

Table 17. Selected Characteristics of Farms Operated by Females, Persons of Spanish Origin, and Specified Racial Groups: 1987 and 1982

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Characteristics	Female operators	Operators of Spanish origin <sup>1</sup>	Farms operated by Black and other races				
			Total	Black	American Indian	Asian	Other (see text)
<b>FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS</b>							
Farms..... number, 1987..	2 982	325	552	36	179	207	130
..... 1982..	2 469	259	613	51	187	254	121
Land in farms..... acres, 1987..	441 120	61 016	1 834 773	5 415	1 795 869	25 373	8 116
..... 1982..	348 876	73 134	2 243 052	1 331	2 185 443	39 517	16 761
Harvested cropland..... farms, 1987..	1 555	245	433	22	117	188	106
..... 1982..	1 411	186	491	25	126	241	99
..... acres, 1987..	116 847	16 607	35 836	3 292	8 649	18 943	4 952
..... 1982..	112 251	22 334	51 172	395	10 669	31 441	8 667
<b>1987 FARMS BY SIZE</b>							
1 to 9 acres .....	840	82	145	11	37	59	38
10 to 49 acres .....	1 208	149	190	15	50	59	66
50 to 139 acres .....	447	45	84	3	27	41	13
140 to 219 acres .....	149	16	36	-	17	15	4
220 to 499 acres .....	155	21	49	3	23	16	7
500 acres or more .....	183	12	48	4	25	17	2
<b>1987 OWNED AND RENTED LAND IN FARMS</b>							
Owned land in farms..... farms..	2 767	296	491	28	166	181	116
..... acres..	311 823	43 379	1 791 537	2 157	1 771 462	13 252	4 666
Rented or leased land in farms..... farms..	645	76	186	14	58	83	31
..... acres..	129 297	17 637	43 236	3 258	24 407	12 121	3 450
<b>TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>							
Full owners..... farms, 1987..	2 337	249	366	22	121	124	99
..... 1982..	1 991	201	411	40	131	144	96
..... acres, 1987..	218 876	38 022	1 772 234	1 527	1 759 653	7 069	3 985
..... 1982..	190 008	13 800	2 165 821	1 096	2 151 093	10 525	3 107
Part owners..... farms, 1987..	430	47	125	6	45	57	17
..... 1982..	339	41	128	4	44	63	17
..... acres, 1987..	178 004	19 344	49 426	1 977	30 055	15 139	2 255
..... 1982..	138 941	55 366	60 052	124	27 050	19 790	13 088
Tenants..... farms, 1987..	215	29	61	8	13	26	14
..... 1982..	139	17	74	7	12	47	8
..... acres, 1987..	44 240	3 650	13 113	1 911	6 161	3 165	1 876
..... 1982..	19 927	3 968	17 179	111	7 300	9 202	566
<b>1987 FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION</b>							
Individual or family (sole proprietorship).....	2 662	294	459	29	163	150	117
Partnership.....	191	18	36	3	6	19	8
Family held corporation.....	100	9	44	3	4	33	4
Other than family held corporation.....	5	4	5	1	-	3	1
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc.....	24	-	8	-	6	2	-
<b>1987 MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD</b>							
Total sales..... farms..	2 982	325	552	36	179	207	130
..... \$1,000..	60 183	19 940	50 195	5 242	4 941	32 801	7 210
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops..... farms..	1 086	198	360	17	69	181	93
..... \$1,000..	39 953	12 428	43 838	4 760	1 483	30 783	6 811
Livestock, poultry, and their products..... farms..	1 843	148	203	15	119	23	46
..... \$1,000..	20 230	7 512	6 357	482	3 458	2 018	399
Farms by value of sales:							
Less than \$2,500.....	1 388	106	151	16	70	36	29
\$2,500 to \$9,999.....	862	93	144	9	52	31	52
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	247	33	52	1	21	15	15
\$20,000 to \$24,999.....	61	10	13	-	3	6	4
\$25,000 or more.....	424	83	192	10	33	119	30
<b>1987 FARMS BY STANDARD INDUSTRIAL CLASSIFICATION</b>							
Cash grains (011).....	147	8	16	-	5	9	2
Field crops, except cash grains (013).....	226	41	45	5	14	18	8
Cotton (0131).....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tobacco (0132).....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sugarcane and sugar beets, Irish potatoes; field crops, except cash grains, n.e.c. (0133, 0134, 0139).....	226	41	45	5	14	18	8
Vegetables and melons (016).....	59	47	111	4	2	75	30
Fruits and tree nuts (017).....	397	80	123	5	30	43	45
Horticultural specialties (018).....	107	4	34	3	3	28	-
General farms, primarily crop (019).....	63	4	17	1	2	11	3
Livestock, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialties (021).....	1 122	108	159	13	97	12	37
Beef cattle, except feedlots (0212).....	788	83	133	6	85	10	32
Dairy farms (024).....	50	6	7	1	2	3	1
Poultry and eggs (025).....	40	6	2	-	-	1	1
Animal specialties (027).....	734	18	35	3	23	7	2
General farms, primarily livestock and animal specialties (029).....	37	3	3	1	1	-	1

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<b>1987 OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS</b>							
Operators by place of residence:							
On farm operated .....	2 517	245	412	24	149	154	85
Not on farm operated .....	325	76	103	10	16	33	44
Not reported .....	140	4	37	2	14	20	1
Operators by principal occupation:							
Farming .....	1 491	157	320	16	77	164	63
Other .....	1 491	168	232	20	102	43	67
Operators by days of work off farm:							
None .....	1 216	99	220	17	51	128	24
Any .....	2 564	367	295	24	200	99	172
1 to 99 days .....	300	34	41	1	11	10	19
100 to 199 days .....	1 296	181	54	13	108	50	83
200 days or more .....	968	152	200	10	81	39	70
Not reported .....	170	11	37	5	9	19	4
Operators by years on present farm:							
2 years or less .....	231	43	44	2	7	13	22
3 or 4 years .....	312	37	57	4	19	17	17
5 to 9 years .....	680	64	87	6	31	28	22
10 years or more .....	1 396	158	278	18	84	111	65
Average years on present farm .....	14.7	11.9	15.6	13.9	16.0	19.2	10.8
Not reported .....	363	23	86	6	38	38	4
Operators by age group:							
Under 25 years .....	25	3	4	-	1	1	2
25 to 34 years .....	307	27	29	-	7	12	10
35 to 44 years .....	799	93	116	5	44	29	38
45 to 54 years .....	664	92	128	9	51	32	36
55 to 59 years .....	286	37	74	6	19	28	21
60 to 64 years .....	304	33	65	4	21	28	12
65 to 69 years .....	213	16	62	7	17	34	4
70 years and over .....	384	24	74	5	19	43	7
Average age .....	51.3	49.9	54.4	57.6	53.4	58.1	49.0
Operators by sex:							
Male .....	(X)	297	510	36	158	192	124
Female .....	2 982	28	42	-	21	15	6
Operators of Spanish origin <sup>1</sup> .....	28	325	132	2	2	4	124
<b>1987 COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS</b>							
Amount received from Commodity Credit Corporation loans .....	29	3	6	1	-	4	1
Government payments received .....	810	111	172	(D)	-	(D)	(D)
..... farms... \$1,000...	256	24	50	2	13	29	6
..... farms... \$1,000...	3 884	315	850	(D)	83	627	(D)

<sup>1</sup>See chapter 1, table 16 for operators not of or not reporting Spanish origin.