

**Table 10. Selected Characteristics of Irrigated and Nonirrigated Farms: 1992 and 1987**

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

Characteristics	All farms		Irrigated farms				Nonirrigated farms	
			Any land irrigated		All harvested cropland irrigated			
	1992	1987	1992	1987	1992	1987	1992	1987
Farms ----- number ..	5 776	6 269	523	359	267	182	5 253	5 910
Land in farms ----- acres ..	1 258 297	1 342 588	111 548	68 548	12 111	9 924	1 146 749	1 274 040
Estimated market value of land and buildings <sup>1</sup> :								
Average per farm ----- dollars ..	241 816	210 777	283 643	274 510	170 292	185 174	237 622	206 904
Average per acre ----- dollars ..	1 130	962	1 351	1 313	3 600	3 132	1 108	941
Irrigated land ----- acres ..	10 241	6 065	10 241	6 065	1 148	1 132	(X)	(X)
Land in farms according to use:								
Total cropland ----- farms ..	5 495	5 919	522	358	267	182	4 973	5 561
acres ..	559 424	592 309	50 472	28 423	2 872	2 584	508 952	563 886
Harvested cropland ----- farms ..	5 141	5 486	517	357	267	182	4 624	5 129
acres ..	399 755	410 891	36 468	20 176	1 133	1 131	363 287	390 715
Pastureland, excluding woodland pastured ----- farms ..	2 879	3 292	147	98	52	28	2 732	3 194
acres ..	102 594	123 390	4 163	3 626	821	954	98 431	119 764
Land under federal acreage reduction programs:								
Diverted under annual commodity programs ----- farms ..	81	134	12	12	—	1	69	122
acres ..	624	4 589	105	920	—	(D)	519	3 669
Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs <sup>2</sup> ----- farms ..	251	115	18	8	3	—	233	107
acres ..	14 221	5 941	1 077	768	70	—	13 144	5 173
Owned and rented land in farms:								
Owned land in farms ----- farms ..	5 507	5 997	499	343	255	173	5 008	5 654
acres ..	1 043 230	1 148 150	91 360	61 445	10 734	9 137	951 870	1 086 705
Rented or leased land in farms ----- farms ..	2 043	2 058	154	104	37	22	1 889	1 954
acres ..	215 067	194 438	20 188	7 103	1 377	767	194 879	187 335
Market value of agricultural products sold ----- \$1,000 ..	430 324	405 484	66 301	29 094	12 345	6 403	364 023	376 390
Average per farm ----- dollars ..	74 502	64 681	126 771	81 042	46 237	35 183	69 298	63 687
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops ----- farms ..	3 822	3 822	502	353	260	179	3 320	3 469
\$1,000 ..	215 995	157 828	64 519	28 467	11 982	6 375	151 476	129 361
Livestock, poultry, and their products ----- farms ..	2 601	3 301	111	67	41	17	2 490	3 234
\$1,000 ..	214 329	247 656	1 782	627	363	28	212 547	247 029
Total farm production expenses <sup>1</sup> ----- \$1,000 ..	351 076	324 276	46 452	23 443	8 110	4 885	304 623	300 833
Average per farm ----- dollars ..	60 824	51 752	88 312	65 300	32 967	30 344	58 068	50 928
Livestock and poultry purchased ----- farms ..	1 360	1 742	62	50	29	15	1 298	1 692
\$1,000 ..	18 658	21 876	89	69	55	1	18 569	21 808
Feed for livestock and poultry ----- farms ..	2 655	3 197	110	75	42	21	2 545	3 122
\$1,000 ..	70 781	94 386	627	245	187	17	70 154	94 141
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees ----- farms ..	2 073	2 525	354	255	170	111	1 719	2 270
\$1,000 ..	15 329	10 684	3 788	1 953	879	474	11 541	8 731
Commercial fertilizer ----- farms ..	3 181	3 252	426	277	183	83	2 755	2 975
\$1,000 ..	18 543	16 437	2 707	1 679	119	187	15 835	14 759
Agricultural chemicals ----- farms ..	2 366	2 821	348	302	141	125	2 018	2 519
\$1,000 ..	16 197	11 996	3 081	1 620	195	136	13 116	10 377
Petroleum products ----- farms ..	5 435	5 857	506	342	229	144	4 929	5 515
\$1,000 ..	15 276	12 827	2 117	1 401	514	406	13 159	11 426
Electricity ----- farms ..	4 051	4 574	413	294	190	118	3 638	4 280
\$1,000 ..	8 763	7 596	878	514	240	125	7 884	7 082
Hired farm labor ----- farms ..	2 485	3 108	283	206	116	79	2 202	2 902
\$1,000 ..	61 086	51 613	13 630	6 176	2 150	1 036	47 456	45 438
Contract labor ----- farms ..	816	906	103	58	47	27	713	848
\$1,000 ..	7 348	4 978	1 928	351	335	37	5 420	4 627
Repairs and maintenance ----- farms ..	4 778	5 381	475	322	209	126	4 303	5 059
\$1,000 ..	21 887	19 687	3 339	1 683	460	366	18 547	18 004
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment ----- farms ..	1 390	1 444	156	121	45	54	1 234	1 323
\$1,000 ..	4 975	3 052	1 242	376	54	57	3 733	2 677
Interest ----- farms ..	2 162	2 753	266	221	104	99	1 896	2 532
\$1,000 ..	14 775	15 455	2 202	1 632	552	346	12 573	13 823
Cash rent ----- farms ..	1 135	1 287	116	77	31	1	1 019	1 210
\$1,000 ..	5 336	3 845	1 270	627	77	185	4 066	3 218
Property taxes paid ----- farms ..	5 568	6 064	494	332	238	134	5 074	5 732
\$1,000 ..	13 753	11 460	1 454	884	384	249	12 299	10 576
All other farm production expenses ----- farms ..	5 099	5 630	499	344	224	150	4 600	5 286
\$1,000 ..	58 370	38 383	8 099	4 236	2 009	1 263	50 271	34 147
Commodity Credit Corporation loans ----- farms ..	12	56	1	4	—	—	11	52
\$1,000 ..	69	323	(D)	78	—	—	(D)	245
Government payments received ----- farms ..	999	851	81	36	17	2	918	815
\$1,000 ..	3 843	3 062	338	331	21	(D)	3 505	2 731
Other farm-related income <sup>1</sup> ----- farms ..	1 769	1 941	176	124	69	17	1 593	1 817
\$1,000 ..	9 462	7 942	1 975	889	563	32	7 487	7 053
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment <sup>1</sup> ----- farms ..	5 765	6 264	526	359	246	161	5 239	5 905
\$1,000 ..	263 791	240 068	35 448	22 719	5 965	3 443	228 343	217 349
Average per farm ----- dollars ..	45 757	38 325	67 391	63 283	24 246	21 383	43 585	36 808
Livestock inventory:								
Cattle and calves ----- farms ..	2 110	2 637	66	41	13	8	2 044	2 596
number ..	104 511	119 475	1 513	692	109	56	102 998	118 783
Milk cows ----- farms ..	836	1 183	16	12	1	2	820	1 171
number ..	42 737	49 815	492	186	(D)	(D)	42 245	49 629
Hogs and pigs ----- farms ..	377	421	28	10	7	1	349	411
number ..	4 768	8 999	138	276	(D)	(D)	4 630	8 723
Sheep and lambs ----- farms ..	457	559	37	3	17	1	420	556
number ..	12 541	15 606	473	125	242	(D)	12 068	15 481

<sup>1</sup>Data are based on a sample of farms.

<sup>2</sup>Data for 1987 are for Conservation Reserve Program only.