

Table 46. Summary by Tenure of Operator: 1997

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Item	All farms				Farms with sales of \$10,000 or more			
	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants
FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS								
Farms	61 593	28 441	25 423	7 729	38 790	11 411	21 898	5 481
number ..								
percent ..	100.0	46.2	41.3	12.5	63.0	18.5	35.6	8.9
Land in farms	46 089 268	8 465 717	31 651 986	5 971 565	42 642 965	6 389 387	30 809 138	5 444 440
acres ..								
Average size of farm	748	298	1 245	773	1 099	560	1 407	993
acres ..								
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD								
Total sales (see text)	61 593	28 441	25 423	7 729	38 790	11 411	21 898	5 481
farms ..								
\$1,000 ..	9 207 130	3 952 453	4 271 283	983 394	9 131 599	3 901 577	4 255 507	974 515
dollars ..								
Average per farm	149 483	138 970	168 009	127 234	235 411	341 914	194 333	177 799
dollars ..								
Farms by value of sales:								
Less than \$1,000 (see text)	6 796	5 779	552	465	-	-	-	-
\$1,000 to \$2,499	4 172	3 250	529	393	-	-	-	-
\$2,500 to \$4,999	5 068	3 602	899	567	-	-	-	-
\$5,000 to \$9,999	6 767	4 399	1 545	823	-	-	-	-
\$10,000 to \$19,999	7 734	4 190	2 422	1 122	7 734	4 190	2 422	1 122
\$20,000 to \$24,999	2 559	1 178	1 011	370	2 559	1 178	1 011	370
\$25,000 to \$39,999	5 272	1 939	2 556	777	5 272	1 939	2 556	777
\$40,000 to \$49,999	2 485	740	1 382	363	2 485	740	1 382	363
\$50,000 to \$99,999	7 304	1 585	4 686	1 033	7 304	1 585	4 686	1 033
\$100,000 to \$249,999	8 016	1 043	5 903	1 070	8 016	1 043	5 903	1 070
\$250,000 to \$499,999	3 417	385	2 591	441	3 417	385	2 591	441
\$500,000 to \$999,999	1 324	152	965	207	1 324	152	965	207
\$1,000,000 to \$2,499,999	454	86	295	73	454	86	295	73
\$2,500,000 to \$4,999,999	83	22	50	11	83	22	50	11
\$5,000,000 or more	142	91	37	14	142	91	37	14
Grains	36 838	11 336	20 294	5 208	31 830	7 894	19 394	4 542
farms ..								
\$1,000 ..	2 952 786	384 209	2 103 746	464 831	2 932 240	370 486	2 100 107	461 647
farms ..								
Sales of \$50,000 or more	14 515	1 710	10 721	2 084	14 515	1 710	10 721	2 084
farms ..								
\$1,000 ..	2 564 720	257 975	1 899 565	407 180	2 564 720	257 975	1 899 565	407 180
farms ..								
Corn for grain	9 481	2 072	5 936	1 473	9 151	1 822	5 888	1 441
farms ..								
\$1,000 ..	828 473	104 869	549 756	173 848	827 604	104 219	549 617	173 769
farms ..								
Wheat	30 326	8 261	17 626	4 439	27 143	6 148	17 040	3 955
farms ..								
\$1,000 ..	1 191 123	154 963	864 535	171 625	1 179 677	147 526	862 463	169 689
farms ..								
Soybeans	14 703	4 278	8 694	1 731	13 183	3 199	8 420	1 564
farms ..								
\$1,000 ..	466 631	67 901	348 263	50 467	461 950	64 618	347 462	49 869
farms ..								
Sorghum for grain	18 874	4 188	11 979	2 707	17 559	3 310	11 736	2 513
farms ..								
\$1,000 ..	438 010	51 951	323 133	62 925	434 667	49 756	322 538	62 373
farms ..								
Barley	98	23	60	15	93	19	60	14
farms ..								
\$1,000 ..	665	178	414	74	656	(D)	414	(D)
farms ..								
Oats	1 316	326	829	161	1 182	236	804	142
farms ..								
\$1,000 ..	3 609	621	2 502	486	3 464	(D)	2 473	(D)
farms ..								
Other grains	1 174	205	760	209	1 145	184	755	206
farms ..								
\$1,000 ..	24 275	3 726	15 143	5 406	24 222	3 681	15 141	5 400
farms ..								
Cotton and cottonseed	45	3	34	8	44	2	34	8
farms ..								
\$1,000 ..	(D)	27	(D)	553	(D)	(D)	(D)	553
farms ..								
Sales of \$50,000 or more	15	-	12	3	15	-	12	3
farms ..								
\$1,000 ..	1 913	-	1 444	469	1 913	-	1 444	469
farms ..								
Tobacco	12	9	2	1	8	5	2	1
farms ..								
\$1,000 ..	(D)	67	(D)	(D)	85	57	(D)	(D)
farms ..								
Sales of \$50,000 or more	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
farms ..								
\$1,000 ..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
farms ..								
Hay, silage, and field seeds	14 030	5 541	7 032	1 457	10 085	2 476	6 370	1 239
farms ..								
\$1,000 ..	209 777	40 385	132 870	36 523	201 993	34 592	131 420	35 981
farms ..								
Sales of \$50,000 or more	772	120	517	135	772	120	517	135
farms ..								
\$1,000 ..	120 521	18 259	77 027	25 234	120 521	18 259	77 027	25 234
farms ..								
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons	398	203	139	56	225	68	121	36
farms ..								
\$1,000 ..	3 454	916	1 720	818	3 033	596	1 695	742
farms ..								
Sales of \$50,000 or more	15	3	10	2	15	2	10	2
farms ..								
\$1,000 ..	(D)	(D)	979	(D)	(D)	(D)	979	(D)
farms ..								
Fruits, nuts, and berries	205	155	36	14	94	57	31	6
farms ..								
\$1,000 ..	1 621	1 101	488	31	1 404	903	482	19
farms ..								
Sales of \$50,000 or more	7	6	1	-	7	6	1	-
farms ..								
\$1,000 ..	765	(D)	(D)	(D)	765	(D)	(D)	(D)
farms ..								
Nursery and greenhouse crops	528	425	69	34	303	225	56	22
farms ..								
\$1,000 ..	49 302	39 834	(D)	(D)	48 588	39 187	5 334	4 067
farms ..								
Sales of \$50,000 or more	105	75	22	8	105	75	22	8
farms ..								
\$1,000 ..	45 110	36 434	4 924	3 752	45 110	36 434	4 924	3 752
farms ..								
Other crops	72	42	23	7	37	12	19	6
farms ..								
\$1,000 ..	2 187	1 079	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
farms ..								
Sales of \$50,000 or more	6	2	2	2	6	2	2	2
farms ..								
\$1,000 ..	1 957	(D)	(D)	(D)	1 957	(D)	(D)	(D)
farms ..								
Poultry and poultry products	901	498	334	69	425	142	254	29
farms ..								
\$1,000 ..	47 976	23 981	22 275	1 721	47 626	23 705	22 235	1 686
farms ..								
Sales of \$50,000 or more	64	20	38	6	64	20	38	6
farms ..								
\$1,000 ..	46 794	23 278	21 892	1 625	46 794	23 278	21 892	1 625
farms ..								
Dairy products	1 073	312	650	111	1 040	288	645	107
farms ..								
\$1,000 ..	158 909	61 007	85 330	12 572	158 855	60 965	85 323	12 566
farms ..								
Sales of \$50,000 or more	703	146	485	72	703	146	485	72
farms ..								
\$1,000 ..	150 638	57 558	81 481	11 598	150 638	57 558	81 481	11 598
farms ..								
Cattle and calves	36 207	14 131	18 011	4 065	25 514	6 942	15 652	2 920
farms ..								
\$1,000 ..	5 456 072	3 257 286	1 787 054	411 723	5 415 247	3 230 795	1 777 285	407 168
farms ..								
Sales of \$50,000 or more	5 750	1 016	4 087	647	5 750	1 016	4 087	647
farms ..								
\$1,000 ..	5 082 804	3 144 045	1 568 675	370 084	5 082 804	3 144 045	1 568 675	370 084
farms ..								

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Item	All farms				Farms with sales of \$10,000 or more			
	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD—Con.								
Total sales (see text)—Con.								
Hogs and pigs	farms.. 2 873	1 031	1 496	346	2 290	630	1 370	290
	\$1,000.. 299 836	133 715	118 832	47 289	298 706	132 897	118 648	47 161
Sales of \$50,000 or more	farms.. 754	172	496	86	754	172	496	86
	\$1,000.. 275 846	126 331	105 360	44 156	275 846	126 331	105 360	44 156
Sheep, lambs, and wool	farms.. 1 505	687	666	152	827	202	531	94
	\$1,000.. 9 971	2 347	6 334	1 290	8 934	1 572	6 161	1 202
Sales of \$50,000 or more	farms.. 36	8	24	4	36	8	24	4
	\$1,000.. 4 912	599	3 581	732	4 912	599	3 581	732
Other livestock and livestock products (see text)	farms.. 2 288	1 224	838	226	1 055	363	578	114
	\$1,000.. 12 599	6 489	4 946	1 164	10 194	4 750	4 495	949
Sales of \$50,000 or more	farms.. 36	17	16	3	36	17	16	3
	\$1,000.. 4 390	1 989	2 054	347	4 390	1 989	2 054	347
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text)	farms.. 1 492	756	577	159	733	203	437	93
	\$1,000.. 3 663	1 497	1 682	484	2 652	725	1 551	377
FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES¹								
Total farm production expenses								
	farms.. 61 591	28 743	25 367	7 481	38 878	11 705	21 835	5 338
	\$1,000.. 7 290 703	3 458 865	3 112 318	719 519	7 163 934	3 370 947	3 083 496	709 491
Average per farm	dollars.. 118 373	120 338	122 692	96 179	184 267	287 992	141 218	132 913
Livestock and poultry purchased	farms.. 19 518	6 916	10 301	2 301	14 943	3 842	9 260	1 841
	\$1,000.. 2 687 621	1 773 213	729 585	184 823	2 677 527	1 766 531	727 436	183 560
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999	10 568	4 611	4 898	1 059	6 435	1 827	3 943	665
\$5,000 to \$24,999	5 060	1 557	2 811	692	4 622	1 267	2 725	630
\$25,000 to \$99,999	2 387	459	1 560	368	2 383	459	1 560	364
\$100,000 to \$249,999	753	99	562	92	753	99	562	92
\$250,000 or more	750	190	470	90	750	190	470	90
Feed for livestock and poultry	farms.. 32 955	12 958	16 367	3 630	23 259	6 222	14 343	2 694
	\$1,000.. 1 506 407	960 690	429 305	116 412	1 494 318	952 837	426 194	115 287
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999	22 738	10 666	9 640	2 432	13 302	4 075	7 705	1 522
\$5,000 to \$24,999	7 019	1 632	4 584	803	6 759	1 487	4 495	777
\$25,000 to \$99,999	2 286	382	1 620	284	2 286	382	1 620	284
\$100,000 to \$249,999	492	105	324	63	492	105	324	63
\$250,000 or more	420	173	199	48	420	173	199	48
Commercially mixed formula feeds	farms.. 19 188	7 278	9 742	2 168	13 727	3 505	8 568	1 654
	\$1,000.. 330 124	163 386	141 714	25 024	325 499	160 328	140 510	24 662
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999	14 396	6 274	6 562	1 560	8 984	2 523	5 409	1 052
\$5,000 to \$24,999	3 375	719	2 245	411	3 326	697	2 224	405
\$25,000 to \$99,999	1 075	166	743	166	1 075	166	743	166
\$100,000 or more	342	119	192	31	342	119	192	31
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees	farms.. 36 221	11 457	19 896	4 868	30 824	7 653	18 930	4 241
	\$1,000.. 167 748	28 215	114 695	24 838	165 680	26 923	114 226	24 532
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$999	14 572	7 054	5 661	1 857	9 563	3 457	4 793	1 313
\$1,000 to \$4,999	13 501	3 420	8 264	1 817	13 120	3 214	8 172	1 734
\$5,000 to \$24,999	6 888	844	5 066	978	6 881	843	5 060	978
\$25,000 to \$49,999	978	96	705	177	978	96	705	177
\$50,000 or more	282	43	200	39	282	43	200	39
Commercial fertilizer	farms.. 42 255	15 293	21 871	5 091	32 999	8 656	19 985	4 358
	\$1,000.. 373 353	55 807	266 651	50 895	365 891	50 863	264 760	50 268
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999	25 451	12 987	9 527	2 937	16 248	6 369	7 675	2 204
\$5,000 to \$24,999	13 065	1 895	9 528	1 642	13 012	1 876	9 494	1 642
\$25,000 to \$49,999	2 625	295	2 002	328	2 625	295	2 002	328
\$50,000 or more	1 114	116	814	184	1 114	116	814	184
Agricultural chemicals	farms.. 35 165	12 506	18 220	4 439	28 044	7 261	17 024	3 759
	\$1,000.. 224 156	32 408	158 190	33 558	220 265	29 734	157 382	33 149
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999	24 354	11 149	10 336	2 869	17 252	5 911	9 152	2 189
\$5,000 to \$24,999	8 762	1 165	6 333	1 264	8 743	1 158	6 321	1 264
\$25,000 to \$49,999	1 461	143	1 116	202	1 461	143	1 116	202
\$50,000 or more	588	49	435	104	588	49	435	104
Petroleum products	farms.. 56 929	24 851	24 974	7 104	38 355	11 446	21 630	5 279
	\$1,000.. 294 353	62 366	187 682	44 305	282 542	54 530	184 811	43 200
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999	42 074	22 779	14 229	5 066	23 542	9 391	10 910	3 241
\$5,000 to \$24,999	12 984	1 803	9 474	1 707	12 942	1 786	9 449	1 707
\$25,000 to \$49,999	1 314	161	931	222	1 314	161	931	222
\$50,000 or more	557	108	340	109	557	108	340	109
Gasoline and gasohol	farms.. 47 880	20 188	21 867	5 825	32 853	9 436	19 065	4 352
	\$1,000.. 80 101	19 748	49 735	10 618	73 556	15 377	48 186	9 993
Diesel fuel	farms.. 43 072	15 578	21 834	5 660	34 050	9 402	19 968	4 680
	\$1,000.. 133 036	24 239	90 582	18 215	129 943	22 222	89 810	17 911
Natural gas	farms.. 4 702	1 134	2 710	858	4 345	887	2 658	800
	\$1,000.. 49 868	10 489	28 398	10 981	49 704	10 367	28 380	10 957
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc.	farms.. 46 073	17 452	22 876	5 745	35 132	9 774	20 662	4 696
	\$1,000.. 31 349	7 891	18 967	4 491	29 339	6 565	18 435	4 339

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	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants
FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES¹								
—Con.								
Total farm production expenses—Con.								
Electricity	farms.. 40 578	16 079	20 175	4 324	30 185	8 414	18 245	3 526
	\$1,000.. 60 077	21 362	31 427	7 288	56 592	18 812	30 762	7 018
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$999	29 131	13 520	12 660	2 951	19 269	6 273	10 807	2 189
\$1,000 to \$4,999	9 610	2 154	6 351	1 105	9 088	1 745	6 274	1 069
\$5,000 to \$24,999	1 642	311	1 084	247	1 633	302	1 084	247
\$25,000 to \$49,999	110	36	60	14	110	36	60	14
\$50,000 or more	85	58	20	7	85	58	20	7
Hired farm labor	farms.. 20 660	5 877	12 143	2 640	17 766	3 848	11 543	2 375
	\$1,000.. 306 410	119 361	145 077	41 971	304 343	117 800	144 721	41 822
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999	13 643	4 694	7 221	1 728	10 767	2 683	6 621	1 463
\$5,000 to \$24,999	4 813	753	3 494	566	4 797	737	3 494	566
\$25,000 to \$99,999	1 842	284	1 253	295	1 841	293	1 253	295
\$100,000 to \$249,999	226	50	137	39	226	50	137	39
\$250,000 or more	136	86	38	12	135	85	38	12
Workers by days worked:								
150 days or more	farms.. 7 344	1 817	4 587	940	6 704	1 379	4 447	878
	workers.. 16 970	6 137	8 658	2 175	16 309	5 699	8 497	2 113
Less than 150 days	farms.. 18 573	5 535	10 633	2 405	15 699	3 507	10 052	2 140
	workers.. 43 461	13 418	24 381	5 662	38 318	9 671	23 413	5 234
Contract labor	farms.. 6 973	2 211	3 826	936	5 720	1 379	3 529	812
	\$1,000.. 29 419	7 158	16 847	5 415	28 514	6 630	16 618	5 266
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$999	2 848	1 156	1 318	374	1 891	505	1 094	292
\$1,000 to \$4,999	2 735	771	1 608	356	2 445	590	1 535	320
\$5,000 to \$24,999	1 198	239	801	158	1 192	239	801	152
\$25,000 to \$49,999	127	23	72	32	127	23	72	32
\$50,000 or more	65	22	27	16	65	22	27	16
Repair and maintenance	farms.. 50 328	20 601	23 713	6 014	35 544	9 953	20 872	4 719
	\$1,000.. 358 071	81 013	232 843	44 215	340 071	68 531	228 695	42 845
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999	32 501	17 443	11 148	3 910	18 289	7 193	8 462	2 634
\$5,000 to \$24,999	15 071	2 790	10 533	1 748	14 511	2 404	10 378	1 729
\$25,000 to \$49,999	2 008	217	1 525	266	2 002	211	1 525	266
\$50,000 or more	748	151	507	90	742	145	507	90
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment	farms.. 23 546	7 599	13 014	2 933	19 543	4 717	12 206	2 620
	\$1,000.. 160 477	34 398	100 581	25 498	157 099	31 987	99 921	25 191
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$999	7 447	3 538	3 050	859	4 578	1 457	2 471	650
\$1,000 to \$4,999	9 177	2 746	5 373	1 058	8 065	1 967	5 144	954
\$5,000 to \$24,999	5 575	1 131	3 673	771	5 553	1 109	3 673	771
\$25,000 to \$49,999	906	108	646	152	906	108	646	152
\$50,000 or more	441	76	272	93	441	76	272	93
Interest	farms.. 32 648	10 953	17 978	3 717	25 720	5 978	16 485	3 257
	\$1,000.. 351 690	99 606	221 441	30 644	334 772	87 380	217 229	30 164
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999	17 374	7 369	7 652	2 353	11 434	3 108	6 428	1 898
\$5,000 to \$24,999	12 320	3 035	8 151	1 134	11 332	2 321	7 882	1 129
\$25,000 to \$99,999	2 699	455	2 037	207	2 699	455	2 037	207
\$100,000 or more	255	94	138	23	255	94	138	23
Secured by real estate	farms.. 23 007	8 971	14 034	2	17 533	4 687	12 844	2
	\$1,000.. 178 621	(D)	125 851	(D)	164 603	(D)	122 506	(D)
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$999	2 993	1 642	1 351	—	1 591	564	1 027	—
\$1,000 to \$4,999	10 068	4 588	5 480	—	6 704	1 894	4 810	—
\$5,000 to \$24,999	8 693	2 450	6 241	2	7 985	1 450	6 045	2
\$25,000 to \$49,999	941	195	746	—	941	195	746	—
\$50,000 or more	312	96	216	—	312	96	216	—
Not secured by real estate	farms.. 20 557	4 954	11 886	3 717	17 689	3 288	11 144	3 257
	\$1,000.. 173 069	(D)	95 589	(D)	170 170	(D)	94 723	(D)
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$999	5 264	2 078	2 311	875	3 603	1 055	1 905	643
\$1,000 to \$4,999	8 269	1 998	4 793	1 478	7 070	1 358	4 457	1 255
\$5,000 to \$24,999	5 907	706	4 066	1 135	5 899	703	4 066	1 130
\$25,000 to \$49,999	733	78	494	161	733	78	494	161
\$50,000 or more	384	94	222	68	384	94	222	68
Cash rent	farms.. 18 302	—	14 647	3 655	15 978	—	13 129	2 849
	\$1,000.. 186 278	—	143 576	42 702	183 815	—	142 187	41 628
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999	10 926	—	8 664	2 262	8 641	—	7 169	1 472
\$5,000 to \$9,999	2 712	—	2 264	448	2 687	—	2 251	436
\$10,000 to \$24,999	3 043	—	2 451	592	3 029	—	2 441	588
\$25,000 or more	1 621	—	1 268	353	1 621	—	1 268	353
Property taxes	farms.. 57 280	28 589	25 343	3 348	36 211	11 696	21 834	2 681
	\$1,000.. 117 225	46 030	66 416	4 779	98 743	30 777	63 491	4 476
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999	52 467	27 170	22 144	3 153	31 628	10 466	18 676	2 486
\$5,000 to \$9,999	3 459	954	2 355	150	3 262	798	2 314	150
\$10,000 to \$24,999	1 187	393	751	43	1 155	361	751	43
\$25,000 or more	167	72	93	2	166	71	93	2
All other farm production expenses	farms.. 56 328	24 555	24 945	6 828	38 870	11 704	21 833	5 333
	\$1,000.. 467 416	137 238	268 003	62 176	453 761	127 614	265 064	61 083
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999	40 109	21 733	13 505	4 871	22 683	8 899	10 408	3 376
\$5,000 to \$24,999	12 879	2 301	9 083	1 495	12 847	2 284	9 068	1 495
\$25,000 to \$49,999	2 099	280	1 539	280	2 099	280	1 539	280
\$50,000 to \$99,999	813	110	586	117	813	110	586	117
\$100,000 or more	428	131	232	65	428	131	232	65

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Item	All farms				Farms with sales of \$10,000 or more			
	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants
NET CASH RETURN FROM AGRICULTURAL SALES FOR THE FARM UNIT (SEE TEXT)¹								
All farms..... number..	61 591	28 743	25 367	7 481	38 878	11 705	21 835	5 338
..... \$1,000..	1 877 913	493 394	1 130 267	254 252	1 927 878	528 895	1 143 198	255 785
Average per farm..... dollars..	30 490	17 166	44 557	33 986	49 588	45 185	52 356	47 918
Farms with net gains ² number..	37 570	14 002	18 182	5 386	30 798	9 076	17 273	4 449
Average net gain..... dollars..	56 318	43 221	67 926	51 183	68 239	65 533	71 403	61 473
Gain of—								
Less than \$1,000.....	3 163	2 094	696	373	827	353	368	106
\$1,000 to \$9,999.....	12 407	6 991	3 760	1 656	7 971	3 806	3 179	986
\$10,000 to \$49,999.....	13 355	3 789	7 402	2 164	13 355	3 789	7 402	2 164
\$50,000 or more.....	8 645	1 128	6 324	1 193	8 645	1 128	6 324	1 193
Farms with net losses..... number..	24 021	14 741	7 185	2 095	8 080	2 629	4 562	889
Average net loss..... dollars..	9 906	7 583	14 580	10 224	21 504	25 061	19 762	19 921
Loss of—								
Less than \$1,000.....	4 626	3 519	646	461	698	350	299	49
\$1,000 to \$9,999.....	14 522	9 515	3 806	1 201	3 933	1 469	2 015	449
\$10,000 to \$49,999.....	4 384	1 616	2 414	354	2 971	726	1 929	316
\$50,000 or more.....	489	91	319	79	478	84	319	75
GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS AND OTHER FARM-RELATED INCOME								
Government payments..... farms..	39 735	15 576	19 450	4 709	29 783	7 685	18 157	3 941
..... \$1,000..	343 771	87 051	216 443	40 277	300 695	53 800	209 438	37 457
Other farm-related income ¹ farms..	24 249	9 435	12 305	2 509	18 096	4 565	11 377	2 154
..... \$1,000..	119 958	40 300	63 694	15 964	100 786	24 912	61 078	14 797
Customwork and other agricultural services..... farms..	6 333	1 036	4 298	999	5 467	532	4 037	898
..... \$1,000..	53 778	7 179	36 804	9 795	50 757	5 086	36 124	9 547
Gross cash rent or share payments..... farms..	8 643	5 353	2 792	498	4 960	2 199	2 391	370
..... \$1,000..	51 224	29 985	16 626	4 613	36 715	17 980	15 011	3 723
Forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products..... farms..	271	160	95	16	139	50	73	16
..... \$1,000..	727	259	427	41	365	86	237	41
Other farm-related income sources..... farms..	15 800	4 803	9 267	1 730	13 212	2 900	8 787	1 525
..... \$1,000..	14 229	2 877	9 837	1 515	12 950	1 759	9 705	1 485
COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS								
Total..... farms..	4 406	861	2 845	700	4 150	678	2 810	662
..... \$1,000..	91 100	8 535	70 048	12 518	90 802	8 347	70 004	12 450
Corn..... farms..	960	125	649	186	945	113	648	184
..... \$1,000..	21 830	2 800	15 102	3 928	21 827	2 798	(D)	(D)
Wheat..... farms..	3 582	671	2 332	579	3 372	527	2 299	546
..... \$1,000..	50 721	4 278	39 339	7 104	50 458	4 116	39 300	7 043
Soybeans..... farms..	550	124	362	64	519	98	361	60
..... \$1,000..	11 228	938	9 541	748	11 216	(D)	(D)	(D)
Sorghum, barley, and oats..... farms..	1 237	201	845	191	1 191	170	837	184
..... \$1,000..	7 211	(D)	5 973	(D)	7 189	505	5 969	715
Cotton..... farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sunflower seed, flaxseed, safflower, canola, other rapeseed, and mustard seed..... farms..	12	2	8	2	12	2	8	2
..... \$1,000..	112	(D)	93	(D)	112	(D)	93	(D)
Peanuts, rice, and tobacco..... farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE								
Total cropland..... farms..	54 145	23 026	24 500	6 619	36 720	10 136	21 510	5 074
..... acres..	30 020 580	5 121 907	20 842 437	4 056 236	28 254 054	3 977 507	20 400 093	3 876 454
Harvested cropland..... farms..	48 280	18 522	23 731	6 027	35 702	9 574	21 222	4 906
..... acres..	19 839 087	2 883 181	14 134 908	2 820 998	19 344 004	2 572 949	14 004 458	2 766 597
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 49 acres.....	11 251	8 120	2 229	902	2 226	1 273	717	236
50 to 99 acres.....	6 569	3 719	2 041	809	3 899	2 062	1 375	462
100 to 199 acres.....	7 321	3 131	3 129	1 061	6 553	2 744	2 845	964
200 to 499 acres.....	10 358	2 314	6 501	1 543	10 245	2 257	6 456	1 532
500 to 999 acres.....	7 265	795	5 522	948	7 263	795	5 520	948
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	4 128	332	3 260	536	4 128	332	3 260	536
2,000 acres or more.....	1 388	111	1 049	228	1 388	111	1 049	228
Cropland:								
Pasture or grazing only..... farms..	19 579	8 168	9 611	1 800	13 197	3 632	8 237	1 328
..... acres..	3 434 056	826 888	2 265 036	342 132	2 959 369	543 623	2 117 074	298 672
In cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured..... farms..	8 591	3 742	4 145	704	5 743	1 442	3 782	519
..... acres..	1 183 072	432 510	644 353	106 209	841 058	177 000	588 950	75 108
On which all crops failed..... farms..	1 594	482	896	216	1 245	254	806	185
..... acres..	135 452	26 217	90 066	19 169	118 563	17 560	83 811	17 192
In cultivated summer fallow..... farms..	13 949	3 406	8 367	2 176	12 285	2 354	8 021	1 910
..... acres..	4 253 386	612 677	3 006 340	634 369	4 056 727	499 321	2 949 358	608 048
Idle..... farms..	8 316	3 390	3 996	930	5 745	1 395	3 611	739
..... acres..	1 175 527	340 434	701 734	133 359	934 333	167 054	656 442	110 837
Total woodland..... farms..	11 457	5 877	4 933	647	6 774	2 196	4 116	462
..... acres..	679 951	247 799	389 524	42 628	514 001	129 723	349 835	34 443
Woodland pastured..... farms..	5 643	2 802	3 300	300	2 541	1 070	2 040	190
..... acres..	319 572	104 011	195 443	20 118	243 575	56 000	171 519	16 056
Woodland not pastured..... farms..	7 461	3 806	3 228	427	4 594	1 480	2 784	330
..... acres..	360 379	143 788	194 081	22 510	270 426	73 723	178 316	18 387

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Item	All farms				Farms with sales of \$10,000 or more			
	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants
LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE—Con.								
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured..... farms..	29 854	11 913	14 698	3 243	20 282	5 215	12 828	2 239
acres..	14 062 576	2 700 452	9 613 804	1 748 320	12 776 441	2 051 710	9 302 302	1 422 429
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. farms..	37 589	18 063	16 612	2 914	23 931	7 241	14 451	2 239
acres..	1 326 161	395 559	806 221	124 381	1 098 469	230 447	756 908	111 114
Irrigated land farms..	6 135	1 340	3 672	1 123	5 816	1 088	3 631	1 097
acres..	2 707 489	314 260	1 766 445	626 784	2 698 440	308 756	1 763 368	626 316
Harvested cropland irrigated farms..	6 022	1 279	3 629	1 114	5 747	1 059	3 597	1 091
acres..	2 664 733	301 931	1 740 126	622 676	2 660 624	298 964	1 739 336	622 324
Pasture and other land irrigated farms..	271	106	133	32	218	70	120	28
acres..	42 756	12 329	26 319	4 108	37 816	9 792	24 032	3 992
Land under Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs farms..	16 434	7 174	8 043	1 217	10 836	2 527	7 394	915
acres..	2 493 625	892 628	1 392 568	208 429	1 743 399	331 548	1 261 503	150 348
VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS¹								
Estimated market value of land and buildings..... farms..	61 591	28 743	25 367	7 481	38 878	11 705	21 835	5 338
\$1,000..	26 516 960	6 150 749	17 287 255	3 078 956	23 566 012	4 041 212	16 681 514	2 843 285
Average per farm dollars..	430 533	213 991	681 486	411 570	606 153	345 255	763 981	532 650
Average per acre dollars..	577	721	550	516	555	626	545	525
Farms by value group:								
\$1 to \$39,999	6 177	4 691	402	1 084	1 257	937	77	243
\$40,000 to \$69,999	6 241	4 769	670	802	1 554	1 083	215	256
\$70,000 to \$99,999	5 685	3 921	1 032	732	2 116	1 167	455	494
\$100,000 to \$149,999	7 370	4 808	1 860	702	3 489	1 828	1 148	513
\$150,000 to \$199,999	5 308	2 810	1 903	595	3 236	1 359	1 417	460
\$200,000 to \$499,999	15 856	5 476	8 584	1 796	12 851	3 469	7 729	1 653
\$500,000 to \$999,999	8 418	1 388	6 062	968	8 025	1 118	5 970	937
\$1,000,000 to \$1,999,999	4 647	594	3 477	576	4 515	497	3 455	563
\$2,000,000 to \$4,999,999	1 670	237	1 238	195	1 624	204	1 230	190
\$5,000,000 or more	219	49	139	31	211	43	139	29
VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT¹								
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment farms..	61 583	28 739	25 366	7 478	38 870	11 701	21 834	5 335
\$1,000..	4 560 051	1 186 212	2 773 191	600 648	4 027 136	796 988	2 690 915	539 233
Farms by value group:								
\$1 to \$4,999	4 863	3 554	827	482	1 087	641	306	140
\$5,000 to \$9,999	7 170	4 882	1 524	764	2 335	1 210	816	309
\$10,000 to \$19,999	10 091	6 262	2 626	1 203	4 538	2 079	1 724	735
\$20,000 to \$49,999	15 941	8 067	5 924	1 950	9 779	3 562	4 854	1 363
\$50,000 to \$99,999	9 475	3 354	4 890	1 231	7 785	2 081	4 649	1 055
\$100,000 to \$199,999	7 785	1 584	5 185	1 016	7 380	1 294	5 120	966
\$200,000 to \$499,999	5 455	927	3 812	716	5 169	726	3 792	651
\$500,000 or more	803	109	578	116	797	108	573	116
SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT¹								
Motortrucks, including pickups farms..	57 586	25 917	24 560	7 109	37 459	10 944	21 384	5 131
number..	157 408	54 021	83 698	19 689	122 418	28 645	77 656	16 117
Wheel tractors farms..	55 247	25 134	23 824	6 289	36 088	10 632	20 733	4 723
number..	132 332	49 696	68 192	14 444	98 969	24 719	62 408	11 842
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) farms..	20 962	11 404	7 677	1 881	11 601	4 077	6 244	1 280
number..	28 464	15 235	10 688	2 541	16 140	5 621	8 781	1 738
40 horsepower (PTO) or more farms..	48 406	19 959	22 744	5 703	34 309	9 610	20 197	4 502
number..	103 868	34 461	57 504	11 903	82 829	19 098	53 627	10 104
40 to 99 horsepower (PTO) farms..	36 246	16 221	16 457	3 568	24 190	7 323	14 224	2 643
number..	56 070	23 372	27 204	5 494	39 804	11 435	24 119	4 250
100 horsepower (PTO) or more farms..	28 564	8 253	16 371	3 940	24 476	5 319	15 679	3 478
number..	47 798	11 089	30 300	6 409	43 025	7 663	29 508	5 854
Grain and bean combines farms..	26 046	7 150	15 652	3 244	22 885	4 990	14 927	2 968
number..	31 844	8 270	19 461	4 113	28 313	5 870	18 664	3 779
Cotton pickers and strippers farms..	20	—	10	10	20	—	10	10
number..	29	—	(D)	(D)	29	—	(D)	(D)
Mower conditioners farms..	17 781	6 159	9 995	1 627	13 271	3 028	8 909	1 334
number..	19 403	6 687	10 900	1 816	14 503	3 298	9 684	1 521
Pickup balers farms..	21 046	6 760	12 404	1 882	16 442	3 741	11 105	1 596
number..	26 714	8 122	16 227	2 365	21 268	4 592	14 632	2 044
AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS¹								
Commercial fertilizer farms..	42 232	15 261	21 874	5 097	32 992	8 640	19 988	4 364
acres on which used..	16 399 896	2 290 896	11 828 090	2 280 910	16 019 332	2 048 249	11 725 099	2 245 984
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—								
Insects on hay and other crops farms..	9 353	2 452	5 511	1 390	8 457	1 747	5 406	1 304
acres on which used..	2 535 074	362 592	1 693 228	479 254	2 513 892	344 775	1 691 611	477 506
Nematodes in crops farms..	469	152	245	72	418	101	245	72
acres on which used..	103 236	22 628	62 637	17 971	102 161	21 553	62 637	17 971
Diseases in crops and orchards farms..	860	370	357	133	653	197	336	120
acres on which used..	151 933	19 510	107 633	24 790	149 731	17 441	107 609	24 681
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture farms..	28 499	8 934	15 775	3 790	23 891	5 719	14 837	3 335
acres on which used..	10 227 934	1 351 173	7 393 875	1 482 886	10 026 928	1 221 805	7 343 520	1 461 603
Chemicals used on crops to control growth, thin fruit, or defoliate farms..	653	184	392	77	583	127	382	74
acres on which used..	157 693	30 508	107 390	19 795	155 630	28 518	107 340	19 772

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Item	All farms				Farms with sales of \$10,000 or more			
	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants
TENURE AND RACE OF OPERATOR								
All operators	61 593	28 441	25 423	7 729	38 790	11 411	21 898	5 481
Full owners	28 441	28 441	—	—	11 411	11 411	—	—
Part owners	25 423	—	25 423	—	21 898	—	21 898	—
Tenants	7 729	—	—	7 729	5 481	—	—	5 481
White	61 241	28 234	25 320	7 687	38 660	11 366	21 834	5 460
Full owners	28 234	28 234	—	—	11 366	11 366	—	—
Part owners	25 320	—	25 320	—	21 834	—	21 834	—
Tenants	7 687	—	—	7 687	5 460	—	—	5 460
Black and other races	352	207	103	42	130	45	64	21
Full owners	207	207	—	—	45	45	—	—
Part owners	103	—	103	—	64	—	64	—
Tenants	42	—	—	42	21	—	—	21
OWNED AND RENTED LAND								
Land owned..... farms..	54 416	28 441	25 423	552	33 693	11 411	21 898	384
acres..	24 821 947	11 276 046	13 283 618	262 283	20 821 582	7 819 372	12 804 012	198 198
Owned land in farms	53 864	28 441	25 423	—	33 309	11 411	21 898	—
acres..	20 824 522	8 465 717	12 358 805	—	18 367 633	6 389 387	11 978 246	—
Land rented or leased from others	33 447	295	25 423	7 729	27 547	168	21 898	5 481
farms..	25 694 337	97 460	19 515 500	6 081 377	24 638 882	69 115	19 042 561	5 527 206
landlords..	104 777	610	83 776	20 391	95 014	329	77 810	16 875
Rented or leased land in farms	33 152	—	25 423	7 729	27 379	—	21 898	5 481
farms..	25 264 746	—	19 293 181	5 971 565	24 275 332	—	18 830 892	5 444 440
acres..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Land rented or leased to others	13 240	8 747	3 737	756	7 146	3 394	3 224	528
farms..	4 427 016	2 907 789	1 147 132	372 095	2 817 499	1 499 100	1 037 435	280 964
acres..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS								
Operators by place of residence:								
On farm operated	40 640	17 403	19 880	3 357	26 709	6 842	17 224	2 643
Not on farm operated	16 678	8 555	4 226	3 897	9 709	3 576	3 581	2 552
Not reported	4 275	2 483	1 317	475	2 372	993	1 093	286
Operators by principal occupation:								
Farming	34 979	12 002	18 690	4 287	28 364	7 027	17 632	3 705
Other	26 614	16 439	6 733	3 442	10 426	4 384	4 266	1 776
Operators by days worked off farm:								
None	25 892	10 649	12 600	2 643	19 617	5 500	11 897	2 220
Any	31 891	15 880	11 258	4 753	16 536	4 971	8 575	2 990
1 to 99 days	5 737	1 829	2 973	935	4 349	828	2 762	759
100 to 199 days	4 647	1 910	1 956	781	2 985	747	1 663	575
200 days or more	21 507	12 141	6 329	3 037	9 202	3 396	4 150	1 656
Not reported	3 810	1 912	1 565	333	2 637	940	1 426	271
Operators by years on present farm:								
2 years or less	2 595	1 326	505	764	1 169	401	322	446
3 or 4 years	3 254	1 757	742	1 755	1 466	523	463	480
5 to 9 years	7 177	3 671	2 210	2 296	3 623	1 132	1 580	911
10 years or more	38 615	16 189	18 714	3 712	26 976	7 278	16 776	2 922
Average years on present farm	22.8	22.1	25.6	15.6	25.2	26.4	26.7	16.7
Not reported	9 952	5 498	3 252	1 202	5 556	2 077	2 757	722
Operators by age group:								
Under 25 years	992	235	202	555	581	85	172	324
25 to 34 years	4 526	1 392	1 680	1 454	2 840	496	1 338	1 006
35 to 44 years	12 518	4 577	5 794	2 147	8 021	1 509	4 926	1 586
45 to 49 years	7 129	2 927	3 292	910	4 548	1 044	2 822	682
50 to 54 years	6 464	2 841	2 981	642	4 064	1 044	2 563	457
55 to 59 years	5 902	2 781	2 675	446	3 736	1 036	2 360	340
60 to 64 years	6 259	3 029	2 800	430	4 053	1 269	2 484	300
65 to 69 years	6 083	3 145	2 525	413	3 895	1 376	2 228	291
70 years and over	11 720	7 514	3 474	732	7 052	3 552	3 005	495
Average age	54.4	58.0	53.2	45.4	54.2	59.8	53.5	45.7
Operators by sex:								
Male	57 807	25 569	24 773	7 465	37 313	10 545	21 409	5 359
Female	3 786	2 872	650	264	1 477	866	489	122
Operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin (see text)								
	332	163	126	43	200	62	105	33
FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION								
Individual or family (sole proprietorship)..... farms..	53 196	24 935	22 145	6 116	32 376	9 407	18 828	4 141
acres..	34 447 932	6 360 583	24 660 884	3 426 465	31 587 623	4 605 183	23 891 272	3 091 168
Partnership	5 196	2 093	2 079	1 024	3 799	1 089	1 900	810
acres..	6 235 625	1 002 965	3 891 268	1 341 392	5 963 215	844 456	3 834 306	1 284 453
Corporation:								
Family held	2 401	841	1 057	503	2 136	622	1 042	472
Family held	4 628 506	820 965	2 797 716	1 009 825	4 515 471	725 718	2 790 232	999 521
More than 10 stockholders	44	22	17	5	36	14	17	5
10 or less stockholders	2 357	819	1 040	498	2 100	608	1 025	467
Other than family held	175	118	33	24	141	89	31	21
Other than family held	200 973	91 475	77 859	31 639	192 992	83 813	(D)	(D)
More than 10 stockholders	24	19	2	3	20	15	2	3
10 or less stockholders	151	99	31	21	121	74	29	18
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc.								
farms..	625	454	109	62	338	204	97	37
acres..	576 232	189 729	224 259	162 244	383 664	130 217	(D)	(D)

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Item	All farms				Farms with sales of \$10,000 or more			
	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants
LIVESTOCK—Con.								
Cattle and calves sold	farms.. 36 207	14 131	18 011	4 065	25 514	6 942	15 652	2 920
	number.. 8 271 113	4 632 948	2 988 657	649 508	8 163 049	4 563 298	2 961 623	638 128
	\$1,000.. 5 456 072	3 257 296	1 787 054	411 723	5 415 247	3 230 795	1 777 285	407 168
Calves	farms.. 14 469	6 430	6 525	1 514	8 946	2 758	5 212	976
	number.. 451 745	145 309	259 234	47 202	401 438	112 628	245 957	42 853
	\$1,000.. 141 018	44 414	80 966	15 638	126 913	35 133	77 444	14 336
Cattle	farms.. 29 683	11 033	15 298	3 352	21 901	5 815	13 584	2 502
	number.. 7 819 368	4 487 639	2 729 423	602 306	7 761 611	4 450 670	2 715 666	595 275
	\$1,000.. 5 315 054	3 212 882	1 706 087	396 085	5 288 334	3 195 662	1 699 841	392 831
Fattened on grain and concentrates	farms.. 3 066	1 120	1 622	324	2 384	650	1 468	266
	number.. 5 282 661	3 932 652	1 035 863	314 146	5 280 380	3 931 075	1 035 379	313 926
	\$1,000.. 3 957 829	2 927 830	787 153	242 847	3 956 327	2 926 793	786 841	242 693
Hogs and pigs inventory	farms.. 2 831	1 057	1 441	333	2 195	615	1 306	274
	number.. 1 585 224	710 717	581 047	293 460	1 574 706	703 150	579 163	292 393
Farms with—								
1 to 24	952	516	343	93	420	141	236	43
25 to 49	274	92	150	32	210	52	130	28
50 to 99	294	105	141	48	267	87	133	47
100 to 199	373	112	213	48	363	106	213	44
200 to 499	486	111	320	55	484	109	320	55
500 or more	452	121	274	57	451	120	274	57
Used or to be used for breeding	farms.. 1 781	610	954	217	1 487	397	902	188
	number.. 189 919	85 835	63 602	40 482	188 020	84 474	63 255	40 291
Other	farms.. 2 663	872	1 375	316	2 094	576	1 252	266
	number.. 1 395 305	624 882	517 445	252 978	1 386 686	618 676	515 908	252 102
Hogs and pigs sold	farms.. 2 873	1 031	1 496	346	2 290	630	1 370	290
	number.. 3 184 437	1 409 186	1 124 904	650 347	3 170 661	1 399 173	1 122 655	648 833
	\$1,000.. 299 836	133 715	118 832	47 289	298 706	132 897	118 648	47 161
Feeder pigs	farms.. 476	188	229	59	356	109	201	46
	number.. 1 048 407	532 588	128 699	387 120	1 044 036	529 700	127 635	386 701
	\$1,000.. 39 277	20 090	5 496	13 690	39 126	19 987	5 463	13 677
Litters of pigs farrowed between—								
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30	farms.. 1 872	648	1 000	224	1 555	417	944	194
	number.. 360 967	177 602	100 317	83 048	359 123	176 265	99 989	82 869
Dec. 1 and May 31	farms.. 1 774	603	963	208	1 500	405	910	185
	number.. 169 635	82 773	50 797	36 065	168 659	82 049	50 631	35 979
June 1 and Nov. 30	farms.. 1 672	552	910	210	1 435	383	870	182
	number.. 191 332	94 829	49 520	46 983	190 464	94 216	49 358	46 890
Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory	farms.. 1 478	684	641	153	802	200	503	99
	number.. 119 099	30 881	71 268	16 950	102 051	18 563	68 008	15 480
Ewes 1 year old or older	farms.. 1 282	589	562	131	706	170	451	85
	number.. 70 039	18 105	43 317	8 617	59 182	10 096	41 396	7 690
Sheep and lambs sold	farms.. 1 454	658	651	145	812	198	524	90
	number.. 108 372	26 307	69 059	13 006	95 588	16 986	66 835	11 767
Sheep and lambs shorn	farms.. 1 228	562	545	121	689	169	443	77
	number.. 81 796	22 753	47 533	11 510	68 458	13 052	45 109	10 297
	pounds of wool.. 573 460	156 894	340 738	75 828	481 884	88 140	325 323	68 421
Horses and ponies inventory	farms.. 10 630	4 752	4 807	1 071	5 746	1 378	3 725	643
	number.. 52 828	25 510	22 635	4 683	28 472	8 743	16 982	2 747
Horses and ponies sold	farms.. 1 755	909	663	183	836	273	467	96
	number.. 6 474	3 114	2 807	553	4 324	1 634	2 326	364
Goats inventory	farms.. 790	464	255	71	280	84	157	39
	number.. 7 293	4 771	1 902	620	3 069	1 380	1 423	266
Goats sold	farms.. 251	145	83	23	82	27	48	7
	number.. 2 871	1 724	893	254	1 482	646	689	147
POULTRY								
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text)	farms.. 2 019	1 147	747	125	900	306	535	59
	number.. 1 805 127	(D)	898 729	(D)	1 776 390	(D)	893 754	(D)
Farms with—								
1 to 399	1 980	1 131	725	124	864	293	513	58
400 to 3,199	15	10	5	—	12	7	5	—
3,200 to 9,999	1	—	1	—	1	—	1	—
10,000 to 19,999	5	1	4	—	5	1	4	—
20,000 to 49,999	9	1	8	—	9	1	8	—
50,000 to 99,999	6	2	3	1	6	2	3	1
100,000 or more	3	2	1	—	3	2	1	—
Layers 20 weeks old and older	farms.. 1 964	1 115	727	122	879	299	523	57
	number.. 1 427 290	(D)	653 448	(D)	1 402 550	(D)	649 158	(D)
Pullets 13 weeks old and older but less than 20 weeks old	farms.. 305	181	100	24	111	40	62	9
	number.. 377 837	(D)	245 281	(D)	373 840	(D)	244 596	(D)
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold (see text)	farms.. 178	85	82	11	101	33	60	8
	number.. 3 403 008	(D)	1 912 334	(D)	3 399 697	(D)	1 911 677	(D)
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold	farms.. 93	56	31	6	38	15	22	1
	number.. 35 018	20 667	(D)	(D)	24 536	12 610	(D)	(D)
Farms with—								
1 to 1,999	87	52	30	5	33	12	21	—
2,000 to 59,999	6	4	1	1	5	3	1	1
60,000 to 99,999	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 or more	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Turkey hens kept for breeding	farms.. 161	108	35	18	45	18	20	7
	number.. 42 656	42 447	148	61	42 225	42 095	113	17
Turkeys sold	farms.. 62	28	29	5	48	18	26	4
	number.. 1 617 000	(D)	964 669	(D)	1 616 850	(D)	964 654	(D)

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Item	All farms				Farms with sales of \$10,000 or more			
	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants
SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED								
Corn for grain or seed	farms.. 10 833	2 385	6 875	1 573	10 415	2 078	6 803	1 534
	acres.. 2 497 516	341 195	1 695 557	460 764	2 490 965	336 346	1 694 489	460 130
	bushels.. 356 413 100	44 646 809	238 698 417	73 067 874	355 947 486	44 299 622	238 622 545	73 025 319
Irrigated	farms.. 4 086	615	2 627	844	4 069	602	2 625	842
	acres.. 1 465 920	166 201	965 068	334 651	1 465 666	166 021	(D)	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres	1 529	629	749	151	1 192	382	691	119
25 to 99 acres	3 495	902	2 148	445	3 414	842	2 134	438
100 to 249 acres	2 810	503	1 915	392	2 810	503	1 915	392
250 to 499 acres	1 593	194	1 102	297	1 593	194	1 102	297
500 acres or more	1 406	157	961	288	1 406	157	961	288
Corn for silage or green chop	farms.. 1 765	281	1 278	206	1 723	255	1 266	202
	acres.. 117 472	17 156	83 757	16 559	116 473	16 355	83 580	16 538
	tons, green.. 2 042 941	306 354	1 449 815	286 772	2 031 525	297 988	1 447 220	286 317
Irrigated	farms.. 561	84	394	83	561	84	394	83
	acres.. 55 459	8 359	38 547	8 553	55 459	8 359	38 547	8 553
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres	561	114	395	52	529	95	386	48
25 to 99 acres	873	119	648	106	867	116	645	106
100 to 249 acres	264	38	187	39	260	34	187	39
250 to 499 acres	46	7	35	4	46	7	35	4
500 acres or more	21	3	13	5	21	3	13	5
Sorghum for grain or seed	farms.. 20 398	4 557	13 004	2 837	18 931	3 597	12 708	2 626
	acres.. 3 077 984	374 259	2 268 106	435 619	3 039 368	350 894	2 259 057	429 417
	bushels.. 231 561 211	26 997 758	172 251 440	32 312 013	229 438 749	25 706 161	171 753 561	31 979 027
Irrigated	farms.. 1 233	141	829	263	1 219	133	826	260
	acres.. 156 965	15 430	105 259	36 276	156 575	15 181	105 175	36 219
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres	2 767	1 265	1 157	345	1 878	670	986	222
25 to 99 acres	7 995	2 253	4 563	1 179	7 441	1 901	4 444	1 096
100 to 249 acres	5 976	756	4 392	828	5 956	744	4 389	823
250 to 499 acres	2 603	197	2 075	331	2 601	196	2 074	331
500 acres or more	1 057	86	817	154	1 055	86	815	154
Wheat for grain	farms.. 30 392	8 307	17 642	4 443	27 157	6 154	17 046	3 957
	acres.. 9 560 615	1 281 291	6 859 993	1 419 331	9 418 305	1 193 970	6 830 233	1 394 102
	bushels.. 407 515 802	52 304 563	296 277 129	58 934 110	402 839 032	49 381 406	295 340 604	58 117 022
Irrigated	farms.. 1 963	272	1 229	462	1 934	255	1 221	458
	acres.. 493 991	47 300	305 218	141 473	493 053	46 722	304 968	141 363
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres	2 740	1 505	936	299	1 468	614	687	167
25 to 99 acres	7 976	3 471	3 344	1 161	6 294	2 356	3 077	861
100 to 249 acres	7 702	1 969	4 501	1 232	7 444	1 834	4 429	1 181
250 to 499 acres	5 865	800	4 173	892	5 844	788	4 167	889
500 acres or more	6 109	562	4 688	859	6 107	562	4 686	859
Barley for grain	farms.. 152	38	95	19	144	32	94	18
	acres.. 8 203	2 027	5 268	908	8 019	1 886	(D)	(D)
	bushels.. 336 453	90 362	215 121	30 970	327 761	81 940	(D)	(D)
Irrigated	farms.. 8	1	5	2	7	5	1	1
	acres.. 638	(D)	538	(D)	(D)	(D)	538	(D)
Oats for grain	farms.. 2 603	646	1 699	258	2 340	484	1 624	232
	acres.. 79 163	15 291	55 098	8 774	75 655	12 971	54 223	8 461
	bushels.. 4 530 823	766 834	3 227 926	536 063	4 374 718	662 486	3 190 019	522 213
Irrigated	farms.. 37	7	19	11	37	7	19	11
	acres.. 3 077	545	1 077	1 455	3 077	545	1 077	1 455
Soybeans for beans	farms.. 14 733	4 301	8 698	1 734	13 195	3 205	8 424	1 566
	acres.. 2 208 642	327 034	1 648 600	233 008	2 172 565	302 288	1 641 820	228 457
	bushels.. 78 563 054	11 362 972	58 690 047	8 510 035	77 640 265	10 721 081	58 524 067	8 395 117
Irrigated	farms.. 1 665	239	1 134	292	1 645	224	1 130	291
	acres.. 222 420	25 650	160 625	36 145	221 873	(D)	160 570	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres	2 464	1 282	904	278	1 491	563	739	189
25 to 99 acres	5 997	2 098	3 162	737	5 446	1 732	3 054	660
100 to 249 acres	3 787	700	2 602	485	3 773	689	2 601	483
250 to 499 acres	1 592	158	1 274	160	1 592	158	1 274	160
500 acres or more	893	63	756	74	893	63	756	74
Dry edible beans, excluding dry limas	farms.. 118	22	76	20	118	22	76	20
	acres.. 17 767	3 081	9 937	4 749	17 767	3 081	9 937	4 749
	cwt.. 362 021	62 616	202 327	97 078	362 021	62 616	202 327	97 078
Irrigated	farms.. 95	16	61	18	95	16	61	18
	acres.. 15 416	2 206	8 689	4 521	15 416	2 206	8 689	4 521
Potatoes, excluding sweetpotatoes	farms.. 68	37	24	7	34	9	19	6
	acres.. 924	(D)	163	(D)	905	(D)	158	(D)
	cwt.. 278 751	(D)	6	(D)	276 587	(D)	5	(D)
Irrigated	farms.. 20	12	6	2	11	4	5	2
	acres.. 874	(D)	(D)	(D)	869	(D)	(D)	(D)

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Item	All farms				Farms with sales of \$10,000 or more			
	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants
SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED—Con.								
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text)								
farms...	30 573	11 581	16 220	2 772	21 842	5 393	14 214	2 235
acres...	2 565 482	550 415	1 742 019	273 048	2 291 890	381 286	1 655 414	255 190
tons, dry...	6 147 197	1 160 248	4 190 427	796 522	5 749 420	911 280	4 067 981	770 159
farms...	1 333	254	858	221	1 279	210	849	220
acres...	242 871	34 344	150 559	57 968	241 466	(D)	150 249	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres	9 130	5 267	3 078	785	4 351	1 563	2 282	506
25 to 99 acres	13 915	5 080	7 560	1 275	10 352	2 768	6 540	1 044
100 to 249 acres	5 648	1 022	4 130	496	5 276	858	3 949	469
250 to 499 acres	1 366	150	1 073	143	1 349	142	1 064	143
500 acres or more	514	62	379	73	514	62	379	73
Alfalfa hay								
farms...	12 915	3 543	8 065	1 307	11 104	2 351	7 582	1 171
acres...	795 847	142 122	533 071	120 654	767 701	124 132	525 396	118 173
tons, dry...	3 123 045	515 218	2 082 815	525 012	3 055 199	472 577	2 063 546	519 076
farms...	1 110	202	714	194	1 085	182	710	193
acres...	215 956	30 207	131 890	53 859	215 358	(D)	131 723	(D)
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)								
farms...	398	203	139	56	225	68	121	36
acres...	3 128	829	1 659	641	2 637	496	1 633	508
farms...	133	70	40	23	77	25	36	16
acres...	1 034	253	578	203	875	152	573	150
Farms by acres harvested:								
0.1 to 4.9 acres	259	152	84	23	119	41	66	12
5.0 to 24.9 acres	110	45	36	29	77	21	36	20
25.0 to 99.9 acres	27	6	17	4	27	6	17	4
100.0 to 249.9 acres	2	—	2	—	2	—	2	—
250.0 acres or more	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Field seed and grass seed crops								
farms...	399	115	246	38	341	76	234	31
acres...	24 094	5 415	16 064	2 615	22 563	4 416	15 767	2 380
farms...	3	—	3	—	3	—	3	—
acres...	320	—	320	—	320	—	320	—
Land in orchards								
farms...	406	335	63	8	130	83	45	2
acres...	6 834	4 506	2 217	111	5 156	2 989	(D)	(D)
farms...	63	53	8	2	21	15	5	1
acres...	319	217	(D)	(D)	115	53	(D)	(D)
Farms by bearing and nonbearing acres:								
0.1 to 4.9 acres	226	195	28	3	49	32	17	—
5.0 to 24.9 acres	127	104	21	2	46	31	15	—
25.0 to 99.9 acres	45	31	11	3	28	16	10	2
100.0 to 249.9 acres	5	3	2	—	4	2	2	—
250.0 acres or more	3	2	1	—	3	2	1	—

¹Data are based on a sample of farms.

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