

Table 7. Land Use and Acres Diverted: 1992, 1987, and 1982

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

All farms	1992	Percent of total in 1992	1987	1982
Farms ----- number ..	63 278	100.0	68 579	73 315
Land in farms ----- acres ..	46 672 188	100.0	46 628 519	47 052 213
Total cropland ----- farms ..	56 389	89.1	61 615	66 481
----- acres ..	31 119 250	66.7	31 385 090	30 598 859
Harvested cropland ----- farms ..	52 348	82.7	57 822	62 860
----- acres ..	18 794 787	40.3	17 729 394	20 186 974
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 49 acres -----	11 299	17.9	12 372	12 391
1 to 9 acres -----	1 940	3.1	2 149	2 142
10 to 19 acres -----	2 708	4.3	2 967	3 097
20 to 29 acres -----	2 394	3.8	2 694	2 630
30 to 49 acres -----	4 257	6.7	4 562	4 522
50 to 99 acres -----	7 353	11.6	8 853	8 832
100 to 199 acres -----	8 631	13.6	10 361	11 638
200 to 499 acres -----	12 602	19.9	14 761	17 228
500 to 999 acres -----	7 979	12.6	8 150	9 046
1,000 acres or more -----	4 484	7.1	3 325	3 725
1,000 to 1,999 acres -----	3 678	5.8	2 876	3 142
2,000 acres or more -----	806	1.3	449	583
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing ----- farms ..	21 538	34.0	22 575	23 055
----- acres ..	3 814 520	8.2	3 485 445	3 231 652
Other cropland ----- farms ..	34 557	54.6	43 046	34 770
----- acres ..	8 509 943	18.2	10 170 251	7 180 233
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured ----- farms ..	11 702	18.5	11 212	5 739
----- acres ..	1 452 453	3.1	1 103 315	290 742
Cropland on which all crops failed ----- farms ..	5 275	8.3	3 341	5 059
----- acres ..	676 394	1.4	206 231	385 959
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow ----- farms ..	19 882	31.4	25 408	22 060
----- acres ..	5 115 255	11.0	6 409 506	5 475 611
Cropland idle ----- farms ..	13 318	21.0	20 610	12 304
----- acres ..	1 265 841	2.7	2 451 199	1 027 921
Total woodland ----- farms ..	11 931	18.9	12 587	13 184
----- acres ..	639 398	1.4	718 261	753 577
Woodland pastured ----- farms ..	5 912	9.3	6 382	6 857
----- acres ..	314 383	.7	366 136	377 954
Woodland not pastured ----- farms ..	7 715	12.2	7 991	8 039
----- acres ..	325 015	.7	352 125	375 623
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured ----- farms ..	29 949	47.3	32 362	34 510
----- acres ..	13 771 436	29.5	13 254 094	14 085 336
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. ----- farms ..	38 550	60.9	44 335	50 409
----- acres ..	1 142 104	2.4	1 271 074	1 614 441
Land under federal acreage reduction programs:				
Diverted under annual commodity programs ¹ ----- farms ..	24 021	(X)	34 658	14 825
----- acres ..	669 600	(X)	3 956 196	896 640
Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs ² ----- farms ..	14 786	(X)	5 630	(NA)
----- acres ..	2 278 157	(X)	810 862	(NA)

¹Data for 1982 are for total federal set aside acres.

²Data for 1987 are for Conservation Reserve Program only.