

Table 51. Summary by North American Industry Classification System: 1997

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Item	Total	Oilseed and grain farming (1111)	Vegetable and melon farming (1112)	Fruit and tree nut farming (1113)	Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114)	Other crop farming (1119)			
						Total	Tobacco farming (11191)	Cotton farming (11192)	Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199)
FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS									
Farms number ..	61 593	30 768	159	169	444	4 434	7	7	4 420
..... percent ..	100.0	50.0	.3	.3	.7	7.2	—	—	7.2
Land in farms acres ..	46 089 268	28 185 689	9 371	10 942	21 326	1 814 146	339	3 899	1 809 908
Average size of farm acres ..	748	916	59	65	48	409	48	557	409
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD									
Total sales (see text) farms ..	61 593	30 768	159	169	444	4 434	7	7	4 420
..... \$1,000 ..	9 207 130	3 007 020	3 284	1 598	49 129	207 372	65	1 025	206 282
Average per farm dollars ..	149 483	97 732	20 656	9 457	110 651	46 769	9 219	146 456	46 670
Farms by value of sales:									
Less than \$1,000 (see text) ..	6 796	3 391	19	92	15	729	—	—	729
\$1,000 to \$2,499 ..	4 172	642	22	27	65	730	—	—	730
\$2,500 to \$4,999 ..	5 068	1 072	26	13	52	630	3	1	626
\$5,000 to \$9,999 ..	6 767	2 092	39	15	62	570	—	—	570
\$10,000 to \$19,999 ..	7 734	3 543	16	5	77	517	3	—	514
\$20,000 to \$24,999 ..	2 559	1 367	9	3	24	128	1	—	127
\$25,000 to \$39,999 ..	5 272	3 162	7	2	34	251	—	2	249
\$40,000 to \$49,999 ..	2 485	1 586	5	4	12	119	—	—	119
\$50,000 to \$99,999 ..	7 304	5 089	7	5	28	308	—	2	306
\$100,000 to \$249,999 ..	8 016	5 655	9	2	39	280	—	—	280
\$250,000 to \$499,999 ..	3 417	2 321	—	1	25	113	—	1	112
\$500,000 to \$999,999 ..	1 324	713	—	—	6	40	—	1	39
\$1,000,000 to \$2,499,999 ..	454	127	—	—	3	15	—	—	15
\$2,500,000 to \$4,999,999 ..	83	8	—	—	1	3	—	—	3
\$5,000,000 or more ..	142	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	1
Grains farms ..	36 838	27 566	21	8	25	1 524	1	5	1 518
..... \$1,000 ..	2 952 786	2 565 422	(D)	(D)	316	60 390	(D)	158	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more farms ..	14 515	12 519	2	1	1	289	—	1	288
..... \$1,000 ..	2 564 720	2 273 179	(D)	(D)	(D)	45 197	—	(D)	(D)
Corn for grain farms ..	9 481	7 839	4	2	4	305	1	1	303
..... \$1,000 ..	828 473	751 927	47	(D)	83	20 229	(D)	(D)	(D)
Wheat farms ..	30 326	23 257	10	2	12	1 144	—	5	1 139
..... \$1,000 ..	1 191 123	1 008 726	(D)	(D)	50	22 343	—	41	22 302
Soybeans farms ..	14 703	11 255	8	5	9	518	—	3	515
..... \$1,000 ..	466 631	400 309	99	(D)	172	9 157	—	(D)	(D)
Sorghum for grain farms ..	18 874	15 153	1	1	2	622	—	2	620
..... \$1,000 ..	438 010	379 255	(D)	(D)	(D)	8 011	—	(D)	(D)
Barley farms ..	98	62	—	—	—	5	—	—	5
..... \$1,000 ..	665	474	—	—	—	9	—	—	9
Oats farms ..	1 316	951	2	—	—	93	—	—	93
..... \$1,000 ..	3 609	2 846	(D)	—	—	209	—	—	209
Other grains farms ..	1 174	984	2	—	1	25	—	—	25
..... \$1,000 ..	24 275	21 885	(D)	—	(D)	432	—	—	432
Cotton and cottonseed farms ..	45	26	—	—	—	14	—	7	7
..... \$1,000 ..	(D)	1 112	—	—	—	1 210	—	791	419
Sales of \$50,000 or more farms ..	15	7	—	—	—	6	—	2	4
..... \$1,000 ..	1 913	(D)	—	—	—	1 053	—	(D)	(D)
Tobacco farms ..	12	1	—	—	—	8	7	—	1
..... \$1,000 ..	(D)	(D)	—	—	—	75	(D)	—	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more farms ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hay, silage, and field seeds farms ..	14 030	6 608	14	11	43	4 149	2	4	4 143
..... \$1,000 ..	209 777	85 541	18	17	94	92 937	(D)	76	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more farms ..	772	330	—	—	—	331	—	—	331
..... \$1,000 ..	120 521	39 010	—	—	—	67 322	—	—	67 322
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons farms ..	398	114	155	17	15	49	—	—	49
..... \$1,000 ..	3 454	614	(D)	41	68	210	—	—	210
Sales of \$50,000 or more farms ..	15	2	12	—	—	1	—	—	1
..... \$1,000 ..	(D)	(D)	1 245	—	—	(D)	—	—	(D)
Fruits, nuts, and berries farms ..	205	25	20	97	9	23	—	—	23
..... \$1,000 ..	1 621	135	75	1 296	21	30	—	—	30
Sales of \$50,000 or more farms ..	7	—	—	7	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000 ..	765	—	—	765	—	—	—	—	—
Nursery and greenhouse crops farms ..	528	30	13	4	444	20	—	—	20
..... \$1,000 ..	49 302	543	135	(D)	48 464	106	—	—	106
Sales of \$50,000 or more farms ..	105	4	1	—	100	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000 ..	45 110	(D)	(D)	—	44 683	—	—	—	—
Other crops farms ..	72	11	27	2	3	19	—	—	19
..... \$1,000 ..	2 187	(D)	289	(D)	2	1 113	—	—	1 113
Sales of \$50,000 or more farms ..	6	2	2	—	—	2	—	—	2
..... \$1,000 ..	1 957	(D)	(D)	—	—	(D)	—	—	(D)
Poultry and poultry products farms ..	901	169	11	3	13	75	—	—	75
..... \$1,000 ..	47 976	1 182	24	(D)	7	247	—	—	247
Sales of \$50,000 or more farms ..	64	6	—	—	—	1	—	—	1
..... \$1,000 ..	46 794	953	—	—	—	(D)	—	—	(D)
Dairy products farms ..	1 073	99	1	—	—	21	—	—	21
..... \$1,000 ..	158 909	5 302	(D)	—	—	1 120	—	—	1 120
Sales of \$50,000 or more farms ..	703	35	—	—	—	8	—	—	8
..... \$1,000 ..	150 638	3 977	—	—	—	974	—	—	974
Cattle and calves farms ..	36 207	12 492	11	5	26	1 499	3	—	1 496
..... \$1,000 ..	5 456 072	321 971	62	41	134	41 861	6	—	41 855
Sales of \$50,000 or more farms ..	5 750	1 570	—	—	—	176	—	—	176
..... \$1,000 ..	5 082 804	169 025	—	—	—	27 078	—	—	27 078

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Item	Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111)	Cattle feedlots (112112)	Dairy cattle and milk production (11212)	Hog and pig farming (1122)	Poultry and egg production (1123)	Sheep and goat farming (1124)	Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125,1129)
FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS							
Farms number ..	19 839	1 331	764	1 098	256	437	1 894
..... percent ..	32.2	2.2	1.2	1.8	3.4	7	3.1
Land in farms acres ..	13 311 621	1 452 709	462 862	382 836	30 400	45 188	362 178
Average size of farm acres ..	671	1 091	606	349	119	103	191
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD							
Total sales (see text) farms ..	19 839	1 331	764	1 098	256	437	1 894
..... \$1,000 ..	1 402 227	3 973 871	177 419	286 838	49 875	6 364	42 133
Average per farm dollars ..	70 680	2 985 628	232 224	261 237	194 824	14 562	22 246
Farms by value of sales:							
Less than \$1,000 (see text) ..	1 342	34	2	63	105	89	915
\$1,000 to \$2,499 ..	2 041	142	5	77	42	125	254
\$2,500 to \$4,999 ..	2 746	123	5	91	15	94	201
\$5,000 to \$9,999 ..	3 578	102	3	73	19	55	159
\$10,000 to \$19,999 ..	3 154	115	19	125	12	39	112
\$20,000 to \$24,999 ..	906	28	23	29	1	5	36
\$25,000 to \$39,999 ..	1 575	67	44	71	6	5	48
\$40,000 to \$49,999 ..	634	25	27	45	2	5	21
\$50,000 to \$99,999 ..	1 442	90	143	132	3	10	47
\$100,000 to \$249,999 ..	1 261	172	336	184	7	7	64
\$250,000 to \$499,999 ..	602	104	116	100	11	-	24
\$500,000 to \$999,999 ..	351	94	27	61	23	2	7
\$1,000,000 to \$2,499,999 ..	165	91	9	30	7	1	6
\$2,500,000 to \$4,999,999 ..	29	30	-	11	-	-	-
\$5,000,000 or more ..	13	114	5	6	2	-	-
Grains farms ..	5 821	562	521	482	45	44	219
..... \$1,000 ..	214 402	56 005	18 878	23 526	2 532	956	9 941
Sales of \$50,000 or more farms ..	1 107	268	113	137	20	3	55
..... \$1,000 ..	154 937	51 080	11 438	17 973	2 172	705	7 570
Corn for grain farms ..	881	163	138	80	8	8	49
..... \$1,000 ..	34 127	14 541	2 658	3 072	303	(D)	1 133
Wheat farms ..	4 440	456	400	373	35	29	168
..... \$1,000 ..	113 800	23 703	8 181	9 069	1 039	253	3 885
Soybeans farms ..	2 017	225	256	275	24	9	102
..... \$1,000 ..	32 252	10 414	4 816	6 365	(D)	76	2 342
Sorghum for grain farms ..	2 333	202	206	195	34	12	113
..... \$1,000 ..	32 620	6 687	3 027	4 881	664	(D)	2 501
Barley farms ..	12	4	11	3	-	-	1
..... \$1,000 ..	46	26	91	(D)	-	-	(D)
Oats farms ..	195	21	22	16	2	2	12
..... \$1,000 ..	415	44	32	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Other grains farms ..	108	20	15	15	1	-	3
..... \$1,000 ..	1 143	590	72	96	(D)	-	52
Cotton and cottonseed farms ..	4	-	1	-	-	-	-
..... \$1,000 ..	211	-	(D)	-	-	-	-
Sales of \$50,000 or more farms ..	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
..... \$1,000 ..	(D)	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tobacco farms ..	2	-	-	1	-	-	-
..... \$1,000 ..	(D)	-	-	(D)	-	-	-
Sales of \$50,000 or more farms ..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
..... \$1,000 ..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hay, silage, and field seeds farms ..	2 461	197	136	168	21	49	173
..... \$1,000 ..	20 387	6 003	2 115	1 225	74	236	1 128
Sales of \$50,000 or more farms ..	67	31	7	2	-	1	3
..... \$1,000 ..	8 353	4 527	793	(D)	-	(D)	324
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons farms ..	25	5	4	6	2	5	1
..... \$1,000 ..	44	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more farms ..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
..... \$1,000 ..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fruits, nuts, and berries farms ..	27	-	1	1	1	-	1
..... \$1,000 ..	44	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more farms ..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
..... \$1,000 ..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nursery and greenhouse crops farms ..	9	-	-	3	2	1	2
..... \$1,000 ..	25	-	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more farms ..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
..... \$1,000 ..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other crops farms ..	4	2	-	1	2	1	-
..... \$1,000 ..	(D)	(D)	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	-
Sales of \$50,000 or more farms ..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
..... \$1,000 ..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Poultry and poultry products farms ..	271	17	18	38	211	29	46
..... \$1,000 ..	567	5	5	(D)	45 723	(D)	29
Sales of \$50,000 or more farms ..	2	-	1	-	54	-	-
..... \$1,000 ..	(D)	-	(D)	-	45 132	-	-
Dairy products farms ..	175	4	762	4	1	-	6
..... \$1,000 ..	11 055	84	140 962	(D)	(D)	-	356
Sales of \$50,000 or more farms ..	76	-	581	-	-	-	3
..... \$1,000 ..	9 392	-	136 012	-	-	-	284
Cattle and calves farms ..	19 168	1 331	757	504	41	55	318
..... \$1,000 ..	1 144 866	3 909 901	14 759	10 987	391	181	10 917
Sales of \$50,000 or more farms ..	3 203	664	48	41	1	-	47
..... \$1,000 ..	963 605	3 902 458	5 990	(D)	(D)	-	8 283

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						Total	Tobacco farming (11191)	Cotton farming (11192)	Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199)
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD—Con.									
Total sales (see text)—Con.									
Hogs and pigs farms..	2 873	784	4	4	—	200	—	—	200
\$1,000..	299 836	19 915	6	3	—	7 234	—	—	7 234
Sales of \$50,000 or more farms..	754	118	—	—	—	54	—	—	54
\$1,000..	275 846	11 685	—	—	—	5 278	—	—	5 278
Sheep, lambs, and wool farms..	1 505	463	3	4	5	81	—	—	81
\$1,000..	9 971	3 162	(D)	(D)	4	460	—	—	460
Sales of \$50,000 or more farms..	36	13	—	—	—	3	—	—	3
\$1,000..	4 912	1 378	—	—	—	163	—	—	163
Other livestock and livestock products (see text) farms..	2 288	342	9	6	11	133	—	—	133
\$1,000..	12 599	1 361	14	3	19	377	—	—	377
Sales of \$50,000 or more farms..	36	7	—	—	—	1	—	—	1
\$1,000..	4 390	(D)	—	—	—	(D)	—	—	(D)
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text) farms..	1 492	294	114	58	27	108	—	—	108
\$1,000..	3 663	659	897	229	94	220	—	—	220
FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES¹									
Total farm production expenses farms..	61 591	30 944	136	218	433	4 264	7	8	4 249
\$1,000..	7 290 703	2 005 195	1 897	1 203	35 040	149 188	47	338	148 802
Average per farm dollars..	118 373	64 801	13 952	5 517	80 925	34 988	6 781	42 239	35 021
Livestock and poultry purchased farms..	19 518	6 242	13	21	26	865	—	—	865
\$1,000..	2 687 621	92 302	(D)	(D)	36	14 706	—	—	14 706
Farms with expenses of—									
\$1 to \$4,999	10 568	3 512	13	21	25	635	—	—	635
\$5,000 to \$24,999	5 060	1 885	—	—	1	133	—	—	133
\$25,000 to \$99,999	2 387	696	—	—	—	65	—	—	65
\$100,000 to \$249,999	753	117	—	—	—	23	—	—	23
\$250,000 or more	750	32	—	—	—	9	—	—	9
Feed for livestock and poultry farms..	32 955	11 170	25	33	80	1 373	—	—	1 373
\$1,000..	1 506 407	61 881	19	10	68	7 990	—	—	7 990
Farms with expenses of—									
\$1 to \$4,999	22 738	8 065	25	33	79	1 111	—	—	1 111
\$5,000 to \$24,999	7 019	2 634	—	—	1	198	—	—	198
\$25,000 to \$99,999	2 286	442	—	—	—	52	—	—	52
\$100,000 to \$249,999	492	26	—	—	—	10	—	—	10
\$250,000 or more	420	3	—	—	—	2	—	—	2
Commercially mixed formula feeds farms..	19 188	6 058	21	16	69	868	—	—	868
\$1,000..	330 124	24 226	19	8	38	3 014	—	—	3 014
Farms with expenses of—									
\$1 to \$4,999	14 396	4 820	21	16	69	726	—	—	726
\$5,000 to \$24,999	3 375	1 094	—	—	—	124	—	—	124
\$25,000 to \$99,999	1 075	139	—	—	—	15	—	—	15
\$100,000 or more	342	5	—	—	—	3	—	—	3
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees farms..	36 221	24 922	115	60	251	1 646	7	8	1 631
\$1,000..	167 748	132 202	(D)	(D)	6 353	5 381	(D)	(D)	5 353
Farms with expenses of—									
\$1 to \$999	14 572	8 363	85	59	129	914	7	—	907
\$1,000 to \$4,999	13 501	9 893	20	—	61	478	—	—	472
\$5,000 to \$24,999	6 888	5 597	9	1	30	221	—	2	219
\$25,000 to \$49,999	978	842	1	—	12	20	—	—	20
\$50,000 or more	282	227	—	—	19	13	—	—	13
Commercial fertilizer farms..	42 255	25 650	96	131	217	2 831	7	8	2 816
\$1,000..	373 353	290 264	54	60	644	13 039	(D)	(D)	12 995
Farms with expenses of—									
\$1 to \$4,999	25 451	12 558	95	130	203	2 357	7	6	2 344
\$5,000 to \$24,999	13 065	10 010	1	1	6	388	—	2	386
\$25,000 to \$49,999	2 625	2 150	—	—	5	56	—	—	56
\$50,000 or more	1 114	932	—	—	3	30	—	—	30
Agricultural chemicals farms..	35 165	22 098	86	129	226	1 983	7	—	1 976
\$1,000..	224 156	180 730	49	53	327	7 820	3	—	7 816
Farms with expenses of—									
\$1 to \$4,999	24 354	13 284	85	127	218	1 669	7	—	1 662
\$5,000 to \$24,999	8 762	7 075	1	2	4	263	—	—	263
\$25,000 to \$49,999	1 461	1 245	—	—	3	28	—	—	28
\$50,000 or more	588	494	—	—	1	23	—	—	23
Petroleum products farms..	56 929	28 745	129	168	372	3 865	7	8	3 850
\$1,000..	294 353	190 961	169	63	1 903	14 179	(D)	(D)	14 137
Farms with expenses of—									
\$1 to \$4,999	42 074	18 248	120	167	299	3 363	7	6	3 350
\$5,000 to \$24,999	12 984	9 144	9	1	56	426	—	2	424
\$25,000 to \$49,999	1 314	981	—	—	10	42	—	—	42
\$50,000 or more	557	372	—	—	7	34	—	—	34
Gasoline and gasohol farms..	47 880	23 808	102	151	304	3 202	7	8	3 187
\$1,000..	80 101	45 425	52	38	571	3 721	(D)	(D)	3 708
Diesel fuel farms..	43 072	25 247	45	48	181	2 445	—	8	2 437
\$1,000..	133 036	92 556	(D)	(D)	200	5 371	—	(D)	(D)
Natural gas farms..	4 702	3 326	9	—	59	255	—	1	254
\$1,000..	49 868	34 939	97	—	903	3 598	—	(D)	(D)
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc. farms..	46 073	25 316	40	83	232	2 646	—	8	2 638
\$1,000..	31 349	18 042	(D)	(D)	229	1 489	—	1	1 487

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MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD—Con.							
Total sales (see text)—Con.							
Hogs and pigs farms..	503	54	30	1 092	4	16	182
\$1,000..	7 983	1 702	496	250 561	(D)	(D)	10 688
Sales of \$50,000 or more farms..	42	10	4	464	2	1	59
\$1,000..	5 095	1 313	354	242 129	(D)	(D)	8 760
Sheep, lambs, and wool farms..	393	28	11	69	3	389	56
\$1,000..	955	37	(D)	156	(D)	4 752	419
Sales of \$50,000 or more farms..	1	—	—	—	—	16	3
\$1,000..	(D)	—	—	—	—	3 028	(D)
Other livestock and livestock products (see text) farms..	689	49	21	41	11	76	900
\$1,000..	1 680	80	46	255	3	122	8 639
Sales of \$50,000 or more farms..	—	—	—	1	—	—	27
\$1,000..	—	—	—	(D)	—	—	3 598
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text) farms..	496	129	36	96	47	46	41
\$1,000..	712	373	158	194	38	34	55
FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES¹							
Total farm production expenses farms..	19 985	1 273	876	1 044	217	398	1 803
\$1,000..	1 114 062	3 513 136	143 231	241 924	43 063	6 298	36 465
Average per farm dollars..	55 745	2 759 730	163 506	231 728	198 446	15 825	20 225
Livestock and poultry purchased farms..	9 439	991	380	712	133	162	534
\$1,000..	422 648	2 106 121	10 813	28 856	4 171	927	7 034
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999	4 934	275	218	348	79	142	366
\$5,000 to \$24,999	2 460	150	101	180	17	10	123
\$25,000 to \$99,999	1 204	183	52	127	21	9	30
\$100,000 to \$249,999	459	92	3	33	15	—	11
\$250,000 or more	382	291	6	24	1	1	4
Feed for livestock and poultry farms..	15 491	1 197	855	974	182	302	1 273
\$1,000..	180 203	1 048 693	56 098	112 775	29 747	1 077	7 846
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999	11 112	533	100	296	130	262	992
\$5,000 to \$24,999	3 225	213	242	227	8	32	239
\$25,000 to \$99,999	870	150	437	295	6	7	27
\$100,000 to \$249,999	188	98	60	91	5	1	13
\$250,000 or more	96	203	16	65	33	—	2
Commercially mixed formula feeds farms..	8 917	702	760	648	157	180	792
\$1,000..	67 407	150 670	24 077	30 393	26 964	310	2 998
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999	6 993	356	206	235	113	163	678
\$5,000 to \$24,999	1 445	141	249	212	1	17	92
\$25,000 to \$99,999	379	89	287	141	6	—	19
\$100,000 or more	100	116	18	60	37	—	3
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees farms..	6 879	696	629	575	54	118	276
\$1,000..	13 772	4 542	2 425	2 125	76	106	586
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999	4 190	234	109	185	30	101	173
\$1,000 to \$4,999	2 092	215	340	295	22	14	71
\$5,000 to \$24,999	537	204	176	78	2	3	30
\$25,000 to \$49,999	47	34	4	16	—	—	2
\$50,000 or more	13	9	—	1	—	—	—
Commercial fertilizer farms..	10 622	786	668	543	56	167	488
\$1,000..	46 159	9 834	6 015	4 763	234	249	2 039
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999	8 474	412	345	258	42	158	419
\$5,000 to \$24,999	1 825	248	277	252	13	8	36
\$25,000 to \$49,999	237	86	42	21	—	—	28
\$50,000 or more	86	40	4	12	1	1	5
Agricultural chemicals farms..	8 012	705	597	571	55	152	551
\$1,000..	21 451	6 411	2 760	3 208	144	173	1 032
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999	7 032	430	431	394	48	144	492
\$5,000 to \$24,999	852	202	151	146	6	7	53
\$25,000 to \$49,999	92	49	11	25	1	1	6
\$50,000 or more	36	24	4	6	—	—	—
Petroleum products farms..	18 743	1 202	863	1 001	160	350	1 331
\$1,000..	49 142	21 446	5 532	7 767	632	371	2 187
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999	16 280	715	524	663	127	332	1 236
\$5,000 to \$24,999	2 269	337	316	295	29	16	86
\$25,000 to \$49,999	162	63	15	28	3	2	8
\$50,000 or more	32	87	8	15	1	—	1
Gasoline and gasohol farms..	16 178	1 062	769	882	137	286	999
\$1,000..	20 836	4 553	1 708	1 802	159	166	1 069
Diesel fuel farms..	11 850	919	805	665	82	161	624
\$1,000..	19 715	9 130	2 663	2 308	189	132	744
Natural gas farms..	682	161	54	72	22	8	54
\$1,000..	2 573	5 080	128	2 396	98	5	51
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc. farms..	13 816	1 018	837	828	130	216	911
\$1,000..	6 018	2 683	1 033	1 261	186	69	323

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Table 51. Summary by North American Industry Classification System: 1997—Con.

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Item	Total	Oilseed and grain farming (1111)	Vegetable and melon farming (1112)	Fruit and tree nut farming (1113)	Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114)	Other crop farming (1119)			
						Total	Tobacco farming (11191)	Cotton farming (11192)	Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199)
FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES¹									
—Con.									
Total farm production expenses—Con.									
Electricity	farms.. 40 578	20 873	61	59	298	2 192	—	8	2 184
	\$1,000.. 60 077	25 780	102	27	577	2 649	—	(D)	(D)
Farms with expenses of—									
\$1 to \$999	29 131	14 257	49	41	189	1 746	—	7	1 739
\$1,000 to \$4,999	9 610	5 654	3	18	85	364	—	—	364
\$5,000 to \$24,999	1 642	933	9	—	20	71	—	1	70
\$25,000 to \$49,999	110	24	—	—	3	7	—	—	7
\$50,000 or more	85	5	—	—	1	4	—	—	4
Hired farm labor	farms.. 20 660	12 099	28	17	221	1 091	7	1	1 083
	\$1,000.. 306 410	112 119	551	298	13 434	12 932	(D)	(D)	12 895
Farms with expenses of—									
\$1 to \$4,999	13 643	7 688	14	15	106	756	7	—	749
\$5,000 to \$24,999	4 813	3 185	5	—	55	227	—	1	226
\$25,000 to \$99,999	1 842	1 139	9	1	42	89	—	—	89
\$100,000 to \$249,999	226	80	—	1	13	14	—	—	14
\$250,000 or more	136	7	—	—	5	5	—	—	5
Workers by days worked:									
150 days or more	farms.. 7 344	4 282	12	2	129	337	—	1	336
	workers.. 16 970	6 754	(D)	(D)	857	595	—	(D)	(D)
Less than 150 days	farms.. 18 573	10 837	28	17	193	1 034	7	1	1 026
	workers.. 43 461	22 891	135	95	1 202	2 435	(D)	(D)	2 313
Contract labor	farms.. 6 973	3 840	10	31	68	475	—	1	474
	\$1,000.. 29 419	17 771	36	32	249	2 399	—	(D)	(D)
Farms with expenses of—									
\$1 to \$999	2 848	1 310	2	24	25	209	—	—	209
\$1,000 to \$4,999	2 735	1 607	8	5	29	163	—	—	163
\$5,000 to \$24,999	1 198	807	—	2	13	90	—	—	90
\$25,000 to \$49,999	127	84	—	—	1	7	—	1	6
\$50,000 or more	65	32	—	—	—	6	—	—	6
Repair and maintenance	farms.. 50 328	25 873	89	127	304	3 193	—	8	3 185
	\$1,000.. 358 071	215 340	162	136	1 878	16 746	—	76	16 671
Farms with expenses of—									
\$1 to \$4,999	32 501	13 775	80	118	205	2 354	—	—	2 354
\$5,000 to \$24,999	15 071	10 275	8	9	80	750	—	8	742
\$25,000 to \$49,999	2 008	1 401	1	—	13	54	—	—	54
\$50,000 or more	748	422	—	—	6	35	—	—	35
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment	farms.. 23 546	14 387	33	48	93	1 304	—	1	1 303
	\$1,000.. 160 477	112 131	42	20	183	7 130	—	(D)	(D)
Farms with expenses of—									
\$1 to \$999	7 447	3 474	31	40	65	474	—	—	474
\$1,000 to \$4,999	9 177	5 709	—	8	20	538	—	—	538
\$5,000 to \$24,999	5 575	4 162	2	—	7	244	—	1	243
\$25,000 to \$49,999	906	707	—	—	1	29	—	—	29
\$50,000 or more	441	335	—	—	—	19	—	—	19
Interest	farms.. 32 648	17 984	37	61	187	1 696	—	8	1 688
	\$1,000.. 351 690	178 387	109	152	2 278	15 729	—	28	15 702
Farms with expenses of—									
\$1 to \$4,999	17 374	8 498	34	53	114	989	—	6	983
\$5,000 to \$24,999	12 320	7 782	3	8	60	571	—	2	569
\$25,000 to \$99,999	2 699	1 648	—	—	12	124	—	—	124
\$100,000 or more	255	56	—	—	1	12	—	—	12
Secured by real estate	farms.. 23 007	12 442	28	61	142	1 326	—	1	1 325
	\$1,000.. 178 621	102 646	(D)	(D)	1 572	9 798	—	(D)	(D)
Farms with expenses of—									
\$1 to \$999	2 993	1 308	4	33	17	208	—	—	208
\$1,000 to \$4,999	10 068	4 939	21	21	79	586	—	—	586
\$5,000 to \$24,999	8 693	5 473	3	7	39	467	—	1	466
\$25,000 to \$49,999	941	592	—	—	5	46	—	—	46
\$50,000 or more	312	130	—	—	2	19	—	—	19
Not secured by real estate	farms.. 20 557	11 745	17	6	90	876	—	8	868
	\$1,000.. 173 069	75 740	(D)	(D)	706	5 931	—	(D)	(D)
Farms with expenses of—									
\$1 to \$999	5 264	2 604	7	5	18	310	—	6	304
\$1,000 to \$4,999	8 269	4 758	10	—	36	321	—	—	321
\$5,000 to \$24,999	5 907	3 874	—	1	32	201	—	2	199
\$25,000 to \$49,999	733	397	—	—	3	28	—	—	28
\$50,000 or more	384	112	—	—	1	16	—	—	16
Cash rent	farms.. 18 302	9 954	32	—	49	857	—	2	855
	\$1,000.. 186 278	109 529	144	—	199	7 678	—	(D)	(D)
Farms with expenses of—									
\$1 to \$4,999	10 926	5 384	23	—	40	577	—	—	577
\$5,000 to \$9,999	2 712	1 623	1	—	4	89	—	1	88
\$10,000 to \$24,999	3 043	1 925	8	—	3	147	—	1	146
\$25,000 or more	1 621	1 022	—	—	2	44	—	—	44
Property taxes	farms.. 57 280	28 720	112	212	386	4 047	—	8	4 039
	\$1,000.. 117 225	67 728	75	199	833	6 201	—	18	6 183
Farms with expenses of—									
\$1 to \$4,999	52 467	25 580	111	212	359	3 859	—	7	3 852
\$5,000 to \$9,999	3 459	2 378	1	—	12	129	—	1	128
\$10,000 to \$24,999	1 187	691	—	—	12	52	—	—	52
\$25,000 or more	167	71	—	—	3	7	—	—	7
All other farm production expenses	farms.. 56 328	28 838	101	154	407	3 509	7	8	3 494
	\$1,000.. 467 416	218 070	224	128	6 079	14 609	7	44	14 559
Farms with expenses of—									
\$1 to \$4,999	40 109	18 402	91	152	302	2 858	7	6	2 845
\$5,000 to \$24,999	12 879	8 560	9	2	67	571	—	2	569
\$25,000 to \$49,999	2 099	1 255	—	—	20	33	—	—	33
\$50,000 to \$99,999	813	472	1	—	10	34	—	—	34
\$100,000 or more	428	149	—	—	8	13	—	—	13

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Table 51. Summary by North American Industry Classification System: 1997—Con.

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Item	Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111)	Cattle feedlots (112112)	Dairy cattle and milk production (11212)	Hog and pig farming (1122)	Poultry and egg production (1123)	Sheep and goat farming (1124)	Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125,1129)
FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES¹							
—Con.							
Total farm production expenses—Con.							
Electricity farms..	13 051	1 002	859	818	153	238	974
\$1,000..	10 426	10 510	3 386	5 347	449	134	688
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999	10 716	527	144	341	95	220	806
\$1,000 to \$4,999	2 095	271	553	372	31	16	148
\$5,000 to \$24,999	214	120	151	80	23	1	20
\$25,000 to \$49,999	19	34	5	14	3	1	—
\$50,000 or more	7	50	6	11	1	—	—
Hired farm labor farms..	5 135	573	522	504	49	85	336
\$1,000..	36 254	87 312	11 546	27 137	2 893	306	1 625
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999	3 916	218	249	280	31	73	297
\$5,000 to \$24,999	866	123	183	134	4	10	21
\$25,000 to \$99,999	301	102	77	56	10	1	15
\$100,000 to \$249,999	47	44	5	17	1	1	3
\$250,000 or more	5	86	8	17	3	—	—
Workers by days worked:							
150 days or more farms..	1 534	372	320	221	22	22	91
workers..	2 741	3 700	860	1 097	144	24	150
Less than 150 days farms..	4 777	417	374	443	43	85	325
workers..	10 083	2 989	962	1 408	374	241	646
Contract labor farms..	1 879	195	90	120	28	46	191
\$1,000..	5 399	2 124	396	551	162	57	244
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999	956	50	6	73	22	30	141
\$1,000 to \$4,999	709	71	58	28	3	15	39
\$5,000 to \$24,999	182	55	25	11	2	1	10
\$25,000 to \$49,999	21	9	—	5	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more	11	10	1	3	1	—	1
Repair and maintenance farms..	16 173	1 098	859	933	141	316	1 222
\$1,000..	61 934	36 704	9 873	10 286	796	767	3 449
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999	13 033	550	381	550	95	299	1 061
\$5,000 to \$24,999	2 736	334	381	307	40	8	143
\$25,000 to \$49,999	308	87	72	46	4	8	14
\$50,000 or more	96	127	25	30	2	1	4
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment. farms..	5 911	527	499	369	17	115	243
\$1,000..	22 345	13 360	2 581	1 933	59	146	548
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999	2 750	135	133	121	3	76	145
\$1,000 to \$4,999	2 223	164	230	158	11	36	80
\$5,000 to \$24,999	814	133	119	73	3	2	16
\$25,000 to \$49,999	94	46	16	11	—	1	1
\$50,000 or more	30	49	1	6	—	—	1
Interest farms..	9 656	799	631	668	93	152	684
\$1,000..	77 897	53 650	9 459	8 851	1 354	478	3 347
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999	6 182	314	238	327	44	132	449
\$5,000 to \$24,999	2 802	235	314	262	39	19	225
\$25,000 to \$99,999	601	155	73	67	8	1	10
\$100,000 or more	71	95	6	12	2	—	—
Secured by real estate farms..	6 859	523	405	492	84	101	544
\$1,000..	40 692	10 533	5 088	4 585	825	248	2 420
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999	1 120	61	14	72	11	18	127
\$1,000 to \$4,999	3 551	195	140	190	41	71	234
\$5,000 to \$24,999	1 921	166	209	191	28	12	177
\$25,000 to \$49,999	196	47	22	29	—	—	4
\$50,000 or more	71	54	20	10	4	—	2
Not secured by real estate farms..	5 953	542	467	425	48	104	284
\$1,000..	37 205	43 117	4 371	4 266	528	231	927
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999	1 837	86	84	123	—	58	132
\$1,000 to \$4,999	2 514	109	203	140	28	37	113
\$5,000 to \$24,999	1 299	168	151	125	15	8	33
\$25,000 to \$49,999	189	67	16	25	3	1	4
\$50,000 or more	114	112	13	12	2	—	2
Cash rent farms..	5 893	406	446	319	31	64	251
\$1,000..	46 362	13 028	3 799	3 690	403	506	939
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999	4 062	179	185	190	18	46	222
\$5,000 to \$9,999	725	62	144	50	—	—	9
\$10,000 to \$24,999	726	78	98	35	3	9	11
\$25,000 or more	380	87	19	44	5	9	9
Property taxes farms..	18 547	1 199	826	987	208	380	1 656
\$1,000..	28 813	5 853	2 198	2 791	422	283	1 830
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999	17 629	930	702	901	186	378	1 620
\$5,000 to \$9,999	635	121	99	43	14	2	25
\$10,000 to \$24,999	256	104	20	34	7	—	11
\$25,000 or more	27	44	5	9	1	—	—
All other farm production expenses farms..	18 242	1 234	869	948	174	341	1 511
\$1,000..	91 256	93 549	16 348	21 844	1 520	718	3 072
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999	14 951	662	301	530	132	317	1 411
\$5,000 to \$24,999	2 574	275	414	269	29	22	87
\$25,000 to \$49,999	476	104	108	93	4	—	6
\$50,000 to \$99,999	152	72	34	27	5	1	5
\$100,000 or more	89	121	12	29	4	1	2

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Item	Total	Oilseed and grain farming (1111)	Vegetable and melon farming (1112)	Fruit and tree nut farming (1113)	Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114)	Other crop farming (1119)			
						Total	Tobacco farming (11191)	Cotton farming (11192)	Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199)
NET CASH RETURN FROM AGRICULTURAL SALES FOR THE FARM UNIT (SEE TEXT)¹									
All farms	number .. 61 591	30 944	136	218	433	4 264	7	8	4 249
	\$1,000 .. 1 877 913	993 713	656	-390	15 563	48 005	46	660	47 299
Average per farm	dollars .. 30 490	32 113	4 821	-1 789	35 943	11 258	6 611	82 540	11 132
Farms with net gains ²	number .. 37 570	22 138	106	27	285	2 092	7	8	2 077
Average net gain	dollars .. 56 318	48 096	7 558	5 586	57 403	28 978	6 611	82 540	28 848
Gain of—									
Less than \$1,000	3 163	950	24	14	24	354	—	—	354
\$1,000 to \$9,999	12 407	5 977	67	12	119	870	7	6	857
\$10,000 to \$49,999	13 355	9 134	13	—	80	571	—	—	571
\$50,000 or more	8 645	6 077	2	1	62	297	—	2	295
Farms with net losses	number .. 24 021	8 806	30	191	148	2 172	—	—	2 172
Average net loss	dollars .. 9 906	8 066	4 853	2 831	5 381	5 809	—	—	5 809
Loss of—									
Less than \$1,000	4 626	1 997	14	30	27	467	—	—	467
\$1,000 to \$9,999	14 522	4 993	15	153	103	1 365	—	—	1 365
\$10,000 to \$49,999	4 384	1 617	—	8	16	313	—	—	313
\$50,000 or more	489	199	1	—	2	27	—	—	27
GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS AND OTHER FARM-RELATED INCOME									
Government payments	farms .. 39 735	26 028	31	38	76	2 164	2	5	2 157
	\$1,000 .. 343 771	253 711	56	64	220	11 700	(D)	(D)	11 672
Other farm-related income ¹	farms .. 24 249	14 003	29	20	88	1 557	—	6	1 551
	\$1,000 .. 119 958	68 436	31	51	286	6 556	—	(D)	(D)
Customwork and other agricultural services	farms .. 6 333	3 946	—	6	11	454	—	6	448
	\$1,000 .. 53 778	35 222	—	(D)	(D)	3 219	—	16	3 203
Gross cash rent or share payments	farms .. 8 643	4 267	17	12	44	776	—	6	770
	\$1,000 .. 51 224	23 757	28	46	201	2 729	—	4	2 725
Forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products	farms .. 271	123	5	—	—	26	—	—	26
	\$1,000 .. 727	322	(D)	—	—	199	—	—	199
Other farm-related income sources	farms .. 15 800	10 213	16	2	54	716	—	6	710
	\$1,000 .. 14 229	9 135	(D)	(D)	(D)	410	—	(D)	(D)
COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS									
Total	farms .. 4 406	3 486	1	1	—	153	1	—	152
	\$1,000 .. 91 100	76 315	(D)	(D)	—	2 117	(D)	—	(D)
Corn	farms .. 960	775	—	—	—	29	1	—	28
	\$1,000 .. 21 830	18 282	—	—	—	(D)	(D)	—	(D)
Wheat	farms .. 3 582	2 838	1	—	—	117	—	—	117
	\$1,000 .. 50 721	42 220	(D)	—	—	1 003	—	—	1 003
Soybeans	farms .. 550	437	—	1	—	20	—	—	20
	\$1,000 .. 11 228	10 110	—	(D)	—	231	—	—	231
Sorghum, barley, and oats	farms .. 1 237	981	—	—	—	45	—	—	45
	\$1,000 .. 7 211	(D)	—	—	—	326	—	—	326
Cotton	farms .. —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	\$1,000 .. —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sunflower seed, flaxseed, safflower, canola, other rapeseed, and mustard seed	farms .. 12	10	—	—	—	1	—	—	1
	\$1,000 .. 112	(D)	—	—	—	(D)	—	—	(D)
Peanuts, rice, and tobacco	farms .. —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	\$1,000 .. —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE									
Total cropland	farms .. 54 145	30 126	159	169	444	4 434	7	7	4 420
	acres .. 30 020 580	22 273 842	7 280	6 986	13 230	1 197 223	169	3 757	1 193 297
Harvested cropland	farms .. 48 280	27 667	159	169	444	4 434	7	7	4 420
	acres .. 19 839 087	15 430 154	4 552	5 901	8 815	830 294	80	3 639	826 575
Farms by acres harvested:									
1 to 49 acres	11 251	2 480	139	157	402	2 073	7	1	2 065
50 to 99 acres	6 569	3 066	8	6	27	823	—	—	823
100 to 199 acres	7 321	4 376	7	2	9	597	—	2	595
200 to 499 acres	10 358	7 387	4	1	4	516	—	2	514
500 to 999 acres	7 265	5 759	1	2	—	272	—	1	271
1,000 to 1,999 acres	4 128	3 423	—	1	2	114	—	—	114
2,000 acres or more	1 388	1 176	—	—	—	39	—	1	38
Cropland:									
Pasture or grazing only	farms .. 19 579	8 512	19	17	43	1 337	2	2	1 333
	acres .. 3 434 056	1 646 900	869	247	1 093	177 300	(D)	(D)	(D)
In cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured	farms .. 8 591	5 489	15	13	26	574	—	—	574
	acres .. 1 183 072	824 128	203	165	498	58 569	—	—	58 569
On which all crops failed	farms .. 1 594	1 033	8	6	7	89	—	—	89
	acres .. 135 452	96 218	(D)	60	(D)	4 585	—	—	4 585
In cultivated summer fallow	farms .. 13 949	10 570	3	3	1	511	—	—	511
	acres .. 4 253 386	3 425 297	(D)	62	(D)	82 697	—	—	82 697
Idle	farms .. 8 316	5 540	30	29	57	513	3	—	510
	acres .. 1 175 527	851 145	1 084	551	2 708	43 778	(D)	—	(D)
Total woodland	farms .. 11 457	4 932	35	58	85	1 144	4	3	1 137
	acres .. 679 951	326 075	992	1 216	1 721	47 524	(D)	(D)	47 378
Woodland pastured	farms .. 5 643	1 801	8	7	13	436	2	2	432
	acres .. 319 572	114 885	407	181	226	19 340	(D)	(D)	19 310
Woodland not pastured	farms .. 7 461	3 783	30	53	76	854	2	1	851
	acres .. 360 379	211 190	585	1 035	1 495	28 184	(D)	(D)	28 068

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Table 51. Summary by North American Industry Classification System: 1997—Con.

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Item	Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111)	Cattle feedlots (112112)	Dairy cattle and milk production (11212)	Hog and pig farming (1122)	Poultry and egg production (1123)	Sheep and goat farming (1124)	Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125,1129)
NET CASH RETURN FROM AGRICULTURAL SALES FOR THE FARM UNIT (SEE TEXT)¹							
All farms	19 985	1 273	876	1 044	217	398	1 803
\$1,000	256 165	452 136	48 816	56 473	4 412	283	2 079
Average per farm	12 818	355 174	55 726	54 093	20 334	710	1 153
Farms with net gains ²	10 187	705	778	753	47	125	327
Average net gain	33 247	708 335	66 666	84 223	161 081	10 861	33 399
Gain of—							
Less than \$1,000	1 519	93	16	33	8	63	65
\$1,000 to \$9,999	4 835	108	80	157	3	53	126
\$10,000 to \$49,999	2 569	198	405	286	19	6	74
\$50,000 or more	1 264	306	277	277	17	3	62
Farms with net losses	9 798	568	98	291	170	273	1 476
Average net loss	8 422	83 169	31 127	23 870	18 579	3 937	5 991
Loss of—							
Less than \$1,000	1 647	60	23	43	49	66	203
\$1,000 to \$9,999	6 035	308	46	205	83	178	1 038
\$10,000 to \$49,999	1 951	133	24	36	24	29	233
\$50,000 or more	165	67	5	7	14	—	2
GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS AND OTHER FARM-RELATED INCOME							
Government payments	8 921	670	510	539	104	108	546
\$1,000	52 079	14 805	3 688	4 425	400	261	2 362
Other farm-related income ¹	6 515	525	498	402	91	108	413
\$1,000	33 950	4 716	1 778	1 340	908	279	1 630
Customwork and other agricultural services	1 494	103	116	78	16	24	85
\$1,000	11 905	1 379	493	571	201	44	704
Gross cash rent or share payments	2 911	176	73	82	57	42	186
\$1,000	19 292	2 802	307	402	680	227	754
Forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products	78	1	—	15	—	—	23
\$1,000	99	(D)	—	4	—	—	101
Other farm-related income sources	3 440	367	425	306	35	59	167
\$1,000	2 655	(D)	978	363	26	8	71
COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS							
Total	549	80	49	55	4	3	25
\$1,000	7 787	2 485	613	1 188	36	(D)	484
Corn	93	26	15	12	2	—	8
\$1,000	1 265	1 182	135	308	(D)	—	(D)
Wheat	476	61	30	37	2	3	17
\$1,000	5 407	1 060	294	440	(D)	(D)	237
Soybeans	55	8	11	11	2	—	5
\$1,000	(D)	78	119	83	(D)	—	(D)
Sorghum, barley, and oats	135	21	14	28	2	1	10
\$1,000	558	165	65	358	(D)	(D)	71
Cotton	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sunflower seed, flaxseed, safflower, canola, other rapeseed, and mustard seed	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000	(D)	—	—	—	—	—	—
Peanuts, rice, and tobacco	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE							
Total cropland	14 779	977	698	727	148	276	1 208
\$1,000	4 997 838	711 508	316 517	272 774	19 975	24 606	178 801
Harvested cropland	12 211	839	655	640	98	190	774
\$1,000	2 520 131	477 339	231 178	205 747	14 804	11 643	98 529
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 49 acres	4 794	220	60	181	57	149	539
50 to 99 acres	2 324	85	68	71	7	23	61
100 to 199 acres	1 952	90	121	97	10	8	52
200 to 499 acres	1 800	147	260	158	11	5	65
500 to 999 acres	828	143	110	96	12	4	38
1,000 to 1,999 acres	413	102	31	27	1	—	14
2,000 acres or more	100	52	5	10	—	1	5
Cropland:							
Pasture or grazing only	7 687	440	415	280	64	156	609
\$1,000	1 367 052	90 064	61 816	36 276	2 923	6 336	43 180
In cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured	1 945	120	76	103	39	24	167
\$1,000	251 730	19 852	6 557	6 144	1 597	1 405	12 224
On which all crops failed	337	30	24	18	4	4	34
\$1,000	25 879	4 011	1 121	990	99	(D)	1 847
In cultivated summer fallow	2 313	227	89	124	8	19	81
\$1,000	594 261	105 431	11 167	18 044	262	(D)	13 340
Idle	1 704	118	64	86	15	30	130
\$1,000	238 785	14 811	4 678	5 573	290	2 443	9 681
Total woodland	4 120	213	184	188	58	67	373
\$1,000	254 316	12 106	9 955	8 979	1 494	1 196	14 377
Woodland pastured	2 778	120	109	100	20	36	215
\$1,000	159 626	5 952	5 778	4 324	347	627	7 879
Woodland not pastured	2 006	124	115	116	45	41	218
\$1,000	94 690	6 154	4 177	4 655	1 147	569	6 498

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Item	Total	Oilseed and grain farming (1111)	Vegetable and melon farming (1112)	Fruit and tree nut farming (1113)	Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114)	Other crop farming (1119)			
						Total	Tobacco farming (11191)	Cotton farming (11192)	Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199)
LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE—Con.									
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured..... farms..	29 854	12 868	18	28	62	1 618	1	2	1 615
acres..	14 062 576	4 792 911	507	1 169	3 680	510 255	(D)	(D)	510 212
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. farms..	37 589	18 355	91	126	280	2 935	4	4	2 927
acres..	1 326 161	792 861	592	1 571	2 695	59 144	25	98	59 021
Irrigated land farms..	6 135	4 505	69	47	196	382	—	—	382
acres..	2 707 489	2 231 599	1 218	(D)	1 734	189 203	—	—	189 203
Harvested cropland irrigated farms..	6 022	4 476	69	47	193	379	—	—	379
acres..	2 664 733	2 212 986	1 218	(D)	1 657	187 661	—	—	187 661
Pasture and other land irrigated farms..	271	124	—	2	6	18	—	—	18
acres..	42 756	18 613	—	(D)	77	1 542	—	—	1 542
Land under Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs farms..	16 434	10 704	6	13	21	929	—	2	927
acres..	2 493 625	1 766 525	140	174	2 156	104 911	—	(D)	(D)
VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS¹									
Estimated market value of land and buildings..... farms..	61 591	30 944	136	218	433	4 264	7	8	4 249
\$1,000..	26 516 960	16 542 005	(D)	18 821	91 334	1 170 701	47	1 810	1 168 844
Average per farm dollars..	430 533	534 579	(D)	86 336	210 932	274 555	6 696	226 245	275 087
Average per acre dollars..	577	588	(D)	2 172	4 653	688	2 232	405	689
Farms by value group:									
\$1 to \$39,999	6 177	1 688	47	63	104	429	7	—	422
\$40,000 to \$69,999	6 241	2 172	26	74	58	641	—	—	641
\$70,000 to \$99,999	5 685	2 273	23	17	38	521	—	—	521
\$100,000 to \$149,999	7 370	2 933	2	25	70	776	—	—	776
\$150,000 to \$199,999	5 308	2 594	15	18	61	422	—	6	416
\$200,000 to \$499,999	15 856	9 040	22	20	72	967	—	2	965
\$500,000 to \$999,999	8 418	5 752	1	—	19	314	—	—	314
\$1,000,000 to \$1,999,999	4 647	3 270	—	1	7	144	—	—	144
\$2,000,000 to \$4,999,999	1 670	1 119	—	—	3	42	—	—	42
\$5,000,000 or more	219	103	—	—	1	8	—	—	8
VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT¹									
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment farms..	61 583	30 943	136	218	433	4 264	7	8	4 249
\$1,000..	4 560 051	3 013 571	(D)	3 838	15 580	210 832	70	782	209 980
Farms by value group:									
\$1 to \$4,999	4 863	1 139	6	65	52	545	—	—	545
\$5,000 to \$9,999	7 170	2 130	25	35	92	709	—	—	709
\$10,000 to \$19,999	10 091	3 967	58	27	120	859	7	—	852
\$20,000 to \$49,999	15 941	7 475	33	69	96	1 052	—	—	1 052
\$50,000 to \$99,999	9 475	5 872	12	20	42	554	—	6	548
\$100,000 to \$199,999	7 785	5 729	1	1	14	324	—	1	323
\$200,000 to \$499,999	5 455	4 089	1	1	14	181	—	1	180
\$500,000 or more	803	542	—	—	3	40	—	—	40
SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT¹									
Motortrucks, including pickups farms..	57 586	29 344	134	180	370	3 657	7	8	3 642
number..	157 408	91 492	219	229	994	7 926	14	32	7 880
Wheel tractors farms..	55 247	28 591	123	183	375	3 993	7	8	3 978
number..	132 332	75 638	237	284	641	8 433	(D)	(D)	8 391
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) farms..	20 962	9 530	81	163	241	1 765	7	—	1 758
number..	28 464	13 223	111	174	332	2 325	(D)	(D)	—
40 horsepower (PTO) or more farms..	48 406	26 745	88	65	194	3 274	7	8	3 259
number..	103 868	62 415	126	110	309	6 108	(D)	(D)	(D)
40 to 99 horsepower (PTO) farms..	36 246	18 118	78	60	162	2 701	—	7	2 694
number..	56 070	28 382	95	88	232	3 985	—	(D)	(D)
100 horsepower (PTO) or more farms..	28 564	19 692	26	20	54	1 302	7	8	1 287
number..	47 798	34 033	31	22	77	2 123	(D)	(D)	2 102
Grain and bean combines farms..	26 046	19 396	—	24	20	899	—	7	892
number..	31 844	23 952	—	25	21	1 067	—	(D)	(D)
Cotton pickers and strippers farms..	20	7	—	—	—	13	—	2	11
number..	29	7	—	—	—	22	—	(D)	(D)
Mower conditioners farms..	17 781	7 992	7	51	40	1 776	—	—	1 776
number..	19 403	8 575	7	51	44	1 999	—	—	1 999
Pickup balers farms..	21 046	9 695	23	10	27	1 981	—	—	1 981
number..	26 714	12 124	23	18	28	2 663	—	—	2 663
AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS¹									
Commercial fertilizer farms..	42 232	25 657	96	122	202	2 831	7	8	2 816
acres on which used..	16 399 896	12 802 608	2 034	2 479	5 171	540 862	(D)	(D)	538 228
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—									
Insects on hay and other crops farms..	9 353	6 551	60	46	144	606	7	1	598
acres on which used..	2 535 074	2 028 994	(D)	(D)	3 007	157 003	(D)	(D)	156 782
Nematodes in crops farms..	469	329	—	—	12	36	—	—	36
acres on which used..	103 236	84 876	—	—	17	5 829	—	—	5 829
Diseases in crops and orchards farms..	860	536	11	70	98	43	—	—	43
acres on which used..	151 933	126 334	351	486	417	7 831	—	—	7 831
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture farms..	28 499	18 861	34	59	114	1 553	7	8	1 538
acres on which used..	10 227 934	8 127 352	(D)	(D)	4 405	328 780	21	2 338	326 421
Chemicals used on crops to control growth, thin fruit, or defoliate farms..	653	500	1	2	4	37	—	—	37
acres on which used..	157 693	(D)	(D)	(D)	26	4 459	—	—	4 459

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LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE—Con.							
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured..... farms..	12 338	766	435	448	94	220	959
acres..	7 711 403	673 149	116 819	81 198	6 002	17 237	148 246
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. farms..	11 801	837	542	832	209	296	1 285
acres..	348 064	55 946	19 571	19 885	2 929	2 149	20 754
Irrigated land farms..	588	191	61	51	13	9	23
acres..	167 846	89 342	7 495	13 535	966	(D)	3 027
Harvested cropland irrigated farms..	532	177	60	51	11	9	18
acres..	153 594	81 536	7 191	13 535	(D)	(D)	2 988
Pasture and other land irrigated farms..	83	23	7	—	2	1	5
acres..	14 252	7 806	304	—	(D)	(D)	39
Land under Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs farms..	3 921	246	119	139	33	45	258
acres..	523 489	40 885	12 026	12 263	1 750	3 116	26 190
VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS¹							
Estimated market value of land and buildings farms..	19 985	1 273	876	1 044	217	398	1 803
\$1,000..	6 573 734	935 930	413 094	328 569	(D)	58 047	308 851
Average per farm dollars..	328 933	735 216	471 569	314 721	(D)	145 845	171 298
Average per acre dollars..	490	668	809	827	(D)	909	1 038
Farms by value group:							
\$1 to \$39,999 farms..	2 897	117	61	256	51	79	385
\$40,000 to \$69,999 farms..	2 501	123	34	125	38	112	337
\$70,000 to \$99,999 farms..	2 251	78	42	94	34	62	272
\$100,000 to \$149,999 farms..	2 953	100	96	111	27	53	224
\$150,000 to \$199,999 farms..	1 784	117	64	42	17	34	140
\$200,000 to \$499,999 farms..	4 461	294	316	245	40	42	337
\$500,000 to \$999,999 farms..	1 784	179	182	107	17	8	55
\$1,000,000 to \$1,999,999 farms..	907	154	62	46	3	7	46
\$2,000,000 to \$4,999,999 farms..	366	91	17	15	10	—	7
\$5,000,000 or more farms..	81	20	2	3	—	1	—
VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT¹							
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment farms..	19 984	1 267	876	1 044	217	398	1 803
\$1,000..	812 742	213 135	80 735	135 087	(D)	10 351	53 393
Farms by value group:							
\$1 to \$4,999 farms..	2 472	91	17	90	30	76	280
\$5,000 to \$9,999 farms..	3 312	189	19	133	56	95	375
\$10,000 to \$19,999 farms..	4 206	124	63	161	21	81	404
\$20,000 to \$49,999 farms..	5 829	241	290	222	69	78	487
\$50,000 to \$99,999 farms..	2 194	163	216	168	21	51	162
\$100,000 to \$199,999 farms..	1 164	180	163	130	13	9	57
\$200,000 to \$499,999 farms..	728	189	91	116	6	8	31
\$500,000 or more farms..	79	90	17	24	1	—	7
SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT¹							
Motortrucks, including pickups farms..	18 644	1 203	862	1 015	200	364	1 613
number..	42 403	4 637	2 698	2 950	392	637	2 831
Wheel tractors farms..	17 258	1 127	796	864	171	290	1 476
number..	35 620	3 392	2 491	2 289	336	465	2 506
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) farms..	7 183	412	284	319	88	123	773
number..	9 576	558	365	460	157	162	1 021
40 horsepower (PTO) or more farms..	14 280	1 001	755	757	107	215	925
number..	26 044	2 834	2 126	1 829	179	303	1 485
40 to 99 horsepower (PTO) farms..	11 981	752	654	642	97	196	805
number..	18 021	1 422	1 271	1 112	131	262	1 069
100 horsepower (PTO) or more farms..	5 535	615	484	449	40	37	310
number..	8 023	1 412	855	717	48	41	416
Grain and bean combines farms..	4 151	469	492	410	32	40	113
number..	4 954	593	549	471	34	48	130
Cotton pickers and strippers farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
number..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Mower conditioners farms..	6 203	470	538	246	47	71	340
number..	6 865	523	567	259	54	77	382
Pickup balers farms..	7 378	501	595	373	39	82	342
number..	9 376	650	791	491	43	107	400
AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS¹							
Commercial fertilizer farms..	10 617	786	668	542	56	167	488
acres on which used..	2 117 887	415 300	219 510	202 169	9 008	8 932	73 936
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—							
Insects on hay and other crops farms..	1 296	202	228	92	14	23	91
acres on which used..	198 258	81 348	24 606	23 865	1 340	540	14 438
Nematodes in crops farms..	68	8	4	7	2	3	—
acres on which used..	8 250	2 990	775	226	(D)	(D)	—
Diseases in crops and orchards farms..	69	17	5	2	—	3	6
acres on which used..	8 816	6 666	968	(D)	—	(D)	6
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture farms..	6 024	536	458	444	22	65	329
acres on which used..	1 158 690	281 078	113 382	153 027	6 290	12 660	40 058
Chemicals used on crops to control growth, thin fruit, or defoliate farms..	82	12	2	12	—	—	1
acres on which used..	16 038	3 644	(D)	708	—	—	(D)

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Item	Total	Oilseed and grain farming (1111)	Vegetable and melon farming (1112)	Fruit and tree nut farming (1113)	Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114)	Other crop farming (1119)			
						Total	Tobacco farming (11191)	Cotton farming (11192)	Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199)
TENURE AND RACE OF OPERATOR									
All operators	61 593	30 768	159	169	444	4 434	7	7	4 420
Full owners	28 441	11 403	101	158	384	2 832	6	1	2 825
Part owners	25 423	14 876	27	7	31	1 274	—	5	1 269
Tenants	7 729	4 489	31	4	29	328	1	1	326
White	61 241	30 641	158	167	440	4 409	7	7	4 395
Full owners	28 234	11 334	100	157	382	2 815	6	1	2 808
Part owners	25 320	14 831	27	6	31	1 269	—	5	1 264
Tenants	7 687	4 476	31	4	27	325	1	1	323
Black and other races	352	127	1	2	4	25	—	—	25
Full owners	207	69	1	1	2	17	—	—	17
Part owners	103	45	—	1	—	5	—	—	5
Tenants	42	13	—	—	2	3	—	—	3
OWNED AND RENTED LAND									
Land owned..... farms..	54 416	26 660	130	165	416	4 118	6	6	4 106
acres..	24 821 947	14 009 404	6 343	15 223	22 147	1 086 320	(D)	(D)	1 084 720
Owned land in farms	53 864	26 279	128	165	415	4 106	6	6	4 094
acres..	20 824 522	11 845 968	5 374	8 974	14 142	933 736	(D)	(D)	932 296
Land rented or leased from others	33 447	19 478	58	11	62	1 614	1	6	1 607
acres..	25 694 337	16 541 321	4 058	1 968	7 410	892 812	(D)	(D)	877 612
landlords..	104 777	68 256	119	50	109	4 698	(D)	(D)	4 677
Rented or leased land in farms	33 152	19 365	58	11	60	1 602	1	6	1 595
acres..	25 264 746	16 339 721	3 997	1 968	7 184	880 410	(D)	(D)	877 612
Land rented or leased to others.....	13 240	6 616	19	43	75	820	—	2	818
acres..	4 427 016	2 365 036	1 030	6 249	8 231	164 986	—	(D)	(D)
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS									
Operators by place of residence:									
On farm operated	40 640	18 711	113	111	292	3 113	7	5	3 101
Not on farm operated	16 678	9 830	37	48	139	1 033	—	—	1 033
Not reported	4 275	2 227	9	10	13	288	—	2	286
Operators by principal occupation:									
Farming	34 979	20 544	75	47	144	1 786	3	6	1 777
Other	26 614	10 224	84	122	300	2 648	4	1	2 643
Operators by days worked off farm:									
None	25 892	14 872	57	51	169	1 461	—	6	1 455
Any	31 891	13 733	99	114	263	2 754	6	—	2 748
1 to 99 days	5 737	3 388	12	18	40	370	—	—	370
100 to 199 days	4 647	2 316	14	16	35	366	3	—	363
200 days or more	21 507	8 029	73	80	188	2 018	3	—	2 015
Not reported	3 810	2 163	3	4	12	219	1	1	217
Operators by years on present farm:									
2 years or less	2 595	1 007	23	8	27	237	2	1	234
3 or 4 years	3 254	1 188	14	9	34	309	—	—	309
5 to 9 years	7 177	2 727	26	39	79	630	2	—	628
10 years or more	38 615	20 728	78	90	258	2 615	2	4	2 609
Average years on present farm	22.8	25.2	13.0	16.0	16.0	20.0	12.5	22.6	20.0
Not reported	9 952	5 118	18	23	46	643	1	2	640
Operators by age group:									
Under 25 years	992	475	1	—	3	49	—	—	49
25 to 34 years	4 526	2 073	13	7	13	316	2	3	311
35 to 44 years	12 518	6 002	36	25	119	880	—	—	880
45 to 49 years	7 129	3 411	28	22	51	518	2	2	514
50 to 54 years	6 464	3 135	17	24	78	507	—	—	507
55 to 59 years	5 902	2 971	18	22	47	486	—	—	486
60 to 64 years	6 259	3 249	16	8	45	450	1	—	449
65 to 69 years	6 083	3 198	12	25	33	400	2	2	396
70 years and over	11 720	6 254	18	36	55	828	—	—	828
Average age	54.4	55.2	51.9	57.5	52.8	54.6	51.6	47.1	54.6
Operators by sex:									
Male	57 807	29 131	145	158	377	4 129	5	7	4 117
Female	3 786	1 637	14	11	67	305	2	—	303
Operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin (see text)									
	332	129	4	—	5	21	—	—	21
FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION									
Individual or family (sole proprietorship).....	53 196	25 989	144	151	339	4 013	6	5	4 002
acres..	34 447 932	21 355 887	8 556	5 956	15 442	1 380 592	(D)	(D)	1 379 262
Partnership	5 196	2 873	12	8	28	274	1	1	272
acres..	6 235 625	3 697 097	(D)	(D)	585	262 477	(D)	(D)	(D)
Corporation:									
Family held	2 401	1 471	2	5	59	103	—	1	102
acres..	4 628 506	2 802 563	(D)	435	4 867	150 949	—	(D)	(D)
More than 10 stockholders	44	25	—	—	—	2	—	—	2
10 or less stockholders	2 357	1 446	2	5	59	101	—	1	100
Other than family held	175	66	—	3	12	7	—	—	7
acres..	200 973	76 797	—	(D)	299	6 042	—	—	6 042
More than 10 stockholders	24	7	—	—	—	4	—	—	4
10 or less stockholders	151	59	—	3	12	3	—	—	3
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc.									
farms..	625	369	1	2	6	37	—	—	37
acres..	576 232	253 345	(D)	(D)	133	14 086	—	—	14 086

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Item	Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111)	Cattle feedlots (112112)	Dairy cattle and milk production (11212)	Hog and pig farming (1122)	Poultry and egg production (1123)	Sheep and goat farming (1124)	Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125,1129)
TENURE AND RACE OF OPERATOR							
All operators	19 839	1 331	764	1 098	256	437	1 894
Full owners	10 184	676	246	602	194	324	1 337
Part owners	7 398	519	432	364	45	70	380
Tenants	2 257	136	86	132	17	43	177
White	19 693	1 321	761	1 086	252	435	1 878
Full owners	10 099	669	245	593	190	322	1 328
Part owners	7 352	517	431	363	45	70	378
Tenants	2 242	135	85	130	17	43	172
Black and other races	146	10	3	12	4	2	16
Full owners	85	7	1	9	4	2	9
Part owners	46	2	1	1	—	—	2
Tenants	15	1	1	2	—	—	5
OWNED AND RENTED LAND							
Land owned..... farms..	17 712	1 204	679	972	241	398	1 721
acres..	7 988 799	865 520	252 458	207 530	33 930	43 265	291 008
Owned land in farms	17 582	1 195	678	966	239	394	1 717
acres..	6 583 696	764 982	237 429	173 727	17 612	26 274	212 608
Land rented or leased from others	9 802	664	518	497	63	115	565
farms..	6 919 525	698 814	226 119	214 005	13 693	19 274	155 338
landlords..	25 099	2 130	1 487	1 284	152	201	1 192
Rented or leased land in farms	9 655	655	518	496	62	113	557
acres..	6 727 925	687 727	225 433	209 109	12 788	18 914	149 570
Land rented or leased to others.....	4 649	250	82	164	79	73	370
farms..	1 596 703	111 625	15 715	38 699	17 223	17 351	84 168
acres..							
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS							
Operators by place of residence:							
On farm operated	13 860	898	634	869	204	367	1 468
Not on farm operated	4 676	335	71	151	32	46	280
Not reported	1 303	98	59	78	20	24	146
Operators by principal occupation:							
Farming	9 544	786	678	626	93	117	539
Other	10 295	545	86	472	163	320	1 355
Operators by days worked off farm:							
None	7 076	621	537	455	78	77	438
Any	11 645	632	166	582	165	345	1 393
1 to 99 days	1 487	105	58	78	23	21	137
100 to 199 days	1 500	88	19	60	14	42	177
200 days or more	8 658	439	89	444	128	282	1 079
Not reported	1 118	78	61	61	13	15	63
Operators by years on present farm:							
2 years or less	1 009	54	17	56	12	30	115
3 or 4 years	1 236	83	25	68	39	38	211
5 to 9 years	2 799	182	65	168	47	79	336
10 years or more	11 603	783	550	627	121	233	929
Average years on present farm	21.2	21.6	25.5	18.7	16.9	16.1	15.4
Not reported	3 192	229	107	179	37	57	303
Operators by age group:							
Under 25 years	378	20	5	31	—	19	11
25 to 34 years	1 595	119	51	128	23	42	146
35 to 44 years	3 954	316	179	348	67	99	493
45 to 49 years	2 294	181	116	145	36	64	263
50 to 54 years	2 000	125	84	117	32	67	278
55 to 59 years	1 833	126	64	82	22	36	195
60 to 64 years	1 991	102	83	69	17	43	186
65 to 69 years	1 953	123	63	90	21	29	136
70 years and over	3 841	219	119	88	38	38	186
Average age	54.3	52.6	53.1	48.2	52.3	49.4	51.3
Operators by sex:							
Male	18 557	1 273	729	1 069	229	392	1 618
Female	1 282	58	35	29	27	45	276
Operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin (see text)							
	131	10	5	11	2	3	11
FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION							
Individual or family (sole proprietorship).....	17 734	971	587	907	220	416	1 725
farms..	9 929 921	846 557	302 385	271 604	25 472	41 324	264 236
acres..	1 500	135	119	108	21	17	101
Partnership	1 841 336	197 245	98 274	59 948	3 601	3 727	68 301
acres..							
Corporation:							
Family held	407	170	53	72	11	3	45
farms..	1 233 309	311 413	53 560	49 491	(D)	(D)	20 815
acres..	10	4	1	2	—	—	—
More than 10 stockholders	10	4	1	2	—	—	—
10 or less stockholders	397	166	52	70	11	3	45
Other than family held	26	40	2	6	4	—	9
farms..	44 804	66 962	(D)	357	(D)	—	2 163
acres..	2	7	—	2	—	—	—
More than 10 stockholders	2	7	—	2	—	—	—
10 or less stockholders	24	33	2	4	2	—	9
farms..							
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc.	172	15	3	5	—	1	14
farms..	262 251	30 532	(D)	1 436	—	(D)	6 663
acres..							

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Item	Total	Oilseed and grain farming (1111)	Vegetable and melon farming (1112)	Fruit and tree nut farming (1113)	Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114)	Other crop farming (1119)			
						Total	Tobacco farming (11191)	Cotton farming (11192)	Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199)
INJURIES AND DEATHS									
Farm-related injuries:									
Operator and family members farms ..	655	325	3	—	2	36	—	—	36
. number ..	738	366	(D)	—	(D)	38	—	—	38
Hired workers farms ..	226	73	—	—	9	4	—	—	4
. number ..	427	87	—	—	53	(D)	—	—	(D)
Farm-related deaths:									
Operator and family members farms ..	16	11	—	—	1	1	—	—	1
. number ..	17	(D)	—	—	(D)	(D)	—	—	(D)
Hired workers farms ..	4	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
. number ..	5	(D)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
FARMS BY SIZE									
1 to 9 acres	2 223	88	49	43	179	52	1	—	51
10 to 49 acres	6 970	1 419	73	75	184	1 027	3	1	1 023
50 to 69 acres	2 150	707	9	14	19	266	1	—	265
70 to 99 acres	4 781	1 759	13	22	23	612	2	—	610
100 to 139 acres	3 100	1 228	4	7	9	293	—	—	293
140 to 179 acres	5 087	2 499	4	2	3	423	—	—	423
180 to 219 acres	2 142	941	2	—	5	158	—	—	158
220 to 259 acres	2 374	1 194	—	—	9	174	—	2	172
260 to 499 acres	9 412	5 356	4	3	9	545	—	2	543
500 to 999 acres	9 687	6 267	—	—	1	440	—	1	439
1,000 to 1,999 acres	7 895	5 526	—	2	1	270	—	—	270
2,000 acres or more	5 772	3 784	1	1	2	174	—	1	173
FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM									
Oilseed and grain farming (1111)	30 768	30 768	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Vegetable and melon farming (1112)	159	—	159	—	—	—	—	—	—
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113)	169	—	—	169	—	—	—	—	—
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114)	444	—	—	—	444	—	—	—	—
Other crop farming (1119)	4 434	—	—	—	—	4 434	7	7	4 420
Tobacco farming (11191)	7	—	—	—	—	7	7	—	—
Cotton farming (11192)	7	—	—	—	—	7	—	7	—
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199)	4 420	—	—	—	—	4 420	—	—	4 420
Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111)	19 839	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cattle feedlots (112112)	1 331	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212)	764	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hog and pig farming (1122)	1 098	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Poultry and egg production (1123)	256	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sheep and goat farming (1124)	437	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129)	1 894	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
LIVESTOCK									
Cattle and calves inventory farms ..	36 244	12 552	15	9	28	1 622	3	—	1 619
. number ..	6 506 089	1 288 012	518	264	695	135 877	25	—	135 852
Farms with—									
1 to 9	3 634	741	7	4	9	306	3	—	303
10 to 49	14 317	4 497	4	3	16	630	—	—	630
50 to 99	7 423	3 130	2	2	1	295	—	—	295
100 to 199	5 774	2 585	2	—	2	227	—	—	227
200 to 499	3 529	1 346	—	—	—	133	—	—	133
500 or more	1 567	253	—	—	—	31	—	—	31
Cows and heifers that had calved farms ..	30 203	11 029	13	8	25	1 336	3	—	1 333
. number ..	1 548 509	582 819	307	158	379	56 724	(D)	—	(D)
Beef cows farms ..	29 446	10 957	13	8	23	1 323	3	—	1 320
. number ..	1 466 429	578 534	(D)	158	(D)	56 009	(D)	—	(D)
Farms with—									
1 to 9	5 126	1 184	8	3	10	339	3	—	336
10 to 49	15 243	5 729	2	4	10	610	—	—	610
50 to 99	5 378	2 517	3	1	3	211	—	—	211
100 to 199	2 589	1 183	—	—	—	128	—	—	128
200 to 499	965	318	—	—	—	33	—	—	33
500 or more	145	26	—	—	—	2	—	—	2
Milk cows farms ..	1 466	209	1	—	2	34	—	—	34
. number ..	82 080	4 285	(D)	—	(D)	715	—	—	715
Farms with—									
1 to 4	388	96	1	—	2	13	—	—	13
5 to 9	93	31	—	—	—	8	—	—	8
10 to 49	438	52	—	—	—	7	—	—	7
50 to 99	374	22	—	—	—	4	—	—	4
100 to 199	133	6	—	—	—	2	—	—	2
200 to 499	33	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
500 or more	7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Heifers and heifer calves farms ..	27 934	9 817	10	5	18	1 231	2	—	1 229
. number ..	2 025 570	308 564	62	36	187	35 974	(D)	—	(D)
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves farms ..	31 466	11 142	14	6	19	1 390	—	—	1 390
. number ..	2 932 010	396 629	149	70	129	43 179	—	—	43 179

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INJURIES AND DEATHS							
Farm-related injuries:							
Operator and family members farms ..	209	21	21	20	—	—	18
number ..	232	30	25	23	—	—	19
Hired workers farms ..	54	58	10	11	3	—	4
number ..	67	165	21	16	10	—	(D)
Farm-related deaths:							
Operator and family members farms ..	2	1	—	—	—	—	—
number ..	(D)	(D)	—	—	—	—	—
Hired workers farms ..	1	1	—	—	—	—	—
number ..	(D)	(D)	—	—	—	—	—
FARMS BY SIZE							
1 to 9 acres	1 091	92	21	224	72	96	216
10 to 49 acres	2 693	211	41	230	81	179	757
50 to 69 acres	860	51	8	46	14	35	121
70 to 99 acres	1 884	84	38	70	13	43	220
100 to 139 acres	1 300	56	30	43	11	16	103
140 to 179 acres	1 839	68	42	53	16	18	120
180 to 219 acres	899	28	27	22	7	11	42
220 to 259 acres	835	41	28	40	4	6	43
260 to 499 acres	2 918	128	192	127	18	15	97
500 to 999 acres	2 352	172	204	127	18	12	94
1,000 to 1,999 acres	1 675	179	105	85	2	3	47
2,000 acres or more	1 493	221	28	31	—	3	34
FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM							
Oilseed and grain farming (1111)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Vegetable and melon farming (1112)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other crop farming (1119)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco farming (11191)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton farming (11192)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111)	19 839	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cattle feedlots (112112)	—	1 331	—	—	—	—	—
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212)	—	—	764	—	—	—	—
Hog and pig farming (1122)	—	—	—	1 098	—	—	—
Poultry and egg production (1123)	—	—	—	—	256	—	—
Sheep and goat farming (1124)	—	—	—	—	—	437	—
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129)	—	—	—	—	—	—	1 894
LIVESTOCK							
Cattle and calves inventory farms ..	18 856	1 260	764	538	70	102	428
number ..	2 338 955	2 533 874	134 317	35 082	1 881	1 562	35 052
Farms with—							
1 to 9	1 971	160	9	132	36	70	189
10 to 49	8 404	308	112	205	20	28	90
50 to 99	3 534	114	188	95	11	3	48
100 to 199	2 409	141	287	70	2	—	49
200 to 499	1 639	201	142	28	1	1	38
500 or more	899	336	26	8	—	—	14
Cows and heifers that had calved farms ..	15 565	661	761	418	46	59	282
number ..	754 842	45 855	78 501	15 285	975	509	12 155
Beef cows farms ..	15 465	659	213	413	44	55	273
number ..	747 404	45 764	9 279	15 229	(D)	501	11 908
Farms with—							
1 to 9	3 128	152	38	109	21	38	96
10 to 49	8 166	278	106	213	17	16	92
50 to 99	2 391	97	47	55	4	1	48
100 to 199	1 136	67	16	28	2	—	29
200 to 499	542	52	5	8	—	—	7
500 or more	102	13	1	—	—	—	1
Milk cows farms ..	395	13	755	21	3	6	27
number ..	7 438	91	69 222	56	(D)	8	247
Farms with—							
1 to 4	209	11	9	19	2	6	20
5 to 9	47	—	5	1	—	—	1
10 to 49	85	2	285	1	1	—	5
50 to 99	38	—	309	—	—	—	1
100 to 199	14	—	111	—	—	—	—
200 to 499	2	—	29	—	—	—	—
500 or more	—	—	7	—	—	—	—
Heifers and heifer calves farms ..	14 459	900	669	409	46	63	307
number ..	655 070	964 626	42 686	8 074	373	418	9 500
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves farms ..	16 259	1 147	562	438	63	77	349
number ..	929 043	1 523 393	13 130	11 723	533	635	13 397

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Item	Total	Oilseed and grain farming (1111)	Vegetable and melon farming (1112)	Fruit and tree nut farming (1113)	Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114)	Other crop farming (1119)			
						Total	Tobacco farming (11191)	Cotton farming (11192)	Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199)
LIVESTOCK—Con.									
Cattle and calves sold	farms.. 36 207	12 492	11	5	26	1 499	3	—	1 496
	number.. 8 271 113	688 524	160	100	317	85 049	19	—	85 030
	\$1,000.. 5 456 072	321 971	62	41	134	41 861	6	—	41 855
Calves	farms.. 14 469	4 582	8	3	9	613	3	—	610
	number.. 451 745	138 455	76	16	68	14 343	(D)	—	(D)
	\$1,000.. 141 018	42 735	24	5	18	4 514	(D)	—	(D)
Cattle	farms.. 29 683	10 192	10	4	25	1 206	1	—	1 205
	number.. 7 819 368	550 069	84	84	249	70 706	(D)	—	(D)
	\$1,000.. 5 315 054	279 236	38	37	116	37 347	(D)	—	(D)
Fattened on grain and concentrates	farms.. 3 066	807	—	—	4	130	—	—	130
	number.. 5 282 661	41 199	—	—	(D)	4 189	—	—	4 189
	\$1,000.. 3 957 829	29 022	—	—	(D)	3 026	—	—	3 026
Hogs and pigs inventory	farms.. 2 831	767	4	4	2	202	—	—	202
	number.. 1 585 224	121 257	26	33	(D)	32 102	—	—	32 102
Farms with—									
1 to 24	952	237	4	4	2	69	—	—	69
25 to 49	274	102	—	—	—	26	—	—	26
50 to 99	294	93	—	—	—	15	—	—	15
100 to 199	373	135	—	—	—	36	—	—	36
200 to 499	486	149	—	—	—	40	—	—	40
500 or more	452	51	—	—	—	16	—	—	16
Used or to be used for breeding	farms.. 1 781	472	—	—	—	116	—	—	116
	number.. 189 919	14 282	—	—	—	3 744	—	—	3 744
Other	farms.. 2 663	714	4	4	2	187	—	—	187
	number.. 1 395 305	106 975	26	33	(D)	28 358	—	—	28 358
Hogs and pigs sold	farms.. 2 873	784	4	4	—	200	—	—	200
	number.. 3 184 437	193 575	43	(D)	—	65 404	—	—	65 404
	\$1,000.. 299 836	19 915	6	3	—	7 234	—	—	7 234
Feeder pigs	farms.. 476	96	—	—	—	33	—	—	33
	number.. 1 048 407	31 619	—	—	—	8 008	—	—	8 008
	\$1,000.. 39 277	1 247	—	—	—	340	—	—	340
Litters of pigs farrowed between—									
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30	farms.. 1 872	505	1	—	—	120	—	—	120
	number.. 360 967	21 531	(D)	—	—	5 735	—	—	5 735
Dec. 1 and May 31	farms.. 1 774	469	1	—	—	117	—	—	117
	number.. 169 635	11 066	(D)	—	—	2 962	—	—	2 962
June 1 and Nov. 30	farms.. 1 672	443	1	—	—	109	—	—	109
	number.. 191 332	10 465	(D)	—	—	2 773	—	—	2 773
Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory	farms.. 1 478	451	3	4	5	82	—	—	82
	number.. 119 099	43 844	43	35	102	6 004	—	—	6 004
Ewes 1 year old or older	farms.. 1 282	389	3	4	5	71	—	—	71
	number.. 70 039	22 939	20	16	51	3 817	—	—	3 817
Sheep and lambs sold	farms.. 1 454	456	3	4	5	76	—	—	76
	number.. 108 372	33 934	87	(D)	50	4 856	—	—	4 856
Sheep and lambs shorn	farms.. 1 228	370	3	2	5	70	—	—	70
	number.. 81 796	27 811	70	(D)	58	4 673	—	—	4 673
	pounds of wool.. 573 460	203 024	(D)	(D)	476	32 683	—	—	32 683
Horses and ponies inventory	farms.. 10 630	2 588	8	15	40	849	—	—	849
	number.. 52 828	9 889	15	31	132	3 755	—	—	3 755
Horses and ponies sold	farms.. 1 755	248	1	2	4	85	—	—	85
	number.. 6 474	701	(D)	(D)	4	253	—	—	253
Goats inventory	farms.. 790	130	5	1	11	83	—	—	83
	number.. 7 293	738	(D)	(D)	162	583	—	—	583
Goats sold	farms.. 251	28	1	—	5	26	—	—	26
	number.. 2 871	336	(D)	—	43	313	—	—	313
POULTRY									
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text)	farms.. 2 019	494	13	10	21	147	—	—	147
	number.. 1 805 127	(D)	491	(D)	802	4 081	—	—	4 081
Farms with—									
1 to 399	1 980	490	13	10	21	146	—	—	146
400 to 3,199	15	2	—	—	—	1	—	—	1
3,200 to 9,999	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
10,000 to 19,999	5	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
20,000 to 49,999	9	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
50,000 to 99,999	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 or more	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Layers 20 weeks old and older	farms.. 1 964	479	12	10	21	138	—	—	138
	number.. 1 427 290	28 684	421	157	746	3 748	—	—	3 748
Pullets 13 weeks old and older but less than 20 weeks old	farms.. 305	54	4	1	3	19	—	—	19
	number.. 377 837	(D)	70	(D)	56	333	—	—	333
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold (see text)	farms.. 178	29	2	1	—	13	—	—	13
	number.. 3 403 008	105 675	(D)	(D)	—	448	—	—	448
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold	farms.. 93	13	4	1	4	7	—	—	7
	number.. 35 018	5 420	8 750	(D)	370	308	—	—	308
Farms with—									
1 to 1,999	87	12	2	1	4	7	—	—	7
2,000 to 59,999	6	1	2	—	—	—	—	—	—
60,000 to 99,999	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 or more	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Turkey hens kept for breeding	farms.. 161	15	—	1	1	20	—	—	20
	number.. 42 656	109	—	(D)	(D)	53	—	—	53
Turkeys sold	farms.. 62	3	—	—	1	4	—	—	4
	number.. 1 617 000	(D)	—	—	(D)	55	—	—	55

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Table 51. Summary by North American Industry Classification System: 1997—Con.

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Item	Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111)	Cattle feedlots (112112)	Dairy cattle and milk production (11212)	Hog and pig farming (1122)	Poultry and egg production (1123)	Sheep and goat farming (1124)	Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125,1129)
LIVESTOCK—Con.							
Cattle and calves sold	farms.. 19 168	1 331	757	504	41	55	318
	number.. 2 178 589	5 229 503	46 153	21 156	910	475	20 177
	\$1,000.. 1 144 866	3 909 901	14 759	10 987	391	181	10 917
Calves	farms.. 8 199	147	530	197	24	20	137
	number.. 263 946	4 115	23 748	3 523	296	117	3 042
	\$1,000.. 86 496	1 411	3 826	1 120	92	30	746
Cattle	farms.. 15 604	1 331	599	407	26	42	237
	number.. 1 914 643	5 225 388	22 405	17 633	614	358	17 135
	\$1,000.. 1 058 370	3 908 490	10 933	9 867	299	151	10 171
Fattened on grain and concentrates	farms.. 39 538	1 331	22	49	1	5	32
	number.. 39 538	5 191 491	991	1 270	(D)	31	3 937
	\$1,000.. 28 549	3 892 622	655	918	(D)	18	3 010
Hogs and pigs inventory	farms.. 521	45	29	1 042	6	14	195
	number.. 44 882	7 472	2 683	1 317 364	(D)	301	57 935
Farms with—							
1 to 24	326	22	12	221	4	11	40
25 to 49	52	1	5	68	—	2	18
50 to 99	48	3	4	105	—	—	25
100 to 199	36	7	5	122	—	1	31
200 to 499	38	7	2	205	—	—	45
500 or more	21	5	1	321	1	—	36
Used or to be used for breeding	farms.. 237	14	21	784	3	7	127
	number.. 3 990	514	354	161 147	(D)	(D)	5 842
Other	farms.. 489	43	27	985	6	13	189
	number.. 40 892	6 958	2 329	1 156 217	(D)	(D)	52 093
Hogs and pigs sold	farms.. 503	54	30	1 092	4	16	182
	number.. 76 156	15 263	5 222	2 725 095	(D)	1 073	93 883
	\$1,000.. 7 983	1 702	496	250 561	(D)	(D)	10 688
Feeder pigs	farms.. 71	6	5	226	1	3	35
	number.. 9 123	199	(D)	990 231	(D)	31	8 051
	\$1,000.. 366	5	(D)	36 914	(D)	1	362
Litters of pigs farrowed between—							
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30	farms.. 250	17	21	818	3	7	130
	number.. 5 569	883	500	317 285	(D)	20	9 416
Dec. 1 and May 31	farms.. 233	15	21	785	1	5	127
	number.. 2 956	488	249	147 127	(D)	(D)	4 763
June 1 and Nov. 30	farms.. 189	15	18	764	3	7	123
	number.. 2 613	395	251	170 158	(D)	(D)	4 653
Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory	farms.. 389	27	12	75	4	362	64
	number.. 13 785	746	433	2 471	19	48 049	3 568
Ewes 1 year old or older	farms.. 326	15	10	59	3	344	53
	number.. 9 117	400	228	1 232	11	30 617	1 591
Sheep and lambs sold	farms.. 371	28	9	69	2	382	49
	number.. 11 543	464	253	1 817	(D)	51 176	4 172
Sheep and lambs shorn	farms.. 309	15	11	47	1	348	47
	number.. 10 867	450	269	1 290	(D)	34 053	2 245
	pounds of wool.. 72 190	2 622	1 856	9 383	(D)	236 394	14 335
Horses and ponies inventory	farms.. 4 748	335	124	177	42	108	1 596
	number.. 19 957	1 768	502	623	162	558	15 436
Horses and ponies sold	farms.. 552	36	18	19	—	11	779
	number.. 1 425	69	46	127	—	33	3 813
Goats inventory	farms.. 291	19	12	49	22	77	90
	number.. 2 453	150	21	228	148	2 178	546
Goats sold	farms.. 85	9	1	16	6	54	20
	number.. 812	84	(D)	96	20	925	217
POULTRY							
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text)	farms.. 837	49	51	80	130	66	121
	number.. 28 542	1 138	2 107	4 076	1 695 957	1 458	4 212
Farms with—							
1 to 399	833	49	51	77	105	66	119
400 to 3,199	3	—	—	3	4	—	2
3,200 to 9,999	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
10,000 to 19,999	—	—	—	—	4	—	—
20,000 to 49,999	—	—	—	—	8	—	—
50,000 to 99,999	—	—	—	—	6	—	—
100,000 or more	—	—	—	—	3	—	—
Layers 20 weeks old and older	farms.. 819	48	49	79	129	62	118
	number.. 26 215	1 012	1 827	3 674	1 356 185	1 231	3 390
Pullets 13 weeks old and older but less than 20 weeks old	farms.. 133	7	7	12	29	17	19
	number.. 2 327	126	280	402	339 772	227	822
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold (see text)	farms.. 55	4	4	10	42	7	11
	number.. 8 384	148	287	658	3 285 602	161	1 235
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold	farms.. 31	1	—	8	13	4	7
	number.. 2 206	(D)	—	1 500	12 311	(D)	2 538
Farms with—							
1 to 1,999	31	1	—	8	10	4	7
2,000 to 59,999	—	—	—	—	3	—	—
60,000 to 99,999	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 or more	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Turkey hens kept for breeding	farms.. 61	4	1	12	23	6	17
	number.. 152	18	(D)	49	42 151	19	75
Turkeys sold	farms.. 12	—	—	5	3	3	1
	number.. 94	—	(D)	(D)	1 541 747	22	(D)

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Item	Total	Oilseed and grain farming (1111)	Vegetable and melon farming (1112)	Fruit and tree nut farming (1113)	Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114)	Other crop farming (1119)			
						Total	Tobacco farming (11191)	Cotton farming (11192)	Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199)
SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED									
Corn for grain or seed farms..	10 833	8 352	6	3	4	349	1	1	347
acres..	2 497 516	2 172 014	(D)	(D)	421	57 814	(D)	(D)	(D)
bushels..	356 413 100	314 220 031	17 950	(D)	32 953	8 430 458	(D)	(D)	(D)
Irrigated farms..	4 086	3 517	2	1	—	115	—	—	115
acres..	1 465 920	1 309 323	(D)	(D)	—	38 914	—	—	38 914
Farms by acres harvested:									
1 to 24 acres	1 529	846	3	2	1	93	—	—	93
25 to 99 acres	3 495	2 540	3	1	2	119	1	—	118
100 to 249 acres	2 810	2 298	—	—	—	80	—	—	80
250 to 499 acres	1 593	1 396	—	—	1	33	—	1	32
500 acres or more	1 406	1 272	—	—	—	24	—	—	24
Corn for silage or green chop farms..	1 765	776	—	—	—	42	—	—	42
acres..	117 472	53 892	—	—	—	4 207	—	—	4 207
tons, green..	2 042 941	998 836	—	—	—	73 409	—	—	73 409
Irrigated farms..	561	317	—	—	—	13	—	—	13
acres..	55 459	30 461	—	—	—	3 534	—	—	3 534
Farms by acres harvested:									
1 to 24 acres	561	269	—	—	—	23	—	—	23
25 to 99 acres	873	354	—	—	—	12	—	—	12
100 to 249 acres	264	119	—	—	—	2	—	—	2
250 to 499 acres	46	21	—	—	—	2	—	—	2
500 acres or more	21	13	—	—	—	3	—	—	3
Sorghum for grain or seed farms..	20 398	15 535	1	2	3	672	—	2	670
acres..	3 077 984	2 510 549	(D)	(D)	(D)	66 824	—	(D)	(D)
bushels..	231 561 211	189 109 227	(D)	(D)	(D)	4 714 893	—	(D)	(D)
Irrigated farms..	1 233	1 035	—	—	—	39	—	—	39
acres..	156 965	138 548	—	—	—	3 489	—	—	3 489
Farms by acres harvested:									
1 to 24 acres	2 767	1 728	—	2	2	155	—	2	153
25 to 99 acres	7 995	5 957	—	—	1	293	—	—	293
100 to 249 acres	5 976	4 768	—	—	—	163	—	—	163
250 to 499 acres	2 603	2 182	—	—	—	51	—	—	51
500 acres or more	1 057	900	1	—	—	10	—	—	10
Wheat for grain farms..	30 392	23 273	10	3	12	1 152	—	5	1 147
acres..	9 560 615	7 976 320	(D)	(D)	452	190 650	—	392	190 258
bushels..	407 515 802	341 993 768	(D)	(D)	15 652	7 825 930	—	13 260	7 812 670
Irrigated farms..	1 963	1 670	2	—	1	85	—	—	85
acres..	493 991	434 938	(D)	—	(D)	19 013	—	—	19 013
Farms by acres harvested:									
1 to 24 acres	2 740	1 598	6	2	6	202	—	—	202
25 to 99 acres	7 976	5 592	3	—	5	444	—	4	440
100 to 249 acres	7 702	6 002	1	1	1	256	—	1	255
250 to 499 acres	5 865	4 861	—	—	—	163	—	—	163
500 acres or more	6 109	5 220	—	—	—	87	—	—	87
Barley for grain farms..	152	74	—	—	—	9	—	—	9
acres..	8 203	4 663	—	—	—	255	—	—	255
bushels..	336 453	193 068	—	—	—	10 300	—	—	10 300
Irrigated farms..	8	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
acres..	638	(D)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Oats for grain farms..	2 603	1 599	2	—	—	159	—	—	159
acres..	79 163	55 346	(D)	—	—	3 475	—	—	3 475
bushels..	4 530 823	3 194 055	(D)	—	—	205 483	—	—	205 483
Irrigated farms..	37	28	—	—	—	3	—	—	3
acres..	3 077	2 426	—	—	—	(D)	—	—	(D)
Soybeans for beans farms..	14 733	11 267	8	7	9	521	—	3	518
acres..	2 208 642	1 874 139	389	(D)	1 213	47 214	—	(D)	(D)
bushels..	78 563 054	66 920 767	16 685	(D)	30 805	1 627 112	—	(D)	(D)
Irrigated farms..	1 665	1 457	1	1	—	43	—	—	43
acres..	222 420	197 564	(D)	(D)	—	5 480	—	—	5 480
Farms by acres harvested:									
1 to 24 acres	2 464	1 490	4	5	1	154	—	2	152
25 to 99 acres	5 997	4 515	2	1	5	222	—	—	222
100 to 249 acres	3 787	3 071	2	—	2	102	—	—	102
250 to 499 acres	1 592	1 387	—	1	—	34	—	1	33
500 acres or more	893	804	—	—	1	9	—	—	9
Dry edible beans, excluding dry limas farms..	118	105	—	—	—	4	—	—	4
acres..	17 767	16 362	—	—	—	230	—	—	230
cwt..	362 021	342 048	—	—	—	3 563	—	—	3 563
Irrigated farms..	95	88	—	—	—	2	—	—	2
acres..	15 416	14 525	—	—	—	(D)	—	—	(D)
Potatoes, excluding sweetpotatoes farms..	68	13	28	2	3	14	—	—	14
acres..	924	(D)	271	(D)	1	(D)	—	—	(D)
cwt..	278 751	(D)	(D)	(D)	262	(D)	—	—	(D)
Irrigated farms..	20	2	10	1	3	4	—	—	4
acres..	874	(D)	(D)	(D)	1	(D)	—	—	(D)

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SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED							
Corn for grain or seed farms..	1 252	277	290	202	8	11	79
acres..	138 220	70 933	23 925	24 975	1 027	1 184	6 730
bushels..	17 603 769	9 814 376	2 482 821	2 822 740	138 009	(D)	704 707
Irrigated farms..	262	106	31	36	4	2	10
acres..	65 128	38 566	2 365	8 338	490	(D)	1 748
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres	412	28	69	37	—	6	32
25 to 99 acres	490	85	136	86	4	3	26
100 to 249 acres	216	77	69	53	4	1	12
250 to 499 acres	79	42	15	18	—	—	9
500 acres or more	55	45	1	8	—	1	—
Corn for silage or green chop farms..	456	163	270	27	—	—	31
acres..	27 838	15 743	13 837	984	—	—	971
tons, green..	448 219	292 162	200 213	14 779	—	—	15 323
Irrigated farms..	123	70	32	3	—	—	3
acres..	9 789	9 792	1 608	140	—	—	135
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres	140	30	73	10	—	—	16
25 to 99 acres	228	88	162	16	—	—	13
100 to 249 acres	80	31	29	1	—	—	2
250 to 499 acres	7	10	6	—	—	—	—
500 acres or more	1	4	—	—	—	—	—
Sorghum for grain or seed farms..	2 919	345	348	362	36	20	155
acres..	287 420	82 284	37 400	64 707	3 867	2 015	22 066
bushels..	20 801 560	6 659 871	2 696 496	5 302 155	310 378	158 014	1 777 349
Irrigated farms..	108	26	7	14	1	1	2
acres..	10 553	2 679	357	1 199	(D)	(D)	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres	711	38	47	34	11	14	25
25 to 99 acres	1 275	100	161	132	9	4	63
100 to 249 acres	667	102	105	116	12	1	42
250 to 499 acres	195	63	33	59	4	—	16
500 acres or more	71	42	2	21	—	1	9
Wheat for grain farms..	4 474	456	401	375	36	29	171
acres..	1 033 051	192 658	65 073	65 530	5 697	2 991	27 683
bushels..	41 422 044	8 418 815	2 945 390	3 089 133	338 950	137 577	1 304 114
Irrigated farms..	140	48	5	8	2	1	1
acres..	26 894	10 581	527	1 580	(D)	(D)	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres	728	32	54	62	7	6	37
25 to 99 acres	1 479	101	153	121	13	17	48
100 to 249 acres	1 049	108	114	110	7	4	49
250 to 499 acres	619	90	48	51	7	1	25
500 acres or more	599	125	32	31	2	1	12
Barley for grain farms..	35	6	18	4	—	2	4
acres..	1 002	829	901	370	—	(D)	(D)
bushels..	33 783	19 509	52 423	18 170	—	(D)	(D)
Irrigated farms..	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
acres..	(D)	(D)	—	—	—	—	—
Oats for grain farms..	592	48	98	47	2	6	50
acres..	14 691	1 293	2 135	987	(D)	80	993
bushels..	807 588	60 375	133 122	55 458	(D)	5 991	58 511
Irrigated farms..	2	2	1	—	—	—	1
acres..	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	—	—	(D)
Soybeans for beans farms..	2 024	227	258	276	25	9	102
acres..	170 676	45 747	25 207	30 376	2 250	(D)	10 614
bushels..	5 781 499	1 773 816	886 588	1 048 145	83 049	(D)	366 894
Irrigated farms..	90	35	15	18	3	—	2
acres..	10 043	5 918	792	2 017	195	—	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres	639	31	48	53	6	4	29
25 to 99 acres	874	69	125	132	9	4	39
100 to 249 acres	379	72	64	62	9	1	23
250 to 499 acres	97	32	17	17	1	—	6
500 acres or more	35	23	4	12	—	—	5
Dry edible beans, excluding dry limas farms..	4	5	—	—	—	—	—
acres..	884	291	—	—	—	—	—
cwt..	11 120	5 290	—	—	—	—	—
Irrigated farms..	2	3	—	—	—	—	—
acres..	(D)	277	—	—	—	—	—
Potatoes, excluding sweetpotatoes farms..	3	1	—	2	2	—	—
acres..	(D)	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	—	—
cwt..	(D)	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	—	—
Irrigated farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
acres..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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						Total	Tobacco farming (11191)	Cotton farming (11192)	Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199)
SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED—Con.									
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text)	farms.. 30 573	12 982	29	24	70	4 375	3	2	4 370
acres..	2 565 482	1 009 732	702	573	1 684	476 810	(D)	(D)	476 560
tons, dry..	6 147 197	2 445 700	994	947	2 577	1 475 797	(D)	(D)	1 475 154
Irrigated	farms.. 1 333	691	—	—	—	318	—	—	318
acres..	242 871	81 070	—	—	—	119 534	—	—	119 534
Farms by acres harvested:									
1 to 24 acres	9 130	3 753	21	20	47	1 306	3	1	1 302
25 to 99 acres	13 915	6 086	6	2	21	1 941	—	—	1 941
100 to 249 acres	5 648	2 448	2	2	2	714	—	1	713
250 to 499 acres	1 366	543	—	—	—	252	—	—	252
500 acres or more	514	152	—	—	—	162	—	—	162
Alfalfa hay.....	farms.. 12 915	6 365	3	4	9	1 809	—	1	1 808
acres..	795 847	339 035	(D)	(D)	137	230 158	—	(D)	(D)
tons, dry..	3 123 045	1 257 724	(D)	(D)	364	1 047 623	—	(D)	(D)
Irrigated	farms.. 1 110	561	—	—	—	298	—	—	298
acres..	215 956	67 860	—	—	—	113 935	—	—	113 935
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)	farms.. 398	114	155	17	15	49	—	—	49
acres..	3 128	790	1 798	44	70	274	—	—	274
Irrigated	farms.. 133	30	64	7	5	13	—	—	13
acres..	1 034	247	648	16	5	73	—	—	73
Farms by acres harvested:									
0.1 to 4.9 acres	259	71	90	12	12	33	—	—	33
5.0 to 24.9 acres	110	38	46	5	2	13	—	—	13
25.0 to 99.9 acres	27	5	17	—	1	3	—	—	3
100.0 to 249.9 acres	2	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—
250.0 acres or more	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Field seed and grass seed crops	farms.. 399	192	3	—	—	64	—	—	64
acres..	24 094	9 937	(D)	—	—	5 118	—	—	5 118
Irrigated	farms.. 3	2	—	—	—	1	—	—	1
acres..	320	(D)	—	—	—	(D)	—	—	(D)
Land in orchards	farms.. 406	59	20	153	30	45	—	—	45
acres..	6 834	887	192	4 510	105	316	—	—	316
Irrigated	farms.. 63	8	11	30	7	2	—	—	2
acres..	319	58	109	122	7	(D)	—	—	(D)
Farms by bearing and nonbearing acres:									
0.1 to 4.9 acres	226	27	11	81	23	29	—	—	29
5.0 to 24.9 acres	127	19	5	51	7	12	—	—	12
25.0 to 99.9 acres	45	11	4	16	—	4	—	—	4
100.0 to 249.9 acres	5	2	—	2	—	—	—	—	—
250.0 acres or more	3	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 51. **Summary by North American Industry Classification System: 1997—Con.**

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

Item	Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111)	Cattle feedlots (112112)	Dairy cattle and milk production (11212)	Hog and pig farming (1122)	Poultry and egg production (1123)	Sheep and goat farming (1124)	Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125,1129)
SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED—Con.							
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text)	farms.. 10 477	643	603	425	70	166	709
acres..	877 051	67 808	70 017	22 351	1 986	5 376	31 392
tons, dry..	1 735 481	184 957	181 066	47 070	3 884	11 967	56 757
Irrigated	farms.. 220	55	24	9	5	4	7
acres..	28 847	10 249	2 122	291	(D)	(D)	533
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres	2 999	177	56	175	47	114	415
25 to 99 acres	4 870	245	271	199	19	41	214
100 to 249 acres	1 984	159	222	41	4	9	61
250 to 499 acres	459	45	44	7	—	1	15
500 acres or more	165	17	10	3	—	1	4
Alfalfa hay	farms.. 3 510	279	449	202	26	71	188
acres..	162 243	24 760	26 016	5 672	444	1 949	5 363
tons, dry..	573 294	107 237	90 638	18 762	1 322	6 624	19 267
Irrigated	farms.. 169	47	20	6	3	3	3
acres..	23 406	8 977	951	176	51	(D)	(D)
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)	farms.. 25	5	4	6	2	5	1
acres..	53	38	4	36	(D)	8	(D)
Irrigated	farms.. 4	4	—	1	2	3	—
acres..	3	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	6	—
Farms by acres harvested:							
0.1 to 4.9 acres	23	4	4	3	2	5	—
5.0 to 24.9 acres	2	—	—	3	—	—	1
25.0 to 99.9 acres	—	1	—	—	—	—	—
100.0 to 249.9 acres	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
250.0 acres or more	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Field seed and grass seed crops	farms.. 114	11	6	3	—	—	6
acres..	8 070	428	318	(D)	—	—	112
Irrigated	farms.. —	—	—	—	—	—	—
acres..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Land in orchards	farms.. 73	1	2	2	5	6	10
acres..	709	(D)	(D)	(D)	46	(D)	29
Irrigated	farms.. 1	—	—	—	—	1	3
acres..	(D)	—	—	—	—	(D)	8
Farms by bearing and nonbearing acres:							
0.1 to 4.9 acres	38	1	2	1	3	3	7
5.0 to 24.9 acres	25	—	—	1	1	3	3
25.0 to 99.9 acres	9	—	—	—	1	—	—
100.0 to 249.9 acres	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
250.0 acres or more	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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.