

Table 74. Land Use of Owned Land by Ownership Characteristics

Characteristics	Total		Total Cropland					
			Total		Cropland excluding orchard/vineyard and cropland pasture		Orchard/Vineyard	
	Owners	Acres (1,000)	Owners	Acres (1,000)	Owners	Acres (1,000)	Owners	Acres (1,000)
United States	3,412,080	932,495	2,710,174	434,162	2,614,350	426,911	184,259	7,251
Acres owned:								
1 to 9 acres	257,098	1,280	119,757	468	95,651	386	27,128	82
10 to 49 acres	878,377	23,285	623,268	10,656	582,836	9,919	65,744	737
50 to 179 acres	1,245,663	128,874	1,044,341	68,589	1,021,331	67,139	58,990	1,450
180 to 499 acres	697,887	202,624	629,316	119,895	623,446	118,343	23,360	1,553
500 to 999 acres	194,414	132,533	174,668	81,299	173,267	80,432	5,464	867
1,000 to 1,999 acres	81,345	109,946	72,215	61,007	71,755	60,231	1,731	776
2,000 acres or more	57,296	333,953	46,609	92,248	46,064	90,462	1,842	1,786
Ownership status:								
Owner-operator	1,966,715	542,890	1,458,247	213,542	1,375,506	207,990	137,750	5,552
Owned land rented to others	693,452	263,931	522,342	116,274	512,496	114,230	22,070	2,044
Nonoperator-owner	1,445,365	389,605	1,251,927	220,620	1,238,844	218,921	46,509	1,699
Type of organization:								
Individual or family	3,016,101	654,865	2,366,462	317,257	2,284,974	312,851	158,708	4,407
Partnership	260,939	127,147	226,355	57,333	218,288	56,165	15,244	1,168
Corporation:								
Family held	97,705	124,331	83,604	47,543	78,255	46,032	8,917	1,511
Other than family held	78,000	94,955	68,650	35,912	63,870	34,847	7,104	1,065
Other	19,705	29,375	14,954	11,631	14,385	11,185	1,813	447
Other	37,335	26,153	33,753	12,029	32,833	11,864	1,390	165
CHARACTERISTICS OF OWNERS								
Age of owner:								
Under 25 years	7,406	2,348	6,680	1,071	6,640	1,067	902	4
25 to 34 years	110,652	17,649	81,075	8,663	76,939	8,555	5,568	108
35 to 44 years	461,078	100,704	335,094	44,603	321,423	43,574	25,413	1,029
45 to 49 years	330,187	85,893	252,672	34,732	241,501	33,972	21,077	759
50 to 54 years	370,549	98,648	284,151	41,971	274,404	41,364	18,772	608
55 to 59 years	383,977	95,248	303,902	43,711	290,204	42,848	21,334	863
60 to 64 years	391,734	105,043	311,097	43,891	302,835	43,323	18,088	568
65 to 69 years	336,751	95,639	281,377	46,687	271,502	46,097	19,455	590
70 years and over	953,187	271,636	797,090	136,966	772,752	134,701	51,176	2,265
Owner by race:								
White	3,218,751	856,051	2,567,497	394,792	2,481,913	388,652	168,822	6,140
Black	68,056	7,754	48,916	3,772	47,420	3,739	3,369	33
American Indian	23,266	3,398	14,437	1,309	14,132	1,286	1,439	22
Asian or Pacific Islander	8,158	964	7,367	733	3,624	427	4,089	306
Other	27,290	4,640	14,921	1,689	11,111	1,396	4,066	293
Owner of Spanish origin	47,223	12,888	29,619	3,632	25,703	3,426	4,702	206
Owner reporting land acquired during:								
1999	133,358	65,444	103,145	28,318	101,141	27,347	5,672	971
1988 to 1998	1,285,155	408,348	996,036	188,698	961,108	185,069	64,843	3,629
1983 to 1987	657,703	239,167	521,996	113,912	503,779	111,636	37,471	2,275
1973 to 1982	803,414	271,761	660,054	136,236	636,317	134,328	44,020	1,908
Owner reporting sale or disposition of land during:								
1999	99,704	38,629	84,177	18,305	81,795	17,902	4,954	403
1988 to 1998	286,175	103,603	240,310	46,948	236,148	46,294	11,182	654
1983 to 1987	99,935	33,681	81,989	14,435	79,189	14,173	6,336	262
1973 to 1982	91,929	26,065	77,324	12,565	73,481	12,389	9,639	176
Owner financing land acquired in 1999.....	68,740	32,661	52,253	15,458	50,858	14,602	2,799	856
Owned land rented to others:								
All.....	1,696,764	516,292	1,479,850	276,376	1,461,686	273,991	59,629	2,385
Cash lease.....	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Any adjustments for unusual or exceptional circumstances	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Shared lease	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Cash/share lease.....	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Other.....	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Owners reporting use of farm management services	371,780	156,245	307,238	77,104	288,532	74,984	28,242	2,119
Owners reporting acres enrolled in the Conservation or Wetlands Reserve Programs	320,323	173,931	303,182	100,482	302,034	99,371	7,399	1,111

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Characteristics	Pastureland, including cropland pastured		Forest/woodland not pastured		All other land		Acres in Conservation or Wetlands Reserve Program	
	Owners	Acres (1,000)	Owners	Acres (1,000)	Owners	Acres (1,000)	Owners	Acres (1,000)
United States	1,870,355	379,579	1,210,005	73,016	2,215,992	45,738	320,323	39,759
Acres owned:								
1 to 9 acres	94,826	357	24,200	68	178,786	387	1,889	7
10 to 49 acres	457,793	6,913	284,573	2,897	573,185	2,819	27,251	470
50 to 179 acres	672,595	31,583	534,723	18,128	808,638	10,574	112,576	5,536
180 to 499 acres	415,177	47,203	286,668	24,318	451,468	11,208	103,564	9,663
500 to 999 acres	123,181	36,087	53,977	9,114	124,955	6,034	41,250	7,749
1,000 to 1,999 acres	58,530	38,756	17,464	5,713	47,855	4,469	19,487	6,749
2,000 acres or more	48,253	218,681	8,400	12,778	31,105	10,248	14,306	9,585
Ownership status:								
Owner-operator	1,323,081	260,264	712,345	45,242	1,475,748	23,842	204,329	27,287
Owned land rented to others	421,804	122,630	207,144	14,394	518,407	10,634	59,234	9,944
Nonoperator-owner	547,274	119,315	497,660	27,774	740,244	21,896	115,994	12,472
Type of organization:								
Individual or family	1,691,519	247,723	1,080,129	56,592	1,984,871	33,292	277,050	30,762
Partnership	125,963	56,075	93,406	8,529	148,892	5,211	24,207	4,266
Corporation:	40,925	64,544	28,414	7,014	63,794	5,230	12,152	3,740
Family held	34,675	50,558	21,686	5,044	51,389	3,442	9,885	2,375
Other than family held	6,250	13,986	6,728	1,970	12,405	1,788	2,267	1,366
Other	11,948	11,237	8,056	881	18,435	2,006	6,914	991
CHARACTERISTICS OF OWNERS								
Age of owner:								
Under 25 years	3,304	1,016	2,237	201	3,881	59	628	101
25 to 34 years	61,600	6,580	34,084	1,459	78,333	947	6,807	657
35 to 44 years	269,098	43,234	159,099	8,422	331,010	4,445	32,122	3,725
45 to 49 years	186,768	41,317	110,355	6,579	225,535	3,265	30,395	3,023
50 to 54 years	221,120	42,739	144,497	8,869	249,388	5,069	34,731	3,565
55 to 59 years	223,447	38,997	146,404	8,493	259,792	4,047	36,893	3,867
60 to 64 years	216,889	44,737	157,871	9,651	261,080	6,763	39,992	5,241
65 to 69 years	185,800	37,246	127,924	7,349	210,454	4,357	37,578	4,949
70 years and over	481,094	102,233	309,509	19,239	564,520	13,199	95,062	13,298
Owner by race:								
White	1,785,108	351,783	1,149,038	68,396	2,101,328	41,080	308,052	37,936
Black	28,421	2,169	28,938	1,244	41,923	569	4,789	363
American Indian	16,980	1,671	7,525	267	17,366	151	537	52
Asian or Pacific Islander	1,221	76	1,739	105	3,726	50	252	39
Other	17,390	2,400	4,740	250	19,650	300	578	38
Owner of Spanish origin	27,992	8,055	8,978	678	29,967	524	2,295	349
Owner reporting land acquired during:								
1999	85,687	28,857	51,651	6,056	88,981	2,213	19,994	3,227
1988 to 1998	743,438	168,934	449,028	30,726	864,784	19,989	126,285	15,693
1983 to 1987	379,310	94,926	240,382	18,006	447,498	12,324	69,287	10,263
1973 to 1982	473,465	100,476	302,172	21,740	559,359	13,309	91,160	12,937
Owner reporting sale or disposition of land during:								
1999	57,032	15,117	41,188	3,016	66,946	2,190	15,029	1,573
1988 to 1998	161,334	43,118	115,237	8,959	192,136	4,578	30,527	5,117
1983 to 1987	56,970	13,237	42,066	4,373	68,718	1,636	8,927	1,674
1973 to 1982	53,287	9,762	40,322	2,479	65,438	1,259	8,144	1,359
Owner financing land acquired in 1999.....	43,426	12,661	22,368	3,427	46,693	1,115	9,930	1,472
Owned land rented to others:								
All	721,399	175,775	593,011	37,101	939,391	27,041	175,515	20,758
Cash lease	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Any adjustments for unusual or exceptional circumstances	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Shared lease	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Cash/share lease	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Other	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Owners reporting use of farm management services	220,337	62,396	128,191	10,093	269,447	6,653	46,201	6,346
Owners reporting acres enrolled in the Conservation or Wetlands Reserve Programs	160,582	54,028	131,894	12,518	212,899	6,903	320,323	39,759