

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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Characteristics	Farms operated by specified racial groups					Operators by sex		Operators of Spanish origin ¹
	Total	Black	American Indian	Asian or Pacific Islander	Other (see text)	Female	Male	
FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS								
Farms..... number, 1992 ..	646	9	428	40	169	832	5 941	380
..... 1987 ..	598	12	426	34	126	863	6 806	363
Land in farms acres, 1992 ..	21 908 142	(D)	21 665 724	(D)	207 227	1 331 277	33 706 341	617 880
..... 1987 ..	21 143 151	1 460	21 071 670	14 304	55 717	1 052 471	35 235 323	364 077
Harvested cropland farms, 1992 ..	261	5	135	37	84	270	3 053	194
..... 1987 ..	227	5	123	31	68	238	3 408	186
..... acres, 1992 ..	103 926	695	60 800	15 871	26 560	37 062	874 293	65 617
..... 1987 ..	72 487	484	46 679	8 836	16 488	32 546	833 271	38 352
1992 FARMS BY SIZE								
1 to 9 acres	169	3	125	5	36	314	1 364	83
10 to 49 acres	118	2	64	13	39	192	1 226	83
50 to 139 acres	68	2	41	4	21	64	701	39
140 to 219 acres	34	-	24	2	8	25	416	31
220 to 499 acres	56	-	34	5	17	76	507	32
500 acres or more	201	2	140	11	48	161	1 727	112
1992 OWNED AND RENTED LAND IN FARMS								
Owned land in farms farms ..	510	7	342	31	130	741	5 029	308
..... acres ..	20 790 900	404	20 741 386	8 316	40 794	699 732	24 862 100	191 906
Rented or leased land in farms farms ..	204	5	98	18	83	229	2 242	160
..... acres ..	1 117 242	(D)	924 338	(D)	166 433	631 545	8 844 241	425 974
TENURE OF OPERATOR								
Full owners farms, 1992 ..	442	4	330	22	86	603	3 699	220
..... 1987 ..	445	7	337	20	81	693	4 351	226
..... acres, 1992 ..	20 767 762	35	20 738 646	7 386	21 695	415 254	22 761 397	106 400
..... 1987 ..	20 884 872	1 194	20 869 626	2 085	11 967	245 623	23 183 822	32 054
Part owners farms, 1992 ..	68	3	12	9	44	138	1 330	88
..... 1987 ..	58	2	26	10	20	96	1 434	83
..... acres, 1992 ..	159 503	(D)	7 345	(D)	132 992	851 345	7 795 549	428 128
..... 1987 ..	81 353	(D)	50 137	(D)	25 820	779 351	9 879 939	270 625
Tenants farms, 1992 ..	136	2	86	9	39	91	912	72
..... 1987 ..	95	3	63	4	25	74	1 021	54
..... acres, 1992 ..	980 877	(D)	919 733	(D)	52 540	64 678	3 149 395	83 352
..... 1987 ..	176 926	(D)	151 907	(D)	17 930	27 497	2 171 562	61 398
1992 FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION								
Individual or family (sole proprietorship)	418	9	265	21	123	639	4 140	277
Partnership	56	-	14	12	30	83	1 008	63
Family held corporation	20	-	2	5	13	56	465	28
Other than family held corporation	10	-	6	1	3	14	96	10
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc.	142	-	141	1	-	40	232	2
1992 MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD								
Total sales farms ..	646	9	428	40	169	832	5 941	380
..... \$1,000 ..	123 926	421	67 549	17 762	38 194	59 063	1 456 321	88 301
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops farms ..	187	4	75	32	76	193	2 471	169
..... \$1,000 ..	87 652	(D)	35 024	(D)	34 797	44 162	855 080	74 384
Livestock, poultry, and their products farms ..	457	5	362	4	86	529	3 278	210
..... \$1,000 ..	36 274	(D)	32 525	(D)	3 398	14 901	601 240	13 917
Farms by value of sales:								
Less than \$1,000	137	-	98	5	34	231	1 160	69
\$1,000 to \$2,499	119	3	97	-	19	141	709	38
\$2,500 to \$9,999	159	2	120	3	34	206	1 137	85
\$10,000 to \$19,999	49	2	27	2	18	63	561	32
\$20,000 to \$24,999	4	-	2	-	2	8	147	6
\$25,000 or more	178	2	84	30	62	183	2 227	150
1992 FARMS BY STANDARD INDUSTRIAL CLASSIFICATION								
Cash grains (011)	9	-	9	-	-	4	93	2
Field crops, except cash grains (013)	82	3	35	8	36	72	1 103	82
Cotton (0131)	51	3	20	7	21	51	657	41
Tobacco (0132)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sugarcane and sugar beets; Irish potatoes; field crops, except cash grains, n.e.c. (0133, 0134, 0139)	31	-	15	1	15	21	446	41
Vegetables and melons (016)	36	-	12	12	12	8	196	21
Fruits and tree nuts (017)	29	-	1	11	17	78	799	39
Horticultural specialties (018)	13	1	1	5	6	38	188	8
General farms, primarily crop (019)	2	-	-	-	2	6	88	4
Livestock, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialties (021)	424	5	338	4	77	328	2 413	179
Beef cattle, except feedlots (0212)	311	4	238	2	67	264	2 073	153
Dairy farms (024)	3	-	2	-	1	1	110	6
Poultry and eggs (025)	6	-	2	-	4	8	71	4
Animal specialties (027)	34	-	20	-	14	275	807	34
General farms, primarily livestock and animal specialties (029)	8	-	8	-	-	14	73	1

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1992 OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS								
Operators by place of residence:								
On farm operated	382	9	269	11	93	618	3 524	226
Not on farm operated	205	—	109	24	72	173	1 999	147
Not reported	59	—	50	5	4	41	418	7
Operators by principal occupation:								
Farming	361	7	229	27	98	453	3 160	207
Other	285	2	199	13	71	379	2 781	173
Operators by days worked off farm:								
None	236	6	139	18	73	342	2 390	166
Any	345	2	236	21	86	423	3 160	193
1 to 99 days	80	1	55	12	12	73	475	32
100 to 199 days	66	1	51	3	11	84	569	24
200 days or more	199	—	130	6	63	266	2 116	137
Not reported	65	1	53	1	10	67	391	21
Operators by years on present farm:								
2 years or less	37	—	21	5	11	55	367	27
3 or 4 years	55	—	24	5	26	87	474	43
5 to 9 years	98	1	56	5	36	183	1 054	78
10 years or more	234	5	142	19	68	383	3 086	179
Average years on present farm	14.8	17.8	16.6	13.5	12.1	14.3	15.8	13.5
Not reported	222	3	185	6	28	124	960	53
Operators by age group:								
Under 25 years	—	—	—	—	—	4	28	2
25 to 34 years	50	—	38	2	10	58	344	30
35 to 44 years	137	2	90	7	38	180	1 145	71
45 to 54 years	161	2	101	7	51	235	1 490	115
55 to 59 years	72	—	35	12	25	100	698	49
60 to 64 years	77	3	52	4	18	67	773	42
65 to 69 years	65	—	51	4	10	63	577	23
70 years and over	84	2	61	4	17	125	886	48
Average age	53.5	58.4	53.7	54.8	52.3	53.4	54.5	52.6
Operators by sex:								
Male	551	8	354	29	160	(X)	5 941	350
Female	95	1	74	11	9	832	(X)	30
Operators of Spanish origin ¹	183	1	20	1	161	30	350	380
1992 COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS								
Amount received from Commodity Credit Corporation loans	21	1	3	5	12	18	236	23
\$1,000	1 474	(D)	(D)	220	1 109	761	17 138	1 532
Government payments received	73	3	36	8	26	81	852	57
\$1,000	2 483	(D)	909	(D)	1 364	2 159	37 386	2 374

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