

Table 1. Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1982 and Earlier Census Years

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

All farms	1982	1978	1974	1969	1964	1959	1954	1950
FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS								
Farms ----- number..	4 595	4 310	3 020	3 896	4 864	6 242	(NA)	5 750
Land in farms ----- acres..	1 957 501	1 988 282	2 118 976	2 058 087	2 354 454	2 461 454	(NA)	2 432 069
Average size of farm ----- acres..	426	461	702	528	484	394	(NA)	423
Approximate land area ----- acres..	4 112 147	4 112 640	4 111 872	4 111 872	4 105 600	4 105 600	(NA)	4 099 840
Proportion in farms ----- percent..	47.6	48.3	51.5	50.1	57.3	60.0	(NA)	59.3
Value of land and buildings ¹ :								
Average per farm ----- dollars..	778 471	413 948	340 570	156 800	98 936	(NA)	(NA)	33 961
Average per acre ----- dollars..	1 826	897	485	297	205	(NA)	(NA)	80
Farms by value of land and buildings:								
\$1 to \$9,999 -----	296	185	379	911	1 383	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
\$10,000 to \$19,999 -----	274	239	359	663	891	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
\$20,000 to \$39,999 -----	534	535	544	806	1 040	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
\$40,000 to \$69,999 -----	505	768	513	626	752	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
\$70,000 to \$99,999 -----	405	520	275	291	256	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
\$100,000 to \$149,999 -----	580	656	266	223	242	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
\$150,000 to \$199,999 -----	433	371	164	89	80	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
\$200,000 to \$499,999 -----	996	663	323	160	137	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
\$500,000 to \$999,999 -----	300	191	197	127	83	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
\$1,000,000 or more -----	269	182				(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE								
Total cropland ----- farms..	3 836	3 565	2 485	3 089	3 631	4 908	(NA)	(NA)
Harvested cropland ----- farms..	346 113	333 262	351 627	379 766	370 896	499 504	(NA)	464 771
Farms by acres harvested:	3 538	3 299	2 265	2 750	3 422	4 113	(NA)	3 522
1 to 49 acres -----	155 960	158 639	151 433	178 657	167 497	176 410	(NA)	159 497
1 to 9 acres -----	3 457	3 204	2 181	2 656	3 325	4 029	(NA)	(NA)
10 to 19 acres -----	2 968	2 680	1 758	2 055	2 751	3 260	(NA)	(NA)
20 to 29 acres -----	324	330	273	387	400	532	(NA)	(NA)
30 to 49 acres -----	109	108	86	125	124	148	(NA)	(NA)
50 to 99 acres -----	56	86	64	89	50	89	(NA)	(NA)
100 to 199 acres -----	30	44	36	31	45	27	(NA)	(NA)
200 to 499 acres -----	17	14	15	15	12	10	(NA)	(NA)
500 to 999 acres -----	8	12	7	8	5	7	(NA)	(NA)
1,000 acres or more -----	3	2	2	8	3	2	(NA)	(NA)
1,000 to 1,999 acres -----	23	23	24	32	32	38	(NA)	(NA)
2,000 acres or more -----	1	2	1	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
2,000 acres or more -----	22	21	23	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing ----- farms..	400	272	207	284	315	720	(NA)	581
Other cropland ----- farms..	33 557	27 191	37 372	36 466	52 185	167 339	(NA)	153 512
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured ----- farms..	855	1 089	626	837	1 160	1 623	(NA)	(NA)
Cropland on which all crops failed ----- farms..	156 596	147 432	162 822	164 643	151 214	155 755	(NA)	151 762
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow ----- farms..	48	58	(NA)	(NA)	116	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Cropland on which all crops failed ----- acres..	(D)	665	(NA)	(NA)	3 150	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow ----- acres..	38	34	(NA)	(NA)	87	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow ----- farms..	321	129	(NA)	(NA)	231	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Cropland idle ----- farms..	21	35	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Cropland idle ----- acres..	(D)	1 316	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Cropland idle ----- farms..	801	1 024	(NA)	(NA)	1 027	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Cropland idle ----- acres..	155 216	145 322	(NA)	(NA)	147 833	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Total woodland ----- farms..	148	146	78	148	188	569	(NA)	(NA)
Woodland pastured ----- farms..	117 270	145 802	201 140	167 466	216 771	409 718	(NA)	703 270
Woodland not pastured ----- farms..	67	57	(NA)	(NA)	85	287	(NA)	349
Woodland not pastured ----- acres..	36 550	40 242	(NA)	(NA)	30 755	115 237	(NA)	411 509
Woodland not pastured ----- farms..	105	107	(NA)	(NA)	121	309	(NA)	626
Woodland not pastured ----- acres..	80 720	105 560	(NA)	(NA)	186 016	294 481	(NA)	291 761
Other land ----- farms..	2 495	2 146	1 582	1 899	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured ----- farms..	1 494 118	1 509 218	1 566 209	1 510 855	1 766 787	1 552 232	(NA)	1 264 028
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. ----- farms..	743	611	(NA)	(NA)	1 102	1 145	(NA)	559
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. ----- acres..	1 132 849	1 143 095	(NA)	(NA)	1 202 873	917 389	(NA)	796 425
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. ----- farms..	2 227	1 859	(NA)	(NA)	2 975	(NA)	(NA)	3 293
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. ----- acres..	361 269	366 123	(NA)	(NA)	563 914	634 843	(NA)	467 603
Irrigated land ----- farms..	1 544	1 493	889	735	1 070	1 251	(NA)	1 158
Irrigated land ----- acres..	145 982	159 323	141 742	145 564	143 940	141 179	(NA)	117 418

¹Data for 1982, 1978, and 1950 through 1964 are based on a sample of farms.