

Table 4. Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use, by Size of Farm: 1982 and 1978

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

All farms	Farms		Land in farms (acres)		Harvested cropland (acres)		Irrigated land (acres)	
	1982	1978	1982	1978	1982	1978	1982	1978
Farms ----- number..	50 525	51 751	14 682 960	15 074 799	7 484 316	7 572 049	2 022 695	1 683 413
with harvested cropland..	34 725	37 245	12 909 710	13 272 723	7 484 316	7 572 049	2 022 150	1 681 224
with irrigated land..	6 678	6 302	5 716 681	4 928 340	4 697 627	3 971 862	2 022 695	1 683 413
Farms by size:								
1 to 9 acres ----- number..	2 069	1 890	8 413	6 964	1 459	1 640	182	291
with harvested cropland..	427	481	2 163	2 409	1 459	1 640	181	278
with irrigated land..	90	115	431	523	218	304	182	291
10 to 49 acres ----- number..	10 255	9 234	304 425	282 835	74 594	82 998	4 872	4 706
with harvested cropland..	4 867	5 093	151 547	161 770	74 594	82 998	4 783	4 274
with irrigated land..	388	400	11 291	11 749	5 895	5 674	4 872	4 706
50 to 69 acres ----- number..	3 651	3 557	212 798	207 993	51 338	55 027	3 539	2 369
with harvested cropland..	2 189	2 248	127 962	132 039	51 338	55 027	3 504	2 268
with irrigated land..	150	135	8 705	8 020	5 371	3 654	3 539	2 369
70 to 99 acres ----- number..	5 789	6 141	474 391	502 888	111 699	120 547	8 925	7 316
with harvested cropland..	3 808	4 114	312 179	337 487	111 699	120 547	8 705	7 103
with irrigated land..	260	234	21 095	19 380	12 397	9 810	8 925	7 316
100 to 139 acres ----- number..	5 449	5 863	635 230	684 057	142 888	159 373	10 286	10 536
with harvested cropland..	3 781	4 131	440 974	482 975	142 888	159 373	10 268	10 363
with irrigated land..	221	247	25 653	28 788	17 218	17 446	10 286	10 536
140 to 179 acres ----- number..	4 133	4 503	649 653	708 997	151 465	170 745	16 379	17 078
with harvested cropland..	3 014	3 317	473 850	522 811	151 465	170 745	16 209	16 792
with irrigated land..	263	286	41 328	44 776	29 224	29 595	16 379	17 078
180 to 219 acres ----- number..	2 889	3 131	570 282	617 533	142 607	162 596	14 811	16 485
with harvested cropland..	2 229	2 427	440 386	478 714	142 607	162 596	14 799	16 245
with irrigated land..	186	218	36 809	43 075	25 879	31 025	14 811	16 485
220 to 259 acres ----- number..	2 171	2 448	516 114	579 440	147 067	167 800	20 701	20 173
with harvested cropland..	1 724	2 005	409 869	474 876	147 067	167 800	20 701	20 143
with irrigated land..	203	221	48 829	52 704	36 855	38 724	20 701	20 173
260 to 499 acres ----- number..	6 562	7 151	2 336 106	2 539 663	851 823	963 257	193 349	181 212
with harvested cropland..	5 604	6 077	2 005 080	2 170 147	851 823	963 257	193 349	180 691
with irrigated land..	1 206	1 158	452 352	433 728	372 209	359 173	193 349	181 212
500 to 999 acres ----- number..	4 519	4 815	3 117 455	3 289 321	1 754 342	1 857 194	555 502	489 080
with harvested cropland..	4 158	4 446	2 883 876	3 043 972	1 754 342	1 857 194	555 502	489 080
with irrigated land..	1 832	1 695	1 312 163	1 196 666	1 118 212	1 011 109	555 502	489 080
1,000 to 1,999 acres ----- number..	2 154	2 182	2 908 729	2 934 727	2 014 545	2 002 791	661 183	553 144
with harvested cropland..	2 066	2 093	2 795 104	2 820 021	2 014 545	2 002 791	661 183	552 964
with irrigated land..	1 295	1 111	1 777 653	1 506 959	1 508 068	1 247 621	661 183	553 144
2,000 acres or more ----- number..	884	836	2 949 364	2 720 381	2 040 489	1 828 081	532 966	381 023
with harvested cropland..	858	813	2 866 720	2 645 502	2 040 489	1 828 081	532 966	381 023
with irrigated land..	584	482	1 980 372	1 581 972	1 568 081	1 217 727	532 966	381 023
5,000 acres or more ----- number..	100	89	764 587	646 075	457 394	384 742	111 125	74 799
with harvested cropland..	97	86	745 834	626 888	457 394	384 742	111 125	74 799
with irrigated land..	70	52	549 823	386 037	391 867	281 312	111 125	74 799

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

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Characteristics	All farms			Farms operated by Black and other races ¹		
	1982	1978	1974	1982	1978	1974
Tenure of operator:						
All operators ----- farms..	50 525	51 751	50 959	1 368	1 688	1 822
acres..	14 682 960	15 074 799	14 641 677	186 730	217 505	205 164
Harvested cropland ----- farms..	34 725	37 245	35 362	1 022	1 362	1 556
acres..	7 484 316	7 572 049	6 639 182	116 780	117 610	111 647
Full owners ----- farms..	32 672	32 946	34 336	752	894	1 058
acres..	5 853 748	5 800 256	6 502 290	66 292	79 733	72 194
Harvested cropland ----- farms..	19 676	20 853	21 101	461	616	823
acres..	1 633 397	1 402 592	1 513 735	23 637	19 404	23 235
Part owners ----- farms..	12 699	13 013	11 187	393	453	495
acres..	6 657 997	6 860 176	5 908 036	92 657	95 010	97 507
Harvested cropland ----- farms..	10 735	11 389	9 695	357	425	476
acres..	4 134 486	4 241 404	3 470 384	70 176	66 594	63 102
Tenants ----- farms..	5 154	5 792	5 436	223	341	269
acres..	2 171 215	2 414 367	2 231 351	27 781	42 762	35 463
Harvested cropland ----- farms..	4 314	5 003	4 566	204	321	257
acres..	1 716 433	1 928 053	1 655 063	22 967	31 612	25 310
Percent of tenancy ----- percent..	10.2	11.2	10.7	16.3	20.2	14.8
Operator characteristics:						
Operators by place of residence ² :						
On farm operated -----	34 526	34 665	31 148	720	858	969
Not on farm operated -----	9 818	10 192	8 406	370	439	372
Not reported -----	6 181	6 894	11 405	278	391	481
Operators by principal occupation ² :						
Farming -----	25 701	25 810	28 720	729	914	1 248
Other -----	24 824	25 941	21 549	639	774	574
Operators by days of work off farm ² :						
None -----	18 816	20 922	17 219	495	706	641
Any -----	26 948	28 580	23 418	681	849	725
1 to 49 days -----	2 462	3 012	2 241	81	110	116
50 to 99 days -----	1 479	1 618	1 478	54	93	94
100 to 149 days -----	1 747	1 917	1 586	49	70	69
150 to 199 days -----	2 805	2 747	2 420	84	110	96
200 days or more -----	18 455	19 286	15 693	413	466	350
Not reported -----	4 761	2 249	9 632	192	133	456

See footnotes at end of table.