

Table 7. Land Use and Acres Diverted: 1987, 1982, and 1978

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

All farms		1987	Percent of total in 1987	1982	1978
Farms	number	70 228	100.0	72 523	72 237
Land in farms	acres	31 541 977	100.0	32 369 206	33 737 292
Total cropland	farms	55 783	79.4	57 562	59 471
	acres	14 443 459	45.8	14 213 548	14 365 738
Harvested cropland	farms	43 522	62.0	45 825	48 168
	acres	7 319 193	23.2	8 961 353	8 585 011
Farms by acres harvested:					
1 to 49 acres		18 632	26.5	18 442	19 115
1 to 9 acres		2 961	4.2	3 116	3 034
10 to 19 acres		4 716	6.7	4 883	5 103
20 to 29 acres		4 482	6.4	4 355	4 477
30 to 49 acres		6 473	9.2	6 088	6 501
50 to 99 acres		7 935	11.3	7 636	8 504
100 to 199 acres		6 665	9.5	7 066	7 668
200 to 499 acres		6 375	9.1	7 514	8 480
500 to 999 acres		2 929	4.2	3 744	3 296
1,000 acres or more		986	1.4	1 423	1 105
1,000 to 1,999 acres		872	1.2	1 241	966
2,000 acres or more		114	.2	182	139
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing	farms	32 081	45.7	29 860	31 302
	acres	4 432 905	14.1	3 859 802	4 060 674
Other cropland	farms	17 102	24.4	11 645	16 221
	acres	2 681 361	8.5	1 392 393	1 720 053
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured	farms	4 766	6.8	2 499	3 923
	acres	545 716	1.7	190 935	257 538
Cropland on which all crops failed	farms	3 329	4.7	2 645	3 981
	acres	278 464	.9	221 103	343 925
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow	farms	5 294	7.5	3 681	5 529
	acres	885 636	2.8	589 506	661 308
Cropland idle	farms	8 364	11.9	5 164	6 496
	acres	981 545	3.1	390 849	457 282
Total woodland	farms	19 058	27.1	19 793	18 811
	acres	2 047 767	6.5	2 070 258	2 067 571
Woodland pastured	farms	14 632	20.8	15 695	15 057
	acres	1 482 481	4.7	1 590 433	1 596 060
Woodland not pastured	farms	6 645	9.5	6 229	5 595
	acres	565 286	1.8	479 825	471 511
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured	farms	36 122	51.4	36 590	38 912
	acres	14 261 454	45.2	15 192 012	16 546 730
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc.	farms	35 526	50.6	38 404	36 160
	acres	789 297	2.5	893 388	757 253
Cropland under federal acreage reduction programs:					
Annual commodity acreage adjustment programs	farms	14 230	(X)	6 023	15 002
	acres	1 595 655	(X)	413 631	979 900
Conservation reserve program	farms	1 789	(X)	(NA)	(NA)
	acres	362 739	(X)	(NA)	(NA)