

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 | 174 | (NA) | (NA) | - | (NA) | (NA) |
| 3 or 4 years | 251 | (NA) | (NA) | 2 | (NA) | (NA) |
| 5 to 9 years | 533 | (NA) | (NA) | 2 | (NA) | (NA) |
| 10 years or more | 1 439 | (NA) | (NA) | 5 | (NA) | (NA) |
| Average years on present farm | 16.9 | (NA) | (NA) | 13.0 | (NA) | (NA) |
| Not reported | 360 | (NA) | (NA) | - | (NA) | (NA) |
| Operators by age group²: | | | | | | |
| Under 25 years | 28 | 36 | 31 | - | - | - |
| 25 to 34 years | 323 | 296 | 267 | - | - | 3 |
| 35 to 44 years | 634 | 564 | 415 | 1 | 4 | 4 |
| 45 to 54 years | 646 | 585 | 612 | 4 | - | - |
| 55 to 64 years | 641 | 570 | 564 | 2 | 1 | 4 |
| 65 years and over | 485 | 457 | 448 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| Average age | 50.9 | 50.7 | 52.0 | 53.7 | 53.1 | 53.1 |
| Operators by sex: | | | | | | |
| Male | 2 448 | 2 328 | (NA) | 6 | 8 | (NA) |
| acres | 436 076 | 461 557 | (NA) | 631 | 416 | (NA) |
| Female | 309 | 180 | (NA) | 3 | - | (NA) |
| acres | 33 506 | 23 074 | (NA) | 597 | - | (NA) |
| Operators of Spanish origin | | | | | | |
| farms | 7 | 8 | (NA) | - | 3 | (NA) |
| acres | 985 | 956 | (NA) | - | 167 | (NA) |
| Type of organization: | | | | | | |
| Individual or family | 2 457 | 2 240 | (NA) | 8 | 8 | (NA) |
| acres | 377 182 | 402 142 | (NA) | (D) | 416 | (NA) |
| Partnership | 188 | 161 | (NA) | - | - | (NA) |
| acres | 48 503 | 44 943 | (NA) | - | - | (NA) |
| Corporation | 85 | 83 | (NA) | - | - | (NA) |
| acres | 29 751 | 24 736 | (NA) | (D) | - | (NA) |
| Family held: | | | | | | |
| More than 10 stockholders | 2 | 2 | (NA) | - | - | (NA) |
| acres | (D) | (D) | (NA) | - | - | (NA) |
| 10 or less stockholders | 74 | 76 | (NA) | 1 | - | (NA) |
| acres | (D) | (D) | (NA) | (D) | - | (NA) |
| Other than family held: | | | | | | |
| More than 10 stockholders | - | - | (NA) | - | - | (NA) |
| acres | - | - | (NA) | - | - | (NA) |
| 10 or less stockholders | 9 | 5 | (NA) | - | - | (NA) |
| acres | 2 125 | (D) | (NA) | - | - | (NA) |
| Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. | | | | | | |
| farms | 27 | 24 | (NA) | - | - | (NA) |
| acres | 14 166 | 12 810 | (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 | 309 | 7 | 9 | 2 | 5 | 2 | - |
| 1978 | 180 | 8 | 8 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 3 |
| Land in farms | 33 506 | 985 | 1 228 | (D) | 379 | (D) | - |
| 1978 | 23 074 | 956 | 416 | (D) | (D) | (D) | 114 |
| Harvested cropland | 208 | 7 | 6 | 2 | 3 | 1 | - |
| 1978 | 149 | 7 | 7 | - | 2 | 2 | 3 |
| acres | 5 101 | 88 | 301 | (D) | 218 | (D) | - |
| 1978 | 5 254 | 223 | 215 | - | (D) | (D) | 75 |
| 1982 FARMS BY SIZE | | | | | | | |
| 1 to 9 acres | 53 | 4 | 2 | - | 2 | - | - |
| 10 to 49 acres | 101 | 1 | 1 | - | 1 | - | - |
| 50 to 139 acres | 88 | 1 | 1 | 1 | - | - | - |
| 140 to 219 acres | 35 | - | 3 | - | 2 | 1 | - |
| 220 to 499 acres | 23 | - | 2 | 1 | - | 1 | - |
| 500 acres or more | 9 | 1 | - | - | - | - | - |
| TENURE OF OPERATOR | | | | | | | |
| Full owners | 243 | 6 | 6 | 1 | 3 | 2 | - |
| 1978 | (NA) | 5 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 2 | - |
| acres | 23 804 | (D) | 608 | (D) | (D) | (D) | - |
| 1978 | (NA) | 616 | 202 | (D) | (D) | (D) | - |
| Part owners | 54 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 2 | - | - |
| 1978 | (NA) | 3 | 3 | - | 1 | - | 2 |
| acres | 9 060 | (D) | 620 | (D) | (D) | - | (D) |
| 1978 | (NA) | 340 | (D) | - | (D) | - | (D) |
| Tenants | 12 | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 1978 | (NA) | - | 1 | - | - | - | 1 |
| acres | 642 | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 1978 | (NA) | - | (D) | - | - | - | (D) |

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

[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) |
| 1982 FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION | | | | | | | |
| Individual or family | 283 | 6 | 8 | 1 | 5 | 2 | - |
| Partnership | 19 | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Family held corporation | 5 | - | 1 | 1 | - | - | - |
| Other than family held corporation | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. | 2 | 1 | - | - | - | - | - |
| 1982 MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD | | | | | | | |
| Total sales (see text) | farms... 309 | 7 | 9 | 2 | 5 | 2 | - |
| \$1,000 | 2 975 | 125 | 223 | (D) | 172 | (D) | - |
| farms... 130 | | 5 | 3 | 1 | 2 | - | - |
| Crops, including nursery and greenhouse products | \$1,000... 863 | 96 | 42 | (D) | (D) | - | - |
| farms... 205 | | 4 | 7 | 2 | 4 | 1 | - |
| Livestock, poultry, and their products | \$1,000... 2 112 | 29 | 181 | (D) | (D) | (D) | - |
| Farms by value of sales: | | | | | | | |
| Less than \$2,500 | 166 | 3 | 3 | - | 2 | 1 | - |
| \$2,500 to \$9,999 | 97 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 2 | - | - |
| \$10,000 to \$19,999 | 18 | 1 | 1 | - | - | 1 | - |
| \$20,000 or more | 28 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | - | - |
| Abnormal farms | - | 1 | - | - | - | - | - |
| 1982 FARMS BY STANDARD INDUSTRIAL CLASSIFICATION | | | | | | | |
| Cash grains (011) | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Field crops, except cash grains (013) | 46 | - | 1 | - | 1 | - | - |
| Cotton (0131) | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Tobacco (0132) | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Sugar crops, Irish potatoes, hay, peanuts, and other field crops (0133, 0134, 0139) | 46 | - | 1 | - | 1 | - | - |
| Vegetables and melons (016) | 11 | 1 | 1 | - | 1 | - | - |
| Fruits and tree nuts (017) | 15 | - | 1 | 1 | - | - | - |
| Horticultural specialties (018) | 22 | 2 | - | - | - | - | - |
| General farms, primarily crop (019) | 17 | 2 | 1 | - | - | 1 | - |
| Livestock, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialties (021) | 95 | 2 | 4 | 1 | 2 | 1 | - |
| Beef cattle, except feedlots (0212) | 41 | 1 | 1 | 1 | - | - | - |
| Dairy farms (024) | 20 | - | 1 | - | 1 | - | - |
| Poultry and eggs (025) | 8 | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Animal specialties (027) | 70 | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| General farms, primarily livestock (029) | 4 | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 1982 OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS | | | | | | | |
| Operators by place of residence: | | | | | | | |
| On farm operated | 278 | 4 | 9 | 2 | 5 | 2 | - |
| Not on farm operated | 20 | 3 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Not reported | 11 | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Operators by principal occupation: | | | | | | | |
| Farming | 148 | 1 | 4 | 2 | 2 | - | - |
| Other | 161 | 6 | 5 | - | 3 | 2 | - |
| Operators by days of work off farm: | | | | | | | |
| None | 131 | 2 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Any | 156 | 5 | 8 | 2 | 4 | 2 | - |
| 1 to 99 days | 33 | - | 2 | 2 | - | - | - |
| 100 to 199 days | 38 | 1 | 1 | - | 1 | - | - |
| 200 days or more | 85 | 4 | 5 | - | 3 | 2 | - |
| Not reported | 22 | - | 1 | - | 1 | - | - |
| Operators by years on present farm: | | | | | | | |
| 2 years or less | 29 | 3 | - | - | - | - | - |
| 3 or 4 years | 44 | 2 | 2 | - | 2 | - | - |
| 5 to 9 years | 77 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | - |
| 10 years or more | 121 | 1 | 5 | 1 | 3 | 1 | - |
| Average years on present farm | 12.3 | 6.4 | 13.0 | 13.5 | 14.6 | 8.5 | - |
| Not reported | 38 | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Operators by age group: | | | | | | | |
| Under 25 years | 3 | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 25 to 34 years | 54 | 1 | - | - | - | - | - |
| 35 to 44 years | 99 | 1 | 1 | - | - | 1 | - |
| 45 to 54 years | 66 | 3 | 4 | 1 | 2 | 1 | - |
| 55 to 64 years | 33 | 2 | 2 | - | 2 | - | - |
| 65 years and over | 54 | - | 2 | 1 | 1 | - | - |
| Average age | 47.7 | 47.6 | 53.7 | 58.0 | 56.2 | 43.0 | - |
| Operators by sex: | | | | | | | |
| Male | (X) | 4 | 6 | - | 4 | 2 | - |
| Female | 309 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 1 | - | - |
| Operators of Spanish origin | 3 | 7 | - | - | - | - | - |
| 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... 92 | 2 | 5 | 1 | 3 | 1 | - |
| \$1,000 | 176 | (D) | 36 | (D) | (D) | (D) | - |