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Characteristics	Female operators	Operators of Spanish origin ¹	Farms operated by Black and other races				
			Total	Black	American Indian	Asian	Other (see text)
FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS							
Farms..... number, 1987..	6 703	143	747	673	50	19	5
..... 1982..	6 768	176	1 006	935	49	16	6
Land in farms..... acres, 1987..	762 811	20 061	52 222	42 688	6 854	(D)	(D)
..... 1982..	737 582	29 015	64 703	55 554	6 826	1 384	939
Harvested cropland..... farms, 1987..	5 755	122	651	588	42	16	5
..... 1982..	5 954	162	903	838	45	14	6
..... acres, 1987..	160 424	6 761	12 976	10 681	1 754	503	38
..... 1982..	150 497	9 089	19 066	17 312	1 231	269	254
1987 FARMS BY SIZE							
1 to 9 acres.....	810	20	162	154	6	2	-
10 to 49 acres.....	1 592	38	282	262	13	6	1
50 to 139 acres.....	2 484	45	199	176	13	7	3
140 to 219 acres.....	910	20	61	50	9	1	1
220 to 499 acres.....	736	15	38	28	7	3	-
500 acres or more.....	171	5	5	3	2	-	-
1987 OWNED AND RENTED LAND IN FARMS							
Owned land in farms..... farms..	6 238	134	704	632	48	19	5
..... acres..	705 242	14 007	43 383	35 770	(D)	(D)	(D)
Rented or leased land in farms..... farms..	1 002	30	150	137	12	1	-
..... acres..	77 569	6 054	8 839	6 918	(D)	(D)	-
TENURE OF OPERATOR							
Full owners..... farms, 1987..	5 701	113	597	536	38	18	5
..... 1982..	5 725	123	777	722	35	16	4
..... acres, 1987..	659 758	10 901	37 365	30 478	4 659	(D)	(D)
..... 1982..	618 568	16 024	47 367	40 715	(D)	1 384	(D)
Part owners..... farms, 1987..	537	21	107	96	10	1	-
..... 1982..	505	36	121	111	10	-	-
..... acres, 1987..	92 213	6 698	11 798	(D)	(D)	(D)	-
..... 1982..	82 885	11 491	13 142	(D)	(D)	-	-
Tenants..... farms, 1987..	465	9	43	41	2	-	-
..... 1982..	538	17	108	102	4	-	2
..... acres, 1987..	30 840	2 462	3 059	(D)	(D)	-	-
..... 1982..	36 129	1 500	4 194	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
1987 FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION							
Individual or family (sole proprietorship).....	5 678	118	664	596	46	17	5
Partnership.....	917	15	79	73	4	2	-
Family held corporation.....	42	5	2	2	-	-	-
Other than family held corporation.....	16	2	-	-	-	-	-
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc.....	50	3	2	2	-	-	-
1987 MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD							
Total sales..... farms..	6 703	143	747	673	50	19	5
..... \$1,000..	95 061	12 110	6 367	5 634	583	128	22
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops..... farms..	4 998	114	601	547	36	13	5
..... \$1,000..	34 510	1 474	3 099	2 674	335	72	17
Livestock, poultry, and their products..... farms..	3 754	93	444	401	28	12	3
..... \$1,000..	60 551	10 635	3 269	2 960	247	56	5
Farms by value of sales:							
Less than \$2,500.....	2 277	40	261	239	17	5	-
\$2,500 to \$9,999.....	2 632	53	326	289	21	11	5
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	940	18	93	84	8	1	-
\$20,000 to \$24,999.....	211	7	23	19	2	2	-
\$25,000 or more.....	643	25	44	42	2	-	-
1987 FARMS BY STANDARD INDUSTRIAL CLASSIFICATION							
Cash grains (011).....	269	8	26	24	1	1	-
Field crops, except cash grains (013).....	3 316	62	390	355	26	5	4
Cotton (0131).....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tobacco (0132).....	3 004	58	370	338	24	4	4
Sugarcane and sugar beets; Irish potatoes; field crops, except cash grains, n.e.c. (0133, 0134, 0139).....	312	4	20	17	2	1	-
Vegetables and melons (016).....	22	1	1	1	-	-	-
Fruits and tree nuts (017).....	24	-	4	-	1	2	1
Horticultural specialties (018).....	30	2	1	-	1	-	-
General farms, primarily crop (019).....	272	5	32	30	2	-	-
Livestock, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialties (021).....	2 216	45	253	231	14	8	-
Beef cattle, except feedlots (0212).....	1 851	38	131	115	10	6	-
Dairy farms (024).....	188	5	27	26	1	-	-
Poultry and eggs (025).....	12	1	1	1	-	-	-
Animal specialties (027).....	291	10	9	2	4	3	-
General farms, primarily livestock and animal specialties (029).....	63	4	3	3	-	-	-

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1987 OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS							
Operators by place of residence:							
On farm operated	4 635	105	421	377	32	9	3
Not on farm operated.....	1 397	34	233	214	9	8	2
Not reported.....	671	4	93	82	9	2	-
Operators by principal occupation:							
Farming	3 221	57	340	315	23	1	1
Other	3 482	86	407	358	27	18	4
Operators by days of work off farm:							
None	3 493	50	266	246	13	6	1
Any	4 415	146	406	567	52	25	7
1 to 99 days	509	14	91	85	5	-	1
100 to 199 days	2 202	72	70	272	27	13	3
200 days or more	1 704	60	245	210	20	12	3
Not reported	499	7	75	70	5	-	-
Operators by years on present farm:							
2 years or less	393	7	36	33	3	-	-
3 or 4 years	462	17	50	43	5	2	-
5 to 9 years	844	16	84	72	4	7	1
10 years or more.....	3 220	86	343	309	24	7	3
Average years on present farm	20.1	17.5	19.8	20.1	19.8	12.5	10.8
Not reported	1 784	17	234	216	14	3	1
Operators by age group:							
Under 25 years	87	2	10	9	1	-	-
25 to 34 years	377	8	31	28	3	-	-
35 to 44 years	756	22	117	94	16	5	2
45 to 54 years	1 073	38	127	114	7	4	2
55 to 59 years	771	32	87	76	7	4	-
60 to 64 years	811	16	113	109	3	1	-
65 to 69 years	847	8	83	77	3	2	1
70 years and over	1 981	17	179	166	10	3	-
Average age	59.7	54.0	58.3	58.8	53.4	55.3	50.6
Operators by sex:							
Male	(X)	130	679	609	47	18	5
Female	6 703	13	68	64	3	1	-
Operators of Spanish origin ¹	13	143	4	1	-	-	3
1987 COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS							
Amount received from Commodity Credit Corporation loans							
farms.....	122	11	13	12	1	-	-
\$1,000.....	920	278	73	(D)	(D)	-	-
Government payments received							
farms.....	852	25	80	69	6	4	1
\$1,000.....	2 548	312	182	93	69	(D)	(D)

¹See chapter 1, table 16 for operators not of or not reporting Spanish origin.