

**Table 78. Land Use of Owned Land by Ownership Characteristics**

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Characteristics	Total				Total cropland					
	Number	Acres (1,000)	Number	Acres (1,000)	Cropland, excluding orchard/vineyard and pasture		Orchard/vineyard		Cropland pastured	
					Number	Acres (1,000)	Number	Acres (1,000)	Number	Acres (1,000)
<b>United States</b> .....	<b>2 952 282</b>	<b>833 157</b>	<b>2 516 583</b>	<b>409 940</b>	<b>2 165 398</b>	<b>345 363</b>	<b>166 715</b>	<b>4 479</b>	<b>800 968</b>	<b>60 099</b>
Acres owned:										
1 to 9 acres .....	189 340	915	113 668	468	77 998	308	21 272	68	24 110	91
10 to 49 acres .....	707 792	18 735	578 109	11 334	456 158	8 130	61 483	687	168 953	2 518
50 to 179 acres .....	1 134 168	118 787	999 553	77 337	868 516	62 791	56 755	1 320	319 996	13 226
180 to 499 acres .....	613 587	177 110	561 536	114 577	513 194	97 075	20 269	1 202	199 198	16 301
500 to 999 acres .....	183 275	124 246	163 240	75 375	153 502	66 483	4 190	490	58 514	8 402
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....	79 062	106 743	66 777	53 797	64 540	47 564	1 535	370	20 017	5 862
2,000 acres or more .....	45 058	286 621	33 700	77 053	31 490	63 011	1 211	342	11 380	13 700
Ownership status:										
Owner-operator .....	1 655 716	494 737	1 335 428	216 003	1 049 058	168 812	133 079	3 803	599 076	43 386
Owned land rented to others .....	169 976	78 382	157 839	37 535	143 990	30 737	15 017	701	64 805	6 098
Nonoperator-owner .....	1 296 566	338 420	1 181 155	193 937	1 116 340	176 550	33 636	676	201 892	16 711
Type of organization:										
Individual or family .....	2 265 541	505 775	1 901 671	262 807	1 604 030	219 681	127 199	2 185	652 541	40 941
Partnership .....	242 758	103 598	215 473	48 562	190 508	39 606	15 637	884	63 243	8 072
Corporation .....	60 566	100 089	50 759	32 240	43 239	25 501	6 703	1 049	14 576	5 690
Family held .....	57 410	89 136	48 741	30 024	41 959	24 143	6 394	920	13 567	4 960
Other than family held .....	3 156	10 953	2 018	2 216	1 280	1 358	309	128	1 009	730
Other .....	383 417	123 695	348 680	66 331	327 621	60 575	17 176	361	70 608	5 395
<b>CHARACTERISTICS OF OWNERS</b>										
Age of owner <sup>1</sup> :										
Under 25 years .....	17 416	3 119	13 879	1 892	12 457	1 534	309	3	4 910	355
25 to 34 years .....	165 692	26 138	128 672	15 172	104 858	12 585	8 125	144	45 174	2 443
35 to 44 years .....	349 373	64 385	283 634	33 944	230 941	28 146	21 976	498	105 721	5 301
45 to 49 years .....	231 946	50 451	190 923	24 704	158 149	20 388	16 586	263	72 463	4 053
50 to 54 years .....	250 978	66 846	208 557	32 026	168 066	24 814	19 558	562	81 275	6 650
55 to 59 years .....	298 782	78 556	247 608	38 200	206 875	32 448	16 984	379	89 811	5 372
60 to 64 years .....	303 695	89 963	263 135	47 084	222 803	36 437	17 057	404	93 987	8 243
65 to 69 years .....	284 657	84 555	244 002	41 404	208 418	34 908	16 219	302	83 000	6 194
70 years and over .....	605 760	145 360	536 734	76 943	481 969	66 026	24 022	514	140 243	10 403
Owner by race <sup>1</sup> :										
White .....	2 458 154	602 131	2 076 922	309 280	1 763 015	257 839	135 838	2 921	704 220	48 520
Black .....	31 793	1 966	26 322	974	22 971	701	2 314	6	8 353	267
American Indian .....	5 359	1 715	4 367	516	2 825	329	724	2	2 033	185
Asian or Pacific Islander .....	5 502	469	4 997	398	2 690	273	2 637	118	236	7
Other .....	7 491	3 090	4 536	201	3 037	145	1 323	21	942	34
Owner of Spanish origin <sup>1</sup> .....	16 587	6 114	12 220	1 940	6 144	1 372	2 559	101	6 120	467
Owner reporting land acquired during:										
1988 .....	105 105	58 245	90 498	28 834	79 511	25 620	7 679	651	29 446	2 563
1983 to 1987 .....	615 617	220 278	522 596	104 129	441 817	87 341	40 659	1 793	179 098	14 996
1979 to 1982 .....	519 469	175 729	443 381	91 977	372 223	78 725	39 195	1 539	148 620	11 713
1975 to 1978 .....	496 578	161 219	419 630	82 935	352 393	70 855	33 374	1 279	153 195	10 801
1970 to 1974 .....	446 467	163 827	383 608	81 435	326 167	67 361	31 796	1 211	129 363	12 863
Before 1969 .....	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Owner reporting sale or disposition of land during:										
1988 .....	62 132	33 590	51 734	16 884	46 959	14 154	4 170	332	12 054	2 397
1983 to 1987 .....	147 446	61 470	131 362	29 460	112 955	25 034	10 616	525	45 720	3 901
1979 to 1982 .....	91 400	32 461	79 595	16 717	67 792	13 687	8 221	485	28 158	2 545
1975 to 1978 .....	77 091	24 166	66 931	12 282	56 972	10 258	4 846	158	26 790	1 866
1970 to 1974 .....	54 363	18 377	49 023	7 901	41 436	6 737	3 816	96	16 349	1 068
Before 1969 .....	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Owner acquiring land in 1988:										
Any financing .....	43 910	19 190	39 018	10 952	34 564	9 157	4 259	640	13 282	1 154
Federal land bank .....	6 720	2 972	5 897	1 890	5 581	1 723	514	23	1 743	144
Farmer's Home Administration .....	774	668	754	234	751	168	3	(Z)	409	65
Insurance companies .....	672	888	667	555	655	410	25	31	281	114
Commercial banks/savings and loans .....	18 314	7 373	15 606	3 854	13 471	3 169	1 849	289	5 653	396
Other (includes seller financing) .....	17 430	7 288	16 094	4 419	14 106	3 687	1 868	297	5 196	435
Owned land rented to others:										
Any .....	1 466 542	416 802	1 338 994	231 473	1 260 330	207 287	48 653	1 377	266 697	22 809
Cash lease .....	990 817	290 956	882 684	142 101	821 040	124 284	35 346	1 129	190 250	16 689
Any adjustment for unusual or exceptional circumstances .....	55 987	32 937	51 812	11 262	48 473	10 102	2 048	56	12 366	1 105
Share lease .....	426 082	136 444	414 076	96 637	404 103	90 305	10 295	212	68 318	6 120
Cash/share lease .....	46 738	15 711	43 199	8 801	40 613	7 764	2 729	57	12 128	981
Other .....	51 174	9 462	46 146	5 290	41 522	4 513	1 661	27	10 303	750
Owners reporting use of farm management services .....	144 680	88 704	127 466	44 640	109 008	38 357	15 576	1 346	40 663	4 937
Owners reporting acres enrolled in the Federal Conservation Reserve Program .....	150 023	82 952	141 276	45 927	137 285	39 857	6 888	145	48 573	5 925

See footnotes at end of table.

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Characteristics	Other pasture		Forest/woodland not pastured		All other land		Acres in Federal Conservation Reserve program	
	Number	Acres (1,000)	Number	Acres (1,000)	Number	Acres (1,000)	Number	Acres (1,000)
<b>United States</b> .....	<b>1 131 110</b>	<b>328 263</b>	<b>987 606</b>	<b>57 265</b>	<b>1 451 561</b>	<b>37 689</b>	<b>150 023</b>	<b>14 448</b>
<b>Acres owned:</b>								
1 to 9 acres .....	43 985	175	28 752	71	91 680	201	1 302	38
10 to 49 acres .....	210 691	3 495	218 771	2 135	295 594	1 771	11 455	139
50 to 179 acres .....	401 545	19 993	423 953	13 284	558 188	8 173	53 380	1 702
180 to 499 acres .....	278 124	32 494	235 761	19 855	347 136	10 184	47 009	2 854
500 to 999 acres .....	106 497	33 930	56 706	8 878	102 392	6 063	17 838	2 403
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....	54 684	42 889	16 976	5 705	38 226	4 353	11 731	3 529
2,000 acres or more .....	35 584	195 287	6 687	7 337	18 345	6 944	7 308	3 783
<b>Ownership status:</b>								
Owner-operator .....	758 671	214 792	588 960	38 353	937 643	25 589	121 569	12 986
Owned land rented to others .....	90 052	29 065	71 237	7 382	109 933	4 400	22 849	2 290
Nonoperator-owner .....	372 439	113 471	398 646	18 912	513 918	12 100	28 454	1 462
<b>Type of organization:</b>								
Individual or family .....	903 250	178 208	771 839	39 702	1 117 885	25 058	114 677	10 777
Partnership .....	87 360	44 204	80 046	6 892	125 238	3 940	18 511	2 095
Corporation .....	23 731	59 721	17 292	3 798	32 564	4 329	3 439	828
Family held .....	22 101	51 896	16 538	3 391	30 708	3 825	3 149	758
Other than family held .....	1 630	7 825	754	408	1 856	504	290	70
Other .....	116 769	46 130	118 429	6 872	175 874	4 362	13 396	748
<b>CHARACTERISTICS OF OWNERS</b>								
<b>Age of owner<sup>1</sup>:</b>								
Under 25 years .....	4 849	986	3 617	170	6 938	71	560	18
25 to 34 years .....	59 412	7 508	52 398	1 889	88 289	1 570	12 083	882
35 to 44 years .....	149 146	22 331	118 485	4 824	185 469	3 285	18 677	1 513
45 to 49 years .....	99 325	18 838	82 946	4 623	125 688	2 287	16 763	1 703
50 to 54 years .....	104 026	25 701	92 600	5 728	130 728	3 391	15 404	1 501
55 to 59 years .....	122 451	30 021	101 595	6 414	152 394	3 921	15 160	1 888
60 to 64 years .....	122 301	32 161	102 626	6 628	147 484	4 091	17 707	1 926
65 to 69 years .....	112 330	34 490	100 143	5 054	144 930	3 608	16 987	1 707
70 years and over .....	216 770	50 376	197 475	11 266	261 203	6 775	19 847	1 734
<b>Owner by race<sup>1</sup>:</b>								
White .....	975 596	218 367	836 558	46 038	1 224 932	28 447	131 898	12 850
Black .....	8 221	403	13 038	461	11 699	128	1 128	13
American Indian .....	3 399	1 106	1 264	67	1 382	26	80	2
Asian or Pacific Islander .....	409	16	495	7	2 484	49	71	7
Other .....	2 985	2 520	530	22	2 626	348	11	1
<b>Owner of Spanish origin<sup>1</sup></b> .....	<b>8 637</b>	<b>3 894</b>	<b>2 808</b>	<b>182</b>	<b>7 582</b>	<b>98</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>29</b>
<b>Owner reporting land acquired during:</b>								
1988 .....	49 590	24 661	34 463	2 868	58 495	1 882	7 630	1 173
1983 to 1987 .....	247 172	91 730	201 240	14 957	315 428	9 462	39 441	3 929
1979 to 1982 .....	206 875	63 247	168 711	12 509	286 477	7 995	38 276	3 779
1975 to 1978 .....	213 152	60 237	165 964	10 419	269 791	7 627	33 778	3 849
1970 to 1974 .....	190 874	63 144	154 736	11 423	234 151	7 825	29 260	3 989
Before 1969 .....	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
<b>Owner reporting sale or disposition of land during:</b>								
1988 .....	26 853	13 579	19 195	1 536	24 624	1 590	3 888	371
1983 to 1987 .....	67 228	25 703	55 672	3 773	83 926	2 533	9 384	947
1979 to 1982 .....	36 362	11 856	32 095	2 846	47 670	1 042	5 617	639
1975 to 1978 .....	33 523	8 364	29 496	2 050	46 804	1 470	3 666	671
1970 to 1974 .....	23 414	8 698	22 850	1 079	31 284	699	4 980	257
Before 1969 .....	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
<b>Owner acquiring land in 1988:</b>								
Any financing .....	18 203	6 601	13 943	921	29 265	717	3 306	682
Federal land bank .....	2 274	827	2 403	139	4 213	116	711	99
Farmer's Home Administration .....	270	424	56	4	253	6	23	3
Insurance companies .....	206	306	219	6	491	20	104	24
Commercial banks/savings and loans .....	8 422	2 679	5 839	505	12 008	336	1 440	194
Other (includes seller financing) .....	7 031	2 364	5 426	266	12 300	239	1 028	361
<b>Owned land rented to others:</b>								
Any .....	462 491	142 536	469 883	26 294	623 851	16 500	51 303	3 753
Cash lease .....	326 388	118 188	342 041	19 856	396 409	10 811	30 742	2 573
Any adjustment for unusual or exceptional circumstances .....	18 620	19 741	17 376	1 133	27 342	801	3 560	286
Share lease .....	124 230	28 341	104 390	5 472	209 403	5 994	21 270	1 363
Cash/share lease .....	20 516	5 362	14 582	810	25 938	737	3 592	167
Other .....	19 248	2 450	22 910	1 223	21 621	500	560	55
<b>Owners reporting use of farm management services</b> .....	<b>51 072</b>	<b>35 898</b>	<b>47 552</b>	<b>4 437</b>	<b>92 451</b>	<b>3 729</b>	<b>11 946</b>	<b>2 013</b>
<b>Owners reporting acres enrolled in the Federal Conservation Reserve Program</b> .....	<b>71 870</b>	<b>27 680</b>	<b>52 869</b>	<b>5 846</b>	<b>92 909</b>	<b>3 500</b>	<b>150 023</b>	<b>14 448</b>

<sup>1</sup>Includes individual and partnership operations only.