

Table 48. Summary by Age and Principal Occupation of Operator: 1992

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Item	Total farming and other occupations	Farming						
		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS								
Farmsnumber.....	51 854	27 376	358	1 978	4 109	4 848	6 382	9 701
.....percent.....	100.0	52.8	7	3.8	7.9	9.3	12.3	18.7
Land in farmsacres.....	8 936 015	6 713 424	76 750	476 767	1 367 717	1 672 258	1 608 581	1 511 351
Average size of farmacres.....	172	245	214	241	333	345	252	156
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD								
Total sales (see text)farms.....	51 854	27 376	358	1 978	4 109	4 848	6 382	9 701
.....\$1,000.....	4 834 218	4 011 202	37 714	356 581	982 932	1 255 287	888 577	490 110
Average per farmdollars.....	93 227	146 523	105 347	180 274	239 214	258 929	139 232	50 522
Farms by value of sales:								
Less than \$1,000 (see text)farms.....	5 574	1 501	4	43	115	151	315	873
.....\$1,000 to \$2,499.....	7 042	2 229	11	73	171	176	435	1 363
.....\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	7 250	2 620	27	74	171	261	503	1 584
.....\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	6 968	3 072	41	104	236	351	635	1 705
.....\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	6 025	3 191	62	220	290	439	751	1 429
.....\$20,000 to \$24,999.....	1 616	980	5	77	129	141	239	389
.....\$25,000 to \$39,999.....	3 116	2 042	40	156	275	338	544	689
.....\$40,000 to \$49,999.....	1 281	875	18	93	145	158	220	241
.....\$50,000 to \$99,999.....	3 640	2 858	50	319	538	623	809	519
.....\$100,000 to \$249,999.....	4 444	3 794	50	404	870	997	968	505
.....\$250,000 to \$499,999.....	2 810	2 403	31	236	656	642	586	252
.....\$500,000 to \$999,999.....	1 492	1 296	18	140	362	402	264	110
.....\$1,000,000 to \$2,499,999.....	484	425	1	33	131	132	101	27
.....\$2,500,000 to \$4,999,999.....	63	52	—	4	14	20	6	8
.....\$5,000,000 or more.....	49	38	—	2	6	17	6	7
Grains								
.....farms.....	17 369	11 802	180	1 000	2 032	2 332	2 949	3 309
.....\$1,000.....	441 349	397 598	6 098	36 763	102 539	111 298	90 817	50 083
Sales of \$50,000 or morefarms.....	2 080	1 979	27	208	545	541	468	190
.....\$1,000.....	300 239	287 907	4 534	26 055	81 003	86 728	62 774	26 812
Corn for grain								
.....farms.....	10 167	7 277	108	646	1 296	1 459	1 891	1 877
.....\$1,000.....	189 188	171 367	2 183	15 399	43 823	49 598	39 622	20 741
Wheat								
.....farms.....	6 531	4 935	81	491	1 036	1 042	1 176	1 109
.....\$1,000.....	69 639	63 026	925	6 290	16 783	16 401	14 760	7 866
Soybeans								
.....farms.....	12 739	9 007	141	793	1 642	1 844	2 282	2 305
.....\$1,000.....	175 628	157 194	2 862	14 534	40 347	43 772	35 389	20 290
Sorghum for grain								
.....farms.....	200	135	4	14	24	24	30	39
.....\$1,000.....	996	783	(D)	(D)	189	95	192	169
Barley								
.....farms.....	400	289	3	17	51	53	75	90
.....\$1,000.....	2 161	1 889	22	106	538	398	382	444
Oats								
.....farms.....	881	626	1	43	87	138	143	214
.....\$1,000.....	2 011	1 746	(D)	(D)	478	463	259	428
Other grains								
.....farms.....	374	303	4	28	65	70	64	72
.....\$1,000.....	1 727	1 594	8	276	381	571	213	145
Cotton and cottonseed								
.....farms.....	2 031	1 638	26	224	400	391	345	252
.....\$1,000.....	126 090	118 877	1 199	14 366	36 043	34 049	21 577	11 644
Sales of \$50,000 or morefarms.....	701	668	8	85	205	183	133	54
.....\$1,000.....	103 806	100 535	833	11 431	31 974	30 064	17 411	8 823
Tobacco								
.....farms.....	17 611	11 693	225	966	1 939	2 324	2 918	3 321
.....\$1,000.....	956 323	852 240	13 608	80 461	213 295	234 001	209 367	101 508
Sales of \$50,000 or morefarms.....	4 976	4 550	73	476	1 100	1 249	1 168	484
.....\$1,000.....	776 481	732 062	11 138	70 177	195 439	213 151	177 664	64 492
Hay, silage, and field seeds								
.....farms.....	5 224	2 491	29	137	363	406	550	1 006
.....\$1,000.....	20 020	13 420	202	870	2 601	3 021	2 704	4 023
Sales of \$50,000 or morefarms.....	33	30	—	3	7	10	6	4
.....\$1,000.....	4 418	4 238	—	243	953	1 129	603	1 311
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons								
.....farms.....	2 774	1 859	32	177	314	346	457	533
.....\$1,000.....	63 082	54 072	560	3 364	15 007	15 398	12 178	7 565
Sales of \$50,000 or morefarms.....	207	186	2	16	48	51	47	22
.....\$1,000.....	42 520	38 070	(D)	(D)	11 661	12 018	7 806	4 982
Fruits, nuts, and berries								
.....farms.....	1 202	686	4	36	108	122	169	247
.....\$1,000.....	26 039	21 987	(D)	(D)	4 032	5 857	5 808	4 505
Sales of \$50,000 or morefarms.....	131	110	2	11	24	24	30	19
.....\$1,000.....	18 833	16 756	(D)	(D)	3 020	4 800	4 652	2 816
Nursery and greenhouse crops								
.....farms.....	2 028	986	3	100	253	205	234	191
.....\$1,000.....	183 777	155 988	(D)	(D)	35 841	47 067	20 938	39 640
Sales of \$50,000 or morefarms.....	4 455	361	—	45	115	88	172	41
.....\$1,000.....	166 599	147 916	—	11 667	33 561	45 249	18 972	38 467
Other crops								
.....farms.....	3 591	2 716	38	254	513	579	654	678
.....\$1,000.....	179 771	169 340	1 447	12 910	41 668	48 129	41 733	23 453
Sales of \$50,000 or morefarms.....	856	815	5	79	216	231	192	92
.....\$1,000.....	148 433	144 462	1 020	10 622	36 519	43 135	35 109	18 058
Poultry and poultry products								
.....farms.....	4 058	2 870	27	289	658	759	686	451
.....\$1,000.....	1 551 291	1 164 527	6 760	112 293	307 391	364 396	256 498	117 189
Sales of \$50,000 or morefarms.....	3 401	2 507	23	255	614	687	594	334
.....\$1,000.....	1 542 711	1 159 159	6 617	111 546	306 298	363 364	255 107	116 227
Dairy products								
.....farms.....	1 014	877	11	65	161	196	226	218
.....\$1,000.....	199 003	191 656	1 872	12 154	36 884	48 137	51 348	41 261
Sales of \$50,000 or morefarms.....	739	700	7	54	144	174	187	134
.....\$1,000.....	194 108	188 035	1 758	11 849	36 484	47 610	50 317	40 018
Cattle and calves								
.....farms.....	20 771	10 371	72	448	1 067	1 468	2 450	4 866
.....\$1,000.....	158 790	105 617	510	4 211	17 274	18 286	26 520	38 817
Sales of \$50,000 or morefarms.....	341	270	1	12	59	54	81	63
.....\$1,000.....	47 213	38 217	(D)	(D)	8 757	7 672	9 356	11 179

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Item	Other occupations						
	Total	Age of operator (years)					
		Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS							
Farms ----- number	24 478	261	1 748	5 158	6 955	5 842	4 514
----- percent	47.2	.5	3.4	9.9	13.4	11.3	8.7
Land in farms ----- acres	2 222 591	19 206	102 253	411 742	615 932	594 986	478 472
Average size of farm ----- acres	91	74	58	80	89	102	106
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD							
Total sales (see text) ----- farms	24 478	261	1 748	5 158	6 955	5 842	4 514
----- \$1,000	823 016	7 577	67 895	205 604	242 314	180 393	119 234
Average per farm ----- dollars	33 623	29 029	38 841	39 861	34 840	30 879	26 414
Farms by value of sales:							
Less than \$1,000 (see text) -----	4 073	21	294	854	1 146	960	798
\$1,000 to \$2,499 -----	4 813	49	333	985	1 320	1 125	1 001
\$2,500 to \$4,999 -----	4 630	72	335	931	1 234	1 094	964
\$5,000 to \$9,999 -----	3 896	45	273	796	1 120	957	705
\$10,000 to \$19,999 -----	2 834	35	200	577	895	676	451
\$20,000 to \$24,999 -----	636	4	31	168	167	172	94
\$25,000 to \$39,999 -----	1 074	7	86	227	332	257	165
\$40,000 to \$49,999 -----	406	3	34	94	113	116	46
\$50,000 to \$99,999 -----	782	5	63	183	242	184	105
\$100,000 to \$249,999 -----	650	11	38	158	171	160	112
\$250,000 to \$499,999 -----	407	5	41	105	119	86	51
\$500,000 to \$999,999 -----	196	4	16	58	59	44	15
\$1,000,000 to \$2,499,999 -----	59	—	—	15	31	9	4
\$2,500,000 to \$4,999,999 -----	11	—	2	4	—	—	1
\$5,000,000 or more -----	11	—	2	3	2	2	2
Grains ----- farms							
----- \$1,000	5 567	58	423	1 168	1 611	1 332	975
Sales of \$50,000 or more ----- farms	43 751	460	2 759	9 107	13 205	10 715	7 506
----- \$1,000	101	7	17	26	30	20	20
----- \$1,000	12 333	(D)	(D)	2 141	3 455	2 877	3 306
Corn for grain ----- farms							
----- \$1,000	2 890	37	226	611	848	690	478
----- \$1,000	17 821	210	1 065	3 348	5 507	4 403	3 287
Wheat ----- farms	1 596	15	130	358	475	367	251
----- \$1,000	6 613	54	437	1 397	1 951	1 588	1 186
Soybeans ----- farms	3 732	38	279	795	1 088	918	614
----- \$1,000	18 435	187	1 182	4 167	5 403	4 579	2 916
Sorghum for grain ----- farms							
----- \$1,000	65	1	2	16	21	14	11
----- \$1,000	212	(D)	(D)	44	88	44	31
Barley ----- farms	111	2	12	27	38	15	17
----- \$1,000	273	(D)	(D)	69	99	37	28
Oats ----- farms	255	2	29	60	81	34	49
----- \$1,000	265	(D)	(D)	59	98	35	44
Other grains ----- farms	71	1	6	19	20	16	9
----- \$1,000	133	(D)	(D)	21	58	29	15
Cotton and cottonseed ----- farms							
----- \$1,000	393	5	40	61	112	110	65
Sales of \$50,000 or more ----- farms	7 213	76	890	1 417	1 967	1 724	1 139
----- \$1,000	33	—	4	9	7	8	5
----- \$1,000	3 270	—	562	849	726	637	497
Tobacco ----- farms							
----- \$1,000	5 918	106	460	1 179	1 591	1 454	1 128
Sales of \$50,000 or more ----- farms	104 083	1 675	6 049	21 350	29 918	25 659	19 432
----- \$1,000	426	7	20	85	128	102	84
----- \$1,000	44 419	895	1 753	9 305	12 826	10 397	9 244
Hay, silage, and field seeds ----- farms							
----- \$1,000	2 733	20	200	626	845	571	471
Sales of \$50,000 or more ----- farms	6 600	24	411	1 418	2 028	1 541	1 179
----- \$1,000	3	—	—	—	1	2	—
----- \$1,000	180	—	—	—	(D)	(D)	—
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ----- farms							
----- \$1,000	915	13	69	214	259	210	150
Sales of \$50,000 or more ----- farms	9 010	125	522	3 890	1 957	1 849	667
----- \$1,000	21	1	1	5	7	6	1
----- \$1,000	4 450	(D)	(D)	(D)	609	650	(D)
Fruits, nuts, and berries ----- farms							
----- \$1,000	516	—	27	100	158	107	124
Sales of \$50,000 or more ----- farms	4 052	—	358	501	1 744	830	619
----- \$1,000	21	—	4	2	9	4	2
----- \$1,000	2 077	—	258	(D)	995	509	(D)
Nursery and greenhouse crops ----- farms							
----- \$1,000	1 042	11	91	310	299	206	125
Sales of \$50,000 or more ----- farms	27 789	63	1 813	8 593	8 321	6 913	2 086
----- \$1,000	94	—	4	31	32	21	6
----- \$1,000	18 683	—	855	5 893	5 726	5 069	1 140
Other crops ----- farms							
----- \$1,000	875	10	59	168	234	252	152
Sales of \$50,000 or more ----- farms	10 432	34	563	1 864	3 018	2 940	2 013
----- \$1,000	41	—	—	9	7	15	10
----- \$1,000	3 971	—	—	566	1 051	1 369	985
Poultry and poultry products ----- farms							
----- \$1,000	1 188	11	94	342	321	261	159
Sales of \$50,000 or more ----- farms	386 764	2 695	37 472	94 702	107 461	77 122	67 311
----- \$1,000	894	8	64	249	240	209	124
----- \$1,000	383 551	2 593	36 979	93 741	106 887	76 221	67 131
Dairy products ----- farms							
----- \$1,000	137	2	7	25	29	34	40
Sales of \$50,000 or more ----- farms	7 347	(D)	(D)	2 088	1 076	1 724	2 188
----- \$1,000	39	—	1	7	5	11	15
----- \$1,000	6 073	—	(D)	1 881	(D)	1 401	1 929
Cattle and calves ----- farms							
----- \$1,000	10 400	84	631	1 965	2 981	2 651	2 088
Sales of \$50,000 or more ----- farms	53 173	540	2 479	9 897	16 426	14 652	9 179
----- \$1,000	71	2	3	16	20	24	6
----- \$1,000	8 996	(D)	(D)	1 659	3 493	2 927	407

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			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD—Con.								
Total sales (see text) —Con.								
Hogs and pigs ----- farms --	4 012	2 638	44	198	471	592	623	710
----- \$1,000 --	898 624	752 565	4 755	64 306	167 254	324 059	144 322	47 868
Sales of \$50,000 or more ----- farms --	1 280	1 019	17	113	261	306	226	96
----- \$1,000 --	875 644	736 628	4 365	63 265	164 361	320 923	140 076	43 639
Sheep, lambs, and wool ----- farms --	499	219	1	16	48	38	44	72
----- \$1,000 --	777	417	(D)	(D)	147	139	46	63
Sales of \$50,000 or more ----- farms --	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
----- \$1,000 --	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other livestock and livestock products (see text) ----- farms --	2 237	836	5	74	187	162	176	232
----- \$1,000 --	29 280	12 898	26	1 251	2 959	1 450	4 721	2 491
Sales of \$50,000 or more ----- farms --	70	47	—	5	15	3	16	8
----- \$1,000 --	21 449	9 486	—	800	1 953	615	4 066	2 053
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text) ----- farms --	2 134	1 143	9	86	149	183	269	447
----- \$1,000 --	7 113	5 175	15	361	906	1 059	1 439	1 395
FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES¹								
Total farm production expenses ----- farms --	51 858	27 360	389	2 080	4 052	4 765	6 379	9 695
----- \$1,000 --	3 817 833	3 171 895	27 944	272 444	767 077	1 019 013	698 806	386 612
Average per farm ----- dollars	73 621	115 932	71 835	130 983	189 308	213 854	109 548	39 877
Livestock and poultry purchased ----- farms --	12 925	7 464	104	562	1 302	1 647	1 737	2 112
----- \$1,000 --	431 873	299 781	1 746	34 185	75 559	92 511	59 340	36 440
Farms with expenses of —								
\$1 to \$4,999 -----	7 432	3 430	59	219	394	531	802	1 425
\$5,000 to \$24,999 -----	2 488	1 678	21	110	310	404	409	424
\$25,000 to \$99,999 -----	2 314	1 804	22	171	447	536	413	215
\$100,000 to \$249,999 -----	460	372	2	38	102	120	78	32
\$250,000 or more -----	231	180	—	24	49	56	35	16
Feed for livestock and poultry ----- farms --	23 132	12 066	149	718	1 913	2 286	2 751	4 249
----- \$1,000 --	1 288 719	1 071 335	6 237	87 996	257 378	399 425	217 235	103 065
Farms with expenses of —								
\$1 to \$4,999 -----	16 844	7 222	83	310	817	958	1 611	3 443
\$5,000 to \$24,999 -----	1 585	1 130	26	75	206	289	226	308
\$25,000 to \$99,999 -----	1 764	1 370	19	104	293	358	352	244
\$100,000 to \$249,999 -----	1 570	1 220	16	102	285	326	331	160
\$250,000 or more -----	1 369	1 124	5	127	312	355	231	94
Commercially mixed formula feeds ----- farms --	10 715	6 275	81	424	1 253	1 422	1 411	1 684
----- \$1,000 --	941 007	772 273	4 625	71 206	208 701	247 982	164 397	75 362
Farms with expenses of —								
\$1 to \$4,999 -----	5 918	2 579	29	108	378	395	521	1 148
\$5,000 to \$24,999 -----	884	626	21	55	142	167	126	115
\$25,000 to \$99,999 -----	1 444	1 116	17	69	239	281	302	208
\$100,000 or more -----	2 469	1 954	14	192	494	579	462	213
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees ----- farms --	29 662	18 106	303	1 552	2 913	3 382	4 488	5 468
----- \$1,000 --	85 959	75 032	1 104	6 665	19 721	21 092	16 508	9 941
Farms with expenses of —								
\$1 to \$999 -----	18 965	9 408	134	649	1 075	1 397	2 256	3 897
\$1,000 to \$4,999 -----	6 955	5 253	120	502	912	1 045	1 442	1 232
\$5,000 to \$24,999 -----	3 119	2 857	45	360	737	759	671	285
\$25,000 to \$49,999 -----	435	413	1	29	128	124	95	36
\$50,000 or more -----	188	175	3	12	61	57	24	18
Commercial fertilizer ----- farms --	40 585	22 505	367	1 723	3 236	3 829	5 433	7 917
----- \$1,000 --	233 479	202 208	2 932	16 083	45 612	53 147	53 428	31 006
Farms with expenses of —								
\$1 to \$4,999 -----	31 576	14 682	246	934	1 562	1 975	3 338	6 627
\$5,000 to \$24,999 -----	6 757	5 673	97	613	1 104	1 257	1 517	1 085
\$25,000 to \$49,999 -----	1 424	1 344	12	123	341	365	379	124
\$50,000 or more -----	828	806	12	53	229	232	199	81
Agricultural chemicals ----- farms --	30 449	18 587	318	1 630	3 054	3 577	4 628	5 380
----- \$1,000 --	151 341	137 827	1 897	12 895	35 985	39 358	31 267	16 426
Farms with expenses of —								
\$1 to \$4,999 -----	24 625	13 350	260	1 010	1 715	2 236	3 369	4 760
\$5,000 to \$24,999 -----	4 357	3 813	40	479	939	927	934	494
\$25,000 to \$49,999 -----	897	872	10	95	232	244	219	72
\$50,000 or more -----	570	552	8	46	168	170	106	54
Petroleum products ----- farms --	49 736	26 617	386	2 041	3 946	4 661	6 242	9 341
----- \$1,000 --	184 299	158 312	2 148	14 601	37 616	42 856	38 043	23 050
Farms with expenses of —								
\$1 to \$4,999 -----	41 132	18 876	274	1 226	2 117	2 576	4 276	8 407
\$5,000 to \$24,999 -----	7 226	6 426	96	706	1 457	1 686	1 658	823
\$25,000 to \$49,999 -----	1 025	978	12	86	276	285	239	80
\$50,000 or more -----	353	337	4	23	96	114	69	31
Gasoline and gasohol ----- farms --	37 917	21 640	316	1 730	3 431	3 846	5 128	7 189
----- \$1,000 --	50 303	41 479	533	3 624	9 435	10 757	10 093	7 038
Diesel fuel ----- farms --	37 578	21 121	352	1 671	3 339	3 876	5 088	6 795
----- \$1,000 --	57 685	49 816	709	4 329	11 871	13 226	11 838	7 843
Natural gas ----- farms --	2 530	1 824	34	155	353	408	406	468
----- \$1,000 --	9 108	7 987	116	661	1 550	2 388	2 109	1 164
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc. ----- farms --	34 049	21 067	323	1 718	3 476	4 064	5 073	6 413
----- \$1,000 --	67 203	59 030	790	5 987	14 760	16 484	14 004	7 005

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MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD—Con.							
Total sales (see text) —Con.							
Hogs and pigs ----- farms ---	1 374	13	133	320	392	310	206
\$1,000 ---	146 059	1 841	13 527	38 687	52 740	33 993	5 272
Sales of \$50,000 or more ----- farms ---	261	6	31	81	95	37	11
\$1,000 ---	139 016	1 800	12 796	37 041	50 819	32 090	4 470
Sheep, lambs, and wool ----- farms ---	280	3	18	110	89	39	21
\$1,000 ---	361	(D)	(D)	164	118	40	20
Sales of \$50,000 or more ----- farms ---	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000 ---	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other livestock and livestock products (see text) ----- farms ---	1 401	17	129	443	496	208	108
\$1,000 ---	16 382	30	776	11 926	2 336	692	622
Sales of \$50,000 or more ----- farms ---	23	—	6	7	7	—	3
\$1,000 ---	11 962	—	370	(D)	594	—	(D)
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text) ----- farms ---	991	13	73	267	294	216	128
\$1,000 ---	1 938	11	216	461	544	515	190
FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES¹							
Total farm production expenses ----- farms ---	24 498	285	1 881	5 246	6 799	5 865	4 422
\$1,000 ---	645 938	5 663	49 078	154 737	196 947	145 237	94 276
Average per farm ----- farms ---	26 367	19 871	26 092	29 496	28 967	24 763	21 320
Livestock and poultry purchased ----- farms ---	5 461	71	510	1 431	1 650	1 252	547
\$1,000 ---	132 092	1 118	13 007	26 937	37 574	25 910	27 546
Farms with expenses of —							
\$1 to \$4,999 ----- farms ---	4 002	38	409	1 022	1 221	924	388
\$5,000 to \$24,999 ----- farms ---	810	24	49	238	220	183	96
\$25,000 to \$99,999 ----- farms ---	510	8	41	135	158	120	48
\$100,000 to \$249,999 ----- farms ---	88	—	9	21	32	17	9
\$250,000 or more ----- farms ---	51	1	2	15	19	8	6
Feed for livestock and poultry ----- farms ---	11 066	134	892	2 562	3 282	2 549	1 647
\$1,000 ---	217 384	2 226	13 741	58 379	70 378	49 831	22 828
Farms with expenses of —							
\$1 to \$4,999 ----- farms ---	9 622	106	758	2 222	2 892	2 215	1 429
\$5,000 to \$24,999 ----- farms ---	455	18	73	90	114	86	74
\$25,000 to \$99,999 ----- farms ---	394	2	15	89	89	120	79
\$100,000 to \$249,999 ----- farms ---	350	5	32	88	103	79	43
\$250,000 or more ----- farms ---	245	3	14	73	84	49	22
Commercially mixed formula feeds ----- farms ---	4 440	41	365	1 132	1 315	998	589
\$1,000 ---	168 734	1 867	9 925	46 146	53 749	36 666	20 381
Farms with expenses of —							
\$1 to \$4,999 ----- farms ---	3 339	24	276	853	1 031	723	432
\$5,000 to \$24,999 ----- farms ---	258	8	41	62	48	67	32
\$25,000 to \$99,999 ----- farms ---	328	1	12	80	79	92	64
\$100,000 or more ----- farms ---	515	8	36	137	157	116	61
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees ----- farms ---	11 556	145	982	2 642	3 175	2 736	1 876
\$1,000 ---	10 927	110	607	2 782	3 416	2 549	1 464
Farms with expenses of —							
\$1 to \$999 ----- farms ---	9 557	122	836	2 167	2 558	2 242	1 632
\$1,000 to \$4,999 ----- farms ---	1 702	21	115	397	551	423	195
\$5,000 to \$24,999 ----- farms ---	262	1	31	74	45	65	46
\$25,000 to \$49,999 ----- farms ---	22	—	—	—	17	4	—
\$50,000 or more ----- farms ---	13	—	—	4	4	2	3
Commercial fertilizer ----- farms ---	18 080	229	1 417	3 881	5 073	4 391	3 089
\$1,000 ---	31 271	251	1 981	7 219	9 375	7 674	4 771
Farms with expenses of —							
\$1 to \$4,999 ----- farms ---	16 894	220	1 337	3 599	4 715	4 078	2 945
\$5,000 to \$24,999 ----- farms ---	1 084	9	72	264	329	287	123
\$25,000 to \$49,999 ----- farms ---	80	—	8	14	21	21	16
\$50,000 or more ----- farms ---	22	—	—	4	8	5	5
Agricultural chemicals ----- farms ---	11 862	160	997	2 770	3 284	2 795	1 856
\$1,000 ---	13 513	100	892	3 209	3 816	3 319	2 176
Farms with expenses of —							
\$1 to \$4,999 ----- farms ---	11 275	154	958	2 616	3 126	2 677	1 744
\$5,000 to \$24,999 ----- farms ---	544	6	38	146	145	106	103
\$25,000 to \$49,999 ----- farms ---	25	—	1	5	6	6	7
\$50,000 or more ----- farms ---	18	—	—	3	7	6	2
Petroleum products ----- farms ---	23 119	278	1 822	4 970	6 423	5 575	4 051
\$1,000 ---	25 986	264	1 931	6 057	7 640	6 287	3 807
Farms with expenses of —							
\$1 to \$4,999 ----- farms ---	22 256	270	1 763	4 753	6 170	5 366	3 934
\$5,000 to \$24,999 ----- farms ---	800	7	55	203	236	197	102
\$25,000 to \$49,999 ----- farms ---	47	1	3	10	12	9	12
\$50,000 or more ----- farms ---	16	—	1	4	5	3	3
Gasoline and gasohol ----- farms ---	16 277	219	1 272	3 548	4 670	3 792	2 776
\$1,000 ---	8 823	92	659	2 146	2 559	2 047	1 320
Diesel fuel ----- farms ---	16 457	203	1 344	3 600	4 800	3 926	2 584
\$1,000 ---	7 868	92	638	1 653	2 419	1 988	1 078
Natural gas ----- farms ---	706	17	49	149	171	146	174
\$1,000 ---	1 121	21	30	333	322	219	195
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc. ----- farms ---	12 982	135	1 080	2 840	3 761	3 095	2 071
\$1,000 ---	8 173	58	604	1 924	2 340	2 032	1 214

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Table 48. Summary by Age and Principal Occupation of Operator: 1992 —Con.

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Item	Total farming and other occupations	Farming						
		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES¹								
—Con.								
Total farm production expenses —Con.								
Electricity ----- farms	32 089	19 468	282	1 553	3 224	4 009	4 761	5 639
..... \$1,000	66 747	55 522	615	4 721	12 876	16 492	13 633	7 186
Farms with expenses of —								
\$1 to \$999	20 072	9 513	141	529	1 049	1 426	2 187	4 181
\$1,000 to \$4,999	8 664	6 925	96	750	1 389	1 679	1 839	1 172
\$5,000 to \$24,999	3 127	2 832	43	260	745	831	689	264
\$25,000 to \$49,999	149	137	2	12	27	48	36	12
\$50,000 or more	77	61	—	2	14	25	10	10
Hired farm labor ----- farms	21 919	14 600	225	1 380	2 739	3 186	3 694	3 376
..... \$1,000	388 338	347 825	2 623	25 856	82 168	108 230	80 046	48 902
Farms with expenses of —								
\$1 to \$4,999	13 442	7 146	133	648	1 017	1 177	1 718	2 453
\$5,000 to \$24,999	5 118	4 336	63	473	876	1 111	1 244	569
\$25,000 to \$99,999	2 743	2 558	24	222	683	732	607	290
\$100,000 to \$249,999	431	393	5	27	109	112	96	44
\$250,000 or more	185	167	—	10	54	54	29	20
Workers by days worked:								
150 days or more ----- farms	8 881	6 708	86	588	1 414	1 663	1 630	1 327
..... workers	27 185	23 484	212	1 872	5 489	6 920	5 577	3 414
Less than 150 days ----- farms	20 281	13 252	219	1 261	2 462	2 788	3 350	3 172
..... workers	126 611	99 008	2 219	10 239	20 696	23 815	25 313	16 726
Contract labor ----- farms	6 362	4 033	37	418	833	870	961	914
..... \$1,000	41 893	34 743	351	2 864	10 189	9 726	6 682	4 931
Farms with expenses of —								
\$1 to \$999	2 441	1 110	2	76	206	151	242	433
\$1,000 to \$4,999	2 310	1 554	15	162	298	373	393	313
\$5,000 to \$24,999	1 279	1 090	17	158	245	253	276	141
\$25,000 to \$49,999	200	157	1	21	38	55	30	12
\$50,000 or more	132	122	2	1	46	38	20	15
Repair and maintenance ----- farms	42 818	23 980	294	1 860	3 759	4 329	5 768	7 970
..... \$1,000	171 928	143 503	1 682	10 828	34 914	39 025	33 516	23 539
Farms with expenses of —								
\$1 to \$4,999	34 916	17 170	188	1 223	2 146	2 475	4 091	7 047
\$5,000 to \$24,999	6 719	5 712	93	569	1 288	1 512	1 433	817
\$25,000 to \$49,999	860	792	9	51	243	237	181	71
\$50,000 or more	323	306	4	17	82	105	63	35
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment ----- farms	16 441	10 303	136	785	1 707	1 906	2 540	3 229
..... \$1,000	42 312	35 724	440	3 897	8 720	9 301	8 166	5 201
Farms with expenses of —								
\$1 to \$999	8 986	4 636	60	254	540	574	1 084	2 124
\$1,000 to \$4,999	5 375	3 790	46	317	663	821	1 043	900
\$5,000 to \$24,999	1 869	1 678	28	184	441	460	376	189
\$25,000 to \$49,999	152	142	2	23	44	36	27	10
\$50,000 or more	59	57	—	7	19	15	10	6
Interest expense ----- farms	19 038	12 021	187	1 267	2 574	3 020	2 903	2 070
..... \$1,000	143 502	115 037	1 169	9 744	28 517	36 693	26 522	12 393
Farms with expenses of —								
\$1 to \$4,999	12 203	6 712	119	690	1 209	1 471	1 629	1 594
\$5,000 to \$24,999	5 633	4 218	56	490	1 066	1 210	1 032	364
\$25,000 to \$99,999	1 108	1 006	12	87	287	298	221	101
\$100,000 or more	94	85	—	—	12	41	21	11
Secured by real estate ----- farms	13 588	8 307	88	728	1 788	2 219	2 155	1 329
..... \$1,000	102 028	79 836	786	5 796	18 745	25 545	19 788	9 177
Farms with expenses of —								
\$1 to \$999	2 314	1 141	2	84	125	291	285	354
\$1,000 to \$4,999	5 973	3 160	40	261	731	718	819	591
\$5,000 to \$24,999	4 468	3 253	36	337	735	971	875	299
\$25,000 to \$49,999	634	571	8	45	154	177	130	57
\$50,000 or more	199	182	2	1	43	62	46	28
Not secured by real estate ----- farms	9 391	6 475	140	794	1 543	1 560	1 399	1 039
..... \$1,000	41 474	35 201	384	3 948	9 772	11 148	6 734	3 215
Farms with expenses of —								
\$1 to \$999	3 632	1 993	49	218	289	390	504	543
\$1,000 to \$4,999	3 859	2 773	74	352	712	668	587	380
\$5,000 to \$24,999	1 640	1 473	15	197	482	424	264	91
\$25,000 to \$49,999	173	157	2	20	42	44	27	22
\$50,000 or more	87	79	—	7	18	34	17	3
Cash rent ----- farms	16 600	10 961	228	1 193	2 312	2 438	2 623	2 167
..... \$1,000	163 376	152 270	2 062	17 709	43 252	43 715	33 139	12 393
Farms with expenses of —								
\$1 to \$4,999	11 029	5 860	148	516	984	1 078	1 410	1 724
\$5,000 to \$9,999	1 691	1 421	19	203	313	344	371	171
\$10,000 to \$24,999	2 011	1 857	37	247	441	490	484	158
\$25,000 or more	1 869	1 823	24	227	574	526	358	114
Property taxes ----- farms	49 192	26 002	303	1 792	3 851	4 584	6 166	9 306
..... \$1,000	59 169	39 181	277	2 294	6 217	9 431	9 754	11 207
Farms with expenses of —								
\$1 to \$4,999	47 805	24 878	299	1 729	3 642	4 249	5 868	9 091
\$5,000 to \$9,999	983	812	3	46	158	235	230	140
\$10,000 to \$24,999	339	255	—	13	47	81	58	56
\$25,000 or more	65	57	1	4	4	19	10	19
All other farm production expenses ----- farms	45 144	25 192	342	1 956	3 912	4 600	5 944	8 438
..... \$1,000	364 899	303 593	2 660	22 105	68 355	98 013	71 527	40 934
Farms with expenses of —								
\$1 to \$4,999	36 391	17 673	197	1 268	2 056	2 583	4 085	7 484
\$5,000 to \$24,999	6 005	5 166	120	463	1 222	1 331	1 332	698
\$25,000 to \$49,999	1 376	1 163	13	101	317	334	267	131
\$50,000 to \$99,999	894	773	10	87	200	224	177	75
\$100,000 or more	478	417	2	37	117	128	83	50

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Item	Other occupations						
	Total	Age of operator (years)					
		Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES¹							
—Con.							
Total farm production expenses —Con.							
Electricity ----- farms	12 621	111	928	2 831	3 761	2 983	2 007
----- \$1,000	11 225	79	1 000	2 884	3 040	2 458	1 764
Farms with expenses of —							
\$1 to \$999	10 559	99	762	2 311	3 225	2 500	1 662
\$1,000 to \$4,999	1 739	9	143	424	433	421	309
\$5,000 to \$24,999	295	3	19	89	94	58	32
\$25,000 to \$49,999	12	—	1	2	5	2	2
\$50,000 or more	16	—	3	5	4	2	2
Hired farm labor ----- farms	7 319	122	601	1 746	2 143	1 721	986
----- \$1,000	40 513	210	3 657	9 158	11 729	10 581	5 178
Farms with expenses of —							
\$1 to \$4,999	6 296	117	519	1 486	1 827	1 493	854
\$5,000 to \$24,999	782	4	70	195	244	176	93
\$25,000 to \$99,999	185	1	6	48	56	41	33
\$100,000 to \$249,999	38	—	3	12	12	7	4
\$250,000 or more	18	—	3	5	4	4	2
Workers by days worked:							
150 days or more ----- farms	2 173	45	157	580	554	490	347
----- workers	3 701	53	289	999	931	868	561
Less than 150 days ----- farms	7 029	111	583	1 662	2 083	1 649	941
----- workers	27 603	348	2 611	5 864	8 594	6 666	3 520
Contract labor ----- farms	2 329	55	206	531	735	509	293
----- \$1,000	7 150	44	598	2 138	1 765	1 388	1 216
Farms with expenses of —							
\$1 to \$999	1 331	52	103	299	403	282	192
\$1,000 to \$4,999	756	1	81	177	258	164	75
\$5,000 to \$24,999	189	2	15	43	66	42	21
\$25,000 to \$49,999	43	—	7	10	3	21	2
\$50,000 or more	10	—	—	2	5	—	3
Repair and maintenance ----- farms	18 838	236	1 461	4 041	5 555	4 548	2 997
----- \$1,000	28 425	208	2 052	6 877	9 166	6 590	3 532
Farms with expenses of —							
\$1 to \$4,999	17 746	229	1 390	3 759	5 201	4 284	2 883
\$5,000 to \$24,999	1 007	7	65	264	318	248	105
\$25,000 to \$49,999	68	—	4	13	31	12	8
\$50,000 or more	17	—	2	5	5	4	1
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment ----- farms	6 138	77	528	1 491	1 813	1 367	862
----- \$1,000	6 587	57	550	1 554	2 339	1 430	657
Farms with expenses of —							
\$1 to \$999	4 350	74	343	1 100	1 160	970	703
\$1,000 to \$4,999	1 585	2	169	339	585	351	139
\$5,000 to \$24,999	191	—	15	49	62	45	20
\$25,000 to \$49,999	10	1	1	3	4	1	—
\$50,000 or more	2	—	—	—	2	—	—
Interest expense ----- farms	7 017	79	670	1 861	2 221	1 609	577
----- \$1,000	28 465	266	2 413	7 573	9 848	6 487	1 879
Farms with expenses of —							
\$1 to \$4,999	5 491	70	523	1 474	1 684	1 265	475
\$5,000 to \$24,999	1 415	9	140	351	497	327	91
\$25,000 to \$99,999	102	—	6	33	36	16	11
\$100,000 or more	9	—	1	3	4	1	—
Secured by real estate ----- farms	5 281	50	470	1 403	1 653	1 253	452
----- \$1,000	22 192	184	1 839	6 125	7 776	4 813	1 455
Farms with expenses of —							
\$1 to \$999	1 173	10	116	304	261	350	132
\$1,000 to \$4,999	2 813	33	217	757	960	604	242
\$5,000 to \$24,999	1 215	7	133	311	405	289	70
\$25,000 to \$49,999	63	—	4	23	21	8	7
\$50,000 or more	17	—	—	8	6	2	1
Not secured by real estate ----- farms	2 916	40	319	746	1 022	579	210
----- \$1,000	6 273	81	574	1 448	2 072	1 674	424
Farms with expenses of —							
\$1 to \$999	1 639	10	210	387	604	319	109
\$1,000 to \$4,999	1 086	28	89	315	348	219	87
\$5,000 to \$24,999	167	2	18	38	60	37	12
\$25,000 to \$49,999	16	—	1	5	7	2	1
\$50,000 or more	8	—	1	1	3	2	1
Cash rent ----- farms	5 639	97	675	1 553	1 704	1 202	408
----- \$1,000	11 107	116	970	3 266	3 823	2 280	652
Farms with expenses of —							
\$1 to \$4,999	5 169	92	633	1 450	1 517	1 103	374
\$5,000 to \$9,999	270	3	29	57	102	60	19
\$10,000 to \$24,999	154	2	12	28	70	31	11
\$25,000 or more	46	—	1	18	15	8	4
Property taxes ----- farms	23 190	219	1 665	4 876	6 580	5 713	4 157
----- \$1,000	19 988	132	943	3 686	5 551	5 529	4 147
Farms with expenses of —							
\$1 to \$4,999	22 927	218	1 661	4 843	6 508	5 608	4 089
\$5,000 to \$9,999	171	1	2	25	33	58	52
\$10,000 to \$24,999	84	—	2	6	16	45	15
\$25,000 or more	8	—	—	2	3	2	1
All other farm production expenses ----- farms	19 952	222	1 512	4 278	5 701	4 774	3 465
----- \$1,000	61 306	483	4 735	13 018	17 487	12 924	12 659
Farms with expenses of —							
\$1 to \$4,999	18 718	204	1 442	3 953	5 314	4 518	3 287
\$5,000 to \$24,999	839	14	45	222	261	172	125
\$25,000 to \$49,999	213	2	18	52	59	44	38
\$50,000 to \$99,999	121	2	2	40	42	25	10
\$100,000 or more	61	—	5	11	25	15	5

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Item	Total farming and other occupations	Farming						
		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
NET CASH RETURN FROM AGRICULTURAL SALES FOR THE FARM UNIT (SEE TEXT) ¹								
All farms	51 858	27 360	389	2 080	4 052	4 765	6 379	9 695
\$1,000	912 136	781 034	8 813	75 055	190 419	223 354	181 031	102 361
Average per farm	17 589	28 547	22 656	36 084	46 994	46 874	28 379	10 558
Farms with net gains ²	30 837	19 214	310	1 582	3 076	3 579	4 621	6 046
Average net gain	33 198	43 812	31 270	50 964	65 830	66 223	42 044	19 466
Gain of—								
Less than \$1,000	3 971	1 568	17	82	141	157	354	817
\$1,000 to \$9,999	12 682	6 460	113	389	618	810	1 435	3 095
\$10,000 to \$49,999	8 819	6 462	134	660	1 093	1 275	1 706	1 594
\$50,000 or more	5 365	4 724	46	451	1 224	1 337	1 126	540
Farms with net losses	21 021	8 146	79	498	976	1 186	1 758	3 649
Average net loss	5 309	7 459	11 144	11 184	12 370	11 515	7 539	4 202
Loss of—								
Less than \$1,000	5 223	1 755	13	65	158	131	325	1 063
\$1,000 to \$9,999	13 050	4 764	27	254	487	689	1 062	2 245
\$10,000 to \$49,999	2 570	1 477	36	165	296	321	342	317
\$50,000 or more	178	150	3	14	35	45	29	24
GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS AND OTHER FARM-RELATED INCOME								
Government payments	9 805	6 778	74	472	1 177	1 352	1 667	2 036
\$1,000	40 414	35 779	444	3 249	8 918	10 039	8 218	4 911
Other farm-related income ¹	12 408	6 902	77	493	1 066	1 158	1 570	2 538
\$1,000	73 394	52 783	505	4 392	10 687	10 964	14 681	11 554
Customwork and other agricultural services	3 939	2 588	70	290	538	490	623	577
\$1,000	31 476	26 916	366	2 722	6 728	5 342	8 530	3 228
Gross cash rent or share payments	6 381	3 170	12	89	265	435	691	1 678
\$1,000	20 423	12 204	36	569	1 599	1 645	3 073	5 282
Forest products and Christmas trees	2 096	1 098	17	47	204	192	211	427
\$1,000	18 068	11 088	57	941	1 755	3 150	2 414	2 770
Other farm-related income sources	1 867	1 317	21	111	307	294	308	270
\$1,000	3 426	2 575	46	160	605	826	664	274
COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS								
Total	1 609	1 324	28	159	306	325	277	229
\$1,000	27 715	25 529	326	2 493	6 739	9 235	4 269	2 467
Corn	1 006	835	19	102	184	215	180	135
\$1,000	13 091	12 296	185	892	3 312	4 671	2 335	902
Wheat	287	233	1	24	57	54	63	34
\$1,000	1 123	1 025	(D)	(D)	235	(D)	266	65
Soybeans	379	318	10	48	73	81	57	49
\$1,000	5 785	5 566	90	634	1 322	1 949	795	777
Sorghum, barley, and oats	33	28	—	4	2	8	6	8
\$1,000	65	61	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	1	1
Cotton	321	290	6	54	76	67	46	41
\$1,000	5 471	4 662	(D)	(D)	1 731	1 212	608	401
Sunflower seed, flaxseed, safflower, canola, other rapeseed, and mustard seed	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Peanuts, rye, rice, tobacco, and honey	228	171	1	21	29	38	34	48
\$1,000	2 180	1 918	(D)	169	(D)	1 030	264	322
LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE								
Total cropland	47 497	25 497	332	1 798	3 738	4 440	5 988	9 201
acres	5 578 191	4 495 158	58 429	368 375	1 001 705	1 156 759	1 071 613	838 277
Harvested cropland	42 135	23 524	324	1 661	3 474	4 149	5 577	8 339
acres	3 998 685	3 437 243	47 284	302 916	823 768	930 251	811 498	521 526
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 49 acres	29 394	13 498	185	710	1 464	1 849	3 012	6 278
50 to 99 acres	4 753	3 094	41	254	455	553	815	976
100 to 199 acres	3 236	2 534	36	250	426	568	678	576
200 to 499 acres	2 932	2 646	36	284	643	671	664	348
500 to 999 acres	1 195	1 141	17	114	294	338	277	101
1,000 to 1,999 acres	500	493	8	43	162	126	107	47
2,000 acres or more	125	118	1	6	30	44	24	13
Cropland:								
Pasture or grazing only	21 103	10 504	69	507	1 199	1 563	2 467	4 699
acres	835 097	496 796	2 730	26 589	62 125	87 899	125 517	191 936
In cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured	7 580	4 665	53	284	720	889	1 177	1 542
acres	198 153	146 667	2 235	10 499	28 303	36 624	34 437	34 569
On which all crops failed	2 417	1 447	18	107	231	296	352	443
acres	55 718	41 008	480	3 942	8 429	9 237	9 640	9 280
In cultivated summer fallow	2 637	1 733	12	97	212	293	432	687
acres	73 778	60 122	345	3 719	10 709	11 495	15 969	17 885
Idle	12 683	7 929	88	524	1 278	1 568	1 969	2 502
acres	416 760	313 322	5 355	20 710	68 371	81 253	74 552	63 081
Total woodland	32 870	17 547	124	830	2 255	2 932	4 310	7 096
acres	2 613 514	1 754 882	15 310	86 728	285 770	407 334	426 874	532 866
Woodland pastured	14 679	7 528	44	273	790	1 094	1 826	3 501
acres	507 491	310 421	1 942	11 508	46 328	56 464	81 728	112 451
Woodland not pastured	26 017	14 280	100	715	1 884	2 433	3 520	5 628
acres	2 106 023	1 444 461	13 368	75 220	239 442	350 870	345 146	420 415

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Item	Other occupations						
	Total	Age of operator (years)					
		Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
NET CASH RETURN FROM AGRICULTURAL SALES FOR THE FARM UNIT (SEE TEXT) ¹							
All farms	24 498	285	1 881	5 246	6 799	5 865	4 422
\$1,000	131 103	1 148	12 185	37 674	31 370	27 123	21 603
Average per farm	5 352	4 026	6 478	7 182	4 614	4 625	4 885
Farms with net gains ²	11 623	160	864	2 362	3 056	2 747	2 434
Average net gain	15 653	10 304	19 710	20 937	15 679	14 155	11 094
Gain of —							
Less than \$1,000	2 403	38	112	430	638	575	610
\$1,000 to \$9,999	6 222	85	530	1 260	1 642	1 446	1 259
\$10,000 to \$49,999	2 357	29	183	515	588	586	456
\$50,000 or more	641	8	39	157	188	140	109
Farms with net losses	12 875	125	1 017	2 884	3 743	3 118	1 988
Average net loss	3 948	4 009	4 764	4 084	4 420	3 772	2 716
Loss of —							
Less than \$1,000	3 468	32	209	709	826	892	800
\$1,000 to \$9,999	8 286	73	672	1 930	2 525	1 979	1 107
\$10,000 to \$49,999	1 093	20	133	236	384	242	78
\$50,000 or more	28	—	3	9	8	5	3
GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS AND OTHER FARM-RELATED INCOME							
Government payments	3 027	21	156	591	825	790	644
\$1,000	4 635	54	210	867	1 202	1 262	1 040
Other farm-related income ¹	5 506	12	343	1 059	1 479	1 437	1 176
\$1,000	20 611	206	1 756	4 164	4 901	5 094	4 491
Customwork and other agricultural services	1 351	4	148	334	366	297	202
\$1,000	4 560	(D)	(D)	828	1 336	1 008	787
Gross cash rent or share payments	3 211	1	164	491	850	896	809
\$1,000	8 219	(D)	(D)	1 069	1 873	2 197	2 678
Forest products and Christmas trees	998	6	81	258	278	195	180
\$1,000	6 980	144	774	1 894	1 534	1 676	958
Other farm-related income sources	550	1	24	144	156	129	96
\$1,000	852	(D)	(D)	373	158	214	68
COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS							
Total	285	4	25	73	75	70	38
\$1,000	2 186	10	151	197	1 207	416	206
Corn	171	1	14	44	47	42	23
\$1,000	795	(D)	(D)	100	269	188	141
Wheat	54	—	3	13	16	14	8
\$1,000	98	—	(D)	9	(D)	48	7
Soybeans	61	—	5	10	23	13	10
\$1,000	219	—	(D)	25	(D)	69	16
Sorghum, barley, and oats	5	—	—	5	—	—	—
\$1,000	4	—	—	4	—	—	—
Cotton	31	—	6	5	8	8	4
\$1,000	809	—	(D)	31	(D)	67	8
Sunflower seed, flaxseed, safflower, canola, other rapeseed, and mustard seed	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Peanuts, rye, rice, tobacco, and honey	57	3	7	16	8	16	7
\$1,000	261	(D)	(D)	28	137	43	33
LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE							
Total cropland	22 000	233	1 549	4 607	6 258	5 308	4 045
acres	1 083 033	10 938	63 852	218 599	315 318	270 134	204 192
Harvested cropland	18 611	207	1 329	3 888	5 337	4 465	3 385
acres	561 442	5 350	37 881	119 140	168 639	137 049	93 383
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 49 acres	15 896	173	1 127	3 282	4 488	3 830	2 996
50 to 99 acres	1 659	20	138	371	515	370	245
100 to 199 acres	702	9	41	162	231	171	88
200 to 499 acres	286	5	17	63	86	78	37
500 to 999 acres	54	—	6	9	12	11	16
1,000 to 1,999 acres	7	—	—	—	2	4	1
2,000 acres or more	7	—	—	1	3	1	2
Cropland:							
Pasture or grazing only	10 599	83	661	2 170	3 093	2 603	1 989
acres	338 301	3 416	18 020	65 691	96 988	84 800	69 386
In cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured	2 915	33	168	557	844	733	580
acres	51 486	1 198	2 380	9 978	13 334	12 568	12 028
On which all crops failed	970	18	90	219	270	214	159
acres	14 710	171	842	2 858	4 646	3 502	2 691
In cultivated summer fallow	904	12	54	135	234	258	211
acres	13 656	153	625	1 894	3 668	3 343	3 973
Idle	4 754	34	270	865	1 325	1 266	994
acres	103 438	650	4 104	19 038	28 043	28 872	22 731
Total woodland	15 323	111	813	2 977	4 413	3 958	3 051
acres	858 632	5 379	27 844	143 103	224 702	247 377	210 227
Woodland pastured	7 151	52	378	1 321	2 081	1 874	1 445
acres	197 070	1 236	8 131	32 007	55 924	54 645	45 127
Woodland not pastured	11 737	84	605	2 281	3 370	3 048	2 349
acres	661 562	4 143	19 713	111 096	168 778	192 732	165 100

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Item	Total farming and other occupations	Farming						
		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE—Con.								
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured	farms --- 8 133 acres --- 376 344	4 110 224 737	25 1 753	194 9 666	509 33 455	637 57 156	981 51 611	1 764 71 096
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc.	farms --- 31 757 acres --- 367 966	16 929 238 647	145 1 258	1 015 11 998	2 405 46 787	2 923 51 009	4 107 58 483	6 334 69 112
Irrigated land	farms --- 4 337 acres --- 112 630	2 905 100 599	53 1 820	325 10 149	676 26 424	646 29 050	653 21 880	552 11 276
Harvested cropland irrigated	farms --- 4 167 acres --- 105 667	2 799 94 682	51 1 764	305 8 982	658 24 708	618 27 963	629 20 334	538 10 931
Pasture and other land irrigated	farms --- 293 acres --- 6 963	180 5 917	3 56	24 1 167	36 1 716	45 1 087	40 1 546	32 345
Land under federal acreage reduction programs:								
Diverted under annual commodity programs	farms --- 3 847 acres --- 59 335	3 151 55 198	43 735	251 4 280	657 15 030	732 15 990	825 12 983	643 6 180
Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs	farms --- 2 858 acres --- 93 414	1 821 62 973	16 216	119 4 722	327 12 772	347 12 596	422 13 991	590 18 676
VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS¹								
Estimated market value of land and buildings	farms --- 51 858 \$1,000 --- 13 949 825	27 360 9 697 850	389 135 124	2 080 715 179	4 052 1 961 477	4 765 2 324 358	6 379 2 292 286	9 695 2 269 426
Average per farm	dollars --- 269 000	354 454	347 363	343 836	484 076	487 798	359 349	234 082
Average per acre	dollars --- 1 573	1 446	1 457	1 471	1 445	1 399	1 453	1 481
Farms by value group:								
\$1 to \$39,999	7 727	3 158	90	344	375	450	726	1 173
\$40,000 to \$69,999	6 429	2 778	41	233	262	348	552	1 342
\$70,000 to \$99,999	6 104	2 697	27	221	326	316	641	1 166
\$100,000 to \$149,999	7 683	3 642	30	175	592	515	744	1 586
\$150,000 to \$199,999	5 397	2 802	35	180	321	456	663	1 147
\$200,000 to \$499,999	11 979	7 110	115	509	1 035	1 349	1 775	2 327
\$500,000 to \$999,999	4 132	3 143	19	258	640	809	753	664
\$1,000,000 to \$1,999,999	1 623	1 375	11	117	335	327	381	204
\$2,000,000 to \$4,999,999	702	577	20	40	134	178	130	75
\$5,000,000 or more	82	78	1	3	32	17	14	11
VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT¹								
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment	farms --- 51 785 \$1,000 --- 1 991 218	27 347 1 512 320	389 17 327	2 080 131 817	4 052 330 421	4 765 384 602	6 379 366 269	9 682 281 884
Farms by value group:								
\$1 to \$4,999	6 578	2 418	20	108	183	213	465	1 429
\$5,000 to \$9,999	9 274	3 403	24	210	286	398	680	1 805
\$10,000 to \$19,999	13 001	6 000	100	455	669	816	1 378	2 582
\$20,000 to \$49,999	13 039	7 497	131	513	1 053	1 353	1 856	2 591
\$50,000 to \$99,999	5 107	3 813	75	351	797	871	982	737
\$100,000 to \$199,999	2 946	2 495	26	293	593	613	605	365
\$200,000 to \$499,999	1 571	1 462	11	133	406	416	367	129
\$500,000 or more	269	259	2	17	65	85	46	44
SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT¹								
Motortrucks, including pickups	farms --- 45 901 number --- 88 512	25 243 57 601	329 790	1 977 4 516	3 861 10 843	4 526 12 620	6 014 14 218	8 536 14 614
Wheel tractors	farms --- 46 391 number --- 109 783	24 706 71 197	369 971	1 760 5 048	3 647 11 958	4 405 14 902	5 892 18 152	8 633 20 166
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO)	farms --- 32 005 number --- 48 232	17 013 28 255	181 275	1 005 1 639	2 316 3 926	2 993 5 325	4 144 5 735	6 374 9 955
40 horsepower (PTO) or more	farms --- 31 121 number --- 61 551	18 278 42 942	305 696	1 467 3 409	2 982 8 032	3 537 9 577	4 510 11 017	5 477 10 211
Grain and bean combines	farms --- 9 318 number --- 10 827	6 708 7 972	115 122	533 625	1 331 1 614	1 496 1 797	1 727 2 057	1 506 1 757
Cottonpickers and strippers	farms --- 825 number --- 978	763 909	5 7	93 109	214 250	193 246	192 221	66 76
Mower conditioners	farms --- 10 686 number --- 11 979	5 958 6 833	82 103	344 452	867 1 016	1 027 1 201	1 413 1 620	2 225 2 441
Pickup balers	farms --- 12 378 number --- 14 616	6 735 8 146	78 89	318 392	846 1 059	1 110 1 414	1 764 2 102	2 619 3 090
AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS¹								
Commercial fertilizer	farms --- 40 317 acres on which used --- 3 741 135	22 393 3 187 633	367 47 075	1 718 273 893	3 232 759 038	3 822 843 655	5 398 764 846	7 856 499 126
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—								
Insects on hay and other crops	farms --- 18 367 acres on which used --- 1 531 775	12 568 1 401 322	248 19 255	1 274 136 161	2 392 371 384	2 619 411 713	3 108 310 527	2 927 152 282
Nematodes in crops	farms --- 7 805 acres on which used --- 445 562	6 046 411 768	119 6 924	712 53 359	1 143 111 605	1 333 106 993	1 557 85 718	1 182 47 169
Diseases in crops and orchards	farms --- 6 379 acres on which used --- 317 908	4 256 291 060	77 3 333	484 35 198	977 80 116	850 72 542	930 62 911	938 36 960
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture	farms --- 18 064 acres on which used --- 2 493 561	11 573 2 237 583	221 37 549	1 089 210 868	2 138 576 988	2 380 631 654	2 908 510 567	2 837 269 957
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit	farms --- 3 702 acres on which used --- 329 505	2 779 312 615	64 4 320	351 37 506	707 89 838	588 93 886	600 56 970	469 30 095

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		Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE—Con.							
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured	farms .. 4 023	27	224	767	1 205	983	817
	acres.. 151 607	1 991	5 471	28 345	38 925	43 104	33 771
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc.	farms .. 14 828	109	907	3 018	4 346	3 707	2 741
	acres.. 129 319	898	5 086	21 695	36 987	34 371	30 282
Irrigated land	farms .. 1 432	17	111	372	424	313	195
	acres.. 12 031	97	583	2 140	3 617	2 932	2 662
Harvested cropland irrigated	farms .. 1 368	17	104	351	412	303	181
	acres.. 10 985	97	518	1 803	3 450	2 749	2 368
Pasture and other land irrigated	farms .. 113	—	10	35	25	22	21
	acres.. 1 046	—	65	337	167	183	294
Land under federal acreage reduction programs:							
Diverted under annual commodity programs	farms .. 696	7	27	136	191	199	136
	acres.. 4 137	35	128	751	1 160	1 193	870
Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs	farms .. 1 037	10	45	175	269	267	271
	acres.. 30 441	238	1 000	5 086	7 522	7 788	8 807
VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS¹							
Estimated market value of land and buildings	farms .. 24 498	285	1 881	5 246	6 799	5 865	4 422
	\$1,000.. 4 251 976	31 837	236 319	846 990	1 292 844	1 057 271	786 714
Average per farm	dollars .. 173 564	111 709	125 635	161 454	190 152	180 268	177 909
Average per acre	dollars .. 1 967	2 090	2 221	2 012	2 141	1 952	1 662
Farms by value group:							
\$1 to \$39,999	4 569	111	522	1 052	1 054	1 049	781
\$40,000 to \$69,999	3 651	39	300	792	955	915	650
\$70,000 to \$99,999	3 407	55	301	731	867	785	668
\$100,000 to \$149,999	4 041	26	310	873	1 135	922	775
\$150,000 to \$199,999	2 595	19	139	543	857	599	438
\$200,000 to \$499,999	4 869	25	232	998	1 440	1 283	891
\$500,000 to \$999,999	989	9	63	190	376	216	135
\$1,000,000 to \$1,999,999	248	—	13	42	74	72	47
\$2,000,000 to \$4,999,999	125	1	1	23	40	23	37
\$5,000,000 or more	4	—	—	2	1	1	—
VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT¹							
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment	farms .. 24 438	285	1 881	5 236	6 770	5 856	4 410
	\$1,000.. 478 898	6 875	39 354	109 832	144 142	108 816	69 880
Farms by value group:							
\$1 to \$4,999	4 160	14	217	854	983	1 123	969
\$5,000 to \$9,999	5 871	85	447	1 135	1 622	1 332	1 250
\$10,000 to \$19,999	7 001	59	598	1 430	1 891	1 740	1 283
\$20,000 to \$49,999	5 542	100	513	1 350	1 626	1 244	709
\$50,000 to \$99,999	1 294	21	73	371	421	269	139
\$100,000 to \$199,999	451	5	26	57	197	120	46
\$200,000 to \$499,999	109	1	4	37	29	26	12
\$500,000 or more	10	—	3	2	1	2	2
SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT¹							
Motortrucks, including pickups	farms .. 20 658	270	1 663	4 503	5 648	4 994	3 580
	number.. 30 911	357	2 493	6 977	8 842	7 350	4 892
Wheel tractors	farms .. 21 685	230	1 642	4 521	6 200	5 239	3 853
	number.. 38 586	430	2 821	8 072	11 138	9 490	6 635
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO)	farms .. 14 992	141	1 077	3 102	4 162	3 678	2 832
	number.. 19 977	157	1 376	4 077	5 487	5 036	3 844
40 horsepower (PTO) or more	farms .. 12 843	179	1 042	2 691	3 853	3 074	2 004
	number.. 18 609	273	1 445	3 995	5 651	4 454	2 791
Grain and bean combines	farms .. 2 610	52	205	579	827	597	350
	number.. 2 855	52	214	618	920	681	370
Cottonpickers and strippers	farms .. 62	—	2	10	16	20	14
	number.. 69	—	(D)	(D)	18	21	16
Mower conditioners	farms .. 4 728	33	339	1 020	1 432	1 149	755
	number.. 5 146	34	360	1 106	1 573	1 292	781
Pickup balers	farms .. 5 643	42	422	1 163	1 737	1 311	968
	number.. 6 470	49	455	1 379	2 012	1 536	1 039
AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS¹							
Commercial fertilizer	farms .. 17 924	229	1 414	3 854	5 019	4 357	3 051
	acres on which used .. 553 502	5 138	33 419	126 713	173 208	133 474	81 550
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—							
Insects on hay and other crops	farms .. 5 799	123	551	1 430	1 668	1 246	781
	acres on which used .. 130 453	1 257	7 025	33 229	39 831	29 075	20 036
Nematodes in crops	farms .. 1 759	36	202	428	476	359	258
	acres on which used .. 33 794	368	3 805	6 672	9 312	6 558	7 079
Diseases in crops and orchards	farms .. 2 123	70	225	623	516	454	235
	acres on which used .. 26 848	236	2 099	4 274	10 049	6 427	3 763
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture	farms .. 6 491	107	646	1 817	1 800	1 479	642
	acres on which used .. 255 978	1 939	15 208	70 265	75 207	62 541	30 818
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit	farms .. 923	18	130	232	217	242	84
	acres on which used .. 16 890	463	3 144	1 940	3 655	5 835	1 853

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		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
TENURE AND RACE OF OPERATOR								
All operators	51 854	27 376	358	1 978	4 109	4 848	6 382	9 701
Full owners	29 242	13 524	70	524	1 342	1 782	2 991	6 815
Part owners	17 572	10 901	117	850	2 000	2 514	2 950	2 470
Tenants	5 040	2 951	171	604	767	552	441	416
White	49 356	26 011	352	1 926	3 963	4 638	6 029	9 103
Full owners	27 929	12 895	69	511	1 298	1 709	2 835	6 473
Part owners	16 733	10 378	115	829	1 953	2 413	2 799	2 269
Tenants	4 694	2 738	168	586	712	516	395	361
Black and other races	2 498	1 365	6	52	146	210	353	598
Full owners	1 313	629	1	13	44	73	156	342
Part owners	839	523	2	21	47	101	151	201
Tenants	346	213	3	18	55	36	46	55
OWNED AND RENTED LAND								
Land owned	46 908	24 475	187	1 382	3 358	4 306	5 946	9 296
farms	5 513 843	3 649 495	26 128	149 567	460 947	757 603	1 009 662	1 245 588
acres	46 814	24 425	187	1 374	3 342	4 296	5 941	9 285
Owned land in farms	5 036 380	3 353 238	25 735	137 961	431 268	725 251	882 201	1 150 822
Land rented or leased from others	22 813	13 968	291	1 458	2 782	3 078	3 415	2 944
farms	3 951 170	3 401 203	51 372	342 453	944 369	957 209	735 907	369 893
acres	80 157	61 816	1 177	6 638	15 467	15 864	14 327	8 343
Rented or leased land in farms	22 612	13 852	288	1 454	2 767	3 066	3 391	2 886
farms	3 899 635	3 360 186	51 015	338 806	936 449	947 007	726 380	360 529
acres	8 912	4 605	23	163	456	605	1 081	2 277
Land rented or leased to others	528 998	337 274	750	15 253	37 599	42 554	136 988	104 130
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS								
Operators by place of residence:								
On farm operated	36 678	20 261	197	1 287	2 916	3 492	4 921	7 448
Not on farm operated	10 223	4 417	150	570	906	922	900	969
Not reported	4 953	2 698	11	121	287	434	561	1 284
Operators by principal occupation:								
Farming	27 376	27 376	358	1 978	4 109	4 848	6 382	9 701
Other	24 478	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Operators by days worked off farm:								
None	21 464	17 564	193	1 131	2 503	2 959	4 217	6 561
Any	25 958	5 380	141	710	1 218	1 286	1 234	791
1 to 99 days	4 031	2 747	80	329	587	587	657	507
100 to 199 days	3 938	1 287	32	140	307	336	299	173
200 days or more	17 989	1 346	29	241	324	363	278	111
Not reported	4 432	4 432	24	137	388	603	931	2 349
Operators by years on present farm:								
2 years or less	2 155	860	82	195	209	150	144	80
3 or 4 years	2 885	1 146	70	299	242	209	185	141
5 to 9 years	5 901	2 409	52	562	637	496	418	244
10 years or more	29 263	16 758	—	587	2 395	3 027	4 282	6 467
Average years on present farm	21.0	24.4	3.3	7.8	13.3	18.6	25.8	36.8
Not reported	11 650	6 203	154	335	626	966	1 353	2 769
Operators by age group:								
Under 25 years	619	358	358	—	—	—	—	—
25 to 34 years	3 726	1 978	—	1 978	—	—	—	—
35 to 44 years	9 267	4 109	—	—	4 109	—	—	—
45 to 49 years	5 868	2 317	—	—	—	2 317	—	—
50 to 54 years	5 935	2 531	—	—	—	2 531	—	—
55 to 59 years	6 045	2 881	—	—	—	—	2 881	—
60 to 64 years	6 179	3 501	—	—	—	—	3 501	—
65 to 69 years	5 440	3 551	—	—	—	—	—	3 551
70 years and over	8 775	6 150	—	—	—	—	—	6 150
Average age	54.7	56.8	21.4	30.4	39.7	49.6	59.8	72.5
Operators by sex:								
Male	47 914	25 353	344	1 882	3 857	4 559	5 907	8 804
Female	3 940	2 023	14	96	252	289	475	897
Operators of Spanish origin (see text)	131	74	1	12	5	11	21	24
FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION								
Individual or family (sole proprietorship)	45 273	23 258	316	1 616	3 285	4 060	5 439	8 542
farms	6 681 020	4 841 067	50 744	332 859	915 169	1 213 550	1 178 298	1 150 447
acres	4 750	2 872	35	258	490	499	696	894
Partnership	1 247 359	987 614	(D)	(D)	238 557	196 246	255 934	209 138
Corporation:								
Family held	1 415	1 027	6	86	290	231	199	215
farms	866 762	781 207	13 869	54 659	186 906	233 606	152 914	139 253
acres	28	20	—	2	6	3	6	3
More than 10 stockholders	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
10 or less stockholders	1 387	1 007	6	84	284	228	193	212
Other than family held	174	113	—	12	24	35	23	19
farms	58 700	47 520	—	10 339	11 389	12 961	5 881	6 950
acres	27	18	—	—	6	6	4	2
More than 10 stockholders	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
10 or less stockholders	147	95	—	12	18	29	19	17
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc.	242	106	1	6	20	23	25	31
farms	82 174	56 016	(D)	(D)	15 696	15 895	15 554	5 563
acres								

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Item	Other occupations						
	Total	Age of operator (years)					
		Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
TENURE AND RACE OF OPERATOR							
All operators	24 478	261	1 748	5 158	6 955	5 842	4 514
Full owners	15 718	80	718	2 701	4 272	4 178	3 769
Part owners	6 671	62	598	1 808	2 192	1 407	604
Tenants	2 089	119	432	649	491	257	141
White	23 345	258	1 695	4 951	6 697	5 550	4 194
Full owners	15 034	80	698	2 606	4 126	3 997	3 527
Part owners	6 355	62	579	1 741	2 111	1 319	543
Tenants	1 956	116	418	604	460	234	124
Black and other races	1 133	3	53	207	258	292	320
Full owners	684	—	20	95	146	181	242
Part owners	316	—	19	67	81	88	61
Tenants	133	3	14	45	31	23	17
OWNED AND RENTED LAND							
Land owned	22 433	142	1 320	4 516	6 472	5 600	4 383
farms	1 864 348	10 056	53 254	279 639	487 154	536 193	498 052
acres	22 389	142	1 316	4 509	6 464	5 585	4 373
Owned land in farms	1 683 142	8 387	49 676	259 247	443 009	488 139	434 684
Land rented or leased from others	8 845	181	1 032	2 473	2 703	1 689	767
farms	549 967	10 863	53 188	155 347	175 655	109 075	45 839
acres	18 341	319	2 113	5 136	5 760	3 597	1 416
Rented or leased land in farms	8 760	181	1 030	2 457	2 683	1 664	745
farms	539 449	10 819	52 577	152 495	172 923	106 847	43 788
acres	4 307	19	169	619	1 078	1 213	1 209
Land rented or leased to others	191 724	1 713	4 189	23 244	46 877	50 282	65 419
farms							
acres							
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS							
Operators by place of residence:							
On farm operated	16 417	152	1 081	3 544	4 844	4 014	2 782
Not on farm operated	5 806	96	573	1 274	1 587	1 249	1 027
Not reported	2 255	13	94	340	524	579	705
Operators by principal occupation:							
Farming	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other	24 478	261	1 748	5 158	6 955	5 842	4 514
Operators by days worked off farm:							
None	3 900	20	87	230	358	779	2 426
Any	20 578	241	1 661	4 928	6 597	5 063	2 088
1 to 99 days	1 284	23	69	206	237	304	445
100 to 199 days	2 651	32	182	541	725	724	447
200 days or more	16 643	186	1 410	4 181	5 635	4 035	1 196
Not reported	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Operators by years on present farm:							
2 years or less	1 295	68	302	388	314	153	70
3 or 4 years	1 739	47	339	553	516	215	69
5 to 9 years	3 492	37	476	1 232	1 023	514	210
10 years or more	12 505	—	320	2 124	3 821	3 580	2 660
Average years on present farm	17.2	3.3	6.2	10.4	14.9	21.3	31.3
Not reported	5 447	109	311	861	1 281	1 380	1 505
Operators by age group:							
Under 25 years	261	261	—	—	—	—	—
25 to 34 years	1 748	—	1 748	—	—	—	—
35 to 44 years	5 158	—	—	5 158	—	—	—
45 to 49 years	3 551	—	—	—	3 551	—	—
50 to 54 years	3 404	—	—	—	3 404	—	—
55 to 59 years	3 164	—	—	—	—	3 164	—
60 to 64 years	2 678	—	—	—	—	2 678	—
65 to 69 years	1 889	—	—	—	—	—	1 889
70 years and over	2 625	—	—	—	—	—	2 625
Average age	52.3	21.7	30.7	40.0	49.3	59.2	72.0
Operators by sex:							
Male	22 561	244	1 658	4 856	6 583	5 403	3 817
Female	1 917	17	90	302	372	439	697
Operators of Spanish origin (see text)	57	—	2	11	20	15	9
FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION							
Individual or family (sole proprietorship)	22 015	228	1 525	4 612	6 338	5 289	4 023
farms	1 839 953	14 713	80 463	342 393	523 063	493 977	385 344
acres	1 878	24	177	404	470	415	388
Partnership	259 745	2 856	16 535	43 581	65 576	61 546	69 651
Corporation:							
Family held	388	8	27	109	97	91	56
acres	85 555	(D)	(D)	17 845	18 323	29 146	16 921
More than 10 stockholders	8	—	1	4	2	1	—
10 or less stockholders	380	8	26	105	95	90	56
Other than family held	61	—	5	15	21	14	6
acres	11 180	—	2 516	828	3 458	2 943	1 435
More than 10 stockholders	9	—	—	1	4	3	1
10 or less stockholders	52	—	5	14	17	11	5
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc.	136	1	14	18	29	33	41
farms	26 158	(D)	(D)	7 095	5 512	7 374	5 121
acres							

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Item	Total farming and other occupations	Farming						
		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
INJURIES AND DEATHS								
Farm-related injuries:								
Operator and family members ----- farms	348	231	7	29	41	31	52	71
----- number	417	291	12	37	52	36	59	95
Hired workers ----- farms	434	375	5	33	108	94	86	49
----- number	825	741	5	53	211	209	177	86
Farm-related deaths:								
Operator and family members ----- farms	12	11	—	2	2	—	—	7
----- number	12	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	—	—	(D)
Hired workers ----- farms	5	5	1	1	1	2	1	—
----- number	5	(D)	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	—
FARMS BY SIZE								
1 to 9 acres -----	4 651	1 789	57	209	299	336	351	537
10 to 49 acres -----	15 852	6 273	104	479	867	960	1 336	2 527
50 to 69 acres -----	5 526	2 587	29	151	302	349	561	1 195
70 to 99 acres -----	5 697	2 901	21	141	326	385	680	1 348
100 to 139 acres -----	5 002	2 806	35	167	318	433	659	1 194
140 to 179 acres -----	3 141	1 877	16	129	233	294	462	743
180 to 219 acres -----	2 134	1 380	13	88	207	234	365	473
220 to 259 acres -----	1 555	1 052	13	68	167	211	255	338
260 to 499 acres -----	4 318	3 249	30	259	562	747	828	823
500 to 999 acres -----	2 564	2 157	27	196	486	534	573	341
1,000 to 1,999 acres -----	1 054	972	9	77	253	240	250	143
2,000 acres or more -----	360	333	4	14	89	125	62	39
FARMS BY STANDARD INDUSTRIAL CLASSIFICATION								
Cash grains (011) -----	5 451	2 764	36	210	390	434	604	1 090
Field crops, except cash grains (013) -----	17 395	10 619	200	874	1 690	2 061	2 606	3 188
Cotton (0131) -----	349	223	5	48	48	46	36	40
Tobacco (0132) -----	14 414	9 273	187	760	1 503	1 852	2 329	2 642
Sugarcane and sugar beets; Irish potatoes; field crops, except cash grains, n.e.c. (0133, 0134, 0139) -----	2 632	1 123	8	66	139	163	241	506
Vegetables and melons (016) -----	1 105	598	11	42	65	101	135	244
Fruits and tree nuts (017) -----	992	463	3	25	59	71	111	194
Horticultural specialties (018) -----	1 714	791	2	77	211	171	181	149
General farms, primarily crop (019) -----	2 142	1 335	18	120	232	258	319	388
Livestock, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialties (021) -----	16 560	6 846	54	259	563	772	1 462	3 736
Beef cattle, except feedlots (0212) -----	13 178	5 061	27	127	277	399	1 065	3 166
Dairy farms (024) -----	900	792	9	62	146	185	205	185
Poultry and eggs (025) -----	3 596	2 557	24	260	607	682	621	363
Animal specialties (027) -----	1 698	495	1	42	137	97	112	106
General farms, primarily livestock and animal specialties (029) -----	301	116	—	7	9	16	26	58
LIVESTOCK								
Cattle and calves inventory ----- farms	22 718	11 082	83	508	1 161	1 570	2 605	5 155
----- number	901 980	600 116	3 892	29 890	87 664	112 358	156 043	210 269
Farms with —								
1 to 9 -----	5 139	1 918	17	100	188	246	381	986
10 to 49 -----	12 912	5 916	41	227	509	734	1 368	3 037
50 to 99 -----	2 833	1 776	17	98	202	278	448	733
100 to 199 -----	1 181	899	4	53	139	195	245	263
200 to 499 -----	580	504	4	26	111	101	146	116
500 or more -----	73	69	—	4	12	16	17	20
Cows and heifers that had calved ----- farms	20 537	10 167	69	440	1 035	1 425	2 421	4 777
----- number	484 719	322 792	2 024	15 533	45 130	60 166	85 315	114 624
Beef cows ----- farms	19 531	9 355	59	377	886	1 240	2 219	4 574
----- number	385 428	227 989	1 079	9 231	26 612	36 746	60 696	93 625
Farms with —								
1 to 9 -----	7 673	3 004	24	129	256	349	648	1 598
10 to 49 -----	10 317	5 256	32	199	481	697	1 257	2 590
50 to 99 -----	1 142	790	2	34	100	142	226	286
100 to 199 -----	331	251	1	12	39	42	72	85
200 to 499 -----	60	47	—	3	9	7	13	15
500 or more -----	8	7	—	—	1	3	3	—
Milk cows ----- farms	1 552	1 177	12	75	190	246	286	368
----- number	99 291	94 803	945	6 302	18 518	23 420	24 619	20 999
Farms with —								
1 to 4 -----	566	316	1	10	29	51	62	163
5 to 9 -----	93	44	1	2	3	5	7	26
10 to 49 -----	227	176	3	14	18	31	53	57
50 to 99 -----	268	253	3	27	57	63	60	43
100 to 199 -----	291	283	3	17	63	70	74	56
200 to 499 -----	97	95	1	3	18	24	29	20
500 or more -----	10	10	—	2	2	2	1	3
Heifers and heifer calves ----- farms	16 869	8 442	70	405	926	1 216	2 021	3 804
----- number	237 764	165 432	1 295	9 879	26 347	31 804	43 217	52 890
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves ----- farms	18 568	9 102	69	388	956	1 261	2 188	4 240
----- number	179 497	111 892	573	4 478	16 187	20 388	27 511	42 755

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Item	Other occupations						
	Total	Age of operator (years)					
		Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
INJURIES AND DEATHS							
Farm-related injuries:							
Operator and family members ----- farms	117	—	12	36	33	16	20
..... number	126	—	13	39	33	19	22
Hired workers ----- farms	59	—	6	19	10	14	10
..... number	84	—	11	29	12	21	11
Farm-related deaths:							
Operator and family members ----- farms	1	—	—	—	—	1	—
..... number	(D)	—	—	—	—	(D)	—
Hired workers ----- farms	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... number	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
FARMS BY SIZE							
1 to 9 acres -----	2 862	84	362	757	721	530	408
10 to 49 acres -----	9 579	86	747	2 148	2 780	2 173	1 645
50 to 69 acres -----	2 939	18	184	586	821	734	596
70 to 99 acres -----	2 796	24	201	557	783	702	529
100 to 139 acres -----	2 196	15	94	417	668	564	438
140 to 179 acres -----	1 264	11	57	228	372	341	255
180 to 219 acres -----	754	4	34	128	221	212	155
220 to 259 acres -----	503	3	24	64	162	143	107
260 to 499 acres -----	1 069	8	27	188	308	300	238
500 to 999 acres -----	407	7	15	63	98	107	117
1,000 to 1,999 acres -----	82	1	3	16	16	27	19
2,000 acres or more -----	27	—	—	6	5	9	7
FARMS BY STANDARD INDUSTRIAL CLASSIFICATION							
Cash grains (011) -----	2 687	31	226	572	764	654	440
Field crops, except cash grains (013) -----	6 776	110	522	1 360	1 851	1 613	1 320
Cotton (0131) -----	126	1	20	19	35	32	19
Tobacco (0132) -----	5 141	99	414	1 048	1 371	1 224	985
Sugarcane and sugar beets; Irish potatoes; field crops, except cash grains, n.e.c. (0133, 0134, 0139) -----	1 509	10	88	293	445	357	316
Vegetables and melons (016) -----	507	9	37	118	146	110	87
Fruits and tree nuts (017) -----	529	—	22	104	172	117	114
Horticultural specialties (018) -----	923	7	76	281	266	180	113
General farms, primarily crop (019) -----	807	3	47	150	235	223	149
Livestock, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialties (021) -----	9 714	75	615	1 850	2 775	2 438	1 961
Beef cattle, except feedlots (0212) -----	8 117	59	473	1 477	2 292	2 088	1 728
Dairy farms (024) -----	108	2	7	18	20	27	34
Poultry and eggs (025) -----	1 039	11	85	291	471	238	143
Animal specialties (027) -----	1 203	13	103	380	220	185	102
General farms, primarily livestock and animal specialties (029) -----	185	—	8	34	35	57	51
LIVESTOCK							
Cattle and calves inventory ----- farms	11 636	92	735	2 241	3 318	2 957	2 293
..... number	301 864	2 728	15 014	57 701	89 094	82 003	55 324
Farms with —							
1 to 9 -----	3 221	23	235	680	915	765	603
10 to 49 -----	6 996	57	455	1 280	1 954	1 802	1 448
50 to 99 -----	1 057	10	31	217	332	285	182
100 to 199 -----	282	1	12	46	97	77	49
200 to 499 -----	76	—	2	16	20	27	11
500 or more -----	4	1	—	2	—	1	—
Cows and heifers that had calved ----- farms	10 370	77	621	1 934	2 985	2 665	2 088
..... number	161 927	1 229	7 443	29 305	47 162	44 895	31 893
Beef cows ----- farms	10 176	74	607	1 893	2 943	2 628	2 031
..... number	157 439	1 207	7 186	28 184	46 464	43 826	30 572
Farms with —							
1 to 9 -----	4 669	27	335	873	1 362	1 165	907
10 to 49 -----	5 061	43	257	950	1 434	1 331	1 046
50 to 99 -----	352	4	14	51	122	97	64
100 to 199 -----	80	—	1	17	21	30	11
200 to 499 -----	13	—	—	2	4	4	3
500 or more -----	1	—	—	—	—	1	—
Milk cows ----- farms	375	5	30	83	83	80	94
..... number	4 488	22	257	1 121	698	1 069	1 321
Farms with —							
1 to 4 -----	250	3	23	63	57	48	56
5 to 9 -----	49	2	2	9	10	10	16
10 to 49 -----	51	—	4	6	12	16	13
50 to 99 -----	15	—	1	1	2	4	7
100 to 199 -----	8	—	—	2	2	2	2
200 to 499 -----	2	—	—	2	—	—	—
500 or more -----	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Heifers and heifer calves ----- farms	8 427	68	568	1 662	2 444	2 156	1 529
..... number	72 332	667	3 807	15 287	21 347	19 442	11 782
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves ----- farms	9 466	80	611	1 849	2 722	2 407	1 797
..... number	67 605	832	3 764	13 109	20 585	17 666	11 649

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Item	Total farming and other occupations	Farming						
		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
LIVESTOCK—Con.								
Cattle and calves sold ----- farms ..	20 771	10 371	72	448	1 067	1 468	2 450	4 866
number.....	399 035	260 516	1 294	11 358	39 949	45 282	66 071	96 562
\$1,000.....	158 790	105 617	510	4 211	17 274	18 286	26 520	38 817
Calves ----- farms.....	14 976	7 503	57	322	741	1 067	1 725	3 591
number.....	187 635	118 093	791	6 724	15 120	19 831	30 566	45 061
\$1,000.....	49 892	30 316	201	1 724	3 463	4 808	8 238	11 883
Cattle ----- farms.....	14 469	7 339	54	305	757	1 035	1 757	3 431
number.....	211 400	142 423	503	4 634	24 829	25 451	35 505	51 501
\$1,000.....	108 898	75 301	309	2 487	13 811	13 478	18 282	26 934
Fattened on grain and concentrates ----- farms ..	1 677	896	7	40	92	133	209	415
number.....	25 963	19 851	47	774	1 862	2 129	4 117	10 922
\$1,000.....	15 233	11 883	27	439	1 095	1 318	2 249	6 755
Hogs and pigs inventory ----- farms ..	4 311	2 779	43	210	491	611	652	772
number.....	5 100 979	4 400 534	25 066	293 740	833 767	1 997 667	880 524	369 770
Farms with —								
1 to 24 ----- farms.....	1 686	865	6	48	100	131	200	380
number.....	474	293	5	10	24	56	67	131
25 to 49 ----- farms.....	445	294	4	17	45	59	79	90
number.....	285	190	11	5	26	43	48	57
100 to 199 ----- farms.....	361	287	3	27	66	65	80	46
number.....	1 060	850	14	103	230	257	178	68
500 or more ----- farms.....								
number.....								
Used or to be used for breeding ----- farms ..	2 875	1 908	35	124	332	413	458	546
number.....	519 004	451 936	3 377	27 500	91 612	211 605	84 036	33 806
Other ----- farms.....	4 047	2 636	41	202	472	591	622	708
number.....	4 581 975	3 948 598	21 689	266 240	742 155	1 786 062	796 488	335 964
Hogs and pigs sold ----- farms ..	4 012	2 638	44	198	471	592	623	710
number.....	10 776 400	9 022 903	70 313	825 639	2 214 973	3 498 749	1 791 359	621 870
\$1,000.....	898 624	752 565	4 755	64 306	167 254	324 059	144 322	47 868
Feeder pigs ----- farms.....	1 103	692	14	57	118	155	170	178
number.....	2 910 145	2 433 946	28 175	263 251	808 489	535 327	564 451	234 253
\$1,000.....	87 765	74 615	498	7 049	23 039	16 909	18 518	8 602
Litters of pigs farrowed between —								
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30 ----- farms ..	3 069	2 029	36	132	345	428	492	596
number.....	923 139	807 145	6 101	50 548	168 095	377 323	148 079	56 999
Dec. 1 and May 31 ----- farms.....	2 893	1 950	36	123	340	413	477	561
number.....	448 775	393 175	3 179	24 733	82 813	182 186	72 268	27 996
June 1 and Nov. 30 ----- farms.....	2 601	1 764	35	117	319	385	434	474
number.....	474 364	413 970	2 922	25 815	85 282	195 137	75 811	29 003
Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory ----- farms ..	574	244	2	22	56	50	45	69
number.....	19 546	9 647	(D)	(D)	3 558	2 458	1 327	1 882
Ewes 1 year old or older ----- farms ..	462	204	1	19	49	39	40	56
number.....	11 693	5 612	(D)	(D)	2 131	1 219	859	1 170
Sheep and lambs sold ----- farms ..	440	198	1	15	41	31	42	68
number.....	13 601	6 947	(D)	(D)	2 355	1 582	965	1 455
Sheep and lambs shorn ----- farms.....	422	189	1	14	41	35	38	60
number.....	14 161	6 766	(D)	(D)	2 395	1 316	1 086	1 603
pounds of wool ----- farms.....	90 481	42 199	(D)	(D)	14 330	9 290	6 946	9 468
Horses and ponies inventory ----- farms ..	6 003	2 273	16	164	436	426	482	749
number.....	30 492	11 818	40	965	3 101	2 487	2 396	2 829
Horses and ponies sold ----- farms.....	1 363	452	2	55	123	97	84	91
number.....	5 160	2 377	(D)	483	694	338	595	(D)
Goats inventory ----- farms.....	1 360	545	6	35	86	129	118	171
number.....	15 596	7 386	39	307	1 863	2 369	1 086	1 722
Goats sold ----- farms.....	434	162	3	12	37	35	33	42
number.....	5 208	2 325	45	78	883	630	262	427
POULTRY								
Chickens 3 months old or older inventory ----- farms ..	2 064	1 228	11	103	180	274	278	382
number.....	18 133 946	14 540 586	118 372	1 285 062	2 729 664	4 960 934	3 199 369	2 247 185
Farms with —								
1 to 399 ----- farms.....	1 315	648	3	31	46	98	141	329
number.....	11	9	—	1	1	1	3	3
400 to 3,199 ----- farms.....	248	183	2	31	41	46	43	20
number.....	285	224	4	24	55	69	61	11
3,200 to 9,999 ----- farms.....	131	106	2	10	29	37	19	9
number.....	51	40	—	5	6	11	10	8
10,000 to 19,999 ----- farms.....	23	18	—	1	2	12	1	2
number.....								
Hens and pullets of laying age ----- farms ..	1 895	1 133	7	93	167	246	257	363
number.....	14 337 192	11 955 580	42 372	1 037 337	2 335 874	3 930 044	2 772 075	1 837 878
Pullets 3 months old or older not of laying age ----- farms.....	398	210	4	19	26	47	59	55
number.....	3 796 754	2 585 006	76 000	247 725	393 790	1 030 890	427 294	409 307
Hens and pullets sold ----- farms ..	985	723	9	88	162	207	170	87
number.....	21 854 660	17 248 424	187 346	1 944 273	3 438 941	5 505 548	3 594 215	2 578 101
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold ----- farms.....	2 116	1 485	16	151	317	369	371	261
number.....	499 071 743	382 006 999	3 280 200	41 095 706	91 663 616	109 605 589	89 323 278	47 038 610
Farms with —								
1 to 1,999 ----- farms.....	24	13	—	1	—	6	3	3
number.....	178	105	—	14	14	18	19	40
2,000 to 59,999 ----- farms.....	236	128	3	7	11	15	46	46
number.....	1 678	1 239	13	129	292	330	303	172
Turkey hens kept for breeding ----- farms ..	170	91	—	4	22	19	22	24
number.....	1 149 402	806 641	—	(D)	204 346	182 440	(D)	(D)
Turkeys sold ----- farms.....	696	543	2	50	167	160	115	49
number.....	54 757 014	45 023 986	(D)	4 062 205	15 534 335	14 698 985	7 815 368	(D)

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Table 48. Summary by Age and Principal Occupation of Operator: 1992 —Con.

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Item	Other occupations						
	Total	Age of operator (years)					
		Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
LIVESTOCK—Con.							
Cattle and calves sold	farms .. 10 400	84	631	1 965	2 981	2 651	2 088
	number... 138 519	1 252	6 377	26 129	40 838	38 735	25 188
	\$1,000... 53 173	540	2 479	9 897	16 426	14 652	9 179
Calves	farms .. 7 473	60	459	1 425	2 112	1 883	1 534
	number... 69 542	393	3 216	13 986	20 106	17 925	13 916
	\$1,000... 19 576	119	933	3 745	6 009	4 985	3 785
Cattle	farms .. 7 130	61	413	1 329	2 056	1 884	1 387
	number... 68 977	859	3 161	12 143	20 732	20 810	11 272
	\$1,000... 33 597	421	1 546	6 152	10 417	9 667	5 394
Fattened on grain and concentrates	farms .. 781	6	50	148	225	199	153
	number... 6 112	38	499	1 028	1 688	1 880	979
	\$1,000... 3 350	(D)	(D)	591	1 092	865	523
Hogs and pigs inventory	farms .. 1 532	13	151	359	437	351	221
	number... 700 445	10 723	64 601	161 106	247 549	190 144	26 322
Farms with —							
1 to 24	821	5	74	189	219	187	147
25 to 49	181	1	13	38	44	45	40
50 to 99	151	—	16	31	48	43	13
100 to 199	95	1	11	18	29	27	9
200 to 499	74	—	9	24	22	16	3
500 or more	210	6	28	59	75	33	9
Used or to be used for breeding	farms .. 967	7	93	205	279	224	159
	number... 67 068	(D)	6 497	16 294	20 980	19 572	(D)
Other	farms .. 1 411	12	141	331	400	319	208
	number... 633 377	(D)	58 104	144 812	226 569	170 572	(D)
Hogs and pigs sold	farms .. 1 374	13	133	320	392	310	206
	number... 1 753 497	34 780	138 887	554 540	650 228	312 673	62 389
	\$1,000... 146 059	1 841	13 527	38 687	52 740	33 993	5 272
Feeder pigs	farms .. 411	6	48	91	116	89	61
	number... 476 199	(D)	(D)	219 851	188 162	17 542	17 304
	\$1,000... 13 150	(D)	(D)	5 296	5 477	549	649
Litters of pigs farrowed between —							
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30	farms .. 1 040	7	97	228	301	243	164
	number... 115 994	(D)	6 977	30 776	42 482	30 481	(D)
Dec. 1 and May 31	farms .. 943	7	87	205	275	220	149
	number... 55 600	(D)	1 539	15 441	20 510	15 436	(D)
June 1 and Nov. 30	farms .. 837	7	79	185	246	199	121
	number... 60 394	(D)	5 438	15 335	21 972	15 045	(D)
Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory	farms .. 330	3	20	123	105	55	24
	number... 9 899	37	431	3 936	3 514	1 158	823
Ewes 1 year old or older	farms .. 258	3	15	93	85	42	20
	number... 6 081	32	274	2 532	2 092	712	439
Sheep and lambs sold	farms .. 242	3	14	94	79	33	19
	number... 6 654	(D)	(D)	2 810	2 400	718	408
Sheep and lambs shorn	farms .. 233	3	16	91	77	32	14
	number... 7 395	34	261	3 091	2 722	821	466
	pounds of wool .. 48 282	263	2 461	17 814	19 227	5 971	2 546
Horses and ponies inventory	farms .. 3 730	31	286	1 033	1 216	731	433
	number... 18 674	117	1 240	5 123	6 273	3 734	2 187
Horses and ponies sold	farms .. 911	13	75	297	337	128	61
	number... 2 783	26	175	928	979	465	210
Goats inventory	farms .. 815	6	70	242	256	161	80
	number... 8 210	35	533	2 273	2 830	1 890	649
Goats sold	farms .. 272	4	28	89	89	38	24
	number... 2 883	30	200	922	1 117	465	149
POULTRY							
Chickens 3 months old or older inventory	farms .. 836	4	56	219	226	202	129
	number... 3 593 360	(D)	198 024	1 093 099	1 013 145	934 732	(D)
Farms with —							
1 to 399	667	1	48	169	184	151	114
400 to 3,199	2	—	—	1	—	—	1
3,200 to 9,999	65	1	3	23	14	19	5
10,000 to 19,999	61	—	3	15	18	19	6
20,000 to 49,999	25	1	1	7	5	9	2
50,000 to 99,999	11	—	—	3	3	3	1
100,000 or more	5	—	1	1	2	1	—
Hens and pullets of laying age	farms .. 762	1	50	196	210	183	122
	number... 2 381 612	(D)	130 933	731 956	675 599	632 766	(D)
Pullets 3 months old or older not of laying age	farms .. 188	3	12	47	51	47	28
	number... 1 211 748	(D)	67 091	361 143	337 546	301 966	(D)
Hens and pullets sold	farms .. 262	5	15	80	65	69	28
	number... 4 606 236	128 900	298 692	1 200 159	1 137 517	1 445 718	395 250
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold	farms .. 631	5	57	167	161	142	99
	number... 117 064 744	1 253 000	8 986 801	29 338 536	33 654 996	26 762 791	17 068 620
Farms with —							
1 to 1,999	11	—	1	6	4	—	—
2,000 to 59,999	73	—	11	19	10	19	14
60,000 to 99,999	108	—	8	27	28	18	27
100,000 or more	439	5	37	115	119	105	58
Turkey hens kept for breeding	farms .. 79	—	5	18	25	24	7
	number... 342 761	—	10	(D)	(D)	55 995	(D)
Turkeys sold	farms .. 153	1	9	57	45	28	13
	number... 9 733 028	(D)	(D)	3 475 846	3 113 256	1 520 926	1 004 000

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Item	Total farming and other occupations	Farming						
		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
CROPS HARVESTED								
Corn for grain or seed	farms .. 13 052	9 047	126	718	1 490	1 728	2 331	2 654
	acres .. 1 019 871	910 189	11 460	79 509	215 639	257 614	222 186	123 781
	bushels .. 96 617 840	87 489 284	1 183 279	7 705 331	21 694 098	25 051 897	20 789 202	11 065 477
Irrigated	farms .. 240	194	4	17	45	40	38	50
	acres .. 12 738	11 452	167	1 301	2 807	2 889	2 208	2 080
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres	6 354	3 482	44	197	369	449	859	1 564
25 to 99 acres	3 866	2 912	51	258	474	552	797	780
100 to 249 acres	1 810	1 671	18	181	377	440	433	222
250 to 499 acres	708	681	9	60	187	187	175	63
500 acres or more	314	301	4	22	83	100	67	25
Corn for silage or green chop	farms .. 1 727	1 337	16	89	216	247	366	403
	acres .. 97 117	90 868	1 069	4 532	18 014	20 715	23 969	22 569
	tons, green .. 1 421 282	1 333 471	17 542	63 795	245 417	300 928	357 230	348 559
Irrigated	farms .. 29	22	—	1	5	3	7	6
	acres .. 948	858	—	(D)	213	(D)	454	61
Sorghum for grain or seed	farms .. 390	272	4	21	44	46	60	97
	acres .. 13 996	11 880	(D)	(D)	2 428	2 294	3 224	2 534
	bushels .. 613 710	505 806	(D)	(D)	136 031	72 534	136 542	98 514
Irrigated	farms .. 4	3	—	—	2	—	1	—
	acres .. (D)	(D)	—	—	(D)	—	(D)	—
Wheat for grain	farms .. 6 883	5 132	82	498	1 048	1 071	1 224	1 209
	acres .. 490 214	438 315	6 679	43 094	115 710	112 570	103 383	56 879
	bushels .. 23 164 935	20 940 071	310 409	2 079 303	5 614 027	5 429 368	4 886 834	2 620 130
Irrigated	farms .. 30	17	—	1	2	3	5	6
	acres .. 1 268	782	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	132
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres	3 019	1 890	30	148	279	293	433	707
25 to 99 acres	2 490	1 955	29	208	410	452	485	371
100 to 249 acres	967	889	16	110	239	225	210	89
250 to 499 acres	274	267	6	21	84	64	64	28
500 acres or more	133	131	1	11	36	37	32	14
Barley for grain	farms .. 794	596	7	31	90	98	142	228
	acres .. 30 798	27 098	272	1 390	6 421	5 798	6 826	6 391
	bushels .. 1 830 777	1 639 370	17 235	72 955	411 404	344 948	410 610	382 218
Irrigated	farms .. 5	2	—	—	—	1	1	—
	acres .. 116	(D)	—	—	—	(D)	(D)	—
Oats for grain	farms .. 1 993	1 339	8	69	181	253	314	514
	acres .. 36 407	29 615	100	1 541	6 739	7 248	6 053	7 934
	bushels .. 2 190 860	1 861 207	6 455	107 315	438 310	459 791	370 736	478 600
Irrigated	farms .. 7	6	—	1	1	1	1	2
	acres .. 53	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Cotton	farms .. 2 035	1 638	26	224	400	391	345	252
	acres .. 357 766	336 111	4 046	39 909	100 889	94 038	65 321	31 908
	bales .. 445 466	418 255	4 551	48 860	126 095	119 234	80 174	39 341
Irrigated	farms .. 51	50	1	8	7	15	10	9
	acres .. 5 449	(D)	(D)	1 085	403	1 815	1 567	506
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres	410	229	4	25	34	41	42	83
25 to 99 acres	684	520	9	85	120	109	110	87
100 to 249 acres	481	442	9	63	103	109	114	44
250 to 499 acres	280	269	3	31	84	80	45	26
500 acres or more	180	178	1	20	59	52	34	12
Tobacco	farms .. 17 625	11 698	225	966	1 940	2 324	2 918	3 325
	acres .. 283 900	250 209	4 057	23 594	61 291	68 229	62 199	30 839
	pounds .. 604 014 807	537 995 215	8 754 169	50 474 380	133 778 534	147 747 005	133 305 880	63 935 247
Irrigated	farms .. 1 885	1 404	35	153	324	332	331	229
	acres .. 40 558	37 177	738	3 842	10 319	11 207	7 887	3 184
Farms by acres harvested:								
0.1 to 0.9 acres	1 074	427	4	13	26	48	94	242
1.0 to 1.9 acres	2 196	981	22	32	59	122	203	543
2.0 to 2.9 acres	1 889	879	27	27	84	96	191	454
3.0 to 4.9 acres	2 531	1 410	30	94	154	189	336	607
5.0 to 9.9 acres	3 105	2 028	34	173	255	319	536	711
10.0 to 24.9 acres	3 335	2 683	57	286	507	605	754	474
25.0 acres or more	3 495	3 290	51	341	855	945	804	294
Soybeans for beans	farms .. 13 080	9 189	146	805	1 662	1 869	2 341	2 366
	acres .. 1 287 573	1 139 171	18 523	108 239	280 797	322 336	263 285	145 991
	bushels .. 34 176 793	30 536 502	532 231	2 886 310	7 658 520	8 779 366	6 858 915	3 821 160
Irrigated	farms .. 70	48	—	8	11	5	14	10
	acres .. 2 373	1 837	—	215	484	376	391	371
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres	5 158	2 874	50	186	361	349	726	1 202
25 to 99 acres	4 470	3 163	48	299	497	652	869	798
100 to 249 acres	2 163	1 927	28	195	448	529	460	267
250 to 499 acres	827	777	13	89	219	211	186	59
500 acres or more	462	448	7	36	137	128	100	40

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Item	Other occupations						
	Total	Age of operator (years)					
		Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
CROPS HARVESTED							
Corn for grain or seed	4 005	42	292	820	1 161	967	723
farms	109 682	1 076	6 809	21 537	33 522	27 284	19 454
bushels	9 128 556	99 074	566 063	1 744 359	2 799 222	2 257 222	1 662 616
Irrigated	46	—	—	12	10	15	9
acres	1 286	—	—	129	364	324	469
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres	2 872	29	213	570	794	700	566
25 to 99 acres	954	12	65	218	308	217	134
100 to 249 acres	139	1	14	26	48	40	10
250 to 499 acres	27	—	—	4	5	8	10
500 acres or more	13	—	—	2	6	2	3
Corn for silage or green chop	390	2	19	69	113	109	78
farms	6 249	(D)	(D)	859	1 498	1 916	1 663
acres	87 811	(D)	(D)	12 484	19 455	27 694	23 592
tons, green	7	—	—	—	5	2	—
Irrigated	90	—	—	—	(D)	(D)	—
acres							
Sorghum for grain or seed	118	1	6	21	47	29	14
farms	2 116	(D)	(D)	462	847	544	213
acres	107 904	(D)	(D)	25 845	45 165	22 216	13 221
bushels	1	—	—	—	—	—	1
Irrigated	(D)	—	—	—	—	—	(D)
acres							
Wheat for grain	1 751	16	141	380	520	406	288
farms	51 899	342	3 577	11 319	15 935	12 047	8 679
acres	2 224 864	17 850	151 919	484 296	667 047	510 267	393 485
bushels	13	—	2	2	3	3	3
Irrigated	486	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
acres							
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres	1 129	12	101	234	329	250	203
25 to 99 acres	535	4	33	125	166	133	74
100 to 249 acres	78	—	7	19	22	21	9
250 to 499 acres	7	—	—	2	3	2	—
500 acres or more	2	—	—	—	—	—	2
Barley for grain	198	2	16	57	56	36	31
farms	3 700	(D)	(D)	1 149	1 180	547	426
acres	191 407	(D)	23 950	59 667	59 145	27 203	(D)
bushels	3	—	—	—	2	—	1
Irrigated	(D)	—	—	—	(D)	—	(D)
acres							
Oats for grain	654	4	65	140	211	118	116
farms	6 792	61	668	1 332	2 484	1 091	1 156
acres	329 653	3 872	36 509	72 765	111 288	54 983	50 236
bushels	1	—	—	—	1	—	—
Irrigated	(D)	—	—	—	(D)	—	—
acres							
Cotton	397	5	40	64	113	110	65
farms	21 655	357	2 483	4 089	5 947	5 096	3 683
acres	27 211	515	3 290	5 134	7 566	6 383	4 323
bales	1	—	—	—	—	—	1
Irrigated	(D)	—	—	—	—	—	(D)
acres							
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres	181	3	21	23	53	49	32
25 to 99 acres	164	1	15	26	47	51	24
100 to 249 acres	39	—	2	11	11	9	6
250 to 499 acres	11	1	1	4	1	1	3
500 acres or more	2	—	1	—	1	—	—
Tobacco	5 927	106	460	1 179	1 591	1 457	1 134
farms	33 691	543	2 043	6 838	9 716	8 385	6 166
acres	66 019 592	1 046 809	3 835 127	13 514 921	18 843 800	16 503 406	12 275 529
pounds	481	6	45	105	143	118	64
Irrigated	3 381	38	267	846	936	827	467
acres							
Farms by acres harvested:							
0.1 to 0.9 acres	647	15	61	118	149	150	154
1.0 to 1.9 acres	1 215	27	103	239	309	285	252
2.0 to 2.9 acres	1 010	19	81	210	275	238	187
3.0 to 4.9 acres	1 121	18	93	213	290	287	220
5.0 to 9.9 acres	1 077	12	76	228	300	275	186
10.0 to 24.9 acres	652	10	40	130	199	178	95
25.0 acres or more	205	5	6	41	69	44	40
Soybeans for beans	3 891	38	284	826	1 130	963	650
farms	148 402	1 427	11 249	32 951	43 963	36 214	22 598
acres	3 640 291	38 884	244 049	842 112	1 040 698	901 117	573 431
bushels	22	—	—	4	4	6	8
Irrigated	536	—	—	(D)	(D)	100	114
acres							
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres	2 284	18	164	474	641	561	426
25 to 99 acres	1 307	16	100	281	404	320	186
100 to 249 acres	236	4	14	59	68	65	26
250 to 499 acres	50	—	5	10	13	14	8
500 acres or more	14	—	1	2	4	3	4

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Item	Total farming and other occupations	Farming						
		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
CROPS HARVESTED—Con.								
Irish potatoes	farms .. 857	548	3	31	47	77	119	271
	acres .. 18 775	18 011	(D)	(D)	3 399	4 749	5 989	2 432
	cwt .. 3 839 359	3 739 074	(D)	(D)	739 658	1 033 761	1 271 781	410 553
Irrigated	farms .. 59	38	—	2	4	4	9	19
	acres .. 1 548	1 518	—	(D)	9	(D)	(D)	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:								
0.1 to 4.9 acres	736	449	1	23	25	55	94	251
5.0 to 24.9 acres	43	28	—	1	6	9	9	8
25.0 to 99.9 acres	27	22	—	3	4	5	6	4
100.0 to 249.9 acres	33	31	1	3	8	8	4	7
250.0 acres or more	18	18	1	1	4	5	6	1
Sweetpotatoes	farms .. 954	740	16	67	137	163	183	174
	acres .. 38 682	36 576	417	2 138	7 893	10 351	9 565	6 214
	bushels .. 8 536 954	8 242 510	73 555	544 905	1 735 945	2 332 222	2 167 119	1 388 764
Irrigated	farms .. 53	44	1	3	11	13	6	10
	acres .. 2 454	2 355	(D)	11	360	844	(D)	(D)
Peanuts for nuts	farms .. 2 371	1 823	22	172	355	385	429	460
	acres .. 149 210	137 682	919	11 520	36 185	40 134	31 295	17 629
	pounds .. 398 611 000	370 568 067	2 582 103	31 640 169	100 019 023	107 505 366	83 826 128	44 995 278
Irrigated	farms .. 59	55	—	7	17	13	9	9
	acres .. 4 801	4 572	—	604	1 436	1 217	426	889
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres	1 121	707	12	70	89	96	149	291
25 to 99 acres	755	635	7	64	133	143	169	119
100 to 249 acres	372	360	3	29	97	102	88	41
250 to 499 acres	109	107	—	8	31	38	22	8
500 acres or more	14	14	—	1	5	6	1	1
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text)	farms .. 18 268	9 150	70	404	1 049	1 294	2 098	4 235
	acres .. 466 944	284 739	2 643	15 650	43 909	50 633	70 557	101 347
	tons, dry .. 922 347	597 650	6 195	36 725	98 557	110 532	150 625	195 016
Irrigated	farms .. 217	144	2	19	27	28	36	32
	acres .. 4 852	3 398	(D)	(D)	595	1 020	784	564
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres	12 517	5 696	39	209	551	694	1 253	2 950
25 to 99 acres	4 974	2 850	20	158	378	472	675	1 147
100 to 249 acres	701	537	11	33	105	112	157	119
250 to 499 acres	63	56	—	4	13	12	10	17
500 acres or more	13	11	—	—	2	4	3	2
Tame hay other than alfalfa, small grain, and wild hay (see text)	farms .. 15 274	7 584	53	330	859	1 062	1 728	3 552
	acres .. 351 608	206 669	1 904	11 263	30 520	36 056	51 088	75 838
	tons, dry .. 681 645	427 512	5 141	26 816	68 386	79 092	106 623	141 454
Irrigated	farms .. 175	120	2	14	20	26	32	26
	acres .. 4 003	2 877	(D)	(D)	447	953	673	498
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)	farms .. 2 775	1 859	32	177	314	346	457	533
	acres .. 57 315	48 474	1 062	3 569	12 399	13 108	11 411	6 926
Irrigated	farms .. 769	563	14	60	126	120	130	113
	acres .. 18 480	17 304	711	835	4 848	5 840	4 164	907
Farms by acres harvested:								
0.1 to 4.9 acres	1 269	707	4	44	72	89	167	331
5.0 to 24.9 acres	1 010	712	17	84	130	148	171	162
25.0 to 99.9 acres	402	353	9	45	83	85	101	30
100.0 to 249.9 acres	67	61	1	4	24	18	12	2
250.0 acres or more	27	26	1	—	5	6	6	8
Land in orchards	farms .. 1 522	729	3	31	99	107	192	297
	acres .. 20 535	15 184	(D)	(D)	2 729	3 894	3 884	3 575
Irrigated	farms .. 124	74	1	5	21	7	15	25
	acres .. 1 106	853	(D)	67	341	(D)	238	158
Farms by bearing and nonbearing acres:								
0.1 to 4.9 acres	855	325	1	7	31	31	92	163
5.0 to 24.9 acres	456	239	1	11	33	40	58	96
25.0 to 99.9 acres	178	134	—	11	28	27	34	34
100.0 to 249.9 acres	30	28	1	2	7	7	7	4
250.0 acres or more	3	3	—	—	—	2	1	—
Apples	farms .. 990	478	3	19	63	78	120	195
	Bearing and nonbearing .. acres .. 14 519	11 271	(D)	(D)	2 197	3 224	2 971	2 032
	pounds .. 168 704 802	147 302 661	1 452 110	8 452 128	33 165 243	46 008 145	40 531 699	17 693 336

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 48. Summary by Age and Principal Occupation of Operator: 1992 —Con.

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

Item	Other occupations						
	Total	Age of operator (years)					
		Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
CROPS HARVESTED—Con.							
Irish potatoes ----- farms	309	2	22	50	80	83	72
----- acres	764	(D)	(D)	216	136	291	107
----- cwt	100 285	(D)	(D)	31 741	17 766	39 545	8 820
Irrigated ----- farms	21	—	2	6	2	5	6
----- acres	30	—	(D)	21	(D)	2	5
Farms by acres harvested:							
0.1 to 4.9 acres	287	2	22	45	76	76	66
5.0 to 24.9 acres	15	—	—	2	3	5	5
25.0 to 99.9 acres	5	—	—	2	1	1	1
100.0 to 249.9 acres	2	—	—	1	—	1	—
250.0 acres or more	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sweetpotatoes ----- farms	214	5	14	26	60	70	39
----- acres	2 105	29	163	408	438	723	346
----- bushels	294 444	1 295	22 542	60 353	57 860	110 444	41 950
Irrigated ----- farms	9	2	—	1	2	2	2
----- acres	100	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Peanuts for nuts ----- farms	548	3	38	111	148	154	94
----- acres	11 528	36	567	2 178	3 326	3 149	2 272
----- pounds	28 042 933	98 680	1 429 345	5 158 380	8 512 261	7 196 854	5 647 413
Irrigated ----- farms	4	—	—	—	1	1	2
----- acres	229	—	—	—	(D)	(D)	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres	414	3	29	84	112	121	65
25 to 99 acres	120	—	9	26	31	27	27
100 to 249 acres	12	—	—	1	3	6	2
250 to 499 acres	2	—	—	—	2	—	—
500 acres or more	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) ..farms ..	9 118	62	595	1 833	2 706	2 200	1 722
----- acres	182 205	1 521	10 934	38 874	56 034	44 553	30 289
----- tons, dry	324 697	2 378	18 488	69 404	104 711	79 892	49 824
Irrigated ----- farms	73	—	4	15	28	16	10
----- acres	1 454	—	63	155	370	638	228
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres	6 821	37	457	1 332	1 982	1 656	1 357
25 to 99 acres	2 124	23	130	460	673	502	336
100 to 249 acres	164	2	7	39	49	39	28
250 to 499 acres	7	—	1	2	2	1	1
500 acres or more	2	—	—	—	—	2	—
Tame hay other than alfalfa, small grain, and wild hay (see text) ----- farms	7 690	54	497	1 590	2 282	1 853	1 414
----- acres	144 939	1 261	8 689	30 659	45 428	35 462	23 440
----- tons, dry	254 133	1 954	14 499	54 856	85 460	61 481	35 883
Irrigated ----- farms	55	—	3	13	18	12	9
----- acres	1 126	—	41	136	316	525	108
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text) ..farms ..	916	13	69	215	259	210	150
----- acres	8 841	91	572	3 514	1 960	1 902	802
Irrigated ----- farms	206	5	12	49	70	47	23
----- acres	1 176	(D)	(D)	198	441	351	96
Farms by acres harvested:							
0.1 to 4.9 acres	562	10	38	136	156	124	98
5.0 to 24.9 acres	298	2	25	67	86	71	47
25.0 to 99.9 acres	49	1	6	10	15	12	5
100.0 to 249.9 acres	6	—	—	1	2	3	—
250.0 acres or more	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
Land in orchards ----- farms	793	4	49	157	261	165	157
----- acres	5 352	(D)	(D)	823	2 011	957	895
Irrigated ----- farms	50	—	3	18	15	5	9
----- acres	253	—	(D)	39	76	(D)	81
Farms by bearing and nonbearing acres:							
0.1 to 4.9 acres	530	3	26	112	168	111	110
5.0 to 24.9 acres	217	—	13	39	76	47	42
25.0 to 99.9 acres	44	1	10	6	16	7	4
100.0 to 249.9 acres	2	—	—	—	1	—	1
250.0 acres or more	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Apples ----- farms	512	1	36	89	179	105	102
----- Bearing and nonbearing ..acres	3 248	(D)	510	(D)	1 275	542	551
----- pounds	21 402 141	—	3 721 113	1 839 979	10 433 846	2 081 334	3 325 869

¹Data are based on a sample of farms.

²Farms with total production expenses equal to market value of agricultural products sold are included as farms with gains of less than \$1,000.