

Table 5. Tenure and Characteristics of Operator and Type of Organization: 1982, 1978, and 1974—Con.

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Characteristics	All farms			Farms operated by Black and other races ¹		
	1982	1978	1974	1982	1978	1974
Operator characteristics—Con.						
Operators by years on present farm:						
2 years or less	41	(NA)	(NA)	1	(NA)	(NA)
3 or 4 years	97	(NA)	(NA)	2	(NA)	(NA)
5 to 9 years	138	(NA)	(NA)	-	(NA)	(NA)
10 years or more	176	(NA)	(NA)	1	(NA)	(NA)
Average years on present farm	11.2	(NA)	(NA)	7.3	(NA)	(NA)
Not reported	118	(NA)	(NA)	2	(NA)	(NA)
Operators by age group²:						
Under 25 years	6	8	2	-	-	-
25 to 34 years	94	59	22	1	-	1
35 to 44 years	177	94	70	1	2	-
45 to 54 years	154	118	108	3	-	-
55 to 64 years	109	74	48	1	1	-
65 years and over	30	30	23	-	-	-
Average age	45.8	46.8	48.6	45.0	45.7	34.0
Operators by sex:						
Male	499	355	(NA)	6	3	(NA)
farms	1 184 786	1 127 624	(NA)	128 776	128 714	(NA)
acres						
Female	71	28	(NA)	-	-	(NA)
farms	139 167	158 839	(NA)	-	-	(NA)
acres						
Operators of Spanish origin						
farms	5	2	(NA)	2	-	(NA)
acres	5 792	(D)	(NA)	(D)	-	(NA)
Type of organization:						
Individual or family	489	327	(NA)	5	2	(NA)
farms	909 619	892 576	(NA)	(D)	(D)	(NA)
acres						
Partnership	42	29	(NA)	-	-	(NA)
farms	127 573	105 501	(NA)	-	-	(NA)
acres						
Corporation	29	15	(NA)	1	1	(NA)
farms	244 890	239 703	(NA)	(D)	(D)	(NA)
acres						
Family held:						
More than 10 stockholders	-	2	(NA)	-	1	(NA)
farms	-	(D)	(NA)	-	(D)	(NA)
acres						
10 or less stockholders	19	9	(NA)	-	-	(NA)
farms	114 795	(D)	(NA)	-	-	(NA)
acres						
Other than family held:						
More than 10 stockholders	3	1	(NA)	1	-	(NA)
farms	128 691	(D)	(NA)	(D)	-	(NA)
acres						
10 or less stockholders	7	3	(NA)	-	-	(NA)
farms	1 404	(D)	(NA)	-	-	(NA)
acres						
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc.						
farms	10	12	(NA)	-	-	(NA)
acres	41 871	48 683	(NA)	-	-	(NA)

¹For classification of social and ethnic groups, see text.

²1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorship) and partnerships; see text.

Table 6. Selected Characteristics of Farms Operated by Females, Persons of Spanish Origin, and Specified Racial Groups: 1982 and 1978

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Characteristics	Female	Spanish origin	Black and other races				
			Total	Black	American Indian	Asian	Other (see text)
FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS							
Farms	71	5	6	-	4	-	2
number, 1982							
1978	28	2	3	-	3	-	-
Land in farms	139 167	5 792	128 776	-	(D)	-	(D)
acres, 1982							
1978	158 839	(D)	128 714	-	128 714	-	-
Harvested cropland	35	4	2	-	1	-	1
farms, 1982							
1978	18	1	2	-	2	-	-
acres, 1982	694	(D)	(D)	-	(D)	-	(D)
1978	250	(D)	(D)	-	(D)	-	-
1982 FARMS BY SIZE							
1 to 9 acres	24	1	2	-	1	-	1
10 to 49 acres	19	1	1	-	1	-	-
50 to 139 acres	16	-	1	-	1	-	-
140 to 219 acres	6	1	1	-	-	-	1
220 to 499 acres	1	1	-	-	-	-	-
500 acres or more	5	1	1	-	1	-	-
TENURE OF OPERATOR							
Full owners	53	2	4	-	2	-	2
farms, 1982	(NA)	1	1	-	1	-	-
1978	3 354	(D)	(D)	-	(D)	-	(D)
acres, 1982							
1978	(NA)	(D)	(D)	-	(D)	-	-
Part owners	15	2	1	-	1	-	-
farms, 1982	(NA)	-	2	-	2	-	-
1978	135 789	(D)	(D)	-	(D)	-	-
acres, 1982							
1978	(NA)	-	(D)	-	(D)	-	-
Tenants	3	1	1	-	1	-	-
farms, 1982	(NA)	1	-	-	-	-	-
1978	24	(D)	(D)	-	(D)	-	-
acres, 1982							
1978	(NA)	(D)	-	-	-	-	-

Table 6. Selected Characteristics of Farms Operated by Females, Persons of Spanish Origin, and Specified Racial Groups: 1982 and 1978—Con.

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Characteristics	Female	Spanish origin	Black and other races				
			Total	Black	American Indian	Asian	Other (see text)
1982 FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION							
Individual or family	63	5	5	-	3	-	2
Partnership	6	-	-	-	-	-	-
Family held corporation	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other than family held corporation	1	-	1	-	1	-	-
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc.	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
1982 MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD							
Total sales (see text)	farms... 71	5	6	-	4	-	2
..... \$1,000... 543	16	(D)	(D)	-	(D)	-	(D)
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse products	farms... 28	2	2	-	1	-	1
..... \$1,000... 235	(D)	(D)	(D)	-	(D)	-	(D)
Livestock, poultry, and their products	farms... 44	4	4	-	3	-	1
..... \$1,000... 307	(D)	(D)	(D)	-	132	-	(D)
Farms by value of sales:							
Less than \$2,500	39	3	4	-	2	-	2
\$2,500 to \$9,999	23	2	1	-	1	-	-
\$10,000 to \$19,999	5	-	-	-	-	-	-
\$20,000 or more	4	-	1	-	1	-	-
Abnormal farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1982 FARMS BY STANDARD INDUSTRIAL CLASSIFICATION							
Cash grains (011)	-	1	1	-	-	-	1
Field crops, except cash grains (013)	13	-	1	-	1	-	-
Cotton (0131)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tobacco (0132)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sugar crops, Irish potatoes, hay, peanuts, and other field crops (0133, 0134, 0139)	13	-	1	-	1	-	-
Vegetables and melons (016)	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fruits and tree nuts (017)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Horticultural specialties (018)	10	-	-	-	-	-	-
General farms, primarily crop (019)	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Livestock, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialties (021)	20	2	2	-	2	-	-
Beef cattle, except feedlots (0212)	6	2	1	-	1	-	-
Dairy farms (024)	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Poultry and eggs (025)	5	-	1	-	1	-	-
Animal specialties (027)	15	1	1	-	-	-	1
General farms, primarily livestock (029)	2	1	-	-	-	-	-
1982 OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS							
Operators by place of residence:							
On farm operated	58	5	4	-	2	-	2
Not on farm operated	8	-	-	-	-	-	-
Not reported	5	-	2	-	2	-	-
Operators by principal occupation:							
Farming	28	2	2	-	-	-	2
Other	43	3	4	-	4	-	-
Operators by days of work off farm:							
None	24	1	1	-	-	-	1
Any	43	4	5	-	4	-	1
1 to 99 days	14	-	-	-	-	-	-
100 to 199 days	8	-	2	-	2	-	-
200 days or more	21	4	3	-	2	-	1
Not reported	4	-	-	-	-	-	-
Operators by years on present farm:							
2 years or less	12	-	1	-	1	-	-
3 or 4 years	16	1	2	-	1	-	1
5 to 9 years	20	2	-	-	-	-	-
10 years or more	16	2	1	-	1	-	1
Average years on present farm	7.8	12.8	7.3	-	2.0	-	12.5
Not reported	7	-	2	-	2	-	-
Operators by age group:							
Under 25 years	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
25 to 34 years	21	1	1	-	-	-	1
35 to 44 years	24	2	1	-	1	-	-
45 to 54 years	14	2	3	-	2	-	1
55 to 64 years	8	-	1	-	1	-	-
65 years and over	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Average age	41.5	40.6	45.0	-	47.8	-	39.5
Operators by sex:							
Male	(X)	5	6	-	4	-	2
Female	71	-	-	-	-	-	-
Operators of Spanish origin	-	5	2	-	-	-	2
1982 COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS AND DIRECT SALES							
Amount received from Commodity Credit Corporation loans	farms... -	-	-	-	-	-	-
..... \$1,000... -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text)	farms... 16	3	2	-	1	-	1
..... \$1,000... 27	7	(D)	(D)	-	(D)	-	(D)