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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..	811	30	155	10	143	2	-
..... 1982..	705	38	177	16	153	6	2
Land in farms..... acres, 1987..	726 503	24 004	829 496	(D)	817 006	(D)	-
..... 1982..	695 345	52 935	855 221	12 013	835 336	(D)	(D)
Harvested cropland..... farms, 1987..	611	29	116	9	107	-	-
..... 1982..	572	34	153	15	131	6	1
..... acres, 1987..	198 020	8 611	40 469	6 475	33 894	-	-
..... 1982..	193 550	22 851	48 059	5 736	39 183	(D)	(D)
1987 FARMS BY SIZE							
1 to 9 acres.....	73	2	3	-	1	2	-
10 to 49 acres.....	117	-	15	-	15	-	-
50 to 139 acres.....	78	4	16	1	15	-	-
140 to 219 acres.....	71	1	14	-	14	-	-
220 to 499 acres.....	163	5	29	-	29	-	-
500 acres or more.....	309	18	78	9	69	-	-
1987 OWNED AND RENTED LAND IN FARMS							
Owned land in farms..... farms..	706	25	132	10	120	2	-
..... acres..	362 961	14 854	731 778	(D)	724 664	(D)	-
Rented or leased land in farms..... farms..	316	19	86	7	79	-	-
..... acres..	363 542	9 150	97 718	5 376	92 342	-	-
TENURE OF OPERATOR							
Full owners..... farms, 1987..	495	11	69	3	64	2	-
..... 1982..	447	14	59	7	46	5	1
..... acres, 1987..	203 298	8 576	692 085	(D)	690 083	(D)	-
..... 1982..	198 798	12 338	710 420	(D)	698 692	6 431	(D)
Part owners..... farms, 1987..	211	14	63	7	56	-	-
..... 1982..	169	21	82	7	75	-	-
..... acres, 1987..	331 064	12 978	120 112	10 488	109 624	-	-
..... 1982..	293 735	35 860	121 883	6 547	115 336	-	-
Tenants..... farms, 1987..	105	5	23	-	23	-	-
..... 1982..	89	3	36	2	32	1	1
..... acres, 1987..	192 141	2 450	17 299	-	17 299	-	-
..... 1982..	202 812	4 737	22 918	(D)	21 308	(D)	(D)
1987 FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION							
Individual or family (sole proprietorship).....	676	23	130	6	122	2	-
Partnership.....	114	7	13	3	10	-	-
Family held corporation.....	6	-	1	1	-	-	-
Other than family held corporation.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc.....	15	-	11	-	11	-	-
1987 MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD							
Total sales..... farms..	811	30	155	10	143	2	-
..... \$1,000..	23 026	1 278	6 011	(D)	(D)	(D)	-
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops..... farms..	506	25	76	9	67	-	-
..... \$1,000..	14 460	500	2 749	(D)	(D)	-	-
Livestock, poultry, and their products..... farms..	484	19	104	5	97	2	-
..... \$1,000..	8 566	778	3 262	(D)	3 121	(D)	-
Farms by value of sales:							
Less than \$2,500.....	161	5	51	-	49	2	-
\$2,500 to \$9,999.....	205	4	27	1	26	-	-
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	140	10	20	2	18	-	-
\$20,000 to \$24,999.....	54	1	4	-	4	-	-
\$25,000 or more.....	251	10	53	7	46	-	-
1987 FARMS BY STANDARD INDUSTRIAL CLASSIFICATION							
Cash grains (011).....	305	11	37	8	29	-	-
Field crops, except cash grains (013).....	58	2	11	1	10	-	-
Cotton (0131).....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tobacco (0132).....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sugarcane and sugar beets; Irish potatoes; field crops, except cash grains, n.e.c. (0133, 0134, 0139).....	58	2	11	1	10	-	-
Vegetables and melons (016).....	1	1	-	-	-	-	-
Fruits and tree nuts (017).....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Horticultural specialties (018).....	14	-	-	-	-	-	-
General farms, primarily crop (019).....	17	-	4	-	4	-	-
Livestock, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialties (021).....	332	14	86	1	83	2	-
Beef cattle, except feedlots (0212).....	268	12	76	-	74	2	-
Dairy farms (024).....	26	-	1	-	1	-	-
Poultry and eggs (025).....	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Animal specialties (027).....	45	2	12	-	12	-	-
General farms, primarily livestock and animal specialties (029).....	11	-	4	-	4	-	-

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1987 OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS							
Operators by place of residence:							
On farm operated	568	21	108	6	102	-	-
Not on farm operated.....	184	9	27	3	22	2	-
Not reported	59	-	20	1	19	-	-
Operators by principal occupation:							
Farming	525	23	74	9	65	-	-
Other	286	7	81	1	78	2	-
Operators by days of work off farm:							
None	408	12	38	4	34	-	-
Any	493	24	102	4	171	2	-
1 to 99 days.....	97	6	13	2	9	2	-
100 to 199 days	244	12	14	1	88	-	-
200 days or more	152	6	75	1	74	-	-
Not reported	62	-	15	3	12	-	-
Operators by years on present farm:							
2 years or less.....	83	2	9	-	9	-	-
3 or 4 years	88	3	12	3	9	-	-
5 to 9 years	109	5	25	1	24	-	-
10 years or more.....	378	18	62	4	58	-	-
Average years on present farm	18.9	21.0	15.3	15.5	15.3	-	-
Not reported	153	2	47	2	43	2	-
Operators by age group:							
Under 25 years	24	2	2	-	2	-	-
25 to 34 years	108	4	22	2	18	2	-
35 to 44 years	107	7	36	-	36	-	-
45 to 54 years	140	5	51	6	45	-	-
55 to 59 years	121	6	15	-	15	-	-
60 to 64 years	129	1	15	-	15	-	-
65 to 69 years	71	1	7	1	6	-	-
70 years and over.....	111	4	7	1	6	-	-
Average age	53.0	47.9	47.8	51.5	47.8	(D)	-
Operators by sex:							
Male	(X)	25	147	8	137	2	-
Female	811	5	8	2	6	-	-
Operators of Spanish origin ¹	5	30	2	2	-	-	-
1987 COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS							
Amount received from Commodity Credit Corporation loans							
farms.....	181	9	15	6	9	-	-
\$1,000.....	2 639	68	290	137	154	-	-
Government payments received							
farms.....	399	19	48	7	41	-	-
\$1,000.....	4 771	234	657	172	485	-	-

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