

Table 6. Farms, Land in Farms, Value of Land and Buildings, and Land Use: 1992 and 1987

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

All farms	Delaware	Kent	New Castle	Sussex
FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS				
Farms ----- number, 1992 --	2 633	782	336	1 515
1987 --	2 966	857	380	1 729
Land in farms -----acres, 1992 --	589 189	197 375	87 134	304 680
1987 --	608 245	201 444	93 998	312 803
Average size of farm -----acres, 1992 --	224	252	259	201
1987 --	205	235	247	181
Estimated market value of land and buildings ¹ ----- farms, 1992 --	2 627	780	335	1 512
1987 --	2 965	856	380	1 729
\$1,000, 1992 --	1 350 689	397 854	285 842	666 992
1987 --	1 096 313	344 689	254 781	496 843
Average per farm -----dollars, 1992 --	514 156	510 070	853 261	441 133
1987 --	369 751	402 674	670 476	287 359
Average per acre -----dollars, 1992 --	2 246	2 033	3 146	2 119
1987 --	1 765	1 568	2 769	1 607
1992 farms by value group:				
\$1 to \$39,999 -----	267	89	14	164
\$40,000 to \$69,999 -----	163	44	23	96
\$70,000 to \$99,999 -----	196	79	17	100
\$100,000 to \$149,999 -----	347	113	29	205
\$150,000 to \$199,999 -----	234	95	26	113
\$200,000 to \$499,999 -----	782	195	93	494
\$500,000 to \$999,999 -----	356	95	63	198
\$1,000,000 to \$1,999,999 -----	160	32	41	87
\$2,000,000 to \$4,999,999 -----	94	27	21	46
\$5,000,000 or more -----	28	11	8	9
Approximate land area -----acres, 1992 --	1 250 954	378 022	272 831	600 101
Proportion in farms -----percent, 1992 --	47.1	52.2	31.9	50.8
1992 size of farm:				
1 to 9 acres ----- farms --	421	60	35	326
acres --	1 944	(D)	(D)	1 476
10 to 49 acres ----- farms --	797	243	119	435
acres --	19 217	6 117	2 630	10 470
50 to 69 acres ----- farms --	194	71	23	100
acres --	11 246	4 182	1 363	5 701
70 to 99 acres ----- farms --	186	59	18	109
acres --	15 255	4 837	1 444	8 974
100 to 139 acres ----- farms --	202	77	21	104
acres --	23 378	8 932	2 434	12 012
140 to 179 acres ----- farms --	143	51	21	71
acres --	22 493	8 108	3 293	11 092
180 to 219 acres ----- farms --	93	29	19	45
acres --	18 280	5 781	3 644	8 855
220 to 259 acres ----- farms --	61	23	2	36
acres --	14 442	(D)	(D)	8 496
260 to 499 acres ----- farms --	244	77	34	133
acres --	87 607	27 834	12 336	47 437
500 to 999 acres ----- farms --	161	51	19	91
acres --	111 244	34 941	13 754	62 549
1,000 to 1,999 acres ----- farms --	89	25	16	48
acres --	117 283	33 110	20 944	63 229
2,000 acres or more ----- farms --	42	16	9	17
acres --	146 800	57 792	24 619	64 389
1987 size of farm:				
1 to 9 acres ----- farms --	514	73	35	406
acres --	2 018	347	167	1 504
10 to 49 acres ----- farms --	867	251	114	502
acres --	21 371	6 290	2 634	12 447
50 to 69 acres ----- farms --	196	61	23	112
acres --	(D)	3 587	(D)	6 451
70 to 99 acres ----- farms --	230	92	22	116
acres --	18 995	7 691	1 805	9 499
100 to 139 acres ----- farms --	219	71	28	120
acres --	25 473	8 328	3 151	13 994
140 to 179 acres ----- farms --	143	44	25	74
acres --	22 684	7 067	4 003	11 614
180 to 219 acres ----- farms --	117	43	21	53
acres --	23 433	8 571	4 125	10 737
220 to 259 acres ----- farms --	76	29	11	36
acres --	18 037	6 875	2 617	8 545
260 to 499 acres ----- farms --	288	90	46	152
acres --	104 012	33 035	16 309	54 668
500 to 999 acres ----- farms --	188	57	30	101
(D) acres --	(D)	39 360	(D)	70 863
1,000 to 1,999 acres ----- farms --	100	38	21	41
(D) acres --	(D)	50 754	(D)	54 424
2,000 acres or more ----- farms --	28	8	4	16
(D) acres --	(D)	29 539	(D)	58 057

See footnotes at end of table.

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All farms	Delaware	Kent	New Castle	Sussex
LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE				
Total cropland -----farms, 1992 --	2 162	713	315	1 134
1987 --	2 397	791	363	1 243
acres, 1992 --	495 156	166 177	73 436	255 543
1987 --	501 290	170 377	78 162	252 751
Harvested cropland -----farms, 1992 --	1 956	656	277	1 023
1987 --	2 172	721	324	1 127
acres, 1992 --	470 348	156 962	67 852	245 534
1987 --	441 502	150 674	64 358	226 470
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing ----farms, 1992 --	500	218	114	168
1987 --	510	219	116	175
acres, 1992 --	9 630	4 516	2 315	2 799
1987 --	10 200	3 873	2 643	3 684
Other cropland -----farms, 1992 --	508	161	107	240
1987 --	874	272	176	426
acres, 1992 --	15 178	4 699	3 269	7 210
1987 --	49 588	15 830	11 161	22 597
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured -----farms, 1992 --	155	44	46	65
1987 --	145	32	46	67
acres, 1992 --	4 561	1 765	825	1 971
1987 --	4 891	1 530	1 115	2 246
Cropland on which all crops failed -----farms, 1992 --	62	21	7	34
1987 --	188	76	20	92
acres, 1992 --	1 627	(D)	(D)	1 281
1987 --	6 696	1 895	372	4 429
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow ----farms, 1992 --	34	15	1	18
1987 --	36	16	8	12
acres, 1992 --	514	(D)	(D)	313
1987 --	902	384	262	256
Cropland idle -----farms, 1992 --	320	96	69	155
1987 --	612	183	130	299
acres, 1992 --	8 476	2 490	2 341	3 645
1987 --	37 099	12 021	9 412	15 666
Total woodland -----farms, 1992 --	1 252	445	157	650
1987 --	1 239	417	155	667
acres, 1992 --	66 217	22 282	7 507	36 428
1987 --	75 156	20 886	7 839	46 431
Woodland pastured -----farms, 1992 --	192	84	27	81
1987 --	141	58	25	58
acres, 1992 --	5 641	2 491	640	2 510
1987 --	3 714	1 910	319	1 485
Woodland not pastured -----farms, 1992 --	1 124	393	141	590
1987 --	1 158	385	141	632
acres, 1992 --	60 576	19 791	6 867	33 918
1987 --	71 442	18 976	7 520	44 946
Other land -----farms, 1992 --	1 722	469	248	1 005
1987 --	2 042	570	275	1 197
acres, 1992 --	27 816	8 916	6 191	12 709
1987 --	31 799	10 181	7 997	13 621
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured -----farms, 1992 --	194	80	31	83
1987 --	212	88	42	82
acres, 1992 --	5 510	3 508	547	1 455
1987 --	4 824	2 334	1 072	1 418
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. -----farms, 1992 --	1 645	443	236	966
1987 --	1 994	553	267	1 174
acres, 1992 --	22 306	5 408	5 644	11 254
1987 --	26 975	7 847	6 925	12 203
Pastureland, all types -----farms, 1992 --	734	303	143	288
1987 --	736	301	147	288
acres, 1992 --	20 781	10 515	3 502	6 764
1987 --	18 738	8 117	4 034	6 587
Land under Federal acreage reduction programs:				
Diverted under annual commodity programs -----farms, 1992 --	176	57	53	66
1987 --	450	140	117	193
acres, 1992 --	3 673	1 039	1 319	1 315
1987 --	29 683	8 362	(D)	(D)
Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs ² -----farms, 1992 --	37	12	11	14
1987 --	18	7	2	9
acres, 1992 --	860	324	336	200
1987 --	1 141	612	(D)	(D)

¹Data are based on a sample of farms.

²Data for 1987 are for Conservation Reserve Program only.