

Table 17. Selected Characteristics of Farms by Specified Racial Groups, Sex of Operators, and Persons of Spanish Origin: 1992 and 1987

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	Total	Black	American Indian	Asian or Pacific Islander	Other (see text)	Female	Male	
FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS								
Farms..... number, 1992 ..	1 535	1 381	131	13	10	2 886	35 019	107
..... 1987 ..	1 902	1 828	58	8	8	2 779	40 539	83
Land in farms acres, 1992 ..	191 959	170 824	18 447	1 665	1 023	487 836	7 962 987	19 173
..... 1987 ..	209 688	198 315	10 298	301	774	403 056	8 742 697	11 382
Harvested cropland farms, 1992 ..	825	736	80	7	2	1 516	23 264	67
..... 1987 ..	1 045	1 004	36	2	3	1 477	27 032	48
..... acres, 1992 ..	40 452	34 870	5 179	(D)	(D)	79 855	2 024 209	5 629
..... 1987 ..	44 202	42 822	1 293	(D)	(D)	60 337	2 171 286	3 563
1992 FARMS BY SIZE								
1 to 9 acres	129	126	3	—	—	257	1 645	6
10 to 49 acres	536	483	46	4	3	868	9 297	35
50 to 139 acres	511	453	46	6	6	928	11 269	28
140 to 219 acres	148	135	13	—	—	307	4 388	12
220 to 499 acres	156	140	13	3	—	333	4 866	17
500 acres or more	55	41	10	—	1	193	3 554	9
1992 OWNED AND RENTED LAND IN FARMS								
Owned land in farms farms ..	1 387	1 251	113	13	10	2 749	32 797	101
..... acres ..	126 474	111 586	12 420	1 665	803	421 111	5 358 203	14 087
Rented or leased land in farms farms ..	586	536	47	—	3	516	12 703	30
..... acres ..	65 485	59 238	6 027	—	220	66 725	2 604 784	5 086
TENURE OF OPERATOR								
Full owners farms, 1992 ..	949	845	84	13	7	2 370	22 316	77
..... 1987 ..	1 249	1 197	38	8	6	2 343	26 970	61
..... acres, 1992 ..	95 732	83 620	10 048	1 665	399	360 509	3 528 335	10 540
..... 1987 ..	109 677	104 170	(D)	301	(D)	309 740	4 156 397	4 332
Part owners farms, 1992 ..	438	406	29	—	3	379	10 481	24
..... 1987 ..	459	442	17	—	—	304	10 849	17
..... acres, 1992 ..	79 873	73 223	6 026	—	624	97 525	3 897 484	7 491
..... 1987 ..	82 695	77 155	5 540	—	—	72 051	3 969 505	5 593
Tenants farms, 1992 ..	148	130	18	—	—	137	2 222	6
..... 1987 ..	194	189	3	—	2	132	2 720	5
..... acres, 1992 ..	16 354	13 981	2 373	—	—	29 802	537 168	1 142
..... 1987 ..	17 316	16 990	(D)	—	(D)	21 265	616 795	1 457
1992 FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION								
Individual or family (sole proprietorship)	1 402	1 264	120	8	10	2 626	31 631	102
Partnership	110	99	9	2	—	177	2 666	4
Family held corporation	9	5	2	2	—	52	490	1
Other than family held corporation	3	3	—	—	—	7	117	—
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc.	11	10	—	1	—	24	115	—
1992 MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD								
Total sales farms ..	1 535	1 381	131	13	10	2 886	35 019	107
..... \$1,000 ..	23 060	14 672	6 112	1 303	973	192 359	2 176 820	7 578
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops farms ..	409	369	38	2	—	718	11 856	37
..... \$1,000 ..	9 971	7 976	(D)	(D)	—	20 156	628 954	1 453
Livestock, poultry, and their products farms ..	1 222	1 100	103	11	8	2 177	27 166	82
..... \$1,000 ..	13 090	6 696	(D)	(D)	973	172 203	1 547 866	6 125
Farms by value of sales:								
Less than \$1,000	316	289	24	3	1	546	4 921	16
\$1,000 to \$2,499	376	347	25	3	3	449	5 747	18
\$2,500 to \$9,999	565	512	45	5	3	857	11 585	31
\$10,000 to \$19,999	129	118	10	1	—	258	3 877	9
\$20,000 to \$24,999	21	19	2	—	—	60	881	2
\$25,000 or more	128	96	25	4	3	716	8 008	31
1992 FARMS BY STANDARD INDUSTRIAL CLASSIFICATION								
Cash grains (011)	107	104	3	—	—	60	1 860	7
Field crops, except cash grains (013)	144	126	18	—	—	282	4 615	12
Cotton (0131)	37	33	4	—	—	53	963	3
Tobacco (0132)	2	2	—	—	—	—	11	—
Sugarcane and sugar beets; Irish potatoes; field crops, except cash grains, n.e.c. (0133, 0134, 0139)	105	91	14	—	—	229	3 641	9
Vegetables and melons (016)	43	43	—	—	—	47	759	6
Fruits and tree nuts (017)	25	20	4	1	—	105	946	6
Horticultural specialties (018)	8	5	2	1	—	80	541	1
General farms, primarily crop (019)	28	25	3	—	—	46	681	—
Livestock, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialties (021)	1 066	977	72	9	8	1 437	20 677	53
Beef cattle, except feedlots (0212)	893	816	62	9	6	1 323	19 095	50
Dairy farms (024)	35	34	1	—	—	34	477	—
Poultry and eggs (025)	29	12	13	2	2	486	2 673	18
Animal specialties (027)	41	26	15	—	—	212	1 416	3
General farms, primarily livestock and animal specialties (029)	9	9	—	—	—	97	374	1

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1992 OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS								
Operators by place of residence:								
On farm operated	898	794	96	2	6	2 147	24 960	85
Not on farm operated	427	391	23	11	2	462	6 720	20
Not reported	210	196	12	—	2	277	3 339	2
Operators by principal occupation:								
Farming	551	504	38	5	4	1 425	14 287	64
Other	984	877	93	8	6	1 461	20 732	43
Operators by days worked off farm:								
None	512	477	29	3	3	1 518	11 974	51
Any	874	763	96	9	6	1 154	20 767	51
1 to 99 days	117	107	5	1	4	175	2 212	9
100 to 199 days	162	139	18	5	—	243	2 948	10
200 days or more	595	517	73	3	2	736	15 607	32
Not reported	149	141	6	1	1	214	2 278	5
Operators by years on present farm:								
2 years or less	53	43	9	1	—	172	1 303	6
3 or 4 years	110	91	16	—	3	309	2 586	5
5 to 9 years	170	140	27	1	2	441	4 918	12
10 years or more	639	575	53	6	5	1 304	18 618	64
Average years on present farm	18.8	19.6	12.9	18.1	8.8	17.4	19.0	20.2
Not reported	563	532	26	5	—	660	7 594	20
Operators by age group:								
Under 25 years	6	6	—	—	—	15	293	—
25 to 34 years	73	55	15	—	3	146	2 426	7
35 to 44 years	230	190	38	1	1	444	6 120	17
45 to 54 years	333	283	47	2	1	572	8 442	23
55 to 59 years	159	143	9	4	3	329	4 335	14
60 to 64 years	175	164	9	1	1	352	4 234	13
65 to 69 years	159	150	6	2	1	333	3 820	17
70 years and over	400	390	7	3	—	695	5 349	16
Average age	58.3	59.2	48.5	60.2	48.1	57.6	54.6	56.0
Operators by sex:								
Male	1 417	1 286	116	6	9	(X)	35 019	94
Female	118	95	15	7	1	2 886	(X)	13
Operators of Spanish origin ¹	16	8	2	—	6	13	94	107
1992 COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS								
Amount received from Commodity Credit Corporation loans	39	37	2	—	—	29	667	1
\$1,000	2 433	(D)	(D)	—	—	434	35 260	(D)
Government payments received	206	184	19	3	—	409	5 429	12
\$1,000	1 135	1 024	(D)	(D)	—	1 941	46 909	183

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