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Characteristics	Farms operated by specified racial groups					Operators by sex		Operators of Spanish origin <sup>1</sup>
	Total	Black	American Indian	Asian or Pacific Islander	Other (see text)	Female	Male	
<b>FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS</b>								
Farms..... number, 1992 ..	87	32	26	19	10	3 813	92 730	187
..... 1987 ..	124	47	42	15	20	3 342	101 838	105
Land in farms ..... acres, 1992 ..	18 801	6 107	4 612	3 918	4 164	724 949	30 621 616	67 935
..... 1987 ..	28 195	13 574	7 073	2 426	5 122	561 922	31 076 208	33 851
Harvested cropland ..... farms, 1992 ..	71	25	22	17	7	2 830	81 179	162
..... 1987 ..	112	44	38	13	17	2 549	90 329	98
..... acres, 1992 ..	10 213	3 706	2 936	1 890	1 681	416 104	22 410 204	46 266
..... 1987 ..	17 716	8 927	4 134	1 547	3 108	305 033	20 179 145	19 547
<b>1992 FARMS BY SIZE</b>								
1 to 9 acres .....	12	1	2	7	2	464	6 665	19
10 to 49 acres .....	20	8	9	2	1	699	9 646	26
50 to 139 acres .....	15	8	3	3	1	952	14 733	29
140 to 219 acres .....	10	7	3	—	—	627	13 914	21
220 to 499 acres .....	20	5	7	4	4	733	27 547	49
500 acres or more .....	10	3	2	3	2	338	20 225	43
<b>1992 OWNED AND RENTED LAND IN FARMS</b>								
Owned land in farms ..... farms ..	77	28	22	17	10	3 414	74 847	154
..... acres ..	9 256	4 057	1 825	1 324	2 050	523 755	14 255 971	33 562
Rented or leased land in farms ..... farms ..	33	12	11	5	5	988	52 015	107
..... acres ..	9 545	2 050	2 787	2 594	2 114	201 194	16 365 645	34 373
<b>TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>								
Full owners ..... farms, 1992 ..	54	20	15	14	5	2 825	40 716	80
..... 1987 ..	64	20	27	9	8	2 492	45 734	60
..... acres, 1992 ..	6 155	3 067	974	952	1 162	398 690	7 081 314	15 670
..... 1987 ..	7 799	(D)	2 962	971	(D)	326 067	7 637 159	10 338
Part owners ..... farms, 1992 ..	23	8	7	3	5	589	34 131	74
..... 1987 ..	25	13	6	3	3	467	34 740	27
..... acres, 1992 ..	9 163	(D)	1 968	(D)	3 002	252 537	17 956 067	42 370
..... 1987 ..	10 127	5 625	2 528	(D)	(D)	166 228	17 089 743	16 984
Tenants ..... farms, 1992 ..	10	4	4	2	—	399	17 883	33
..... 1987 ..	35	14	9	3	9	383	21 364	18
..... acres, 1992 ..	3 483	(D)	1 670	(D)	—	73 722	5 584 235	9 895
..... 1987 ..	10 269	(D)	1 583	(D)	2 440	69 627	6 349 306	6 529
<b>1992 FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION</b>								
Individual or family (sole proprietorship) .....	73	30	20	13	10	3 094	78 033	156
Partnership .....	5	2	3	—	—	480	9 548	24
Family held corporation .....	4	—	3	1	—	159	4 393	5
Other than family held corporation .....	1	—	—	1	—	9	363	—
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. ....	4	—	—	4	—	71	393	2
<b>1992 MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD</b>								
Total sales ..... farms ..	87	32	26	19	10	3 813	92 730	187
..... \$1,000 ..	4 063	1 812	676	1 060	514	162 928	9 936 858	22 386
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops ..... farms ..	60	22	20	13	5	2 393	72 958	143
..... \$1,000 ..	2 115	721	570	(D)	(D)	80 136	4 561 019	9 349
Livestock, poultry, and their products ..... farms ..	53	23	12	11	7	2 292	62 376	124
..... \$1,000 ..	1 947	1 092	106	(D)	(D)	82 792	5 375 839	13 037
Farms by value of sales:								
Less than \$1,000 .....	13	2	5	2	4	356	3 107	10
\$1,000 to \$2,499 .....	11	3	6	1	1	368	3 805	11
\$2,500 to \$9,999 .....	19	8	3	7	1	920	10 863	22
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....	7	4	1	1	1	617	9 271	18
\$20,000 to \$24,999 .....	4	—	2	2	—	177	3 755	8
\$25,000 or more .....	33	15	9	6	3	1 375	61 929	118
<b>1992 FARMS BY STANDARD INDUSTRIAL CLASSIFICATION</b>								
Cash grains (011) .....	32	12	12	6	2	1 468	45 190	89
Field crops, except cash grains (013) .....	7	1	2	2	2	218	2 150	5
Cotton (0131) .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco (0132) .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sugarcane and sugar beets; Irish potatoes; field crops, except cash grains, n.e.c. (0133, 0134, 0139) .....	7	1	2	2	2	218	2 150	5
Vegetables and melons (016) .....	4	1	1	2	—	33	254	1
Fruits and tree nuts (017) .....	2	—	2	—	—	17	198	1
Horticultural specialties (018) .....	2	—	—	2	—	59	331	—
General farms, primarily crop (019) .....	—	—	—	—	—	68	1 024	1
Livestock, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialties (021) .....	28	10	8	6	4	1 535	37 226	71
Beef cattle, except feedlots (0212) .....	13	5	5	1	2	727	9 832	13
Dairy farms (024) .....	5	5	—	—	—	114	3 417	15
Poultry and eggs (025) .....	—	—	—	—	—	45	438	—
Animal specialties (027) .....	1	—	—	1	—	186	1 236	1
General farms, primarily livestock and animal specialties (029) .....	6	3	1	—	2	70	1 266	3

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<b>1992 OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS</b>								
Operators by place of residence:								
On farm operated .....	62	24	20	11	7	2 631	69 519	149
Not on farm operated .....	19	5	3	8	3	988	18 065	35
Not reported .....	6	3	3	—	—	194	5 146	3
Operators by principal occupation:								
Farming .....	46	24	13	4	5	2 100	64 785	133
Other .....	41	8	13	15	5	1 713	27 945	54
Operators by days worked off farm:								
None .....	33	16	8	4	5	1 903	45 654	88
Any .....	44	11	14	14	5	1 615	41 057	93
1 to 99 days .....	4	—	4	—	—	293	10 233	20
100 to 199 days .....	9	4	1	3	1	320	6 258	15
200 days or more .....	31	7	9	11	4	1 002	24 566	58
Not reported .....	10	5	4	1	—	295	6 019	6
Operators by years on present farm:								
2 years or less .....	9	—	6	1	2	240	4 231	16
3 or 4 years .....	11	5	—	5	1	304	5 560	24
5 to 9 years .....	7	2	4	1	—	544	10 924	22
10 years or more .....	36	14	12	4	6	2 040	59 983	109
Average years on present farm .....	18.5	22.1	21.0	9.6	14.6	20.8	20.8	17.3
Not reported .....	24	11	4	8	1	685	12 032	16
Operators by age group:								
Under 25 years .....	1	—	—	1	—	65	2 211	5
25 to 34 years .....	6	1	—	4	1	234	12 866	40
35 to 44 years .....	12	7	2	2	1	520	21 680	40
45 to 54 years .....	28	10	7	7	4	659	19 110	50
55 to 59 years .....	9	—	6	3	—	422	9 840	12
60 to 64 years .....	9	5	2	—	2	474	10 121	17
65 to 69 years .....	3	1	—	—	2	437	7 519	11
70 years and over .....	19	8	9	2	—	1 002	9 383	12
Average age .....	55.6	56.9	62.4	45.9	52.2	58.3	50.0	46.9
Operators by sex:								
Male .....	67	23	21	14	9	(X)	92 730	167
Female .....	20	9	5	5	1	3 813	(X)	20
Operators of Spanish origin <sup>1</sup> .....	12	3	1	1	7	20	167	187
<b>1992 COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS</b>								
Amount received from Commodity Credit Corporation loans .....	11	6	3	1	1	307	17 325	28
\$1,000 .....	91	28	(D)	(D)	(D)	8 608	565 484	786
Government payments received .....	40	15	15	7	3	1 959	59 722	119
\$1,000 .....	235	85	65	(D)	(D)	12 162	465 796	884

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