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Characteristics	Female operators	Operators of Spanish origin ¹	Farms operated by Black and other races				Other (see text)
			Total	Black	American Indian	Asian	
FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS							
Farms..... number, 1987..	962	29	103	53	12	37	1
..... 1982..	732	37	115	59	10	32	14
Land in farms..... acres, 1987..	42 986	2 434	6 269	1 336	(D)	4 538	(D)
..... 1982..	40 065	4 562	9 494	3 311	949	4 370	864
Harvested cropland..... farms, 1987..	587	23	81	38	9	33	1
..... 1982..	496	25	97	48	9	28	12
..... acres, 1987..	15 073	881	3 054	341	(D)	2 442	(D)
..... 1982..	18 782	1 814	5 262	1 274	504	2 814	670
1987 FARMS BY SIZE							
1 to 9 acres	297	4	25	12	5	7	1
10 to 49 acres	448	13	53	33	5	15	-
50 to 139 acres	162	9	16	8	2	6	-
140 to 219 acres	30	-	1	-	-	1	-
220 to 499 acres	19	2	7	-	-	7	-
500 acres or more	6	1	1	-	-	1	-
1987 OWNED AND RENTED LAND IN FARMS							
Owned land in farms..... farms..	896	25	88	46	10	31	1
..... acres..	36 557	1 629	(D)	1 072	(D)	(D)	(D)
Rented or leased land in farms..... farms..	163	7	30	13	7	10	-
..... acres..	6 429	805	(D)	264	(D)	(D)	-
TENURE OF OPERATOR							
Full owners..... farms, 1987..	799	22	73	40	5	27	1
..... 1982..	586	25	77	44	2	21	10
..... acres, 1987..	31 006	1 469	2 910	972	(D)	1 826	(D)
..... 1982..	22 578	2 331	4 106	2 258	(D)	1 400	(D)
Part owners..... farms, 1987..	97	3	15	6	5	4	-
..... 1982..	91	9	21	10	3	6	2
..... acres, 1987..	10 170	410	2 675	194	(D)	(D)	-
..... 1982..	12 942	1 739	4 033	960	(D)	2 427	(D)
Tenants..... farms, 1987..	66	4	15	7	2	6	-
..... 1982..	55	3	17	5	5	5	2
..... acres, 1987..	1 810	555	684	170	(D)	(D)	-
..... 1982..	4 545	492	1 355	93	(D)	543	(D)
1987 FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION							
Individual or family (sole proprietorship).....	840	27	80	47	10	22	1
Partnership.....	54	1	10	5	-	5	-
Family held corporation.....	60	1	9	-	2	7	-
Other than family held corporation.....	3	-	3	-	-	3	-
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc.....	5	-	1	1	-	-	-
1987 MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD							
Total sales..... farms..	962	29	103	53	12	37	1
..... \$1,000..	13 496	427	(D)	242	(D)	5 520	(D)
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops..... farms..	434	18	69	29	6	33	1
..... \$1,000..	8 804	181	5 187	194	(D)	4 937	(D)
Livestock, poultry, and their products..... farms..	530	17	36	26	5	5	-
..... \$1,000..	4 692	246	(D)	49	(D)	583	-
Farms by value of sales:							
Less than \$2,500.....	484	15	38	27	6	4	1
\$2,500 to \$9,999.....	283	6	31	18	4	9	-
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	80	3	8	5	1	2	-
\$20,000 to \$24,999.....	20	-	1	1	-	-	-
\$25,000 or more.....	95	5	25	2	1	22	-
1987 FARMS BY STANDARD INDUSTRIAL CLASSIFICATION							
Cash grains (011).....	46	1	9	4	2	2	1
Field crops, except cash grains (013).....	89	4	8	4	1	3	-
Cotton (0131).....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tobacco (0132).....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sugarcane and sugar beets; Irish potatoes; field crops, except cash grains, n.e.c. (0133, 0134, 0139).....	89	4	8	4	1	3	-
Vegetables and melons (016).....	104	2	30	14	1	15	-
Fruits and tree nuts (017).....	47	1	8	4	-	4	-
Horticultural specialties (018).....	91	2	13	3	2	8	-
General farms, primarily crop (019).....	32	2	5	4	1	-	-
Livestock, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialties (021).....	197	6	12	12	-	-	-
Beef cattle, except feedlots (0212).....	52	2	2	2	-	-	-
Dairy farms (024).....	11	1	-	-	-	-	-
Poultry and eggs (025).....	33	1	7	3	-	4	-
Animal specialties (027).....	303	4	10	5	4	1	-
General farms, primarily livestock and animal specialties (029).....	9	5	1	-	1	-	-

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1987 OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS							
Operators by place of residence:							
On farm operated	819	23	65	34	10	21	-
Not on farm operated	97	6	32	15	2	14	1
Not reported	46	-	6	4	-	2	-
Operators by principal occupation:							
Farming	499	7	54	23	3	28	-
Other	463	22	49	30	9	9	1
Operators by days of work off farm:							
None	413	7	35	20	2	13	-
Any	760	41	63	52	16	30	2
1 to 99 days	96	1	18	9	2	7	-
100 to 199 days	393	21	8	22	8	14	1
200 days or more	271	19	37	21	6	9	1
Not reported	60	-	5	2	-	3	-
Operators by years on present farm:							
2 years or less	59	4	11	6	-	4	1
3 or 4 years	81	2	10	2	3	5	-
5 to 9 years	228	5	18	9	2	7	-
10 years or more	455	17	49	27	7	15	-
Average years on present farm	15.1	15.0	15.4	18.8	15.8	10.8	(D)
Not reported	139	1	15	9	-	6	-
Operators by age group:							
Under 25 years	12	-	-	-	-	-	-
25 to 34 years	89	5	6	1	3	1	1
35 to 44 years	237	6	23	11	1	11	-
45 to 54 years	253	6	20	2	3	15	-
55 to 59 years	64	9	10	8	-	2	-
60 to 64 years	89	-	10	3	3	4	-
65 to 69 years	68	-	10	8	1	1	-
70 years and over	150	3	24	20	1	3	-
Average age	52.0	49.4	56.0	61.3	51.1	50.6	(D)
Operators by sex:							
Male	(X)	25	95	49	9	37	-
Female	962	4	8	4	3	-	1
Operators of Spanish origin ¹	4	29	1	-	-	-	1
1987 COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS							
Amount received from Commodity Credit Corporation loans	farms..	-	-	-	-	-	-
\$1,000..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Government payments received	farms..	38	2	-	-	2	-
\$1,000..	129	(D)	(D)	-	-	(D)	-

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