

Table 46. Summary by Age and Principal Occupation of Operator: 1982

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Item	Total farming and other occupations	Farming						
		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS								
Farms.....number.....	42 393	18 222	356	2 025	2 744	3 376	4 530	5 191
Land in farms.....percent.....	100.0	43.0	.8	4.8	6.5	8.0	10.7	12.2
Land in farms.....acres.....	12 369 613	8 719 276	107 956	1 090 528	1 816 519	2 051 934	2 214 902	1 437 431
Average size of farm.....acres.....	292	479	303	539	662	608	489	271
Value of land and buildings ¹farms.....	42 345	18 254	401	1 788	2 643	3 442	4 548	5 432
Average per farm.....\$1,000.....	10 890 452	7 840 827	100 587	969 047	1 688 913	1 862 961	1 981 775	1 237 544
Average per acre.....dollars.....	257 184	429 540	250 840	541 973	639 014	541 244	435 746	227 825
Average per acre.....dollars.....	895	908	849	945	967	909	906	829
Farms by value of land and buildings:								
\$1 to \$39,999.....	8 838	2 550	34	135	269	431	578	1 108
\$40,000 to \$69,999.....	7 847	2 396	51	133	216	317	572	1 101
\$70,000 to \$99,999.....	5 815	1 995	58	129	172	297	489	855
\$100,000 to \$149,999.....	5 376	2 139	74	184	244	378	623	636
\$150,000 to \$199,999.....	3 470	1 663	18	155	234	355	402	499
\$200,000 to \$499,999.....	6 523	3 772	103	462	697	773	998	739
\$500,000 to \$999,999.....	2 262	1 776	48	329	333	395	399	271
\$1,000,000 to \$1,999,999.....	1 376	1 195	11	185	293	289	285	192
\$2,000,000 or more.....	838	768	4	76	185	207	202	94
Owned and rented land by operator:								
Land owned.....farms.....	39 306	16 554	193	1 519	2 440	3 111	4 290	5 001
Land owned.....acres.....	8 385 641	5 330 686	32 977	465 687	921 956	1 186 007	1 476 642	1 247 417
Land rented or leased from others.....farms.....	14 630	8 269	280	1 459	1 699	1 786	1 866	1 179
Land rented or leased from others.....acres.....	4 694 585	3 818 749	77 272	663 897	960 156	932 469	848 809	336 146
Rented or leased land in farms.....farms.....	14 524	8 216	278	1 452	1 691	1 775	1 852	1 168
Rented or leased land in farms.....acres.....	4 615 322	3 769 739	76 638	656 381	948 257	922 037	838 353	328 071
Land rented or leased to others.....farms.....	5 051	2 214	23	148	260	327	559	607
Land rented or leased to others.....acres.....	710 613	430 159	2 293	39 056	65 593	66 542	110 549	146 126
LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE								
Total cropland.....farms.....	37 454	16 776	334	1 901	2 549	3 137	4 185	4 670
Total cropland.....acres.....	7 731 816	6 100 260	89 788	856 944	1 364 526	1 491 942	1 515 195	781 865
Harvested cropland.....farms.....	31 100	15 009	322	1 781	2 348	2 864	3 765	3 829
Harvested cropland.....acres.....	5 791 266	4 986 834	78 193	745 282	1 166 068	1 252 651	1 230 657	513 863
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 49 acres.....	19 144	6 391	67	345	592	979	1 725	2 683
50 to 99 acres.....	3 479	1 788	52	179	230	372	426	528
100 to 199 acres.....	2 556	1 610	71	257	296	332	404	230
200 to 499 acres.....	2 701	2 201	87	496	474	421	516	207
500 to 999 acres.....	1 739	1 596	35	305	422	374	339	121
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	1 044	1 004	9	161	232	255	249	98
2,000 acres or more.....	437	419	1	38	102	131	106	41
Cropland:								
Pasture or grazing only.....farms.....	19 298	7 561	85	605	953	1 367	1 982	2 569
Pasture or grazing only.....acres.....	1 438 659	733 434	8 247	64 193	114 647	147 506	191 451	207 399
In cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured.....farms.....	1 281	620	10	73	100	116	154	167
In cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured.....acres.....	53 516	33 710	362	3 195	8 121	6 811	8 794	6 427
On which all crops failed.....farms.....	1 216	672	8	104	116	128	163	153
On which all crops failed.....acres.....	83 532	65 295	523	10 318	18 001	17 916	10 700	7 837
In cultivated summer fallow.....farms.....	1 638	1 155	7	149	189	243	330	237
In cultivated summer fallow.....acres.....	111 246	98 533	337	11 385	20 698	21 267	29 226	15 620
Idle.....farms.....	5 210	2 747	53	315	460	527	686	706
Idle.....acres.....	253 597	182 454	2 126	22 571	36 991	45 791	44 367	30 608
Total woodland.....farms.....	26 183	10 781	110	874	1 421	1 972	2 844	3 560
Total woodland.....acres.....	2 954 446	1 562 566	12 544	130 330	269 351	322 725	413 903	413 713
Woodland pastured.....farms.....	17 200	6 803	58	448	802	1 196	1 830	2 489
Woodland pastured.....acres.....	1 258 046	625 777	2 993	39 016	100 728	119 605	169 853	193 682
Woodland not pastured.....farms.....	14 985	6 560	70	574	904	1 250	1 725	2 037
Woodland not pastured.....acres.....	1 696 400	936 789	9 551	91 314	168 623	203 220	244 050	220 031
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured.....farms.....	9 596	3 987	43	317	528	784	1 074	1 241
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured.....acres.....	1 115 061	679 195	3 550	58 950	112 930	157 148	172 338	174 279
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc.....farms.....	27 409	12 007	159	1 159	1 726	2 258	3 136	3 589
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc.....acres.....	568 290	377 255	2 074	44 304	69 712	80 119	113 466	67 580
Pastureland, all types.....farms.....	30 510	11 922	132	948	1 540	2 155	3 143	4 004
Pastureland, all types.....acres.....	3 811 786	2 038 406	14 790	162 159	328 305	424 159	533 642	575 351
Irrigated land.....farms.....	1 452	1 150	18	201	266	265	284	116
Irrigated land.....acres.....	430 033	408 271	3 747	56 661	96 775	102 482	119 307	29 289
Harvested cropland irrigated.....farms.....	1 428	1 141	(D)	201	265	262	284	112
Harvested cropland irrigated.....acres.....	428 633	407 364	(D)	(D)	96 508	102 204	(D)	29 201
Pasture and other land irrigated.....farms.....	50	27	1	7	5	7	1	6
Pasture and other land irrigated.....acres.....	1 400	907	(D)	(D)	267	278	(D)	98
Land set aside in federal farm programs in 1982.....farms.....	2 521	2 069	40	306	400	424	554	345
Land set aside in federal farm programs in 1982.....acres.....	130 954	123 091	1 216	14 579	28 954	30 252	33 418	14 672
TENURE AND RACE OF OPERATOR								
All operators.....	42 393	18 222	356	2 025	2 744	3 376	4 530	5 191
Full owners.....	27 815	9 974	76	568	1 049	1 596	2 687	4 018
Part owners.....	11 367	6 511	113	937	1 374	1 508	1 608	971
Tenants.....	3 211	1 737	167	520	321	272	255	202
White.....	37 584	16 265	339	1 920	2 573	3 109	4 070	4 254
Full owners.....	24 266	8 648	70	525	960	1 457	2 369	3 267
Part owners.....	10 424	6 030	108	906	1 310	1 412	1 473	821
Tenants.....	2 874	1 587	161	489	303	240	228	166
Black and other races.....	4 829	1 957	17	105	171	267	460	937
Full owners.....	3 549	1 326	6	43	89	139	298	751
Part owners.....	943	481	5	31	64	96	135	150
Tenants.....	337	150	6	31	18	32	27	36

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FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS							
Farms.....number.....	24 171	280	2 550	5 193	6 066	5 990	4 092
.....percent.....	57.0	.7	6.0	12.2	14.3	14.1	9.7
Land in farms.....acres.....	3 650 337	27 863	306 910	735 902	952 913	989 714	637 035
Average size of farm.....acres.....	151	100	120	142	157	165	156
Value of land and buildings ¹farms.....	24 091	221	2 539	5 094	6 046	6 022	4 169
.....\$1,000.....	3 049 625	18 381	272 447	631 921	858 819	790 054	478 003
Average per farm.....dollars.....	126 588	83 172	107 305	124 052	142 047	131 195	114 657
Average per acre.....dollars.....	864	994	895	951	871	819	809
Farms by value of land and buildings:							
\$1 to \$39,999.....	6 288	74	900	1 411	1 271	1 416	1 216
\$40,000 to \$69,999.....	5 451	41	527	1 069	1 448	1 337	1 029
\$70,000 to \$99,999.....	3 820	27	272	860	928	1 004	729
\$100,000 to \$149,999.....	3 237	49	358	528	944	867	491
\$150,000 to \$199,999.....	1 807	13	167	421	485	513	208
\$200,000 to \$499,999.....	2 751	17	254	645	753	720	362
\$500,000 to \$999,999.....	486	-	47	104	129	108	98
\$1,000,000 to \$1,999,999.....	181	-	8	40	70	38	25
\$2,000,000 or more.....	70	-	6	16	18	19	11
Owned and rented land by operator:							
Land owned.....farms.....	22 752	170	2 123	4 831	5 813	5 812	4 003
.....acres.....	3 054 955	14 472	176 493	545 583	789 870	888 812	639 725
Land rented or leased from others.....farms.....	6 361	166	179	1 757	1 582	1 176	491
.....acres.....	875 836	15 378	144 199	234 672	239 693	180 698	61 196
Rented or leased land in farms.....farms.....	6 308	166	176	1 745	1 577	1 163	481
.....acres.....	845 583	15 252	140 802	229 755	223 845	176 563	59 366
Land rented or leased to others.....farms.....	2 837	24	190	475	661	787	700
.....acres.....	280 454	1 987	13 782	44 353	76 650	79 796	63 886
LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE							
Total cropland.....farms.....	20 678	234	2 180	4 464	5 269	5 154	3 377
.....acres.....	1 631 556	16 652	167 731	359 843	444 485	405 195	237 650
Harvested cropland.....farms.....	16 091	190	1 764	3 535	4 162	4 000	2 440
.....acres.....	804 432	8 823	95 414	192 308	232 398	186 275	89 214
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 49 acres.....	12 753	152	1 299	2 672	3 226	3 305	2 099
50 to 99 acres.....	1 691	15	233	390	490	368	195
100 to 199 acres.....	946	18	137	269	259	185	78
200 to 499 acres.....	500	3	79	161	117	98	42
500 to 999 acres.....	143	2	13	36	48	28	16
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	40	-	2	5	16	8	9
2,000 acres or more.....	18	-	1	2	6	8	1
Cropland:							
Pasture or grazing only.....farms.....	11 737	110	1 122	2 475	3 032	3 026	1 972
.....acres.....	705 225	6 505	60 428	142 428	181 148	188 211	126 505
In cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured.....farms.....	661	6	67	161	157	155	115
.....acres.....	19 806	112	2 310	4 006	5 224	4 745	3 409
On which all crops failed.....farms.....	544	3	80	122	149	119	71
.....acres.....	18 237	18	2 256	4 573	5 287	4 246	1 857
In cultivated summer fallow.....farms.....	483	4	34	88	124	131	102
.....acres.....	12 713	39	788	2 649	3 478	3 089	2 670
Idle.....farms.....	2 463	31	210	491	605	647	479
.....acres.....	71 143	1 155	6 535	13 879	16 950	18 629	13 995
Total woodland.....farms.....	15 402	135	1 349	3 195	3 979	4 034	2 710
.....acres.....	1 391 880	7 409	91 213	261 185	347 913	399 366	284 794
Woodland pastured.....farms.....	10 397	86	882	2 061	2 678	2 794	1 896
.....acres.....	632 269	3 735	44 289	119 484	163 478	177 298	123 985
Woodland not pastured.....farms.....	8 425	73	714	1 138	2 211	2 241	1 448
.....acres.....	759 611	3 674	46 924	141 701	184 435	222 068	160 809
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured.....farms.....	5 609	46	499	1 168	1 455	1 482	959
.....acres.....	435 866	2 231	29 695	79 309	114 330	135 643	74 658
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc.....farms.....	15 402	159	1 528	3 245	3 841	3 913	2 716
.....acres.....	191 035	1 571	18 271	35 565	46 185	49 510	39 933
Pastureland, all types.....farms.....	18 588	163	1 760	3 859	4 775	4 775	3 256
.....acres.....	1 773 360	12 471	134 412	341 221	458 956	501 152	325 148
Irrigated land.....farms.....	302	2	27	77	78	83	35
.....acres.....	21 762	(D)	(D)	7 032	5 312	5 823	2 112
Harvested cropland irrigated.....farms.....	287	2	27	74	76	77	31
.....acres.....	21 269	(D)	(D)	6 968	(D)	5 487	2 026
Pasture and other land irrigated.....farms.....	23	-	2	7	2	8	4
.....acres.....	493	-	(D)	64	(D)	336	86
Land set aside in federal farm programs in 1982.....farms.....	452	6	51	80	122	107	86
.....acres.....	7 863	48	734	1 416	2 645	1 815	1 205
TENURE AND RACE OF OPERATOR							
All operators.....	24 171	280	2 550	5 193	6 066	5 990	4 092
Full owners.....	17 841	114	1 375	3 443	4 479	4 822	3 608
Part owners.....	4 856	54	736	1 374	1 316	985	391
Tenants.....	1 474	112	439	376	271	183	93
White.....	21 299	258	2 324	4 786	5 547	5 269	3 115
Full owners.....	15 618	100	1 252	3 179	4 104	4 249	2 734
Part owners.....	4 394	53	673	1 276	1 210	874	308
Tenants.....	1 287	105	399	331	233	146	73
Black and other races.....	2 872	22	226	407	519	721	977
Full owners.....	2 223	14	123	264	375	573	874
Part owners.....	462	1	63	98	106	111	83
Tenants.....	187	7	40	45	38	37	20

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OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS								
Operators by place of residence:								
On farm operated	27 214	12 524	191	1 205	1 824	2 316	3 225	3 763
Not on farm operated	8 613	2 993	149	572	535	510	633	584
Not reported	6 566	2 705	16	248	385	550	672	834
Operators by principal occupation:								
Farming	18 222	18 222	356	2 025	2 744	3 376	4 530	5 191
Other	24 171	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Operators by days of work off farm:								
None	14 240	10 352	158	1 027	1 434	1 799	2 682	3 282
Any	24 257	3 974	154	736	849	855	870	510
1 to 99 days	3 474	1 959	86	385	379	365	434	310
100 to 199 days	4 039	1 033	37	170	240	249	223	114
200 days or more	16 744	982	31	181	230	241	213	88
Not reported	3 896	3 896	44	262	461	722	978	1 429
Operators by years on present farm:								
2 years or less	2 111	773	105	255	162	109	99	43
3 or 4 years	3 104	1 115	97	372	231	176	167	72
5 to 9 years	5 686	2 231	71	679	565	403	330	163
10 years or more	18 760	9 009	-	296	1 115	1 725	2 683	3 190
Average years on present farm	17.5	20.2	3.3	6.0	10.7	16.6	23.7	32.3
Not reported	12 732	5 094	83	423	671	963	1 251	1 703
Operators by age group:								
Under 25 years	636	356	356	-	-	-	-	-
25 to 34 years	4 575	2 025	-	2 025	-	-	-	-
35 to 44 years	7 937	2 744	-	-	2 744	-	-	-
45 to 54 years	9 442	3 376	-	-	-	3 376	-	-
55 to 64 years	10 520	4 530	-	-	-	-	4 530	-
65 years and over	9 283	5 191	-	-	-	-	-	5 191
Average age	52.5	54.2	22.2	29.9	39.6	49.8	59.6	71.6
Operators by sex:								
Male	39 629	17 022	345	1 966	2 623	3 199	4 179	4 710
Female	2 764	1 200	11	59	121	177	351	481
Operators of Spanish origin	83	31	-	5	5	9	10	2
FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION								
Individual or family	38 255	15 708	325	1 641	2 288	2 903	3 865	4 686
Partnership	8 898 004	5 799 713	94 802	702 509	1 164 700	1 390 087	1 417 323	1 030 282
Corporation:								
Family held	3 046	1 754	30	286	310	294	457	377
More than 10 stockholders	1 974 273	1 633 033	(D)	(D)	377 643	320 523	432 316	251 101
10 or less stockholders	745	593	1	72	115	133	176	96
Other than family held	1 220 284	1 098 003	(D)	225 282	295 058	312 333	133 344	133 344
More than 10 stockholders	28	21	-	3	4	6	5	3
10 or less stockholders	717	572	1	69	111	127	171	93
Other than family held	141	86	-	13	19	27	17	10
More than 10 stockholders	156 045	105 284	-	11 028	36 696	26 525	22 334	8 701
10 or less stockholders	18	8	-	2	2	4	-	10
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc.	123	78	-	11	17	23	17	10
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc.	206	81	-	13	12	19	15	22
institutional, etc.	121 007	83 243	-	6 709	12 198	19 741	30 596	13 999
FARMS BY SIZE								
1 to 9 acres	1 627	480	12	55	81	84	91	157
10 to 49 acres	8 673	2 314	39	176	291	369	579	860
50 to 69 acres	3 727	1 082	21	93	91	185	263	429
70 to 99 acres	5 129	1 694	31	105	190	239	398	731
100 to 139 acres	4 918	1 811	42	132	207	276	482	672
140 to 179 acres	3 565	1 411	32	130	147	234	375	493
180 to 219 acres	2 313	1 017	27	108	111	182	259	330
220 to 259 acres	1 686	783	17	83	109	146	204	224
260 to 499 acres	5 030	2 959	72	441	476	556	713	701
500 to 999 acres	3 095	2 338	47	391	494	522	575	309
1,000 to 1,999 acres	1 735	1 523	13	227	368	357	376	182
2,000 acres or more	895	810	3	84	179	226	215	103
FARMS BY STANDARD INDUSTRIAL CLASSIFICATION								
Cash grains (011)	8 774	5 211	202	922	1 010	1 034	1 148	895
Field crops, except cash grains (013)	3 876	2 541	58	359	479	472	645	528
Cotton (0131)	2 692	2 185	52	322	428	415	576	392
Tobacco (0132)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sugar crops, Irish potatoes, hay, peanuts, and other field crops (0133, 0134, 0139)	1 184	356	6	37	51	57	69	136
Vegetables and melons (016)	699	230	1	14	24	50	66	75
Fruits and tree nuts (017)	380	61	-	4	6	11	18	22
Horticultural specialties (018)	214	91	1	10	17	24	20	19
General farms, primarily crop (019)	855	344	9	27	30	59	99	120
Livestock, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialties (021)	23 238	7 058	55	324	584	1 038	1 875	3 182
Beef cattle, except feedlots (0212)	20 835	6 235	51	259	495	887	1 646	2 897
Dairy farms (024)	1 136	978	18	148	215	273	237	87
Poultry and eggs (025)	1 659	1 207	11	156	283	330	301	126
Animal specialties (027)	815	275	1	50	68	51	69	38
General farms, primarily livestock (029)	747	226	-	11	28	34	52	101

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OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS							
Operators by place of residence:							
On farm operated	14 690	134	1 555	3 245	3 786	3 698	2 272
Not on farm operated	5 620	121	693	1 242	1 449	1 333	782
Not reported	3 861	25	302	706	831	959	1 038
Operators by principal occupation:							
Farming	24 171	280	2 550	5 193	6 066	5 990	4 092
Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Operators by days of work off farm:							
None	3 888	16	135	270	446	739	2 282
1 to 99 days	20 283	264	2 415	4 923	5 620	5 251	1 810
100 to 199 days	1 515	34	130	274	314	373	390
200 days or more	3 006	43	371	654	733	770	435
Not reported	15 762	187	1 914	3 995	4 573	4 108	985
Operators by years on present farm:							
2 years or less	1 338	83	378	398	260	164	55
3 or 4 years	1 989	75	522	593	469	258	72
5 to 9 years	3 455	30	719	1 188	871	497	150
10 years or more	9 751	-	299	1 620	2 789	3 178	1 865
Average years on present farm	15.4	3.1	5.6	9.0	13.8	20.9	29.1
Not reported	7 638	92	632	1 394	1 677	1 893	1 950
Operators by age group:							
Under 25 years	280	280	-	-	-	-	-
25 to 34 years	2 550	-	2 550	-	-	-	-
35 to 44 years	5 193	-	-	5 193	-	-	-
45 to 54 years	6 066	-	-	-	6 066	-	-
55 to 64 years	5 990	-	-	-	-	5 990	-
65 years and over	4 092	-	-	-	-	-	4 092
Average age	51.3	22.4	30.5	39.6	49.6	59.1	71.9
Operators by sex:							
Male	22 607	272	2 481	5 045	5 802	5 499	3 508
Female	1 564	8	69	148	264	491	584
Operators of Spanish origin	52	2	5	6	14	15	10
FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION							
Individual or family	22 547	252	2 363	4 826	5 707	5 582	3 817
Partnership	3 098 291	24 379	256 074	625 065	821 520	841 960	529 293
Corporation:							
Family held	1 292	23	154	302	293	301	219
More than 10 stockholders	341 240	2 926	30 840	82 162	89 374	78 508	57 430
Other than family held	152	2	13	35	31	45	26
More than 10 stockholders	122 281	(D)	(D)	20 861	26 964	33 419	36 719
10 or less stockholders	7	-	-	1	-	2	4
Other than family held	145	2	13	34	31	43	22
More than 10 stockholders	55	2	12	9	9	17	6
10 or less stockholders	50 761	(D)	(D)	2 136	3 222	27 155	3 236
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc.	10	-	3	3	-	4	-
	45	2	9	6	9	13	6
	125	1	8	21	26	45	24
	37 764	(D)	(D)	5 678	11 833	8 672	10 357
FARMS BY SIZE							
to 9 acres	1 147	18	180	280	211	262	196
10 to 49 acres	6 359	83	852	1 429	1 547	1 453	995
50 to 99 acres	2 645	24	274	574	703	622	448
100 to 199 acres	3 435	44	315	704	828	867	677
200 to 399 acres	3 107	35	296	664	800	764	548
400 to 599 acres	2 154	42	181	417	559	573	382
600 to 799 acres	1 296	11	117	275	349	332	212
800 to 999 acres	903	10	73	185	242	260	133
1 000 to 1 999 acres	2 071	10	182	453	545	574	307
2 000 to 2 999 acres	757	3	64	166	198	192	134
3 000 to 4 999 acres	212	-	12	34	58	67	41
5 000 acres or more	85	-	4	12	26	24	19
FARMS BY STANDARD INDUSTRIAL CLASSIFICATION							
Cash grains (011)	3 563	69	512	924	886	746	426
Field crops, except cash grains (013)	1 335	12	180	274	342	285	242
Cotton (0131)	507	7	64	84	126	118	108
Tobacco (0132)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sugar crops, Irish potatoes, hay, peanuts, and other field crops (0133, 0134, 0139)	828	5	116	190	216	167	134
Vegetables and melons (016)	469	9	47	117	124	108	64
Fruits and tree nuts (017)	319	2	29	51	96	104	37
Horticultural specialties (018)	123	-	16	29	27	29	22
General farms, primarily crop (019)	511	5	73	88	126	133	86
Livestock, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialties (021)	16 180	162	1 482	3 269	4 085	4 228	2 954
Beef cattle, except feedlots (0212)	14 600	141	1 286	2 924	3 709	3 839	2 701
Dairy farms (024)	158	-	12	29	39	50	28
Poultry and eggs (025)	452	8	61	126	117	92	48
Animal specialties (027)	540	8	104	191	104	96	37
General farms, primarily livestock (029)	521	5	34	95	120	119	148

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Item	Total farming and other occupations	Farming						
		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD								
Total sales (see text) ----- farms..	42 393	18 222	356	2 025	2 744	3 376	4 530	5 181
\$1,000..	1 915 468	1 627 103	21 055	222 147	387 068	442 687	401 991	152 155
Farms by value of sales:								
Less than \$2,500	16 384	3 771	29	158	290	488	915	1 891
\$2,500 to \$4,999	6 911	2 234	32	100	181	318	566	1 037
\$5,000 to \$9,999	5 445	2 116	36	135	189	318	577	881
\$10,000 to \$19,999	3 510	1 829	72	192	201	336	502	526
\$20,000 to \$39,999	2 499	1 563	63	260	274	284	400	282
\$40,000 to \$99,999	2 824	2 386	72	513	534	519	522	226
\$100,000 to \$249,999	2 844	2 499	38	431	622	601	587	220
\$250,000 to \$499,999	1 341	1 236	10	181	318	326	305	96
\$500,000 or more	635	588	4	55	135	186	156	52
Grains	12 628	8 108	256	1 317	1 552	1 660	1 906	1 417
\$1,000..	625 022	566 654	9 331	88 029	138 152	142 203	143 606	45 334
Sales of \$40,000 or more	3 578	3 318	78	643	809	794	744	250
\$1,000..	537 051	507 337	6 926	77 109	126 648	130 928	129 292	36 434
Corn for grain	1 523	734	8	87	109	122	191	217
\$1,000..	7 727	5 751	45	843	1 349	960	1 716	838
Wheat	4 218	3 188	107	602	733	665	732	349
\$1,000..	89 833	81 263	1 297	12 763	19 120	20 254	21 724	6 105
Soybeans	11 047	7 452	240	1 247	1 454	1 555	1 750	1 206
\$1,000..	435 455	391 976	6 845	61 666	94 668	100 018	95 440	33 340
Sorghum for grain	628	498	22	116	129	103	88	40
\$1,000..	8 713	7 815	195	1 584	2 253	1 486	1 828	469
Oats	138	113	-	26	24	26	24	13
\$1,000..	487	436	-	107	102	122	64	41
Other grains	727	682	16	117	171	161	169	48
\$1,000..	82 806	79 412	950	11 067	20 658	19 363	22 833	4 541
Cotton and cottonseed	3 700	3 031	77	442	591	618	787	516
\$1,000..	460 604	434 718	3 739	56 550	100 499	112 198	112 881	48 850
Sales of \$40,000 or more	1 962	1 855	26	301	430	412	479	207
\$1,000..	438 662	418 342	2 963	53 965	97 706	108 983	109 001	45 724
Tobacco	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
\$1,000..	(D)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sales of \$40,000 or more	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
\$1,000..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hay, silage, and field seeds	3 200	1 406	16	174	219	245	351	401
\$1,000..	10 653	6 414	72	928	1 244	1 475	1 562	1 132
Sales of \$40,000 or more	22	17	-	3	5	4	4	1
\$1,000..	1 672	1 423	-	218	222	477	(D)	(D)
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons	1 304	558	11	47	68	107	137	188
\$1,000..	4 946	3 253	43	441	611	552	805	801
Sales of \$40,000 or more	14	14	-	2	3	-	5	4
\$1,000..	1 166	1 166	-	(D)	(D)	-	321	355
Fruits, nuts, and berries	438	195	-	19	24	37	46	69
\$1,000..	(D)	1 644	-	262	482	342	269	289
Sales of \$40,000 or more	12	10	-	1	2	3	2	2
\$1,000..	1 160	(D)	-	(D)	(D)	237	(D)	(D)
Nursery and greenhouse products	246	111	1	10	21	28	24	27
\$1,000..	13 477	11 023	(D)	(D)	4 699	2 615	2 722	445
Sales of \$40,000 or more	47	37	-	4	12	10	7	4
\$1,000..	11 808	10 343	-	478	4 642	2 308	2 606	309
Other crops	560	305	5	31	43	59	78	89
\$1,000..	4 808	4 063	(D)	(D)	1 105	817	1 243	440
Sales of \$40,000 or more	34	30	-	3	10	6	7	4
\$1,000..	2 731	2 391	-	214	716	465	746	250
Poultry and poultry products	2 236	1 469	14	170	316	367	358	244
\$1,000..	390 568	298 826	5 142	32 031	76 225	101 717	70 312	13 398
Sales of \$40,000 or more	1 381	1 062	9	134	263	304	269	83
\$1,000..	387 131	296 265	5 106	31 494	75 542	101 220	69 782	13 121
Dairy products	1 289	1 094	19	167	249	296	264	99
\$1,000..	120 909	113 206	1 327	17 227	27 890	32 697	26 686	7 379
Sales of \$40,000 or more	901	840	13	136	205	241	189	56
\$1,000..	114 848	108 831	1 234	16 571	27 079	31 723	25 338	6 886
Cattle and calves	27 451	10 851	116	834	1 366	1 923	2 861	3 751
\$1,000..	191 646	115 067	705	10 522	19 687	27 807	26 844	29 502
Sales of \$40,000 or more	564	431	2	43	89	101	110	86
\$1,000..	72 849	54 003	(D)	(D)	11 143	15 240	9 771	12 474
Hogs and pigs	2 539	1 193	21	130	164	227	312	339
\$1,000..	36 997	27 158	538	5 797	4 917	8 439	5 000	2 466
Sales of \$40,000 or more	150	119	3	29	25	29	22	11
\$1,000..	(D)	21 836	472	4 810	3 817	7 439	3 779	1 518
Sheep, lambs, and wool	144	52	-	4	13	9	16	10
\$1,000..	122	64	-	2	21	21	11	10
Sales of \$40,000 or more	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
\$1,000..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other livestock and livestock products (see text)	1 614	687	8	97	141	151	158	132
\$1,000..	53 582	45 013	114	9 402	11 535	11 804	10 051	2 108
Sales of \$40,000 or more	200	171	1	29	43	41	42	15
\$1,000..	49 773	43 142	(D)	(D)	11 246	11 298	9 498	1 902
FARM-RELATED INCOME AND DIRECT SALES								
Income from machine work, customwork, and other agricultural services	1 757	1 206	59	281	276	231	225	134
\$1,000..	9 177	7 949	284	2 030	1 807	2 012	1 327	469
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text)	1 536	585	12	56	70	111	138	198
\$1,000..	2 681	1 631	14	370	196	496	297	256

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Item	Other occupations						
	Total	Age of operator (years)					
		Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD							
Total sales (see text) ----- farms..	24 171	280	2 550	5 193	6 066	5 990	4 092
\$1,000..	288 365	4 992	34 213	62 996	70 553	79 075	36 536
Farms by value of sales:							
Less than \$2,500	12 613	134	1 236	2 565	3 062	3 206	2 410
\$2,500 to \$4,999	4 677	57	455	1 024	1 192	1 161	788
\$5,000 to \$9,999	3 329	42	368	700	878	840	501
\$10,000 to \$19,999	1 681	26	236	409	429	376	205
\$20,000 to \$39,999	936	12	117	244	237	227	99
\$40,000 to \$99,999	438	3	67	127	118	85	38
\$100,000 to \$249,999	345	4	48	92	109	63	29
\$250,000 to \$499,999	105	1	18	24	30	19	13
\$500,000 or more	47	1	5	8	11	13	9
Grains	4 520	85	631	1 091	1 152	983	578
\$1,000..	58 368	768	7 695	15 868	16 833	12 483	4 719
Sales of \$40,000 or more ----- farms..	260	3	37	78	77	46	19
\$1,000..	29 714	203	3 244	7 902	9 439	6 891	2 036
Corn for grain	789	10	103	162	191	189	134
\$1,000..	1 976	15	186	472	584	499	220
Wheat	1 030	24	183	288	275	176	84
\$1,000..	8 570	130	1 477	2 400	2 286	1 414	863
Soybeans	3 595	72	506	909	902	773	433
\$1,000..	43 479	624	5 707	11 995	12 744	9 300	3 109
Sorghum for grain	130	-	14	39	30	30	17
\$1,000..	898	-	(D)	(D)	186	200	110
Oats	25	-	1	5	9	5	4
\$1,000..	51	-	(D)	(D)	9	16	13
Other grains	45	-	3	11	10	11	10
\$1,000..	3 394	-	256	656	1 025	1 054	404
Cotton and cottonseed	669	9	88	117	157	160	138
\$1,000..	25 886	138	2 141	3 665	6 206	9 150	4 586
Sales of \$40,000 or more ----- farms..	107	-	17	14	33	26	17
\$1,000..	20 320	-	1 434	2 481	4 776	7 959	3 669
Tobacco	1	-	-	1	-	-	-
\$1,000..	(D)	-	-	(D)	-	-	-
Sales of \$40,000 or more ----- farms..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
\$1,000..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hay, silage, and field seeds	1 794	16	243	443	476	385	231
\$1,000..	4 239	8	555	1 035	1 201	882	557
Sales of \$40,000 or more ----- farms..	5	-	1	-	3	-	1
\$1,000..	250	-	(D)	-	(D)	-	(D)
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons	746	13	74	194	175	192	98
\$1,000..	1 694	40	181	430	457	356	229
Sales of \$40,000 or more ----- farms..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
\$1,000..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fruits, nuts, and berries	243	2	20	59	60	74	28
\$1,000..	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	101	117	79
Sales of \$40,000 or more ----- farms..	2	-	-	1	-	-	1
\$1,000..	(D)	-	-	(D)	-	-	(D)
Nursery and greenhouse products	135	-	17	30	32	32	24
\$1,000..	2 454	-	274	329	285	1 201	364
Sales of \$40,000 or more ----- farms..	10	-	1	2	1	3	3
\$1,000..	1 464	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	963	248
Other crops	255	4	21	46	68	64	52
\$1,000..	745	17	53	53	466	74	81
Sales of \$40,000 or more ----- farms..	4	-	-	-	4	-	-
\$1,000..	340	-	-	-	340	-	-
Poultry and poultry products	767	8	101	191	179	174	114
\$1,000..	91 742	3 416	8 535	21 691	17 655	30 992	9 452
Sales of \$40,000 or more ----- farms..	319	6	45	97	84	62	25
\$1,000..	90 866	(D)	(D)	21 430	17 482	30 826	9 310
Dairy products	195	-	14	37	53	53	38
\$1,000..	7 703	-	893	1 413	2 440	2 011	946
Sales of \$40,000 or more ----- farms..	61	-	8	13	20	14	6
\$1,000..	6 017	-	854	1 107	2 031	1 412	613
Cattle and calves	16 600	152	1 524	3 425	4 230	4 337	2 932
\$1,000..	76 579	530	6 522	14 086	22 289	19 490	13 662
Sales of \$40,000 or more ----- farms..	133	-	12	25	47	30	19
\$1,000..	18 847	-	1 252	1 910	7 279	3 779	4 627
Hogs and pigs	1 346	15	198	281	315	291	246
\$1,000..	9 839	57	2 146	3 071	1 626	1 443	1 495
Sales of \$40,000 or more ----- farms..	31	-	8	7	6	5	5
\$1,000..	(D)	-	1 471	2 273	591	679	(D)
Sheep, lambs, and wool	92	1	9	20	14	27	21
\$1,000..	58	(D)	(D)	7	15	15	11
Sales of \$40,000 or more ----- farms..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
\$1,000..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other livestock and livestock products (see text)	927	6	157	289	217	181	77
\$1,000..	8 569	15	5 179	1 184	977	859	354
Sales of \$40,000 or more ----- farms..	29	-	14	5	4	3	3
\$1,000..	6 632	-	4 917	424	598	469	223
FARM-RELATED INCOME AND DIRECT SALES							
Income from machine work, customwork, and other agricultural services	551	18	108	152	126	103	44
\$1,000..	1 228	13	256	343	322	214	80
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text)	951	20	130	233	223	219	126
\$1,000..	1 050	29	113	249	198	258	204

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Item	Total farming and other occupations	Farming							
		Total	Age of operator (years)						
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over	
COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS									
Amount received	farms..	2 312	1 971	72	392	455	388	440	224
	\$1,000..	123 471	117 471	1 809	18 726	30 769	27 594	29 367	9 207
Feed grains	farms..	100	66	-	11	6	13	21	15
	\$1,000..	415	357	-	97	43	128	86	4
Wheat	farms..	187	158	5	32	31	36	40	14
	\$1,000..	2 296	2 099	40	190	413	607	794	55
Cotton	farms..	1 185	1 012	31	179	218	190	250	144
	\$1,000..	53 875	50 858	585	8 105	13 294	11 660	12 399	4 815
Soybeans, peanuts, rye, rice, tobacco, and honey	farms..	1 064	940	40	214	243	189	180	74
	\$1,000..	66 885	64 157	1 184	10 334	17 018	15 202	16 088	4 332
SELECTED FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES¹									
Livestock and poultry purchased	farms..	11 066	4 735	39	397	957	1 000	1 257	1 085
	\$1,000..	134 059	92 896	932	9 809	22 983	31 435	19 820	7 918
Farms with expenses of—									
\$1 to \$4,999		7 940	2 666	17	150	439	467	749	844
\$5,000 to \$19,999		1 645	927	13	81	230	214	239	150
\$20,000 to \$49,999		1 042	808	5	105	191	229	218	60
\$50,000 or more		439	334	4	61	97	90	51	31
Feed for livestock and poultry	farms..	25 878	10 562	105	768	1 547	1 973	2 742	3 427
	\$1,000..	288 265	222 421	3 457	26 621	58 740	62 611	53 949	17 043
Farms with expenses of—									
\$1 to \$4,999		21 972	7 601	85	412	836	1 197	1 970	3 101
\$5,000 to \$19,999		1 426	906	2	96	166	214	276	152
\$20,000 to \$79,999		1 406	1 167	10	145	317	293	274	128
\$80,000 or more		1 074	888	8	115	228	269	222	48
Commercially mixed formula feeds	farms..	10 010	5 025	43	447	946	1 081	1 373	1 135
	tons..	1 525 236	1 188 583	19 982	140 431	322 477	338 601	290 077	77 015
	\$1,000..	238 400	187 928	3 140	22 781	50 782	53 113	46 045	12 069
Farms by tons purchased:									
1 to 99 tons		7 854	3 264	29	229	490	595	933	988
100 to 499 tons		1 128	922	6	115	252	236	216	97
500 tons or more		1 028	839	8	103	204	250	224	50
Farms with expenses of—									
\$1 to \$4,999		7 133	2 745	27	165	371	469	785	928
\$5,000 to \$19,999		796	569	1	66	119	144	176	63
\$20,000 to \$49,999		693	569	4	65	159	156	116	69
\$50,000 or more		1 388	1 142	11	151	297	312	296	75
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees	farms..	18 673	10 159	285	1 271	1 714	2 078	2 537	2 274
	\$1,000..	48 968	42 882	773	6 891	9 707	11 098	10 340	4 073
Farms with expenses of—									
\$1 to \$999		11 783	4 528	78	279	545	728	1 241	1 657
\$1,000 to \$4,999		4 164	3 087	174	557	600	683	690	383
\$5,000 to \$9,999		1 496	1 374	13	263	294	337	326	141
\$10,000 or more		1 230	1 170	20	172	275	330	280	93
Commercial fertilizer	farms..	27 986	13 259	339	1 386	1 998	2 560	3 386	3 590
	\$1,000..	114 224	95 795	1 647	13 475	22 389	25 093	22 872	10 319
Farms with expenses of—									
\$1 to \$999		15 196	5 019	82	233	441	776	1 354	2 133
\$1,000 to \$4,999		7 927	3 939	100	473	582	767	986	1 031
\$5,000 to \$19,999		3 429	2 943	153	487	649	647	697	310
\$20,000 or more		1 434	1 358	4	193	326	370	349	116
Other agricultural chemicals	farms..	14 574	9 013	311	1 235	1 532	1 897	2 220	1 818
	\$1,000..	140 001	130 229	1 770	18 271	31 127	33 049	32 519	13 493
Farms with expenses of—									
\$1 to \$999		7 331	3 099	62	185	379	564	813	1 098
\$1,000 to \$4,999		3 080	2 082	130	392	254	442	531	333
\$5,000 to \$19,999		2 319	2 060	107	366	482	448	451	206
\$20,000 or more		1 844	1 772	12	292	417	443	425	183
Hired farm labor	farms..	15 000	8 508	180	1 010	1 551	1 863	2 153	1 751
	\$1,000..	136 900	118 034	772	13 271	25 883	32 906	32 089	13 113
Farms with expenses of—									
\$1 to \$4,999		10 927	4 856	151	517	685	915	1 271	1 317
\$5,000 to \$19,999		2 401	2 100	20	304	521	514	465	276
\$20,000 to \$49,999		1 083	997	7	133	241	269	252	95
\$50,000 or more		589	555	2	56	104	165	165	63
Workers by days worked:									
150 days or more	farms..	5 441	4 488	48	588	986	1 137	1 076	653
	workers..	18 395	15 968	113	1 715	3 487	4 396	4 311	1 946
Less than 150 days	farms..	12 864	6 822	157	803	1 168	1 430	1 778	1 488
	workers..	43 189	27 725	360	3 417	4 667	6 657	7 223	5 401
Contract labor	farms..	1 717	894	13	113	182	224	170	182
	\$1,000..	4 714	3 953	15	406	995	1 210	878	449
Farms with expenses of—									
\$1 to \$999		1 046	404	10	43	47	84	76	144
\$1,000 to \$4,999		447	275	2	47	89	69	42	28
\$5,000 to \$19,999		185	177	1	20	33	63	44	16
\$20,000 or more		39	38	-	3	13	8	8	6
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment	farms..	10 678	5 348	175	599	787	946	1 384	1 457
	\$1,000..	35 446	29 832	790	3 342	6 882	7 367	7 706	3 744
Farms with expenses of—									
\$1 to \$999		6 016	2 238	28	195	252	340	615	808
\$1,000 to \$4,999		3 376	1 926	96	244	253	343	472	518
\$5,000 to \$19,999		890	801	42	125	180	165	208	81
\$20,000 or more		396	383	9	35	102	98	89	50

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Table 46. Summary by Age and Principal Occupation of Operator: 1982—Con.

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Item	Other occupations						
	Total	Age of operator (years)					
		Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS							
Amount received ----- farms..	341	6	70	81	81	67	36
\$1,000..	6 000	35	1 248	1 248	1 799	1 065	605
Feed grains ----- farms..	34	1	3	7	8	7	8
\$1,000..	58	(D)	(D)	22	(D)	(D)	4
Wheat ----- farms..	29	3	5	9	7	2	3
\$1,000..	197	6	32	90	(D)	(D)	17
Cotton ----- farms..	173	1	31	35	43	41	22
\$1,000..	3 017	(D)	(D)	491	897	523	550
Soybeans, peanuts, rye, rice, tobacco, and honey ----- farms..	124	2	33	36	26	19	8
\$1,000..	2 727	(D)	(D)	645	829	531	34
SELECTED FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES¹							
Livestock and poultry purchased ----- farms..	6 331	31	914	1 516	1 650	1 431	789
\$1,000..	41 162	293	4 977	8 924	9 078	11 723	6 167
Farms with expenses of--							
\$1 to \$4,999 -----	5 274	28	736	1 222	1 351	1 228	709
\$5,000 to \$19,999 -----	718	-	114	199	198	147	60
\$20,000 to \$49,999 -----	234	1	37	71	76	38	11
\$50,000 or more -----	105	2	27	24	25	18	9
Feed for livestock and poultry ----- farms..	15 316	83	1 704	3 319	3 846	3 854	2 510
\$1,000..	65 843	881	8 323	16 001	14 930	20 247	5 460
Farms with expenses of--							
\$1 to \$4,999 -----	14 371	80	1 554	3 096	3 615	3 610	2 416
\$5,000 to \$19,999 -----	520	-	76	102	129	147	66
\$20,000 to \$79,999 -----	239	-	46	68	50	63	12
\$80,000 or more -----	186	3	28	53	52	34	16
Commercially mixed formula feeds ----- farms..	4 985	31	602	1 064	1 379	1 153	756
tons..	336 653	6 159	35 768	79 444	79 528	115 734	20 022
\$1,000..	50 472	861	5 811	12 160	11 730	16 760	3 130
Farms by tons purchased:							
1 to 99 tons -----	4 590	28	552	950	1 272	1 061	727
100 to 499 tons -----	206	-	23	62	48	57	16
500 tons or more -----	189	3	27	52	59	35	13
Farms with expenses of--							
\$1 to \$4,999 -----	4 388	28	517	912	1 231	999	701
\$5,000 to \$19,999 -----	227	-	35	38	55	68	31
\$20,000 to \$49,999 -----	124	-	18	42	19	37	8
\$50,000 or more -----	246	3	32	72	74	49	16
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees ----- farms..	8 514	83	996	1 939	2 179	2 272	1 045
\$1,000..	6 086	49	791	1 155	1 835	1 683	573
Farms with expenses of--							
\$1 to \$999 -----	7 255	71	825	1 715	1 796	1 970	878
\$1,000 to \$4,999 -----	1 077	12	145	192	318	261	149
\$5,000 to \$9,999 -----	122	-	22	15	44	29	12
\$10,000 or more -----	60	-	4	17	21	12	6
Commercial fertilizer ----- farms..	14 727	150	1 566	3 171	3 903	3 861	2 076
\$1,000..	18 429	181	1 904	3 906	5 163	5 268	2 007
Farms with expenses of--							
\$1 to \$999 -----	10 177	89	1 054	2 156	2 572	2 722	1 584
\$1,000 to \$4,999 -----	3 988	60	436	854	1 192	993	453
\$5,000 to \$19,999 -----	486	1	75	145	116	122	27
\$20,000 or more -----	76	-	1	16	23	24	12
Other agricultural chemicals ----- farms..	5 561	58	637	1 315	1 477	1 378	696
\$1,000..	9 772	100	1 060	2 099	2 610	2 928	976
Farms with expenses of--							
\$1 to \$999 -----	4 232	40	464	1 011	1 100	1 036	581
\$1,000 to \$4,999 -----	998	2	135	225	310	238	88
\$5,000 to \$19,999 -----	259	16	31	63	45	87	17
\$20,000 or more -----	72	-	7	16	22	17	10
Hired farm labor ----- farms..	6 492	43	733	1 396	1 739	1 677	904
\$1,000..	18 866	362	1 521	2 627	4 037	8 064	2 255
Farms with expenses of--							
\$1 to \$4,999 -----	6 071	41	693	1 335	1 597	1 550	855
\$5,000 to \$19,999 -----	301	-	29	40	107	100	25
\$20,000 to \$49,999 -----	86	1	7	16	27	16	19
\$50,000 or more -----	34	1	4	5	8	11	5
Workers by days worked:							
150 days or more ----- farms..	953	6	101	195	218	318	115
workers..	2 427	22	176	375	517	1 046	291
Less than 150 days ----- farms..	6 042	39	679	1 285	1 640	1 559	840
workers..	15 464	186	1 895	2 831	4 514	4 181	1 857
Contract labor ----- farms..	823	1	84	177	258	220	83
\$1,000..	761	(D)	(D)	132	296	199	85
Farms with expenses of--							
\$1 to \$999 -----	642	1	74	163	172	163	69
\$1,000 to \$4,999 -----	172	-	10	12	84	54	12
\$5,000 to \$19,999 -----	8	-	-	1	2	3	2
\$20,000 or more -----	1	-	-	1	-	-	-
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment ----- farms..	5 330	29	612	1 074	1 489	1 379	747
\$1,000..	5 614	36	689	1 318	1 450	1 515	606
Farms with expenses of--							
\$1 to \$999 -----	3 778	11	438	755	1 092	929	553
\$1,000 to \$4,999 -----	1 450	18	156	297	382	416	181
\$5,000 to \$19,999 -----	89	-	17	19	9	31	13
\$20,000 or more -----	13	-	1	3	6	3	-

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Item	Total farming and other occupations	Farming						
		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
SELECTED FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES¹—Con.								
Energy and petroleum products ----- farms..	42 012	18 169	401	1 787	2 629	3 442	4 526	5 384
\$1,000..	163 503	137 633	1 920	17 937	30 179	36 154	36 412	15 002
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$999	26 223	7 311	74	298	615	946	1 835	3 543
\$1,000 to \$4,999	9 370	5 122	251	535	667	1 037	1 300	1 332
\$5,000 to \$19,999	4 544	3 950	53	729	929	981	922	338
\$20,000 or more	1 875	1 786	23	225	418	478	469	172
Petroleum products ----- farms..	41 976	18 153	401	1 787	2 613	3 442	4 526	5 384
\$1,000..	142 667	120 503	1 744	15 904	26 665	31 394	31 504	13 292
Gasoline and gasohol ----- farms..	33 422	15 197	314	1 524	2 173	2 879	3 884	4 446
\$1,000..	39 976	31 877	500	3 915	6 364	8 374	8 354	4 399
Diesel fuel ----- farms..	27 089	13 009	345	1 560	2 182	2 763	3 280	2 879
\$1,000..	73 566	64 461	890	8 993	14 825	16 703	16 561	6 499
LP gas, butane, and propane ----- farms..	8 436	5 210	81	619	989	1 186	1 301	1 054
\$1,000..	16 905	14 166	175	1 748	3 211	3 723	3 973	1 335
Fuel oil and kerosene ----- farms..	1 005	555	16	65	133	105	120	116
\$1,000..	512	445	5	53	174	75	115	21
Natural gas ----- farms..	777	490	5	43	110	126	117	70
\$1,000..	1 457	1 178	43	75	252	405	332	282
Motor oil and grease ----- farms..	41 975	18 153	401	1 787	2 613	3 442	4 526	5 384
\$1,000..	10 250	8 375	130	1 119	1 839	2 114	2 169	1 004
Electricity ----- farms..	17 613	9 858	161	1 171	1 760	2 171	2 710	1 885
\$1,000..	20 422	16 888	175	2 009	3 480	4 702	4 858	1 663
Other—coal, wood, coke, etc. ----- farms..	1 721	790	7	56	98	147	200	282
\$1,000..	414	243	2	24	33	58	49	76
Interest expense ----- farms..	15 144	8 484	295	1 350	1 875	1 967	1 949	1 048
\$1,000..	163 823	136 386	1 397	20 386	34 452	36 548	32 560	11 043
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$999	3 898	1 477	49	171	195	239	419	404
\$1,000 to \$4,999	5 363	2 377	159	337	489	583	559	270
\$5,000 to \$9,999	2 109	1 410	56	240	351	350	299	114
\$10,000 or more	3 774	3 220	31	602	840	815	672	269
Farms reporting no interest expense (see text)	24 112	8 485	104	349	646	1 192	2 283	3 911
VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT¹								
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ----- farms..	42 321	18 260	401	1 788	2 644	3 442	4 551	5 434
\$1,000..	1 482 361	1 098 294	21 110	141 659	233 737	270 711	275 708	155 370
Farms by value group:								
\$1 to \$4,999	4 681	1 333	17	55	154	82	333	602
\$5,000 to \$9,999	14 838	4 245	42	185	339	564	1 016	2 099
\$10,000 to \$19,999	7 711	2 777	42	169	281	460	771	1 054
\$20,000 to \$49,999	7 772	3 868	139	485	561	824	1 009	850
\$50,000 to \$99,999	3 532	2 608	115	379	494	643	583	384
\$100,000 to \$199,999	2 277	2 010	27	337	476	527	463	180
\$200,000 to \$499,999	1 274	1 199	18	162	282	277	310	150
\$500,000 or more	236	220	1	16	57	65	56	25
SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT¹								
Automobiles ----- farms..	24 575	12 422	237	1 190	1 905	2 426	3 200	3 484
number..	34 829	17 713	346	1 580	2 962	3 644	4 579	4 592
Motortrucks, including pickups ----- farms..	35 375	16 260	354	1 684	2 363	3 199	4 056	4 604
number..	58 835	33 003	580	3 791	5 879	7 553	8 447	6 753
Wheel tractors ----- farms..	35 738	15 912	341	1 630	2 404	3 100	3 996	4 441
number..	70 000	41 033	639	4 335	7 333	9 454	10 790	8 482
2 or 3 ----- farms..	11 726	6 008	83	799	975	1 266	1 493	1 392
number..	26 992	14 244	180	1 893	2 426	3 083	3 500	3 162
4 or more ----- farms..	3 884	3 361	56	353	688	887	945	432
number..	22 880	20 246	257	1 964	4 166	5 424	5 732	2 703
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled only ----- farms..	6 869	5 214	155	864	1 066	1 255	1 231	643
number..	9 679	7 708	181	1 172	1 615	1 932	1 909	889
Corn heads for combines ----- farms..	761	521	2	37	98	124	113	147
number..	858	614	(D)	(D)	105	131	120	216
Cottonpickers and strippers ----- farms..	3 139	2 696	55	348	544	639	723	387
number..	5 647	5 056	90	559	1 097	1 290	1 340	860
Mower conditioners ----- farms..	7 067	3 673	46	354	608	778	1 011	875
number..	7 933	4 167	47	401	711	913	1 108	887
Pickup balers ----- farms..	9 010	4 553	56	398	787	1 075	1 200	1 057
number..	10 488	5 464	75	453	944	1 369	1 427	1 196
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel ----- farms..	1 621	1 054	8	120	238	280	241	167
number..	1 911	1 263	8	147	279	322	283	222
AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS¹								
Commercial fertilizer ----- farms..	27 986	13 259	339	1 386	1 998	2 580	3 386	3 586
acres on which used..	4 158 209	3 478 172	66 157	495 593	809 830	875 515	832 509	398 486
Lime ----- farms..	7 788	3 802	58	370	633	733	1 089	905
acres on which used..	480 678	360 759	4 618	44 327	90 105	91 383	86 324	44 006
tons..	555 067	421 577	5 786	53 119	104 659	107 032	101 362	49 596
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—								
Insects on hay and other crops ----- farms..	6 843	4 670	163	619	889	1 038	1 124	837
acres on which used..	1 960 148	1 790 436	25 069	232 385	418 958	488 845	425 592	199 587

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	Total	Age of operator (years)					
		Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
SELECTED FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES¹—Con.							
Energy and petroleum products ----- farms..	23 843	221	2 539	5 051	5 986	5 912	4 134
----- \$1,000..	25 870	376	3 271	5 071	6 929	6 581	3 643
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999	18 912	179	1 922	3 910	4 704	4 683	3 514
\$1,000 to \$4,999	4 248	23	534	998	1 095	1 057	541
\$5,000 to \$19,999	594	18	72	132	160	149	63
\$20,000 or more	89	1	11	11	27	23	16
Petroleum products ----- farms..	23 823	221	2 533	5 037	5 986	5 912	4 134
----- \$1,000..	22 164	301	2 842	4 383	6 072	5 578	2 989
Gasoline and gasohol ----- farms..	18 225	149	2 012	3 742	4 546	4 553	3 223
----- \$1,000..	8 099	78	974	1 647	2 157	2 067	1 176
Diesel fuel ----- farms..	14 080	145	1 527	3 074	3 761	3 410	2 163
----- \$1,000..	9 105	100	1 074	1 752	2 671	2 391	1 117
LP gas, butane, and propane ----- farms..	3 228	59	347	693	745	796	586
----- \$1,000..	2 739	110	481	524	699	537	387
Fuel oil and kerosene ----- farms..	450	4	19	42	85	167	133
----- \$1,000..	67	(Z)	3	9	19	22	13
Natural gas ----- farms..	287	-	20	41	71	101	54
----- \$1,000..	279	-	39	58	46	101	36
Motor oil and grease ----- farms..	23 822	221	2 532	5 037	5 986	5 912	4 134
----- \$1,000..	1 875	12	272	392	480	459	261
Electricity ----- farms..	7 755	62	885	1 699	2 072	1 923	1 114
----- \$1,000..	3 535	73	413	665	805	963	615
Other—coal, wood, coke, etc. ----- farms..	931	8	84	101	294	219	225
----- \$1,000..	171	2	15	23	52	40	39
Interest expense ----- farms..	6 660	64	1 009	1 858	2 041	1 218	470
----- \$1,000..	27 437	715	3 567	7 293	8 539	5 830	1 493
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999	2 421	25	466	551	600	514	265
\$1,000 to \$4,999	2 986	14	395	904	1 064	452	157
\$5,000 to \$9,999	699	11	68	275	209	116	20
\$10,000 or more	554	14	80	128	168	136	28
Farms reporting no interest expense (see text)	15 627	150	1 383	3 001	3 690	4 250	3 153
VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT¹							
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ----- farms..	24 061	221	2 539	5 086	6 023	6 030	4 162
----- \$1,000..	384 066	4 804	41 880	81 068	104 760	98 937	52 617
Farms by value group:							
\$1 to \$4,999	3 348	44	325	790	637	906	646
\$5,000 to \$9,999	10 593	73	1 004	2 028	2 479	2 650	2 359
\$10,000 to \$19,999	4 934	26	537	1 100	1 468	1 196	607
\$20,000 to \$49,999	3 904	56	515	897	1 074	950	412
\$50,000 to \$99,999	924	5	129	216	250	239	85
\$100,000 to \$199,999	267	16	20	38	95	52	46
\$200,000 to \$499,999	75	1	9	13	16	31	5
\$500,000 or more	16	-	-	4	4	6	2
SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT¹							
Automobiles ----- farms..	12 153	132	1 125	2 419	2 920	3 204	2 353
----- number..	17 116	162	1 469	3 564	4 324	4 494	3 103
Motortrucks, including pickups ----- farms..	19 115	167	2 083	4 100	4 728	4 806	3 231
----- number..	25 832	248	2 863	5 593	6 717	6 428	3 983
Wheel tractors ----- farms..	19 826	148	2 028	4 252	5 315	4 964	3 119
----- number..	28 967	245	2 996	6 248	7 826	7 298	4 354
2 or 3 ----- farms..	5 718	70	591	1 182	1 600	1 516	759
----- number..	12 748	(D)	(D)	2 614	3 626	3 314	1 686
4 or more ----- farms..	523	1	49	149	116	130	78
----- number..	2 634	(D)	(D)	713	601	666	386
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled only ----- farms..	1 655	33	202	499	430	332	159
----- number..	1 971	33	244	578	517	424	175
Corn heads for combines ----- farms..	240	-	35	51	52	80	22
----- number..	244	-	36	52	53	80	23
Cottonpickers and strippers ----- farms..	443	16	85	74	105	81	82
----- number..	591	16	98	92	130	139	116
Mower conditioners ----- farms..	3 394	18	396	765	1 063	812	340
----- number..	3 786	18	434	877	1 178	900	359
Pickup balers ----- farms..	4 457	35	488	1 041	1 305	1 142	446
----- number..	5 024	35	516	1 155	1 519	1 280	519
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel ----- farms..	567	8	73	117	192	130	47
----- number..	648	16	80	117	217	168	50
AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS¹							
Commercial fertilizer ----- farms..	14 727	150	1 566	3 171	3 903	3 861	2 076
----- acres on which used..	680 037	6 662	71 581	143 761	201 391	185 848	70 794
Lime ----- farms..	3 986	27	552	823	1 040	1 130	414
----- acres on which used..	119 919	356	15 799	21 611	30 780	40 275	11 098
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control ----- farms..	133 490	436	19 468	24 259	33 811	43 603	11 913
Insects on hay and other crops ----- farms..	2 173	21	225	390	563	611	363
----- acres on which used..	169 712	1 802	20 491	30 918	52 047	48 010	16 444

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AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS¹—								
Con.								
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—Con.								
Nematodes in crops ----- farms..	576	353	21	45	87	61	83	59
acres on which used..	148 092	137 757	4 610	12 868	41 103	37 338	32 250	9 588
Diseases in crops and orchards ----- farms..	1 607	969	32	141	177	209	227	181
acres on which used..	370 080	335 792	3 352	46 896	82 283	84 154	91 818	27 288
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture ----- farms..	11 380	7 338	274	1 089	1 284	1 548	1 769	1 374
acres on which used..	3 883 344	3 519 943	64 811	546 625	809 528	893 659	863 150	342 179
Chemicals for defoliation, growth control of crops, or thinning of fruit ----- farms..	2 612	2 143	45	310	417	461	575	333
acres on which used..	895 617	850 055	6 342	109 636	196 602	225 305	214 089	98 071
LIVESTOCK								
Cattle and calves inventory ----- farms..	29 392	11 288	113	866	1 394	1 982	2 973	3 969
number..	1 481 323	865 682	7 731	85 994	150 334	188 089	226 717	206 817
Farms with—								
1 to 9 -----	5 068	1 340	7	82	116	181	320	634
10 to 49 -----	16 566	5 341	53	315	531	812	1 392	2 238
50 to 99 -----	4 529	2 324	30	211	321	446	640	676
100 to 199 -----	2 126	1 405	18	164	272	323	370	238
200 to 499 -----	902	722	5	72	132	184	206	123
500 or more -----	201	156	—	22	22	36	45	31
Cows and heifers that had calved ----- farms..	26 956	10 509	105	781	1 270	1 844	2 798	3 711
number..	808 155	473 723	3 974	45 694	78 172	102 554	129 438	113 801
Beef cows ----- farms..	25 215	9 345	87	621	1 048	1 580	2 521	3 488
number..	710 517	387 505	2 976	33 036	57 439	77 383	109 398	107 273
Farms with—								
1 to 9 -----	8 074	2 176	19	129	210	305	526	687
10 to 49 -----	13 833	5 117	45	319	534	838	1 399	1 982
50 to 99 -----	2 251	1 274	20	98	173	269	362	332
100 to 199 -----	722	501	3	47	88	102	152	109
200 to 499 -----	286	234	—	23	39	57	70	45
500 or more -----	49	43	—	5	4	9	12	13
Milk cows ----- farms..	3 078	1 813	27	201	302	391	433	459
number..	95 638	86 218	998	12 658	20 733	25 171	20 040	6 618
Farms with—								
1 to 4 -----	1 599	639	7	28	50	91	147	318
5 to 9 -----	228	101	2	4	9	11	25	50
10 to 49 -----	444	321	9	60	43	65	93	51
50 to 99 -----	522	477	9	72	130	133	108	23
100 to 199 -----	239	230	—	32	60	76	49	13
200 to 499 -----	43	42	—	4	10	15	10	3
500 or more -----	3	3	—	1	—	—	1	1
Helpers and helper calves ----- farms..	23 739	9 369	101	717	1 150	1 675	2 511	3 215
number..	360 485	210 021	2 014	21 300	38 570	47 054	52 869	48 214
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves ----- farms..	25 553	9 659	100	743	1 191	1 739	2 617	3 488
number..	314 683	181 938	1 743	19 000	33 592	38 481	44 410	44 712
Cattle and calves sold ----- farms..	27 451	10 851	116	834	1 366	1 923	2 861	3 751
number..	702 013	407 508	2 867	37 084	67 185	97 615	99 755	103 022
\$1,000..	191 646	115 067	705	10 522	19 687	27 807	28 844	29 502
Calves ----- farms..	23 320	9 158	97	691	1 104	1 592	2 451	3 223
number..	382 961	208 223	1 789	20 786	30 112	43 238	56 068	56 232
\$1,000..	77 755	42 078	352	4 204	6 120	8 475	11 265	11 861
Cattle ----- farms..	16 546	8 832	78	527	867	1 238	1 828	2 294
number..	319 052	199 285	1 078	16 298	37 053	54 377	43 689	46 790
\$1,000..	113 891	72 989	353	6 318	13 567	19 332	15 579	17 640
Fattened on grain and concentrates ----- farms..	1 819	703	7	40	79	123	200	254
number..	32 109	17 744	85	1 023	1 820	3 687	3 957	7 172
\$1,000..	12 754	7 799	32	362	703	1 396	1 709	3 598
Hogs and pigs inventory ----- farms..	4 075	1 756	28	166	218	311	460	573
number..	221 744	155 159	2 457	38 549	30 173	41 084	29 123	13 773
Farms with—								
1 to 24 -----	3 220	1 270	14	86	129	202	350	488
25 to 49 -----	310	136	7	14	21	26	35	33
50 to 99 -----	199	103	—	12	13	20	34	24
100 to 199 -----	145	95	6	17	19	23	15	15
200 to 499 -----	116	82	—	23	19	23	10	7
500 or more -----	85	70	1	14	17	17	16	5
Used or to be used for breeding ----- farms..	2 124	953	17	96	127	176	287	270
number..	27 055	18 444	154	4 085	3 919	5 951	2 654	1 481
Other ----- farms..	3 805	1 650	24	155	203	294	438	538
number..	194 689	136 715	2 303	34 464	26 254	35 133	28 269	12 282
Hogs and pigs sold ----- farms..	2 539	1 193	21	130	164	227	312	338
number..	354 954	251 985	4 058	55 785	47 483	79 692	44 830	20 131
\$1,000..	36 997	27 158	538	5 797	4 917	8 439	5 000	2 488
Feeder pigs ----- farms..	628	291	4	40	52	58	68	68
number..	58 537	33 689	99	6 900	7 001	12 112	5 631	1 844
\$1,000..	2 495	1 498	5	333	322	516	244	71
Litters of pigs farrowed between—								
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30 ----- farms..	2 221	994	17	101	134	180	278	28
number..	40 326	28 616	171	7 095	5 491	10 071	4 003	1 781
Dec. 1 and May 31 ----- farms..	1 940	882	14	89	116	169	242	25
number..	20 772	14 557	88	3 543	2 747	5 128	2 103	944
June 1 and Nov. 30 ----- farms..	1 490	690	13	83	102	138	187	16
number..	19 554	14 059	83	3 552	2 744	4 943	1 900	63

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Table 46. Summary by Age and Principal Occupation of Operator: 1982—Con.

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Item	Total farming and other occupations	Farming						
		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
LIVESTOCK—Con.								
Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory..... farms...	177	69	1	4	14	15	22	13
..... number...	4 742	2 698	(D)	(D)	772	828	485	552
Ewes 1 year old or older..... farms...	147	56	1	4	10	12	16	13
..... number...	2 876	1 666	(D)	(D)	562	467	268	324
Sheep and lambs sold..... farms...	127	45	-	4	11	9	12	8
..... number...	2 597	1 154	-	51	272	320	230	281
Sheep and lambs shorn..... farms...	111	42	-	4	9	8	14	7
..... number...	3 374	1 951	-	57	607	577	385	325
..... pounds of wool...	22 017	13 162	-	278	4 226	4 663	1 716	2 278
Horses and ponies inventory..... farms...	6 833	2 399	32	244	419	476	591	607
..... number...	26 183	9 393	80	998	1 994	1 870	2 408	2 043
Horses and ponies sold..... farms...	958	322	6	53	68	65	68	62
..... number...	3 213	1 462	21	431	244	212	363	191
..... \$1,000...	3 331	1 222	40	196	419	214	222	130
Goats inventory..... farms...	522	178	1	11	28	37	44	57
..... number...	5 752	2 284	(D)	(D)	320	405	634	782
Goats sold..... farms...	175	66	-	5	14	15	13	19
..... number...	1 948	1 001	-	27	68	550	128	228
..... \$1,000...	74	48	-	1	2	37	3	5
POULTRY								
Chickens 3 months old or older inventory .. farms...	4 628	1 858	10	110	189	288	485	778
..... number...	6 834 827	4 243 591	20 141	387 421	956 292	1 391 235	1 233 710	254 792
Farms with—								
1 to 399.....	4 343	1 644	9	80	138	219	440	758
400 to 3,199.....	14	6	-	1	-	3	2	-
3,200 to 9,999.....	76	56	-	4	18	19	10	5
10,000 to 19,999.....	131	103	-	23	23	26	20	11
20,000 to 49,999.....	44	33	1	2	5	14	9	2
50,000 to 99,999.....	15	12	-	-	4	6	2	-
100,000 or more.....	5	4	-	-	1	1	2	-
Hens and pullets of laying age..... farms...	4 559	1 826	9	109	184	283	471	770
..... number...	6 001 882	3 643 179	121	387 312	858 157	1 186 452	965 978	245 159
Pullets 3 months old or older not of laying age..... farms...	806	314	3	11	28	50	93	128
..... number...	832 945	600 412	20 020	109	98 135	204 783	267 732	9 833
Chickens 3 months old or older sold..... farms...	551	334	4	33	68	95	76	58
..... number...	7 472 795	5 050 985	160 040	377 934	1 254 260	1 745 559	1 192 400	320 792
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold..... farms...	1 209	920	10	122	233	246	234	75
..... number...	247 206 383	198 814 059	4 474 757	26 310 837	55 716 604	56 513 039	45 628 505	10 170 317
Farms with—								
1 to 1,999.....	32	17	-	3	7	4	1	2
2,000 to 59,999.....	69	47	-	8	10	10	10	9
60,000 to 99,999.....	135	92	2	8	24	21	20	17
100,000 or more.....	973	764	8	103	192	211	203	47
Turkey hens kept for breeding..... farms...	447	163	-	8	29	26	49	51
..... number...	1 571	570	-	24	80	107	156	203
Turkeys sold..... farms...	44	18	-	1	1	5	5	6
..... number...	282	69	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	15	23
CROPS HARVESTED								
Corn for grain or seed..... farms...	5 504	2 452	15	195	276	404	642	920
..... acres...	80 609	53 856	538	8 357	11 180	9 702	14 298	9 781
..... bushels...	4 740 090	3 408 441	26 716	558 623	741 477	590 500	991 411	499 714
Irrigated..... farms...	78	48	1	4	5	17	12	9
..... acres...	2 909	2 415	(D)	(D)	448	646	984	65
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres.....	4 879	2 004	8	109	189	309	534	855
25 to 99 acres.....	469	312	6	61	58	66	72	48
100 to 249 acres.....	129	111	-	20	21	26	31	13
250 acres or more.....	27	25	1	5	8	3	5	3
Corn for silage or green chop..... farms...	1 099	757	7	103	156	183	189	119
..... acres...	50 181	43 201	254	6 053	11 769	12 174	9 008	3 943
..... tons, green...	615 341	525 839	2 393	75 058	149 012	145 111	109 817	44 448
Irrigated..... farms...	22	17	-	3	4	2	6	2
..... acres...	1 140	1 083	-	470	350	(D)	115	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres.....	572	298	4	28	37	63	87	79
25 to 99 acres.....	381	327	2	57	82	80	79	27
100 to 249 acres.....	126	114	1	16	33	33	19	12
250 acres or more.....	20	18	-	2	4	7	4	1
Sorghum for grain or seed..... farms...	830	642	24	141	162	133	124	58
..... acres...	89 432	79 032	1 587	16 616	21 260	16 737	18 371	4 461
..... bushels...	4 816 160	4 291 144	89 032	893 938	1 266 997	834 588	965 176	241 413
Irrigated..... farms...	6	5	-	-	1	1	1	2
..... acres...	431	(D)	-	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Wheat for grain..... farms...	4 290	3 219	107	603	737	666	748	358
..... acres...	808 372	718 239	11 653	115 733	169 889	179 985	183 598	57 381
..... bushels...	29 159 313	26 321 024	417 920	4 084 734	6 191 459	6 549 165	7 010 284	2 067 462
Irrigated..... farms...	23	20	-	2	5	4	7	2
..... acres...	6 129	5 459	-	(D)	2 255	1 051	1 053	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres.....	584	275	5	34	44	45	77	70
25 to 99 acres.....	1 462	962	55	178	182	194	217	136
100 to 249 acres.....	1 286	1 093	38	245	300	199	226	85
250 acres or more.....	958	889	9	146	211	228	228	67

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Item	Other occupations						
	Total	Age of operator (years)					
		Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
LIVESTOCK—Con.							
Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory..... farms..	108	1	11	26	20	28	22
..... number..	2 044	(D)	(D)	265	461	571	502
Ewes 1 year old or older..... farms..	91	1	9	21	16	25	19
..... number..	1 210	(D)	(D)	162	299	333	289
Sheep and lambs sold..... farms..	82	1	8	14	12	27	20
..... number..	1 443	(D)	(D)	138	302	511	276
Sheep and lambs shorn..... farms..	69	1	7	15	11	18	17
..... number..	1 423	(D)	(D)	184	436	335	294
..... pounds of wool..	8 855	(D)	(D)	1 036	3 354	1 793	1 716
Horses and ponies inventory..... farms..	4 434	47	530	1 154	1 137	1 032	534
..... number..	16 790	204	1 978	4 385	5 042	3 669	1 512
Horses and ponies sold..... farms..	636	6	117	203	145	120	45
..... number..	1 751	16	277	569	434	325	130
..... \$1,000..	2 109	15	423	735	432	421	83
Goats inventory..... farms..	344	2	45	83	90	80	44
..... number..	3 468	(D)	(D)	718	844	913	599
Goats sold..... farms..	109	-	16	32	28	20	13
..... number..	947	-	124	245	255	176	147
..... \$1,000..	26	-	3	8	6	5	5
POULTRY							
Chickens 3 months old or older inventory... farms..	2 770	22	243	501	577	710	717
..... number..	2 591 236	94 437	92 175	330 999	299 065	1 662 601	111 959
Farms with—							
1 to 399.....	2 699	21	234	480	558	697	709
400 to 3,199.....	8	-	-	1	3	2	2
3,200 to 9,999.....	20	-	4	6	4	4	2
10,000 to 19,999.....	28	-	5	12	6	3	2
20,000 to 49,999.....	11	-	-	1	6	2	2
50,000 to 99,999.....	3	1	-	1	-	2	-
100,000 or more.....	1	-	-	-	-	1	-
Hens and pullets of laying age..... farms..	2 733	22	242	491	563	704	711
..... number..	2 358 703	43 528	91 583	299 657	257 687	1 577 908	88 340
Pullets 3 months old or older not of laying age..... farms..	492	4	42	99	99	123	125
..... number..	232 533	50 909	592	31 342	41 378	84 693	23 619
Chickens 3 months old or older sold..... farms..	217	1	27	46	49	54	40
..... number..	2 421 810	(D)	(D)	401 717	508 431	1 008 584	130 958
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold..... farms..	289	5	42	90	71	57	24
..... number..	48 392 324	970 000	7 191 813	14 933 963	12 940 825	9 146 198	3 209 525
Farms with—							
1 to 1,999.....	15	-	1	5	2	5	2
2,000 to 59,999.....	22	-	6	5	5	4	1
60,000 to 99,999.....	43	-	4	9	12	11	7
100,000 or more.....	209	5	31	70	52	37	14
Turkey hens kept for breeding..... farms..	284	5	31	62	59	74	53
..... number..	1 001	6	104	213	225	256	197
Turkeys sold..... farms..	26	-	3	4	4	7	8
..... number..	213	-	47	40	27	51	48
CROPS HARVESTED							
Com for grain or seed..... farms..	3 052	27	297	590	698	823	617
..... acres..	26 753	270	2 646	5 451	7 356	6 943	4 087
Irrigated..... bushels..	1 331 649	11 303	130 422	310 420	375 165	332 846	171 493
..... farms..	30	-	3	6	5	10	6
..... acres..	494	-	5	109	85	250	45
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres.....	2 875	24	282	552	649	774	594
25 to 99 acres.....	157	3	14	32	41	45	22
100 to 249 acres.....	18	-	1	6	7	3	1
250 acres or more.....	2	-	-	-	1	1	-
Com for silage or green chop..... farms..	342	2	40	77	79	81	63
..... acres..	6 980	(D)	(D)	1 145	1 873	1 724	1 727
Irrigated..... tons, green..	89 502	(D)	(D)	14 739	24 420	20 367	23 950
..... farms..	5	-	-	1	-	3	1
..... acres..	57	-	-	(D)	-	(D)	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres.....	274	2	35	63	55	68	51
25 to 99 acres.....	54	-	5	14	19	9	7
100 to 249 acres.....	12	-	-	-	5	3	4
250 acres or more.....	2	-	-	-	-	1	1
Sorghum for grain or seed..... farms..	188	2	19	55	42	47	23
..... acres..	10 400	(D)	(D)	3 120	2 723	2 404	1 385
Irrigated..... bushels..	525 016	(D)	(D)	181 262	119 549	112 629	75 774
..... farms..	1	-	-	1	-	-	-
..... acres..	(D)	-	-	(D)	-	-	-
Wheat for grain..... farms..	1 071	24	191	294	281	189	92
..... acres..	90 133	1 313	15 357	25 048	24 312	15 492	8 611
Irrigated..... bushels..	2 838 289	42 354	489 725	782 921	771 965	456 992	294 332
..... farms..	3	-	-	2	1	-	-
..... acres..	670	-	-	(D)	(D)	-	-
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres.....	309	7	55	79	72	60	36
25 to 99 acres.....	500	12	89	139	134	88	38
100 to 249 acres.....	193	5	38	60	51	28	11
250 acres or more.....	69	-	9	16	24	13	7

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Item	Total farming and other occupations	Farming						
		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
CROPS HARVESTED—Con.								
Rice ----- farms..	714	673	14	118	168	160	168	
acres..	240 303	230 205	2 536	31 108	58 203	58 401	66 676	
Irrigated ----- farms..	10 106 176	9 692 961	107 739	1 391 870	2 554 261	2 343 276	2 721 268	
acres..	714	673	14	118	168	160	168	
Farms by acres harvested:	240 303	230 205	2 536	31 108	58 203	58 401	66 676	
1 to 24 acres -----	14	8	-	6	1	-	1	
25 to 99 acres -----	79	70	5	17	12	10	22	
100 to 249 acres -----	239	229	3	52	68	49	43	
250 acres or more -----	382	366	6	43	87	101	102	
Cotton ----- farms..	3 707	3 033	77	442	591	618	788	
acres..	977 945	915 973	9 002	118 934	214 485	234 658	230 072	
Irrigated ----- farms..	1 641 208	1 551 068	13 496	199 666	356 332	400 264	405 312	
acres..	216	198	1	30	43	47	51	
Farms by acres harvested:	59 327	56 050	(D)	(D)	12 807	15 394	15 887	
1 to 24 acres -----	731	444	16	24	45	63	131	
25 to 99 acres -----	946	675	32	100	104	123	179	
100 to 249 acres -----	787	726	19	149	174	127	187	
250 acres or more -----	1 243	1 188	10	169	268	305	291	
Soybeans for beans ----- farms..	11 121	7 470	240	1 249	1 456	1 557	1 754	
acres..	3 456 995	3 075 317	57 793	493 748	743 224	786 012	729 931	
Irrigated ----- farms..	81 878 805	73 588 934	1 348 777	11 676 169	17 679 090	18 713 068	17 929 643	
acres..	414	379	2	78	83	78	106	
Farms by acres harvested:	119 010	112 898	(D)	(D)	23 440	26 657	34 954	
1 to 24 acres -----	1 732	671	15	45	62	89	170	
25 to 99 acres -----	3 244	1 624	65	191	210	299	398	
100 to 249 acres -----	2 180	1 550	78	297	314	298	377	
250 acres or more -----	3 965	3 625	82	716	870	871	809	
Irish potatoes ----- farms..	174	62	-	3	5	11	20	
acres..	237	142	-	23	4	89	15	
Irrigated ----- farms..	34 298	21 948	-	3 112	373	16 036	1 350	
acres..	3	1	-	-	-	1	-	
Sweetpotatoes ----- farms..	269	161	4	18	26	18	39	
acres..	3 342	2 785	113	342	980	543	708	
Irrigated ----- farms..	665 590	581 088	4 000	69 810	222 700	102 218	170 442	
acres..	13	8	-	1	1	1	1	
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) ----- farms..	18 241	7 770	81	644	1 021	1 410	2 104	
acres..	602 674	343 659	3 875	36 912	56 760	75 690	91 546	
Irrigated ----- farms..	1 140 876	681 962	6 398	77 010	116 723	159 182	183 222	
acres..	64	26	-	1	9	5	6	
Farms by acres harvested:	1 088	549	-	(D)	(D)	140	67	
1 to 24 acres -----	11 241	4 013	35	252	420	605	1 101	
25 to 99 acres -----	5 749	2 866	33	284	430	600	759	
100 to 249 acres -----	1 062	738	13	92	144	161	205	
250 acres or more -----	189	153	-	16	27	44	39	
Tame hay other than alfalfa, small grain, and wild hay (see text) ----- farms..	12 682	5 443	56	474	734	991	1 506	
acres..	397 522	223 728	2 539	24 481	34 112	49 340	61 320	
Irrigated ----- farms..	798 728	472 575	4 314	54 090	74 705	109 790	131 670	
acres..	31	11	-	1	5	1	2	
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text) ----- farms..	1 359	575	11	47	69	108	142	
acres..	11 497	7 041	237	1 176	1 159	1 370	1 771	
Irrigated ----- farms..	99	43	-	9	8	7	10	
acres..	653	468	-	139	40	138	115	
Farms by acres harvested:								
0.1 to 4.9 acres -----	846	324	3	13	34	52	76	
5.0 to 24.9 acres -----	401	169	3	20	27	36	43	
25.0 to 99.9 acres -----	101	71	5	12	5	19	19	
100.0 acres or more -----	11	11	-	2	3	1	4	
Land in orchards ----- farms..	1 539	593	6	57	66	98	167	
acres..	18 355	9 688	28	1 051	2 350	1 842	2 254	
Irrigated ----- farms..	82	30	-	4	7	4	4	
acres..	557	242	-	10	32	58	16	
Farms by bearing and nonbearing acres:								
0.1 to 4.9 acres -----	819	305	4	31	32	38	77	
5.0 to 24.9 acres -----	580	210	2	18	22	42	68	
25.0 to 99.9 acres -----	111	56	-	4	8	14	16	
100.0 acres or more -----	29	22	-	4	4	4	6	

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Item		Other occupations					
		Total	Age of operator (years)				
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64
CROPS HARVESTED—Con.							
Rice ----- farms..	41	-	3	9	10	10	9
acres..	10 098	-	869	1 650	3 101	3 358	1 120
cwt..	413 215	-	33 734	74 680	129 346	126 086	49 369
Irrigated ----- farms..	41	-	3	9	10	10	9
acres..	10 098	-	869	1 650	3 101	3 358	1 120
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres	6	-	1	-	-	2	3
25 to 99 acres	9	-	-	4	1	1	3
100 to 249 acres	10	-	-	4	4	1	1
250 acres or more	16	-	2	1	5	6	2
Cotton ----- farms..	674	11	89	117	159	160	138
acres..	61 972	382	5 602	9 344	16 189	19 925	10 530
bales..	90 140	479	7 828	13 311	22 357	30 764	15 401
Irrigated ----- farms..	18	-	2	4	5	3	4
acres..	3 277	-	(D)	(D)	354	646	617
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres	287	3	28	43	56	82	75
25 to 99 acres	271	8	49	56	66	48	44
100 to 249 acres	61	-	7	11	25	13	5
250 acres or more	55	-	5	7	12	17	14
Soybeans for beans ----- farms..	3 651	72	511	919	913	789	447
acres..	381 878	5 935	54 600	102 381	115 865	75 536	27 361
bushels..	8 289 871	132 158	1 117 967	2 277 317	2 465 969	1 711 066	585 394
Irrigated ----- farms..	35	2	2	8	14	5	4
acres..	6 112	(D)	(D)	3 455	1 474	713	88
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres	1 061	26	116	217	238	276	188
25 to 99 acres	1 620	27	227	398	420	349	199
100 to 249 acres	630	14	119	209	151	100	37
250 acres or more	340	5	49	95	104	64	23
Cash potatoes ----- farms..	112	3	14	24	22	30	19
acres..	95	2	9	17	24	27	15
cwt..	12 350	148	1 253	1 034	4 691	3 588	1 636
Irrigated ----- farms..	2	-	-	2	-	-	-
acres..	(D)	-	-	(D)	-	-	-
Sweet potatoes ----- farms..	108	3	7	24	28	19	27
acres..	557	26	7	100	344	24	56
bushels..	84 502	3 854	920	12 215	60 291	2 320	4 902
Irrigated ----- farms..	5	-	-	2	1	2	-
acres..	4	-	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	-
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) ----- farms..	10 471	100	1 027	2 282	2 779	2 713	1 570
acres..	259 015	1 957	24 213	58 881	70 870	67 270	35 824
tons, dry..	458 914	3 151	43 466	109 828	122 025	121 653	58 791
Irrigated ----- farms..	38	-	-	10	8	16	4
acres..	539	-	-	148	100	198	93
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres	7 228	71	716	1 509	1 871	1 900	1 161
25 to 99 acres	2 883	29	282	677	816	722	357
100 to 249 acres	324	-	28	88	82	80	46
250 acres or more	36	-	1	8	10	11	6
Tame hay other than alfalfa, small grain, and wild hay (see text) ----- farms..	7 239	64	697	1 643	2 001	1 867	967
acres..	173 794	1 127	15 843	41 402	48 930	44 523	21 969
tons, dry..	326 153	1 849	30 387	80 644	88 571	85 690	39 012
Irrigated ----- farms..	20	-	-	5	5	8	2
acres..	317	-	-	109	20	(D)	(D)
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text) ----- farms..	784	13	74	200	182	203	112
acres..	4 456	228	664	1 189	973	807	595
Irrigated ----- farms..	56	-	2	22	18	14	-
acres..	186	-	(D)	(D)	63	28	-
Farms by acres harvested:							
0.1 to 4.9 acres	522	3	43	122	120	154	80
5.0 to 24.9 acres	232	8	24	68	57	48	27
25.0 to 99.9 acres	30	2	7	10	5	1	5
100.0 acres or more	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Orchards ----- farms..	946	6	85	196	267	273	119
acres..	8 667	13	560	1 506	3 050	2 436	1 102
Irrigated ----- farms..	52	-	7	18	14	13	-
acres..	315	-	37	130	108	41	-
Farms by bearing and nonbearing acres:							
0.1 to 4.9 acres	514	5	50	118	136	141	64
5.0 to 24.9 acres	370	1	31	65	108	117	48
25.0 to 99.9 acres	55	-	4	13	21	11	6
100.0 acres or more	7	-	-	-	2	4	1

*Data are based on a sample of farms.