

Table 25. Discontinuance of All Irrigation Since 1987 by Reason: 1988

[Excludes irrigation data for Alaska, Hawaii, and abnormal and horticultural specialty farms]

Geographic and water resources areas	Discontinued irrigation since 1987				Reason of discontinuance					
	Farms	Acres irrigated in 1987	Reported discontinuance to be permanent		Sufficient soil moisture		Shortage of surface water		Shortage of ground water	
			Farms	Acres irrigated in 1987	Farms	Acres irrigated in 1987	Farms	Acres irrigated in 1987	Farms	Acres irrigated in 1987
Conterminous United States	14 767	840 303	3 006	174 278	2 550	120 999	3 588	204 722	1 757	50 780
27 leading Irrigation States	10 762	774 803	1 928	155 183	1 725	100 112	2 618	197 827	1 333	45 717
17 Western States	8 984	645 575	1 649	138 885	1 017	66 382	2 380	188 720	1 180	40 267
All other States	4 005	65 500	1 078	19 095	825	20 887	970	6 895	424	5 063
Arizona	338	11 338	6	(D)	2	(D)	-	-	-	-
Arkansas	34	10 872	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
California	2 985	60 871	1 039	17 028	-	-	1 087	12 870	991	4 955
Colorado	133	25 033	50	5 700	-	-	-	-	-	-
Florida	276	24 365	84	4 888	169	13 009	-	-	-	-
Georgia	673	24 074	89	3 895	437	7 269	77	1 925	77	2 695
Idaho	431	65 857	11	6 875	-	-	131	21 390	23	4 830
Illinois	79	3 534	29	804	21	347	23	344	38	95
Kansas	266	32 240	29	6 960	79	9 480	-	-	-	-
Louisiana	95	15 283	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Michigan	188	9 321	32	845	13	1 244	59	3 428	30	920
Minnesota	146	9 512	14	2 080	4	580	4	1 000	2	(D)
Mississippi	106	11 970	8	1 100	21	5 660	65	560	-	-
Missouri	134	15 458	17	2 122	30	5 556	6	1 190	4	740
Montana	809	66 851	-	-	-	-	470	53 198	-	-
Nebraska	259	41 124	48	28 464	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nevada	126	26 807	38	2 129	-	-	80	23 050	8	1 100
New Mexico	193	15 986	20	3 680	114	5 663	3	684	-	-
North Dakota	79	8 270	-	-	-	-	79	8 270	-	-
Oklahoma	283	19 156	19	3 840	-	-	39	3 025	13	1 950
Oregon	1 524	56 971	101	11 741	530	17 205	194	21 312	69	2 070
South Dakota	71	17 882	19	2 280	-	-	22	8 802	26	4 380
Texas	980	122 884	205	33 976	210	23 380	-	-	31	12 700
Utah	171	19 204	-	-	-	-	160	13 934	19	8 282
Washington	181	20 053	63	11 230	35	(D)	13	1 391	-	-
Wisconsin	47	5 039	6	564	13	65	4	660	2	(D)
Wyoming	155	35 048	1	(D)	47	6 470	102	20 794	-	-
Water resources areas:										
WRA 01 New England	15	1 242	3	450	-	-	3	342	-	-
WRA 02 Mid-Atlantic	857	14 705	352	6 712	198	3 554	193	2 780	190	1 520
WRA 03 South Atlantic-Gulf	2 464	88 813	294	15 857	1 011	38 223	150	2 726	161	4 795
WRA 04 Great Lakes	362	10 724	36	1 245	26	1 309	59	3 428	173	1 635
WRA 05 Ohio	1 103	7 980	597	2 609	234	468	761	3 032	7	(D)
WRA 06 Tennessee	444	444	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
WRA 07 Upper Mississippi	246	17 032	49	3 448	32	1 837	27	1 004	40	495
WRA 08 Lower Mississippi	203	42 498	12	3 952	21	8 286	5	500	-	-
WRA 09 Souris-Red-Rainy	78	8 120	-	-	-	-	41	7 390	2	(D)
WRA 10 Missouri	1 464	172 953	118	37 444	17	4 540	601	72 439	26	4 380
WRA 11 Arkansas-White-Red	768	95 769	267	45 896	136	18 372	43	3 765	17	2 690
WRA 12 Texas-Gulf	776	85 443	4	1 840	203	17 584	-	-	31	12 700
WRA 13 Rio Grande	106	13 907	16	1 840	21	1 750	3	684	-	-
WRA 14 Upper Colorado	111	16 175	-	-	41	2 870	66	10 105	-	-
WRA 15 Lower Colorado	384	13 250	9	5 077	45	1 817	-	-	-	-
WRA 16 Great Basin	258	45 526	35	1 034	-	-	203	34 764	27	9 382
WRA 17 Pacific Northwest	2 137	143 171	169	28 166	559	18 709	346	48 893	92	6 900
WRA 18 California	2 991	62 551	1 045	18 708	6	1 680	1 087	12 870	991	4 955

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Geographic and water resources areas	Reason of discontinuance—Con.									
	Uneconomical		Equipment failure		Loss of water rights		Sold water rights		Other	
	Farms	Acres irrigated in 1987	Farms	Acres irrigated in 1987	Farms	Acres irrigated in 1987	Farms	Acres irrigated in 1987	Farms	Acres irrigated in 1987
Conterminous United States	2 655	146 166	826	42 733	14	1 232	6	1 380	5 166	325 038
27 leading irrigation States	2 099	136 034	314	36 350	-	-	6	1 380	3 990	306 267
17 Western States	1 959	125 633	136	26 386	-	-	6	1 380	3 540	249 971
All other States	556	10 132	512	6 383	14	1 232	-	-	1 176	16 771
Arizona	2	(D)	-	-	-	-	-	-	336	10 338
Arkansas	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	3 115
California	1 223	12 110	-	-	-	-	-	-	700	35 894
Colorado	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	123	20 033
Florida	43	4 004	43	2 140	-	-	-	-	60	7 417
Georgia	37	3 080	3	1 725	-	-	-	-	39	7 755
Idaho	108	15 388	84	7 728	-	-	-	-	192	24 065
Illinois	-	-	4	(D)	-	-	-	-	30	1 958
Kansas	79	7 900	-	-	-	-	-	-	108	14 860
Louisiana	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	89	11 683
Michigan	31	684	32	1 276	-	-	-	-	33	2 672
Minnesota	10	1 580	37	1 050	-	-	-	-	96	5 962
Mississippi	-	-	2	(D)	-	-	-	-	15	4 690
Missouri	4	740	42	2 240	-	-	-	-	61	6 998
Montana	28	9 299	-	-	-	-	-	-	19	7 600
Nebraska	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	259	41 124
Nevada	50	3 257	1	(D)	-	-	-	-	7	1 328
New Mexico	49	3 313	2	(D)	-	-	-	-	31	6 330
North Dakota	-	-	3	3 160	-	-	-	-	-	-
Oklahoma	-	-	26	2 080	-	-	-	-	153	10 450
Oregon	147	9 078	6	1 320	-	-	6	1 380	931	18 009
South Dakota	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	38	10 352
Texas	143	51 646	14	10 598	-	-	-	-	612	34 760
Utah	105	4 532	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Washington	19	(D)	-	-	-	-	-	-	26	10 378
Wisconsin	15	313	15	413	-	-	-	-	26	4 046
Wyoming	6	5 519	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	4 450
Water resources areas:										
WRA 01 New England	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	900
WRA 02 Mid-Atlantic	262	2 674	44	1 930	-	-	-	-	316	3 830
WRA 03 South Atlantic-Gulf	188	12 537	94	6 478	14	1 232	-	-	480	24 819
WRA 04 Great Lakes	187	1 412	188	2 004	-	-	-	-	51	3 347
WRA 05 Ohio	43	1 290	279	1 525	-	-	-	-	20	2 140
WRA 06 Tennessee	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	444	444
WRA 07 Upper Mississippi	12	1 880	42	2 085	-	-	-	-	143	11 831
WRA 08 Lower Mississippi	-	-	7	915	-	-	-	-	134	24 606
WRA 09 Souris-Red-Rainy	-	-	36	3 490	-	-	-	-	4	4 400
WRA 10 Missouri	108	19 633	3	1 080	-	-	-	-	422	73 879
WRA 11 Arkansas-White-Red	27	21 066	26	2 080	-	-	-	-	469	44 025
WRA 12 Texas-Gulf	124	33 160	14	10 598	-	-	-	-	441	22 805
WRA 13 Rio Grande	45	1 473	2	(D)	-	-	-	-	34	8 800
WRA 14 Upper Colorado	5	3 085	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	3 200
WRA 15 Lower Colorado	5	2 095	-	-	-	-	-	-	336	10 338
WRA 16 Great Basin	153	9 524	1	(D)	-	-	-	-	7	1 328
WRA 17 Pacific Northwest	267	22 547	90	9 048	-	-	6	1 380	1 143	50 772
WRA 18 California	1 229	13 790	-	-	-	-	-	-	706	37 574