

Table 52. Summary by Combined Government Payments and Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997

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

Item	All farms	\$1,000,000 or more	\$500,000 to \$999,999	\$250,000 to \$499,999	\$100,000 to \$249,999	\$50,000 to \$99,999
FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS						
Farms	40 334	1 085	1 655	1 953	2 553	1 911
number ..						
percent ..	100.0	2.7	4.1	4.8	6.3	4.7
Land in farms	10 671 246	1 181 805	1 330 230	1 382 914	1 320 702	703 392
acres ..						
Average size of farm	265	1 089	804	708	517	368
acres ..						
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD						
Total sales (see text)	40 334	1 085	1 655	1 953	2 553	1 911
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	4 992 918	2 383 454	1 159 010	699 494	405 671	132 536
Average per farm	123 789	2 196 732	700 308	358 164	158 900	69 355
dollars ..						
Farms by value of sales:						
Less than \$1,000 (see text)	8 330	—	—	—	—	2
\$1,000 to \$2,499	5 401	—	—	—	—	—
\$2,500 to \$4,999	5 503	—	—	—	1	—
\$5,000 to \$9,999	5 154	—	—	—	—	—
\$10,000 to \$19,999	3 748	—	—	—	—	—
\$20,000 to \$24,999	946	—	—	—	—	1
\$25,000 to \$39,999	1 526	—	—	—	—	10
\$40,000 to \$49,999	648	—	—	—	—	65
\$50,000 to \$99,999	1 908	—	—	—	75	1 833
\$100,000 to \$249,999	2 524	—	—	47	2 477	—
\$250,000 to \$499,999	1 948	—	42	1 906	—	—
\$500,000 to \$999,999	1 625	12	1 613	—	—	—
\$1,000,000 to \$2,499,999	886	886	—	—	—	—
\$2,500,000 to \$4,999,999	124	124	—	—	—	—
\$5,000,000 or more	63	63	—	—	—	—
Grains	6 475	273	493	718	1 020	748
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	196 045	34 935	42 647	41 431	38 267	16 663
Sales of \$50,000 or more	1 048	150	250	289	266	93
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	132 059	32 592	37 826	32 584	23 299	5 759
Corn for grain	4 168	165	346	464	682	479
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	101 330	18 379	24 519	20 636	18 297	8 288
Wheat	2 094	127	223	313	410	276
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	39 872	7 309	8 570	8 697	7 843	3 356
Soybeans	2 848	142	235	400	543	384
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	46 601	7 541	7 940	10 341	10 615	4 358
Sorghum for grain	245	22	36	49	57	28
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	2 771	1 034	526	483	450	(D)
Barley	16	2	—	1	3	2
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	123	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	(D)
Oats	262	16	21	34	48	41
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	1 157	(D)	149	(D)	(D)	174
Other grains	611	37	77	120	124	70
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	4 189	558	945	1 136	732	(D)
Cotton and cottonseed	4 183	271	543	856	1 052	570
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	606 754	168 543	171 425	147 845	83 793	21 962
Sales of \$50,000 or more	2 463	250	518	789	750	156
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	569 710	167 873	170 746	145 865	74 987	10 239
Tobacco	1 179	81	145	234	322	178
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	143 396	36 728	35 813	34 770	26 250	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more	690	77	137	199	213	58
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	132 917	36 637	35 656	33 832	23 153	3 639
Hay, silage, and field seeds	4 453	123	138	166	227	231
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	24 952	5 123	1 672	1 070	2 628	2 172
Sales of \$50,000 or more	32	6	6	2	12	6
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	7 152	4 384	972	(D)	1 215	(D)
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons	1 797	130	163	190	254	194
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	273 090	176 678	40 098	22 938	17 468	7 854
Sales of \$50,000 or more	564	120	121	117	121	85
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	256 998	176 493	39 002	21 258	14 590	5 655
Fruits, nuts, and berries	2 446	72	125	151	213	176
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	108 875	44 830	19 765	15 425	12 729	6 960
Sales of \$50,000 or more	319	41	56	58	90	74
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	94 702	44 424	19 017	14 451	11 495	5 316
Nursery and greenhouse crops	1 287	45	56	68	112	130
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	219 370	132 165	32 247	21 578	15 423	8 342
Sales of \$50,000 or more	366	42	50	65	99	110
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	209 014	132 096	32 183	21 564	15 261	7 909
Other crops	4 808	267	538	823	1 067	659
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	348 116	84 692	98 399	82 211	54 774	15 595
Sales of \$50,000 or more	1 769	221	445	591	461	51
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	298 218	83 505	95 841	76 084	39 746	3 042
Poultry and poultry products	3 431	708	882	648	528	206
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	2 507 024	1 536 150	626 494	241 388	84 094	14 095
Sales of \$50,000 or more	2 948	708	882	648	524	186
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	2 501 457	1 536 150	626 494	241 388	84 035	13 390
Dairy products	644	53	83	157	162	72
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	212 452	89 984	42 686	49 417	24 185	4 270
Sales of \$50,000 or more	484	52	77	153	152	50
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	209 177	(D)	42 552	49 359	23 814	(D)
Cattle and calves	21 015	482	721	885	1 056	821
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	224 422	25 716	24 470	22 560	29 523	20 858
Sales of \$50,000 or more	649	91	99	102	171	186
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	82 564	20 481	17 282	12 934	19 396	12 470

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 52. Summary by Combined Government Payments and Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997—Con.

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Item	\$25,000 to \$49,999	\$10,000 to \$24,999	\$5,000 to \$9,999	\$2,500 to \$4,999	\$1,000 to \$2,499	Less than \$1,000
FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS						
Farms	2 249	5 010	5 651	6 411	6 709	5 147
number ..						
percent ..	5.6	12.4	14.0	15.9	16.6	12.8
Land in farms	668 087	1 176 549	959 160	851 243	649 393	447 771
acres ..						
Average size of farm	297	235	170	133	97	87
acres ..						
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD						
Total sales (see text)	2 249	5 010	5 651	6 411	6 709	5 147
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	75 925	72 661	35 316	18 958	8 520	1 372
Average per farm	33 760	14 503	6 250	2 957	1 270	266
dollars ..						
Farms by value of sales:						
Less than \$1,000 (see text)	17	168	418	953	1 625	5 147
\$1,000 to \$2,499	—	18	50	249	5 084	—
\$2,500 to \$4,999	1	23	269	5 209	—	—
\$5,000 to \$9,999	3	237	4 914	—	—	—
\$10,000 to \$19,999	29	3 719	—	—	—	—
\$20,000 to \$24,999	100	845	—	—	—	—
\$25,000 to \$39,999	1 516	—	—	—	—	—
\$40,000 to \$49,999	583	—	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 to \$99,999	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$100,000 to \$249,999	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$250,000 to \$499,999	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$500,000 to \$999,999	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000,000 to \$2,499,999	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$2,500,000 to \$4,999,999	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$5,000,000 or more	—	—	—	—	—	—
Grains	753	997	629	433	326	85
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	10 343	7 737	2 511	1 019	444	47
Sales of \$50,000 or more	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Corn for grain	451	596	406	306	216	57
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	4 992	3 780	1 465	660	283	29
Wheat	264	259	102	69	44	7
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	2 186	1 412	307	139	50	4
Soybeans	367	393	196	92	78	18
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	2 744	2 176	622	161	92	12
Sorghum for grain	19	15	7	6	5	1
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	105	45	14	11	6	(D)
Barley	4	4	—	—	—	—
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	13	9	—	—	—	—
Oats	26	38	19	13	5	1
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	141	140	44	18	3	(D)
Other grains	50	70	31	17	13	2
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	161	175	59	29	10	(D)
Cotton and cottonseed	419	331	104	24	12	1
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	8 852	3 679	561	76	(D)	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco	93	81	28	16	1	—
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	2 168	943	162	42	(D)	—
Sales of \$50,000 or more	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hay, silage, and field seeds	274	771	793	751	667	312
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	2 398	4 450	2 771	1 667	854	146
Sales of \$50,000 or more	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons	179	264	211	109	53	50
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	3 586	2 900	1 181	311	61	16
Sales of \$50,000 or more	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Fruits, nuts, and berries	224	314	281	284	300	306
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	4 874	2 191	1 011	591	379	119
Sales of \$50,000 or more	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Nursery and greenhouse crops	148	237	159	142	169	21
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	4 609	3 331	982	433	251	9
Sales of \$50,000 or more	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other crops	543	554	216	89	38	14
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	7 200	4 200	777	220	41	7
Sales of \$50,000 or more	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Poultry and poultry products	113	60	57	58	103	68
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	3 870	572	173	108	68	12
Sales of \$50,000 or more	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Dairy products	42	58	9	3	4	1
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	905	967	30	6	(D)	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cattle and calves	1 110	3 170	3 821	4 051	3 498	1 400
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	22 317	36 629	22 871	13 023	5 586	869
Sales of \$50,000 or more	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—

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Table 52. Summary by Combined Government Payments and Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997—Con.

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Item	All farms	\$1,000,000 or more	\$500,000 to \$999,999	\$250,000 to \$499,999	\$100,000 to \$249,999	\$50,000 to \$99,999
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD—Con.						
Total sales (see text)—Con.						
Hogs and pigs	farms.. 1 561	49	77	134	186	154
	\$1,000.. 105 395	46 846	18 290	17 439	12 537	4 623
Sales of \$50,000 or more	farms.. 297	40	50	73	89	45
	\$1,000.. 94 285	46 667	17 906	16 353	10 422	2 937
Sheep, lambs, and wool	farms.. 252	1	4	8	11	5
	\$1,000.. 418	(D)	10	8	(D)	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more	farms.. 2	—	—	—	1	1
	\$1,000.. (D)	—	—	—	(D)	(D)
Other livestock and livestock products (see text)	farms.. 2 431	10	35	30	71	72
	\$1,000.. 22 609	(D)	4 995	1 413	(D)	2 552
Sales of \$50,000 or more	farms.. 78	1	9	5	27	36
	\$1,000.. 13 261	(D)	4 815	(D)	3 745	2 402
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text)	farms.. 1 471	20	28	50	79	78
	\$1,000.. 7 294	768	1 498	524	988	768
FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES¹						
Total farm production expenses	farms.. 40 351	1 085	1 654	1 771	1 754	1 906
	\$1,000.. 3 840 117	1 769 847	911 272	524 776	234 720	108 533
Average per farm	dollars.. 95 168	1 631 196	550 950	296 316	133 820	56 943
Livestock and poultry purchased	farms.. 10 408	816	1 112	922	557	576
	\$1,000.. 396 933	255 672	75 485	30 076	11 184	6 380
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999	6 176	30	88	160	182	263
\$5,000 to \$24,999	1 674	22	82	183	225	233
\$25,000 to \$99,999	1 787	185	75	553	141	80
\$100,000 to \$249,999	604	426	144	25	9	—
\$250,000 or more	167	153	13	1	—	—
Feed for livestock and poultry	farms.. 21 119	835	1 187	1 120	815	908
	\$1,000.. 1 427 778	781 264	406 658	161 493	36 286	11 976
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999	15 977	34	69	181	228	429
\$5,000 to \$24,999	2 032	42	104	161	219	327
\$25,000 to \$99,999	578	21	54	90	233	141
\$100,000 to \$249,999	660	12	58	451	128	11
\$250,000 or more	1 872	726	902	237	7	—
Commercially mixed formula feeds	farms.. 12 866	769	1 078	884	555	612
	\$1,000.. 1 347 848	754 876	393 733	147 517	29 494	8 760
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999	9 193	21	52	106	139	346
\$5,000 to \$24,999	835	21	60	78	123	149
\$25,000 to \$99,999	453	16	39	83	174	106
\$100,000 or more	2 385	711	927	617	119	11
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees	farms.. 14 485	485	859	1 185	1 346	1 490
	\$1,000.. 102 366	30 724	24 128	20 815	12 714	6 288
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999	7 400	64	91	73	98	192
\$1,000 to \$4,999	3 585	62	101	184	394	788
\$5,000 to \$24,999	2 432	88	291	612	759	500
\$25,000 to \$49,999	722	87	255	285	85	10
\$50,000 or more	346	184	121	31	10	—
Commercial fertilizer	farms.. 23 991	542	992	1 300	1 492	1 649
	\$1,000.. 219 398	49 893	43 724	43 769	28 909	16 375
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999	17 413	127	247	196	280	443
\$5,000 to \$24,999	4 391	75	117	362	787	1 165
\$25,000 to \$49,999	1 068	48	206	430	341	33
\$50,000 or more	1 119	292	422	312	84	8
Agricultural chemicals	farms.. 16 485	624	1 025	1 290	1 423	1 562
	\$1,000.. 196 778	57 788	48 002	41 927	23 600	11 733
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999	11 959	244	354	318	429	756
\$5,000 to \$24,999	2 571	78	152	262	641	740
\$25,000 to \$49,999	900	46	119	384	283	64
\$50,000 or more	1 055	256	400	326	70	2
Petroleum products	farms.. 35 928	1 071	1 627	1 736	1 727	1 846
	\$1,000.. 136 653	40 752	29 347	24 223	15 092	7 143
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999	30 287	98	211	350	659	1 299
\$5,000 to \$24,999	4 398	490	1 035	1 089	986	547
\$25,000 to \$49,999	926	267	305	275	79	—
\$50,000 or more	317	216	76	22	3	—
Gasoline and gasohol	farms.. 23 324	891	1 353	1 469	1 400	1 404
	\$1,000.. 32 399	6 503	5 605	5 789	4 286	2 180
Diesel fuel	farms.. 29 973	964	1 456	1 584	1 554	1 736
	\$1,000.. 60 296	16 132	12 723	11 443	7 197	3 509
Natural gas	farms.. 1 019	111	155	128	111	57
	\$1,000.. 5 649	3 076	1 176	625	362	86
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc.	farms.. 22 859	1 052	1 598	1 700	1 651	1 716
	\$1,000.. 38 309	15 041	9 843	6 367	3 246	1 368

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Item	\$25,000 to \$49,999	\$10,000 to \$24,999	\$5,000 to \$9,999	\$2,500 to \$4,999	\$1,000 to \$2,499	Less than \$1,000
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD—Con.						
Total sales (see text)—Con.						
Hogs and pigs farms..	173	256	182	160	132	58
\$1,000..	2 584	1 882	660	348	158	26
Sales of \$50,000 or more farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sheep, lambs, and wool farms..	11	34	35	45	53	45
\$1,000..	21	40	60	49	39	12
Sales of \$50,000 or more farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other livestock and livestock products (see text) farms..	112	374	396	507	540	284
\$1,000..	2 195	3 139	1 566	1 064	618	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text) farms..	96	228	263	253	198	178
\$1,000..	728	914	525	339	187	57
FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES¹						
Total farm production expenses farms..	2 375	5 325	5 899	6 619	6 966	4 997
\$1,000..	69 529	82 257	48 510	40 275	27 560	22 837
Average per farm dollars..	29 275	15 447	8 223	6 085	3 956	4 570
Livestock and poultry purchased farms..	657	1 705	1 227	1 159	951	726
\$1,000..	3 927	6 013	2 946	2 114	1 569	1 566
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999	408	1 301	1 096	1 078	895	675
\$5,000 to \$24,999	231	391	131	81	56	39
\$25,000 to \$99,999	18	13	—	—	—	12
\$100,000 to \$249,999	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$250,000 or more	—	—	—	—	—	—
Feed for livestock and poultry farms..	1 196	3 314	3 194	3 365	3 016	2 169
\$1,000..	7 315	8 965	5 154	3 750	2 545	2 371
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999	738	2 745	3 100	3 340	3 004	2 109
\$5,000 to \$24,999	423	566	94	24	12	60
\$25,000 to \$99,999	35	3	—	1	—	—
\$100,000 to \$249,999	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$250,000 or more	—	—	—	—	—	—
Commercially mixed formula feeds farms..	753	1 861	1 803	1 788	1 569	1 194
\$1,000..	4 403	3 686	2 053	1 266	921	1 139
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999	538	1 689	1 784	1 785	1 566	1 167
\$5,000 to \$24,999	181	171	19	3	3	27
\$25,000 to \$99,999	34	1	—	—	—	—
\$100,000 or more	—	—	—	—	—	—
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees farms..	1 458	2 525	1 868	1 369	1 183	717
\$1,000..	3 264	2 680	882	470	246	155
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999	419	1 617	1 656	1 306	1 180	704
\$1,000 to \$4,999	914	854	209	63	3	13
\$5,000 to \$24,999	125	54	3	—	—	—
\$25,000 to \$49,999	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more	—	—	—	—	—	—
Commercial fertilizer farms..	1 929	3 856	3 644	3 419	2 974	2 194
\$1,000..	10 326	11 357	6 489	4 330	2 391	1 835
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999	1 078	3 176	3 419	3 319	2 959	2 169
\$5,000 to \$24,999	845	675	225	100	15	25
\$25,000 to \$49,999	5	5	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more	1	—	—	—	—	—
Agricultural chemicals farms..	1 589	2 483	1 984	1 636	1 513	1 356
\$1,000..	5 676	4 157	1 821	919	571	584
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999	1 209	2 278	1 903	1 611	1 510	1 347
\$5,000 to \$24,999	376	204	81	25	3	9
\$25,000 to \$49,999	3	1	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more	1	—	—	—	—	—
Petroleum products farms..	2 305	5 087	5 454	5 865	5 634	3 576
\$1,000..	4 708	5 624	3 679	2 782	1 943	1 361
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999	2 135	5 038	5 440	5 851	5 631	3 575
\$5,000 to \$24,999	170	49	14	14	3	1
\$25,000 to \$49,999	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more	—	—	—	—	—	—
Gasoline and gasohol farms..	1 637	3 265	3 352	3 369	3 066	2 118
\$1,000..	1 733	2 199	1 541	1 204	782	578
Diesel fuel farms..	2 076	4 470	4 525	4 798	4 258	2 552
\$1,000..	2 262	2 661	1 643	1 247	890	589
Natural gas farms..	79	138	56	88	52	44
\$1,000..	130	101	21	25	20	28
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc. farms..	1 907	3 531	3 054	2 768	2 349	1 533
\$1,000..	582	664	475	306	252	165

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 52. Summary by Combined Government Payments and Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997—Con.

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

Item	All farms	\$1,000,000 or more	\$500,000 to \$999,999	\$250,000 to \$499,999	\$100,000 to \$249,999	\$50,000 to \$99,999
FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES¹						
—Con.						
Total farm production expenses—Con.						
Electricity farms	21 641	1 075	1 587	1 693	1 599	1 552
Electricity \$1,000	54 790	22 801	11 060	8 024	4 662	2 309
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999	14 070	10	54	137	383	747
\$1,000 to \$4,999	4 936	158	713	963	1 000	725
\$5,000 to \$24,999	2 363	695	781	576	213	80
\$25,000 to \$49,999	182	130	34	16	1	—
\$50,000 or more	90	82	5	1	2	—
Hired farm labor farms	12 267	841	1 235	1 438	1 314	902
Hired farm labor \$1,000	285 883	135 396	62 851	47 379	23 691	6 518
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999	7 298	121	205	162	233	443
\$5,000 to \$24,999	2 611	186	300	535	777	423
\$25,000 to \$99,999	1 818	240	553	681	299	35
\$100,000 to \$249,999	381	160	156	59	3	1
\$250,000 or more	159	134	21	1	2	—
Workers by days worked:						
150 days or more farms	5 213	685	902	1 087	803	366
150 days or more workers	18 077	8 312	3 471	2 615	1 400	696
Less than 150 days farms	10 966	626	1 009	1 161	1 090	808
Less than 150 days workers	48 233	10 615	7 903	6 670	5 278	3 195
Contract labor farms	4 630	368	573	519	440	392
Contract labor \$1,000	56 010	29 471	11 295	7 251	3 347	1 609
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999	1 576	25	45	40	67	71
\$1,000 to \$4,999	1 725	76	187	217	175	191
\$5,000 to \$24,999	916	108	184	185	179	130
\$25,000 to \$49,999	224	54	108	48	13	—
\$50,000 or more	189	105	49	29	6	—
Repair and maintenance farms	29 812	1 060	1 608	1 721	1 679	1 756
Repair and maintenance \$1,000	157 193	47 116	27 405	25 777	15 419	8 745
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999	23 585	226	526	451	579	1 091
\$5,000 to \$24,999	4 897	420	677	923	1 000	643
\$25,000 to \$49,999	906	147	304	311	90	20
\$50,000 or more	424	267	101	36	10	2
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment farms	9 278	418	712	1 006	921	816
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment \$1,000	51 051	13 165	9 208	11 970	7 243	2 987
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999	3 901	48	134	108	112	153
\$1,000 to \$4,999	3 249	89	191	287	333	488
\$5,000 to \$24,999	1 652	141	274	445	424	170
\$25,000 to \$49,999	349	62	84	150	48	5
\$50,000 or more	127	78	29	16	4	—
Interest farms	14 786	1 053	1 595	1 425	1 266	1 220
Interest \$1,000	170 943	56 441	39 233	25 198	14 821	8 114
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999	8 115	99	287	324	387	637
\$5,000 to \$24,999	4 933	340	744	726	732	553
\$25,000 to \$99,999	1 561	471	533	373	147	30
\$100,000 or more	177	143	31	2	—	—
Secured by real estate farms	11 231	920	1 350	1 076	922	810
Secured by real estate \$1,000	120 173	41 669	24 957	15 271	10 092	6 081
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999	1 475	17	35	38	53	66
\$1,000 to \$4,999	4 452	71	248	227	248	344
\$5,000 to \$24,999	4 218	339	742	662	538	372
\$25,000 to \$49,999	702	253	242	114	72	15
\$50,000 or more	384	240	83	35	11	13
Not secured by real estate farms	6 562	438	770	740	702	622
Not secured by real estate \$1,000	50 771	14 772	14 276	9 926	4 729	2 033
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999	2 044	58	109	43	82	112
\$1,000 to \$4,999	2 503	89	168	210	289	336
\$5,000 to \$24,999	1 465	123	284	343	303	173
\$25,000 to \$49,999	355	64	131	131	28	1
\$50,000 or more	195	104	78	13	—	—
Cash rent farms	7 814	412	622	808	890	810
Cash rent \$1,000	103 519	30 376	27 607	20 788	12 309	4 917
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999	5 095	105	140	139	304	456
\$5,000 to \$9,999	734	28	55	101	121	199
\$10,000 to \$24,999	922	54	97	227	308	146
\$25,000 or more	1 063	225	330	341	157	9
Property taxes farms	38 547	1 062	1 626	1 722	1 629	1 790
Property taxes \$1,000	80 420	10 286	7 955	8 575	6 117	4 510
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999	35 357	482	1 090	1 180	1 268	1 609
\$5,000 to \$9,999	2 203	295	355	369	296	134
\$10,000 to \$24,999	803	201	165	147	55	38
\$25,000 or more	184	84	16	26	10	9
All other farm production expenses farms	33 222	1 082	1 653	1 769	1 753	1 905
All other farm production expenses \$1,000	400 403	208 702	87 314	47 511	19 325	8 928
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999	26 264	38	77	176	536	1 210
\$5,000 to \$24,999	3 842	99	320	834	1 072	686
\$25,000 to \$49,999	1 185	88	406	560	121	9
\$50,000 to \$99,999	1 102	175	732	173	22	—
\$100,000 or more	829	682	118	26	2	—

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Table 52. Summary by Combined Government Payments and Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997—Con.

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

Item	\$25,000 to \$49,999	\$10,000 to \$24,999	\$5,000 to \$9,999	\$2,500 to \$4,999	\$1,000 to \$2,499	Less than \$1,000
FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES¹						
—Con.						
Total farm production expenses—Con.						
Electricity farms	1 759	3 293	2 730	2 687	2 010	1 656
Electricity \$1,000	1 334	1 682	951	778	588	602
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999	1 309	2 810	2 587	2 578	1 913	1 542
\$1,000 to \$4,999	438	480	143	108	96	112
\$5,000 to \$24,999	12	3	—	1	1	1
\$25,000 to \$49,999	—	—	—	—	—	1
\$50,000 or more	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hired farm labor farms	899	1 786	1 277	1 160	827	588
Hired farm labor \$1,000	2 871	3 780	1 431	1 112	505	349
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999	702	1 629	1 233	1 157	827	586
\$5,000 to \$24,999	196	147	44	1	—	2
\$25,000 to \$99,999	1	9	—	—	—	—
\$100,000 to \$249,999	—	—	—	2	—	—
\$250,000 or more	—	1	—	—	—	—
Workers by days worked:						
150 days or more farms	262	317	252	205	171	163
150 days or more workers	400	353	257	216	182	175
Less than 150 days farms	816	1 712	1 218	1 130	815	581
Less than 150 days workers	2 427	4 537	2 863	2 228	1 603	914
Contract labor farms	321	548	437	459	312	261
Contract labor \$1,000	824	1 004	515	339	203	151
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999	96	220	223	343	254	192
\$1,000 to \$4,999	173	261	203	115	58	69
\$5,000 to \$24,999	51	67	11	1	—	—
\$25,000 to \$49,999	1	—	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more	—	—	—	—	—	—
Repair and maintenance farms	2 022	4 355	4 231	4 358	3 952	3 070
Repair and maintenance \$1,000	5 707	8 800	5 968	5 856	3 366	3 032
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999	1 665	3 946	4 026	4 194	3 879	3 002
\$5,000 to \$24,999	351	400	204	142	73	64
\$25,000 to \$49,999	6	9	1	15	—	3
\$50,000 or more	—	—	—	7	—	1
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment farms	803	1 344	1 132	1 042	649	435
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment \$1,000	2 121	1 938	928	807	373	312
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999	225	643	787	797	538	356
\$1,000 to \$4,999	448	638	340	245	111	79
\$5,000 to \$24,999	130	63	5	—	—	—
\$25,000 to \$49,999	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more	—	—	—	—	—	—
Interest farms	1 277	1 847	1 334	1 484	1 225	1 060
Interest \$1,000	6 961	6 291	3 439	4 179	3 584	2 681
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999	707	1 417	1 141	1 207	997	912
\$5,000 to \$24,999	567	427	193	276	228	147
\$25,000 to \$99,999	3	3	—	—	—	1
\$100,000 or more	—	—	—	1	—	—
Secured by real estate farms	816	1 253	1 010	1 183	1 024	867
Secured by real estate \$1,000	4 723	4 987	2 993	3 719	3 239	2 440
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999	45	180	287	333	217	204
\$1,000 to \$4,999	368	693	534	588	602	529
\$5,000 to \$24,999	400	377	189	261	205	133
\$25,000 to \$49,999	3	3	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more	—	—	—	1	—	1
Not secured by real estate farms	721	912	463	499	368	327
Not secured by real estate \$1,000	2 238	1 304	446	460	345	241
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999	171	456	272	314	204	223
\$1,000 to \$4,999	345	424	190	184	164	104
\$5,000 to \$24,999	205	32	1	1	—	—
\$25,000 to \$49,999	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cash rent farms	872	1 194	953	628	414	211
Cash rent \$1,000	2 990	2 371	1 068	432	346	314
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999	673	1 111	936	619	408	204
\$5,000 to \$9,999	155	45	15	8	6	1
\$10,000 to \$24,999	44	37	2	1	—	6
\$25,000 or more	—	1	—	—	—	—
Property taxes farms	2 217	5 020	5 620	6 371	6 707	4 783
Property taxes \$1,000	4 602	8 901	8 856	8 581	6 798	5 239
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999	2 077	4 759	5 395	6 175	6 626	4 696
\$5,000 to \$9,999	115	190	147	153	80	69
\$10,000 to \$24,999	15	66	71	30	1	14
\$25,000 or more	10	5	7	13	—	4
All other farm production expenses farms	2 364	5 183	4 609	4 842	4 642	3 420
All other farm production expenses \$1,000	6 903	8 693	4 385	3 827	2 529	2 286
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999	1 923	4 894	4 568	4 814	4 636	3 392
\$5,000 to \$24,999	441	289	41	27	6	27
\$25,000 to \$49,999	—	—	—	1	—	—
\$50,000 to \$99,999	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$100,000 or more	—	—	—	—	—	1

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Table 52. **Summary by Combined Government Payments and Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997—Con.**

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

Item	All farms	\$1,000,000 or more	\$500,000 to \$999,999	\$250,000 to \$499,999	\$100,000 to \$249,999	\$50,000 to \$99,999
NET CASH RETURN FROM AGRICULTURAL SALES AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS FOR THE FARM UNIT (SEE TEXT)¹						
All farms	40 353	1 085	1 655	1 771	1 754	1 906
number						
\$1,000	1 038 779	623 152	258 571	132 180	47 899	24 691
dollars	25 742	574 334	156 236	74 636	27 308	12 954
Farms with net gains ²	19 655	1 042	1 558	1 551	1 328	1 429
number						
Average net gain	61 656	608 220	173 552	94 627	51 167	24 476
dollars						
Gain of—						
Less than \$1,000	3 403	—	2	4	6	24
\$1,000 to \$9,999	8 162	2	14	49	103	310
\$10,000 to \$49,999	3 764	23	94	324	648	979
\$50,000 or more	4 326	1 017	1 448	1 174	571	116
Farms with net losses	20 698	43	97	220	426	477
number						
Average net loss	8 361	246 812	121 887	66 307	47 067	21 564
dollars						
Loss of—						
Less than \$1,000	3 633	—	1	2	9	4
\$1,000 to \$9,999	13 322	3	11	27	84	175
\$10,000 to \$49,999	3 367	10	24	107	221	267
\$50,000 or more	376	30	61	84	112	31
GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS AND OTHER FARM-RELATED INCOME						
Government payments	12 372	411	661	988	1 345	948
farms						
\$1,000	63 996	9 545	10 832	11 441	9 095	3 641
Other farm-related income ¹	7 998	283	350	393	398	496
farms						
\$1,000	77 975	12 971	7 424	7 717	6 888	5 390
Customwork and other agricultural services	2 023	95	126	151	132	153
farms						
\$1,000	20 750	5 003	2 751	3 018	2 390	1 313
Gross cash rent or share payments	3 490	60	67	72	115	197
farms						
\$1,000	25 248	1 326	811	1 286	1 828	1 797
Forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products	1 663	51	58	66	66	78
farms						
\$1,000	25 493	5 048	2 768	2 501	2 146	1 462
Other farm-related income sources	2 335	177	217	222	183	194
farms						
\$1,000	6 484	1 594	1 095	911	524	818
COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS						
Total	732	33	78	92	166	123
farms						
\$1,000	12 265	2 401	4 106	2 761	1 651	781
Corn	348	12	32	40	74	62
farms						
\$1,000	2 919	436	964	595	427	267
Wheat	135	5	12	18	35	19
farms						
\$1,000	594	(D)	108	(D)	165	44
Soybeans	75	4	3	11	18	12
farms						
\$1,000	323	(D)	(D)	116	71	(D)
Sorghum, barley, and oats	19	—	2	3	7	2
farms						
\$1,000	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Cotton	277	13	40	45	77	56
farms						
\$1,000	7 051	1 663	2 772	1 444	743	320
Sunflower seed, flaxseed, safflower, canola, other rapeseed, and mustard seed	1	—	—	—	1	—
farms						
\$1,000	(D)	—	—	—	(D)	—
Peanuts, rice, and tobacco	125	10	14	21	29	22
farms						
\$1,000	1 360	117	251	511	237	127
LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE						
Total cropland	32 816	839	1 335	1 700	2 283	1 757
farms						
acres	5 370 844	825 429	911 307	889 511	773 032	352 118
Harvested cropland	25 082	709	1 158	1 532	2 116	1 668
farms						
acres	3 762 559	733 768	788 416	766 234	613 117	246 130
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 49 acres	15 518	198	300	264	302	334
50 to 99 acres	3 096	59	90	70	166	300
100 to 199 acres	2 251	59	71	128	322	584
200 to 499 acres	2 183	80	109	312	991	421
500 to 999 acres	1 191	50	206	581	317	28
1,000 to 1,999 acres	644	121	332	170	18	1
2,000 acres or more	199	142	50	7	—	—
Cropland:						
Pasture or grazing only	17 653	379	579	673	886	669
farms						
acres	1 083 321	46 695	55 596	67 816	95 974	72 083
In cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured	2 112	70	83	117	156	105
farms						
acres	121 438	14 152	18 394	10 037	9 786	5 686
On which all crops failed	1 364	42	56	89	180	138
farms						
acres	65 093	4 822	4 758	7 954	13 973	6 675
In cultivated summer fallow	620	19	24	38	52	44
farms						
acres	47 483	7 962	8 231	6 264	5 785	2 773
Idle	5 226	138	235	323	458	326
farms						
acres	290 950	18 030	35 912	31 206	34 397	18 771
Total woodland	25 180	669	971	1 166	1 521	1 214
farms						
acres	3 776 996	219 007	267 012	322 579	388 153	254 766
Woodland pastured	10 470	249	315	385	511	444
farms						
acres	633 488	23 368	32 988	33 707	44 134	36 836
Woodland not pastured	19 613	549	819	980	1 293	1 024
farms						
acres	3 143 508	195 639	234 024	288 872	344 019	217 930

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Table 52. Summary by Combined Government Payments and Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997—Con.

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

Item	\$25,000 to \$49,999	\$10,000 to \$24,999	\$5,000 to \$9,999	\$2,500 to \$4,999	\$1,000 to \$2,499	Less than \$1,000
NET CASH RETURN FROM AGRICULTURAL SALES AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS FOR THE FARM UNIT (SEE TEXT)¹						
All farms	2 375	5 326	5 899	6 619	6 966	4 997
number						
\$1,000	13 245	526	-7 425	-16 765	-15 938	-21 355
dollars	5 577	99	-1 259	-2 533	-2 288	-4 274
Farms with net gains ²	1 649	3 113	3 108	2 673	2 021	183
number						
Average net gain	13 776	6 557	2 958	1 525	767	206
dollars						
Gain of—						
Less than \$1,000	107	217	509	959	1 392	183
\$1,000 to \$9,999	571	2 171	2 599	1 714	629	—
\$10,000 to \$49,999	971	725	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more	—	—	—	—	—	—
Farms with net losses	726	2 213	2 791	3 946	4 945	4 814
number						
Average net loss	13 047	8 987	5 954	5 281	3 537	4 444
dollars						
Loss of—						
Less than \$1,000	67	227	390	725	1 259	949
\$1,000 to \$9,999	331	1 316	1 902	2 721	3 351	3 401
\$10,000 to \$49,999	316	658	495	486	335	448
\$50,000 or more	12	12	4	14	—	16
GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS AND OTHER FARM-RELATED INCOME						
Government payments	937	1 644	1 465	1 701	1 954	318
farms						
\$1,000	3 102	5 461	4 273	3 866	2 627	112
Other farm-related income ¹	652	1 204	1 148	1 169	1 174	731
farms						
\$1,000	9 129	8 292	5 888	6 271	4 578	3 426
Customwork and other agricultural services						
farms	217	345	267	180	207	150
\$1,000	2 243	1 767	1 002	478	506	280
Gross cash rent or share payments	256	514	502	648	677	382
farms						
\$1,000	5 257	3 697	2 247	3 307	2 165	1 527
Forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products	112	245	256	261	253	217
farms						
\$1,000	1 382	2 599	2 295	2 157	1 772	1 363
Other farm-related income sources	223	304	300	223	184	108
farms						
\$1,000	247	229	344	329	135	257
COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS						
Total	84	83	41	18	12	2
farms						
\$1,000	353	167	20	17	(D)	(D)
Corn	38	39	27	11	11	2
farms						
\$1,000	150	53	7	12	(D)	(D)
Wheat	15	22	4	4	1	—
farms						
\$1,000	35	35	(D)	4	(D)	—
Soybeans	12	9	2	4	—	—
farms						
\$1,000	(D)	(D)	(D)	1	—	—
Sorghum, barley, and oats	1	1	—	3	—	—
farms						
\$1,000	(D)	(D)	—	1	—	—
Cotton	24	16	6	—	—	—
farms						
\$1,000	88	15	5	—	—	—
Sunflower seed, flaxseed, safflower, canola, other rapeseed, and mustard seed	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms						
\$1,000	—	—	—	—	—	—
Peanuts, rice, and tobacco	17	7	5	—	—	—
farms						
\$1,000	65	47	5	—	—	—
LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE						
Total cropland	2 071	4 522	4 804	4 940	4 768	3 797
farms						
acres	315 564	459 462	322 511	239 394	169 426	113 090
Harvested cropland	1 923	3 935	3 711	3 268	2 713	2 349
farms						
acres	175 738	192 098	107 357	68 429	43 336	27 936
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 49 acres	634	2 471	3 111	3 016	2 590	2 298
50 to 99 acres	596	1 013	478	189	94	41
100 to 199 acres	518	374	106	57	24	8
200 to 499 acres	167	74	16	6	5	2
500 to 999 acres	6	3	—	—	—	—
1,000 to 1,999 acres	2	—	—	—	—	—
2,000 acres or more	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cropland:						
Pasture or grazing only	916	2 533	2 951	3 097	2 830	2 140
acres						
In cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured	98 483	200 715	166 682	127 044	90 444	61 789
farms						
acres	104	275	297	316	342	247
On which all crops failed	5 762	17 151	13 971	12 973	8 827	4 699
farms						
acres	150	195	134	109	117	154
In cultivated summer fallow	7 120	7 042	3 397	3 520	1 817	4 015
farms						
acres	68	112	81	78	67	47
Idle	3 678	5 691	2 333	2 419	945	1 402
farms						
acres	332	661	650	702	844	557
Idle	24 793	36 765	28 771	25 009	24 057	13 249
acres						
Total woodland	1 425	3 299	3 784	4 113	4 298	2 720
farms						
acres	262 955	526 707	477 981	460 367	368 303	229 166
Woodland pastured	547	1 497	1 811	1 830	1 665	1 216
farms						
acres	53 312	104 849	91 659	83 770	54 067	74 798
Woodland not pastured	1 164	2 542	2 801	3 089	3 347	2 005
farms						
acres	209 643	421 858	386 322	376 597	314 236	154 368

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Table 52. Summary by Combined Government Payments and Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997—Con.

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

Item	All farms	\$1,000,000 or more	\$500,000 to \$999,999	\$250,000 to \$499,999	\$100,000 to \$249,999	\$50,000 to \$99,999
LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE—Con.						
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured..... farms..	9 212	294	397	467	518	388
acres..	820 390	66 102	70 427	80 723	83 566	55 177
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. farms..	24 957	842	1 212	1 307	1 628	1 183
acres..	703 016	71 267	81 484	90 101	75 951	41 331
Irrigated land farms..	4 372	307	444	579	801	507
acres..	748 520	260 247	189 429	134 965	102 862	31 123
Harvested cropland irrigated farms..	4 237	300	443	572	798	499
acres..	736 492	258 811	187 383	133 924	100 375	30 339
Pasture and other land irrigated farms..	296	22	17	20	38	26
acres..	12 028	1 436	2 046	1 041	2 487	784
Land under Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs farms..	6 275	135	175	306	411	261
acres..	453 602	17 660	16 340	25 727	32 570	29 354
VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS¹						
Estimated market value of land and buildings farms..	40 353	1 085	1 655	1 771	1 754	1 906
\$1,000..	15 841 654	1 767 726	1 777 350	1 631 163	1 212 524	1 034 081
Average per farm dollars..	392 577	1 629 240	1 073 928	921 041	691 291	542 540
Average per acre dollars..	1 505	1 496	1 336	1 237	1 177	1 369
Farms by value group:						
\$1 to \$39,999	3 813	19	50	39	35	33
\$40,000 to \$69,999	3 766	24	37	42	35	100
\$70,000 to \$99,999	3 789	23	36	25	41	85
\$100,000 to \$149,999	5 240	36	58	69	74	162
\$150,000 to \$199,999	4 487	48	72	79	101	262
\$200,000 to \$499,999	11 184	219	455	480	702	647
\$500,000 to \$999,999	4 700	267	359	492	441	387
\$1,000,000 to \$1,999,999	2 296	197	337	383	246	165
\$2,000,000 to \$4,999,999	890	174	224	141	59	57
\$5,000,000 or more	188	78	27	21	20	8
VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT¹						
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment farms..	40 351	1 085	1 655	1 771	1 754	1 906
\$1,000..	1 791 247	230 767	255 456	261 722	188 808	117 895
Farms by value group:						
\$1 to \$4,999	5 125	14	28	28	19	53
\$5,000 to \$9,999	6 857	34	69	63	54	94
\$10,000 to \$19,999	9 034	86	163	117	131	239
\$20,000 to \$49,999	10 877	231	366	327	381	542
\$50,000 to \$99,999	4 158	178	266	301	500	613
\$100,000 to \$199,999	2 359	200	260	385	379	324
\$200,000 to \$499,999	1 583	203	398	483	263	35
\$500,000 or more	358	139	105	67	27	6
SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT¹						
Motortrucks, including pickups farms..	34 522	1 085	1 655	1 771	1 746	1 764
number..	70 856	5 635	6 568	6 392	5 293	4 329
Wheel tractors farms..	36 353	962	1 433	1 499	1 532	1 795
number..	65 386	3 842	4 411	4 433	3 882	4 120
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) farms..	17 440	411	614	636	529	509
number..	21 730	827	894	872	698	715
40 horsepower (PTO) or more farms..	25 696	849	1 234	1 288	1 346	1 648
number..	43 656	3 015	3 517	3 561	3 184	3 405
40 to 99 horsepower (PTO) farms..	23 158	801	1 129	1 152	1 099	1 293
number..	33 604	1 910	2 346	2 253	1 952	2 133
100 horsepower (PTO) or more farms..	6 309	309	429	551	713	900
number..	10 052	1 105	1 171	1 308	1 232	1 272
Grain and bean combines farms..	3 446	174	320	459	474	539
number..	4 159	265	412	600	588	641
Cotton pickers and strippers farms..	3 311	270	537	797	688	576
number..	4 210	427	722	1 050	853	655
Mower conditioners farms..	8 209	206	276	354	359	420
number..	9 362	257	340	432	431	510
Pickup balers farms..	7 422	221	279	364	364	405
number..	8 914	282	341	458	446	507
AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS¹						
Commercial fertilizer farms..	23 845	542	993	1 300	1 492	1 648
acres on which used..	3 376 875	651 149	688 364	640 248	419 546	252 766
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—						
Insects on hay and other crops farms..	8 133	377	698	987	1 069	1 148
acres on which used..	1 831 337	447 864	492 635	431 309	223 079	114 787
Nematodes in crops farms..	2 369	151	226	307	388	461
acres on which used..	436 696	116 683	98 534	96 489	59 285	39 151
Diseases in crops and orchards farms..	3 845	194	323	452	530	635
acres on which used..	544 090	154 517	127 297	107 934	71 524	43 822
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture farms..	10 452	428	599	790	936	1 068
acres on which used..	1 893 674	421 829	397 937	387 864	251 803	147 353
Chemicals used on crops to control growth, thin fruit, or defoliate farms..	2 494	161	288	425	402	319
acres on which used..	683 132	180 219	179 398	169 877	82 047	33 628

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Table 52. Summary by Combined Government Payments and Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997—Con.

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

Item	\$25,000 to \$49,999	\$10,000 to \$24,999	\$5,000 to \$9,999	\$2,500 to \$4,999	\$1,000 to \$2,499	Less than \$1,000
LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE—Con.						
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured..... farms..	443	1 070	1 312	1 466	1 453	1 404
acres..	51 833	115 802	92 246	84 436	57 654	62 424
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. farms..	1 328	2 955	3 358	3 785	4 050	3 309
acres..	37 735	74 578	66 422	67 046	54 010	43 091
Irrigated land farms..	361	394	266	252	208	253
acres..	13 596	7 077	3 248	2 304	1 319	2 350
Harvested cropland irrigated farms..	352	381	244	221	196	231
acres..	12 286	6 451	2 683	1 481	1 206	1 553
Pasture and other land irrigated farms..	28	30	31	40	16	28
acres..	1 310	626	565	823	113	797
Land under Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs farms..	309	771	893	1 261	1 618	135
acres..	33 966	82 844	77 737	77 501	58 268	1 635
VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS¹						
Estimated market value of land and buildings farms..	2 375	5 326	5 899	6 619	6 966	4 997
\$1,000..	958 640	1 897 009	1 770 605	1 540 799	1 255 531	996 227
Average per farm dollars..	403 638	356 179	300 153	232 784	180 237	199 365
Average per acre dollars..	1 386	1 548	1 802	1 727	1 825	2 329
Farms by value group:						
\$1 to \$39,999	104	397	551	760	954	871
\$40,000 to \$69,999	150	425	642	695	977	639
\$70,000 to \$99,999	138	424	528	726	975	788
\$100,000 to \$149,999	347	700	775	1 046	1 254	719
\$150,000 to \$199,999	244	571	676	973	874	587
\$200,000 to \$499,999	904	1 753	1 789	1 732	1 467	1 036
\$500,000 to \$999,999	312	727	621	501	355	238
\$1,000,000 to \$1,999,999	132	250	262	154	93	77
\$2,000,000 to \$4,999,999	38	70	47	26	17	37
\$5,000,000 or more	6	9	8	6	-	5
VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT¹						
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment farms..	2 375	5 325	5 898	6 619	6 966	4 997
\$1,000..	81 564	156 006	139 656	133 524	129 331	96 518
Farms by value group:						
\$1 to \$4,999	165	446	785	1 089	1 523	975
\$5,000 to \$9,999	257	922	1 138	1 385	1 637	1 204
\$10,000 to \$19,999	558	1 254	1 658	1 949	1 641	1 238
\$20,000 to \$49,999	806	1 920	1 688	1 693	1 667	1 256
\$50,000 to \$99,999	435	522	404	352	352	235
\$100,000 to \$199,999	142	212	181	96	108	72
\$200,000 to \$499,999	12	42	44	55	35	13
\$500,000 or more	-	7	-	-	3	4
SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT¹						
Motortrucks, including pickups farms..	2 100	4 626	5 036	5 422	5 380	3 937
number..	4 359	8 352	8 208	8 150	7 795	5 775
Wheel tractors farms..	2 196	4 988	5 414	5 961	6 244	4 329
number..	4 346	8 764	8 675	8 665	8 468	5 780
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) farms..	859	2 173	2 697	3 067	3 364	2 581
number..	1 149	2 752	3 346	3 662	3 876	2 939
40 horsepower (PTO) or more farms..	1 851	3 893	3 893	3 780	3 622	2 293
number..	3 197	6 012	5 329	5 003	4 592	2 841
40 to 99 horsepower (PTO) farms..	1 585	3 515	3 622	3 515	3 368	2 079
number..	2 360	4 971	4 717	4 414	4 067	2 481
100 horsepower (PTO) or more farms..	710	879	528	531	449	310
number..	837	1 041	612	589	525	360
Grain and bean combines farms..	417	473	243	152	126	69
number..	468	541	272	166	137	69
Cotton pickers and strippers farms..	234	141	46	21	1	-
number..	268	167	46	(D)	(D)	-
Mower conditioners farms..	580	1 377	1 424	1 194	1 137	882
number..	672	1 536	1 624	1 345	1 264	951
Pickup balers farms..	586	1 514	1 361	1 108	784	436
number..	701	1 933	1 601	1 293	882	470
AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS¹						
Commercial fertilizer farms..	1 925	3 821	3 625	3 388	2 948	2 163
acres on which used..	178 005	230 709	133 972	90 060	56 483	35 573
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—						
Insects on hay and other crops farms..	1 070	1 096	711	345	281	351
acres on which used..	59 037	35 487	16 005	4 196	2 919	4 019
Nematodes in crops farms..	372	240	86	85	14	39
acres on which used..	17 756	5 132	1 124	1 230	67	1 245
Diseases in crops and orchards farms..	482	459	259	175	118	218
acres on which used..	19 916	10 008	4 145	1 737	836	2 354
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture farms..	1 165	1 747	1 330	1 021	784	584
acres on which used..	94 533	89 591	48 241	28 092	15 103	11 328
Chemicals used on crops to control growth, thin fruit, or defoliate farms..	433	218	90	57	28	73
acres on which used..	25 900	8 317	2 013	944	228	561

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Table 52. **Summary by Combined Government Payments and Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997—Con.**

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

Item	All farms	\$1,000,000 or more	\$500,000 to \$999,999	\$250,000 to \$499,999	\$100,000 to \$249,999	\$50,000 to \$99,999
TENURE AND RACE OF OPERATOR						
All operators	40 334	1 085	1 655	1 953	2 553	1 911
Full owners	28 569	628	968	992	1 147	906
Part owners	9 158	418	598	789	1 113	774
Tenants	2 607	39	89	172	293	231
White	39 005	1 078	1 632	1 928	2 506	1 855
Full owners	27 675	623	946	980	1 125	890
Part owners	8 842	416	597	779	1 093	742
Tenants	2 488	39	89	169	288	223
Black and other races	1 329	7	23	25	47	56
Full owners	894	5	22	12	22	16
Part owners	316	2	1	10	20	32
Tenants	119	—	—	3	5	8
OWNED AND RENTED LAND						
Land owned	farms.. 37 790	1 046	1 569	1 784	2 261	1 683
acres.. 8 546 975	782 512	863 369	876 030	901 302	901 302	537 927
Owned land in farms	farms.. 37 727	1 046	1 566	1 781	2 260	1 680
acres.. 7 909 640	754 291	843 150	855 264	855 835	855 835	490 904
Land rented or leased from others	farms.. 11 891	461	690	966	1 413	1 010
acres.. 2 825 244	442 395	491 572	532 797	470 359	214 469	
landlords	farms.. 31 031	2 149	3 272	4 311	5 304	2 725
Rented or leased land in farms	farms.. 11 765	457	687	961	1 406	1 005
acres.. 2 761 606	427 514	487 080	527 650	464 867	464 867	212 488
Land rented or leased to others	farms.. 5 094	113	121	136	233	242
acres.. 700 973	43 102	24 711	25 913	50 959	49 004	
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS						
Operators by place of residence:						
On farm operated	27 233	677	1 090	1 147	1 641	1 316
Not on farm operated	8 224	164	166	237	438	347
Not reported	4 877	244	399	569	474	248
Operators by principal occupation:						
Farming	17 523	946	1 361	1 633	2 084	1 320
Other	22 811	139	294	320	469	591
Operators by days worked off farm:						
None	15 060	656	847	999	1 399	891
Any	21 902	232	454	492	713	814
1 to 99 days	2 536	50	93	112	167	148
100 to 199 days	3 071	42	96	89	145	146
200 days or more	16 295	140	265	291	401	520
Not reported	3 372	197	354	462	441	206
Operators by years on present farm:						
2 years or less	2 045	36	66	54	103	82
3 or 4 years	2 681	71	89	73	141	123
5 to 9 years	5 453	158	202	166	265	220
10 years or more	21 026	514	791	974	1 404	1 091
Average years on present farm	19.4	17.5	18.3	20.8	21.2	21.2
Not reported	9 129	306	507	686	640	395
Operators by age group:						
Under 25 years	273	6	15	17	41	20
25 to 34 years	2 291	99	157	171	241	155
35 to 44 years	6 409	255	355	436	540	365
45 to 49 years	4 614	161	269	266	272	214
50 to 54 years	5 247	183	267	263	344	264
55 to 59 years	5 146	157	240	282	333	196
60 to 64 years	4 687	106	142	212	296	230
65 to 69 years	4 225	57	91	127	203	187
70 years and over	7 442	61	119	179	283	280
Average age	55.9	50.0	50.3	51.4	52.0	53.6
Operators by sex:						
Male	36 126	1 021	1 521	1 814	2 386	1 767
Female	4 208	64	134	139	167	144
Operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin (see text)						
	312	3	8	9	25	15
FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION						
Individual or family (sole proprietorship)	farms.. 35 206	707	1 193	1 464	2 000	1 515
acres.. 7 668 920	553 227	735 963	927 492	929 955	929 955	525 096
Partnership	farms.. 3 105	168	228	256	296	240
acres.. 1 657 274	335 139	289 411	267 379	204 037	118 839	
Corporation:						
Family held	farms.. 1 542	167	209	214	218	128
acres.. 1 123 671	246 380	283 778	178 312	150 161	49 315	
More than 10 stockholders	farms.. 29	10	5	4	3	
10 or less stockholders	farms.. 1 513	157	204	214	215	124
Other than family held	farms.. 164	35	21	15	18	13
acres.. 79 894	24 506	18 381	5 152	5 535	1 758	
More than 10 stockholders	farms.. 26	16	2	2	1	
10 or less stockholders	farms.. 138	19	19	13	18	12
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc.						
farms.. 317	8	4	4	21	15	
acres.. 141 487	22 553	2 697	4 579	31 014	8 384	

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Table 52. **Summary by Combined Government Payments and Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997—Con.**

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

Item	\$25,000 to \$49,999	\$10,000 to \$24,999	\$5,000 to \$9,999	\$2,500 to \$4,999	\$1,000 to \$2,499	Less than \$1,000
TENURE AND RACE OF OPERATOR						
All operators	2 249	5 010	5 651	6 411	6 709	5 147
Full owners	1 204	3 221	4 146	5 141	5 747	4 469
Part owners	778	1 379	1 214	936	689	470
Tenants	267	410	291	334	273	208
White	2 156	4 827	5 429	6 193	6 458	4 943
Full owners	1 164	3 129	3 989	4 989	5 542	4 298
Part owners	736	1 310	1 170	898	651	450
Tenants	256	388	270	306	265	195
Black and other races	93	183	222	218	251	204
Full owners	40	92	157	152	205	171
Part owners	42	69	44	38	38	20
Tenants	11	22	21	28	8	13
OWNED AND RENTED LAND						
Land owned	1 993	4 617	5 370	6 086	6 442	4 939
farms	558 693	1 087 307	926 976	888 402	671 462	452 995
acres	1 982	4 600	5 360	6 077	6 436	4 939
Owned land in farms	503 999	977 899	839 795	773 938	601 356	413 209
acres	1 052	1 817	1 524	1 293	980	685
Land rented or leased from others	170 539	211 313	124 231	81 403	49 607	36 559
farms	2 470	3 460	2 708	2 004	1 603	1 025
acres	1 045	1 789	1 505	1 270	962	678
Rented or leased land in farms	164 088	198 650	119 365	77 305	48 037	34 562
acres	363	834	783	896	886	487
Land rented or leased to others	61 145	122 071	92 047	118 562	71 676	41 783
acres	OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS					
Operators by place of residence:						
On farm operated	1 489	3 400	3 966	4 342	4 511	3 654
Not on farm operated	517	1 156	1 173	1 500	1 589	937
Not reported	243	454	512	569	609	556
Operators by principal occupation:						
Farming	1 311	2 281	2 066	1 880	1 557	1 084
Other	938	2 729	3 585	4 531	5 152	4 063
Operators by days worked off farm:						
None	953	1 792	1 926	2 079	2 181	1 337
Any	1 120	2 876	3 375	3 994	4 241	3 591
1 to 99 days	190	380	339	387	383	287
100 to 199 days	208	474	480	523	484	384
200 days or more	722	2 022	2 556	3 084	3 374	2 920
Not reported	176	342	350	338	287	219
Operators by years on present farm:						
2 years or less	125	192	269	348	375	395
3 or 4 years	128	310	322	433	479	512
5 to 9 years	280	653	821	913	978	797
10 years or more	1 272	2 869	3 158	3 354	3 375	2 224
Average years on present farm	21.4	21.8	20.3	19.2	18.1	15.3
Not reported	444	986	1 081	1 363	1 502	1 219
Operators by age group:						
Under 25 years	40	35	31	18	31	19
25 to 34 years	129	219	238	289	306	287
35 to 44 years	346	685	741	809	991	886
45 to 49 years	230	504	561	683	777	677
50 to 54 years	274	585	715	770	830	752
55 to 59 years	262	589	718	816	843	710
60 to 64 years	270	606	693	787	782	563
65 to 69 years	274	614	636	788	771	477
70 years and over	424	1 173	1 318	1 451	1 378	776
Average age	56.0	57.8	58.1	58.1	57.1	54.8
Operators by sex:						
Male	2 094	4 578	5 122	5 631	5 791	4 401
Female	155	432	529	780	918	746
Operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin (see text)						
	20	32	47	49	51	53
FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION						
Individual or family (sole proprietorship)	1 868	4 405	5 129	5 916	6 218	4 791
farms	530 971	978 195	812 967	732 124	577 158	365 772
acres	245	408	371	344	326	223
Partnership	79 549	107 674	97 896	76 239	49 180	31 931
acres	Corporation:					
Family held	100	145	92	92	79	98
farms	34 037	72 674	31 293	32 106	8 918	36 697
acres	1	3	1	1	2	2
More than 10 stockholders	99	142	92	91	79	96
10 or less stockholders	Other than family held					
farms	13	7	10	12	11	9
acres	13 868	1 117	2 461	1 324	3 051	2 741
More than 10 stockholders	1	1	1	1	2	1
10 or less stockholders	13	7	9	11	9	8
farms	Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc.					
farms	23	45	49	47	75	26
acres	9 662	16 889	14 543	9 450	11 086	10 630

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Table 52. Summary by Combined Government Payments and Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997—Con.

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

Item	All farms	\$1,000,000 or more	\$500,000 to \$999,999	\$250,000 to \$499,999	\$100,000 to \$249,999	\$50,000 to \$99,999
LIVESTOCK—Con.						
Cattle and calves sold	farms .. 21 015	482	721	885	1 056	821
	number .. 613 950	69 783	57 331	57 588	71 569	52 635
	\$1,000 .. 224 422	25 716	24 470	22 560	29 523	20 858
Calves	farms .. 16 827	356	533	676	744	592
	number .. 331 958	28 867	24 392	27 194	29 515	24 727
	\$1,000 .. 87 230	5 268	6 887	6 779	8 380	7 003
Cattle	farms .. 12 395	300	448	544	690	557
	number .. 281 992	40 916	32 939	30 394	42 054	27 908
	\$1,000 .. 137 192	20 448	17 583	15 781	21 143	13 855
Fattened on grain and concentrates	farms .. 731	15	15	20	41	49
	number .. 12 394	2 113	1 607	505	1 863	1 601
	\$1,000 .. 7 844	1 181	1 020	272	1 150	1 122
Hogs and pigs inventory	farms .. 1 764	48	74	136	191	149
	number .. 514 029	186 297	86 900	91 220	70 701	26 377
Farms with—						
1 to 24	793	3	9	14	20	25
25 to 49	233	2	4	10	4	18
50 to 99	195	1	2	13	21	27
100 to 199	147	—	7	13	26	26
200 to 499	194	4	14	30	75	34
500 or more	202	38	38	56	45	19
Used or to be used for breeding	farms .. 1 244	40	45	104	151	117
	number .. 79 942	31 402	9 882	14 591	10 464	3 814
Other	farms .. 1 621	45	73	130	189	144
	number .. 434 087	154 895	77 018	76 629	60 237	22 563
Hogs and pigs sold	farms .. 1 561	49	77	134	186	154
	number .. 1 030 187	423 729	166 305	190 154	134 692	53 362
	\$1,000 .. 105 395	46 846	18 290	17 439	12 537	4 623
Feeder pigs	farms .. 206	6	8	14	12	18
	number .. 148 115	34 710	21 724	43 047	21 729	15 021
	\$1,000 .. 5 549	1 864	(D)	1 178	551	517
Litters of pigs farrowed between—						
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30	farms .. 1 312	39	50	105	156	124
	number .. 110 872	46 164	13 256	20 492	14 895	6 027
Dec. 1 and May 31	farms .. 1 212	39	48	103	152	117
	number .. 56 575	22 872	7 355	10 287	7 571	3 115
June 1 and Nov. 30	farms .. 1 098	37	45	103	149	117
	number .. 54 297	23 292	5 901	10 205	7 324	2 912
Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory	farms .. 335	6	6	11	10	7
	number .. 7 318	(D)	170	216	290	(D)
Ewes 1 year old or older	farms .. 242	3	7	7	9	5
	number .. 4 467	(D)	121	113	180	(D)
Sheep and lambs sold	farms .. 223	1	4	7	9	4
	number .. 6 103	(D)	146	98	904	(D)
Sheep and lambs shorn	farms .. 168	—	3	6	8	3
	number .. 5 099	—	(D)	184	177	(D)
	pounds of wool .. 32 628	—	(D)	1 190	1 358	(D)
Horses and ponies inventory	farms .. 5 881	100	163	148	200	155
	number .. 35 320	416	719	628	1 639	1 269
Horses and ponies sold	farms .. 1 283	4	19	15	33	31
	number .. 4 765	24	249	66	537	278
Goats inventory	farms .. 1 809	11	25	33	45	45
	number .. 36 637	118	838	648	1 329	1 050
Goats sold	farms .. 803	2	8	8	21	20
	number .. 16 113	(D)	(D)	175	428	663
POULTRY						
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text)	farms .. 1 295	61	65	128	252	130
	number .. 21 525 495	8 113 837	2 589 963	3 225 489	4 959 706	1 925 735
Farms with—						
1 to 399	604	—	1	4	6	9
400 to 3,199	6	—	—	—	—	1
3,200 to 9,999	129	1	1	3	48	25
10,000 to 19,999	221	1	3	54	89	62
20,000 to 49,999	245	2	49	56	98	33
50,000 to 99,999	56	28	9	8	11	—
100,000 or more	34	29	2	3	—	—
Layers 20 weeks old and older	farms .. 1 122	61	61	112	190	86
	number .. 16 295 617	7 962 780	2 107 963	2 137 089	2 746 201	973 235
Pullets 13 weeks old and older but less than 20 weeks old	farms .. 302	3	7	20	66	45
	number .. 5 229 878	151 057	482 000	1 088 400	2 213 505	952 500
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold (see text)	farms .. 909	45	73	133	299	169
	number .. 28 533 425	6 390 091	4 295 521	4 845 851	8 617 359	3 320 813
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold	farms .. 2 245	614	817	518	223	27
	number .. 1 017 501 305	566 629 307	309 778 271	106 752 207	26 614 028	3 252 757
Farms with—						
1 to 1,999	28	—	—	—	—	—
2,000 to 59,999	54	—	—	—	17	20
60,000 to 99,999	101	—	—	2	97	2
100,000 or more	2 062	614	817	516	109	5
Turkey hens kept for breeding	farms .. 83	—	—	—	1	2
	number .. 272	—	—	—	(D)	(D)
Turkeys sold	farms .. 25	2	3	1	—	—
	number .. 186 411	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	—

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 52. Summary by Combined Government Payments and Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997—Con.

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

Item	\$25,000 to \$49,999	\$10,000 to \$24,999	\$5,000 to \$9,999	\$2,500 to \$4,999	\$1,000 to \$2,499	Less than \$1,000
LIVESTOCK—Con.						
Cattle and calves sold	farms.. 1 110	3 170	3 821	4 051	3 498	1 400
	number.. 60 508	105 723	71 171	43 450	20 246	3 946
	\$1,000.. 22 317	36 629	22 871	13 023	5 586	869
Calves	farms.. 817	2 527	3 227	3 380	2 913	1 062
	number.. 32 217	65 686	48 791	31 423	15 832	3 314
	\$1,000.. 8 979	18 441	13 219	7 939	3 727	608
Cattle	farms.. 772	2 175	2 435	2 350	1 639	485
	number.. 28 291	40 037	22 380	12 027	4 414	632
	\$1,000.. 13 338	18 188	9 653	5 084	1 859	261
Fattened on grain and concentrates	farms.. 54	155	167	111	88	16
	number.. 1 296	1 883	1 000	350	159	17
	\$1,000.. 870	1 220	661	238	100	10
Hogs and pigs inventory	farms.. 181	256	203	183	170	173
	number.. 26 747	14 233	5 336	3 078	2 264	876
Farms with—						
1 to 24	37	105	132	131	147	170
25 to 49	38	51	35	49	19	3
50 to 99	40	55	31	2	3	—
100 to 199	41	32	2	—	—	—
200 to 499	20	12	3	1	1	—
500 or more	5	1	—	—	—	—
Used or to be used for breeding	farms.. 148	204	145	125	100	65
	number.. 4 981	2 454	1 031	674	478	171
Other	farms.. 163	234	173	158	154	158
	number.. 21 766	11 779	4 305	2 404	1 786	705
Hogs and pigs sold	farms.. 173	256	182	160	132	58
	number.. 28 428	19 022	7 870	3 958	2 304	363
	\$1,000.. 2 584	1 882	660	348	158	26
Feeder pigs	farms.. 21	27	23	27	38	12
	number.. 4 958	2 658	2 188	880	1 063	137
	\$1,000.. 144	97	72	26	27	(D)
Litters of pigs farrowed between—						
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30	farms.. 151	219	156	133	107	72
	number.. 5 076	2 627	1 155	628	409	143
Dec. 1 and May 31	farms.. 144	198	138	126	88	59
	number.. 2 669	1 422	610	365	226	83
June 1 and Nov. 30	farms.. 135	185	118	97	72	40
	number.. 2 407	1 205	545	263	183	60
Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory	farms.. 17	40	50	53	67	68
	number.. 297	1 009	1 126	926	1 293	786
Ewes 1 year old or older	farms.. 11	26	33	47	47	49
	number.. 236	587	524	596	701	399
Sheep and lambs sold	farms.. 11	33	31	37	45	41
	number.. 158	744	822	732	819	270
Sheep and lambs shorn	farms.. 7	20	21	37	31	32
	number.. 230	779	567	767	782	451
	pounds of wool.. 807	4 028	3 333	5 147	5 244	2 472
Horses and ponies inventory	farms.. 204	656	778	921	944	1 612
	number.. 1 560	4 559	4 165	4 784	4 209	11 372
Horses and ponies sold	farms.. 55	221	256	285	295	69
	number.. 431	1 094	779	639	574	94
Goats inventory	farms.. 52	193	228	315	347	515
	number.. 1 439	4 267	5 153	6 568	6 039	9 188
Goats sold	farms.. 30	97	83	162	186	186
	number.. 1 017	2 244	1 834	3 109	2 774	1 831
POULTRY						
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text)	farms.. 85	53	77	91	160	193
	number.. 611 479	31 816	10 262	(D)	3 765	(D)
Farms with—						
1 to 399	23	45	74	91	160	191
400 to 3,199	—	4	1	—	—	—
3,200 to 9,999	45	4	2	—	—	—
10,000 to 19,999	12	—	—	—	—	—
20,000 to 49,999	5	—	—	—	—	2
50,000 to 99,999	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 or more	—	—	—	—	—	—
Layers 20 weeks old and older	farms.. 64	50	75	88	153	182
	number.. 349 078	8 666	3 104	1 925	2 925	2 651
Pullets 13 weeks old and older but less than 20 weeks old	farms.. 25	14	19	19	45	39
	number.. 262 401	23 150	7 158	(D)	840	(D)
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold (see text)	farms.. 80	25	15	25	29	16
	number.. 772 862	127 059	88 295	66 344	8 657	573
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold	farms.. 11	10	7	7	4	7
	number.. 187 950	81 521	3 411	332	(D)	(D)
Farms with—						
1 to 1,999	2	3	6	7	4	6
2,000 to 59,999	9	7	1	—	—	—
60,000 to 99,999	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 or more	—	—	—	—	—	1
Turkey hens kept for breeding	farms.. —	7	3	12	30	28
	number.. —	36	15	58	74	82
Turkeys sold	farms.. 1	2	3	1	1	1
	number.. (D)	(D)	23	(D)	75	(D)

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Table 52. Summary by Combined Government Payments and Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997—Con.

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

Item	All farms	\$1,000,000 or more	\$500,000 to \$999,999	\$250,000 to \$499,999	\$100,000 to \$249,999	\$50,000 to \$99,999	
SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED							
Corn for grain or seed	farms ..	5 196	191	393	557	766	555
	acres ..	404 268	58 126	84 359	78 816	77 265	36 578
	bushels ..	40 568 303	7 126 994	9 610 700	8 309 537	7 347 257	3 287 942
Irrigated	farms ..	923	90	171	184	221	106
	acres ..	110 642	30 734	31 827	21 825	17 188	5 374
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres		2 036	17	36	58	97	103
25 to 99 acres		1 949	40	93	188	349	346
100 to 249 acres		864	57	140	224	265	103
250 to 499 acres		258	41	87	73	53	3
500 acres or more		89	36	37	14	2	-
Corn for silage or green chop	farms ..	330	40	38	61	44	21
	acres ..	32 304	12 652	5 393	6 443	4 343	1 071
	tons, green ..	503 805	215 236	89 617	91 720	62 924	12 916
Irrigated	farms ..	101	21	22	27	12	3
	acres ..	11 914	5 500	2 120	2 760	985	130
Sorghum for grain or seed	farms ..	360	29	45	71	79	40
	acres ..	27 786	8 128	4 661	5 727	5 205	1 418
	bushels ..	1 314 386	477 764	205 335	252 176	226 131	52 558
Irrigated	farms ..	32	7	9	6	6	-
	acres ..	3 899	(D)	207	406	196	-
Wheat for grain	farms ..	2 115	127	223	314	412	280
	acres ..	299 188	47 265	61 521	60 353	61 455	28 856
	bushels ..	12 691 834	2 259 035	2 758 745	2 697 716	2 516 349	1 104 763
Irrigated	farms ..	170	20	33	36	47	22
	acres ..	19 000	5 087	5 083	3 541	3 921	822
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres		313	4	10	8	20	29
25 to 99 acres		875	18	48	96	169	143
100 to 249 acres		573	34	71	131	149	83
250 to 499 acres		239	34	56	56	60	22
500 acres or more		115	37	38	23	14	3
Oats for grain	farms ..	554	24	56	84	103	72
	acres ..	22 341	1 626	4 077	4 475	4 678	2 354
	bushels ..	1 243 367	91 415	234 841	263 002	254 328	130 069
Irrigated	farms ..	31	2	6	11	5	3
	acres ..	1 921	(D)	591	948	137	110
Cotton	farms ..	4 188	271	543	856	1 053	570
	acres ..	1 367 620	326 055	368 817	345 117	221 889	62 773
	bales ..	1 764 127	477 745	484 140	431 836	257 132	70 845
Irrigated	farms ..	1 150	138	232	285	296	118
	acres ..	276 348	102 134	75 502	53 826	34 165	7 744
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres		293	1	1	2	15	22
25 to 99 acres		1 048	14	19	35	159	262
100 to 249 acres		1 156	23	49	195	543	264
250 to 499 acres		842	29	129	368	294	21
500 acres or more		849	204	345	256	42	1
Tobacco	farms ..	1 180	81	145	234	322	178
	acres ..	41 083	9 345	9 710	10 280	8 335	2 102
	pounds ..	85 789 611	20 651 710	20 824 343	21 150 648	16 399 142	4 327 143
Irrigated	farms ..	385	43	57	81	126	53
	acres ..	15 100	4 053	3 925	3 282	2 971	663
Farms by acres harvested:							
0.1 to 0.9 acres		14	-	-	1	1	3
1.0 to 1.9 acres		35	-	-	1	1	5
2.0 to 2.9 acres		46	-	-	4	3	8
3.0 to 4.9 acres		67	1	2	2	7	16
5.0 to 9.9 acres		172	2	4	16	34	41
10.0 to 24.9 acres		325	11	12	37	135	93
25.0 acres or more		521	67	126	174	141	12
Soybeans for beans	farms ..	2 864	143	235	402	544	384
	acres ..	351 359	48 053	57 269	74 058	79 397	35 055
	bushels ..	7 078 444	1 142 577	1 208 469	1 537 011	1 597 674	659 615
Irrigated	farms ..	279	38	39	60	78	30
	acres ..	29 059	12 967	4 125	4 357	5 720	1 056
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres		579	9	17	37	48	54
25 to 99 acres		1 230	34	59	135	205	199
100 to 249 acres		706	37	84	138	202	111
250 to 499 acres		237	35	43	60	70	19
500 acres or more		112	28	32	32	19	1
Potatoes, excluding sweetpotatoes	farms ..	61	3	3	5	1	2
	acres ..	1 054	668	(D)	138	(D)	(D)
	cwt ..	224 753	(D)	(D)	8 499	(D)	(D)
Irrigated	farms ..	9	1	-	-	1	2
	acres ..	(D)	(D)	-	-	(D)	(D)
Sweetpotatoes	farms ..	87	1	2	1	5	12
	acres ..	665	(D)	(D)	(D)	18	81
	bushels ..	163 180	(D)	(D)	(D)	3 600	13 856
Irrigated	farms ..	12	1	2	-	-	3
	acres ..	313	(D)	(D)	-	-	44

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Table 52. Summary by Combined Government Payments and Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997—Con.

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

Item	\$25,000 to \$49,999	\$10,000 to \$24,999	\$5,000 to \$9,999	\$2,500 to \$4,999	\$1,000 to \$2,499	Less than \$1,000
SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED						
Corn for grain or seed	farms .. 525	739	539	428	322	181
	acres .. 26 386	23 032	10 212	5 619	2 983	892
	bushels .. 2 129 030	1 651 279	627 690	310 118	139 418	28 338
Irrigated	farms .. 53	49	12	11	13	13
	acres .. 1 970	1 322	215	103	43	41
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres	147	337	370	382	308	181
25 to 99 acres	317	389	167	46	14	—
100 to 249 acres	60	13	2	—	—	—
250 to 499 acres	1	—	—	—	—	—
500 acres or more	—	—	—	—	—	—
Corn for silage or green chop	farms .. 20	32	29	14	19	12
	acres .. 785	702	390	95	300	130
	tons, green .. 8 891	10 576	4 648	1 255	4 314	1 708
Irrigated	farms .. 6	3	4	3	—	—
	acres .. 295	79	36	9	—	—
Sorghum for grain or seed	farms .. 33	27	13	10	11	2
	acres .. 1 424	751	175	(D)	130	(D)
	bushels .. 59 672	23 682	6 326	5 418	(D)	(D)
Irrigated	farms .. 3	1	—	1	—	—
	acres .. 80	(D)	—	(D)	—	—
Wheat for grain	farms .. 265	264	107	70	45	8
	acres .. 19 369	14 692	3 030	1 794	773	80
	bushels .. 692 978	487 318	107 662	47 461	18 054	1 753
Irrigated	farms .. 7	2	1	—	2	—
	acres .. 405	(D)	(D)	—	(D)	—
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres	42	62	49	43	38	8
25 to 99 acres	150	161	58	25	7	—
100 to 249 acres	64	39	—	2	—	—
250 to 499 acres	9	2	—	—	—	—
500 acres or more	—	—	—	—	—	—
Oats for grain	farms .. 53	79	37	29	10	7
	acres .. 1 780	1 924	811	446	116	54
	bushels .. 101 053	106 016	33 600	22 052	5 031	1 960
Irrigated	farms .. 3	—	—	1	—	—
	acres .. 50	—	—	(D)	—	—
Cotton	farms .. 419	331	104	26	12	3
	acres .. 27 627	12 592	2 213	450	75	12
	bales .. 28 048	12 089	1 944	286	56	6
Irrigated	farms .. 55	18	6	—	—	2
	acres .. 2 420	512	(D)	—	—	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres	41	102	72	22	12	3
25 to 99 acres	302	221	32	4	—	—
100 to 249 acres	74	8	—	—	—	—
250 to 499 acres	1	—	—	—	—	—
500 acres or more	1	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco	farms .. 94	81	28	16	1	—
	acres .. 842	384	65	(D)	(D)	—
	pounds .. 1 582 107	706 146	115 551	(D)	(D)	—
Irrigated	farms .. 21	4	—	—	—	—
	acres .. 186	20	—	—	—	—
Farms by acres harvested:						
0.1 to 0.9 acres	—	2	2	5	—	—
1.0 to 1.9 acres	2	7	10	8	1	—
2.0 to 2.9 acres	7	15	6	3	—	—
3.0 to 4.9 acres	12	19	8	—	—	—
5.0 to 9.9 acres	40	33	2	—	—	—
10.0 to 24.9 acres	32	5	—	—	—	—
25.0 acres or more	1	—	—	—	—	—
Soybeans for beans	farms .. 368	396	199	94	80	19
	acres .. 25 330	21 480	6 676	2 359	1 447	235
	bushels .. 434 698	347 167	102 971	30 208	15 791	2 263
Irrigated	farms .. 14	15	4	1	—	—
	acres .. 373	395	(D)	(D)	—	—
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres	91	92	91	59	63	18
25 to 99 acres	192	255	101	32	17	1
100 to 249 acres	76	48	7	3	—	—
250 to 499 acres	9	1	—	—	—	—
500 acres or more	—	—	—	—	—	—
Potatoes, excluding sweetpotatoes	farms .. 8	9	15	5	8	2
	acres .. 21	8	19	5	6	(D)
	cwt .. 1 720	1 262	2 130	403	285	(D)
Irrigated	farms .. 3	—	1	1	—	—
	acres .. 5	—	(D)	(D)	—	—
Sweetpotatoes	farms .. 9	18	19	9	6	5
	acres .. 36	37	43	13	4	5
	bushels .. 6 130	4 072	4 815	2 529	468	420
Irrigated	farms .. 2	2	1	1	—	—
	acres .. (D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	—

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 52. **Summary by Combined Government Payments and Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997—Con.**

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

Item	All farms	\$1,000,000 or more	\$500,000 to \$999,999	\$250,000 to \$499,999	\$100,000 to \$249,999	\$50,000 to \$99,999
SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED—						
Con.						
Peanuts for nuts	farms.. 4 695	266	536	822	1 062	646
	acres.. 511 954	105 657	132 860	126 661	90 302	28 645
	pounds.. 1 284 532 488	300 803 425	360 556 998	303 945 528	209 050 701	60 625 974
Irrigated	farms.. 1 236	123	221	263	331	167
	acres.. 133 543	41 546	38 074	25 631	19 771	5 856
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres	1 380	13	17	52	149	178
25 to 99 acres	1 753	36	104	242	565	425
100 to 249 acres	1 004	68	189	380	313	43
250 to 499 acres	396	64	166	133	33	—
500 acres or more	162	85	60	15	2	—
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) ...	farms.. 14 066	383	557	641	739	621
	acres.. 553 243	37 825	35 981	43 022	50 437	42 476
	tons, dry.. 1 340 678	103 188	106 407	115 644	144 922	108 754
Irrigated	farms.. 353	33	25	49	39	38
	acres.. 18 442	6 816	1 842	2 685	1 738	1 059
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres	7 487	105	215	208	286	178
25 to 99 acres	5 285	168	228	280	298	286
100 to 249 acres	1 089	77	85	132	113	135
250 to 499 acres	176	25	26	16	37	21
500 acres or more	29	8	3	5	5	1
Tame hay other than alfalfa, small grain, and wild hay (see text)	farms.. 12 475	351	509	590	679	559
	acres.. 465 283	27 947	28 745	33 538	43 941	36 929
	tons, dry.. 1 173 278	81 086	89 448	94 980	131 808	100 114
Irrigated	farms.. 289	24	20	42	35	35
	acres.. 10 427	1 654	959	2 018	1 606	914
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)	farms.. 1 797	130	163	190	254	194
	acres.. 118 806	60 294	21 130	13 294	12 073	5 678
Irrigated	farms.. 716	75	80	93	142	99
	acres.. 66 889	36 603	11 621	7 043	6 875	3 017
Farms by acres harvested:						
0.1 to 4.9 acres	493	2	2	8	13	11
5.0 to 24.9 acres	607	7	27	44	77	94
25.0 to 99.9 acres	434	23	56	88	134	84
100.0 to 249.9 acres	152	22	54	43	26	5
250.0 acres or more	111	76	24	7	4	—
Land in orchards	farms.. 3 541	89	147	182	245	182
	acres.. 155 984	45 062	26 517	21 268	21 279	10 628
Irrigated	farms.. 748	26	37	48	65	59
	acres.. 52 584	11 391	13 187	8 371	8 046	4 538
Farms by bearing and nonbearing acres:						
0.1 to 4.9 acres	1 231	12	19	32	31	28
5.0 to 24.9 acres	1 546	20	46	61	94	57
25.0 to 99.9 acres	511	21	37	38	56	60
100.0 to 249.9 acres	125	9	12	19	38	30
250.0 acres or more	128	27	33	32	26	7
Peaches	farms.. 360	15	8	9	13	14
Bearing and nonbearing	acres.. 20 694	15 787	1 411	1 275	877	250
	pounds.. 140 547 189	124 384 363	9 680 300	1 372 806	2 134 750	1 572 010
Pecans	farms.. 3 093	82	140	171	223	163
Bearing and nonbearing	acres.. 131 873	29 251	24 811	19 538	19 824	10 064
	In shell	pounds.. 85 938 718	24 935 806	17 732 042	15 288 034	6 535 949

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 52. **Summary by Combined Government Payments and Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997—Con.**

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

Item	\$25,000 to \$49,999	\$10,000 to \$24,999	\$5,000 to \$9,999	\$2,500 to \$4,999	\$1,000 to \$2,499	Less than \$1,000
SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED—						
Con.						
Peanuts for nuts						
farms..	529	532	189	74	27	12
acres..	15 454	9 628	1 992	597	116	42
pounds..	29 132 879	16 510 051	2 954 669	781 658	140 004	30 601
Irrigated						
farms..	71	44	7	4	3	2
acres..	1 749	782	88	37	(D)	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres	266	412	182	72	27	12
25 to 99 acres	256	116	7	2	—	—
100 to 249 acres	7	4	—	—	—	—
250 to 499 acres	—	—	—	—	—	—
500 acres or more	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) ...						
farms..	791	2 363	2 546	2 366	1 799	1 260
acres..	54 187	104 331	77 543	53 894	33 813	19 734
tons, dry..	132 424	253 931	172 455	112 907	59 504	30 542
Irrigated						
farms..	33	35	33	27	20	21
acres..	1 262	981	1 089	532	209	229
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres	226	855	1 352	1 636	1 376	1 050
25 to 99 acres	370	1 282	1 101	675	395	202
100 to 249 acres	169	203	87	53	28	7
250 to 499 acres	22	20	6	2	—	1
500 acres or more	4	3	—	—	—	—
Tame hay other than alfalfa, small grain, and wild hay (see text)						
farms..	722	2 153	2 288	2 060	1 535	1 029
acres..	46 245	92 061	67 356	44 846	27 652	16 023
tons, dry..	115 537	230 802	153 889	98 910	50 639	26 065
Irrigated						
farms..	29	32	29	15	17	11
acres..	856	883	972	305	120	140
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)						
farms..	179	264	211	109	53	50
acres..	2 781	2 202	871	285	147	52
Irrigated						
farms..	54	63	45	37	15	13
acres..	986	427	174	86	44	12
Farms by acres harvested:						
0.1 to 4.9 acres	28	89	146	96	48	50
5.0 to 24.9 acres	114	164	63	13	4	—
25.0 to 99.9 acres	36	10	2	—	1	—
100.0 to 249.9 acres	1	1	—	—	—	—
250.0 acres or more	—	—	—	—	—	—
Land in orchards						
farms..	244	426	379	374	390	883
acres..	8 214	5 899	4 246	2 898	3 206	6 767
Irrigated						
farms..	48	85	73	73	68	166
acres..	2 140	1 567	835	536	729	1 245
Farms by bearing and nonbearing acres:						
0.1 to 4.9 acres	47	144	146	169	180	423
5.0 to 24.9 acres	84	201	192	181	193	417
25.0 to 99.9 acres	101	79	38	24	16	41
100.0 to 249.9 acres	10	2	3	—	—	2
250.0 acres or more	2	—	—	—	1	—
Peaches						
farms..	16	44	42	38	38	123
Bearing and nonbearing...acres..	229	175	97	106	163	323
pounds..	627 910	386 849	201 229	119 543	48 575	18 854
Pecans						
farms..	227	379	333	318	334	723
Bearing and nonbearing...acres..	7 771	5 550	4 027	2 673	2 587	5 778
In shell...pounds..	4 754 536	2 058 023	1 120 057	575 897	464 426	170 808

¹Data are based on a sample of farms.

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