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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..	477	49	121	2	40	68	11
..... 1982..	415	43	133	3	42	79	9
Land in farms..... acres, 1987..	187 559	8 792	1 074 498	(D)	1 058 796	14 862	(D)
..... 1982..	122 596	12 764	1 084 422	1 300	1 067 166	14 539	1 417
Harvested cropland..... farms, 1987..	310	32	93	2	21	63	7
..... 1982..	278	27	112	2	27	75	8
..... acres, 1987..	16 536	1 925	14 103	(D)	5 445	8 335	(D)
..... 1982..	13 162	4 712	17 764	(D)	7 166	9 589	(D)
1987 FARMS BY SIZE							
1 to 9 acres.....	114	9	14	-	-	10	4
10 to 49 acres.....	163	20	32	1	9	19	3
50 to 139 acres.....	80	11	37	-	11	22	4
140 to 219 acres.....	25	3	10	-	4	6	-
220 to 499 acres.....	43	1	19	1	10	8	-
500 acres or more.....	52	5	9	-	6	3	-
1987 OWNED AND RENTED LAND IN FARMS							
Owned land in farms..... farms..	437	42	105	2	38	57	8
..... acres..	152 273	7 668	1 066 649	(D)	1 057 156	8 705	(D)
Rented or leased land in farms..... farms..	126	24	55	-	10	40	5
..... acres..	35 286	1 124	7 849	-	1 640	6 157	52
TENURE OF OPERATOR							
Full owners..... farms, 1987..	351	25	66	2	30	28	6
..... 1982..	328	23	73	3	29	34	7
..... acres, 1987..	109 865	4 676	1 063 763	(D)	1 056 284	6 823	(D)
..... 1982..	75 491	10 611	68 103	1 300	(D)	(D)	(D)
Part owners..... farms, 1987..	86	17	39	-	8	29	2
..... 1982..	56	13	50	-	10	38	2
..... acres, 1987..	69 305	4 017	5 900	-	(D)	(D)	(D)
..... 1982..	43 850	2 108	1 015 688	-	1 008 236	(D)	(D)
Tenants..... farms, 1987..	40	7	16	-	2	11	3
..... 1982..	31	7	10	-	3	7	-
..... acres, 1987..	8 389	99	4 835	-	(D)	(D)	(D)
..... 1982..	3 255	45	631	-	(D)	(D)	-
1987 FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION							
Individual or family (sole proprietorship).....	402	42	99	2	31	56	10
Partnership.....	49	5	11	-	2	8	1
Family held corporation.....	12	2	2	-	-	2	-
Other than family held corporation.....	4	-	1	-	-	1	-
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc.....	10	-	8	-	7	1	-
1987 MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD							
Total sales..... farms..	477	49	121	2	40	68	11
..... \$1,000..	7 039	739	4 733	(D)	(D)	3 579	(D)
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops..... farms..	173	23	70	-	7	58	5
..... \$1,000..	1 331	499	3 044	-	(D)	2 992	(D)
Livestock, poultry, and their products..... farms..	295	30	56	1	31	18	6
..... \$1,000..	5 709	240	1 689	(D)	876	587	(D)
Farms by value of sales:							
Less than \$2,500.....	224	21	34	1	18	10	5
\$2,500 to \$9,999.....	132	12	28	-	13	9	6
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	50	6	14	-	3	11	-
\$20,000 to \$24,999.....	11	-	5	-	3	2	-
\$25,000 or more.....	60	10	40	1	3	36	-
1987 FARMS BY STANDARD INDUSTRIAL CLASSIFICATION							
Cash grains (011).....	20	-	11	-	2	9	-
Field crops, except cash grains (013).....	77	10	17	-	4	8	5
Cotton (0131).....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tobacco (0132).....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sugarcane and sugar beets; Irish potatoes; field crops, except cash grains, n.e.c. (0133, 0134, 0139).....	77	10	17	-	4	8	5
Vegetables and melons (016).....	5	4	27	-	-	27	-
Fruits and tree nuts (017).....	25	5	4	-	-	4	-
Horticultural specialties (018).....	7	-	3	-	-	3	-
General farms, primarily crop (019).....	18	-	4	1	1	2	-
Livestock, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialties (021).....	208	18	43	1	30	8	4
Beef cattle, except feedlots (0212).....	144	14	35	1	26	5	3
Dairy farms (024).....	14	2	3	-	-	3	-
Poultry and eggs (025).....	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Animal specialties (027).....	90	10	8	-	2	4	2
General farms, primarily livestock and animal specialties (029).....	11	-	1	-	1	-	-

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1987 OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS							
Operators by place of residence:							
On farm operated	313	31	87	1	29	50	7
Not on farm operated	127	16	26	1	9	12	4
Not reported	37	2	8	-	2	6	-
Operators by principal occupation:							
Farming	196	16	72	1	16	51	4
Other	281	33	49	1	24	17	7
Operators by days of work off farm:							
None	190	7	46	1	10	33	2
Any	411	67	66	1	36	41	14
1 to 99 days	44	6	13	-	3	9	1
100 to 199 days	211	35	27	1	22	22	8
200 days or more	156	26	26	-	11	10	5
Not reported	32	1	9	-	5	4	-
Operators by years on present farm:							
2 years or less	34	12	12	-	1	8	3
3 or 4 years	37	3	2	-	-	2	-
5 to 9 years	70	9	9	1	2	4	2
10 years or more	227	19	66	-	19	43	4
Average years on present farm	19.1	11.4	23.8	(D)	24.2	26.1	9.9
Not reported	109	6	32	1	18	11	2
Operators by age group:							
Under 25 years	9	1	2	-	-	1	1
25 to 34 years	33	6	5	-	2	3	-
35 to 44 years	68	20	14	1	7	3	3
45 to 54 years	81	14	23	-	10	7	6
55 to 59 years	62	2	15	-	5	9	1
60 to 64 years	65	5	30	-	6	24	-
65 to 69 years	61	-	23	-	5	18	-
70 years and over	98	1	9	1	5	3	-
Average age	56.7	44.6	56.5	(D)	54.7	59.4	44.4
Operators by sex:							
Male	(X)	49	115	1	36	67	11
Female	477	-	8	1	4	1	-
Operators of Spanish origin ¹	-	49	14	-	1	2	11
1987 COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS							
Amount received from Commodity Credit Corporation loans							
farms	1	-	6	-	1	5	-
\$1,000	(D)	-	66	-	(D)	(D)	-
Government payments received							
farms	44	1	27	-	2	25	-
\$1,000	616	(D)	290	-	(D)	(D)	-

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