

**Table 1. County Summary Highlights: 1987**

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Item	Washington	Adams	Asotin	Benton	Chelan	Clallam	Clark	Columbia
Farms..... number..	33 559	805	149	1 178	1 411	375	1 428	212
Land in farms..... acres..	16 115 568	1 167 780	274 119	643 799	115 566	26 574	94 646	321 333
Average size of farm..... acres..	480	1 451	1 840	547	82	71	66	1 516
Value of land and buildings <sup>1</sup> :								
Average per farm..... dollars..	355 976	612 801	491 745	411 186	236 906	255 477	222 207	984 024
Average per acre..... dollars..	739	430	283	750	2 853	3 531	2 947	657
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment <sup>1</sup> :								
Average per farm..... dollars..	45 905	94 383	54 042	54 671	33 861	17 544	19 685	113 548
Farms by size:								
1 to 9 acres.....	6 040	103	32	352	443	71	274	14
10 to 49 acres.....	11 362	72	15	450	614	164	679	17
50 to 179 acres.....	7 216	121	10	200	249	100	367	22
180 to 499 acres.....	3 796	89	11	53	79	34	84	30
500 to 999 acres.....	1 855	102	13	32	14	6	19	47
1,000 acres or more.....	3 290	318	68	91	12	-	5	82
Total cropland..... farms..	28 891	722	115	1 007	1 385	286	1 196	200
Harvested cropland..... acres..	8 168 454	878 403	92 511	433 186	46 002	15 582	57 100	205 915
Irrigated land..... farms..	24 027	662	98	770	1 352	187	877	180
..... acres..	4 597 476	420 310	40 644	238 490	32 884	7 872	32 794	111 538
..... farms..	15 437	409	36	921	1 335	120	199	46
..... acres..	1 518 684	131 433	459	112 366	31 279	4 748	3 981	2 198
Market value of agricultural products sold..... \$,000..	2 919 634	182 498	8 568	133 136	102 852	5 781	36 864	18 781
Average per farm..... dollars..	87 000	226 706	57 506	113 018	72 893	15 416	25 815	88 588
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops..... \$,000..	1 688 656	75 879	4 412	110 818	102 073	1 889	8 460	17 092
Livestock, poultry, and their products..... \$,000..	1 230 978	106 619	4 156	22 318	779	3 891	28 404	1 689
Farms by value of sales:								
Less than \$2,500.....	10 599	113	33	434	327	189	716	42
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	4 166	54	12	165	125	65	242	13
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	3 507	46	13	140	116	43	196	14
\$10,000 to \$24,999.....	3 684	113	22	111	183	49	114	24
\$25,000 to \$49,999.....	2 668	126	20	66	142	10	40	27
\$50,000 to \$99,999.....	2 995	139	23	63	213	5	35	37
\$100,000 or more.....	5 940	214	26	199	305	14	85	55
Operators by principal occupation:								
Farming.....	17 654	615	88	494	826	155	532	144
Other.....	15 905	190	61	684	585	220	896	68
Operators by days worked off farm:								
Any.....	18 561	305	74	756	744	223	912	93
200 days or more.....	12 330	174	49	574	478	134	650	49
Average age of operator..... years..	51.6	49.5	53.1	50.8	51.6	54.7	53.4	52.5
Total farm production expenses <sup>1</sup> ..... \$,000..	2 425 028	169 009	7 847	128 402	72 086	6 106	32 215	16 421
Average per farm..... dollars..	72 255	209 689	52 662	109 000	51 089	16 283	22 559	77 459
Livestock and poultry:								
Cattle and calves inventory..... farms..	15 434	280	81	491	79	257	931	91
..... number..	1 304 673	94 339	10 316	31 796	2 272	8 652	33 616	6 847
Beef cows..... farms..	10 799	215	74	345	55	207	713	78
..... number..	334 966	19 336	4 698	13 946	1 306	2 951	7 924	3 712
Milk cows..... farms..	2 410	28	6	39	7	27	105	4
..... number..	220 849	2 058	10	877	30	1 062	8 651	7
Cattle and calves sold..... farms..	14 371	283	87	447	62	228	840	85
..... number..	1 089 642	151 627	7 469	36 282	1 285	4 026	18 286	3 668
Hogs and pigs inventory..... farms..	1 525	52	12	59	18	21	66	9
..... number..	59 195	3 892	411	523	373	318	1 018	1 150
Hogs and pigs sold..... farms..	1 355	44	11	54	16	21	50	10
..... number..	104 934	6 160	600	718	504	548	1 441	1 879
Sheep and lambs inventory..... farms..	1 609	29	6	47	24	25	64	11
..... number..	80 177	954	199	1 138	271	2 356	2 011	155
Chickens 3 months old or older inventory..... farms..	2 654	65	10	78	42	79	123	15
..... number..	5 928 036	2 315	286	1 106	655	1 627	8 581	224
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold..... farms..	245	2	1	12	1	2	15	-
..... number..	36 068 869	(D)	(D)	306	(D)	(D)	1 489 508	-
Selected crops harvested:								
Corn for grain or seed..... farms..	735	63	-	40	-	-	1	-
..... acres..	91 470	4 056	-	30 053	-	-	(D)	-
..... bushels..	15 956 710	534 465	-	6 125 254	-	-	(D)	-
Wheat for grain..... farms..	5 562	468	63	114	7	3	7	145
..... acres..	2 180 641	303 379	24 391	120 349	1 060	(D)	182	75 868
..... bushels..	114 781 997	11 966 025	1 067 532	4 269 130	41 292	3 642	7 177	4 778 939
Barley for grain..... farms..	3 722	270	54	62	6	10	19	96
..... acres..	609 133	37 942	11 880	22 580	392	430	2 427	19 448
..... bushels..	31 889 132	1 447 397	558 953	911 730	11 718	26 711	186 083	1 131 210
Irish potatoes..... farms..	486	39	-	27	-	2	2	-
..... acres..	110 157	10 658	-	10 965	-	(D)	(D)	-
..... cwt..	54 358 456	4 774 488	-	6 209 314	-	(D)	(D)	-
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text)..... farms..	12 435	214	44	329	91	155	667	66
..... acres..	772 618	23 358	2 224	13 066	2 048	7 034	23 026	2 422
..... tons, dry..	2 574 944	116 407	2 400	67 569	3 905	19 143	46 754	7 366
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)..... farms..	1 724	28	6	44	3	10	28	6
..... acres..	144 097	1 519	35	2 544	16	41	901	1 765
Land in orchards..... farms..	6 839	56	11	414	1 280	25	111	5
..... acres..	241 423	2 779	73	23 035	29 736	44	615	(D)

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Item	Cowlitz	Douglas	Ferry	Franklin	Garfield	Grant	Grays Harbor	Island
Farms.....number.....	435	948	218	894	210	1 881	410	286
Land in farms.....acres.....	37 612	987 885	760 670	660 813	338 197	1 107 836	44 345	18 673
Average size of farm.....acres.....	86	1 042	3 489	739	1 610	589	108	65
Value of land and buildings <sup>1</sup> :								
Average per farm.....dollars.....	177 772	473 551	1 140 468	564 413	659 757	416 663	208 100	240 338
Average per acre.....dollars.....	2 253	421	331	708	431	723	2 045	3 980
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment <sup>1</sup> :								
Average per farm.....dollars.....	17 831	66 786	22 976	100 189	73 544	79 119	23 250	16 472
Farms by size:								
1 to 9 acres.....	72	263	9	109	12	186	45	39
10 to 49 acres.....	187	259	39	103	11	308	154	145
50 to 179 acres.....	120	117	61	197	21	432	144	76
180 to 499 acres.....	46	40	55	250	23	519	51	22
500 to 999 acres.....	7	33	14	95	37	224	13	3
1,000 acres or more.....	3	236	40	140	106	212	3	1
Total cropland.....farms.....	342	908	182	822	197	1 737	355	241
.....acres.....	16 116	575 671	29 482	468 590	205 083	723 505	25 857	12 203
Harvested cropland.....farms.....	216	867	164	762	193	1 599	253	183
.....acres.....	7 572	227 187	13 228	284 324	116 854	463 625	13 931	7 625
Irrigated land.....farms.....	52	646	70	736	42	1 569	89	56
.....acres.....	3 678	20 889	3 711	193 960	1 914	369 179	3 270	1 367
Market value of agricultural products sold.....\$1,000.....	11 332	82 785	4 830	176 358	19 292	350 969	16 870	8 278
Average per farm.....dollars.....	26 050	87 326	22 155	197 269	91 868	186 586	41 146	28 944
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops.....\$1,000.....	3 631	75 865	346	151 981	16 243	214 358	3 516	777
Livestock, poultry, and their products.....\$1,000.....	7 701	6 920	4 484	24 377	3 049	136 611	13 354	7 501
Farms by value of sales:								
Less than \$2,500.....	230	177	76	97	17	253	182	141
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	94	68	43	37	11	128	69	57
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	55	79	36	70	16	140	38	39
\$10,000 to \$24,999.....	22	130	27	78	26	245	41	24
\$25,000 to \$49,999.....	5	113	13	116	29	214	25	11
\$50,000 to \$99,999.....	10	154	17	133	39	291	16	-
\$100,000 or more.....	19	227	6	363	72	610	39	14
Operators by principal occupation:								
Farming.....	152	616	89	668	168	1 301	179	102
Other.....	283	332	129	226	42	580	231	184
Operators by days worked off farm:								
Any.....	293	448	129	375	64	883	247	198
200 days or more.....	213	276	85	185	35	519	180	133
Average age of operator.....years.....	53.5	52.1	52.6	48.8	50.4	49.7	52.8	53.4
Total farm production expenses <sup>1</sup> .....\$1,000.....	10 101	66 547	3 318	146 258	14 934	295 553	13 851	6 329
Average per farm.....dollars.....	23 221	70 197	15 221	163 417	71 114	157 209	33 782	22 053
Livestock and poultry:								
Cattle and calves inventory.....farms.....	311	139	140	282	112	670	282	190
.....number.....	8 045	18 004	16 769	43 737	12 154	125 079	17 031	6 927
Beef cows.....farms.....	263	118	123	188	104	437	188	143
.....number.....	2 840	7 935	9 904	15 844	(D)	27 111	2 648	1 224
Milk cows.....farms.....	20	6	18	25	5	86	47	23
.....number.....	1 305	8	29	2 853	(D)	7 552	5 705	2 225
Cattle and calves sold.....farms.....	282	131	131	271	110	633	261	173
.....number.....	3 750	14 617	11 169	26 898	5 984	172 621	6 321	2 838
Hogs and pigs inventory.....farms.....	23	22	12	30	10	100	14	18
.....number.....	202	864	52	2 445	715	7 835	127	192
Hogs and pigs sold.....farms.....	19	21	10	27	12	95	11	11
.....number.....	307	898	177	5 462	1 290	12 843	135	503
Sheep and lambs inventory.....farms.....	20	24	17	31	14	81	12	22
.....number.....	739	448	392	3 675	227	4 008	280	318
Chickens 3 months old or older inventory.....farms.....	54	39	42	26	16	100	35	34
.....number.....	1 181	839	757	(D)	268	11 566	779	(D)
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold.....farms.....	7	1	3	3	-	3	3	1
.....number.....	1 926 015	(D)	105	130	-	109	(D)	(D)
Selected crops harvested:								
Corn for grain or seed.....farms.....	-	1	1	163	-	279	-	-
.....acres.....	-	(D)	(D)	15 571	-	25 108	-	-
.....bushels.....	-	(D)	(D)	2 478 159	-	3 948 912	-	-
Wheat for grain.....farms.....	8	252	11	386	172	734	8	13
.....acres.....	98	185 258	511	112 290	68 566	175 845	102	422
.....bushels.....	6 335	6 886 836	15 817	5 988 090	3 815 773	11 705 242	4 120	19 334
Barley for grain.....farms.....	-	100	7	93	155	305	4	18
.....acres.....	-	12 124	177	11 119	35 276	23 279	142	482
.....bushels.....	-	610 799	7 399	585 628	1 853 057	1 747 519	(D)	30 189
Irish potatoes.....farms.....	-	-	1	123	-	167	4	2
.....acres.....	-	-	(D)	36 096	-	33 003	(D)	(D)
.....cwt.....	-	-	(D)	18 674 413	-	15 922 832	(D)	(D)
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text).....farms.....	168	89	145	407	71	909	184	155
.....acres.....	5 110	5 689	12 154	60 128	3 189	109 707	11 198	6 132
.....tons, dry.....	10 395	15 688	18 640	363 359	8 372	616 530	33 636	16 518
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text).....farms.....	13	2	1	199	-	140	18	7
.....acres.....	1 630	(D)	(D)	21 264	-	22 742	2 126	(D)
Land in orchards.....farms.....	19	588	9	158	6	312	14	14
.....acres.....	38	15 494	79	11 666	17	21 921	27	36

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Item	Jefferson	King	Kitsap	Kittitas	Klickitat	Lewis	Lincoln	Mason
Farms.....number.....	120	1 498	404	740	545	1 162	799	165
Land in farms.....acres.....	11 861	54 172	9 576	403 338	698 453	122 214	1 479 146	11 718
Average size of farm.....acres.....	99	36	24	545	1 282	105	1 851	71
Value of land and buildings <sup>1</sup> :								
Average per farm.....dollars.....	204 283	209 727	148 751	403 481	416 885	191 319	717 630	179 624
Average per acre.....dollars.....	2 110	6 131	7 526	760	331	1 705	372	2 530
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment <sup>1</sup> :								
Average per farm.....dollars.....	15 507	23 357	9 656	38 770	36 047	20 618	106 045	15 380
Farms by size:								
1 to 9 acres.....	13	582	164	91	40	100	22	45
10 to 49 acres.....	52	663	193	226	131	457	33	66
50 to 179 acres.....	37	192	43	182	89	403	36	46
180 to 499 acres.....	15	51	4	133	115	173	78	4
500 to 999 acres.....	2	8	-	56	41	23	136	2
1,000 acres or more.....	1	2	-	52	129	6	494	2
Total cropland.....farms.....	97	966	274	634	479	985	752	124
Harvested cropland.....acres.....	4 062	31 979	4 631	99 877	210 931	67 373	930 789	5 241
Irrigated land.....farms.....	63	516	149	517	420	734	715	89
.....acres.....	1 709	12 273	1 603	56 720	101 543	35 636	480 823	2 522
.....farms.....	19	244	77	612	217	141	170	41
.....acres.....	434	3 309	576	77 712	23 744	7 242	53 816	359
Market value of agricultural products sold.....\$1,000.....	2 613	73 749	5 687	60 264	29 668	49 562	64 459	1 139
Average per farm.....dollars.....	21 774	49 232	14 076	81 438	54 437	42 653	80 675	6 905
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops.....\$1,000.....	202	23 329	538	19 648	18 836	5 064	53 108	366
Livestock, poultry, and their products.....\$1,000.....	2 411	50 421	5 149	40 616	10 832	44 499	11 351	774
Farms by value of sales:								
Less than \$2,500.....	47	745	263	185	157	504	76	97
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	28	225	75	87	74	204	38	27
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	23	164	38	91	56	173	40	10
\$10,000 to \$24,999.....	7	130	15	114	87	113	82	22
\$25,000 to \$49,999.....	7	57	7	83	59	40	133	4
\$50,000 to \$99,999.....	-	37	5	72	52	26	198	3
\$100,000 or more.....	8	140	1	108	60	102	232	2
Operators by principal occupation:								
Farming.....	46	543	131	393	299	494	689	63
Other.....	74	955	273	347	246	668	110	102
Operators by days worked off farm:								
Any.....	73	986	279	427	306	659	266	117
200 days or more.....	47	700	190	290	187	470	91	77
Average age of operator.....years.....	54.8	51.1	51.5	51.8	52.3	54.5	49.4	50.1
Total farm production expenses <sup>1</sup> .....\$1,000.....	2 094	60 889	5 948	51 830	24 959	42 471	55 037	1 372
Average per farm.....dollars.....	17 448	40 647	14 686	70 041	45 712	36 550	68 796	8 317
Livestock and poultry:								
Cattle and calves inventory.....farms.....	98	667	196	435	310	868	330	94
.....number.....	3 924	36 823	1 875	51 045	30 857	42 098	40 024	1 567
Beef cows.....farms.....	77	416	165	329	246	647	295	68
.....number.....	815	3 491	872	18 486	14 272	8 762	23 343	616
Milk cows.....farms.....	13	143	19	38	40	131	24	18
.....number.....	702	17 494	35	1 104	1 003	11 901	119	141
Cattle and calves sold.....farms.....	90	593	165	431	290	815	322	77
.....number.....	2 095	17 692	940	58 463	18 438	21 795	23 447	1 287
Hogs and pigs inventory.....farms.....	4	88	40	29	27	58	37	16
.....number.....	18	1 787	291	1 391	516	620	1 559	207
Hogs and pigs sold.....farms.....	4	89	45	21	26	49	29	14
.....number.....	23	3 148	494	1 889	2 008	1 412	2 678	245
Sheep and lambs inventory.....farms.....	4	113	34	66	42	78	22	7
.....number.....	25	1 662	413	5 135	2 575	2 858	1 423	94
Chickens 3 months old or older inventory.....farms.....	23	180	79	47	66	86	39	36
.....number.....	373	4 331	2 202	786	1 135	240 356	839	656
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold.....farms.....	1	14	6	-	6	22	3	2
.....number.....	(D)	(D)	425	-	475	5 431 889	(D)	(D)
Selected crops harvested:								
Corn for grain or seed.....farms.....	-	8	2	2	3	1	-	-
.....acres.....	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	300	(D)	-	-
.....bushels.....	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	49 951	(D)	-	-
Wheat for grain.....farms.....	1	6	-	55	136	29	617	-
.....acres.....	(D)	209	-	5 504	45 329	865	316 350	-
.....bushels.....	(D)	11 890	-	354 803	1 721 592	61 288	14 984 692	-
Barley for grain.....farms.....	-	1	13	28	85	25	527	2
.....acres.....	-	(D)	23	919	12 679	951	129 675	(D)
.....bushels.....	-	(D)	1 241	81 103	549 650	58 461	6 319 462	(D)
Irish potatoes.....farms.....	-	3	2	5	4	-	3	1
.....acres.....	-	1	(D)	592	(D)	-	(D)	(D)
.....cwt.....	-	100	(D)	223 550	(D)	-	(D)	(D)
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text).....farms.....	52	243	68	477	299	649	300	60
.....acres.....	1 702	8 958	1 368	42 817	37 377	28 120	25 478	2 340
.....tons, dry.....	3 059	22 138	1 841	168 501	60 604	56 171	53 620	3 849
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text).....farms.....	2	62	15	56	12	44	4	14
.....acres.....	(D)	677	36	4 328	1 295	5 076	23	139
Land in orchards.....farms.....	2	75	36	36	72	32	4	16
.....acres.....	(D)	296	60	1 271	2 924	111	4	45

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Item	Okanogan	Pacific	Pend Oreille	Pierce	San Juan	Skagit	Skamania	Snohomish
Farms.....number.....	1 478	270	227	1 228	155	806	71	1 473
Land in farms.....acres.....	1 339 306	34 870	62 578	58 754	17 605	95 357	6 726	81 783
Average size of farm.....acres.....	907	129	276	48	114	118	95	56
Value of land and buildings <sup>1</sup> :								
Average per farm.....dollars.....	442 195	215 474	172 987	199 350	357 692	290 692	188 423	225 608
Average per acre.....dollars.....	499	1 491	818	4 553	2 556	2 427	1 989	3 697
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment <sup>1</sup> :								
Average per farm.....dollars.....	38 619	29 754	17 274	23 682	15 464	45 784	14 550	24 050
Farms by size:								
1 to 9 acres.....	222	32	6	393	6	144	8	421
10 to 49 acres.....	523	110	44	558	65	304	27	664
50 to 179 acres.....	329	83	91	210	58	223	27	274
180 to 499 acres.....	153	36	58	61	21	87	8	93
500 to 999 acres.....	70	3	17	3	4	37	1	21
1,000 acres or more.....	179	6	11	3	1	11	-	-
Total cropland.....farms.....	1 360	224	203	864	139	655	55	1 034
.....acres.....	144 053	13 423	22 923	29 318	8 865	73 548	(D)	52 186
Harvested cropland.....farms.....	1 234	197	163	527	109	499	44	650
.....acres.....	73 691	6 123	14 200	14 320	3 557	57 226	1 541	30 185
Irrigated land.....farms.....	1 173	109	43	240	20	145	5	169
.....acres.....	50 999	2 671	2 531	6 102	411	6 344	12	5 440
Market value of agricultural products sold.....\$1,000.....	106 227	10 847	2 353	78 980	1 021	102 532	824	87 800
Average per farm.....dollars.....	71 970	40 175	10 367	64 316	6 590	127 211	11 603	59 607
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops.....\$1,000.....	91 468	5 185	523	19 737	269	47 672	540	14 539
Livestock, poultry, and their products.....\$1,000.....	14 759	5 662	1 831	59 243	753	54 860	284	73 262
Farms by value of sales:								
Less than \$2,500.....	395	67	101	618	71	261	33	712
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	144	41	41	207	35	133	21	220
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	140	39	35	135	18	79	7	159
\$10,000 to \$24,999.....	192	36	30	90	22	84	7	116
\$25,000 to \$49,999.....	162	27	12	27	7	39	-	56
\$50,000 to \$99,999.....	206	25	4	36	2	28	1	41
\$100,000 or more.....	237	35	4	115	-	182	2	169
Operators by principal occupation:								
Farming.....	846	142	101	459	66	391	26	591
Other.....	630	128	126	769	89	415	45	882
Operators by days worked off farm:								
Any.....	826	142	134	808	95	458	49	938
200 days or more.....	495	92	97	578	51	319	33	674
Average age of operator.....years.....	51.5	52.2	52.8	52.2	52.7	50.6	54.4	51.4
Total farm production expenses <sup>1</sup> .....\$1,000.....	80 857	8 058	1 713	65 826	1 299	76 048	909	72 264
Average per farm.....dollars.....	54 744	29 845	7 548	53 604	8 326	94 352	12 806	49 093
Livestock and poultry:								
Cattle and calves inventory.....farms.....	490	162	160	686	86	504	40	838
.....number.....	54 447	8 934	6 459	29 177	2 365	43 832	977	50 244
Beef cows.....farms.....	406	132	130	477	71	284	35	545
.....number.....	29 975	3 213	3 238	4 040	1 173	3 499	(D)	5 034
Milk cows.....farms.....	56	27	22	115	12	131	5	172
.....number.....	170	1 919	272	12 478	38	19 211	(D)	22 953
Cattle and calves sold.....farms.....	449	156	144	607	72	487	36	763
.....number.....	30 909	4 818	3 174	13 243	1 359	23 912	337	22 728
Hogs and pigs inventory.....farms.....	34	10	21	83	10	38	11	97
.....number.....	1 078	(D)	242	1 478	(D)	462	55	850
Hogs and pigs sold.....farms.....	26	7	17	69	10	34	10	94
.....number.....	2 095	(D)	467	3 713	164	675	205	1 887
Sheep and lambs inventory.....farms.....	52	6	10	65	49	40	6	104
.....number.....	7 044	101	201	1 462	2 032	648	177	2 081
Chickens 3 months old or older inventory.....farms.....	104	24	21	155	35	70	12	162
.....number.....	2 790	444	322	(D)	1 048	772 761	233	810 396
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold.....farms.....	3	-	2	21	3	4	1	29
.....number.....	210	-	(D)	7 117 181	64	(D)	(D)	1 526 323
Selected crops harvested:								
Corn for grain or seed.....farms.....	1	-	1	2	-	2	1	5
.....acres.....	(D)	-	(D)	(D)	-	(D)	(D)	118
.....bushels.....	(D)	-	(D)	(D)	-	(D)	(D)	5 900
Wheat for grain.....farms.....	27	-	1	1	2	84	-	26
.....acres.....	7 398	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	4 180	-	613
.....bushels.....	266 733	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	325 535	-	40 326
Barley for grain.....farms.....	18	-	8	-	6	56	-	10
.....acres.....	1 570	-	188	-	288	1 947	-	314
.....bushels.....	49 298	-	8 398	-	12 559	156 281	-	20 319
Irish potatoes.....farms.....	1	-	1	6	-	18	-	8
.....acres.....	(D)	-	(D)	26	-	3 095	-	(D)
.....cwt.....	(D)	-	(D)	3 075	-	1 019 192	-	(D)
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text).....farms.....	507	103	159	296	94	309	33	451
.....acres.....	32 819	5 451	13 871	8 708	3 164	20 939	1 118	20 484
.....tons, dry.....	75 090	9 902	17 596	18 199	5 825	61 606	1 930	56 703
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text).....farms.....	15	-	-	83	8	127	2	74
.....acres.....	19	-	-	3 038	12	19 219	(D)	3 870
Land in orchards.....farms.....	775	7	3	60	20	23	13	50
.....acres.....	30 417	20	5	244	84	154	397	107

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 1. County Summary Highlights: 1987—Con.**

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

Item	Spokane	Stevens	Thurston	Wahkiakum	Walla Walla	Whatcom	Whitman	Yakima
Farms.....number.....	1 901	1 073	806	135	759	1 463	1 204	4 239
Land in farms.....acres.....	613 055	525 783	56 799	14 616	675 524	124 675	1 405 412	1 612 399
Average size of farm.....acres.....	322	490	70	108	890	85	1 167	380
Value of land and buildings <sup>1</sup> :								
Average per farm.....dollars.....	300 041	258 531	202 520	159 252	563 099	258 045	847 179	317 332
Average per acre.....dollars.....	905	517	2 813	1 626	717	2 882	706	837
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment <sup>1</sup> :								
Average per farm.....dollars.....	38 632	26 193	21 660	18 368	74 588	39 840	116 479	44 374
Farms by size:								
1 to 9 acres.....	224	58	143	12	130	196	56	908
10 to 49 acres.....	576	234	412	26	193	548	77	1 963
50 to 179 acres.....	488	315	174	72	84	567	83	873
180 to 499 acres.....	270	274	66	24	87	131	173	295
500 to 999 acres.....	172	105	7	1	56	17	299	113
1,000 acres or more.....	171	87	4	-	207	4	516	87
Total cropland.....farms.....	1 642	940	591	120	678	1 298	1 141	3 941
.....acres.....	398 754	131 700	22 753	9 719	569 083	93 646	1 109 741	(D)
Harvested cropland.....farms.....	1 429	803	361	91	617	1 065	1 108	3 564
.....acres.....	271 180	68 275	9 545	3 762	298 896	64 984	727 024	241 260
Irrigated land.....farms.....	387	238	149	8	425	495	134	3 850
.....acres.....	14 911	12 257	3 513	483	75 333	28 766	9 371	247 313
Market value of agricultural products sold.....\$1,000.....	63 574	19 462	58 374	5 184	132 034	179 921	126 097	498 067
Average per farm.....dollars.....	33 442	18 138	72 424	38 398	173 958	122 981	104 732	117 496
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops.....\$1,000.....	43 119	4 857	11 550	161	89 182	28 173	111 632	311 621
Livestock, poultry, and their products.....\$1,000.....	20 455	14 606	46 824	5 022	42 852	151 748	14 466	186 445
Farms by value of sales:								
Less than \$2,500.....	784	398	409	41	170	386	96	956
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	282	186	135	16	69	172	46	477
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	222	154	104	33	70	158	52	466
\$10,000 to \$24,999.....	186	164	67	18	57	132	99	605
\$25,000 to \$49,999.....	124	67	20	5	65	80	148	482
\$50,000 to \$99,999.....	122	45	12	2	84	84	270	465
\$100,000 or more.....	181	59	59	20	244	451	493	788
Operators by principal occupation:								
Farming.....	821	491	295	76	480	802	986	2 294
Other.....	1 080	582	511	59	279	661	218	1 945
Operators by days worked off farm:								
Any.....	1 174	653	526	75	345	755	382	2 344
200 days or more.....	821	428	387	46	229	518	174	1 602
Average age of operator.....years.....	51.8	51.8	52.0	54.1	52.0	49.8	50.6	52.3
Total farm production expenses <sup>1</sup> .....\$1,000.....	52 522	18 271	49 403	4 306	112 481	136 918	99 315	411 259
Average per farm.....dollars.....	27 629	17 028	61 294	31 895	148 391	93 587	82 488	97 064
Livestock and poultry:								
Cattle and calves inventory.....farms.....	832	671	520	114	250	1 127	390	1 230
.....number.....	29 945	36 525	21 743	6 911	44 272	109 787	31 340	183 908
Beef cows.....farms.....	603	481	382	79	197	424	317	742
.....number.....	11 575	13 738	4 273	1 670	6 382	5 850	16 309	25 969
Milk cows.....farms.....	98	142	84	24	12	475	25	137
.....number.....	3 666	3 959	7 123	1 814	1 049	55 631	282	25 161
Cattle and calves sold.....farms.....	791	636	476	111	232	1 074	377	1 173
.....number.....	16 683	17 219	9 949	3 012	57 938	56 311	22 239	194 813
Hogs and pigs inventory.....farms.....	90	76	43	7	24	61	62	93
.....number.....	4 849	4 014	880	57	2 019	2 629	11 215	2 190
Hogs and pigs sold.....farms.....	80	57	43	4	26	51	61	77
.....number.....	8 268	5 642	2 447	(D)	3 634	4 404	20 097	3 801
Sheep and lambs inventory.....farms.....	85	52	51	10	44	53	75	114
.....number.....	3 965	1 774	1 335	389	1 197	545	2 132	23 738
Chickens 3 months old or older inventory.....farms.....	179	160	115	10	31	97	48	147
.....number.....	488 461	2 699	1 347 738	174	(D)	239 564	1 121	355 406
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold.....farms.....	17	9	13	-	1	8	7	19
.....number.....	29 933	758	7 662 960	-	(D)	7 643 345	236	(D)
Selected crops harvested:								
Corn for grain or seed.....farms.....	1	-	-	1	7	4	1	145
.....acres.....	(D)	-	-	(D)	6 736	353	(D)	8 629
.....bushels.....	(D)	-	-	(D)	1 441 876	14 882	(D)	1 314 357
Wheat for grain.....farms.....	433	132	-	4	364	15	1 009	231
.....acres.....	94 160	10 346	-	79	187 538	733	389 317	29 508
.....bushels.....	5 647 555	490 928	-	4 800	11 395 391	45 340	26 984 083	1 868 662
Barley for grain.....farms.....	359	131	2	1	199	10	910	131
.....acres.....	47 236	7 045	(D)	(D)	39 090	236	182 135	7 025
.....bushels.....	2 738 792	328 286	(D)	(D)	2 041 415	14 257	9 883 722	500 379
Irish potatoes.....farms.....	8	3	5	-	16	12	5	18
.....acres.....	(D)	290	13	-	9 094	1 378	(D)	1 518
.....cwt.....	(D)	85 000	3 600	-	5 013 929	575 798	(D)	392 645
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text).....farms.....	1 107	732	279	87	201	865	325	1 045
.....acres.....	58 016	47 816	8 453	3 673	11 194	53 299	12 997	35 971
.....tons, dry.....	86 605	83 289	18 697	7 816	55 605	170 967	29 804	158 845
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text).....farms.....	52	9	27	2	133	60	34	384
.....acres.....	525	7	443	(D)	14 783	7 083	6 731	22 060
Land in orchards.....farms.....	78	36	29	-	37	32	15	2 366
.....acres.....	621	233	61	-	2 673	229	114	95 690

<sup>1</sup>Data are based on a sample of farms.