

**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 ..	20 242	20 517	1 219	1 216	636	515	19 023	19 301
Land in farms ----- acres ..	4 472 569	4 758 631	433 582	582 605	64 529	66 516	4 038 987	4 176 026
Estimated market value of land and buildings <sup>1</sup> :								
Average per farm ----- dollars ..	251 583	201 169	446 024	424 484	234 462	214 275	239 860	187 505
Average per acre ----- dollars ..	1 137	871	1 251	897	2 368	2 026	1 126	868
Irrigated land ----- acres ..	75 681	80 689	75 681	80 689	18 914	20 532	(X)	(X)
Land in farms according to use:								
Total cropland ----- farms ..	18 037	18 578	1 212	1 206	636	515	16 825	17 372
Harvested cropland ----- farms ..	2 588 525	2 686 117	302 663	375 974	32 987	34 094	2 285 862	2 310 143
----- acres ..	14 587	15 556	1 170	1 188	636	515	13 417	14 368
----- acres ..	1 590 794	1 589 636	230 230	260 816	18 585	19 426	1 360 564	1 328 820
Pastureland, excluding woodland pastured ----- farms ..	11 699	11 439	358	398	124	94	11 341	11 041
----- acres ..	793 039	789 665	25 844	46 557	3 778	3 471	767 195	743 108
Land under federal acreage reduction programs:								
Diverted under annual commodity programs ----- farms ..	1 862	3 812	192	330	10	21	1 670	3 482
----- acres ..	36 126	212 659	7 008	39 362	149	1 359	29 118	173 297
Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs <sup>2</sup> ----- farms ..	1 775	688	120	61	30	12	1 655	627
----- acres ..	125 229	45 106	12 502	7 590	1 307	1 536	112 727	37 516
Owned and rented land in farms:								
Owned land in farms ----- farms ..	18 747	19 057	1 081	1 093	562	451	17 666	17 964
----- acres ..	2 918 627	3 227 375	258 437	364 780	54 926	55 251	2 660 190	2 862 595
Rented or leased land in farms ----- farms ..	7 902	7 893	495	589	150	143	7 407	7 304
----- acres ..	1 553 942	1 531 256	175 145	217 825	9 599	11 265	1 378 797	1 313 431
Market value of agricultural products sold ----- \$1,000 ..	1 066 079	878 683	214 776	191 982	91 281	68 653	851 304	686 701
Average per farm ----- dollars ..	52 667	42 827	176 190	157 880	143 524	133 306	44 751	35 579
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops ----- farms ..	9 610	10 535	1 073	1 082	576	469	8 537	9 453
----- \$1,000 ..	562 036	451 285	184 889	159 253	(D)	63 842	377 147	292 031
Livestock, poultry, and their products ----- farms ..	11 961	12 589	298	386	66	73	11 663	12 203
----- \$1,000 ..	504 043	427 398	29 886	32 728	(D)	4 811	474 157	394 670
Total farm production expenses <sup>1</sup> ----- \$1,000 ..	897 923	736 918	167 640	145 136	64 163	45 985	730 283	591 782
Average per farm ----- dollars ..	44 359	35 917	145 648	122 685	112 567	87 926	38 253	30 608
Livestock and poultry purchased ----- farms ..	4 902	4 904	160	175	28	27	4 742	4 729
----- \$1,000 ..	66 195	62 818	3 075	3 760	922	791	63 120	59 059
Feed for livestock and poultry ----- farms ..	10 173	10 143	269	323	44	82	9 904	9 820
----- \$1,000 ..	199 673	170 086	11 507	10 674	3 933	2 266	188 166	159 412
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees ----- farms ..	9 426	11 131	729	756	308	267	8 697	10 375
----- \$1,000 ..	25 051	20 380	7 927	6 200	3 681	3 530	17 124	14 180
Commercial fertilizer ----- farms ..	14 759	15 024	1 046	1 081	455	455	13 713	13 943
----- \$1,000 ..	83 614	68 222	14 471	12 399	3 015	1 504	69 143	55 824
Agricultural chemicals ----- farms ..	8 987	11 442	901	1 092	447	485	8 086	10 350
----- \$1,000 ..	57 191	42 545	14 111	11 451	2 613	2 379	43 081	31 094
Petroleum products ----- farms ..	19 079	19 386	1 111	1 144	534	496	17 968	18 242
----- \$1,000 ..	54 384	41 808	9 317	8 248	3 013	2 248	45 067	33 559
Electricity ----- farms ..	10 736	10 852	860	918	425	368	9 876	9 934
----- \$1,000 ..	16 156	12 950	3 943	3 441	1 459	1 179	12 213	9 509
Hired farm labor ----- farms ..	6 956	7 727	701	712	285	225	6 255	7 015
----- \$1,000 ..	111 836	92 317	44 953	32 625	22 285	14 719	66 883	59 692
Contract labor ----- farms ..	1 916	2 270	232	308	124	113	1 684	1 962
----- \$1,000 ..	15 223	15 985	7 333	7 835	3 972	1 741	7 890	8 150
Repairs and maintenance ----- farms ..	16 201	16 088	997	1 092	486	476	15 204	14 996
----- \$1,000 ..	56 450	45 641	10 601	10 346	3 183	3 074	45 848	35 296
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment ----- farms ..	4 940	5 954	307	395	88	106	4 633	5 559
----- \$1,000 ..	12 115	11 356	2 198	2 272	418	560	9 916	9 084
Interest ----- farms ..	6 503	7 437	513	639	210	210	5 990	6 798
----- \$1,000 ..	40 773	42 815	7 407	8 367	2 467	1 949	33 366	34 448
Cash rent ----- farms ..	5 526	5 820	363	490	85	100	5 163	5 330
----- \$1,000 ..	41 223	31 490	6 666	5 796	723	413	34 557	25 694
Property taxes paid ----- farms ..	18 991	19 496	1 086	1 132	528	485	17 905	18 364
----- \$1,000 ..	16 823	13 205	1 815	1 695	646	491	15 008	11 511
All other farm production expenses ----- farms ..	16 701	17 367	1 067	1 113	522	476	15 634	16 254
----- \$1,000 ..	101 217	65 299	22 315	20 028	11 851	9 142	78 902	45 271
Commodity Credit Corporation loans ----- farms ..	603	1 331	64	162	6	10	539	1 169
----- \$1,000 ..	11 857	20 544	1 957	5 291	181	216	9 900	15 252
Government payments received ----- farms ..	4 334	5 554	313	407	65	39	4 021	5 147
----- \$1,000 ..	32 296	48 792	6 092	9 349	416	294	26 204	39 443
Other farm-related income <sup>1</sup> ----- farms ..	3 474	3 367	198	234	74	63	3 276	3 133
----- \$1,000 ..	18 942	13 478	2 307	1 870	800	387	16 635	11 608
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment <sup>1</sup> ----- farms ..	20 187	20 470	1 151	1 183	570	523	19 036	19 287
----- \$1,000 ..	667 725	639 734	100 225	90 696	27 886	21 834	567 501	549 038
Average per farm ----- dollars ..	33 077	31 252	87 076	76 666	48 922	41 747	29 812	28 467
Livestock inventory:								
Cattle and calves ----- farms ..	10 026	10 227	200	286	37	41	9 826	9 941
----- number ..	451 719	428 491	20 804	30 887	(D)	1 526	430 915	397 604
----- farms ..	540	697	29	46	-	9	511	651
----- number ..	31 923	40 113	3 249	5 569	-	331	28 674	34 544
Hogs and pigs ----- farms ..	2 237	3 249	87	109	14	23	2 150	3 140
----- number ..	327 572	352 413	49 385	49 102	(D)	1 467	278 187	303 311
Sheep and lambs ----- farms ..	169	80	9	9	2	5	160	71
----- number ..	3 144	1 580	151	(D)	(D)	60	2 993	(D)

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

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