

Table 17. Selected Characteristics of Farms by Specified Racial Groups, Sex of Operators, and Persons of Spanish Origin: 1992 and 1987

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Characteristics	Farms operated by specified racial groups					Operators by sex		Operators of Spanish origin ¹
	Total	Black	American Indian	Asian or Pacific Islander	Other (see text)	Female	Male	
FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS								
Farms..... number, 1992 ..	111	27	37	27	20	3 823	64 136	148
..... 1987 ..	163	46	42	14	61	3 367	71 764	158
Land in farms acres, 1992 ..	15 654	3 085	6 970	3 910	1 689	585 249	14 878 302	34 577
..... 1987 ..	25 078	7 314	7 763	2 814	7 187	517 064	16 089 503	33 016
Harvested cropland farms, 1992 ..	84	19	27	21	17	3 005	58 120	134
..... 1987 ..	142	38	38	13	53	2 779	66 362	141
..... acres, 1992 ..	7 452	1 765	3 696	1 110	881	256 185	8 587 464	20 411
..... 1987 ..	15 219	4 960	4 403	1 839	4 017	231 375	9 103 632	16 772
1992 FARMS BY SIZE								
1 to 9 acres	9	2	2	2	3	377	3 228	9
10 to 49 acres	34	8	11	7	8	870	7 785	22
50 to 139 acres	27	8	5	10	4	1 091	15 653	27
140 to 219 acres	23	5	11	3	4	654	12 995	26
220 to 499 acres	13	3	5	4	1	651	18 647	49
500 acres or more	5	-	3	1	-	180	5 828	15
1992 OWNED AND RENTED LAND IN FARMS								
Owned land in farms farms ..	100	23	33	26	18	3 617	58 518	135
..... acres ..	11 418	1 849	5 357	3 333	879	490 532	10 750 660	25 716
Rented or leased land in farms farms ..	48	9	18	11	10	964	28 222	72
..... acres ..	4 236	1 236	1 613	577	810	94 717	4 127 642	8 861
TENURE OF OPERATOR								
Full owners farms, 1992 ..	63	18	19	16	10	2 859	35 914	76
..... 1987 ..	99	25	22	10	42	2 494	41 166	103
..... acres, 1992 ..	6 274	1 253	(D)	(D)	(D)	348 362	5 690 960	12 936
..... 1987 ..	11 780	(D)	3 177	(D)	4 691	310 641	6 565 139	14 286
Part owners farms, 1992 ..	37	5	14	10	8	758	22 604	59
..... 1987 ..	46	17	15	3	11	670	24 439	45
..... acres, 1992 ..	8 135	922	3 988	2 130	1 095	216 693	8 069 553	18 920
..... 1987 ..	11 537	5 274	4 348	(D)	(D)	180 192	8 318 545	16 593
Tenants farms, 1992 ..	11	4	4	1	2	206	5 618	13
..... 1987 ..	18	4	5	1	8	203	6 159	10
..... acres, 1992 ..	1 245	910	(D)	(D)	(D)	20 194	1 117 789	2 721
..... 1987 ..	1 761	(D)	238	(D)	(D)	26 231	1 205 819	2 137
1992 FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION								
Individual or family (sole proprietorship)	95	22	32	23	18	3 349	54 949	132
Partnership	9	4	3	2	-	331	6 599	11
Family held corporation	4	1	1	1	1	98	2 214	4
Other than family held corporation	2	-	-	1	1	13	177	1
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc.	1	-	1	-	-	32	197	-
1992 MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD								
Total sales farms ..	111	27	37	27	20	3 823	64 136	148
..... \$1,000 ..	9 186	1 012	2 514	4 303	1 357	151 306	5 108 363	13 314
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops farms ..	61	13	18	15	15	1 805	34 906	78
..... \$1,000 ..	5 546	89	353	3 958	1 145	33 609	1 092 958	2 821
Livestock, poultry, and their products farms ..	70	17	30	14	9	2 514	47 897	115
..... \$1,000 ..	3 640	923	2 161	345	212	117 698	4 015 406	10 493
Farms by value of sales:								
Less than \$1,000	19	6	3	6	4	675	4 534	11
\$1,000 to \$2,499	6	2	1	3	-	475	4 248	9
\$2,500 to \$9,999	32	5	15	6	6	907	11 024	26
\$10,000 to \$19,999	6	3	3	-	-	416	6 357	6
\$20,000 to \$24,999	3	2	-	1	-	142	2 080	4
\$25,000 or more	45	9	15	11	10	1 208	35 893	92
1992 FARMS BY STANDARD INDUSTRIAL CLASSIFICATION								
Cash grains (011)	8	1	3	2	2	287	6 947	17
Field crops, except cash grains (013)	11	4	1	6	-	606	7 325	9
Cotton (0131)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tobacco (0132)	-	-	-	-	-	73	725	2
Sugarcane and sugar beets; Irish potatoes; field crops, except cash grains, n.e.c. (0133, 0134, 0139)	11	4	1	6	-	533	6 600	7
Vegetables and melons (016)	13	3	1	3	6	110	1 518	10
Fruits and tree nuts (017)	4	-	2	2	-	70	835	-
Horticultural specialties (018)	3	-	1	-	2	108	731	2
General farms, primarily crop (019)	1	-	-	-	1	155	2 032	2
Livestock, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialties (021)	30	5	13	6	6	1 031	14 603	27
Beef cattle, except feedlots (0212)	10	1	6	3	-	555	7 482	13
Dairy farms (024)	23	10	8	4	1	962	27 302	66
Poultry and eggs (025)	6	-	4	2	-	40	328	3
Animal specialties (027)	8	4	4	-	-	372	1 510	7
General farms, primarily livestock and animal specialties (029)	4	-	-	2	2	82	1 005	5

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 17. Selected Characteristics of Farms by Specified Racial Groups, Sex of Operators, and Persons of Spanish Origin: 1992 and 1987 — Con.

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Characteristics	Farms operated by specified racial groups					Operators by sex		Operators of Spanish origin ¹
	Total	Black	American Indian	Asian or Pacific Islander	Other (see text)	Female	Male	
1992 OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS								
Operators by place of residence:								
On farm operated	83	20	31	15	17	3 208	53 318	133
Not on farm operated	25	5	5	12	3	442	7 765	15
Not reported	3	2	1	—	—	173	3 053	—
Operators by principal occupation:								
Farming	57	17	18	7	15	2 214	43 966	118
Other	54	10	19	20	5	1 609	20 170	30
Operators by days worked off farm:								
None	36	11	9	6	10	1 944	34 231	92
Any	69	13	27	21	8	1 660	26 421	52
1 to 99 days	15	4	5	5	1	303	5 052	11
100 to 199 days	15	1	6	5	3	361	4 058	14
200 days or more	39	8	16	11	4	996	17 311	27
Not reported	6	3	1	—	2	219	3 484	4
Operators by years on present farm:								
2 years or less	7	—	3	2	2	251	3 043	6
3 or 4 years	15	6	2	4	3	374	4 238	8
5 to 9 years	21	5	4	7	5	564	7 440	12
10 years or more	47	10	19	10	8	2 085	41 323	95
Average years on present farm	13.2	11.0	15.1	12.6	13.8	19.9	20.4	21.1
Not reported	21	6	9	4	2	549	8 092	27
Operators by age group:								
Under 25 years	2	1	1	—	—	55	1 056	1
25 to 34 years	14	1	7	3	3	355	8 182	15
35 to 44 years	29	6	9	7	7	739	14 990	38
45 to 54 years	32	9	11	8	4	816	14 508	37
55 to 59 years	19	5	7	3	4	415	6 888	11
60 to 64 years	5	—	—	4	1	383	6 829	16
65 to 69 years	3	2	1	—	—	348	5 251	17
70 years and over	7	3	1	2	1	712	6 432	13
Average age	47.6	49.6	45.2	50.0	46.2	54.1	50.4	51.4
Operators by sex:								
Male	96	26	33	18	19	(X)	64 136	125
Female	15	1	4	9	1	3 823	(X)	23
Operators of Spanish origin ¹	23	2	3	2	16	23	125	148
1992 COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS								
Amount received from Commodity Credit Corporation loans	3	1	2	—	—	105	2 982	9
\$1,000	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	—	1 080	47 499	84
Government payments received	26	9	8	7	2	1 230	25 363	41
\$1,000	77	23	34	(D)	(D)	4 211	109 005	195

¹See chapter 1, table 16 for operators not of or not reporting Spanish origin.

Table 18. Selected Characteristics of Farms by Standard Industrial Classification: 1992

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

SIC code	Farms	Land in farms (acres)	Harvested cropland (acres)	Estimated market value of selected capital assets ¹ , average per farm (dollars)		Market value of agricultural products sold (\$1,000)		
				Land and buildings	Machinery and equipment	Total	Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops	Livestock, poultry, and their products
Total	67 959	15 463 551	8 843 649	210 179	66 001	5 259 670	1 126 566	4 133 103
Crops (01)	20 724	4 109 883	2 375 544	210 819	52 834	924 782	860 934	63 848
Cash grains (011)	7 234	1 920 957	1 351 099	269 617	65 167	305 515	271 364	34 152
Wheat (0111)	91	11 110	4 357	69 800	31 815	387	366	20
Rice (0112)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Corn (0115)	4 939	1 321 326	926 294	273 499	66 300	204 415	191 352	13 063
Soybeans (0116)	808	132 044	84 840	174 367	38 633	14 378	14 137	240
Cash grains, n.e.c. (0119)	1 396	456 477	335 608	333 634	81 257	86 336	65 508	20 827
Field crops, except cash grains (013)	7 931	1 242 971	544 443	145 966	43 543	269 677	261 971	7 706
Cotton (0131)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco (0132)	798	(D)	15 885	79 968	18 767	(D)	(D)	(D)
Sugarcane and sugar beets (0133)	1	(D)	—	—	—	(D)	(D)	—
Irish potatoes (0134)	206	228 970	162 860	1 261 301	446 938	138 936	(D)	(D)
Field crops, except cash grains, n.e.c. (0139)	6 926	968 737	365 698	121 384	34 746	119 446	(D)	(D)
Vegetables and melons (016)	1 628	317 509	219 774	229 011	57 441	95 581	93 453	2 128
Fruits and tree nuts (017)	905	174 267	28 155	372 006	72 754	93 332	92 891	441
Berry crops (0171)	298	131 984	14 635	836 763	155 505	79 038	78 872	166
Grapes (0172)	7	230	54	41 600	12 000	64	64	—
Tree nuts (0173)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Citrus fruits (0174)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deciduous tree fruits (0175)	440	33 777	12 332	151 551	35 263	13 659	13 386	273
Fruits and tree nuts, n.e.c. (0179)	160	8 276	1 134	100 326	19 546	571	569	2
Horticultural specialties (018)	839	53 189	17 266	178 868	48 884	92 155	91 991	164
Ornamental floriculture and nursery products (0181)	797	51 213	17 100	181 374	49 917	89 270	(D)	(D)
Food crops grown under cover (0182)	42	1 976	166	127 924	27 880	2 885	(D)	(D)
General farms, primarily crop (019)	2 187	400 990	214 807	187 324	37 861	68 522	49 264	19 258
Livestock and animal specialties (02)	47 235	11 353 668	6 468 105	209 899	71 742	4 334 887	265 632	4 069 255
Livestock, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialties (021)	15 634	2 476 583	1 024 940	141 885	36 337	656 739	60 729	596 010
Beef cattle feedlots (0211)	3 490	635 649	308 782	171 665	44 960	182 281	20 573	161 708
Beef cattle, except feedlots (0212)	8 037	1 194 568	373 571	121 631	29 981	250 411	15 257	235 154
Hogs (0213)	2 387	350 943	194 549	148 352	43 741	154 512	13 424	141 087
Sheep and goats (0214)	827	62 934	14 358	100 101	14 970	5 318	318	5 000
General livestock, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialties (0219)	893	232 489	133 680	229 060	58 701	64 218	11 156	53 062
Dairy farms (024)	28 264	8 283 511	5 172 949	248 375	94 104	3 327 834	167 891	3 159 943
Poultry and eggs (025)	368	60 359	18 680	319 678	93 230	143 278	2 374	140 904
Broiler, fryer, and roaster chickens (0251)	61	11 353	4 197	271 128	61 415	19 865	391	19 474
Chicken eggs (0252)	170	14 779	6 380	247 543	81 350	39 997	844	39 153
Turkeys and turkey eggs (0253)	37	15 690	4 737	602 614	247 947	55 744	584	55 160
Poultry hatcheries (0254)	4	108	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	(D)
Poultry and eggs, n.e.c. (0259)	96	18 429	3 366	335 194	62 798	(D)	555	(D)
Animal specialties (027)	1 882	125 088	16 305	110 840	22 131	95 343	862	94 481
Fur-bearing animals and rabbits (0271)	203	14 046	1 939	93 674	38 365	18 362	(D)	(D)
Horses and other equines (0272)	1 285	77 581	10 739	111 268	17 353	6 193	199	5 994
Animal aquaculture (0273)	58	11 180	285	144 500	29 212	3 365	(D)	(D)
Animal specialties, n.e.c. (0279)	336	22 281	3 342	113 355	30 616	67 424	430	66 994
General farms, primarily livestock and animal specialties (029)	1 087	408 127	235 231	331 267	82 875	111 692	33 776	77 916

¹Data are based on a sample of farms.

Table 19. Selected Characteristics of Abnormal Farms: 1992 and 1987

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

Characteristics	1992	1987	Characteristics	1992	1987
Farms number ..	19	24	Total farm production expenses ¹ \$1,000..	5 380	4 474
Land in farms acres ..	13 026	15 324	Average per farm dollars ..	283 180	186 397
Average size of farm acres ..	686	639	Government payments received farms ..	1	(NA)
Estimated market value of land and buildings ¹ .. \$1,000..	44 610	28 633	Average per farm \$1,000..	(D)	(NA)
Average per farm dollars ..	2 347 894	1 193 042	Average per farm dollars ..	(D)	(NA)
Average per acre dollars ..	3 425	1 869	Other farm-related income ¹ farms..	4	(NA)
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ¹ \$1,000..	8 110	3 865	Average per farm \$1,000..	49 563	(NA)
Land in farms according to use:			Average per farm dollars ..	12 391	(NA)
Total cropland farms ..	18	24	Tenure of operator:		
acres ..	9 313	10 334	Full owners ..	13	20
Harvested cropland farms ..	17	24	Part owners ..	6	4
acres ..	6 897	8 086	Tenants ..	-	-
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing ..farms ..	8	12	Abnormal farms by standard industrial classification:		
acres ..	1 114	782	Cash grains (011) ..	-	2
Other cropland farms ..	11	15	Field crops, except cash grains (013) ..	4	3
acres ..	1 302	1 466	Cotton (0131) ..	-	-
Total woodland farms ..	14	16	Tobacco (0132) ..	-	-
acres ..	1 475	2 522	Sugarcane and sugar beets; Irish potatoes; field crops, except cash grains, n.e.c. (0133, 0134, 0139) ..	4	3
Woodland pastured farms ..	4	4	Vegetables and melons (016) ..	-	-
acres ..	136	207	Fruits and tree nuts (017) ..	1	1
Woodland not pastured farms ..	13	13	Horticultural specialties (018) ..	-	1
acres ..	1 339	2 315	General farms, primarily crop (019) ..	-	-
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured farms ..	5	8	Livestock, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialties (021) ..	3	6
acres ..	1 016	1 592	Beef cattle, except feedlots (0212) ..	1	3
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. farms ..	17	21	Dairy farms (024) ..	10	8
acres ..	1 222	876	Poultry and eggs (025) ..	-	-
Irrigated land farms ..	8	8	Animal specialties (027) ..	-	-
acres ..	462	235	General farms, primarily livestock and animal specialties (029) ..	1	3
Market value of agricultural products sold\$1,000 ..	6 340	4 714			
Average per farm dollars ..	333 669	196 396			
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops \$1,000..	997	1 066			
Livestock, poultry, and their products\$1,000 ..	5 343	3 648			

¹Data are based on a sample of farms.

Table 20. Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1992 and 1987

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

Item	1992		1987		Item	1992		1987	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
INVENTORY					SALES				
Chickens 3 months old or older	2 860	3 734 208	4 658	5 156 407	Hens and pullets of laying age	333	1 905 121	558	2 789 558
Hens and pullets of laying age	2 830	3 485 859	4 606	4 172 501	Pullets not of laying age	61	1 525 938	56	1 989 233
Farms with inventory of —					Broilers and other meat-type chickens ..	504	13 686 548	674	10 761 742
1 to 49	2 127	39 883	3 794	102 913	Farms by number sold —				
50 to 99	349	21 323	663	108 762	1 to 1,999	453	75 655	633	85 459
100 to 399	267	41 797	663	108 762	2,000 to 15,999	12	74 632	11	48 625
400 to 3,199	36	32 250	73	69 237	16,000 to 29,999	1	(D)	-	-
3,200 to 9,999	17	109 850	28	184 100	30,000 to 59,999	2	(D)	-	-
10,000 to 19,999	6	81 000	15	225 495	60,000 to 99,999	1	(D)	2	(D)
20,000 to 49,999	11	299 800	13	367 007	100,000 to 199,999	3	509 100	3	(D)
50,000 to 99,999	11	785 239	13	930 848	200,000 to 299,999	11	2 810 628	13	3 458 158
100,000 or more	6	2 074 717	7	2 184 139	300,000 to 499,999	12	4 113 672	5	1 745 000
Pullets 3 months old or older not of laying age	352	248 349	470	983 906	500,000 or more	9	5 952 000		
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	108	709 791	116	414 882	500,000 to 749,999	7	(D)	7	4 810 000
Broilers and other meat-type chickens ..	862	2 521 580	1 276	1 808 591	750,000 or more	2	(D)		
Turkeys	439	2 174 246	539	1 531 378	Turkeys	171	5 771 423	238	6 458 134
For slaughter	309	(D)	423	1 458 510	For slaughter	163	(D)	227	6 388 602
Hens kept for breeding	192	(D)	176	72 868	Hens kept for breeding	11	(D)	18	69 532
Ducks, geese, and other poultry	1 000	(X)	1 588	(X)	Ducks, geese, and other poultry	298	(X)	448	(X)