

**Table 48. Summary by Age and Principal Occupation of Operator: 1997**

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

Item	Total farming and other occupations	Farming						
		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
<b>FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS</b>								
Farms .....	5 473	3 052	17	133	520	791	567	1 024
number .....								
percent .....	100.0	55.8	.3	2.4	9.5	14.5	10.4	18.7
Land in farms .....	1 439 071	1 206 020	1 052	8 782	111 688	563 003	296 842	224 653
acres .....								
Average size of farm .....	263	395	62	66	215	712	524	219
acres .....								
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD</b>								
Total sales (see text) .....	5 473	3 052	17	133	520	791	567	1 024
farms .....								
\$1,000 .....	496 935	428 972	1 028	6 955	50 011	226 846	80 024	64 108
dollars .....								
Average per farm .....	90 798	140 555	60 498	52 293	96 175	286 784	141 136	62 605
dollars .....								
Farms by value of sales:								
Less than \$1,000 (see text) .....	816	280	1	10	21	73	58	117
\$1,000 to \$2,499 .....	822	282	—	8	31	45	53	145
\$2,500 to \$4,999 .....	743	322	1	12	38	35	59	177
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	797	424	2	16	44	96	86	180
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....	764	509	4	20	87	129	98	171
\$20,000 to \$24,999 .....	225	168	—	7	33	52	33	43
\$25,000 to \$39,999 .....	383	270	1	16	66	85	40	62
\$40,000 to \$49,999 .....	152	128	2	9	31	39	22	25
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	323	273	4	19	72	87	49	42
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....	229	201	1	12	48	72	39	29
\$250,000 to \$499,999 .....	105	93	1	2	29	31	13	17
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....	50	47	—	1	13	17	8	8
\$1,000,000 to \$2,499,999 .....	38	32	—	1	5	17	4	5
\$2,500,000 to \$4,999,999 .....	10	9	—	—	2	5	1	1
\$5,000,000 or more .....	16	14	—	—	—	8	4	2
Grains .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms .....								
\$1,000 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms .....								
\$1,000 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Corn for grain .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms .....								
\$1,000 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wheat .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms .....								
\$1,000 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Soybeans .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms .....								
\$1,000 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sorghum for grain .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms .....								
\$1,000 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Barley .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms .....								
\$1,000 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Oats .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms .....								
\$1,000 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other grains .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms .....								
\$1,000 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton and cottonseed .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms .....								
\$1,000 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms .....								
\$1,000 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms .....								
\$1,000 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms .....								
\$1,000 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hay, silage, and field seeds .....	7	7	—	1	—	4	1	1
farms .....								
\$1,000 .....	797	797	—	(D)	—	120	(D)	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	3	3	—	1	—	1	—	1
farms .....								
\$1,000 .....	732	732	—	(D)	—	(D)	—	(D)
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons .....	656	479	2	25	91	151	90	120
farms .....								
\$1,000 .....	33 702	31 675	(D)	(D)	7 123	15 547	4 398	3 734
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	111	103	1	5	28	39	17	13
farms .....								
\$1,000 .....	27 792	26 632	(D)	(D)	5 954	13 932	3 481	2 661
Fruits, nuts, and berries .....	2 248	1 253	3	47	201	298	234	470
farms .....								
\$1,000 .....	174 573	163 112	48	1 464	12 760	85 538	32 282	31 020
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	184	161	—	9	43	53	29	27
farms .....								
\$1,000 .....	156 232	151 080	—	934	10 688	82 529	30 091	26 838
Nursery and greenhouse crops .....	1 428	848	6	38	160	246	157	241
farms .....								
\$1,000 .....	83 159	66 741	507	1 666	17 155	25 663	13 396	8 353
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	279	235	1	11	68	89	39	27
farms .....								
\$1,000 .....	70 973	58 804	(D)	(D)	15 383	23 156	11 965	6 634
Other crops .....	432	284	7	18	69	77	49	64
farms .....								
\$1,000 .....	109 180	(D)	(D)	1 181	4 300	68 667	12 529	1 256
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	64	59	2	5	19	18	9	6
farms .....								
\$1,000 .....	105 488	(D)	(D)	953	3 651	67 807	12 063	789
Poultry and poultry products .....	90	57	—	3	10	19	12	13
farms .....								
\$1,000 .....	17 999	14 728	—	(D)	33	3 179	(D)	9 170
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	14	11	—	1	—	3	1	6
farms .....								
\$1,000 .....	17 858	14 606	—	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	9 165
Dairy products .....	16	16	—	—	4	6	3	3
farms .....								
\$1,000 .....	29 058	29 058	—	—	5 954	9 289	(D)	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	14	14	—	—	4	5	2	3
farms .....								
\$1,000 .....	(D)	(D)	—	—	5 954	(D)	(D)	(D)
Cattle and calves .....	660	333	2	7	31	70	59	164
farms .....								
\$1,000 .....	27 895	23 731	(D)	144	(D)	14 157	2 981	5 527
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	56	47	—	1	3	15	10	18
farms .....								
\$1,000 .....	24 376	21 641	—	(D)	(D)	13 738	2 527	4 677

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Item	Other occupations						
	Total	Age of operator (years)					
		Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
<b>FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS</b>							
Farms .....	2 421	14	94	525	872	466	450
number ..							
percent ..	44.2	.3	1.7	9.6	15.9	8.5	8.2
Land in farms .....	233 051	140	1 591	29 121	81 597	80 650	39 952
acres ..							
Average size of farm .....	96	10	17	55	94	173	89
acres ..							
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD</b>							
Total sales (see text) .....	2 421	14	94	525	872	466	450
farms ..							
\$1,000 ..	67 963	103	2 571	6 516	22 284	30 200	6 289
Average per farm .....	28 072	7 370	27 351	12 411	25 555	64 806	13 976
dollars ..							
Farms by value of sales:							
Less than \$1,000 (see text) .....	536	2	26	114	202	94	98
\$1,000 to \$2,499 .....	540	1	20	107	181	101	130
\$2,500 to \$4,999 .....	421	7	15	83	154	73	89
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	373	2	14	96	117	79	65
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....	255	—	8	63	105	59	20
\$20,000 to \$24,999 .....	57	1	1	7	30	7	11
\$25,000 to \$39,999 .....	113	—	4	27	37	28	17
\$40,000 to \$49,999 .....	24	1	2	3	12	2	4
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	50	—	2	12	18	11	7
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....	28	—	—	10	8	4	6
\$250,000 to \$499,999 .....	12	—	—	3	4	3	2
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....	3	—	1	—	—	2	—
\$1,000,000 to \$2,499,999 .....	6	—	1	—	3	1	1
\$2,500,000 to \$4,999,999 .....	1	—	—	—	—	1	—
\$5,000,000 or more .....	2	—	—	—	1	1	—
Grains .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..							
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..							
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Corn for grain .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..							
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wheat .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..							
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Soybeans .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..							
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sorghum for grain .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..							
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Barley .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..							
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Oats .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..							
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other grains .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..							
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton and cottonseed .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..							
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..							
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..							
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..							
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hay, silage, and field seeds .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..							
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..							
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons .....	177	2	15	43	67	24	26
farms ..							
\$1,000 ..	2 027	(D)	(D)	180	650	606	466
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	8	—	—	—	6	1	1
farms ..							
\$1,000 ..	1 160	—	—	—	(D)	(D)	(D)
Fruits, nuts, and berries .....	995	4	35	198	378	193	187
farms ..							
\$1,000 ..	11 461	17	249	1 937	3 149	2 858	3 251
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	23	—	—	6	6	6	5
farms ..							
\$1,000 ..	5 152	—	—	674	890	1 328	2 260
Nursery and greenhouse crops .....	580	4	8	147	191	105	125
farms ..							
\$1,000 ..	16 419	(D)	(D)	2 943	5 016	5 270	1 697
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	44	—	1	16	11	10	6
farms ..							
\$1,000 ..	12 169	—	(D)	1 940	3 335	4 545	(D)
Other crops .....	148	2	13	33	54	26	20
farms ..							
\$1,000 ..	(D)	(D)	94	150	577	(D)	89
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	5	—	—	—	3	2	—
farms ..							
\$1,000 ..	(D)	—	—	—	201	(D)	—
Poultry and poultry products .....	33	—	3	12	12	5	1
farms ..							
\$1,000 ..	3 272	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	3	—	—	1	1	1	—
farms ..							
\$1,000 ..	3 252	—	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	—
Dairy products .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..							
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..							
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cattle and calves .....	327	1	9	62	127	68	60
farms ..							
\$1,000 ..	4 165	(D)	(D)	551	2 558	281	720
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	9	—	—	2	4	—	3
farms ..							
\$1,000 ..	2 735	—	—	(D)	2 047	—	(D)

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<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD—Con.</b>								
Total sales (see text)—Con.								
Hogs and pigs .....	farms.. 190	111	—	5	10	31	29	36
	\$1,000.. 6 336	5 208	—	(D)	(D)	1 516	1 227	1 872
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms.. 26	23	—	—	1	7	8	7
	\$1,000.. 5 252	4 591	—	—	(D)	1 351	(D)	1 640
Sheep, lambs, and wool .....	farms.. 54	26	1	—	1	9	8	7
	\$1,000.. 139	109	(D)	—	(D)	24	3	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms.. 1	1	—	—	—	—	—	1
	\$1,000.. (D)	(D)	—	—	—	—	—	(D)
Other livestock and livestock products (see text) .....	farms.. 231	117	—	5	23	43	19	27
	\$1,000.. 14 097	(D)	—	(D)	1 278	3 146	397	282
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms.. 21	18	—	1	5	10	1	1
	\$1,000.. 12 945	(D)	—	(D)	1 159	2 930	(D)	(D)
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text) .....	farms.. 525	330	—	11	55	113	63	88
	\$1,000.. 4 586	3 237	—	148	432	1 217	319	1 121
<b>FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES<sup>1</sup></b>								
Total farm production expenses .....	farms.. 5 471	3 051	17	133	520	790	567	1 024
	\$1,000.. 398 567	346 811	1 065	4 463	36 896	179 663	68 441	56 284
Average per farm .....	dollars.. 72 851	113 671	62 638	33 555	70 954	227 421	120 707	54 965
Livestock and poultry purchased .....	farms.. 479	269	2	10	41	60	54	102
	\$1,000.. 6 471	5 145	(D)	(D)	490	1 170	1 111	2 222
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	372	188	—	7	29	39	40	73
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	67	46	2	2	9	11	5	17
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....	24	23	—	—	2	7	8	6
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....	11	8	—	1	1	2	—	4
\$250,000 or more .....	5	4	—	—	—	1	1	2
Feed for livestock and poultry .....	farms.. 845	441	2	15	53	122	89	160
	\$1,000.. 35 749	33 627	(D)	(D)	4 314	11 166	9 357	8 143
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	683	311	1	11	39	82	59	119
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	85	66	1	3	7	16	15	24
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....	42	31	—	—	2	13	9	7
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....	11	10	—	—	1	3	3	3
\$250,000 or more .....	24	23	—	1	4	8	3	7
Commercially mixed formula feeds .....	farms.. 468	257	2	9	30	79	41	96
	\$1,000.. 22 850	21 414	(D)	(D)	1 711	10 221	1 475	7 392
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	370	176	1	8	22	55	21	69
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	49	38	1	—	5	8	11	13
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....	22	17	—	—	—	6	—	5
\$100,000 or more .....	27	26	—	1	3	10	3	9
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees .....	farms.. 1 508	999	9	53	213	343	162	219
	\$1,000.. 10 348	9 926	137	(D)	587	4 313	708	(D)
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$999 .....	1 064	620	3	33	112	189	106	177
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	311	258	1	13	67	98	44	35
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	101	90	4	6	31	38	7	4
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	7	7	—	1	3	3	—	—
\$50,000 or more .....	25	24	1	—	—	15	5	3
Commercial fertilizer .....	farms.. 4 051	2 419	15	101	436	646	441	780
	\$1,000.. 25 653	21 312	46	304	2 104	12 195	2 844	3 819
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	3 692	2 102	12	83	352	513	399	743
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	291	253	3	17	67	103	34	29
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	29	28	—	1	11	8	3	5
\$50,000 or more .....	39	36	—	—	6	22	5	3
Agricultural chemicals .....	farms.. 3 834	2 268	13	104	413	593	407	738
	\$1,000.. 17 187	15 145	35	182	1 556	7 707	2 829	2 836
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	3 578	2 042	10	96	346	507	371	712
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	203	177	3	7	55	60	29	23
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	18	16	—	1	5	9	1	—
\$50,000 or more .....	35	33	—	—	7	17	6	3
Petroleum products .....	farms.. 5 055	2 896	17	129	508	750	530	962
	\$1,000.. 16 335	11 693	41	232	1 335	6 271	2 136	1 679
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	4 742	2 622	14	120	439	653	478	918
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	264	231	3	9	62	78	43	36
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	29	24	—	—	7	5	6	6
\$50,000 or more .....	20	19	—	—	—	14	3	2
Gasoline and gasohol .....	farms.. 4 682	2 697	17	116	480	704	486	894
	\$1,000.. 7 084	5 059	23	146	865	2 092	912	1 021
Diesel fuel .....	farms.. 1 884	1 218	10	59	234	366	230	319
	\$1,000.. 7 748	5 410	15	62	346	3 447	1 024	515
Natural gas .....	farms.. 8	6	—	—	1	3	—	2
	\$1,000.. 69	(D)	—	—	(D)	(D)	—	(D)
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc. ....	farms.. 3 164	2 031	14	95	389	581	366	586
	\$1,000.. 1 435	(D)	2	24	(D)	(D)	199	(D)

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Hogs and pigs .....	farms.. 79	—	10	18	31	16	4
	\$1,000.. 1 128	—	616	223	161	82	45
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms.. 3	—	1	1	—	1	—
	\$1,000.. 661	—	(D)	(D)	—	(D)	—
Sheep, lambs, and wool .....	farms.. 28	2	3	5	11	5	2
	\$1,000.. 31	(D)	(D)	(D)	14	3	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms.. —	—	—	—	—	—	—
	\$1,000.. —	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other livestock and livestock products (see text) .....	farms.. 114	1	6	29	45	26	7
	\$1,000.. (D)	(D)	12	267	(D)	133	14
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms.. 3	—	—	1	2	—	—
	\$1,000.. (D)	—	—	(D)	(D)	—	—
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text) .....	farms.. 195	1	12	52	82	29	19
	\$1,000.. 1 349	(D)	21	157	256	527	(D)
<b>FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES<sup>1</sup></b>							
Total farm production expenses .....	farms.. 2 420	14	94	524	872	466	450
	\$1,000.. 51 756	62	1 769	4 771	13 740	25 840	5 575
Average per farm .....	dollars.. 21 387	4 409	18 819	9 105	15 757	55 451	12 388
Livestock and poultry purchased .....	farms.. 210	1	10	50	85	40	24
	\$1,000.. 1 326	(D)	(D)	(D)	452	543	147
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	184	1	7	47	72	36	21
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	21	—	2	3	11	3	2
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....	1	—	—	—	1	—	—
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....	3	—	1	—	1	—	1
\$250,000 or more .....	1	—	—	—	—	1	—
Feed for livestock and poultry .....	farms.. 404	1	17	109	171	69	37
	\$1,000.. 2 122	(D)	375	317	1 157	157	(D)
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	372	1	14	100	163	61	33
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	19	—	—	6	4	7	2
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....	11	—	2	3	3	1	2
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....	1	—	1	—	—	—	—
\$250,000 or more .....	1	—	—	—	1	—	—
Commercially mixed formula feeds .....	farms.. 211	1	13	48	93	39	17
	\$1,000.. 1 436	(D)	133	246	985	63	(D)
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	194	1	11	41	89	35	17
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	11	—	—	4	3	4	—
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....	5	—	2	3	—	—	—
\$100,000 or more .....	1	—	—	—	1	—	—
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees .....	farms.. 509	3	23	120	192	89	82
	\$1,000.. 422	(D)	(D)	106	89	56	29
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999 .....	444	3	18	105	173	71	74
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	53	—	4	9	17	16	7
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	11	—	—	6	2	2	1
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more .....	1	—	1	—	—	—	—
Commercial fertilizer .....	farms.. 1 632	9	58	352	582	316	315
	\$1,000.. 4 341	4	59	271	1 246	2 077	684
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	1 590	9	55	344	569	306	307
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	38	—	3	8	11	9	7
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	1	—	—	—	1	—	—
\$50,000 or more .....	3	—	—	—	1	1	1
Agricultural chemicals .....	farms.. 1 566	12	70	342	553	288	301
	\$1,000.. 2 042	5	31	215	346	1 234	210
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	1 536	12	70	336	543	278	297
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	26	—	—	6	9	8	3
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	2	—	—	—	1	1	—
\$50,000 or more .....	2	—	—	—	—	1	1
Petroleum products .....	farms.. 2 159	13	91	474	765	422	394
	\$1,000.. 4 642	8	59	356	584	3 336	299
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	2 120	13	90	466	750	413	388
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	33	—	1	8	13	7	4
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	5	—	—	—	2	1	2
\$50,000 or more .....	1	—	—	—	—	1	—
Gasoline and gasohol .....	farms.. 1 985	13	84	439	689	390	370
	\$1,000.. 2 024	7	46	259	378	1 117	218
Diesel fuel .....	farms.. 666	2	33	154	236	139	102
	\$1,000.. 2 338	(D)	10	74	157	(D)	56
Natural gas .....	farms.. 2	—	—	—	2	—	—
	\$1,000.. (D)	—	—	—	(D)	—	—
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc. ....	farms.. 1 133	5	52	250	423	222	181
	\$1,000.. (D)	(D)	3	24	(D)	(D)	26

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Table 48. Summary by Age and Principal Occupation of Operator: 1997—Con.

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

Item	Total farming and other occupations	Farming						
		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
<b>FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES<sup>1</sup></b>								
—Con.								
Total farm production expenses—Con.								
Electricity . . . . . farms . . . . .	2 067	1 374	5	49	249	397	257	417
\$1,000 . . . . .	8 810	7 762	5	103	863	5 369	872	550
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$999 . . . . .	1 449	860	2	32	136	212	159	319
\$1,000 to \$4,999 . . . . .	472	382	3	13	81	136	74	75
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	116	105	—	3	27	34	20	21
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	12	11	—	1	2	6	1	1
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	18	16	—	—	3	9	3	1
Hired farm labor . . . . . farms . . . . .	1 652	1 094	8	46	244	350	202	244
\$1,000 . . . . .	150 682	134 718	201	1 312	12 672	77 027	25 479	18 027
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	903	479	2	21	94	127	98	137
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	359	274	4	14	66	103	42	45
\$25,000 to \$99,999 . . . . .	227	202	2	6	53	60	38	43
\$100,000 to \$249,999 . . . . .	87	73	—	4	21	27	11	10
\$250,000 or more . . . . .	76	66	—	1	10	33	13	9
Workers by days worked:								
150 days or more . . . . . farms . . . . .	766	615	8	27	139	214	104	123
workers . . . . .	6 940	6 064	20	94	617	2 977	1 452	1 204
Less than 150 days . . . . . farms . . . . .	1 364	853	7	36	188	262	161	199
workers . . . . .	5 525	4 006	12	165	872	1 481	865	611
Contract labor . . . . . farms . . . . .	679	385	5	11	89	123	64	93
\$1,000 . . . . .	4 881	3 762	68	60	1 106	1 512	664	353
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$999 . . . . .	195	84	2	3	15	22	13	29
\$1,000 to \$4,999 . . . . .	289	159	—	6	33	51	24	45
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	155	109	1	1	29	39	23	16
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	26	21	2	1	7	7	1	3
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	14	12	—	—	5	4	3	—
Repair and maintenance . . . . . farms . . . . .	4 020	2 433	14	107	446	672	455	739
\$1,000 . . . . .	31 918	27 125	50	268	1 704	19 414	3 391	2 298
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	3 561	2 060	13	93	361	525	389	679
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	385	312	—	13	75	122	52	50
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	33	23	1	1	5	7	7	2
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	41	38	—	—	5	18	7	8
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment . . . . . farms . . . . .	738	452	6	19	113	152	74	88
\$1,000 . . . . .	2 718	2 318	(D)	59	518	1 057	364	(D)
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$999 . . . . .	408	208	1	8	39	73	40	47
\$1,000 to \$4,999 . . . . .	237	167	3	9	50	53	23	29
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	76	61	2	2	20	19	7	11
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	9	9	—	—	3	4	2	—
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	8	7	—	—	1	3	2	1
Interest . . . . . farms . . . . .	1 036	707	8	24	149	269	117	140
\$1,000 . . . . .	13 964	10 916	(D)	(D)	1 258	3 391	3 710	2 220
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	651	433	6	13	83	164	76	91
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	311	209	1	11	53	83	24	37
\$25,000 to \$99,999 . . . . .	56	50	—	—	13	15	13	9
\$100,000 or more . . . . .	18	15	1	—	—	7	4	3
Secured by real estate . . . . . farms . . . . .	598	383	5	11	83	134	64	86
\$1,000 . . . . .	7 665	5 453	(D)	(D)	823	1 989	1 641	743
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$999 . . . . .	109	63	—	1	5	22	18	17
\$1,000 to \$4,999 . . . . .	215	137	3	6	29	48	18	33
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	229	145	1	4	41	51	19	29
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	27	24	—	—	6	8	5	5
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	18	14	1	—	2	5	4	2
Not secured by real estate . . . . . farms . . . . .	523	388	3	16	81	166	59	63
\$1,000 . . . . .	6 299	5 463	5	74	435	1 402	2 069	1 477
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$999 . . . . .	177	109	—	1	28	43	15	22
\$1,000 to \$4,999 . . . . .	228	181	3	8	36	81	27	26
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	88	71	—	7	13	32	9	10
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	14	13	—	—	2	6	4	1
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	16	14	—	—	2	4	4	4
Cash rent . . . . . farms . . . . .	1 620	1 087	8	54	251	329	197	248
\$1,000 . . . . .	11 923	10 271	28	191	1 452	4 932	2 247	1 422
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	1 360	872	6	43	196	255	162	210
\$5,000 to \$9,999 . . . . .	110	85	2	7	23	24	14	15
\$10,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	84	71	—	3	21	29	8	10
\$25,000 or more . . . . .	66	59	—	1	11	21	13	13
Property taxes . . . . . farms . . . . .	4 166	2 286	10	86	340	594	430	826
\$1,000 . . . . .	5 196	3 330	8	48	427	1 314	686	848
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	4 015	2 178	10	86	322	557	404	799
\$5,000 to \$9,999 . . . . .	88	61	—	—	10	22	14	15
\$10,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	50	36	—	—	8	10	9	9
\$25,000 or more . . . . .	13	11	—	—	—	5	3	3
All other farm production expenses . . . . . farms . . . . .	4 841	2 813	15	120	498	763	534	883
\$1,000 . . . . .	56 733	49 762	188	678	6 511	22 825	12 044	7 515
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	4 087	2 174	9	90	355	522	416	782
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	497	415	5	23	97	150	78	62
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	112	98	—	6	17	38	18	19
\$50,000 to \$99,999 . . . . .	64	57	—	—	19	17	8	13
\$100,000 or more . . . . .	81	69	1	1	10	36	14	7

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Item	Other occupations						
	Total	Age of operator (years)					
		Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
<b>FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES<sup>1</sup></b>							
—Con.							
Total farm production expenses—Con.							
Electricity . . . . . farms ..	693	6	30	124	262	137	134
\$1,000 ..	1 048	2	10	117	559	299	61
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999 ..	589	5	28	96	228	112	120
\$1,000 to \$4,999 ..	90	1	2	24	29	20	14
\$5,000 to \$24,999 ..	11	—	—	3	4	4	—
\$25,000 to \$49,999 ..	1	—	—	1	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more ..	2	—	—	—	1	1	—
Hired farm labor . . . . . farms ..	558	6	13	125	243	96	75
\$1,000 ..	15 964	10	382	926	2 652	10 259	1 736
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 ..	424	6	9	99	195	68	47
\$5,000 to \$24,999 ..	85	—	3	18	28	16	20
\$25,000 to \$99,999 ..	25	—	—	6	12	3	4
\$100,000 to \$249,999 ..	14	—	—	2	5	4	3
\$250,000 or more ..	10	—	1	—	3	5	1
Workers by days worked:							
150 days or more . . . . . farms ..	151	1	3	28	63	30	26
workers ..	876	(D)	(D)	64	194	490	113
Less than 150 days . . . . . farms ..	511	6	13	113	225	91	63
workers ..	1 519	26	37	302	610	313	231
Contract labor . . . . . farms ..	294	1	3	48	117	75	50
\$1,000 ..	1 119	(D)	(D)	167	356	349	168
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999 ..	111	—	—	22	43	22	24
\$1,000 to \$4,999 ..	130	1	2	18	53	37	19
\$5,000 to \$24,999 ..	46	—	—	7	20	13	6
\$25,000 to \$49,999 ..	5	—	—	1	1	2	1
\$50,000 or more ..	2	—	1	—	—	1	—
Repair and maintenance . . . . . farms ..	1 587	7	71	371	584	304	250
\$1,000 ..	4 793	4	98	432	776	3 072	410
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 ..	1 501	7	69	352	549	289	235
\$5,000 to \$24,999 ..	73	—	1	18	32	11	11
\$25,000 to \$49,999 ..	10	—	1	1	3	2	3
\$50,000 or more ..	3	—	—	—	—	2	1
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment . . . . . farms ..	286	2	7	69	115	55	38
\$1,000 ..	400	(D)	15	(D)	132	133	(D)
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999 ..	200	2	4	48	88	35	23
\$1,000 to \$4,999 ..	70	—	1	19	22	16	12
\$5,000 to \$24,999 ..	15	—	2	2	5	3	3
\$25,000 to \$49,999 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more ..	1	—	—	—	—	1	—
Interest . . . . . farms ..	329	1	22	76	127	64	39
\$1,000 ..	3 048	(D)	(D)	362	775	1 489	376
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 ..	218	1	18	50	84	40	25
\$5,000 to \$24,999 ..	102	—	4	25	41	20	12
\$25,000 to \$99,999 ..	6	—	—	1	1	3	1
\$100,000 or more ..	3	—	—	—	1	1	1
Secured by real estate . . . . . farms ..	215	1	12	56	76	43	27
\$1,000 ..	2 212	(D)	(D)	270	579	964	358
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999 ..	46	—	3	8	19	7	9
\$1,000 to \$4,999 ..	78	1	6	28	21	17	5
\$5,000 to \$24,999 ..	84	—	3	20	35	15	11
\$25,000 to \$49,999 ..	3	—	—	—	—	2	1
\$50,000 or more ..	4	—	—	—	1	2	1
Not secured by real estate . . . . . farms ..	135	—	11	28	58	24	14
\$1,000 ..	836	—	6	92	196	525	18
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999 ..	68	—	8	18	24	7	11
\$1,000 to \$4,999 ..	47	—	3	5	26	11	2
\$5,000 to \$24,999 ..	17	—	—	4	7	5	1
\$25,000 to \$49,999 ..	1	—	—	1	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more ..	2	—	—	—	1	1	—
Cash rent . . . . . farms ..	533	1	22	139	215	94	62
\$1,000 ..	1 651	(D)	(D)	259	789	429	135
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 ..	488	1	21	128	201	85	52
\$5,000 to \$9,999 ..	25	—	1	6	7	4	7
\$10,000 to \$24,999 ..	13	—	—	3	4	3	3
\$25,000 or more ..	7	—	—	2	3	2	—
Property taxes . . . . . farms ..	1 880	9	71	379	669	400	352
\$1,000 ..	1 866	(D)	(D)	351	573	629	273
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 ..	1 837	9	70	370	656	387	345
\$5,000 to \$9,999 ..	27	—	1	5	8	9	4
\$10,000 to \$24,999 ..	14	—	—	3	5	3	3
\$25,000 or more ..	2	—	—	1	—	1	—
All other farm production expenses . . . . . farms ..	2 028	12	81	448	732	395	360
\$1,000 ..	6 972	12	293	752	3 253	1 779	883
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 ..	1 913	11	79	422	692	366	343
\$5,000 to \$24,999 ..	82	1	—	21	30	18	12
\$25,000 to \$49,999 ..	14	—	—	4	3	6	1
\$50,000 to \$99,999 ..	7	—	—	1	—	2	2
\$100,000 or more ..	12	—	1	—	6	3	2

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Item	Total farming and other occupations	Farming						
		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
<b>NET CASH RETURN FROM AGRICULTURAL SALES FOR THE FARM UNIT (SEE TEXT)<sup>1</sup></b>								
All farms..... number..	5 473	3 052	17	133	520	791	567	1 024
\$1,000..	98 368	82 162	-36	2 492	13 115	47 183	11 583	7 824
Average per farm..... dollars..	17 973	26 921	-2 140	18 737	25 221	59 650	20 429	7 641
Farms with net gains <sup>2</sup> ..... number..	3 449	2 187	14	100	389	566	397	721
Average net gain..... dollars..	38 517	50 835	(D)	(D)	42 487	108 653	46 478	16 275
Gain of—								
Less than \$1,000.....	559	243	1	11	17	44	50	120
\$1,000 to \$9,999.....	1 602	921	8	30	125	202	171	385
\$10,000 to \$49,999.....	993	763	4	44	179	215	141	180
\$50,000 or more.....	295	260	1	15	68	105	35	36
Farms with net losses..... number..	2 024	865	3	33	131	225	170	303
Average net loss..... dollars..	17 033	33 542	(D)	(D)	26 048	63 618	40 402	12 904
Loss of—								
Less than \$1,000.....	546	193	-	5	24	43	37	84
\$1,000 to \$9,999.....	1 196	497	2	20	71	127	102	175
\$10,000 to \$49,999.....	221	126	-	8	26	40	18	34
\$50,000 or more.....	61	49	1	-	10	15	13	10
<b>GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS AND OTHER FARM-RELATED INCOME</b>								
Government payments..... farms..	116	74	1	2	16	30	18	7
\$1,000..	625	538	(D)	(D)	129	220	125	56
Other farm-related income <sup>1</sup> ..... farms..	415	253	-	17	42	73	40	81
\$1,000..	4 170	3 406	-	130	668	651	1 420	537
Customwork and other agricultural services..... farms..	213	137	-	11	30	43	22	31
\$1,000..	1 688	1 423	-	(D)	(D)	393	312	241
Gross cash rent or share payments..... farms..	140	79	-	6	8	16	12	37
\$1,000..	2 063	1 666	-	11	265	121	1 008	262
Forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products..... farms..	25	10	-	1	4	2	2	1
\$1,000..	190	147	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Other farm-related income sources..... farms..	67	48	-	-	2	17	11	18
\$1,000..	229	170	-	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
<b>COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS</b>								
Total..... farms..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
\$1,000..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Corn..... farms..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
\$1,000..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wheat..... farms..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
\$1,000..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Soybeans..... farms..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
\$1,000..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sorghum, barley, and oats..... farms..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
\$1,000..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cotton..... farms..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
\$1,000..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sunflower seed, flaxseed, safflower, canola, other rapeseed, and mustard seed..... farms..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
\$1,000..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Peanuts, rice, and tobacco..... farms..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
\$1,000..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE</b>								
Total cropland..... farms..	4 882	2 749	16	121	481	713	509	909
acres..	292 107	196 126	116	1 061	13 214	106 752	52 731	22 252
Harvested cropland..... farms..	4 594	2 630	16	118	465	692	485	854
acres..	100 094	83 497	90	823	6 704	50 917	13 400	11 563
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 49 acres.....	4 496	2 542	16	116	443	656	469	842
50 to 99 acres.....	44	36	-	1	11	9	9	6
100 to 199 acres.....	19	19	-	1	8	5	1	4
200 to 499 acres.....	18	18	-	1	1	13	3	1
500 to 999 acres.....	2	1	-	-	1	-	-	-
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	4	4	-	-	1	2	1	-
2,000 acres or more.....	11	10	-	-	-	7	2	1
Cropland:								
Pasture or grazing only..... farms..	501	220	-	5	27	54	43	91
acres..	41 834	19 957	-	62	4 585	2 820	5 835	6 655
In cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured..... farms..	142	87	-	6	23	27	14	17
acres..	2 153	1 467	-	15	174	1 046	122	110
On which all crops failed..... farms..	67	48	-	1	11	23	8	5
acres..	453	(D)	-	(D)	20	(D)	(D)	(D)
In cultivated summer fallow..... farms..	60	45	-	3	11	16	7	8
acres..	3 176	3 105	-	17	120	(D)	(D)	(D)
Idle..... farms..	892	553	7	20	123	166	100	137
acres..	144 397	(D)	26	(D)	1 611	49 317	32 705	3 885
Total woodland..... farms..	213	112	-	3	25	29	16	39
acres..	108 704	102 923	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	68 985	3 864
Woodland pastured..... farms..	54	27	-	-	6	5	5	11
acres..	31 844	31 480	-	-	407	(D)	(D)	1 896
Woodland not pastured..... farms..	179	100	-	3	22	25	16	34
acres..	76 860	71 443	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	1 968

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Table 48. Summary by Age and Principal Occupation of Operator: 1997—Con.

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Item	Other occupations						
	Total	Age of operator (years)					
		Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
<b>NET CASH RETURN FROM AGRICULTURAL SALES FOR THE FARM UNIT (SEE TEXT)<sup>1</sup></b>							
All farms .....	2 421	14	94	525	872	466	450
number .....							
\$1,000 .....	16 206	41	802	1 745	8 544	4 360	715
Average per farm .....	6 694	2 961	8 533	3 324	9 798	9 355	1 588
dollars .....							
Farms with net gains <sup>2</sup> .....	1 262	9	36	280	439	240	258
number .....							
Average net gain .....	17 170	5 623	27 581	10 078	23 751	22 821	7 360
dollars .....							
Gain of—							
Less than \$1,000 .....	316	2	10	60	105	41	98
\$1,000 to \$9,999 .....	681	6	21	153	241	136	124
\$10,000 to \$49,999 .....	230	1	4	56	81	57	31
\$50,000 or more .....	35	—	1	11	12	6	5
Farms with net losses .....	1 159	5	58	245	433	226	192
number .....							
Average net loss .....	4 713	1 831	3 290	4 396	4 349	4 944	6 169
dollars .....							
Loss of—							
Less than \$1,000 .....	353	2	13	60	131	75	72
\$1,000 to \$9,999 .....	699	3	44	159	262	133	98
\$10,000 to \$49,999 .....	95	—	1	25	36	14	19
\$50,000 or more .....	12	—	—	1	4	4	3
<b>GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS AND OTHER FARM-RELATED INCOME</b>							
Government payments .....	42	—	3	9	18	8	4
farms .....							
\$1,000 .....	87	—	(D)	31	(D)	22	11
Other farm-related income <sup>1</sup> .....	162	—	3	23	71	35	30
farms .....							
\$1,000 .....	763	—	9	104	416	132	102
Customwork and other agricultural services .....	76	—	3	14	32	17	10
farms .....							
\$1,000 .....	264	—	9	58	77	76	45
Gross cash rent or share payments .....	61	—	—	3	30	15	13
farms .....							
\$1,000 .....	397	—	—	(D)	274	(D)	52
Forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products .....	15	—	—	5	7	—	3
farms .....							
\$1,000 .....	43	—	—	17	22	—	5
Other farm-related income sources .....	19	—	—	1	8	6	4
farms .....							
\$1,000 .....	59	—	—	(D)	44	(D)	1
<b>COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS</b>							
Total .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms .....							
\$1,000 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Corn .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms .....							
\$1,000 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wheat .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms .....							
\$1,000 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Soybeans .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms .....							
\$1,000 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sorghum, barley, and oats .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms .....							
\$1,000 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms .....							
\$1,000 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sunflower seed, flaxseed, safflower, canola, other rapeseed, and mustard seed .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms .....							
\$1,000 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Peanuts, rice, and tobacco .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms .....							
\$1,000 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
<b>LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE</b>							
Total cropland .....	2 133	14	85	467	762	402	403
farms .....							
acres .....	95 981	(D)	882	7 520	7 443	(D)	12 778
Harvested cropland .....	1 964	13	73	430	701	365	382
farms .....							
acres .....	16 597	78	289	1 256	2 632	10 321	2 021
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 49 acres .....	1 954	13	73	429	699	360	380
50 to 99 acres .....	8	—	—	1	2	4	1
100 to 199 acres .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
200 to 499 acres .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
500 to 999 acres .....	1	—	—	—	—	—	1
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
2,000 acres or more .....	1	—	—	—	—	1	—
Cropland:							
Pasture or grazing only .....	281	4	15	58	115	51	38
farms .....							
acres .....	21 877	34	491	5 647	3 689	2 524	9 492
In cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured .....	55	—	2	15	18	11	9
farms .....							
acres .....	686	—	(D)	140	156	255	(D)
On which all crops failed .....	19	—	5	5	4	1	4
farms .....							
acres .....	(D)	—	(D)	9	(D)	(D)	(D)
In cultivated summer fallow .....	15	—	—	9	4	—	2
farms .....							
acres .....	71	—	—	38	(D)	—	(D)
Idle .....	339	5	13	72	128	80	41
farms .....							
acres .....	(D)	(D)	87	430	936	(D)	1 113
Total woodland .....	101	—	—	22	48	15	16
farms .....							
acres .....	5 781	—	—	(D)	383	255	(D)
Woodland pastured .....	27	—	—	4	13	6	4
farms .....							
acres .....	364	—	—	12	168	170	14
Woodland not pastured .....	79	—	—	18	37	10	14
farms .....							
acres .....	5 417	—	—	(D)	215	85	(D)

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Item	Total farming and other occupations	Farming						
		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
<b>LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE—Con.</b>								
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured..... farms..	688	332	2	9	41	100	59	121
acres..	898 737	785 510	(D)	(D)	63 320	391 750	147 224	174 877
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. .... farms..	2 224	1 317	4	49	218	372	266	408
acres..	139 523	121 461	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	27 902	23 660
Irrigated land ..... farms..	2 241	1 420	11	68	255	416	267	403
acres..	76 971	67 578	140	450	4 603	39 921	13 697	8 767
Harvested cropland irrigated ..... farms..	2 181	1 382	10	66	250	404	261	391
acres..	70 442	61 460	(D)	436	(D)	38 387	(D)	8 560
Pasture and other land irrigated ..... farms..	124	72	1	3	9	24	13	22
acres..	6 529	6 118	(D)	14	(D)	1 534	(D)	207
Land under Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs ..... farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
acres..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
<b>VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS<sup>1</sup></b>								
Estimated market value of land and buildings..... farms..	5 473	3 052	17	133	520	791	567	1 024
\$1,000..	3 460 472	2 670 066	9 283	44 557	263 868	1 172 229	498 754	681 375
Average per farm ..... dollars..	632 281	874 858	546 059	335 018	507 438	1 481 958	879 637	665 406
Average per acre ..... dollars..	2 405	2 214	8 824	5 074	2 363	2 082	1 680	3 033
Farms by value group:								
\$1 to \$39,999 .....	922	462	4	33	85	95	88	157
\$40,000 to \$69,999 .....	526	289	4	13	43	67	62	100
\$70,000 to \$99,999 .....	366	204	—	17	37	55	30	65
\$100,000 to \$149,999 .....	584	309	2	16	63	83	44	101
\$150,000 to \$199,999 .....	470	253	—	14	42	62	53	82
\$200,000 to \$499,999 .....	1 677	966	2	28	142	246	190	358
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....	594	343	2	8	68	102	57	106
\$1,000,000 to \$1,999,999 .....	196	118	2	2	23	43	19	29
\$2,000,000 to \$4,999,999 .....	80	60	1	1	9	21	12	16
\$5,000,000 or more .....	58	48	—	1	8	17	12	10
<b>VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup></b>								
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ..... farms..	5 471	3 052	17	133	520	791	567	1 024
\$1,000..	211 775	169 262	758	3 614	17 531	103 830	20 364	23 164
Farms by value group:								
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	1 381	654	2	25	86	135	125	281
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	1 142	606	3	34	99	126	125	219
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....	1 217	678	2	22	117	186	119	232
\$20,000 to \$49,999 .....	1 194	720	4	37	140	193	127	219
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	315	224	3	9	44	79	46	43
\$100,000 to \$199,999 .....	133	96	3	3	25	40	9	16
\$200,000 to \$499,999 .....	65	54	—	3	5	22	11	13
\$500,000 or more .....	24	20	—	—	4	10	5	1
<b>SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup></b>								
Motortrucks, including pickups ..... farms..	4 984	2 844	17	120	493	743	537	934
number..	9 168	5 967	36	205	941	2 050	1 191	1 544
Wheel tractors ..... farms..	2 837	1 652	10	75	291	471	301	504
number..	4 793	3 150	15	100	535	1 180	561	759
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms..	2 047	1 166	8	54	206	330	212	356
number..	2 767	1 689	(D)	(D)	314	494	298	506
40 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms..	1 158	726	2	26	135	222	137	204
number..	2 026	1 461	(D)	(D)	221	686	263	253
40 to 99 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms..	935	602	2	19	124	178	115	164
number..	1 450	1 024	(D)	(D)	191	436	170	200
100 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms..	288	172	—	8	23	66	30	45
number..	576	437	—	11	30	250	93	53
Grain and bean combines ..... farms..	17	15	—	1	2	6	3	3
number..	25	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	9	5	4
Cotton pickers and strippers ..... farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
number..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Mower conditioners ..... farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
number..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pickup balers ..... farms..	15	13	—	1	2	4	4	2
number..	19	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	5	5	(D)
<b>AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS<sup>1</sup></b>								
Commercial fertilizer ..... farms..	3 974	2 389	15	100	431	638	434	771
acres on which used..	133 927	108 403	79	632	6 355	75 001	15 315	11 021
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—								
Insects on hay and other crops ..... farms..	1 604	1 112	7	63	244	332	194	272
acres on which used..	34 673	33 077	19	389	2 548	13 914	7 766	8 441
Nematodes in crops ..... farms..	350	264	2	11	68	95	40	48
acres on which used..	11 086	10 765	(D)	38	571	5 917	(D)	115
Diseases in crops and orchards ..... farms..	1 033	725	6	47	172	237	111	152
acres on which used..	33 343	32 264	17	342	1 873	26 730	2 577	725
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture ..... farms..	2 685	1 632	7	74	307	443	273	528
acres on which used..	122 576	97 470	43	606	4 900	54 304	25 631	11 986
Chemicals used on crops to control growth, thin fruit, or defoliate ..... farms..	184	112	—	10	20	24	29	29
acres on which used..	15 184	(D)	—	76	(D)	4 228	(D)	91

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		Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
<b>LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE—Con.</b>							
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured..... farms..	356	—	12	74	135	73	62
acres..	113 227	—	570	20 399	64 607	12 110	15 541
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. .... farms..	907	2	27	188	349	187	154
acres..	18 062	(D)	139	207	9 164	(D)	(D)
Irrigated land ..... farms..	821	6	31	207	308	146	123
acres..	9 393	(D)	73	516	1 211	(D)	257
Harvested cropland irrigated ..... farms..	799	6	30	203	297	141	122
acres..	8 982	(D)	56	475	946	(D)	252
Pasture and other land irrigated ..... farms..	52	—	4	11	27	7	3
acres..	411	—	17	41	265	83	5
Land under Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs ..... farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
acres..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
<b>VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS<sup>1</sup></b>							
Estimated market value of land and buildings ..... farms..	2 421	14	94	525	872	466	450
\$1,000..	790 407	3 343	16 963	126 011	260 725	238 831	144 535
Average per farm ..... dollars..	326 479	238 765	180 457	240 021	298 996	512 512	321 188
Average per acre ..... dollars..	3 392	23 877	10 662	4 327	3 195	2 961	3 618
Farms by value group:							
\$1 to \$39,999 .....	460	2	34	115	139	71	99
\$40,000 to \$69,999 .....	237	—	8	54	88	43	44
\$70,000 to \$99,999 .....	162	—	8	27	53	36	38
\$100,000 to \$149,999 .....	275	3	6	64	113	50	39
\$150,000 to \$199,999 .....	217	4	6	53	61	46	47
\$200,000 to \$499,999 .....	711	3	22	151	289	137	109
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....	251	2	9	49	98	53	40
\$1,000,000 to \$1,999,999 .....	78	—	1	10	24	16	27
\$2,000,000 to \$4,999,999 .....	20	—	—	1	3	12	4
\$5,000,000 or more .....	10	—	—	1	4	2	3
<b>VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup></b>							
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ..... farms..	2 419	14	94	525	870	466	450
\$1,000..	42 513	232	1 491	7 650	14 754	10 568	7 818
Farms by value group:							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	727	4	30	148	253	139	153
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	536	3	17	106	207	104	99
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....	539	1	22	138	187	96	95
\$20,000 to \$49,999 .....	474	5	19	110	178	92	70
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	91	1	5	20	26	20	19
\$100,000 to \$199,999 .....	37	—	1	3	14	9	10
\$200,000 to \$499,999 .....	11	—	—	—	4	3	4
\$500,000 or more .....	4	—	—	—	1	3	—
<b>SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup></b>							
Motortrucks, including pickups ..... farms..	2 140	14	88	473	768	415	382
number..	3 201	18	123	673	1 138	711	538
Wheel tractors ..... farms..	1 185	3	53	241	435	243	210
number..	1 643	3	79	313	561	401	286
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms..	881	1	38	189	303	192	158
number..	1 078	(D)	(D)	219	353	264	193
40 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms..	432	2	23	77	172	84	74
number..	565	(D)	(D)	94	208	137	93
40 to 99 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms..	333	2	15	56	133	69	58
number..	426	(D)	21	73	(D)	102	71
100 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms..	116	—	8	21	46	20	21
number..	139	—	(D)	21	(D)	35	22
Grain and bean combines ..... farms..	2	—	—	1	—	1	—
number..	(D)	—	—	(D)	—	(D)	—
Cotton pickers and strippers ..... farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
number..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Mower conditioners ..... farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
number..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pickup balers ..... farms..	2	—	—	2	—	—	—
number..	(D)	—	—	(D)	—	—	—
<b>AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS<sup>1</sup></b>							
Commercial fertilizer ..... farms..	1 585	9	58	346	572	301	299
acres on which used..	25 524	(D)	248	1 109	2 442	(D)	1 988
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—							
Insects on hay and other crops ..... farms..	492	5	21	140	154	85	87
acres on which used..	1 596	21	51	377	577	360	210
Nematodes in crops ..... farms..	86	2	7	23	19	20	15
acres on which used..	321	(D)	(D)	64	131	70	34
Diseases in crops and orchards ..... farms..	308	4	17	92	89	62	44
acres on which used..	1 079	16	62	281	382	232	106
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture ..... farms..	1 053	9	43	237	385	204	175
acres on which used..	25 106	(D)	256	1 143	2 338	(D)	1 799
Chemicals used on crops to control growth, thin fruit, or defoliate ..... farms..	72	—	4	18	24	15	11
acres on which used..	(D)	—	4	86	160	(D)	42

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Item	Total farming and other occupations	Farming						
		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
<b>TENURE AND RACE OF OPERATOR</b>								
All operators .....	5 473	3 052	17	133	520	791	567	1 024
Full owners .....	2 980	1 491	3	43	172	341	288	644
Part owners .....	707	470	5	21	100	138	78	128
Tenants .....	1 786	1 091	9	69	248	312	201	252
White .....	2 143	1 070	6	34	187	360	208	275
Full owners .....	1 331	586	1	15	100	186	117	167
Part owners .....	297	180	4	2	34	59	28	53
Tenants .....	515	304	1	17	53	115	63	55
Black and other races .....	3 330	1 982	11	99	333	431	359	749
Full owners .....	1 649	905	2	28	72	155	171	477
Part owners .....	410	290	1	19	66	79	50	75
Tenants .....	1 271	787	8	52	195	197	138	197
<b>OWNED AND RENTED LAND</b>								
Land owned..... farms..	3 695	1 966	8	65	273	480	367	773
acres..	795 982	656 177	179	(D)	56 200	304 221	223 721	(D)
Owned land in farms .....	3 687	1 961	8	64	272	479	366	772
acres..	727 864	602 053	179	2 262	52 549	295 904	205 275	45 884
Land rented or leased from others .....	2 504	1 566	14	90	348	454	279	381
acres..	728 191	619 249	873	6 528	59 401	269 795	92 534	190 118
landlords..	3 571	2 334	25	123	485	726	408	567
Rented or leased land in farms .....	2 493	1 561	14	90	348	450	279	380
acres..	711 207	603 967	873	6 520	59 139	267 099	91 567	178 769
Land rented or leased to others..... farms..	230	152	—	7	19	42	23	61
acres..	85 102	69 406	—	(D)	3 913	11 013	19 413	(D)
<b>OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS</b>								
Operators by place of residence:								
On farm operated .....	3 196	1 823	7	71	284	471	323	667
Not on farm operated .....	1 810	969	8	59	198	261	202	241
Not reported .....	467	260	2	3	38	59	42	116
Operators by principal occupation:								
Farming .....	3 052	3 052	17	133	520	791	567	1 024
Other .....	2 421	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Operators by days worked off farm:								
None .....	2 148	1 759	6	60	269	462	315	647
Any .....	2 827	795	8	60	173	217	165	172
1 to 99 days .....	649	359	6	23	85	100	66	79
100 to 199 days .....	612	181	—	16	37	55	32	41
200 days or more .....	1 566	255	2	21	51	62	67	52
Not reported .....	498	498	3	13	78	112	87	205
Operators by years on present farm:								
2 years or less .....	419	253	4	36	71	71	51	20
3 or 4 years .....	452	243	4	24	67	64	49	35
5 to 9 years .....	1 073	529	3	40	129	137	116	104
10 years or more .....	2 430	1 410	—	15	177	380	241	597
Average years on present farm .....	14.1	15.5	4.0	4.9	8.8	12.6	13.1	25.3
Not reported .....	1 099	617	6	18	76	139	110	268
Operators by age group:								
Under 25 years .....	31	17	17	—	—	—	—	—
25 to 34 years .....	227	133	—	133	—	—	—	—
35 to 44 years .....	1 045	520	—	—	520	—	—	—
45 to 49 years .....	904	450	—	—	—	450	—	—
50 to 54 years .....	759	341	—	—	—	341	—	—
55 to 59 years .....	547	262	—	—	—	—	262	—
60 to 64 years .....	486	305	—	—	—	—	305	—
65 to 69 years .....	463	301	—	—	—	—	—	301
70 years and over .....	1 011	723	—	—	—	—	—	723
Average age .....	55.0	56.8	23.0	31.1	40.5	49.0	59.7	73.4
Operators by sex:								
Male .....	4 551	2 553	17	118	437	670	453	858
Female .....	922	499	—	15	83	121	114	166
Operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin (see text) .....								
	176	99	1	7	28	23	14	26
<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION</b>								
Individual or family (sole proprietorship)..... farms..	4 583	2 511	16	113	415	620	456	891
acres..	279 198	214 440	(D)	(D)	37 556	80 061	50 131	38 942
Partnership .....	328	197	—	8	27	55	47	60
acres..	(D)	(D)	—	(D)	37 389	(D)	(D)	34 363
Corporation:								
Family held .....	384	247	—	8	61	80	48	50
acres..	380 168	343 290	—	47	23 661	145 746	56 784	117 052
More than 10 stockholders .....	19	10	—	—	3	4	2	1
10 or less stockholders .....	365	237	—	8	58	76	46	49
Other than family held .....	113	64	1	4	12	27	11	9
acres..	554 404	436 289	(D)	(D)	12 887	324 580	67 241	(D)
More than 10 stockholders .....	17	14	—	1	2	7	3	1
10 or less stockholders .....	96	50	1	3	10	20	8	8
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. .... farms..								
	65	33	—	—	5	9	5	14
acres..	(D)	(D)	—	—	195	(D)	(D)	(D)

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Table 48. **Summary by Age and Principal Occupation of Operator: 1997—Con.**

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Item	Other occupations						
	Total	Age of operator (years)					
		Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
<b>TENURE AND RACE OF OPERATOR</b>							
All operators .....	2 421	14	94	525	872	466	450
Full owners .....	1 489	8	42	292	514	297	336
Part owners .....	237	1	9	46	84	75	22
Tenants .....	695	5	43	187	274	94	92
White .....	1 073	2	32	222	448	218	151
Full owners .....	745	2	13	161	306	147	116
Part owners .....	117	—	5	16	46	38	12
Tenants .....	211	—	14	45	96	33	23
Black and other races .....	1 348	12	62	303	424	248	299
Full owners .....	744	6	29	131	208	150	220
Part owners .....	120	1	4	30	38	37	10
Tenants .....	484	5	29	142	178	61	69
<b>OWNED AND RENTED LAND</b>							
Land owned..... farms..	1 729	9	51	338	600	373	358
acres..	139 805	91	(D)	6 557	63 000	(D)	25 174
Owned land in farms .....	1 726	9	51	338	598	372	358
acres..	125 811	91	322	6 461	56 507	38 127	24 303
Land rented or leased from others .....	938	6	54	236	359	169	114
acres..	108 942	49	1 284	22 766	26 252	42 534	16 057
landlords..	1 237	6	74	315	475	211	156
Rented or leased land in farms .....	932	6	52	233	358	169	114
acres..	107 240	49	1 269	22 660	25 090	42 523	15 649
Land rented or leased to others .....	78	—	3	10	29	20	16
acres..	15 696	—	(D)	202	7 655	(D)	1 279
<b>OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS</b>							
Operators by place of residence:							
On farm operated .....	1 373	7	55	301	502	254	254
Not on farm operated .....	841	5	28	184	310	172	142
Not reported .....	207	2	11	40	60	40	54
Operators by principal occupation:							
Farming .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other .....	2 421	14	94	525	872	466	450
Operators by days worked off farm:							
None .....	389	2	4	40	60	69	214
Any .....	2 032	12	90	485	812	397	236
1 to 99 days .....	290	2	17	52	89	65	65
100 to 199 days .....	431	2	22	91	180	86	50
200 days or more .....	1 311	8	51	342	543	246	121
Not reported .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Operators by years on present farm:							
2 years or less .....	166	2	13	49	65	19	18
3 or 4 years .....	209	1	14	67	71	35	21
5 to 9 years .....	544	2	27	158	208	107	42
10 years or more .....	1 020	—	11	174	378	214	243
Average years on present farm .....	12.3	3.2	5.9	8.7	11.4	13.4	19.5
Not reported .....	482	9	29	77	150	91	126
Operators by age group:							
Under 25 years .....	14	14	—	—	—	—	—
25 to 34 years .....	94	—	94	—	—	—	—
35 to 44 years .....	525	—	—	525	—	—	—
45 to 49 years .....	454	—	—	—	454	—	—
50 to 54 years .....	418	—	—	—	418	—	—
55 to 59 years .....	285	—	—	—	—	285	—
60 to 64 years .....	181	—	—	—	—	181	—
65 to 69 years .....	162	—	—	—	—	—	162
70 years and over .....	288	—	—	—	—	—	288
Average age .....	52.7	21.4	30.8	40.6	49.3	58.7	72.6
Operators by sex:							
Male .....	1 998	10	76	439	729	381	363
Female .....	423	4	18	86	143	85	87
Operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin (see text) .....							
	77	1	3	20	29	15	9
<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION</b>							
Individual or family (sole proprietorship) .....	2 072	12	82	450	754	396	378
acres..	64 758	(D)	(D)	13 531	23 024	8 943	18 152
Partnership .....	131	—	6	31	42	27	25
acres..	11 641	—	(D)	2 246	684	(D)	937
Corporation:							
Family held .....	137	2	3	25	46	27	34
acres..	36 878	(D)	(D)	(D)	10 363	1 210	20 334
More than 10 stockholders .....	9	—	—	1	2	3	3
10 or less stockholders .....	128	2	3	24	44	24	31
Other than family held .....	49	—	2	16	21	5	5
acres..	118 115	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	13
More than 10 stockholders .....	3	—	—	1	1	—	1
10 or less stockholders .....	46	—	2	15	20	5	4
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. ....							
farms..	32	—	1	3	9	11	8
acres..	1 659	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	914	516

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Item	Total farming and other occupations	Farming						
		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
<b>INJURIES AND DEATHS</b>								
Farm-related injuries:								
Operator and family members	farms.. 52 number.. 67	41	—	2	8	13	9	9
Hired workers	farms.. 90 number.. 263	75	—	2	18	33	13	9
		234	—	(D)	25	154	38	(D)
Farm-related deaths:								
Operator and family members	farms.. 1 number.. (D)	1	—	—	—	—	—	1
Hired workers	farms.. 2 number.. (D)	2	—	—	—	1	1	(D)
		(D)	—	—	—	(D)	(D)	—
<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>								
1 to 9 acres	3 456	1 799	9	85	277	435	357	636
10 to 49 acres	1 417	861	6	39	175	249	136	256
50 to 69 acres	122	86	—	2	18	23	17	26
70 to 99 acres	77	45	—	1	10	11	6	17
100 to 139 acres	75	42	—	—	9	9	7	17
140 to 179 acres	44	26	—	2	3	7	7	7
180 to 219 acres	24	13	1	—	2	1	4	5
220 to 259 acres	17	14	—	—	2	6	2	4
260 to 499 acres	98	60	—	1	8	17	9	25
500 to 999 acres	43	30	1	1	7	8	7	6
1,000 to 1,999 acres	33	20	—	1	1	4	5	9
2,000 acres or more	67	56	—	1	8	21	10	16
<b>FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM</b>								
Oilseed and grain farming (1111)	2	2	—	—	—	—	1	1
Vegetable and melon farming (1112)	563	414	2	24	81	127	79	101
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113)	2 286	1 172	4	46	176	266	222	458
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114)	1 277	748	4	34	146	218	127	219
Other crop farming (1119)	354	231	5	12	60	60	45	49
Tobacco farming (11191)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton farming (11192)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199)	354	231	5	12	60	60	45	49
Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111)	561	254	1	7	21	46	49	130
Cattle feedlots (112112)	22	14	1	—	1	2	1	9
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212)	14	14	—	—	4	5	2	3
Hog and pig farming (1122)	152	87	—	4	7	25	22	29
Poultry and egg production (1123)	39	28	—	2	6	8	5	7
Sheep and goat farming (1124)	54	16	—	—	2	8	3	3
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129)	149	72	—	4	16	26	11	15
<b>LIVESTOCK</b>								
Cattle and calves inventory	farms.. 829 number.. 181 732	397	2	10	42	93	73	177
		153 743	(D)	(D)	12 717	74 455	25 915	38 655
Farms with—								
1 to 9	279	110	—	4	13	34	18	41
10 to 49	295	125	1	2	6	17	24	75
50 to 99	87	43	—	1	4	8	9	21
100 to 199	70	41	—	2	6	12	7	14
200 to 499	39	28	1	—	5	5	6	11
500 or more	59	50	—	1	8	17	9	15
Cows and heifers that had calved								
	farms.. 648 number.. 102 100	315	2	8	32	72	57	144
		85 868	(D)	(D)	6 288	41 777	15 312	21 332
Beef cows								
	farms.. 625 number.. 93 711	297	2	8	28	68	55	136
		(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	38 825	(D)	(D)
Farms with—								
1 to 9	253	97	—	4	9	21	14	49
10 to 49	211	92	1	1	7	19	17	47
50 to 99	68	39	—	1	3	10	9	16
100 to 199	36	25	1	1	4	4	5	10
200 to 499	23	15	—	—	2	5	6	2
500 or more	34	29	—	1	3	9	4	12
Milk cows								
	farms.. 44 number.. 8 389	32	—	—	5	9	3	15
		(D)	—	—	(D)	2 952	(D)	(D)
Farms with—								
1 to 4	23	14	—	—	1	3	—	10
5 to 9	7	4	—	—	—	1	—	3
10 to 49	1	1	—	—	—	—	1	—
50 to 99	1	1	—	—	1	—	—	—
100 to 199	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
200 to 499	4	4	—	—	1	2	—	1
500 or more	8	8	—	—	2	3	2	1
Heifers and heifer calves								
	farms.. 599 number.. 41 411	306	2	5	36	70	50	143
		35 563	(D)	(D)	3 970	16 447	6 350	8 459
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves								
	farms.. 678 number.. 38 221	336	2	8	36	72	58	160
		32 312	(D)	(D)	2 459	16 231	4 253	8 864

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<b>INJURIES AND DEATHS</b>							
Farm-related injuries:							
Operator and family members . . . . . farms..	11	—	—	5	2	2	2
number..	12	—	—	6	(D)	(D)	(D)
Hired workers . . . . . farms..	15	—	—	1	6	5	3
number..	29	—	—	(D)	8	6	(D)
Farm-related deaths:							
Operator and family members . . . . . farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
number..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hired workers . . . . . farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
number..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>							
1 to 9 acres . . . . .	1 657	10	66	375	573	311	322
10 to 49 acres . . . . .	556	4	23	103	228	113	85
50 to 69 acres . . . . .	36	—	2	10	10	6	8
70 to 99 acres . . . . .	32	—	—	3	14	9	6
100 to 139 acres . . . . .	33	—	—	9	10	12	2
140 to 179 acres . . . . .	18	—	2	2	8	1	5
180 to 219 acres . . . . .	11	—	—	3	3	1	4
220 to 259 acres . . . . .	3	—	—	—	2	—	1
260 to 499 acres . . . . .	38	—	1	11	11	9	6
500 to 999 acres . . . . .	13	—	—	2	8	1	2
1,000 to 1,999 acres . . . . .	13	—	—	5	1	1	6
2,000 acres or more . . . . .	11	—	—	2	4	2	3
<b>FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM</b>							
Oilseed and grain farming (1111) . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Vegetable and melon farming (1112) . . . . .	149	2	11	33	53	22	28
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113) . . . . .	1 114	6	41	223	414	218	212
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114) . . . . .	529	4	8	133	167	100	117
Other crop farming (1119) . . . . .	123	1	10	32	47	19	14
Tobacco farming (11191) . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton farming (11192) . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199) . . . . .	123	1	10	32	47	19	14
Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111) . . . . .	307	1	8	67	112	59	60
Cattle feedlots (112112) . . . . .	8	—	—	1	2	1	4
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212) . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hog and pig farming (1122) . . . . .	65	—	9	14	21	17	4
Poultry and egg production (1123) . . . . .	11	—	1	2	5	2	1
Sheep and goat farming (1124) . . . . .	38	—	—	5	19	11	3
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129) . . . . .	77	—	6	15	32	17	7
<b>LIVESTOCK</b>							
Cattle and calves inventory . . . . . farms..	432	1	12	89	174	81	75
number..	27 989	(D)	(D)	6 756	13 489	2 549	4 863
Farms with—							
1 to 9 . . . . .	169	—	7	34	74	28	26
10 to 49 . . . . .	170	1	2	31	66	36	34
50 to 99 . . . . .	44	—	2	6	16	12	8
100 to 199 . . . . .	29	—	1	11	10	4	3
200 to 499 . . . . .	11	—	—	4	4	1	2
500 or more . . . . .	9	—	—	3	4	—	2
Cows and heifers that had calved . . . . . farms..	333	1	7	74	132	63	56
number..	16 232	(D)	(D)	3 814	8 233	1 258	2 796
Beef cows . . . . . farms..	328	1	7	74	131	61	54
number..	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	1 253	2 793
Farms with—							
1 to 9 . . . . .	156	1	4	34	66	28	23
10 to 49 . . . . .	119	—	2	24	46	26	21
50 to 99 . . . . .	29	—	1	7	11	6	4
100 to 199 . . . . .	11	—	—	4	3	—	4
200 to 499 . . . . .	8	—	—	4	3	1	—
500 or more . . . . .	5	—	—	1	2	—	2
Milk cows . . . . . farms..	12	—	—	2	4	3	3
number..	(D)	—	—	(D)	(D)	5	3
Farms with—							
1 to 4 . . . . .	9	—	—	1	2	3	3
5 to 9 . . . . .	3	—	—	1	2	—	—
10 to 49 . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
50 to 99 . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100 to 199 . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
200 to 499 . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
500 or more . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Heifers and heifer calves . . . . . farms..	293	1	9	64	121	49	49
number..	5 848	(D)	(D)	1 442	2 783	700	831
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves . . . . . farms..	342	—	7	75	132	61	66
number..	5 909	(D)	(D)	1 500	2 473	591	1 236

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			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
<b>LIVESTOCK—Con.</b>								
Cattle and calves sold	farms.. 660	333	2	7	31	70	59	164
	number.. 66 726	55 508	(D)	(D)	2 835	28 124	8 175	15 541
	\$1,000.. 27 895	23 731	(D)	144	(D)	14 157	2 981	5 527
Calves	farms.. 404	203	1	3	23	45	42	89
	number.. 22 309	17 343	(D)	(D)	1 629	6 138	3 478	5 467
	\$1,000.. 5 103	4 051	(D)	(D)	345	1 542	817	1 215
Cattle	farms.. 380	192	2	5	17	37	27	104
	number.. 44 417	38 165	(D)	(D)	1 206	21 986	4 697	10 074
	\$1,000.. 22 792	19 680	(D)	(D)	(D)	12 615	2 164	4 313
Fattened on grain and concentrates	farms.. 38	26	1	—	5	6	2	12
	number.. 10 332	9 942	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	1 973
	\$1,000.. 7 247	6 998	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	1 363
Hogs and pigs inventory	farms.. 248	137	—	9	16	37	34	41
	number.. 29 440	22 504	—	366	1 721	5 929	6 346	8 142
Farms with—								
1 to 24	158	74	—	5	12	20	17	20
25 to 49	19	10	—	—	1	2	5	2
50 to 99	18	12	—	2	1	2	—	7
100 to 199	24	18	—	2	1	4	4	7
200 to 499	9	8	—	—	—	5	2	1
500 or more	20	15	—	—	1	4	6	4
Used or to be used for breeding	farms.. 168	103	—	5	8	27	30	33
	number.. 4 588	3 455	—	68	268	898	982	1 239
Other	farms.. 236	128	—	8	15	34	32	39
	number.. 24 852	19 049	—	298	1 453	5 031	5 364	6 903
Hogs and pigs sold	farms.. 190	111	—	5	10	31	29	36
	number.. 38 066	31 332	—	(D)	(D)	9 061	7 070	11 442
	\$1,000.. 6 336	5 208	—	(D)	(D)	1 516	1 227	1 872
Feeder pigs	farms.. 25	13	—	—	1	1	6	5
	number.. 3 538	2 672	—	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	2 105
	\$1,000.. 146	71	—	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	43
Litters of pigs farrowed between—								
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30	farms.. 174	106	—	5	8	29	31	33
	number.. 5 941	4 857	—	55	419	1 438	1 288	1 657
Dec. 1 and May 31	farms.. 159	100	—	5	8	26	29	32
	number.. 3 099	2 531	—	28	209	794	615	885
June 1 and Nov. 30	farms.. 141	92	—	4	8	24	27	29
	number.. 2 842	2 326	—	27	210	644	673	772
Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory	farms.. 104	45	1	1	3	13	14	13
	number.. 22 541	21 967	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	109	(D)
Ewes 1 year old or older	farms.. 81	38	1	—	1	10	14	12
	number.. (D)	(D)	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	72	(D)
Sheep and lambs sold	farms.. 45	22	1	—	1	8	5	7
	number.. 2 484	2 115	(D)	—	(D)	616	56	(D)
Sheep and lambs shorn	farms.. 33	17	1	—	—	8	4	4
	number.. 3 428	3 252	(D)	—	—	777	(D)	(D)
	pounds of wool.. 12 632	11 954	(D)	—	—	4 385	(D)	(D)
Horses and ponies inventory	farms.. 591	275	2	6	36	70	55	106
	number.. 4 923	3 050	(D)	(D)	326	1 417	541	718
Horses and ponies sold	farms.. 69	30	—	—	3	12	7	8
	number.. 189	114	—	—	(D)	68	(D)	23
Goats inventory	farms.. 162	64	—	3	11	18	15	17
	number.. 3 305	2 111	—	(D)	474	521	(D)	856
Goats sold	farms.. 64	26	—	2	6	6	5	7
	number.. 3 643	3 180	—	(D)	(D)	116	45	90
<b>POULTRY</b>								
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text)	farms.. 140	70	—	7	10	20	14	19
	number.. 726 534	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Farms with—								
1 to 399	127	60	—	6	8	18	14	14
400 to 3,199	4	3	—	—	2	—	—	1
3,200 to 9,999	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
10,000 to 19,999	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
20,000 to 49,999	4	4	—	1	—	1	—	2
50,000 to 99,999	2	1	—	—	—	1	—	—
100,000 or more	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	2
Layers 20 weeks old and older	farms.. 136	69	—	7	10	20	14	18
	number.. 714 924	(D)	—	(D)	1 034	(D)	156	469 338
Pullets 13 weeks old and older but less than 20 weeks old	farms.. 43	20	—	3	1	7	2	7
	number.. 11 610	9 272	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold (see text)	farms.. 23	19	—	3	2	6	1	7
	number.. (D)	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold	farms.. 9	8	—	—	2	2	2	2
	number.. 478 672	(D)	—	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Farms with—								
1 to 1,999	6	5	—	—	2	1	2	—
2,000 to 59,999	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
60,000 to 99,999	2	2	—	—	—	1	—	1
100,000 or more	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	1
Turkey hens kept for breeding	farms.. 1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	number.. (D)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Turkeys sold	farms.. —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	number.. —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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Table 48. Summary by Age and Principal Occupation of Operator: 1997—Con.

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

Item	Other occupations						
	Total	Age of operator (years)					
		Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
<b>LIVESTOCK—Con.</b>							
Cattle and calves sold	farms.. 327	1	9	62	127	68	60
	number.. 11 218	(D)	(D)	2 157	5 604	991	2 302
	\$1,000.. 4 165	(D)	(D)	551	2 558	281	720
Calves	farms.. 201	1	3	40	71	50	36
	number.. 4 966	(D)	(D)	1 646	1 536	(D)	1 115
	\$1,000.. 1 052	(D)	(D)	359	307	(D)	252
Cattle	farms.. 188	—	6	37	75	34	36
	number.. 6 252	(D)	(D)	511	4 068	(D)	1 187
	\$1,000.. 3 112	(D)	(D)	192	2 251	(D)	468
Fattened on grain and concentrates	farms.. 12	—	—	2	4	1	5
	number.. 390	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
	\$1,000.. 249	(D)	(D)	(D)	26	(D)	(D)
Hogs and pigs inventory	farms.. 111	—	10	30	46	20	5
	number.. 6 936	(D)	2 322	1 108	2 339	722	445
Farms with—							
1 to 24	84	—	5	25	36	16	2
25 to 49	9	—	1	—	4	3	1
50 to 99	6	—	1	2	3	—	—
100 to 199	6	—	2	2	1	—	1
200 to 499	1	—	—	—	—	—	1
500 or more	5	—	1	1	2	1	—
Used or to be used for breeding	farms.. 65	—	9	20	22	9	5
	number.. 1 133	(D)	325	336	251	(D)	(D)
Other	farms.. 108	—	10	28	45	20	5
	number.. 5 803	(D)	1 997	772	2 088	(D)	(D)
Hogs and pigs sold	farms.. 79	—	10	18	31	16	4
	number.. 6 734	(D)	3 203	1 637	1 122	541	231
	\$1,000.. 1 128	(D)	616	223	161	82	45
Feeder pigs	farms.. 12	—	3	4	4	1	—
	number.. 866	(D)	(D)	653	47	(D)	—
	\$1,000.. 75	(D)	(D)	63	3	(D)	—
Litters of pigs farrowed between—							
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30	farms.. 68	—	10	20	24	9	5
	number.. 1 084	(D)	403	239	245	130	67
Dec. 1 and May 31	farms.. 59	—	10	15	22	9	3
	number.. 568	(D)	204	119	126	80	39
June 1 and Nov. 30	farms.. 49	—	8	14	17	6	4
	number.. 516	(D)	199	120	119	50	28
Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory	farms.. 59	2	3	11	26	12	5
	number.. 574	(D)	(D)	(D)	290	84	48
Ewes 1 year old or older	farms.. 43	—	2	6	21	11	3
	number.. 227	(D)	(D)	(D)	126	50	12
Sheep and lambs sold	farms.. 23	2	2	4	9	4	2
	number.. 369	(D)	(D)	(D)	158	35	(D)
Sheep and lambs shorn	farms.. 16	—	3	1	6	4	2
	number.. 176	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	37	(D)
	pounds of wool.. 678	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	126	(D)
Horses and ponies inventory	farms.. 316	2	13	77	133	55	36
	number.. 1 873	(D)	(D)	578	659	352	216
Horses and ponies sold	farms.. 39	—	3	10	14	12	—
	number.. 75	(D)	(D)	17	22	(D)	—
Goats inventory	farms.. 98	3	5	28	38	14	10
	number.. 1 194	(D)	(D)	353	540	175	80
Goats sold	farms.. 38	1	3	10	14	10	—
	number.. 463	(D)	(D)	193	162	87	—
<b>POULTRY</b>							
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text)	farms.. 70	2	4	21	33	9	1
	number.. (D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	134	(D)
Farms with—							
1 to 399	67	2	4	20	31	9	1
400 to 3,199	1	—	—	—	1	—	—
3,200 to 9,999	1	—	—	1	—	—	—
10,000 to 19,999	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
20,000 to 49,999	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
50,000 to 99,999	1	—	—	—	1	—	—
100,000 or more	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Layers 20 weeks old and older	farms.. 67	2	4	19	32	9	1
	number.. (D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	103	(D)
Pullets 13 weeks old and older but less than 20 weeks old	farms.. 23	—	—	9	10	4	—
	number.. 2 338	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	31	—
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold (see text)	farms.. 4	—	—	2	2	—	—
	number.. (D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	—
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold	farms.. 1	—	—	—	—	1	—
	number.. (D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—
Farms with—							
1 to 1,999	1	—	—	—	—	1	—
2,000 to 59,999	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
60,000 to 99,999	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 or more	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Turkey hens kept for breeding	farms.. 1	—	—	—	1	—	—
	number.. (D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	—
Turkeys sold	farms.. —	—	—	—	—	—	—
	number.. —	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	—

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Item	Total farming and other occupations	Farming						
		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
<b>SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED</b>								
Sugarcane for sugar .....	farms.. 13	8	—	—	2	4	2	—
	acres.. 31 483	(D)	—	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	—
	tons.. 2 873 712	(D)	—	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	—
Irrigated .....	farms.. 10	5	—	—	1	2	2	—
	acres.. 29 494	(D)	—	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	—
Pineapples harvested .....	farms.. 27	18	—	1	2	5	5	5
	acres.. 12 992	12 957	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
	tons.. 348 428	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Irrigated .....	farms.. 16	12	—	—	—	4	4	4
	acres.. 12 109	(D)	—	—	—	(D)	(D)	(D)
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text) .....	farms.. 657	479	2	25	91	151	90	120
	acres.. 6 549	6 129	(D)	(D)	1 332	3 054	939	665
Irrigated .....	farms.. 526	398	2	21	80	127	73	95
	acres.. 5 836	5 499	(D)	(D)	956	2 927	899	590
Farms by acres harvested:								
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....	459	304	—	17	37	92	62	96
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....	159	138	2	8	44	42	22	20
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....	30	28	—	—	8	12	5	3
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....	5	5	—	—	1	3	—	1
250.0 acres or more .....	4	4	—	—	1	2	1	—
Land in orchards .....	farms.. 2 786	1 465	4	57	226	357	278	543
	acres.. 37 906	32 134	8	362	4 719	19 966	2 858	4 221
Irrigated .....	farms.. 777	444	2	14	58	130	87	153
	acres.. 14 328	13 496	(D)	(D)	2 238	8 539	1 054	1 644
Farms by bearing and nonbearing acres:								
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....	1 842	835	4	28	99	184	161	359
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....	830	536	—	28	97	143	100	168
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....	83	64	—	1	22	15	14	12
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....	12	12	—	—	6	4	—	2
250.0 acres or more .....	19	18	—	—	2	11	3	2

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	Total	Age of operator (years)						
		Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over	
<b>SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED</b>								
Sugarcane for sugar .....	farms..	5	—	—	—	4	1	—
	acres..	(D)	—	—	—	12	(D)	—
	tons..	(D)	—	—	—	424	(D)	—
Irrigated .....	farms..	5	—	—	—	4	1	—
	acres..	(D)	—	—	—	12	(D)	—
Pineapples harvested .....	farms..	9	—	—	2	5	1	1
	acres..	35	—	—	(D)	6	(D)	(D)
	tons..	(D)	—	—	(D)	37	(D)	(D)
Irrigated .....	farms..	4	—	—	1	1	1	1
	acres..	(D)	—	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text) .....	farms..	178	2	15	43	67	25	26
	acres..	420	(D)	37	75	181	98	(D)
Irrigated .....	farms..	128	1	8	33	53	20	13
	acres..	337	(D)	16	70	147	85	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:								
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....		155	1	11	41	54	22	26
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....		21	1	4	1	13	2	—
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....		2	—	—	1	—	1	—
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
250.0 acres or more .....		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Land in orchards .....	farms..	1 321	7	48	277	501	247	241
	acres..	5 772	61	201	854	1 859	1 090	1 707
Irrigated .....	farms..	333	1	12	88	146	45	41
	acres..	833	(D)	(D)	219	357	132	101
Farms by bearing and nonbearing acres:								
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....		1 007	4	40	228	383	174	178
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....		294	2	6	47	113	68	58
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....		19	1	2	2	5	5	4
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
250.0 acres or more .....		1	—	—	—	—	—	1

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

<sup>2</sup>Farms with total production expenses equal to market value of agricultural products sold are included as farms with gains of less than \$1,000.