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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..	1 577	42	425	7	399	12	7
..... 1982..	1 283	46	433	7	404	14	8
Land in farms..... acres, 1987..	3 082 320	56 110	3 449 979	23 047	3 405 189	20 359	1 384
..... 1982..	2 346 914	57 213	3 230 488	6 315	3 202 146	19 655	2 372
Harvested cropland..... farms, 1987..	999	34	287	7	267	8	5
..... 1982..	869	37	337	7	311	12	7
..... acres, 1987..	288 578	6 416	130 976	1 915	125 097	3 368	596
..... 1982..	228 523	10 017	148 656	1 383	140 780	5 474	1 019
1987 FARMS BY SIZE							
1 to 9 acres	203	4	24	-	22	1	1
10 to 49 acres	264	6	34	-	28	3	3
50 to 139 acres	147	7	35	1	33	1	-
140 to 219 acres	121	7	48	3	42	1	2
220 to 499 acres	183	6	57	1	56	-	-
500 acres or more	659	12	227	2	218	6	1
1987 OWNED AND RENTED LAND IN FARMS							
Owned land in farms farms..	1 444	35	355	5	333	11	6
..... acres..	2 124 095	41 434	3 120 345	897	3 102 629	(D)	(D)
Rented or leased land in farms farms..	555	15	248	3	237	6	2
..... acres..	958 225	14 676	329 634	22 150	302 560	(D)	(D)
TENURE OF OPERATOR							
Full owners..... farms, 1987..	1 022	27	177	4	162	6	5
..... 1982..	831	19	205	7	186	7	5
..... acres, 1987..	921 496	8 764	2 962 827	(D)	2 958 335	3 352	(D)
..... 1982..	623 471	8 810	2 713 301	6 315	2 698 535	7 151	1 300
Part owners..... farms, 1987..	422	8	178	1	171	5	1
..... 1982..	351	18	177	-	170	6	1
..... acres, 1987..	1 999 407	42 686	416 584	(D)	380 427	(D)	(D)
..... 1982..	1 600 994	43 927	481 926	-	472 482	(D)	(D)
Tenants..... farms, 1987..	133	7	70	2	66	1	1
..... 1982..	101	9	51	-	48	1	2
..... acres, 1987..	161 417	4 660	70 558	(D)	66 427	(D)	(D)
..... 1982..	122 449	4 476	35 261	-	31 129	(D)	(D)
1987 FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION							
Individual or family (sole proprietorship).....	1 276	32	352	7	328	10	7
Partnership.....	153	5	20	-	20	2	-
Family held corporation.....	123	3	13	-	11	-	-
Other than family held corporation.....	3	1	1	-	1	-	-
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc.....	22	1	39	-	39	-	-
1987 MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD							
Total sales..... farms..	1 577	42	425	7	399	12	7
..... \$1,000..	53 317	1 495	24 117	274	22 880	858	106
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops..... farms..	670	21	194	7	177	6	4
..... \$1,000..	16 596	453	8 871	197	8 169	468	36
Livestock, poultry, and their products..... farms..	1 119	29	300	5	280	9	6
..... \$1,000..	36 721	1 042	15 247	77	14 710	390	69
Farms by value of sales:							
Less than \$2,500	466	13	90	1	81	4	4
\$2,500 to \$9,999	386	10	92	-	91	-	1
\$10,000 to \$19,999	190	5	49	1	46	1	1
\$20,000 to \$24,999	82	-	21	2	18	1	-
\$25,000 or more	453	14	173	3	163	6	1
1987 FARMS BY STANDARD INDUSTRIAL CLASSIFICATION							
Cash grains (011)	253	7	84	1	81	2	-
Field crops, except cash grains (013)	140	8	38	4	29	3	2
Cotton (0131)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tobacco (0132)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sugarcane and sugar beets; Irish potatoes; field crops, except cash grains, n.e.c. (0133, 0134, 0139)	140	8	38	4	29	3	2
Vegetables and melons (016)	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fruits and tree nuts (017)	28	1	1	-	-	-	1
Horticultural specialties (018)	13	-	1	-	1	-	-
General farms, primarily crop (019)	43	1	8	-	7	1	-
Livestock, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialties (021)	887	22	247	1	236	6	4
Beef cattle, except feedlots (0212)	713	19	227	-	221	4	2
Dairy farms (024)	8	1	-	-	-	-	-
Poultry and eggs (025)	8	-	-	-	-	-	-
Animal specialties (027)	152	2	29	-	29	-	-
General farms, primarily livestock and animal specialties (029)	43	-	17	1	16	-	-

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1987 OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS							
Operators by place of residence:							
On farm operated	1 153	33	305	5	282	12	6
Not on farm operated	307	9	69	2	66	-	1
Not reported	117	-	51	-	51	-	-
Operators by principal occupation:							
Farming	1 018	20	253	5	236	8	4
Other	559	22	172	2	163	4	3
Operators by days of work off farm:							
None	801	15	156	5	143	7	1
Any	983	44	236	3	343	9	9
1 to 99 days	146	2	52	-	51	-	1
100 to 199 days	489	24	56	2	173	5	4
200 days or more	348	18	128	1	119	4	4
Not reported	141	1	33	-	32	-	1
Operators by years on present farm:							
2 years or less	117	3	25	1	22	1	1
3 or 4 years	112	1	20	-	19	1	-
5 to 9 years	267	8	58	2	54	2	-
10 years or more	789	19	214	3	200	7	4
Average years on present farm	18.7	13.6	17.7	6.5	17.8	22.6	16.2
Not reported	292	11	108	1	104	1	2
Operators by age group:							
Under 25 years	28	3	1	-	-	-	1
25 to 34 years	162	7	45	2	42	-	1
35 to 44 years	275	10	99	1	92	6	-
45 to 54 years	243	11	112	3	105	1	3
55 to 59 years	180	1	49	-	49	-	-
60 to 64 years	186	6	44	1	40	2	1
65 to 69 years	172	3	29	-	28	1	-
70 years and over	331	1	46	-	43	2	1
Average age	55.2	45.4	51.2	43.1	51.4	51.8	46.6
Operators by sex:							
Male	(X)	40	373	7	347	12	7
Female	1 577	2	52	-	52	-	-
Operators of Spanish origin ¹	2	42	14	2	5	-	7
1987 COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS							
Amount received from Commodity Credit Corporation loans							
farms	130	1	43	-	41	2	-
\$1,000	3 384	(D)	844	-	(D)	(D)	-
Government payments received							
farms	460	12	121	2	113	5	1
\$1,000	7 045	221	2 298	(D)	2 136	(D)	(D)

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