857	14 769	10 178	20 608	28 134
Sales of \$40,000 or more	farms.....	17 734	1	1	2	26	51
	\$1,000.....	2 620 776	(D)	(D)	(D)	1 297	2 749
Commodity Credit Corporation loans	farms.....	7 483	20	318	154	265	298
	\$1,000.....	128 474	31	664	406	870	978
Tobacco	farms.....	202 373	27 834	49 606	20 570	23 096	23 299
	\$1,000.....	2 396 401	124 087	307 391	149 331	196 357	245 538
Sales of \$40,000 or more	farms.....	13 183	5	795	461	806	1 359
	\$1,000.....	1 067 802	240	44 917	26 604	47 072	82 915
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage	farms.....	425 738	2 783	53 546	24 685	43 866	46 433
	\$1,000.....	2 312 303	2 474	78 628	48 352	100 763	127 920
Sales of \$40,000 or more	farms.....	7 175	—	5	1	18	48
	\$1,000.....	749 122	—	(D)	(D)	904	2 519
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons	farms.....	81 645	9 425	22 359	6 173	7 369	6 938
	\$1,000.....	3 255 824	24 250	143 270	69 698	86 564	104 429
Sales of \$40,000 or more	farms.....	9 228	29	663	429	508	625
	\$1,000.....	2 849 476	1 968	50 757	40 423	49 854	68 911
Fruits, nuts, and berries	farms.....	102 217	18 767	38 946	7 533	8 181	6 667
	\$1,000.....	4 622 683	72 601	559 277	228 877	304 549	287 554
Sales of \$40,000 or more	farms.....	19 260	115	3 593	2 019	2 622	2 234
	\$1,000.....	4 008 562	6 686	248 909	173 298	257 928	252 433
Nursery and greenhouse products	farms.....	38 842	19 051	10 671	1 724	1 679	1 364
	\$1,000.....	2 865 335	608 046	804 914	157 252	171 492	160 604
Sales of \$40,000 or more	farms.....	9 026	3 390	2 659	439	444	387
	\$1,000.....	2 617 003	476 343	741 550	146 343	161 748	152 899
Other crops	farms.....	63 125	1 647	7 828	3 073	4 357	5 122
	\$1,000.....	3 092 926	4 732	35 232	21 350	38 345	59 309
Sales of \$40,000 or more	farms.....	16 185	5	90	67	159	271
	\$1,000.....	2 601 954	365	5 789	3 985	10 624	19 849
Poultry and poultry products	farms.....	140 536	19 558	34 653	9 545	14 135	12 496
	\$1,000.....	8 572 655	1 110 208	1 938 900	599 763	761 386	701 345
Sales of \$40,000 or more	farms.....	35 125	5 424	9 337	2 801	3 839	3 210
	\$1,000.....	8 361 719	1 072 194	1 888 208	582 953	742 158	684 296
Dairy products	farms.....	220 648	4 357	9 419	5 659	14 790	22 451
	\$1,000.....	11 265 062	94 917	446 958	183 264	415 513	692 454
Sales of \$40,000 or more	farms.....	92 510	672	1 405	884	2 297	4 630
	\$1,000.....	9 034 850	61 422	393 461	133 480	255 788	396 491
Cattle and calves	farms.....	1 410 739	59 862	195 568	83 543	132 793	140 848
	\$1,000.....	29 812 531	416 363	999 811	412 533	867 109	1 178 665
Sales of \$40,000 or more	farms.....	91 336	1 411	1 156	466	1 000	1 221
	\$1,000.....	21 464 501	203 763	533 240	167 358	406 905	596 288
Hogs and pigs	farms.....	470 006	53 423	77 478	22 966	35 746	36 742
	\$1,000.....	8 140 252	386 560	559 604	174 825	307 499	372 911
Sales of \$40,000 or more	farms.....	52 571	1 733	2 164	602	1 314	1 643
	\$1,000.....	5 038 194	183 016	294 491	85 400	129 355	158 169
Sheep, lambs, and wool	farms.....	94 628	7 517	15 486	4 426	7 376	7 208
	\$1,000.....	638 925	26 026	34 965	10 126	18 237	12 304
Sales of \$40,000 or more	farms.....	2 392	58	49	11	25	21
	\$1,000.....	406 832	15 915	17 805	4 302	7 378	1 759
Other livestock and livestock products (see text)	farms.....	134 165	25 514	36 347	8 790	10 703	9 639
	\$1,000.....	887 567	145 811	166 257	57 500	43 489	57 096
Sales of \$40,000 or more	farms.....	3 230	693	700	155	198	238
	\$1,000.....	588 072	70 314	84 450	39 963	23 761	40 729
SELECTED FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES¹							
Livestock and poultry purchased	farms.....	912 228	81 174	157 973	49 434	71 955	74 273
	\$1,000.....	16 210 238	524 648	928 147	289 819	519 579	676 658
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999	.....	638 275	67 453	136 661	41 474	58 904	58 305
\$5,000 to \$19,999	.....	164 749	9 435	14 924	5 951	9 376	11 867
\$20,000 to \$49,999	.....	66 314	3 017	4 423	1 446	2 801	3 095
\$50,000 or more	.....	42 890	1 269	1 965	563	874	1 006
Feed for livestock and poultry	farms.....	1 612 837	131 358	279 689	94 383	141 736	147 246
	\$1,000.....	15 988 925	831 881	1 860 460	596 198	911 368	1 002 798
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999	.....	1 252 943	114 306	254 173	85 554	125 724	125 894
\$5,000 to \$19,999	.....	232 715	8 738	11 564	4 516	9 117	14 534
\$20,000 to \$49,999	.....	74 297	4 025	5 287	1 765	3 192	3 372
\$50,000 or more	.....	52 882	4 289	8 665	2 548	3 703	3 446
Commercially mixed formula feeds	farms.....	732 645	68 229	118 514	36 543	56 571	62 934
	tons.....	56 864 586	4 003 147	8 865 882	2 851 262	4 006 787	4 151 451
	\$1,000.....	8 940 179	634 808	1 372 483	441 159	622 162	649 925
Farms by tons purchased:							
1 to 99 tons	.....	640 117	61 027	105 833	32 565	50 417	56 929
100 to 499 tons	.....	68 738	4 982	7 612	2 429	3 995	4 018
500 tons or more	.....	23 790	2 220	5 069	1 549	2 159	1 987
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999	.....	532 507	57 570	100 993	30 690	46 629	50 457
\$5,000 to \$19,999	.....	119 807	3 923	5 531	2 196	4 449	7 505
\$20,000 to \$49,999	.....	43 154	3 043	4 320	1 434	2 359	2 134
\$50,000 or more	.....	37 177	3 693	7 670	2 223	3 134	2 838

See footnote at end of table.

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

[Excludes abnormal farms; see text]

All Farms		140 to 179 acres	180 to 219 acres	220 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 to 1,999 acres	2,000 acres or more
VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD—Con.								
Market value of agricultural products sold—Con.								
Grain	farms.....	98 327	63 685	61 394	224 319	155 500	73 514	36 383
	\$1,000.....	1 069 539	859 441	1 051 607	5 915 658	7 249 119	5 093 579	4 013 243
Sales of \$40,000 or more	farms.....	1 954	3 294	6 639	54 806	65 694	36 802	20 970
	\$1,000.....	92 666	159 521	341 276	3 461 307	5 807 271	4 470 018	3 762 099
Commodity Credit Corporation loans	farms.....	11 308	7 300	8 985	42 724	39 779	22 940	10 885
	\$1,000.....	48 039	38 783	56 181	382 936	558 041	464 817	370 339
Cotton and cottonseed	farms.....	3 326	2 117	1 955	10 393	12 263	8 396	4 122
	\$1,000.....	45 977	36 142	38 277	304 783	646 323	824 782	1 128 648
Sales of \$40,000 or more	farms.....	189	200	254	2 465	5 610	5 625	3 310
	\$1,000.....	11 187	12 146	15 782	176 568	519 431	769 026	1 112 360
Commodity Credit Corporation loans	farms.....	397	257	228	1 524	2 081	1 344	597
	\$1,000.....	1 855	1 530	1 382	16 291	33 869	39 862	30 738
Tobacco	farms.....	15 050	10 512	6 953	17 042	6 412	1 588	411
	\$1,000.....	199 588	159 856	125 688	430 712	280 194	119 751	57 909
Sales of \$40,000 or more	farms.....	1 183	1 010	868	3 310	2 252	841	293
	\$1,000.....	80 197	71 195	61 517	269 130	220 393	107 665	55 958
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage	farms.....	43 001	29 068	24 989	78 460	47 521	20 818	10 568
	\$1,000.....	149 451	115 199	111 351	460 270	426 655	323 184	368 056
Sales of \$40,000 or more	farms.....	158	149	188	1 464	1 889	1 613	1 642
	\$1,000.....	8 392	7 997	10 978	96 042	157 698	180 294	284 020
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons	farms.....	5 136	3 566	2 873	9 138	5 302	2 142	1 224
	\$1,000.....	104 654	84 200	87 897	399 118	556 772	539 032	1 055 939
Sales of \$40,000 or more	farms.....	549	454	433	1 822	1 754	1 108	854
	\$1,000.....	75 369	62 737	68 212	335 145	519 506	525 254	1 051 340
Fruits, nuts, and berries	farms.....	4 463	3 125	2 126	5 877	3 465	1 738	1 329
	\$1,000.....	254 769	197 570	157 940	542 124	517 924	472 059	1 027 439
Sales of \$40,000 or more	farms.....	1 602	1 167	786	2 225	1 441	771	685
	\$1,000.....	234 021	183 551	148 054	515 247	502 233	464 461	1 021 741
Nursery and greenhouse products	farms.....	965	582	477	1 240	660	251	178
	\$1,000.....	105 045	83 819	86 096	220 730	217 768	139 280	110 288
Sales of \$40,000 or more	farms.....	269	206	157	472	336	150	117
	\$1,000.....	98 774	80 555	83 244	213 498	214 562	138 028	109 459
Other crops	farms.....	4 841	3 809	3 330	11 747	9 508	5 283	2 580
	\$1,000.....	84 629	78 866	83 233	442 522	623 758	578 740	1 042 210
Sales of \$40,000 or more	farms.....	418	459	583	3 639	5 009	3 533	1 952
	\$1,000.....	35 138	37 435	45 249	316 315	545 070	550 276	1 031 860
Poultry and poultry products	farms.....	10 645	6 615	5 501	15 836	7 459	2 820	1 273
	\$1,000.....	543 114	398 734	310 140	922 254	704 504	270 346	311 962
Sales of \$40,000 or more	farms.....	2 229	1 611	1 188	3 253	1 563	486	184
	\$1,000.....	528 241	388 724	302 383	899 136	694 869	267 775	310 781
Dairy products	farms.....	26 980	22 452	20 652	61 733	24 526	6 024	1 605
	\$1,000.....	924 654	915 764	934 120	3 540 307	2 076 908	688 446	351 758
Sales of \$40,000 or more	farms.....	7 617	8 940	9 668	35 628	16 282	3 542	945
	\$1,000.....	562 415	635 657	702 376	2 984 433	1 919 315	647 328	342 683
Cattle and calves	farms.....	128 192	88 201	75 018	241 353	145 782	68 616	50 963
	\$1,000.....	1 502 643	1 200 822	1 098 667	5 351 497	5 559 581	4 006 228	7 218 615
Sales of \$40,000 or more	farms.....	2 273	1 981	2 568	16 220	19 897	16 104	27 039
	\$1,000.....	838 477	689 001	600 442	3 388 529	4 052 026	3 214 613	6 773 858
Hogs and pigs	farms.....	37 761	25 759	24 724	85 257	48 791	15 817	5 542
	\$1,000.....	534 808	414 496	486 969	2 201 615	1 738 383	698 864	263 719
Sales of \$40,000 or more	farms.....	3 131	2 685	3 396	16 661	13 375	4 560	1 307
	\$1,000.....	250 908	209 013	264 525	1 385 609	1 284 166	569 897	223 647
Sheep, lambs, and wool	farms.....	7 346	4 864	4 311	15 499	9 623	5 235	5 737
	\$1,000.....	48 212	13 441	13 856	59 752	79 130	69 497	253 378
Sales of \$40,000 or more	farms.....	46	18	37	167	217	196	1 547
	\$1,000.....	34 526	4 249	5 040	20 861	44 380	40 846	209 772
Other livestock and livestock products (see text)	farms.....	6 830	4 689	3 393	10 916	7 036	4 355	5 953
	\$1,000.....	37 585	36 303	18 518	104 948	64 307	61 476	94 276
Sales of \$40,000 or more	farms.....	136	103	83	273	213	122	316
	\$1,000.....	25 494	28 482	13 071	83 967	50 659	51 463	75 720
SELECTED FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES¹								
Livestock and poultry purchased	farms.....	70 277	48 146	43 105	145 677	92 195	44 315	33 704
	\$1,000.....	864 559	650 382	577 285	2 834 260	3 016 870	2 061 600	3 266 430
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999	farms.....	51 933	33 726	28 627	84 913	45 154	19 367	11 758
\$5,000 to \$19,999	farms.....	13 213	10 420	9 703	36 796	24 127	11 143	7 794
\$20,000 to \$49,999	farms.....	3 836	2 987	3 366	15 874	13 132	7 159	5 178
\$50,000 or more	farms.....	1 295	1 013	1 409	8 094	9 782	6 646	8 974
Feed for livestock and poultry	farms.....	134 529	92 710	78 278	249 593	147 862	66 345	49 108
	\$1,000.....	1 022 801	834 512	743 543	2 994 341	2 377 903	1 209 250	1 603 869
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999	farms.....	107 594	69 197	54 541	160 737	91 144	41 381	22 698
\$5,000 to \$19,999	farms.....	19 839	17 393	17 452	61 436	35 887	16 171	16 068
\$20,000 to \$49,999	farms.....	4 243	3 901	4 359	19 210	13 729	5 148	6 066
\$50,000 or more	farms.....	2 853	2 219	1 926	8 210	7 102	3 645	4 276
Commercially mixed formula feeds	farms.....	61 063	45 642	39 778	127 137	69 100	27 301	19 833
	tons.....	3 724 692	3 076 797	2 615 529	10 078 609	6 896 284	3 157 438	3 436 708
	\$1,000.....	584 037	484 138	420 172	1 618 598	1 112 509	488 242	511 947
Farms by tons purchased:								
1 to 99 tons	farms.....	55 449	40 464	35 041	107 734	56 428	22 640	15 590
100 to 499 tons	farms.....	4 109	4 068	3 869	16 349	10 490	3 530	3 287
500 tons or more	farms.....	1 505	1 110	868	3 054	2 182	1 131	956
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999	farms.....	46 045	32 117	25 971	75 077	39 164	16 955	10 839
\$5,000 to \$19,999	farms.....	10 479	9 431	10 059	35 894	18 467	6 205	5 668
\$20,000 to \$49,999	farms.....	2 340	2 386	2 466	10 963	7 447	2 324	1 938
\$50,000 or more	farms.....	2 199	1 708	1 282	5 203	4 022	1 817	1 388

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

[Excludes abnormal farms; see text]

All Farms		Total	1 to 9 acres	10 to 49 acres	50 to 69 acres	70 to 99 acres	100 to 139 acres
SELECTED FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES¹ — Con.							
Animal health costs.....farms.....		1 285 729	87 054	188 762	66 381	105 123	114 733
	\$1,000.....	665 229	26 902	49 515	16 062	26 270	33 272
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$499.....farms.....		1 004 779	76 431	172 881	61 343	95 764	101 321
\$500 to \$999.....farms.....		137 376	5 681	8 351	2 692	5 293	8 019
\$1,000 to \$2,999.....farms.....		110 397	3 921	5 300	1 785	3 185	4 433
\$3,000 or more.....farms.....		33 177	1 021	2 230	561	881	960
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees.....farms.....		1 423 368	55 520	187 771	73 990	121 583	130 477
	\$1,000.....	2 633 989	83 111	138 264	43 720	79 031	99 917
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999.....farms.....		866 613	48 305	177 042	68 172	107 263	103 496
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....farms.....		444 953	4 340	8 493	5 110	13 535	25 789
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....farms.....		73 978	1 243	866	400	454	766
\$10,000 or more.....farms.....		37 824	1 632	1 370	308	331	426
Commercial fertilizer.....farms.....		1 719 889	82 347	277 154	104 457	157 916	163 372
	\$1,000.....	6 375 300	20 580	135 307	82 248	160 010	224 663
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$2,499.....farms.....		1 147 798	81 746	273 230	99 395	144 430	137 466
\$2,500 to \$9,999.....farms.....		417 619	497	3 681	4 935	13 288	25 160
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....farms.....		100 553	77	157	103	159	642
\$20,000 or more.....farms.....		53 919	27	86	24	39	104
Other agricultural chemicals including lime.....farms.....		1 510 781	73 206	228 257	81 308	129 463	135 452
	\$1,000.....	2 908 073	12 261	70 803	37 036	67 693	89 271
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$2,499.....farms.....		1 253 070	72 801	225 542	79 119	125 883	130 492
\$2,500 to \$9,999.....farms.....		209 023	341	2 465	2 068	3 341	4 511
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....farms.....		31 701	43	178	96	193	361
\$20,000 or more.....farms.....		16 987	21	72	25	46	88
Energy and petroleum products.....farms.....		2 457 167	207 745	466 381	153 146	225 209	223 778
	\$1,000.....	6 106 679	176 496	352 333	131 353	218 672	267 060
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$2,499.....farms.....		1 826 025	195 375	446 658	144 339	209 935	201 140
\$2,500 to \$9,999.....farms.....		529 975	10 214	16 965	8 124	14 118	21 356
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....farms.....		71 225	1 360	1 646	428	850	993
\$20,000 or more.....farms.....		29 942	796	1 112	255	306	289
Petroleum products.....farms.....		2 454 046	206 682	465 413	152 981	224 974	223 609
	\$1,000.....	4 756 940	132 180	262 984	99 698	166 460	202 772
Gasoline.....farms.....		2 279 850	188 298	424 618	139 233	206 429	205 842
	\$1,000.....	2 095 008	60 019	132 558	53 232	93 427	113 546
Diesel fuel.....farms.....		1 244 009	42 376	127 676	54 212	86 155	99 805
	\$1,000.....	1 480 723	12 305	29 653	17 864	27 864	38 829
LP gas, butane, and propane.....farms.....		481 017	20 861	41 291	15 392	25 659	29 424
	\$1,000.....	477 293	14 550	29 325	11 177	17 266	19 791
Fuel oil.....farms.....		210 082	13 021	26 727	9 889	15 499	16 523
	\$1,000.....	133 780	15 019	21 005	5 614	8 017	7 497
Natural gas.....farms.....		78 473	7 066	8 776	2 953	4 073	4 210
	\$1,000.....	234 695	19 165	25 685	4 831	4 785	5 361
Kerosene, motor oil, and grease.....farms.....		2 453 807	206 633	465 315	152 969	224 969	223 601
	\$1,000.....	335 441	11 122	24 758	9 778	15 101	17 747
Electricity.....farms.....		1 558 859	102 823	225 906	78 144	126 308	133 880
	\$1,000.....	1 323 253	42 371	85 666	30 119	50 045	61 797
Other—coal, wood, coke, etc.....farms.....		100 286	6 582	15 982	6 608	10 511	10 906
	\$1,000.....	26 486	1 945	3 682	1 536	2 166	2 490
Hired farm labor.....farms.....		982 115	54 763	125 052	47 208	69 393	77 540
	\$1,000.....	6 790 683	224 447	492 608	170 568	222 180	256 457
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999.....farms.....		762 308	48 585	112 244	42 312	62 593	69 371
\$5,000 to \$19,999.....farms.....		161 306	3 921	9 032	3 539	4 953	6 214
\$20,000 to \$49,999.....farms.....		39 870	1 421	2 258	949	1 313	1 323
\$50,000 or more.....farms.....		18 631	836	1 518	408	534	632
Workers by number of days worked:							
150 days or more.....farms.....		318 900	10 962	20 806	7 450	11 659	15 158
workers.....		951 272	34 317	66 694	22 656	30 037	37 653
Less than 150 days.....farms.....		846 044	49 850	116 166	44 045	64 038	70 330
workers.....		4 648 667	216 464	622 952	229 111	333 654	348 430
Contract labor.....farms.....		176 713	11 752	31 006	8 744	11 984	12 821
	\$1,000.....	906 292	17 858	70 951	26 104	36 422	38 424
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$2,499.....farms.....		126 892	10 213	24 189	6 600	9 325	10 285
\$2,500 to \$9,999.....farms.....		35 474	1 265	5 341	1 363	1 704	1 716
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....farms.....		7 439	177	1 076	520	500	342
\$20,000 or more.....farms.....		6 908	97	400	261	455	478
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment.....farms.....		1 022 049	43 001	153 280	56 841	91 415	93 296
	\$1,000.....	1 771 816	24 840	84 587	37 772	71 153	83 353
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$2,499.....farms.....		864 518	41 262	148 080	54 581	86 751	87 041
\$2,500 to \$9,999.....farms.....		134 472	1 590	4 773	2 064	4 233	5 718
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....farms.....		15 446	123	303	160	329	440
\$20,000 or more.....farms.....		7 613	26	124	36	102	97
FARM-RELATED INCOME							
Income from machine work, customwork, and other agricultural services.....farms.....		230 409	6 999	18 756	7 476	12 818	15 764
	\$1,000.....	653 310	17 850	30 799	12 276	22 406	26 958
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption.....farms.....		139 773	19 138	39 580	10 286	13 561	12 398
	\$1,000.....	389 214	29 424	74 269	24 548	36 017	40 496

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

[Excludes abnormal farms; see text]

All Farms		140 to 179 acres	180 to 219 acres	220 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 to 1,999 acres	2,000 acres or more
SELECTED FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES¹—Con.								
Animal health costs.....	farms.....	110 218	77 977	68 252	222 683	135 391	61 959	47 196
	\$1,000.....	39 746	34 612	33 768	144 267	117 205	63 012	80 597
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$499.....		91 592	60 367	50 636	151 326	85 429	36 892	20 797
\$500 to \$999.....		10 683	9 906	9 269	34 088	22 187	11 296	9 911
\$1,000 to \$2,999.....		6 615	6 457	7 073	30 032	20 498	9 959	11 139
\$3,000 or more.....		1 328	1 247	1 274	7 237	7 277	3 812	5 349
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees.....	farms.....	131 896	90 798	82 211	272 288	168 769	72 471	35 594
	\$1,000.....	127 835	107 488	118 718	557 736	597 558	382 713	297 897
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$999.....		88 515	53 307	40 981	104 256	46 203	19 433	9 640
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....		41 785	35 701	38 742	148 797	82 458	27 903	12 300
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....		1 172	1 378	2 045	15 803	30 790	13 605	5 456
\$10,000 or more.....		424	412	443	3 432	9 318	11 530	8 198
Commercial fertilizer.....	farms.....	152 446	104 151	91 205	293 380	178 681	75 638	39 142
	\$1,000.....	284 947	250 270	276 783	1 369 936	1 562 986	1 052 953	954 618
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$2,499.....		113 434	67 831	50 505	116 242	41 856	14 037	7 626
\$2,500 to \$9,999.....		37 684	34 210	37 549	143 001	78 526	27 308	11 780
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....		1 164	1 924	2 904	29 709	39 669	16 723	7 322
\$20,000 or more.....		164	186	247	4 428	18 630	17 570	12 414
Other agricultural chemicals including lime.....	farms.....	131 714	90 975	82 129	271 610	170 909	74 356	41 402
	\$1,000.....	111 069	96 527	108 515	542 936	672 933	517 077	581 953
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$2,499.....		124 517	83 169	71 080	200 170	89 389	32 740	18 168
\$2,500 to \$9,999.....		6 663	7 264	10 416	66 683	67 135	25 816	12 320
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....		447	439	482	3 727	9 858	4 598	4 598
\$20,000 or more.....		87	103	151	1 030	3 106	5 942	6 316
Energy and petroleum products.....	farms.....	202 377	132 266	112 164	354 141	217 542	99 319	63 099
	\$1,000.....	321 091	255 404	263 137	1 163 659	1 200 188	847 920	909 366
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$2,499.....		167 483	100 053	75 046	182 838	69 702	22 325	11 131
\$2,500 to \$9,999.....		32 982	30 601	35 112	157 744	120 503	51 825	30 431
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....		1 509	1 316	1 661	11 234	21 506	16 891	11 831
\$20,000 or more.....		403	296	345	2 325	5 831	8 278	9 706
Petroleum products.....	farms.....	202 236	132 203	112 121	353 969	217 478	99 289	63 091
	\$1,000.....	245 918	193 818	202 713	912 601	967 159	686 069	684 569
Gasoline.....	farms.....	188 077	123 663	105 067	334 332	207 173	95 623	61 495
	\$1,000.....	134 404	103 034	104 210	418 796	376 072	246 395	259 316
Diesel fuel.....	farms.....	105 140	76 682	72 762	262 456	181 346	85 076	50 323
	\$1,000.....	54 968	47 733	53 621	288 478	363 671	279 316	269 218
LP gas, butane, and propane.....	farms.....	35 614	25 058	27 261	109 206	84 868	40 295	26 088
	\$1,000.....	23 544	17 981	21 249	99 838	107 169	63 614	51 789
Fuel oil.....	farms.....	18 099	11 848	11 290	39 450	27 058	12 953	7 725
	\$1,000.....	7 871	5 605	4 877	19 635	18 734	10 224	9 680
Natural gas.....	farms.....	4 789	3 203	3 194	14 017	13 004	7 923	5 265
	\$1,000.....	5 244	4 223	3 776	23 422	40 530	44 645	53 029
Kerosene, motor oil, and grease.....	farms.....	202 233	132 196	112 120	353 950	217 462	99 275	63 084
	\$1,000.....	19 886	15 243	14 979	62 433	60 982	41 874	41 536
Electricity.....	farms.....	134 025	90 822	81 941	274 002	175 908	82 463	52 637
	\$1,000.....	72 853	59 774	59 140	246 847	230 437	160 660	223 543
Other—coal, wood, coke, etc.....	farms.....	9 417	6 319	4 948	14 168	8 258	3 613	2 974
	\$1,000.....	2 320	1 813	1 284	4 211	2 592	1 191	1 254
Hired farm labor.....	farms.....	75 683	56 322	50 720	180 919	130 970	65 865	47 680
	\$1,000.....	252 291	229 550	213 662	965 190	1 145 802	978 690	1 639 235
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999.....		66 911	47 694	42 105	138 319	82 239	32 547	17 388
\$5,000 to \$19,999.....		6 941	6 913	7 200	35 489	37 757	22 001	17 346
\$20,000 to \$49,999.....		1 237	1 167	960	5 037	8 179	8 130	7 896
\$50,000 or more.....		594	548	455	2 074	2 795	3 187	5 050
Workers by number of days worked:								
150 days or more.....	farms.....	16 653	15 606	14 522	66 132	64 707	40 286	34 959
	workers.....	37 649	35 608	33 162	149 243	167 184	129 670	207 399
Less than 150 days.....	farms.....	67 666	48 928	43 747	150 884	104 314	50 543	35 533
	workers.....	334 440	256 737	227 356	798 066	586 197	339 760	355 500
Contract labor.....	farms.....	12 246	8 245	7 310	26 427	21 897	12 946	11 335
	\$1,000.....	38 439	29 707	25 549	117 072	137 476	126 185	242 105
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$2,499.....		9 745	6 450	5 743	18 356	13 695	6 974	5 317
\$2,500 to \$9,999.....		1 741	1 184	1 066	5 972	6 103	4 148	3 871
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....		352	270	252	1 044	1 011	924	971
\$20,000 or more.....		408	341	249	1 055	1 088	900	1 176
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment.....	farms.....	92 532	60 430	54 323	177 577	112 883	54 134	32 337
	\$1,000.....	104 460	73 501	76 441	315 439	311 092	244 731	344 449
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$2,499.....		82 883	53 186	45 678	141 352	78 367	30 958	14 379
\$2,500 to \$9,999.....		9 055	6 694	8 138	33 058	29 663	18 026	11 460
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....		442	443	386	2 422	3 471	3 402	3 525
\$20,000 or more.....		152	107	121	745	1 382	1 748	2 973
FARM-RELATED INCOME								
Income from machine work, customwork, and other agricultural services.....	farms.....	17 718	13 888	13 910	56 705	40 831	17 770	7 774
	\$1,000.....	35 168	28 986	30 221	149 037	143 353	87 090	69 164
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption.....	farms.....	8 735	6 014	4 694	13 585	7 289	2 763	1 730
	\$1,000.....	29 724	21 081	18 318	53 074	35 594	16 604	10 066

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[Excludes abnormal forms: see text]

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

[Excludes abnormal farms; see text]

All Farms	140 to 179 acres	180 to 219 acres	220 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 to 1,999 acres	2,000 acres or more
VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT¹							
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment .. farms ..	203 003	132 663	112 364	354 636	217 701	99 406	63 127
..... \$1,000 ..	4 747 899	3 765 120	3 891 183	16 881 385	15 858 543	9 811 875	8 025 592
Farms by value group:							
\$1 to \$4,999 ..	24 876	12 348	8 405	17 349	6 609	2 293	1 616
\$5,000 to \$9,999 ..	46 743	26 195	16 189	37 547	13 555	4 715	2 949
\$10,000 to \$19,999 ..	47 332	28 775	22 076	53 663	23 559	8 611	6 502
\$20,000 to \$49,999 ..	58 158	41 077	37 848	109 021	50 945	20 290	12 734
\$50,000 to \$99,999 ..	20 322	18 522	20 494	90 436	59 504	23 146	12 742
\$100,000 to \$199,999 ..	4 906	5 063	6 563	40 555	50 365	25 956	14 188
\$200,000 to \$499,999 ..	646	655	767	5 927	12 815	13 624	10 395
\$500,000 or more ..	20	28	22	138	349	771	2 001
SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT¹							
Automobiles .. farms ..	145 494	96 984	86 626	285 436	179 302	81 471	48 459
..... number ..	197 547	133 497	119 437	406 917	271 918	131 679	85 340
Motortrucks, including pickups .. farms ..	170 855	115 151	99 398	325 208	206 901	96 062	61 468
..... number ..	245 588	172 124	156 007	589 809	502 124	316 638	269 319
Wheel tractors .. farms ..	181 116	120 835	103 861	330 665	205 456	93 762	56 957
..... number ..	399 453	287 473	267 347	942 970	675 675	347 182	240 873
2 or 3 .. farms ..	94 044	63 817	56 661	171 618	96 170	39 385	21 490
..... number ..	226 016	155 503	139 412	429 252	243 349	99 731	54 067
4 or more .. farms ..	24 537	20 959	22 264	95 123	80 450	43 376	27 543
..... number ..	110 902	95 911	102 999	449 794	403 490	236 450	178 882
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled only .. farms ..	44 290	33 381	36 707	155 294	126 060	61 231	29 521
..... number ..	47 098	35 340	39 189	168 381	145 359	79 935	47 603
Cornpickers, corn heads, and picker-shellers .. farms ..	58 932	43 823	42 977	153 250	88 646	27 623	8 600
..... number ..	69 167	51 623	51 864	189 790	110 564	35 144	12 113
Corn heads for combines .. farms ..	25 518	20 698	23 586	104 756	74 008	23 917	7 339
..... number ..	26 709	21 655	24 653	110 014	79 340	27 419	9 501
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers .. farms ..	40 754	28 770	26 116	75 903	29 235	6 781	2 070
..... number ..	42 458	29 968	27 211	79 776	31 224	7 725	2 612
Cottonpickers .. farms ..	1 388	936	1 067	5 351	6 956	4 780	2 580
..... number ..	1 726	1 143	1 259	6 913	10 031	8 849	7 019
Mower conditioners .. farms ..	52 275	40 731	36 024	116 688	66 791	28 490	19 086
..... number ..	55 219	43 166	38 090	124 995	73 091	32 106	23 654
Pickup balers .. farms ..	73 051	55 222	48 699	156 468	90 585	38 841	24 693
..... number ..	76 036	57 702	51 238	167 996	101 356	44 855	30 211
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type .. farms ..	24 120	21 171	20 660	72 533	43 525	17 886	9 198
..... number ..	27 206	23 822	23 278	81 497	48 485	20 216	11 344
AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS¹							
Agricultural chemicals, including commercial fertilizer and lime .. farms ..	166 005	111 721	97 507	313 406	193 953	85 776	48 999
..... \$1,000 ..	396 015	346 797	385 297	1 912 872	2 235 919	1 570 030	1 536 571
Commercial fertilizer .. farms ..	145 226	99 612	87 266	282 400	174 259	74 208	38 482
..... acres on which used ..	9 607 501	8 133 925	9 075 708	46 211 152	55 656 563	41 728 566	39 266 856
Lime .. farms ..	32 324	24 963	21 247	69 482	40 243	11 340	3 844
..... acres on which used ..	959 727	855 296	852 411	3 704 636	3 723 726	2 209 940	1 812 970
..... tons ..	1 735 001	1 520 356	1 574 109	6 801 920	6 789 713	3 554 289	2 483 054
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—							
Insects on hay and other crops .. farms ..	51 846	36 062	33 335	113 471	76 243	33 648	17 185
..... acres on which used ..	2 869 785	2 337 209	2 782 523	14 756 839	18 864 436	14 843 284	14 751 081
Nematodes in crops .. farms ..	9 216	6 133	5 762	19 345	11 641	4 841	2 069
..... acres on which used ..	388 518	314 343	381 370	1 829 616	2 154 106	1 595 696	1 366 014
Diseases in crops and orchards .. farms ..	8 539	6 069	5 094	15 462	10 680	5 585	3 339
..... acres on which used ..	399 989	359 828	365 555	1 639 762	2 143 951	2 200 489	3 032 980
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture .. farms ..	89 457	62 754	58 161	196 835	129 404	56 768	30 448
..... acres on which used ..	6 124 287	5 293 451	6 183 422	33 002 078	41 730 137	31 419 431	31 417 259
Chemicals for—							
Defoliation or for growth control of crops, or thinning of fruit .. farms ..	6 210	4 274	4 024	13 381	10 999	6 673	3 440
..... acres on which used ..	244 679	194 308	227 508	1 207 242	1 883 753	2 124 641	2 865 580
Insect control on livestock and poultry .. farms ..	50 715	37 689	33 949	116 766	74 529	34 041	23 880
Sanitation and rodent and bird control .. farms ..	28 626	20 796	19 486	66 526	41 359	17 491	9 362
LIVESTOCK							
Cattle and calves inventory .. farms ..	129 402	88 621	74 878	238 703	143 673	67 565	49 995
..... number ..	5 486 477	4 576 449	4 401 089	19 357 345	18 203 356	12 876 263	24 953 423
Farms with—							
1 to 9 ..	15 372	8 209	5 618	12 518	5 014	1 776	632
10 to 49 ..	81 119	48 393	35 423	88 212	34 671	10 055	2 898
50 to 99 ..	26 897	25 180	24 777	80 149	41 503	14 948	4 981
100 to 199 ..	4 993	5 861	7 817	46 650	40 675	20 770	10 186
200 to 499 ..	830	809	1 092	9 983	19 271	16 175	17 786
500 or more ..	191	169	151	1 191	2 539	3 841	13 512
Cows and heifers that had calved .. farms ..	113 879	79 178	66 571	210 640	126 473	60 050	45 159
..... number ..	2 518 882	2 107 074	2 031 269	8 283 261	7 355 036	5 250 009	10 724 046
Beef cows .. farms ..	87 929	58 410	47 894	158 344	108 255	56 702	44 421
..... number ..	1 617 671	1 249 803	1 170 107	5 112 317	5 548 912	4 647 899	10 422 326
Farms with—							
1 to 9 ..	26 578	14 649	9 958	24 344	8 919	2 613	838
10 to 49 ..	57 698	39 772	33 350	103 340	56 158	18 941	5 494
50 to 99 ..	3 192	3 522	4 014	25 693	30 359	19 099	8 712
100 to 199 ..	389	399	500	4 336	10 832	11 939	12 902
200 to 499 ..	65	61	66	586	1 902	3 839	12 144
500 or more ..	7	7	6	45	85	271	4 331

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

[Excludes abnormal farms; see text]

All Farms**LIVESTOCK—Con.****Cattle and calves inventory—Con.****Cows and heifers that had calved—Con.**

	Total	1 to 9 acres	10 to 49 acres	50 to 69 acres	70 to 99 acres	100 to 139 acres
Milk cows.....farms.....	333 210	11 868	37 777	15 233	27 941	33 255
.....number.....	10 316 914	110 766	415 260	182 975	419 893	687 478
Farms with—						
1 to 4.....	121 252	8 268	30 165	9 978	13 731	11 438
5 to 9.....	15 799	1 101	2 991	1 346	2 706	2 060
10 to 49.....	131 946	2 026	3 457	3 382	10 326	17 454
50 to 99.....	48 023	329	407	308	786	1 783
100 to 199.....	12 052	109	243	120	241	369
200 to 499.....	3 295	34	364	52	105	110
500 or more.....	843	1	150	47	46	41
Heifers and heifer calves.....farms.....	1 130 140	40 940	154 713	64 561	104 869	111 808
.....number.....	28 139 273	380 584	1 024 360	466 682	954 863	1 235 501
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves.....farms.....	1 209 463	46 018	173 031	72 230	113 804	118 759
.....number.....	31 783 267	477 073	1 121 774	476 580	961 026	1 239 272
Cattle and calves sold.....farms.....	1 410 739	59 862	195 568	83 543	132 793	140 848
.....number.....	78 856 028	1 287 294	2 979 355	1 320 708	2 605 326	3 483 112
.....\$1,000.....	29 812 531	416 363	999 811	412 533	867 109	1 178 665
Calves.....farms.....	911 896	34 125	125 807	58 110	93 097	99 774
.....number.....	21 332 328	511 634	1 111 851	554 245	1 039 135	1 282 356
.....\$1,000.....	4 388 896	107 643	207 445	106 764	199 002	233 856
Cattle.....farms.....	1 087 224	45 096	141 980	59 740	96 603	104 609
.....number.....	57 523 700	775 660	1 867 504	766 463	1 566 191	2 200 756
.....\$1,000.....	25 423 636	308 720	792 365	305 769	666 106	944 808
Fattened on grain and concentrates.....farms.....	258 628	14 419	33 495	12 842	20 216	21 476
.....number.....	29 746 270	299 539	965 978	306 081	766 377	1 122 050
.....\$1,000.....	15 336 671	137 375	477 911	147 549	387 732	566 825
Hogs and pigs inventory.....farms.....	511 778	61 244	95 385	27 316	40 639	40 294
.....number.....	58 623 224	3 064 403	4 292 044	1 377 628	2 417 440	2 834 348
Farms with—						
1 to 9.....	146 925	22 741	46 805	12 093	15 355	13 154
10 to 49.....	156 033	26 325	33 019	9 874	14 220	14 007
50 to 99.....	64 954	5 079	7 765	2 611	5 221	5 646
100 to 199.....	61 430	3 943	4 028	1 536	3 250	4 245
200 to 499.....	57 336	2 258	2 593	886	1 966	2 505
500 or more.....	25 100	898	1 175	316	627	737
Used or to be used for breeding.....farms.....	374 440	44 550	64 491	18 732	28 599	29 313
.....number.....	8 742 103	513 912	820 511	235 738	416 543	464 143
Other.....farms.....	461 680	54 813	82 690	24 118	35 889	35 937
.....number.....	49 881 121	2 550 491	3 471 528	1 141 890	2 000 877	2 370 205
Hogs and pigs sold.....farms.....	470 006	53 423	77 478	22 966	35 746	36 742
.....number.....	91 892 299	5 052 278	7 917 893	2 296 307	4 022 408	4 617 201
.....\$1,000.....	8 140 252	386 560	559 604	174 825	307 499	372 911
Feeder pigs sold.....farms.....	143 700	19 734	31 574	8 926	13 720	12 881
.....number.....	19 991 158	1 882 716	3 680 634	867 723	1 519 768	1 495 049
.....\$1,000.....	843 237	77 322	149 343	35 365	62 499	62 047
Litters of pigs farrowed between—						
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30.....farms.....	391 790	47 316	68 734	19 607	30 018	30 789
.....number.....	11 182 571	602 169	989 844	286 799	513 173	577 251
Dec. 1 and May 31.....farms.....	337 568	37 609	56 515	16 550	25 468	26 401
.....number.....	5 605 660	301 012	489 464	142 885	255 908	289 199
June 1 and Nov. 30.....farms.....	319 498	35 690	51 573	14 874	23 923	24 779
.....number.....	5 576 911	301 157	500 380	143 914	257 265	288 052
Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory.....farms.....	97 914	8 298	16 997	4 647	7 560	7 510
.....number.....	11 956 249	429 238	488 811	149 188	320 271	287 246
Ewes 1 year old or older.....farms.....	88 448	7 007	14 691	4 171	6 803	6 891
.....number.....	7 637 758	210 950	279 524	96 067	185 345	190 109
Sheep and lambs sold.....farms.....	90 346	6 985	14 334	4 192	7 007	6 762
.....number.....	10 121 671	419 942	539 691	166 840	294 438	217 009
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms.....	85 453	6 283	13 358	3 957	6 709	6 623
.....number.....	11 086 258	361 265	478 141	172 930	292 084	231 651
.....pounds of wool.....	87 169 275	2 653 874	3 392 465	1 157 426	1 988 614	1 750 159
Horses and ponies inventory.....farms.....	467 199	33 666	97 907	29 855	42 294	41 103
.....number.....	2 151 853	139 999	398 028	125 019	178 727	177 291
Horses and ponies sold.....farms.....	95 713	15 246	26 353	6 429	7 621	7 012
.....number.....	311 001	45 600	76 919	19 791	22 913	22 110
.....\$1,000.....	454 343	48 107	85 479	27 218	27 266	31 962
Goats inventory.....farms.....	28 218	5 127	9 487	1 857	2 503	2 048
.....number.....	1 140 874	40 910	64 078	14 603	20 280	22 875
Goats sold.....farms.....	11 071	2 452	3 444	629	987	702
.....number.....	258 556	20 556	29 640	5 372	8 117	7 796
.....\$1,000.....	8 314	973	1 265	195	254	232
POULTRY						
Chickens 3 months old or older inventory.....farms.....	314 996	40 307	83 322	22 440	32 219	29 778
.....number.....	358 154 492	39 658 732	82 559 816	23 859 985	29 711 768	29 887 705
Farms with—						
1 to 399.....	297 384	37 867	79 539	21 319	30 552	28 260
400 to 3,199.....	5 414	550	676	249	462	490
3,200 to 9,999.....	4 115	703	1 116	278	483	311
10,000 to 19,999.....	3 770	580	933	300	389	340
20,000 to 49,999.....	2 950	473	728	203	225	265
50,000 to 99,999.....	889	108	218	62	70	74
100,000 or more.....	474	26	112	29	38	38
Hens and pullets of laying age.....farms.....	308 562	38 639	81 307	22 064	31 631	29 362
.....number.....	303 472 327	33 431 939	69 098 437	19 929 872	25 053 302	25 361 559
Pullets 3 months old or older not of laying agefarms.....	50 161	11 127	16 046	3 570	4 651	4 213
.....number.....	54 682 165	6 226 793	13 461 379	3 930 113	4 658 466	4 526 146

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

(Excludes abnormal farms; see text)

All Farms		140 to 179 acres	180 to 219 acres	220 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 to 1,999 acres	2,000 acres or more
LIVESTOCK—Con.								
Cattle and calves inventory—Con.								
Cows and heifers that had calved—Con.								
Milk cows	farms..... number.....	35 339 901 211	27 381 857 271	24 423 861 162	72 229 3 170 944	30 983 1 806 124	9 999 602 110	6 782 301 720
Farms with—								
1 to 4	.....	9 223	5 534	4 293	11 997	7 205	4 296	5 124
5 to 9	.....	1 546	843	604	1 403	678	247	274
10 to 49	.....	21 069	16 436	14 003	32 864	8 472	2 023	434
50 to 99	.....	2 923	3 988	4 925	21 627	9 115	1 527	305
100 to 199	.....	421	448	476	3 678	4 496	1 164	287
200 to 499	.....	123	108	99	557	887	624	232
500 or more	.....	34	24	23	103	130	118	126
Heifers and heifer calves	farms..... number.....	102 830 1 551 186	71 981 1 328 353	61 787 1 313 138	198 371 5 585 196	119 739 4 927 565	56 192 3 298 288	42 349 6 073 557
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	farms..... number.....	106 601 1 416 409	73 280 1 141 022	62 567 1 056 682	205 236 5 488 888	129 021 5 920 755	62 068 4 327 966	46 848 8 155 820
Cattle and calves sold								
	farms.....	128 192	88 201	75 018	241 353	145 782	68 616	50 963
	number.....	4 161 546	3 340 305	3 009 611	13 900 173	13 782 649	10 102 046	18 883 903
	\$1,000.....	1 502 643	1 200 822	1 098 667	5 351 497	5 559 581	4 006 228	7 218 615
Calves								
	farms.....	87 901	61 150	50 148	149 710	83 326	39 032	29 416
	number.....	1 367 678	1 038 656	962 195	3 698 623	3 144 241	2 294 382	4 327 332
	\$1,000.....	253 697	182 210	168 142	689 144	656 932	532 152	1 051 900
Cattle								
	farms.....	97 654	68 827	59 395	195 452	118 886	55 872	43 110
	number.....	2 793 868	2 301 649	2 047 416	10 201 550	10 638 408	7 807 664	14 556 571
	\$1,000.....	1 248 946	1 018 612	930 525	4 662 353	4 902 650	3 474 076	6 166 706
Fattened on grain and concentrates								
	farms.....	21 427	15 395	14 616	54 261	33 470	11 649	5 362
	number.....	1 653 490	1 436 762	1 164 136	6 355 713	6 489 066	4 120 260	5 066 818
	\$1,000.....	842 035	702 450	606 510	3 250 462	3 397 459	2 152 839	2 667 522
Hogs and pigs inventory								
	farms.....	39 779	27 229	25 177	85 311	48 033	15 672	5 699
	number.....	3 932 378	3 061 079	3 569 178	15 688 523	12 011 585	4 641 407	1 733 211
Farms with—								
1 to 9	.....	9 609	5 931	4 081	10 317	4 133	1 731	975
10 to 49	.....	12 250	7 960	6 269	18 559	8 820	3 285	1 445
50 to 99	.....	6 507	4 441	4 331	13 279	7 153	2 136	785
100 to 199	.....	5 711	4 205	4 709	17 218	9 164	2 595	826
200 to 499	.....	4 477	3 596	4 398	18 655	11 896	3 268	838
500 or more	.....	1 225	1 096	1 389	7 283	6 867	2 657	830
Used or to be used for breeding								
	farms.....	30 062	20 642	19 784	66 301	36 548	11 493	3 925
	number.....	625 149	475 602	534 559	2 216 593	1 597 088	617 672	224 546
	\$1,000.....	35 687	24 762	23 204	79 426	45 310	14 565	5 279
Other								
	farms.....	3 307 229	2 585 477	3 034 619	13 471 930	10 414 497	4 023 735	1 508 643
Hogs and pigs sold								
	farms.....	37 761	25 759	24 724	85 257	48 791	15 817	5 542
	number.....	6 152 245	4 702 846	5 387 460	23 590 140	18 098 064	7 339 239	2 716 218
	\$1,000.....	534 808	414 496	486 969	2 201 615	1 738 383	698 864	263 719
Feeder pigs sold								
	farms.....	11 547	7 495	6 274	18 712	8 879	2 924	1 034
	number.....	1 563 471	1 094 222	1 058 890	3 606 157	2 067 821	896 477	258 230
	\$1,000.....	67 105	46 851	45 756	157 173	90 989	37 606	11 181
Litters of pigs farrowed between—								
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30	farms.....	31 170	21 518	20 486	68 547	37 684	11 868	4 053
	number.....	773 328	606 510	679 406	2 885 183	2 120 383	837 501	311 024
Dec. 1 and May 31	farms.....	27 326	18 939	18 169	61 886	34 237	10 830	3 638
	number.....	393 009	306 204	341 332	1 452 160	1 060 786	417 385	156 316
June 1 and Nov. 30	farms.....	25 713	18 092	17 576	60 094	33 509	10 292	3 383
	number.....	380 319	300 306	338 074	1 433 023	1 059 597	420 116	154 708
Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory								
	farms.....	7 556	4 937	4 424	15 547	9 587	5 181	5 670
	number.....	426 694	270 990	283 783	1 136 946	1 250 548	1 150 168	5 762 366
	\$1,000.....	6 858	4 570	4 051	14 324	8 932	4 771	5 379
Ewes 1 year old or older								
	farms.....	232 864	165 953	178 729	702 590	768 715	692 292	3 934 620
	number.....	7 020	4 610	4 163	14 975	9 457	5 154	5 687
Sheep and lambs sold								
	farms.....	736 263	218 420	229 015	982 311	1 261 300	1 087 960	3 968 482
	number.....	6 757	4 477	4 001	14 189	8 868	4 809	5 422
Sheep and lambs shorn								
	farms.....	663 032	235 722	225 691	940 663	1 242 971	1 030 604	5 211 504
	pounds of wool.....	4 015 615	1 677 635	1 679 639	7 124 611	8 793 180	7 725 093	45 210 964
Horses and ponies inventory								
	farms.....	31 900	21 619	17 024	55 897	40 374	25 806	29 754
	number.....	144 026	93 404	71 269	246 991	183 328	131 450	262 321
Horses and ponies sold								
	farms.....	4 988	3 390	2 351	8 265	5 515	3 568	4 975
	number.....	17 029	10 228	7 959	31 103	20 797	13 244	23 308
	\$1,000.....	20 187	14 575	10 534	63 617	40 589	29 964	54 846
Goats inventory								
	farms.....	1 389	804	539	1 748	1 036	625	1 055
	number.....	20 499	10 181	9 090	44 972	61 030	87 199	745 157
Goats sold								
	farms.....	492	268	213	718	408	265	493
	number.....	7 509	3 733	2 585	20 120	20 982	24 756	107 390
	\$1,000.....	180	112	66	533	579	748	3 178
POULTRY								
Chickens 3 months old or older inventory								
	farms.....	23 072	13 858	11 192	30 768	15 356	7 349	5 335
	number.....	23 427 319	18 668 760	15 350 449	41 738 293	33 897 324	11 812 485	7 581 856
Farms with—								
1 to 399	.....	21 752	12 887	10 387	28 416	14 215	7 015	5 175
400 to 3,199	.....	578	389	361	1 021	469	127	42
3,200 to 9,999	.....	229	178	144	418	182	47	26
10,000 to 19,999	.....	232	187	122	418	195	39	35
20,000 to 49,999	.....	194	148	114	335	181	59	25
50,000 to 99,999	.....	55	42	39	103	68	34	16
100,000 or more	.....	32	27	25	57	46	28	16
Hens and pullets of laying age								
	farms.....	22 719	13 668	11 043	30 376	15 180	7 287	5 286
	number.....	19 879 225	16 345 019	12 655 422	36 227 911	29 242 970	10 054 047	6 192 624
Pullets 3 months old or older not of laying age								
	farms.....	2 657	1 688	1 091	2 791	1 286	564	477
	number.....	3 548 094	2 323 741	2 695 027	5 510 382	4 654 354	1 758 438	1 389 232

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

[Excludes abnormal farms; see text]

All Farms**POULTRY—Con.**

	Total	1 to 9 acres	10 to 49 acres	50 to 69 acres	70 to 99 acres	100 to 139 acres
Chickens 3 months old or older sold.....farms...	49 808	7 642	11 094	3 032	4 690	4 324
.....number...	382 817 924	48 298 497	93 454 532	26 364 376	30 753 021	32 684 549
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold.....farms...	34 409	5 876	9 288	2 687	3 602	3 009
.....number...	3 134 878 039	374 354 159	798 669 528	269 932 284	348 179 284	305 060 253
Farms with—						
1 to 1,999.....farms...	11 693	2 072	2 818	633	980	871
.....number...	4 949	1 293	1 438	496	489	370
2,000 to 59,999.....farms...	5 431	1 050	1 698	466	640	482
.....number...	12 336	1 461	3 334	1 092	1 493	1 286
60,000 to 99,999.....farms...						
.....number...						
100,000 or more.....farms...						
.....number...						
Turkey hens kept for breeding.....farms...	14 670	2 224	3 988	988	1 503	1 392
.....number...	3 907 978	91 332	334 077	92 101	157 802	330 102
Turkeys sold.....farms...	7 222	1 072	1 674	412	872	575
.....number...	141 185 841	6 623 812	17 985 881	6 244 160	10 715 465	10 589 708

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Corn for all purposes.....farms...	918 478	11 702	98 773	46 783	83 130	91 538
.....acres...	78 978 580	40 892	1 038 327	751 324	1 861 006	2 735 147
For grain or seed.....farms...	842 282	11 066	92 726	43 787	77 681	84 065
.....acres...	70 640 827	38 140	969 881	690 304	1 701 250	2 430 352
.....bushels...	6 850 017 389	2 567 934	71 791 230	53 773 733	145 485 856	212 109 118
Irrigated.....farms...	49 442	295	1 883	723	1 638	1 514
.....acres...	8 762 774	794	21 601	16 574	52 659	64 950
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres.....farms...	319 414	11 066	85 180	34 304	49 760	44 524
.....acres...	25 112	—	7 546	9 483	27 918	37 826
25 to 99 acres.....farms...	213 732	—	—	—	3	1 715
.....acres...	14 024	—	—	—	—	—
100 to 499 acres.....farms...						
.....acres...						
500 acres or more.....farms...						
.....acres...						
Sorghums for all purposes.....farms...	136 698	284	4 693	2 909	6 001	6 663
.....acres...	14 033 582	954	62 407	52 406	142 992	191 435
For grain or seed.....farms...	114 984	160	3 703	2 363	4 928	5 241
.....acres...	12 938 980	607	53 672	46 487	128 964	169 430
.....bushels...	660 732 228	34 881	2 769 672	2 270 617	6 844 967	8 317 646
Irrigated.....farms...	15 490	23	394	207	297	267
.....acres...	2 047 299	107	6 552	3 908	9 097	9 883
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres.....farms...	27 630	160	3 090	1 575	2 763	2 566
.....acres...	49 261	—	613	788	2 165	2 469
25 to 99 acres.....farms...	34 441	—	—	—	—	206
.....acres...	3 652	—	—	—	—	—
100 to 499 acres.....farms...						
.....acres...						
500 acres or more.....farms...						
.....acres...						
Wheat for grain.....farms...	382 972	602	14 291	9 742	22 448	24 269
.....acres...	54 416 802	1 906	156 543	137 964	401 551	507 971
.....bushels...	1 614 638 198	68 832	5 166 593	4 405 560	12 881 871	16 364 322
Irrigated.....farms...	22 710	78	1 020	363	1 134	974
.....acres...	3 005 823	298	12 870	6 287	23 311	27 343
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres.....farms...	128 052	602	13 002	8 314	17 605	18 134
.....acres...	122 550	—	1 289	1 428	4 843	5 687
25 to 99 acres.....farms...	107 230	—	—	—	—	448
.....acres...	25 140	—	—	—	—	—
100 to 499 acres.....farms...						
.....acres...						
500 acres or more.....farms...						
.....acres...						
Oats for grain.....farms...	325 808	591	15 621	10 059	24 606	30 794
.....acres...	10 224 583	1 815	118 800	100 151	295 180	442 057
.....bushels...	518 037 280	112 437	5 467 729	4 647 967	14 817 233	22 862 778
Irrigated.....farms...	7 836	86	697	237	484	418
.....acres...	235 310	314	6 014	2 763	6 931	6 508
Barley for grain.....farms...	96 860	181	4 402	2 432	4 567	5 485
.....acres...	8 953 550	721	45 999	32 012	75 105	106 772
.....bushels...	427 932 612	38 615	2 455 856	1 631 806	4 081 586	5 894 523
Irrigated.....farms...	23 075	99	2 095	790	1 639	1 631
.....acres...	1 956 083	427	25 553	14 420	38 283	47 434
Rice.....farms...	10 837	27	469	155	298	378
.....acres...	3 000 329	140	9 728	5 839	14 878	24 830
.....100-lb bags...	133 656 142	7 618	420 928	260 885	647 460	1 075 202
Irrigated.....farms...	10 837	27	469	155	298	378
.....acres...	3 000 329	140	9 728	5 839	14 878	24 830
Sunflower seed.....farms...	12 186	11	169	70	157	191
.....acres...	2 477 888	13	2 650	1 650	5 946	7 427
.....pounds...	3 144 860 514	5 340	2 898 130	2 056 197	7 120 534	9 245 073
Irrigated.....farms...	450	4	12	1	5	8
.....acres...	53 587	4	(D)	(D)	165	86
Soybeans for beans.....farms...	550 315	3 833	54 766	26 040	47 059	48 324
.....acres...	61 786 118	17 966	892 114	667 346	1 539 412	2 049 220
.....bushels...	1 733 597 120	551 199	22 586 677	16 621 562	40 871 696	54 436 573
Irrigated.....farms...	11 276	40	321	136	311	330
.....acres...	1 328 080	178	4 649	3 160	9 679	12 098
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres.....farms...	134 031	3 833	43 616	13 984	18 915	14 792
.....acres...	231 373	—	11 150	12 056	28 136	30 472
25 to 99 acres.....farms...	167 647	—	—	—	8	3 060
.....acres...	17 264	—	—	—	—	—

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

[Excludes abnormal farms; see text]

All Farms	140 to 179 acres	180 to 219 acres	220 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 to 1,999 acres	2,000 acres or more
POULTRY—Con.							
Chickens 3 months old or older sold.....farms...	3 924	2 458	2 153	6 198	2 829	1 025	439
.....number...	22 843 208	22 688 529	14 415 985	40 902 808	33 545 091	11 984 894	4 882 434
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold.....farms...	2 239	1 437	1 140	3 084	1 400	492	155
.....number...	211 343 308	132 975 700	106 054 669	298 482 242	147 010 831	51 044 459	91 771 322
Farms with—.....farms...	811	548	461	1 372	719	302	106
1 to 1,999.....farms...	241	158	109	256	73	13	13
2,000 to 59,999.....farms...	328	182	155	298	115	16	1
60,000 to 99,999.....farms...	859	549	415	1 158	493	161	35
100,000 or more.....farms...	883	579	525	1 276	699	344	269
Turkey hens kept for breeding.....farms...	107 196	149 649	113 639	653 553	1 095 728	404 670	378 129
.....number...	451	395	250	767	449	198	107
Turkeys sold.....farms...	11 561 954	7 322 907	6 019 106	21 745 860	20 356 589	10 438 301	11 582 098
.....number...							
CROPS HARVESTED							
Corn for all purposes.....farms...	94 892	67 395	62 450	204 200	109 499	35 016	13 100
.....acres...	4 264 796	3 629 411	4 336 284	22 111 529	21 670 150	10 842 815	5 696 899
For grain or seed.....farms...	87 463	61 226	57 129	186 783	100 258	30 143	9 955
.....acres...	3 804 553	3 155 564	3 833 599	19 796 849	19 740 353	9 717 570	4 762 412
.....bushels...	357 732 769	297 108 873	371 007 620	1 949 016 142	1 968 266 132	959 975 964	461 182 018
Irrigated.....farms...	3 223	1 733	2 462	11 757	11 922	7 542	4 750
.....acres...	210 349	118 783	204 790	1 465 707	2 342 582	2 155 043	2 108 942
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres.....farms...	30 438	18 476	12 219	24 541	6 921	1 537	448
25 to 99 acres.....farms...	51 266	34 671	29 828	68 690	20 927	5 284	1 673
100 to 499 acres.....farms...	5 759	8 079	15 082	93 552	68 849	16 087	4 606
500 acres or more.....farms...	—	—	—	—	3 561	7 235	3 228
Sorghums for all purposes.....farms...	10 275	6 253	7 414	32 659	32 361	18 395	8 791
.....acres...	367 515	250 548	337 093	2 212 107	3 735 258	3 483 743	3 197 124
For grain or seed.....farms...	8 467	4 873	6 017	27 400	28 380	16 095	7 357
.....acres...	332 145	226 889	302 572	2 033 539	3 486 963	3 243 680	2 914 032
.....bushels...	17 589 554	12 213 223	16 484 484	114 108 666	187 349 043	160 473 586	132 275 889
Irrigated.....farms...	739	373	454	3 083	4 017	3 365	2 271
.....acres...	31 449	19 345	21 063	224 345	444 114	571 203	706 233
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres.....farms...	3 334	1 726	1 889	5 811	3 275	1 152	289
25 to 99 acres.....farms...	4 657	2 645	3 436	14 172	11 765	4 987	1 564
100 to 499 acres.....farms...	476	502	692	7 417	12 898	8 558	3 692
500 acres or more.....farms...	—	—	—	—	442	1 398	1 812
Wheat for grain.....farms...	31 151	19 247	19 563	84 962	78 994	49 848	27 855
.....acres...	1 059 285	616 854	802 652	5 863 188	11 571 918	15 048 096	18 248 874
.....bushels...	32 021 776	20 144 519	25 560 158	179 763 524	345 310 452	440 316 739	532 633 852
Irrigated.....farms...	1 530	960	1 048	4 132	4 370	3 826	3 275
.....acres...	52 747	36 913	48 434	275 874	501 113	753 622	1 267 011
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres.....farms...	16 484	10 514	8 547	23 464	8 854	1 970	562
25 to 99 acres.....farms...	12 916	7 705	9 149	40 895	27 472	8 454	2 712
100 to 499 acres.....farms...	1 751	1 028	1 867	20 603	41 109	29 748	10 676
500 acres or more.....farms...	—	—	—	—	1 559	9 676	13 905
Oats for grain.....farms...	37 232	26 833	25 583	82 478	44 396	18 324	9 291
.....acres...	695 793	554 892	616 462	2 638 185	2 307 042	1 446 032	1 008 174
.....bushels...	35 881 659	29 167 877	32 643 813	137 275 487	117 204 578	70 784 151	47 171 571
Irrigated.....farms...	560	310	371	1 333	1 262	820	1 258
.....acres...	8 669	6 477	7 936	36 207	45 079	35 642	72 770
Barley for grain.....farms...	6 398	4 246	4 268	18 939	20 113	15 288	10 541
.....acres...	174 207	123 212	148 457	984 673	1 926 370	2 364 146	2 971 876
.....bushels...	9 208 887	6 730 096	8 098 267	50 857 722	93 169 068	110 059 750	135 706 436
Irrigated.....farms...	1 964	1 275	1 298	4 462	3 362	2 163	2 297
.....acres...	68 358	52 797	59 727	299 939	351 399	323 376	674 370
Rice.....farms...	426	357	363	2 099	2 925	2 130	1 210
.....acres...	35 555	34 921	41 648	332 677	746 396	854 501	899 216
.....100-lb bags...	1 617 280	1 510 557	1 791 674	14 443 242	33 094 614	38 314 169	40 472 513
Irrigated.....farms...	426	357	363	2 099	2 925	2 130	1 210
.....acres...	35 555	34 921	41 648	332 677	746 396	854 501	899 216
Sunflower seed.....farms...	487	200	239	2 154	3 743	3 232	1 533
.....acres...	26 038	10 431	13 662	191 871	540 353	805 087	872 760
.....pounds...	30 158 009	13 247 647	16 889 315	242 818 911	688 265 485	1 012 268 215	1 119 887 658
Irrigated.....farms...	11	10	7	81	109	99	103
.....acres...	340	349	202	4 611	10 154	11 030	26 498
Soybeans for beans.....farms...	52 801	36 902	36 781	132 740	80 454	24 142	6 473
.....acres...	2 767 373	2 440 784	2 801 586	15 175 655	17 243 460	10 151 513	6 039 689
.....bushels...	79 583 407	68 360 120	82 183 543	449 726 914	496 079 234	273 549 560	149 046 635
Irrigated.....farms...	653	380	543	2 612	3 202	1 884	864
.....acres...	26 753	17 940	28 141	187 586	392 042	380 094	265 760
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres.....farms...	12 093	6 371	5 070	11 227	3 434	584	112
25 to 99 acres.....farms...	35 377	22 910	20 528	50 959	16 259	2 957	569
100 to 499 acres.....farms...	5 331	7 621	11 183	70 554	55 817	12 155	1 918
500 acres or more.....farms...	—	—	—	—	4 944	8 446	3 874

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

[Excludes abnormal forms; see text]

All Farms

CROPS HARVESTED — Con.

Dry field and seed beans		farms.	15 186	60	1 004	425	1 256	1 200
		acres.	1 314 203	223	16 722	10 658	36 682	44 555
Irrigated		100-lb bags.	17 557 520	3 499	210 914	134 329	507 074	593 497
		farms.	7 094	31	417	155	507	459
		acres.	580 352	139	8 092	4 090	14 108	16 725
Cotton		farms.	53 717	511	3 739	1 627	2 473	2 757
		acres.	12 712 676	2 331	59 675	44 256	88 281	125 417
		bales.	10 685 152	2 343	50 375	35 211	70 706	97 322
Irrigated		farms.	16 977	154	1 053	422	590	548
		acres.	4 677 013	785	19 364	14 464	27 739	30 485
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres			8 617	511	2 988	832	1 011	839
25 to 99 acres			15 913		751	795	1 462	1 668
100 to 499 acres			22 497					250
500 acres or more			6 690					
Tobacco		farms.	202 969	27 936	49 799	20 644	23 162	23 365
		acres.	1 004 232	57 428	141 958	65 836	84 795	103 712
		pounds.	1 987 436 152	106 424 436	259 039 867	124 783 024	163 939 935	206 232 902
Irrigated		farms.	12 189	1 154	2 091	899	1 166	1 297
		acres.	131 594	3 356	10 670	5 897	8 737	12 086
Farms by acres harvested:								
0.1 to 5.0 acres			156 032	26 123	42 386	17 040	18 625	18 163
5.1 to 25.0 acres			40 757	1 813	7 210	3 491	4 334	4 776
25.1 acres or more			6 180	-	203	113	203	426
Irish potatoes		farms.	28 384	927	5 514	2 103	2 957	3 091
		acres.	1 392 167	881	13 923	10 167	16 636	26 206
		hundredweight.	352 633 047	131 195	2 443 184	2 024 590	3 338 062	5 507 900
Irrigated		farms.	7 033	141	1 201	210	340	342
		acres.	872 078	122	6 369	3 110	8 213	11 749
Farms by acres harvested:								
0.1 to 0.9 acres			13 149	593	3 090	1 290	1 768	1 805
1.0 to 4.9 acres			5 254	297	1 814	462	634	619
5.0 to 24.9 acres			2 491	37	471	181	331	319
25.0 to 99.9 acres			3 554	-	139	170	224	285
100.0 acres or more			3 936	-	-	-	-	63
Peanuts for nuts		farms.	27 815	353	2 889	1 489	2 010	2 484
		acres.	1 432 164	760	18 849	16 825	26 025	45 505
		pounds.	3 611 417 637	1 515 035	40 885 305	34 759 309	60 313 476	105 315 441
Irrigated		farms.	4 699	49	126	72	146	195
		acres.	334 271	67	1 250	1 675	3 058	4 604
Sugar beets for sugar		farms.	10 912	24	287	149	410	496
		acres.	1 247 610	115	3 628	3 647	10 037	16 054
		tons.	25 221 200	2 398	70 769	73 661	204 029	320 321
Irrigated		farms.	6 769	21	147	83	265	320
		acres.	731 431	103	2 243	2 209	7 157	11 192

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

[Excludes abnormal farms; see text]

All Farms		140 to 179 acres	180 to 219 acres	220 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 to 1,999 acres	2,000 acres or more
CROPS HARVESTED—Con.								
Dry field and seed beans	forms.....	1 550	1 100	1 189	3 365	2 310	1 157	570
	acres.....	72 664	63 188	79 087	288 899	310 315	231 433	159 777
	100-lb bags.....	1 040 095	871 369	1 131 513	4 030 494	4 097 161	2 787 259	2 150 316
Irrigated	forms.....	849	496	596	1 614	1 051	536	383
	acres.....	39 115	28 149	35 845	126 193	127 672	89 045	91 179
Cotton	forms.....	3 336	2 121	1 962	10 403	12 269	8 396	4 123
	acres.....	212 470	158 224	169 929	1 421 856	3 046 051	3 628 036	3 756 150
	bales.....	159 626	126 712	135 731	1 083 272	2 309 254	2 889 728	3 724 872
Irrigated	forms.....	999	539	484	3 397	4 306	2 923	1 562
	acres.....	74 216	50 136	51 696	516 487	1 074 540	1 184 602	1 632 499
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres		618	321	261	736	357	117	26
25 to 99 acres		2 035	1 220	971	3 605	2 306	843	257
100 to 499 acres		683	580	730	6 062	8 349	4 415	1 428
500 acres or more		—	—	—	—	1 257	3 021	2 412
Tobacco	forms.....	15 077	10 534	6 965	17 067	6 419	1 590	411
	acres.....	82 161	65 457	51 516	172 619	109 901	46 316	22 535
	pounds.....	164 787 137	132 119 996	104 243 085	353 769 925	229 245 964	97 815 744	45 034 137
Irrigated	forms.....	1 062	752	596	1 935	912	249	76
	acres.....	10 919	8 697	7 733	30 918	20 822	7 785	3 976
Farms by acres harvested:								
0.1 to 5.0 acres		10 919	7 245	4 346	8 687	2 131	323	44
5.1 to 25.0 acres		3 729	2 858	2 249	6 628	2 870	674	125
25.1 acres or more		429	431	370	1 752	1 418	593	242
Irish potatoes	forms.....	2 310	1 655	1 259	4 034	2 494	1 335	705
	acres.....	38 567	36 995	36 377	213 993	301 053	327 604	369 767
	hundredweight.....	8 792 221	8 062 674	8 749 959	50 492 966	73 093 563	81 960 468	108 036 265
Irrigated	forms.....	435	344	344	1 337	1 140	717	482
	acres.....	20 701	18 440	22 441	126 060	180 177	197 256	277 441
Farms by acres harvested:								
0.1 to 0.9 acres		1 201	783	553	1 361	496	150	59
1.0 to 4.9 acres		344	221	179	431	148	70	35
5.0 to 24.9 acres		246	196	128	357	153	51	21
25.0 to 99.9 acres		420	343	274	972	505	154	68
100.0 acres or more		99	112	125	913	1 192	910	522
Peanuts for nuts	forms.....	2 258	1 855	1 565	5 527	4 416	2 108	861
	acres.....	57 678	55 901	56 459	278 672	392 977	289 536	192 977
	pounds.....	134 535 497	126 421 280	134 166 416	674 955 068	987 931 546	776 635 103	533 984 161
Irrigated	forms.....	292	259	254	1 087	1 242	666	311
	acres.....	8 866	8 381	10 041	54 788	99 004	81 168	61 369
Sugar beets for sugar	forms.....	873	647	751	2 573	2 341	1 482	879
	acres.....	33 544	28 795	39 423	200 736	306 102	309 065	296 464
	tons.....	674 315	570 519	800 530	4 010 245	6 075 941	6 210 480	6 207 992
Irrigated	forms.....	655	455	496	1 681	1 233	786	627
	acres.....	26 068	21 725	28 388	135 465	151 016	150 343	195 522
Hay crops (see text)	forms.....	117 628	82 183	69 905	220 063	128 174	56 942	36 466
	acres.....	3 897 683	3 325 400	3 192 508	12 892 476	10 805 489	7 605 238	10 965 174
	tons, dry.....	8 509 123	7 407 652	7 382 885	30 160 671	24 641 385	16 094 302	21 409 788
Irrigated	forms.....	6 527	4 273	3 887	14 314	12 090	8 862	11 907
	acres.....	322 227	233 764	233 101	1 132 106	1 351 799	1 304 773	3 646 608
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres		54 305	31 303	23 936	62 827	26 412	6 946	2 066
25 to 99 acres		59 152	45 156	38 988	116 780	62 520	22 577	8 814
100 to 499 acres		4 171	5 724	6 981	40 439	38 450	25 797	19 778
500 acres or more		—	—	—	17	792	1 622	5 808
Alfalfa hay	forms.....	57 289	40 573	38 058	126 632	74 448	33 998	22 360
	acres.....	1 653 926	1 397 267	1 410 543	5 764 292	4 755 223	3 471 302	4 706 126
	tons, dry.....	4 849 788	4 176 005	4 308 667	17 667 255	14 289 104	9 601 935	12 507 904
Irrigated	forms.....	5 249	3 390	3 245	11 804	9 830	7 151	9 305
	acres.....	242 536	166 011	178 428	875 363	1 010 790	916 062	1 999 702
All vegetables harvested for sale (see text)	forms.....	5 163	3 576	2 879	9 165	5 316	2 145	1 225
	acres.....	138 501	116 253	115 995	531 423	610 695	577 028	955 397
Irrigated	forms.....	1 328	900	746	2 843	2 147	1 129	875
	acres.....	59 609	50 384	51 291	255 923	373 101	395 718	692 821
Farms by acres harvested:								
0.1 to 4.9 acres		1 910	1 112	750	1 836	642	139	71
5.0 to 24.9 acres		1 567	1 106	799	2 281	1 063	271	122
25.0 to 99.9 acres		1 333	1 028	1 013	3 436	1 925	581	204
100.0 acres or more		353	330	317	1 612	1 686	1 154	828
Land in orchards	forms.....	6 353	4 149	2 970	8 745	4 969	2 457	1 867
	acres.....	240 964	191 339	152 310	529 466	508 679	457 896	942 159
Irrigated	forms.....	1 956	1 287	859	2 598	1 668	921	889
	acres.....	151 511	116 008	89 420	321 980	320 931	293 026	735 407
Farms by acres in orchards:								
0.1 to 4.9 acres		2 600	1 498	994	3 150	1 382	511	298
5.0 to 24.9 acres		1 456	1 041	785	2 317	1 369	712	439
25.0 to 99.9 acres		1 160	753	591	1 500	994	502	405
100.0 acres or more		1 137	857	600	1 778	1 224	732	725

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