

Table 11. Tenure and Characteristics of Operator and Type of Organization: 1997 and 1992

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

Characteristics	Idaho	Ada	Adams	Bannock	Bear Lake	Benewah	Bingham	Blaine
FARMS								
Land in farms	farms, 1997.. 22 314	1 221	279	664	410	226	1 168	195
	1992.. 22 124	1 174	271	588	415	195	1 282	221
	acres, 1997.. 11 830 167	231 188	200 480	309 281	221 717	125 988	796 065	214 985
	1992.. 13 468 992	232 879	221 209	325 338	269 435	111 510	1 371 605	266 293
Harvested cropland	farms, 1997.. 15 494	819	179	393	324	127	772	145
	1992.. 16 023	760	169	395	353	135	847	149
	acres, 1997.. 4 478 862	66 567	15 595	74 634	63 134	59 548	310 419	45 149
	1992.. 4 225 273	64 754	16 319	91 821	62 342	58 066	297 491	42 814
TENURE OF OPERATOR								
Full owners	farms, 1997.. 13 875	866	174	441	236	146	694	140
	1992.. 13 000	785	175	365	225	110	752	149
	acres, 1997.. 4 699 642	63 034	47 016	124 543	92 977	40 191	367 473	144 641
	1992.. 4 434 206	57 965	77 427	147 350	85 701	23 042	185 631	128 752
Harvested cropland	farms, 1997.. 8 430	543	107	220	172	62	388	103
	1992.. 8 350	478	93	218	179	70	413	100
	acres, 1997.. 1 120 855	18 532	5 492	16 651	25 725	6 572	82 241	23 834
	1992.. 1 127 204	17 891	5 420	38 899	17 045	5 315	77 505	17 423
Part owners	farms, 1997.. 6 292	266	80	184	145	65	368	43
	1992.. 6 502	264	78	169	165	61	390	47
	acres, 1997.. 6 037 239	154 070	144 211	169 589	117 596	71 056	399 879	66 963
	1992.. 7 670 690	159 448	129 952	157 705	171 888	72 728	1 140 395	124 384
Owned land in farms	acres, 1997.. 3 197 988	87 426	93 443	75 147	67 099	28 871	205 471	37 369
	1992.. 4 088 446	75 901	87 135	74 269	88 480	28 405	708 041	63 188
Rented land in farms	acres, 1997.. 2 839 251	66 644	50 768	94 442	50 497	42 185	194 408	29 594
	1992.. 3 582 244	83 547	42 817	83 436	83 408	44 323	432 354	61 196
Harvested cropland	farms, 1997.. 5 458	216	62	144	131	54	301	34
	1992.. 5 624	208	67	139	155	48	324	36
	acres, 1997.. 2 772 389	41 212	9 565	48 694	34 547	43 065	206 713	18 932
	1992.. 2 498 359	35 919	10 496	40 917	43 029	41 133	188 229	20 627
Tenants	farms, 1997.. 2 147	89	25	39	29	15	106	12
	1992.. 2 622	125	18	54	25	24	140	25
	acres, 1997.. 1 093 286	14 084	9 253	15 149	11 144	14 741	28 713	3 381
	1992.. 1 364 096	15 466	13 830	20 283	11 846	15 740	45 579	13 157
Harvested cropland	farms, 1997.. 1 606	60	10	29	21	11	83	8
	1992.. 2 049	74	9	38	19	17	110	13
	acres, 1997.. 585 618	6 823	538	9 289	2 862	9 911	21 465	2 383
	1992.. 599 710	10 944	403	12 005	2 268	11 618	31 757	4 764
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS								
Operators by place of residence:								
On farm operated	1997.. 17 068	1 034	237	489	275	169	912	144
	1992.. 16 905	950	223	445	281	154	992	157
Not on farm operated	1997.. 3 801	131	29	129	117	29	162	40
	1992.. 3 826	161	31	111	106	30	210	51
Not reported	1997.. 1 445	56	13	46	18	28	94	11
	1992.. 1 393	63	17	32	28	11	80	13
Operators by principal occupation:								
Farming	1997.. 12 049	467	135	269	193	108	607	113
	1992.. 13 082	513	149	242	216	100	716	134
Other	1997.. 10 265	754	144	395	217	118	561	82
	1992.. 9 042	661	122	346	199	95	566	87
Operators by days worked off farm:								
None	1997.. 8 856	387	97	213	145	87	447	70
	1992.. 9 297	386	97	188	156	86	552	99
Any	1997.. 12 230	792	175	418	243	122	642	106
	1992.. 11 342	732	156	368	228	103	651	110
1 to 49 days	1997.. 1 517	60	26	39	21	16	58	24
	1992.. 1 474	75	22	24	28	14	64	12
50 to 99 days	1997.. 747	29	13	15	11	8	30	6
	1992.. 684	19	10	12	8	6	24	11
100 to 149 days	1997.. 770	34	15	14	11	10	37	6
	1992.. 734	38	19	21	12	15	34	4
150 to 199 days	1997.. 1 311	73	18	44	28	14	66	11
	1992.. 1 236	64	29	44	27	10	44	12
200 days or more	1997.. 7 885	596	103	306	172	74	451	59
	1992.. 7 214	536	76	267	153	58	485	71
Not reported	1997.. 1 228	42	7	33	22	17	79	19
	1992.. 1 485	56	18	32	31	6	79	12
Operators by years on present farm:								
2 years or less	1997.. 1 269	72	17	27	17	9	59	13
	1992.. 1 420	79	8	23	20	17	78	10
3 or 4 years	1997.. 1 752	135	27	43	21	18	75	18
	1992.. 1 834	122	36	42	35	11	109	29
5 to 9 years	1997.. 3 592	250	62	93	54	26	194	25
	1992.. 2 991	209	46	72	54	25	156	25
10 years or more	1997.. 12 603	641	145	394	264	121	675	113
	1992.. 12 912	633	153	367	239	121	763	123
Average years on present farm	1997.. 18.7	16.1	16.6	19.5	22.5	20.6	19.0	19.7
	1992.. 18.3	16.4	16.9	18.6	21.4	20.7	18.2	17.1
Not reported	1997.. 3 098	123	28	107	54	52	165	26
	1992.. 2 967	131	28	84	67	21	176	34

Table 11. **Tenure and Characteristics of Operator and Type of Organization: 1997 and 1992—Con.**

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Characteristics	Boise	Bonner	Bonneville	Boundary	Butte	Camas	Canyon	Caribou	
FARMS									
Land in farms	78	501	787	312	207	98	1 898	427	
farms, 1997..	67	476	775	285	188	93	1 873	384	
acres, 1997..	45 461	98 662	449 426	72 685	129 639	127 514	354 919	469 381	
1992..	80 333	150 021	453 647	72 664	159 358	129 490	391 050	587 693	
Harvested cropland	43	354	546	234	165	78	1 348	276	
farms, 1997..	33	331	575	225	135	61	1 347	278	
acres, 1997..	3 151	20 232	203 034	38 585	56 972	57 909	196 689	153 406	
1992..	1 926	21 358	199 650	36 732	48 199	25 221	197 067	140 089	
TENURE OF OPERATOR									
Full owners	58	377	484	207	137	51	1 148	254	
farms, 1997..	46	327	456	175	130	49	1 063	212	
acres, 1997..	36 544	54 855	124 587	30 133	64 924	44 441	79 342	179 032	
1992..	62 072	78 004	147 565	23 715	94 964	49 186	96 565	147 809	
Harvested cropland	30	249	290	145	102	38	723	139	
farms, 1997..	19	217	293	128	89	24	674	138	
acres, 1997..	1 942	9 107	41 858	12 687	28 491	16 605	40 072	42 092	
1992..	811	9 024	46 318	8 304	27 779	6 952	38 784	38 613	
Part owners	11	105	218	86	54	32	555	141	
farms, 1997..	14	125	248	91	43	29	540	129	
acres, 1997..	6 810	39 116	292 862	36 021	60 255	67 154	185 724	270 153	
1992..	11 642	68 767	269 933	42 518	56 572	63 845	199 658	364 946	
Owned land in farms	3 006	18 654	164 340	14 849	40 921	20 330	76 656	184 158	
acres, 1997..	5 709	20 673	151 002	20 497	42 214	24 961	79 172	178 810	
1992..	3 804	20 462	128 522	21 172	19 334	46 824	109 068	85 995	
Rented land in farms	5 933	48 094	118 931	22 021	14 358	38 884	120 486	186 136	
acres, 1997..	6	92	191	75	51	30	473	114	
Harvested cropland	10	99	220	81	38	25	466	107	
farms, 1997..	529	9 781	143 437	21 907	26 073	30 768	125 127	104 043	
acres, 1997..	635	11 641	135 181	23 951	17 968	15 792	121 900	91 665	
Tenants	9	19	85	19	16	15	195	32	
farms, 1997..	7	24	71	19	15	15	270	43	
acres, 1997..	2 107	4 691	31 977	6 531	4 460	15 919	89 853	20 196	
1992..	6 619	3 250	36 149	6 431	7 822	16 459	94 827	74 938	
Harvested cropland	7	13	65	14	12	10	152	23	
farms, 1997..	4	15	62	16	8	12	207	33	
acres, 1997..	680	1 344	17 739	3 991	2 408	10 536	31 490	7 271	
1992..	480	693	18 151	4 477	2 452	2 477	36 383	9 811	
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS									
Operators by place of residence:									
On farm operated	62	452	561	265	156	54	1 508	271	
1997..	50	427	592	237	144	60	1 472	258	
Not on farm operated	8	30	166	35	33	36	286	128	
1997..	12	29	130	37	33	25	278	103	
1992..	8	19	60	12	18	8	104	28	
Not reported	5	20	53	11	11	8	123	23	
Operators by principal occupation:									
Farming	36	217	402	141	131	69	969	247	
1997..	35	232	412	145	132	63	1 066	251	
Other	42	284	385	171	76	29	929	180	
1997..	32	244	363	140	56	30	807	133	
Operators by days worked off farm:									
None	29	186	295	118	88	45	730	193	
1997..	23	163	305	94	94	40	772	161	
Any	47	294	444	184	106	43	1 081	206	
1997..	38	267	408	172	82	51	962	180	
1992..	5	25	44	15	16	6	125	20	
1 to 49 days	3	28	45	14	14	9	109	34	
1997..	4	21	20	8	5	7	52	18	
50 to 99 days	—	10	25	12	5	5	50	11	
1997..	4	24	36	17	1	4	56	13	
100 to 149 days	4	18	36	13	7	6	47	11	
1997..	9	41	35	23	14	6	98	38	
150 to 199 days	7	25	38	37	10	3	71	19	
1997..	25	183	309	121	70	20	750	117	
200 days or more	24	186	264	96	46	28	685	105	
1997..	2	21	48	10	13	10	87	28	
Not reported	6	46	62	19	12	2	139	43	
1992..	Operators by years on present farm:								
2 years or less	7	15	37	16	15	8	116	18	
1997..	5	23	40	14	7	2	164	15	
3 or 4 years	5	46	46	27	20	13	182	24	
1997..	9	37	46	32	18	8	177	25	
5 to 9 years	15	78	114	64	26	10	358	54	
1997..	12	65	98	52	22	21	244	52	
10 years or more	38	306	467	164	109	55	996	270	
1997..	33	294	478	151	119	47	1 013	233	
Average years on present farm	16.1	20.3	20.8	16.3	19.1	19.0	17.0	23.0	
1997..	15.8	19.7	20.5	16.2	18.9	20.1	16.9	22.5	
1992..	Not reported								
1997..	13	56	123	41	37	12	246	61	
1992..	8	57	113	36	22	15	275	59	

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Characteristics	Cassia	Clark	Clearwater	Custer	Elmore	Franklin	Fremont	Gem
FARMS								
Land in farms								
farms, 1997..	729	83	210	268	301	655	493	552
1992..	788	85	210	267	285	619	495	531
acres, 1997..	656 658	215 301	73 103	147 913	355 590	246 127	334 151	182 981
1992..	666 342	286 711	103 246	140 701	353 528	230 086	380 928	197 176
Harvested cropland								
farms, 1997..	540	38	148	173	200	466	337	386
1992..	583	48	139	186	174	498	355	369
acres, 1997..	277 150	47 402	28 135	35 466	92 326	84 429	157 298	27 941
1992..	261 246	51 841	24 186	33 011	71 855	76 751	161 960	27 874
TENURE OF OPERATOR								
Full owners								
farms, 1997..	399	55	136	183	193	445	287	385
1992..	416	58	135	187	175	400	257	364
acres, 1997..	246 146	93 645	23 135	88 445	167 107	104 819	124 367	98 166
1992..	316 362	(D)	29 930	87 004	149 848	104 752	130 034	73 150
Harvested cropland								
farms, 1997..	241	21	92	108	112	284	157	251
1992..	257	31	84	121	84	306	155	237
acres, 1997..	76 328	14 216	4 939	21 786	21 429	27 061	28 070	14 394
1992..	92 881	(D)	6 151	18 574	14 856	29 101	33 591	11 986
Part owners								
farms, 1997..	239	22	62	63	78	171	161	133
1992..	249	17	58	63	67	173	178	134
acres, 1997..	365 738	106 127	47 770	49 466	164 758	129 970	170 038	64 015
1992..	303 092	104 696	53 970	46 610	167 607	111 005	227 650	117 099
Owned land in farms								
acres, 1997..	214 768	91 184	25 118	29 025	100 130	83 369	75 810	39 376
1992..	187 449	86 573	20 403	27 057	98 297	67 282	85 092	78 376
Rented land in farms								
acres, 1997..	150 970	14 943	22 652	20 441	64 628	46 601	94 228	24 639
1992..	115 643	18 123	33 567	19 553	69 310	43 723	142 558	38 723
Harvested cropland								
farms, 1997..	227	15	49	55	66	149	143	115
1992..	233	11	47	52	56	151	148	110
acres, 1997..	170 549	(D)	22 309	12 120	58 171	50 646	101 542	12 306
1992..	140 444	(D)	17 270	12 348	39 390	42 883	112 560	14 747
Tenants								
farms, 1997..	91	6	12	22	30	39	45	34
1992..	123	10	17	17	43	46	60	33
acres, 1997..	44 774	15 529	2 198	10 002	23 725	11 338	39 746	20 800
1992..	46 888	(D)	19 346	7 087	36 073	14 329	23 244	6 927
Harvested cropland								
farms, 1997..	72	2	7	10	22	33	37	20
1992..	93	6	8	13	34	41	52	22
acres, 1997..	30 273	(D)	887	1 560	12 726	6 722	27 686	1 241
1992..	27 921	1 450	765	2 089	17 609	4 767	15 809	1 141
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS								
Operators by place of residence:								
On farm operated								
1997..	528	51	168	205	221	468	342	458
1992..	545	40	164	221	205	450	330	453
Not on farm operated								
1997..	152	21	22	45	58	133	121	59
1992..	181	38	33	24	63	135	129	57
Not reported								
1997..	49	11	20	18	22	54	30	35
1992..	62	7	13	22	17	34	36	21
Operators by principal occupation:								
Farming								
1997..	488	53	98	145	171	327	286	267
1992..	550	57	101	167	173	345	271	282
Other								
1997..	241	30	112	123	130	328	207	285
1992..	238	28	109	100	112	274	224	249
Operators by days worked off farm:								
None								
1997..	344	38	79	98	146	257	180	169
1992..	377	40	85	107	134	247	190	205
Any								
1997..	337	40	114	158	143	363	280	358
1992..	350	41	110	144	132	337	283	303
1 to 49 days								
1997..	58	4	4	17	23	28	41	33
1992..	61	13	13	17	15	33	33	27
50 to 99 days								
1997..	27	2	8	10	10	22	23	28
1992..	23	2	7	10	9	18	27	15
100 to 149 days								
1997..	17	4	7	17	7	17	21	20
1992..	25	1	8	13	5	28	13	25
150 to 199 days								
1997..	30	5	16	19	22	39	29	38
1992..	42	4	15	20	16	27	39	42
200 days or more								
1997..	205	25	79	95	81	257	166	239
1992..	199	21	67	84	87	231	171	194
Not reported								
1997..	48	5	17	12	12	35	33	25
1992..	61	4	15	16	19	35	22	23
Operators by years on present farm:								
2 years or less								
1997..	52	9	9	20	21	31	27	40
1992..	58	6	12	24	19	36	18	52
3 or 4 years								
1997..	40	3	13	26	26	48	32	55
1992..	60	5	14	19	26	38	33	47
5 to 9 years								
1997..	98	12	40	47	40	81	51	114
1992..	80	10	25	35	46	64	59	88
10 years or more								
1997..	418	45	113	142	174	385	309	271
1992..	462	46	130	153	156	389	318	297
Average years on present farm								
1997..	19.7	18.8	19.7	17.1	16.4	21.1	21.6	15.9
1992..	18.1	19.6	20.8	17.4	15.6	22.1	21.1	16.0
Not reported								
1997..	121	14	35	33	40	110	74	72
1992..	128	18	29	36	38	92	67	47

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Characteristics	Gooding	Idaho	Jefferson	Jerome	Kootenai	Latah	Lemhi
FARMS							
Land in farms							
farms, 1997..	675	661	773	683	598	659	308
1992..	683	662	766	815	541	610	333
acres, 1997..	220 362	649 851	332 535	193 921	130 843	325 484	196 584
1992..	227 114	744 295	311 296	207 552	131 281	347 293	193 908
Harvested cropland							
farms, 1997..	427	472	564	481	394	420	203
1992..	479	495	569	600	372	492	216
acres, 1997..	99 625	138 890	197 846	141 631	53 469	188 086	46 898
1992..	97 409	138 675	173 329	142 125	57 605	200 033	41 837
TENURE OF OPERATOR							
Full owners							
farms, 1997..	472	356	468	425	438	405	188
1992..	444	298	467	497	375	301	233
acres, 1997..	90 902	185 911	125 122	65 558	53 954	79 116	116 747
1992..	88 792	131 752	129 780	66 501	47 034	57 608	134 991
Harvested cropland							
farms, 1997..	274	223	296	258	267	204	118
1992..	274	206	306	307	245	224	146
acres, 1997..	31 985	21 143	43 155	40 220	11 326	21 371	27 504
1992..	35 278	19 787	53 063	37 365	9 155	21 282	26 895
Part owners							
farms, 1997..	119	264	228	188	128	193	85
1992..	169	289	228	197	126	211	57
acres, 1997..	112 347	389 397	173 038	111 251	57 889	192 930	57 885
1992..	126 340	542 012	151 780	113 191	61 540	212 625	40 083
Owned land in farms							
acres, 1997..	67 847	184 547	90 313	54 502	23 367	65 651	28 204
1992..	49 754	312 941	85 027	55 706	25 792	70 307	25 299
Rented land in farms							
acres, 1997..	44 500	204 850	82 725	56 749	34 522	127 279	29 681
1992..	76 586	229 071	66 753	57 485	35 748	142 318	14 784
Harvested cropland							
farms, 1997..	99	220	205	171	105	168	66
1992..	149	233	203	186	98	189	44
acres, 1997..	54 972	105 059	124 541	87 557	34 493	125 949	15 687
1992..	53 321	93 274	96 911	80 005	39 001	130 277	9 599
Tenants							
farms, 1997..	84	41	77	70	32	61	35
1992..	70	75	71	121	40	98	43
acres, 1997..	17 113	74 543	34 375	17 112	19 000	53 438	21 952
1992..	11 982	70 531	29 736	27 860	22 707	77 060	18 834
Harvested cropland							
farms, 1997..	54	29	63	52	22	48	19
1992..	56	56	60	107	29	79	26
acres, 1997..	12 668	12 688	30 150	13 854	7 650	40 766	3 707
1992..	8 810	25 614	23 355	24 755	9 449	48 474	5 343
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS							
Operators by place of residence:							
On farm operated							
1997..	492	496	604	542	510	473	256
1992..	531	486	613	622	462	465	265
Not on farm operated							
1997..	103	119	108	90	69	154	39
1992..	97	132	110	139	54	115	46
Not reported							
1997..	80	46	61	51	19	32	13
1992..	55	44	43	54	25	30	22
Operators by principal occupation:							
Farming							
1997..	402	389	391	424	277	313	189
1992..	458	412	411	516	235	347	211
Other							
1997..	273	272	382	259	321	346	119
1992..	225	250	355	299	306	263	122
Operators by days worked off farm:							
None							
1997..	297	277	264	297	212	270	151
1992..	310	274	296	349	185	273	163
Any							
1997..	317	350	463	345	355	357	148
1992..	315	348	420	412	325	308	151
1 to 49 days							
1997..	49	58	52	44	37	46	18
1992..	61	73	44	63	34	35	16
50 to 99 days							
1997..	16	30	27	35	22	13	7
1992..	21	11	20	38	10	16	9
100 to 149 days							
1997..	21	28	26	32	17	33	16
1992..	11	23	20	18	24	22	13
150 to 199 days							
1997..	25	43	59	30	42	29	22
1992..	23	56	51	44	52	51	17
200 days or more							
1997..	206	191	299	204	237	236	85
1992..	199	185	285	249	205	184	96
Not reported							
1997..	61	34	46	41	31	32	9
1992..	58	40	50	54	31	29	19
Operators by years on present farm:							
2 years or less							
1997..	48	17	51	44	32	24	22
1992..	49	24	57	70	38	31	17
3 or 4 years							
1997..	55	32	55	56	44	50	28
1992..	64	43	45	91	49	43	31
5 to 9 years							
1997..	100	88	114	107	136	93	63
1992..	105	79	93	96	74	90	30
10 years or more							
1997..	340	441	438	380	326	402	159
1992..	370	422	470	463	332	376	207
Average years on present farm							
1997..	16.6	23.0	18.5	17.6	17.1	20.2	17.4
1992..	16.2	21.3	18.8	15.9	18.0	19.8	18.1
Not reported							
1997..	132	83	115	96	60	90	36
1992..	95	94	101	95	48	70	48

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

Characteristics	Lewis	Lincoln	Madison	Minidoka	Nez Perce	Oneida	Owyhee
FARMS							
Land in farms							
farms, 1997..	182	281	470	674	383	387	570
1992..	177	302	505	774	345	313	561
acres, 1997..	193 582	131 473	222 817	206 882	339 476	271 108	682 860
1992..	211 039	132 429	224 369	208 161	477 839	271 143	752 032
Harvested cropland							
farms, 1997..	145	225	363	477	253	282	408
1992..	143	232	396	618	249	259	410
acres, 1997..	114 647	63 907	147 243	175 250	171 767	84 521	113 447
1992..	116 593	50 960	144 280	174 157	165 179	75 862	85 528
TENURE OF OPERATOR							
Full owners							
farms, 1997..	70	201	259	356	188	256	321
1992..	50	200	270	383	150	198	331
acres, 1997..	34 404	71 576	70 156	43 121	83 304	116 085	373 385
1992..	32 706	76 918	68 679	57 444	62 824	117 008	424 740
Harvested cropland							
farms, 1997..	46	153	170	199	90	162	200
1992..	34	146	189	259	83	156	214
acres, 1997..	13 248	29 898	33 964	27 891	19 197	25 925	35 871
1992..	13 944	23 737	38 754	41 579	17 611	32 102	30 948
Part owners							
farms, 1997..	67	55	168	227	122	108	157
1992..	89	69	178	281	120	93	145
acres, 1997..	114 990	51 688	128 622	120 219	183 081	137 321	255 901
1992..	134 350	44 387	123 341	124 598	331 142	127 600	292 566
Owned land in farms							
acres, 1997..	40 653	27 243	72 105	54 594	57 771	76 773	158 570
1992..	61 439	27 437	63 743	60 158	99 814	74 030	160 600
Rented land in farms							
acres, 1997..	74 337	24 445	56 517	65 625	125 310	60 548	97 331
1992..	72 911	16 950	59 598	64 440	231 328	53 570	131 966
Harvested cropland							
farms, 1997..	62	52	153	206	107	99	141
1992..	79	62	158	262	104	85	129
acres, 1997..	68 538	27 386	93 058	108 195	101 598	53 434	60 514
1992..	77 796	20 696	85 046	109 347	105 259	37 677	41 260
Tenants							
farms, 1997..	45	25	43	91	73	23	92
1992..	38	33	57	110	75	22	85
acres, 1997..	44 188	8 209	24 039	43 542	73 091	17 702	53 574
1992..	43 983	11 124	32 349	26 119	83 873	26 535	34 726
Harvested cropland							
farms, 1997..	37	20	40	72	56	21	67
1992..	30	24	49	97	62	18	67
acres, 1997..	32 861	6 623	20 221	39 164	50 972	5 162	17 062
1992..	24 853	6 527	20 480	23 231	42 309	6 083	13 320
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS							
Operators by place of residence:							
On farm operated							
1997..	112	239	352	517	264	222	449
1992..	120	262	373	584	254	200	421
Not on farm operated							
1997..	57	23	85	115	84	135	95
1992..	44	25	94	142	68	88	103
Not reported							
1997..	13	19	33	42	35	30	26
1992..	13	15	38	48	23	25	37
Operators by principal occupation:							
Farming							
1997..	118	194	236	436	228	211	390
1992..	143	233	288	563	230	193	409
Other							
1997..	64	87	234	238	155	176	180
1992..	34	69	217	211	115	120	152
Operators by days worked off farm:							
None							
1997..	92	120	169	307	173	149	285
1992..	96	158	202	380	189	124	288
Any							
1997..	76	140	273	329	176	208	259
1992..	63	121	275	333	133	163	237
1 to 49 days							
1997..	13	26	35	52	34	20	53
1992..	14	20	34	53	19	21	46
50 to 99 days							
1997..	7	13	12	21	4	9	18
1992..	8	13	17	27	12	5	21
100 to 149 days							
1997..	3	12	22	21	15	12	27
1992..	2	14	14	21	7	14	10
150 to 199 days							
1997..	11	22	36	28	16	29	26
1992..	5	15	29	32	11	21	25
200 days or more							
1997..	42	67	168	207	107	138	135
1992..	34	59	181	200	84	102	135
Not reported							
1997..	14	21	28	38	34	30	26
1992..	18	23	28	61	23	26	36
Operators by years on present farm:							
2 years or less							
1997..	8	18	11	48	11	22	55
1992..	11	23	21	52	7	11	34
3 or 4 years							
1997..	9	18	27	46	21	35	58
1992..	11	22	30	57	26	18	61
5 to 9 years							
1997..	32	40	54	97	58	52	77
1992..	18	42	78	86	57	21	82
10 years or more							
1997..	106	163	310	404	229	210	306
1992..	118	183	288	480	208	210	316
Average years on present farm							
1997..	22.1	18.4	22.0	18.3	20.8	19.6	17.8
1992..	23.0	16.7	20.2	18.0	20.6	21.9	17.5
Not reported							
1997..	27	42	68	79	64	68	74
1992..	19	32	88	99	47	53	68

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Characteristics	Payette	Power	Shoshone	Teton	Twin Falls	Valley	Washington
FARMS							
Land in farms							
farms, 1997..	564	323	44	270	1 439	119	489
1992..	562	292	42	257	1 457	107	453
acres, 1997..	148 467	424 085	4 100	132 678	456 378	64 282	443 184
1992..	148 776	435 069	4 428	134 788	489 993	78 813	556 131
Harvested cropland							
farms, 1997..	405	233	21	201	1 010	59	360
1992..	428	237	19	197	1 082	41	344
acres, 1997..	43 224	183 446	904	76 919	256 460	7 543	57 968
1992..	43 329	157 365	459	71 504	217 434	6 990	52 047
TENURE OF OPERATOR							
Full owners							
farms, 1997..	408	165	30	143	841	74	315
1992..	391	123	34	133	787	65	259
acres, 1997..	80 237	155 201	3 121	47 811	186 828	29 824	247 716
1992..	52 333	109 211	(D)	51 929	145 718	28 615	142 540
Harvested cropland							
farms, 1997..	269	93	11	93	482	31	214
1992..	280	77	15	95	481	21	184
acres, 1997..	14 626	36 244	536	20 836	61 281	1 601	22 909
1992..	14 694	25 479	(D)	22 583	46 035	1 014	18 851
Part owners							
farms, 1997..	122	120	10	104	384	35	126
1992..	122	122	6	97	391	34	146
acres, 1997..	63 522	233 102	913	75 608	206 811	27 402	163 981
1992..	87 335	252 535	1 328	74 844	256 900	40 392	365 691
Owned land in farms							
acres, 1997..	38 514	132 566	335	38 188	98 688	15 205	95 832
1992..	63 097	116 647	228	46 646	126 334	24 426	240 035
Rented land in farms							
acres, 1997..	25 008	100 536	578	37 420	108 123	12 197	68 149
1992..	24 238	135 888	1 100	28 198	130 566	15 966	125 656
Harvested cropland							
farms, 1997..	113	109	8	91	351	25	114
1992..	111	117	4	83	353	16	128
acres, 1997..	26 353	125 083	(D)	50 739	150 393	(D)	29 485
1992..	25 207	108 016	(D)	43 585	112 791	4 087	29 454
Tenants							
farms, 1997..	34	38	4	23	214	10	48
1992..	49	47	2	27	279	8	48
acres, 1997..	4 708	35 782	66	9 259	62 739	7 056	31 487
1992..	9 108	73 323	(D)	8 015	87 375	9 806	47 900
Harvested cropland							
farms, 1997..	23	31	2	17	177	3	32
1992..	37	43	—	19	248	4	32
acres, 1997..	2 245	22 119	(D)	5 344	44 786	(D)	5 574
1992..	3 428	23 870	—	5 336	58 608	1 889	3 742
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS							
Operators by place of residence:							
On farm operated							
1997..	475	223	37	186	1 108	89	392
1992..	444	202	32	186	1 110	84	339
Not on farm operated							
1997..	61	81	2	68	241	22	80
1992..	81	75	4	58	261	16	67
Not reported							
1997..	28	19	5	16	90	8	17
1992..	37	15	6	13	86	7	47
Operators by principal occupation:							
Farming							
1997..	294	212	22	156	877	61	290
1992..	320	219	19	162	998	58	305
Other							
1997..	270	111	22	114	562	58	199
1992..	242	73	23	95	459	49	148
Operators by days worked off farm:							
None							
1997..	222	161	19	114	591	43	202
1992..	220	162	17	123	646	40	201
Any							
1997..	321	146	22	141	769	67	272
1992..	304	109	20	122	705	58	212
1 to 49 days							
1997..	34	26	1	20	134	14	43
1992..	26	26	1	19	124	7	31
50 to 99 days							
1997..	22	9	1	15	66	2	21
1992..	17	6	1	7	88	4	14
100 to 149 days							
1997..	14	7	3	9	46	2	12
1992..	23	6	2	17	50	6	14
150 to 199 days							
1997..	28	19	1	18	69	7	35
1992..	28	11	4	14	60	9	33
200 days or more							
1997..	223	85	16	79	454	42	161
1992..	210	60	12	65	383	32	120
Not reported							
1997..	21	16	3	15	79	9	15
1992..	38	21	5	12	106	9	40
Operators by years on present farm:							
2 years or less							
1997..	35	14	3	14	89	6	42
1992..	59	17	1	4	114	8	42
3 or 4 years							
1997..	56	13	2	16	127	5	56
1992..	62	17	6	19	116	10	35
5 to 9 years							
1997..	137	27	6	29	264	24	88
1992..	82	39	5	30	254	11	59
10 years or more							
1997..	280	211	27	168	767	68	253
1992..	300	180	21	172	778	56	244
Average years on present farm							
1997..	16.1	21.9	18.3	23.5	16.6	19.4	16.8
1992..	14.9	19.8	17.9	24.1	16.6	21.3	17.4
Not reported							
1997..	56	58	6	43	192	16	50
1992..	59	39	9	32	195	22	73

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Characteristics	Idaho	Ada	Adams	Bannock	Bear Lake	Benewah	Bingham	Blaine
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS—								
Con.								
Operators by age group:								
Under 25 years	1997.. 236	6	3	1	5	1	17	1
	1992.. 233	9	2	3	3	—	16	1
25 to 34 years	1997.. 1 362	68	9	25	26	12	76	6
	1992.. 2 139	95	16	33	29	15	151	8
35 to 44 years	1997.. 4 986	287	61	120	90	54	295	33
	1992.. 5 013	278	59	136	86	45	317	53
45 to 54 years	1997.. 5 850	340	75	188	75	53	308	59
	1992.. 5 172	291	72	145	73	38	298	62
55 to 59 years	1997.. 2 640	165	37	84	43	27	126	20
	1992.. 2 497	127	34	74	41	24	134	24
60 to 64 years	1997.. 2 264	114	32	76	37	23	115	17
	1992.. 2 228	109	30	67	47	19	139	18
65 to 69 years	1997.. 1 855	81	31	67	39	16	94	21
	1992.. 1 867	115	25	55	47	20	103	28
70 years and over	1997.. 3 121	160	31	103	95	40	137	38
	1992.. 2 975	150	33	75	89	34	124	27
Average age	1997.. 53.2	52.9	53.9	55.4	55.7	54.0	51.8	56.0
	1992.. 52.2	52.5	53.4	53.3	55.7	54.4	50.4	53.5
Operators by sex:								
Male	farms, 1997.. 20 565	1 102	236	611	390	198	1 101	174
	1992.. 20 745	1 066	245	557	402	173	1 225	204
	acres, 1997.. 11 310 688	209 964	186 907	299 760	218 080	120 820	778 289	198 143
	1992.. 13 006 401	227 527	217 270	318 459	264 612	102 638	1 354 855	256 766
Female	farms, 1997.. 1 749	119	43	53	20	28	67	21
	1992.. 1 379	108	26	31	13	22	57	17
	acres, 1997.. 519 479	21 224	13 573	9 521	3 637	5 168	17 776	16 842
	1992.. 462 591	5 352	3 939	6 879	4 823	8 872	16 750	9 527
TYPE OF ORGANIZATION								
Individual or family (sole proprietorship)	farms, 1997.. 18 631	1 108	248	581	348	189	983	142
	1992.. 18 534	1 038	247	507	356	164	1 088	168
	acres, 1997.. 6 226 860	138 974	108 622	177 143	158 578	73 922	296 882	63 830
	1992.. 6 819 467	128 862	100 449	150 641	198 788	64 975	340 542	109 485
Partnership	farms, 1997.. 1 956	67	19	48	47	17	128	14
	1992.. 2 074	88	11	45	47	16	132	26
	acres, 1997.. 2 302 246	16 040	30 490	52 349	45 064	(D)	146 139	21 539
	1992.. 2 452 554	35 671	33 390	97 226	37 265	23 338	171 629	33 565
Corporation:								
Family held	farms, 1997.. 1 351	42	9	23	7	14	38	29
	1992.. 1 177	36	10	23	6	13	39	17
	acres, 1997.. 2 222 151	75 450	60 591	27 355	8 012	17 393	44 097	111 582
	1992.. 2 252 963	61 290	(D)	28 652	20 045	(D)	45 612	89 445
Other than family held	farms, 1997.. 108	3	3	2	1	1	5	5
	1992.. 110	7	—	1	—	—	9	6
	acres, 1997.. 121 513	(D)	777	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
	1992.. 111 683	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	—	(D)	(D)
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc.	farms, 1997.. 268	1	—	10	7	5	14	5
	1992.. 229	5	3	12	5	2	14	4
	acres, 1997.. 957 397	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	17 412	(D)	(D)
	1992.. 1 832 325	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)

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Characteristics	Boise	Bonner	Bonneville	Boundary	Butte	Camas	Canyon	Caribou
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS—								
Con.								
Operators by age group:								
Under 25 years	1997..	4	3	3	4	—	20	3
	1992..	2	3	4	2	1	23	4
25 to 34 years	1997..	12	36	22	15	2	148	19
	1992..	32	56	25	21	11	231	39
35 to 44 years	1997..	94	178	53	46	18	470	90
	1992..	19	96	162	69	17	413	70
45 to 54 years	1997..	23	140	200	96	51	485	85
	1992..	21	105	179	69	45	447	83
55 to 59 years	1997..	9	61	97	45	22	16	230
	1992..	8	54	105	36	18	13	175
60 to 64 years	1997..	5	52	79	30	17	14	168
	1992..	4	55	86	33	28	8	185
65 to 69 years	1997..	4	54	66	31	20	6	153
	1992..	3	43	73	24	15	11	168
70 years and over	1997..	11	84	128	32	32	18	224
	1992..	12	89	111	25	26	12	231
Average age	1997..	52.7	55.8	54.2	52.9	53.4	56.0	51.8
	1992..	53.7	55.0	53.7	51.3	52.8	53.3	51.4
Operators by sex:								
Male	farms, 1997..	58	406	727	284	192	87	1 730
	1992..	59	403	738	258	170	85	1 768
	acres, 1997..	35 482	88 099	437 893	65 966	125 013	120 046	349 540
	1992..	78 436	136 946	443 236	70 115	155 687	119 613	381 587
Female	farms, 1997..	20	95	60	28	15	11	168
	1992..	8	73	37	27	18	8	105
	acres, 1997..	9 979	10 563	11 533	6 719	4 626	7 468	5 379
	1992..	1 897	13 075	10 411	2 549	3 671	9 877	9 463
TYPE OF ORGANIZATION								
Individual or family (sole proprietorship)	farms, 1997..	65	449	652	249	169	63	1 643
	1992..	55	436	645	242	147	69	1 623
	acres, 1997..	23 351	78 971	199 839	39 237	78 987	58 203	186 981
	1992..	28 236	111 895	226 371	48 454	100 804	77 996	210 105
Partnership	farms, 1997..	6	35	71	25	25	18	103
	1992..	8	30	74	21	18	11	110
	acres, 1997..	20 488	9 669	107 624	10 874	(D)	(D)	24 352
	1992..	35 463	32 668	88 175	13 566	(D)	13 750	30 459
Corporation:								
Family held	farms, 1997..	3	14	46	32	12	16	135
	1992..	2	7	44	18	16	10	123
	acres, 1997..	(D)	9 574	99 906	19 041	30 043	47 626	85 191
	1992..	(D)	(D)	108 587	10 239	23 404	34 624	90 050
Other than family held	farms, 1997..	1	—	3	1	1	1	6
	1992..	—	—	3	3	4	2	10
	acres, 1997..	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
	1992..	—	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc.	farms, 1997..	3	3	15	5	—	—	11
	1992..	2	3	9	1	3	1	7
	acres, 1997..	668	448	(D)	(D)	—	—	(D)
	1992..	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	3 143	(D)	(D)

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Characteristics	Cassia	Clark	Clearwater	Custer	Elmore	Franklin	Fremont	Gem
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS—								
Con.								
Operators by age group:								
Under 25 years	1997.. 11	—	—	—	1	7	6	2
	1992.. 24	4	1	2	2	10	3	1
25 to 34 years	1997.. 60	11	8	14	11	41	38	22
	1992.. 83	16	12	19	30	60	69	40
35 to 44 years	1997.. 178	15	30	57	76	132	108	120
	1992.. 200	10	37	58	60	119	105	110
45 to 54 years	1997.. 184	15	58	73	76	163	117	154
	1992.. 168	13	57	65	54	133	105	135
55 to 59 years	1997.. 75	10	33	41	23	77	58	74
	1992.. 107	14	26	29	39	66	58	64
60 to 64 years	1997.. 75	11	29	30	48	63	47	50
	1992.. 73	8	11	19	36	58	63	48
65 to 69 years	1997.. 63	6	15	14	28	60	53	43
	1992.. 50	5	20	33	27	62	35	56
70 years and over	1997.. 83	15	37	39	38	112	66	87
	1992.. 83	15	46	42	37	111	57	77
Average age	1997.. 51.9	53.8	56.7	53.4	53.9	54.2	53.0	54.3
	1992.. 50.1	50.8	55.7	53.5	52.6	53.6	51.3	53.7
Operators by sex:								
Male	farms, 1997.. 705	77	190	238	268	630	467	499
	1992.. 760	79	193	245	256	595	466	476
	acres, 1997.. 647 035	197 675	64 574	131 840	302 293	241 012	328 605	152 081
	1992.. 639 156	281 721	88 479	128 498	300 985	225 346	371 057	182 959
Female	farms, 1997.. 24	6	20	30	33	25	26	53
	1992.. 28	6	17	22	29	24	29	55
	acres, 1997.. 9 623	17 626	8 529	16 073	53 297	5 115	5 546	30 900
	1992.. 27 186	4 990	14 767	12 203	52 543	4 740	9 871	14 217
TYPE OF ORGANIZATION								
Individual or family (sole proprietorship)	farms, 1997.. 548	55	197	222	232	548	393	495
	1992.. 614	52	186	213	226	546	386	470
	acres, 1997.. 275 822	99 017	65 937	92 414	145 018	182 860	166 242	102 300
	1992.. 331 797	82 759	78 045	76 407	155 536	184 843	160 940	115 911
Partnership	farms, 1997.. 102	13	7	30	41	60	47	33
	1992.. 95	13	16	37	31	50	60	37
	acres, 1997.. 218 944	(D)	6 225	37 498	88 642	40 292	57 695	39 894
	1992.. 193 819	(D)	(D)	41 915	81 977	30 920	60 643	47 616
Corporation:								
Family held	farms, 1997.. 62	8	2	4	24	36	48	18
	1992.. 62	12	1	10	25	17	41	16
	acres, 1997.. 136 955	21 963	(D)	3 007	102 171	21 487	105 790	37 706
	1992.. 132 919	40 887	(D)	7 522	113 025	13 530	96 405	23 919
Other than family held	farms, 1997.. 5	1	—	—	1	3	1	4
	1992.. 3	1	—	—	—	—	—	3
	acres, 1997.. 7 540	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	126	(D)	(D)
	1992.. (D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	2 990	(D)	(D)	(D)
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc.	farms, 1997.. 12	6	4	12	3	8	4	2
	1992.. 14	7	6	7	—	6	6	5
	acres, 1997.. 17 397	62 511	(D)	14 994	(D)	1 362	(D)	(D)
	1992.. (D)	120 963	17 220	14 857	(D)	793	(D)	(D)

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Characteristics	Gooding	Idaho	Jefferson	Jerome	Kootenai	Latah	Lemhi
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS—							
Con.							
Operators by age group:							
Under 25 years	1997.. 16	—	11	7	—	9	7
	1992.. 5	7	8	8	2	8	—
25 to 34 years	1997.. 39	36	57	54	28	34	8
	1992.. 73	64	79	123	29	55	15
35 to 44 years	1997.. 159	121	198	181	107	120	69
	1992.. 154	144	192	201	90	147	71
45 to 54 years	1997.. 176	182	200	180	153	176	96
	1992.. 174	163	180	195	156	150	77
55 to 59 years	1997.. 86	90	90	74	82	88	27
	1992.. 65	87	96	85	67	66	46
60 to 64 years	1997.. 53	72	79	62	72	75	38
	1992.. 83	65	69	65	58	54	39
65 to 69 years	1997.. 59	56	69	54	57	55	22
	1992.. 40	47	51	55	64	46	29
70 years and over	1997.. 87	104	69	71	99	102	41
	1992.. 89	85	91	83	75	84	56
Average age	1997.. 52.3	55.0	51.3	51.2	55.5	54.5	53.3
	1992.. 51.7	52.1	51.1	49.3	55.0	52.1	54.8
Operators by sex:							
Male	farms, 1997.. 629	613	735	655	518	586	281
	1992.. 650	618	735	784	477	551	310
	acres, 1997.. 215 008	621 714	318 237	190 278	122 097	308 227	190 386
	1992.. 224 366	720 961	295 911	202 438	123 495	333 068	190 901
Female	farms, 1997.. 46	48	38	28	80	73	27
	1992.. 33	44	31	31	64	59	23
	acres, 1997.. 5 354	28 137	14 298	3 643	8 746	17 257	6 198
	1992.. 2 748	23 334	15 385	5 114	7 786	14 225	3 007
TYPE OF ORGANIZATION							
Individual or family (sole proprietorship)	farms, 1997.. 564	556	660	567	538	547	254
	1992.. 570	563	667	686	492	502	271
	acres, 1997.. 129 586	374 572	215 720	105 852	97 733	198 467	127 486
	1992.. 115 754	482 962	189 487	137 021	102 411	211 224	112 720
Partnership	farms, 1997.. 56	68	57	64	28	63	36
	1992.. 62	64	67	86	23	62	42
	acres, 1997.. 27 497	122 447	41 278	35 911	10 369	74 863	41 692
	1992.. 62 662	97 482	61 477	28 784	8 983	73 099	42 397
Corporation:							
Family held	farms, 1997.. 42	29	43	40	23	37	12
	1992.. 34	29	25	39	23	39	13
	acres, 1997.. 50 675	145 923	52 859	42 840	20 295	45 934	23 573
	1992.. 38 708	151 310	39 992	40 969	19 577	54 173	29 161
Other than family held	farms, 1997.. 6	2	6	10	—	—	1
	1992.. 9	1	3	3	—	—	—
	acres, 1997.. 4 424	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	(D)	(D)
	1992.. (D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	(D)	—
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc.	farms, 1997.. 7	6	7	2	9	12	5
	1992.. 8	5	4	1	3	5	7
	acres, 1997.. 8 180	(D)	(D)	(D)	2 446	6 220	(D)
	1992.. (D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	310	(D)	9 630

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Characteristics	Lewis	Lincoln	Madison	Minidoka	Nez Perce	Oneida	Owyhee
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS—							
Con.							
Operators by age group:							
Under 25 years	1997.. 2	2	5	15	4	3	9
	1992.. 3	1	2	11	4	4	7
25 to 34 years	1997.. 4	17	34	52	27	24	42
	1992.. 16	25	49	92	21	25	75
35 to 44 years	1997.. 49	58	109	190	86	76	140
	1992.. 36	98	118	239	72	66	120
45 to 54 years	1997.. 43	84	104	188	95	97	143
	1992.. 38	60	114	156	89	67	130
55 to 59 years	1997.. 21	26	56	52	39	38	63
	1992.. 14	30	67	75	37	29	61
60 to 64 years	1997.. 15	37	61	65	35	37	55
	1992.. 27	32	54	60	35	28	57
65 to 69 years	1997.. 16	22	43	37	30	35	43
	1992.. 13	30	39	65	24	40	35
70 years and over	1997.. 32	35	58	75	67	77	75
	1992.. 30	26	62	76	63	54	76
Average age	1997.. 54.5	52.9	53.0	50.3	54.0	55.2	51.9
	1992.. 53.6	50.7	52.0	49.3	53.8	54.0	51.0
Operators by sex:							
Male	farms, 1997.. 170	265	455	642	355	360	529
	1992.. 168	287	484	745	330	300	523
	acres, 1997.. 182 783	126 775	221 470	204 777	331 842	256 400	657 055
	1992.. 203 993	128 823	216 167	204 719	469 759	262 851	731 467
Female	farms, 1997.. 12	16	15	32	28	27	41
	1992.. 9	15	21	29	15	13	38
	acres, 1997.. 10 799	4 698	1 347	2 105	7 634	14 708	25 805
	1992.. 7 046	3 606	8 202	3 442	8 080	8 292	20 565
TYPE OF ORGANIZATION							
Individual or family (sole proprietorship)	farms, 1997.. 149	235	337	560	313	304	463
	1992.. 130	260	374	661	278	269	453
	acres, 1997.. 122 294	88 436	72 212	108 157	176 982	173 866	255 136
	1992.. 116 834	107 844	99 824	129 488	271 180	192 305	258 692
Partnership	farms, 1997.. 19	24	45	50	41	50	46
	1992.. 35	32	66	57	38	31	59
	acres, 1997.. 49 691	12 059	60 018	38 356	106 401	54 892	(D)
	1992.. (D)	(D)	48 853	29 974	143 241	44 608	(D)
Corporation:							
Family held	farms, 1997.. 12	16	74	56	26	23	47
	1992.. 10	9	59	49	24	11	38
	acres, 1997.. (D)	27 492	83 812	56 722	(D)	30 761	135 242
	1992.. 14 899	8 397	(D)	45 818	56 091	(D)	141 024
Other than family held	farms, 1997.. —	—	4	7	—	2	5
	1992.. 1	1	—	3	—	—	1
	acres, 1997.. —	—	1 180	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
	1992.. (D)	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	—	(D)
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc.	farms, 1997.. 2	6	10	1	3	8	9
	1992.. 1	—	6	4	3	2	10
	acres, 1997.. (D)	3 486	5 595	(D)	(D)	(D)	204 492
	1992.. (D)	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	261 464

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Characteristics	Payette	Power	Shoshone	Teton	Twin Falls	Valley	Washington
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS—							
Con.							
Operators by age group:							
Under 25 years	1997.. 7	4	—	—	33	—	4
	1992.. 8	3	—	3	26	—	3
25 to 34 years	1997.. 37	21	1	13	108	9	33
	1992.. 38	36	2	16	172	4	39
35 to 44 years	1997.. 116	72	4	39	351	17	96
	1992.. 119	72	5	38	367	14	98
45 to 54 years	1997.. 139	84	11	70	418	26	143
	1992.. 147	59	9	62	328	27	113
55 to 59 years	1997.. 75	40	8	40	150	14	53
	1992.. 65	32	7	27	169	14	47
60 to 64 years	1997.. 60	33	7	32	125	13	51
	1992.. 61	36	2	26	139	12	44
65 to 69 years	1997.. 54	25	1	23	102	10	38
	1992.. 48	23	8	28	85	8	40
70 years and over	1997.. 76	44	12	53	152	30	71
	1992.. 76	31	9	57	171	28	69
Average age	1997.. 53.5	52.9	58.4	56.4	51.0	57.7	53.5
	1992.. 52.9	50.9	57.9	56.3	50.3	58.4	53.2
Operators by sex:							
Male	farms, 1997.. 529	294	38	255	1 341	103	450
	1992.. 519	283	38	248	1 386	98	427
	acres, 1997.. 144 019	409 390	3 660	128 820	442 959	60 905	421 110
	1992.. 142 378	429 271	4 173	132 744	476 173	77 570	522 850
Female	farms, 1997.. 35	29	6	15	98	16	39
	1992.. 43	9	4	9	71	9	26
	acres, 1997.. 4 448	14 695	440	3 858	13 419	3 377	22 074
	1992.. 6 398	5 798	255	2 044	13 820	1 243	33 281
TYPE OF ORGANIZATION							
Individual or family (sole proprietorship)	farms, 1997.. 496	216	37	216	1 187	99	429
	1992.. 480	196	39	203	1 200	90	368
	acres, 1997.. 59 418	210 793	3 469	79 707	274 377	43 143	253 324
	1992.. 84 785	180 431	4 049	76 677	302 842	42 728	264 828
Partnership	farms, 1997.. 33	74	1	28	129	8	28
	1992.. 52	71	1	29	138	8	33
	acres, 1997.. 40 291	178 312	(D)	19 817	65 064	(D)	70 006
	1992.. 30 934	169 598	(D)	19 950	52 454	18 106	46 488
Corporation:							
Family held	farms, 1997.. 26	24	2	20	106	9	27
	1992.. 22	17	1	21	91	8	40
	acres, 1997.. 23 517	23 301	(D)	29 014	110 698	19 457	(D)
	1992.. 28 190	41 213	(D)	32 982	90 615	(D)	217 857
Other than family held	farms, 1997.. 3	3	—	1	9	—	—
	1992.. 5	1	—	2	9	—	8
	acres, 1997.. (D)	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	—	(D)
	1992.. (D)	(D)	—	(D)	4 096	—	(D)
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc.	farms, 1997.. 6	6	4	5	8	3	5
	1992.. 3	7	1	2	19	1	4
	acres, 1997.. (D)	(D)	431	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
	1992.. (D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	39 986	(D)	(D)