

**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 ..	13 520	14 066	10 901	11 143	8 590	9 028	2 619	2 923
Land in farms ----- acres ..	9 624 463	9 989 073	6 935 144	7 593 705	5 719 517	5 880 459	2 689 319	2 395 368
Estimated market value of land and buildings <sup>1</sup> :								
Average per farm ----- dollars ..	347 982	302 838	356 594	309 214	354 544	300 000	312 876	278 798
Average per acre ----- dollars ..	491	425	562	458	529	456	310	326
Irrigated land ----- acres ..	1 142 514	1 161 207	1 142 514	1 161 207	987 086	949 496	(X)	(X)
Land in farms according to use:								
Total cropland ----- farms ..	11 700	12 233	10 520	10 797	8 590	9 028	1 180	1 436
acres ..	2 093 779	2 028 537	1 721 058	1 643 705	1 303 053	1 247 407	372 721	384 832
Harvested cropland ----- farms ..	10 173	10 752	9 518	10 042	8 590	9 028	655	710
acres ..	1 043 347	1 076 886	917 403	932 519	736 621	731 659	125 944	144 367
Pastureland, excluding woodland pastured ----- farms ..	8 950	9 243	7 443	7 698	5 422	5 855	1 507	1 545
acres ..	7 190 564	7 539 292	4 913 223	5 574 538	4 065 493	4 215 993	2 277 341	1 964 754
Land under federal acreage reduction programs:								
Diverted under annual commodity programs ----- farms ..	638	1 420	521	1 239	385	978	117	181
acres ..	9 848	75 056	6 705	49 049	3 456	26 032	3 143	26 007
Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs <sup>2</sup> ----- farms ..	639	337	430	196	286	104	209	141
acres ..	178 976	120 580	92 289	57 200	49 498	24 829	86 687	63 380
Owned and rented land in farms:								
Owned land in farms ----- farms ..	12 441	13 071	10 098	10 414	7 987	8 457	2 343	2 657
acres ..	6 507 234	6 954 372	5 091 765	5 514 302	4 233 885	4 369 941	1 415 469	1 440 700
Rented or leased land in farms ----- farms ..	5 308	5 233	4 569	4 456	3 551	3 493	739	777
acres ..	3 117 229	3 034 701	1 843 379	2 079 403	1 485 632	1 510 518	1 273 850	955 298
Market value of agricultural products sold ----- \$1,000 ..	725 159	617 882	608 327	488 300	518 897	406 240	116 832	129 582
Average per farm ----- dollars ..	53 636	43 927	55 805	43 821	60 407	44 998	44 609	44 332
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops ----- farms ..	6 145	6 544	5 682	6 043	5 089	5 368	463	501
\$1,000 ..	181 380	130 441	170 998	120 656	151 946	104 915	10 382	9 785
Livestock, poultry, and their products ----- farms ..	9 310	9 743	7 413	7 662	5 571	5 986	1 897	2 081
\$1,000 ..	543 779	487 442	437 329	367 645	366 951	301 325	106 450	119 797
Total farm production expenses <sup>1</sup> ----- \$1,000 ..	602 812	494 641	504 115	390 741	425 825	320 154	98 697	103 899
Average per farm ----- dollars ..	44 593	35 171	46 441	35 151	49 892	35 968	37 062	35 244
Livestock and poultry purchased ----- farms ..	5 333	5 237	4 308	4 163	3 220	3 183	1 025	1 074
\$1,000 ..	103 978	84 657	89 580	62 753	77 555	50 582	14 398	21 905
Feed for livestock and poultry ----- farms ..	7 544	7 811	5 882	6 010	4 502	4 502	1 662	1 801
\$1,000 ..	135 079	101 717	98 143	65 846	79 236	52 057	36 936	35 871
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees ----- farms ..	5 400	5 975	5 012	5 542	4 305	4 761	388	433
\$1,000 ..	9 980	8 015	9 574	7 511	8 409	6 394	406	504
Commercial fertilizer ----- farms ..	6 272	6 324	5 911	5 992	5 217	5 182	361	392
\$1,000 ..	17 412	13 229	16 677	12 059	14 671	9 890	735	1 170
Agricultural chemicals ----- farms ..	5 917	7 760	5 278	6 861	4 492	5 826	639	899
\$1,000 ..	8 569	8 604	7 810	7 569	6 514	5 960	760	1 035
Petroleum products ----- farms ..	12 670	13 189	10 281	10 684	8 194	8 622	2 389	2 505
\$1,000 ..	34 722	29 726	29 791	25 471	24 814	20 995	4 931	4 255
Electricity ----- farms ..	7 326	7 756	6 027	6 413	4 767	5 199	1 299	1 343
\$1,000 ..	15 448	14 219	14 050	12 646	12 213	10 742	1 398	1 573
Hired farm labor ----- farms ..	5 860	5 696	4 953	4 930	4 060	3 985	907	766
\$1,000 ..	72 014	51 365	62 272	42 560	53 671	36 434	9 742	8 806
Contract labor ----- farms ..	1 791	2 058	1 535	1 765	1 304	1 475	256	293
\$1,000 ..	6 866	7 856	5 681	6 918	5 102	5 660	1 185	938
Repairs and maintenance ----- farms ..	11 133	11 214	9 056	9 249	7 168	7 474	2 077	1 965
\$1,000 ..	39 227	30 685	34 190	26 151	28 748	21 544	5 038	4 535
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment ----- farms ..	4 665	5 744	4 075	5 088	3 549	4 315	590	656
\$1,000 ..	8 726	8 007	7 745	7 043	6 721	5 920	982	964
Interest ----- farms ..	5 460	6 207	4 516	5 128	3 646	4 100	944	1 079
\$1,000 ..	42 771	47 504	37 168	41 092	31 427	33 374	5 604	6 411
Cash rent ----- farms ..	3 924	3 786	3 421	3 391	2 696	2 617	503	395
\$1,000 ..	17 742	16 552	15 793	14 464	12 925	11 691	1 949	2 088
Property taxes paid ----- farms ..	12 801	13 301	10 355	10 532	8 190	8 431	2 446	2 769
\$1,000 ..	15 548	14 952	13 277	12 519	10 740	10 199	2 270	2 432
All other farm production expenses ----- farms ..	12 467	13 005	10 091	10 385	8 006	8 304	2 376	2 620
\$1,000 ..	74 729	57 552	62 365	46 140	53 080	38 713	12 365	11 413
Commodity Credit Corporation loans ----- farms ..	140	304	90	213	63	150	50	91
\$1,000 ..	2 097	4 388	1 214	3 028	648	1 679	882	1 360
Government payments received ----- farms ..	2 357	2 556	1 883	2 167	1 462	1 718	474	389
\$1,000 ..	17 464	24 737	12 108	19 329	7 953	13 640	5 355	5 408
Other farm-related income <sup>1</sup> ----- farms ..	2 760	2 443	2 235	2 048	1 712	1 557	525	395
\$1,000 ..	11 917	8 937	10 167	7 632	7 665	6 107	1 750	1 305
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment <sup>1</sup> ----- farms ..	13 460	13 987	10 798	11 040	8 478	8 825	2 662	2 947
\$1,000 ..	526 636	499 126	455 393	425 861	379 149	349 203	71 244	73 264
Average per farm ----- dollars ..	39 126	35 685	42 174	38 574	44 721	39 570	26 763	24 861
Livestock inventory:								
Cattle and calves ----- farms ..	7 530	7 854	6 340	6 604	4 903	5 294	1 190	1 250
number ..	860 830	855 338	759 106	760 942	639 613	632 722	101 724	94 396
Milk cows ----- farms ..	1 082	1 447	964	1 280	769	1 030	118	167
number ..	80 369	76 610	69 143	68 426	56 910	55 760	11 226	8 184
Hogs and pigs ----- farms ..	727	748	555	586	418	466	172	162
number ..	43 017	33 643	25 524	21 462	21 772	17 427	17 493	12 181
Sheep and lambs ----- farms ..	1 721	1 943	1 431	1 579	1 089	1 226	290	364
number ..	519 745	595 626	386 855	457 146	304 279	380 132	132 890	138 480

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

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