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**Table 1. Historical Highlights: 1997 and Earlier Census Years**

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

All farms	1997	1992	1987	1982	1978	1974	1969	1964
Farms ..... number..	5 810	5 776	6 269	7 003	6 775	6 436	7 971	12 875
Land in farms ..... acres..	1 211 648	1 258 297	1 342 588	1 468 674	1 500 390	1 523 696	1 759 700	2 590 022
Average size of farm ..... acres..	209	218	214	210	221	237	221	201
Estimated market value of land and buildings <sup>1</sup> :								
Average per farm ..... dollars..	251 074	241 816	210 777	150 487	118 027	80 656	35 496	19 979
Average per acre ..... dollars..	1 190	1 130	962	708	521	341	161	100
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment <sup>1</sup> . \$1,000..	282 151	263 791	240 068	236 527	206 739	141 550	90 020	(NA)
Average per farm ..... dollars..	48 697	45 757	38 325	33 916	30 542	22 673	11 639	(NA)
Farms by size:								
1 to 9 acres .....	533	465	419	379	358	305	368	619
10 to 49 acres .....	1 184	1 024	1 029	1 139	881	728	948	1 858
50 to 179 acres .....	2 110	2 174	2 453	2 824	2 711	2 554	3 274	5 820
180 to 499 acres .....	1 441	1 513	1 758	2 018	2 155	2 182	2 667	3 595
500 to 999 acres .....	398	448	474	505	539	509	570	764
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....	113	120	106	108	105	130	119	161
2,000 acres or more .....	31	32	30	30	26	28	25	58
Total cropland ..... farms..	5 372	5 495	5 919	6 591	6 402	6 032	7 253	12 020
acres..	539 966	559 424	592 309	610 691	650 356	641 940	706 769	894 206
Harvested cropland ..... farms..	4 875	5 141	5 486	6 138	6 064	5 631	6 519	11 007
acres..	403 014	399 755	410 891	457 076	463 029	449 901	457 935	594 434
Irrigated land ..... farms..	671	523	359	200	255	176	115	206
acres..	21 791	10 241	6 065	5 831	7 013	6 211	5 526	4 157
Market value of agricultural products sold <sup>2</sup> ..... \$1,000..	438 673	430 324	405 484	399 412	393 869	359 612	198 181	255 931
Average per farm ..... dollars..	75 503	74 502	64 681	57 034	58 136	55 875	24 862	19 878
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops ..... \$1,000..	212 229	215 995	157 828	142 834	106 752	132 582	63 894	138 268
Livestock, poultry, and their products ..... \$1,000..	226 444	214 329	247 656	256 578	287 117	224 145	132 772	111 956
Farms by value of sales <sup>3</sup> :								
Less than \$2,500 .....	1 923	1 690	2 059	2 549	2 090	1 957	2 976	5 966
\$2,500 to \$4,999 .....	743	775	870	914	836	513	548	966
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	751	786	719	664	627	511	720	1 040
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	798	732	700	644	790	2 607	3 342	4 443
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	438	441	466	571	756	796	356	439
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	390	449	553	745	765	38	15	
\$100,000 to \$499,999 .....	626	794	809	829	825			
\$500,000 or more .....	141	109	93	82	77			
Farms by type of organization:								
Individual or family (sole proprietorship) .....	5 064	5 063	5 594	6 317	6 078	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Partnership .....	306	325	350	384	426	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Corporation .....	403	352	300	272	244	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. ....	37	36	25	30	27	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Operators by days worked off farm <sup>4</sup> :								
None .....	2 246	2 331	2 275	2 609	2 842	2 458	(NA)	(NA)
Any .....	3 263	3 144	3 653	3 932	3 659	2 743	4 315	7 031
200 days or more .....	1 958	1 857	2 253	2 467	2 115	1 579	2 219	4 041
Operators by principal occupation <sup>4</sup> :								
Farming .....	2 872	2 981	3 220	3 644	3 908	4 130	(NA)	(NA)
Other .....	2 938	2 795	3 049	3 359	2 867	2 144	(NA)	(NA)
Average age of operator <sup>4</sup> .... years..	54.4	53.0	51.7	49.8	49.7	51.5	51.5	52.4
Total farm production expenses <sup>1</sup> ..... \$1,000..	347 611	351 076	324 276	(NA)	(NA)	293 191	175 957	(NA)
Selected farm production expenses <sup>1</sup> :								
Livestock and poultry purchased ..... \$1,000..	11 988	18 658	21 876	20 717	34 845	22 851	16 882	12 610
Feed for livestock and poultry ..... \$1,000..	79 605	70 781	94 386	100 879	140 499	115 882	62 681	56 129
Commercial fertilizer <sup>5</sup> ..... \$1,000..	16 537	18 543	16 437	18 719	17 456	18 968	10 475	9 501
Petroleum products ..... \$1,000..	14 829	15 276	12 827	18 739	13 885	9 268	6 169	6 098
Hired farm labor ..... \$1,000..	64 285	61 086	51 613	44 906	39 420	31 435	23 295	22 218
Interest <sup>6</sup> ..... \$1,000..	15 954	14 775	15 455	18 511	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Agricultural chemicals <sup>5</sup> ..... \$1,000..	17 435	16 197	11 996	9 865	8 603	6 603	4 029	(NA)
Livestock and poultry:								
Cattle and calves inventory .....	1 921	2 110	2 637	3 652	3 246	3 250	3 389	7 014
farms..	101 695	104 511	119 475	141 206	129 250	137 366	127 018	157 594
number..	1 035	1 098	1 331	1 811	1 394	1 281	(NA)	1 295
Beef cows .....	11 782	11 412	11 782	13 242	10 572	11 151	9 104	9 167
farms..	685	836	1 183	1 784	1 837	2 034	2 246	5 414
number..	40 749	42 737	49 815	57 173	56 633	61 293	56 736	75 582
Cattle and calves sold .....	1 631	1 831	2 366	3 030	2 796	2 716	2 904	5 396
farms..	37 889	40 873	50 357	52 363	61 349	58 771	54 500	84 239
Hogs and pigs inventory .....	341	377	421	804	809	769	609	1 662
farms..	5 977	4 768	8 999	8 586	7 788	6 480	7 350	13 117
number..	261	258	295	450	409	324	288	566
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text) <sup>7</sup> .....	9 226	9 308	13 905	12 067	9 565	7 844	9 257	15 667
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold .....	6 134 383	5 200 911	6 999 685	7 232 235	9 015 115	9 861 717	7 373 553	4 795 565
farms..	554	562	719	1 015	902	805	1 011	2 534
number..	199 416	199 416	13 679 943	20 061 324	69 135 035	64 457 259	59 906 554	59 018 598

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 1. Historical Highlights: 1997 and Earlier Census Years—Con.**

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

All farms	1997	1992	1987	1982	1978	1974	1969	1964
<b>Selected crops harvested:</b>								
Corn for grain or seed .....								
farms..	49	46	80	126	105	95	34	23
acres..	3 604	2 739	5 342	8 020	5 542	4 625	1 139	170
bushels..	(D)	266 755	485 087	647 910	374 766	317 988	102 557	11 265
Oats for grain .....								
farms..	272	320	535	679	763	(NA)	(NA)	1 504
acres..	22 364	24 277	35 548	40 971	40 224	(NA)	(NA)	38 046
bushels..	1 643 127	2 014 920	2 728 024	2 514 472	2 548 583	(NA)	(NA)	2 009 296
Potatoes, excluding sweetpotatoes .....								
farms..	586	770	839	1 134	1 287	1 575	(NA)	4 052
acres..	73 085	87 650	83 261	99 251	114 904	136 963	(NA)	130 707
cwt..	19 490 474	25 008 230	22 412 030	24 556 322	24 933 225	33 873 341	(NA)	35 251 148
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) .....								
farms..	2 810	3 119	3 672	4 290	4 124	3 634	4 041	(NA)
acres..	214 005	214 129	221 675	241 490	236 567	209 869	208 162	367 496
tons, dry..	332 039	332 197	393 393	414 555	367 396	340 581	333 701	457 226
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text) <sup>8</sup> .....								
farms..	611	582	509	535	559	572	644	932
acres..	11 745	10 251	9 727	11 278	11 044	9 382	13 188	17 491

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

<sup>2</sup>Data for 1974 and prior years include the value of forest products sold.

<sup>3</sup>Data for 1982 and prior years exclude abnormal farms.

<sup>4</sup>Data for 1974 apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorship) and partnerships.

<sup>5</sup>Data for 1964 to 1982 do not include cost of custom applications; data for agricultural chemicals include the cost of lime for 1969 to 1978.

<sup>6</sup>Data for 1982 do not include imputation for item nonresponse.

<sup>7</sup>Data for 1969 to 1992 are for chickens 3 months old or older inventory; data for 1964 are for chickens 4 months old or older.

<sup>8</sup>Data for 1974 were from land area used.

**Table 2. Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold and Direct Sales: 1997, 1992, and 1987**

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

Item		1997	Percent of total in 1997	1992	1987
Total sales (see text) .....	farms..	5 810	100.0	5 776	6 269
Average per farm .....	\$1,000..	438 673	100.0	430 324	405 484
	dollars..	75 503	(X)	74 502	64 681
Value of sales:					
Less than \$1,000 (see text) .....	farms..	1 020	17.6	880	1 023
Average per farm .....	\$1,000..	250	.1	256	320
\$1,000 to \$2,499 .....	farms..	903	15.5	810	1 036
Average per farm .....	\$1,000..	1 477	.3	1 322	1 677
\$2,500 to \$4,999 .....	farms..	743	12.8	775	870
Average per farm .....	\$1,000..	2 618	.6	2 787	3 074
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	farms..	751	12.9	786	719
Average per farm .....	\$1,000..	5 297	1.2	5 438	5 061
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....	farms..	621	10.7	572	539
Average per farm .....	\$1,000..	8 790	2.0	7 931	7 511
\$20,000 to \$24,999 .....	farms..	177	3.0	160	161
Average per farm .....	\$1,000..	3 892	.9	3 524	3 568
\$25,000 to \$39,999 .....	farms..	309	5.3	313	292
Average per farm .....	\$1,000..	9 743	2.2	9 914	9 234
\$40,000 to \$49,999 .....	farms..	129	2.2	128	174
Average per farm .....	\$1,000..	5 680	1.3	5 701	7 748
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	farms..	390	6.7	449	553
Average per farm .....	\$1,000..	28 364	6.5	32 696	40 434
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....	farms..	414	7.1	559	610
Average per farm .....	\$1,000..	64 969	14.8	88 183	93 644
\$250,000 to \$499,999 .....	farms..	212	3.6	235	199
Average per farm .....	\$1,000..	70 566	16.1	81 773	67 941
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....	farms..	88	1.5	75	67
Average per farm .....	\$1,000..	57 632	13.1	52 254	43 894
\$1,000,000 or more .....	farms..	53	.9	34	26
Average per farm .....	\$1,000..	179 395	40.9	138 547	121 376
\$1,000,000 to \$2,499,999 .....	farms..	39	.7	25	(NA)
Average per farm .....	\$1,000..	54 955	12.5	36 150	(NA)
\$2,500,000 to \$4,999,999 .....	farms..	7	.1	5	(NA)
Average per farm .....	\$1,000..	25 132	5.7	16 748	(NA)
\$5,000,000 or more .....	farms..	7	.1	4	(NA)
Average per farm .....	\$1,000..	99 308	22.6	85 649	(NA)
Sales by commodity or commodity group:					
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops .....	farms..	3 899	67.1	3 822	3 822
Average per farm .....	\$1,000..	212 229	48.4	215 995	157 828
Grains .....	farms..	407	7.0	419	564
Average per farm .....	\$1,000..	6 793	1.5	4 525	4 298
Corn for grain .....	farms..	17	.3	23	35
Average per farm .....	\$1,000..	785	.2	547	767
Wheat .....	farms..	11	.2	8	23
Average per farm .....	\$1,000..	124	(Z)	(D)	64
Soybeans .....	farms..	16	.3	1	—
Average per farm .....	\$1,000..	113	(Z)	(D)	—
Sorghum for grain .....	farms..	—	—	—	—
Average per farm .....	\$1,000..	—	—	—	—
Barley .....	farms..	164	2.8	120	21
Average per farm .....	\$1,000..	3 162	.7	1 348	41
Oats .....	farms..	209	3.6	265	457
Average per farm .....	\$1,000..	1 882	.4	1 860	2 900
Other grains .....	farms..	63	1.1	68	94
Average per farm .....	\$1,000..	727	.2	729	527
Cotton and cottonseed .....	farms..	—	—	—	—
Average per farm .....	\$1,000..	—	—	—	—
Tobacco .....	farms..	—	—	—	—
Average per farm .....	\$1,000..	—	—	—	—
Hay, silage, and field seeds .....	farms..	1 574	27.1	1 688	1 793
Average per farm .....	\$1,000..	9 747	2.2	9 683	7 255
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons .....	farms..	611	10.5	582	509
Average per farm .....	\$1,000..	16 974	3.9	12 737	8 221
Fruits, nuts, and berries .....	farms..	963	16.6	1 017	914
Average per farm .....	\$1,000..	47 118	10.7	49 888	30 660
Nursery and greenhouse crops .....	farms..	926	15.9	568	370
Average per farm .....	\$1,000..	29 852	6.8	20 823	11 582
Other crops .....	farms..	813	14.0	741	833
Average per farm .....	\$1,000..	101 745	23.2	118 340	95 811
Livestock, poultry, and their products .....	farms..	2 425	41.7	2 601	3 301
Average per farm .....	\$1,000..	226 444	51.6	214 329	247 656
Poultry and poultry products .....	farms..	396	6.8	397	547
Average per farm .....	\$1,000..	73 299	16.7	88 576	128 641
Dairy products .....	farms..	565	9.7	694	949
Average per farm .....	\$1,000..	95 420	21.8	89 975	88 672
Cattle and calves .....	farms..	1 631	28.1	1 831	2 366
Average per farm .....	\$1,000..	10 222	2.3	14 273	15 329
Hogs and pigs .....	farms..	261	4.5	258	295
Average per farm .....	\$1,000..	1 360	.3	787	1 064
Sheep, lambs, and wool .....	farms..	407	7.0	436	549
Average per farm .....	\$1,000..	578	.1	720	879
Other livestock and livestock products (see text) .....	farms..	452	7.8	429	477
Average per farm .....	\$1,000..	45 563	10.4	19 998	13 070
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text) <sup>1</sup> .....	farms..	1 177	20.3	1 006	(NA)
Average per farm .....	\$1,000..	8 314	1.9	5 521	(NA)
	dollars..	7 064	(X)	5 488	(NA)
Value of sales:					
\$1 to \$499 .....	farms..	248	4.3	248	(NA)
Average per farm .....	\$1,000..	55	(Z)	51	(NA)
\$500 to \$999 .....	farms..	165	2.8	173	(NA)
Average per farm .....	\$1,000..	114	(Z)	117	(NA)
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	farms..	458	7.9	395	(NA)
Average per farm .....	\$1,000..	1 036	.2	891	(NA)

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 2. Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold and Direct Sales: 1997, 1992, and 1987—Con.**

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

Item	1997	Percent of total in 1997	1992	1987
Total sales (see text)—Con.				
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text) <sup>1</sup> —Con.				
Value of sales—Con.				
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	farms..	120	2.1	79
\$1,000..		793	.2	532
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	farms..	107	1.8	75
\$1,000..		1 588	.4	1 155
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	farms..	50	.9	13
\$1,000..		1 631	.4	437
\$50,000 or more .....	farms..	29	.5	23
\$1,000..		3 099	.7	2 339

<sup>1</sup>Data for 1987 were not collected.

**Table 3. Farm Production Expenses: 1997, 1992, and 1987**

[Data are based on a sample of farms. For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	1997		1992	1987
	Farms	Expenses (\$1,000)		
Total farm production expenses .....	farms..	5 801	(X)	5 772
	\$1,000..	(X)	347 611	351 076
Average per farm .....	dollars..	(X)	59 923	60 824
Farms with expenses of—				
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		1 995	5 582	2 023
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....		1 383	9 827	1 170
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....		1 101	16 897	991
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		380	12 756	451
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....		298	21 527	418
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....		368	59 681	483
\$250,000 to \$499,999 .....		182	61 319	401
\$500,000 or more .....		94	160 020	157
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....		58	79	58
\$1,000,000 to \$2,499,999 .....		26	40 768	59
\$2,500,000 or more .....		10	37 361	(NA)
Livestock and poultry purchased .....	farms..	1 234	(X)	1 360
	\$1,000..	(X)	11 988	18 658
	percent of total..	(X)	3.4	5.3
Farms with expenses of—				
\$1 to \$999 .....		553	143	616
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....		388	1 014	447
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....		120	797	108
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....		88	1 428	100
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		38	1 355	45
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....		27	1 754	28
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....		12	1 852	12
\$250,000 or more .....		8	3 645	4
\$250,000 to \$499,999 .....		4	1 269	2
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....		4	2 376	(NA)
\$1,000,000 or more .....		—	—	(NA)
Feed for livestock and poultry .....	farms..	2 201	(X)	2 655
	\$1,000..	(X)	79 605	70 781
	percent of total..	(X)	22.9	20.2
Farms with expenses of—				
\$1 to \$999 .....		872	397	1 002
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....		752	1 454	890
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....		76	492	116
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....		118	1 787	193
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		147	5 464	215
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....		120	8 388	143
\$100,000 or more .....		116	61 623	96
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....		77	11 840	70
\$250,000 to \$499,999 .....		21	7 142	(NA)
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....		11	6 293	4
\$1,000,000 or more .....		7	36 347	(NA)
Commercially mixed formula feeds .....	farms..	1 553	(X)	1 452
	\$1,000..	(X)	51 161	58 694
	percent of total..	(X)	14.7	16.7
Farms with expenses of—				
\$1 to \$999 .....		641	265	514
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....		411	873	374
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....		73	535	46
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....		83	1 326	165
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		152	5 457	353
\$50,000 to \$79,999 .....		73	4 519	180
\$80,000 or more .....		120	38 186	151
\$80,000 to \$99,999 .....		26	2 268	79
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....		64	10 082	68
\$250,000 to \$499,999 .....		17	5 930	135
\$500,000 or more .....		13	19 907	(NA)

**Table 3. Farm Production Expenses: 1997, 1992, and 1987—Con.**

[Data are based on a sample of farms. For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	1997		1992	1987
	Farms	Expenses (\$1,000)		
Total farm production expenses—Con.				
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees .....	farms.. \$1,000.. percent of total..	2 076 (X) (X)	(X) 13 757 4.0	2 073 15 329 4.4
Farms with expenses of—				
\$1 to \$499 .....		892	184	811
\$500 to \$999 .....		328	228	239
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....		450	1 043	512
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....		105	748	137
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....		154	2 350	205
\$25,000 or more .....		147	9 203	169
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		90	3 089	100
\$50,000 or more .....		57	6 114	69
Commercial fertilizer .....	farms.. \$1,000.. percent of total..	3 031 (X) (X)	(X) 16 537 4.8	3 181 18 543 5.3
Farms with expenses of—				
\$1 to \$499 .....		1 319	277	1 083
\$500 to \$999 .....		408	269	541
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....		739	1 607	794
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....		195	1 366	228
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....		192	3 111	328
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		113	3 933	151
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....		51	3 513	39
\$100,000 or more .....		14	2 460	17
Agricultural chemicals .....	farms.. \$1,000.. percent of total..	2 346 (X) (X)	(X) 17 435 5.0	2 366 16 197 4.6
Farms with expenses of—				
\$1 to \$499 .....		1 113	208	877
\$500 to \$999 .....		260	174	351
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....		502	1 079	561
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....		112	754	159
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....		162	2 467	233
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		111	3 776	129
\$50,000 or more .....		86	8 978	56
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....		55	3 547	38
\$100,000 or more .....		31	5 430	18
Petroleum products .....	farms.. \$1,000.. percent of total..	5 494 (X) (X)	(X) 14 829 4.3	5 435 15 276 4.4
Farms with expenses of—				
\$1 to \$999 .....		3 463	1 190	3 255
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....		1 369	2 988	1 444
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....		329	2 270	350
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....		253	3 827	317
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		51	1 579	46
\$50,000 or more .....		29	2 974	23
Electricity .....	farms.. \$1,000.. percent of total..	3 815 (X) (X)	(X) 10 613 3.1	4 051 8 763 2.5
Farms with expenses of—				
\$1 to \$499 .....		1 939	380	1 968
\$500 to \$999 .....		656	427	741
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....		815	1 796	918
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....		253	1 735	302
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....		125	1 717	105
\$25,000 or more .....		27	4 559	17
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		17	(D)	9
\$50,000 or more .....		10	(D)	8
Hired farm labor .....	farms.. \$1,000.. percent of total..	2 472 (X) (X)	(X) 64 285 18.5	2 485 61 086 17.4
Farms with expenses of—				
\$1 to \$999 .....		903	307	724
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....		571	1 433	595
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....		251	1 806	295
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....		262	4 472	375
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		234	8 231	250
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....		150	10 255	159
\$100,000 or more .....		101	37 781	57
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....		71	10 171	(NA)
\$250,000 to \$499,999 .....		17	5 537	12
\$500,000 or more .....		13	22 074	(NA)
Contract labor .....	farms.. \$1,000.. percent of total..	645 (X) (X)	(X) 4 161 1.2	816 7 348 2.1
Farms with expenses of—				
\$1 to \$999 .....		244	104	265
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....		271	621	372
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....		59	395	85
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....		52	807	61
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		7	259	13
\$50,000 or more .....		12	1 975	20
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....		7	428	8
\$100,000 or more .....		5	1 547	12

**Table 3. Farm Production Expenses: 1997, 1992, and 1987—Con.**

[Data are based on a sample of farms. For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	1997		1992	1987
	Farms	Expenses (\$1,000)		
Total farm production expenses—Con.				
Repair and maintenance .....	farms..			
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	\$1,000..	4 827	(X)	4 778
percent of total..		(X)	23 988	21 887
				5 381
Farms with expenses of—				19 687
\$1 to \$999 .....		1 973	775	6.1
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....		1 788	3 769	2 265
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....		517	3 362	2 065
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....		366	5 459	556
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		125	4 178	391
\$50,000 or more .....		58	6 446	76
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....		44	2 953	28
\$100,000 or more .....		14	3 493	(NA)
				(NA)
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment .....	farms..			
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	\$1,000..	1 145	(X)	1 390
percent of total..		(X)	4 595	4 975
				1 444
Farms with expenses of—				3 052
\$1 to \$999 .....		600	210	870
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....		383	816	430
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....		75	500	92
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....		60	836	35
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		14	470	12
\$50,000 or more .....		13	1 763	5
				11
Interest .....	farms..			
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	\$1,000..	1 820	(X)	2 162
percent of total..		(X)	15 954	14 775
				2 753
Farms with expenses of—				15 455
\$1 to \$999 .....		364	(D)	4.8
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....		751	1 858	895
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....		286	2 052	1 141
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....		281	4 061	377
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		86	2 817	258
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....		35	2 272	55
\$100,000 or more .....		17	(D)	19
				7
Interest paid on debt:				8
Secured by real estate .....	farms..			
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	\$1,000..	1 359	(X)	1 611
percent of total..		(X)	10 753	10 382
				2 032
Farms with expenses of—				11 312
\$1 to \$999 .....		226	(D)	(NA)
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....		574	1 402	(NA)
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....		263	1 884	(NA)
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....		202	2 846	(NA)
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		67	2 245	(NA)
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....		22	1 381	(NA)
\$100,000 or more .....		5	(D)	(NA)
				6
Not secured by real estate .....	farms..			
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	\$1,000..	973	(X)	1 161
percent of total..		(X)	5 201	4 393
				1 445
Farms with expenses of—				4 143
\$1 to \$999 .....		390	(D)	1.3
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....		383	832	1.3
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....		91	612	1.3
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....		74	1 146	1.2
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		19	666	1.2
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....		10	(D)	1.2
\$100,000 or more .....		6	1 109	1.2
				(NA)
Cash rent .....	farms..			
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	\$1,000..	941	(X)	1 135
percent of total..		(X)	5 044	5 336
				1 287
Farms with expenses of—				3 845
\$1 to \$499 .....		267	64	475
\$500 to \$999 .....		114	79	160
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....		340	731	463
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....		97	655	119
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....		81	1 206	52
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		25	860	11
\$50,000 or more .....		17	1 448	7
				(NA)
Property taxes paid .....	farms..			
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	\$1,000..	5 550	(X)	5 568
percent of total..		(X)	16 006	13 753
				6 064
Farms with expenses of—				11 460
\$1 to \$499 .....		598	159	1 039
\$500 to \$999 .....		878	651	1 617
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....		3 427	7 495	3 039
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....		452	3 003	240
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....		154	2 076	115
\$25,000 or more .....		41	2 622	14
				(NA)
All other farm production expenses.....	farms..			
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	\$1,000..	5 107	(X)	5 099
percent of total..		(X)	48 814	58 370
				5 630
Farms with expenses of—				38 383
\$1 to \$999 .....		2 225	886	11.8
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....		1 839	3 941	2 642
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....		380	2 620	1 870
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....		330	5 102	434
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		167	5 455	397
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....		94	6 150	166
\$100,000 or more .....		72	24 660	82
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....		52	7 851	39
\$250,000 or more .....		20	16 809	(NA)
				(NA)

**Table 4. Net Cash Return From Agricultural Sales: 1997 and 1992**

[Data are based on a sample of farms. For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	1997			1992		
	All farms	Farms with sales of \$10,000 or more	Farms with sales of less than \$10,000	All farms	Farms with sales of \$10,000 or more	Farms with sales of less than \$10,000
Net cash return from agricultural sales for the farm unit (see text) .....	5 801	2 304	3 497	5 772	2 511	3 261
farms..	78 187	89 186	-11 000	72 781	80 789	-8 008
\$1,000..						
Average per farm .....	13 478	38 709	-3 145	12 609	32 174	-2 456
Average per farm .....	dollars..					
Farms with net gains <sup>1</sup> .....	2 469	1 683	786	2 938	1 971	967
number..	108 332	106 659	1 673	90 975	89 043	1 932
\$1,000..						
Average per farm .....	dollars..	43 877	63 374	2 128	30 965	45 176
Average per farm .....						1 998
Gain of—						
Less than \$1,000 .....	309	44	265	422	87	335
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	752	308	444	881	315	566
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	332	255	77	364	298	66
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	469	469	—	479	479	—
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	269	269	—	345	345	—
\$50,000 or more .....	338	338	—	447	447	—
Farms with net losses .....	3 332	621	2 711	2 834	540	2 294
number..	30 145	17 473	12 672	18 194	8 254	9 940
\$1,000..						
Average per farm .....	dollars..	9 047	28 136	4 674	6 420	15 285
Average per farm .....						4 333
Loss of—						
Less than \$1,000 .....	529	23	506	439	21	418
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	1 560	190	1 370	1 321	129	1 192
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	747	141	606	599	120	479
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	316	118	198	361	165	196
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	102	81	21	95	87	8
\$50,000 or more .....	78	68	10	19	18	1

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

**Table 5. Government Payments and Other Farm-Related Income: 1997 and 1992**

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

Item	All farms		Farms with sales of \$10,000 or more	
	Farms	Value (\$1,000)	Farms	Value (\$1,000)
Government payments .....	1997..	934	2 977	620
	1992..	999	3 843	669
Average per farm <sup>1</sup> .....	1997..	(X)	3 188	(X)
	1992..	(X)	3 847	(X)
1997 farms with receipts of—				
\$1 to \$999 .....		334	128	217
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....		402	936	260
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....		145	1 011	99
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....		46	679	38
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		7	224	6
\$50,000 or more .....		—	—	—
Amount from Conservation Reserve and Wetlands Reserve Programs .....	1997..	350	1 077	162
	1992..	222	669	138
Average per farm <sup>1</sup> .....	1997..	(X)	3 078	(X)
	1992..	(X)	3 015	(X)
Other farm-related income, gross before taxes and expenses <sup>2</sup> .....	1997..	1 689	10 907	772
	1992..	1 769	9 462	801
Average per farm <sup>1</sup> .....	1997..	(X)	6 457	(X)
	1992..	(X)	5 349	(X)
1997 farms with receipts of—				
\$1 to \$999 .....		518	184	188
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....		629	1 536	279
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....		203	1 443	98
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....		262	3 730	132
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		58	1 823	56
\$50,000 or more .....		19	2 190	19
Customwork and other agricultural services .....	1997..	546	3 643	252
	1992..	470	3 568	202
Average per farm <sup>1</sup> .....	1997..	(X)	6 671	(X)
	1992..	(X)	7 591	(X)
1997 farms with receipts of—				
\$1 to \$999 .....		159	60	64
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....		248	540	91
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....		69	572	34
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....		40	591	34
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		20	684	19
\$50,000 or more .....		10	1 195	10
Rental of farmland .....	1997..	237	753	93
	1992..	353	828	163
Average per farm <sup>1</sup> .....	1997..	(X)	3 177	(X)
	1992..	(X)	2 347	(X)
1997 farms with receipts of—				
\$1 to \$999 .....		85	33	23
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....		120	298	49
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....		24	173	15
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....		5	67	4
\$25,000 or more .....		3	182	2
Sales of forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products <sup>3</sup> .....	1997..	903	5 754	397
	1992..	977	4 335	418
Average per farm <sup>1</sup> .....	1997..	(X)	6 372	(X)
	1992..	(X)	4 437	(X)
1997 farms with receipts of—				
\$1 to \$999 .....		215	101	65
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....		334	843	144
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....		116	766	60
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....		204	2 615	94
\$25,000 or more .....		34	1 428	34
Other farm-related income sources .....	1997..	472	757	321
	1992..	308	731	204
Average per farm <sup>1</sup> .....	1997..	(X)	1 604	(X)
	1992..	(X)	2 372	(X)
1997 farms with receipts of—				
\$1 to \$999 .....		316	60	205
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....		107	216	92
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....		38	220	13
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....		6	86	6
\$25,000 or more .....		5	176	5

<sup>1</sup>Data are in whole dollars.

<sup>2</sup>Data are based on a sample of farms.

<sup>3</sup>Data for 1992 include Christmas trees and maple products.

**Table 6. Commodity Credit Corporation Loans: 1997 and 1992**

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

CCC loans	1997		1992	
	Farms	Value (\$1,000)	Farms	Value (\$1,000)
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>12</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>69</b>
Average per farm <sup>1</sup> .....	(X)	1 960	(X)	5 752
Farms with loans of—				
\$1 to \$999 .....	8	(D)	6	3
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	1	(D)	2	(D)
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	3	21	2	(D)
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....	—	—	1	(D)
\$20,000 to \$24,999 .....	—	—	—	—
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	—	—	1	(D)
\$50,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—
Corn .....	2	(D)	2	(D)
Average per farm <sup>1</sup> .....	(X)	(D)	(X)	(D)
Farms with loans of—				
\$1 to \$999 .....	—	—	1	(D)
\$1,000 to \$9,999 .....	2	(D)	1	(D)
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	—	—	—	—
\$25,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—
Wheat .....	—	—	—	—
Average per farm <sup>1</sup> .....	(X)	—	(X)	—
Farms with loans of—				
\$1 to \$999 .....	—	—	—	—
\$1,000 to \$9,999 .....	—	—	—	—
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	—	—	—	—
\$25,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—
Soybeans .....	—	—	—	—
Average per farm <sup>1</sup> .....	(X)	—	(X)	—
Farms with loans of—				
\$1 to \$999 .....	—	—	—	—
\$1,000 to \$9,999 .....	—	—	—	—
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	—	—	—	—
\$25,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—
Sorghum, barley, and oats .....	10	(D)	7	53
Average per farm <sup>1</sup> .....	(X)	(D)	(X)	7 552
Farms with loans of—				
\$1 to \$999 .....	8	2	4	2
\$1,000 to \$9,999 .....	2	(D)	1	(D)
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	—	—	1	(D)
\$25,000 or more .....	—	—	1	(D)
Cotton .....	—	—	—	—
Average per farm <sup>1</sup> .....	(X)	—	(X)	—
Farms with loans of—				
\$1 to \$999 .....	—	—	—	—
\$1,000 to \$9,999 .....	—	—	—	—
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	—	—	—	—
\$25,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—
Sunflower seed, flaxseed, safflower, canola, other rapeseed, and mustard seed .....	—	—	—	—
Average per farm <sup>1</sup> .....	(X)	—	(X)	—
Farms with loans of—				
\$1 to \$999 .....	—	—	—	—
\$1,000 to \$9,999 .....	—	—	—	—
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	—	—	—	—
\$25,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—
Peanuts, rice, and tobacco <sup>2</sup> .....	—	—	3	(D)
Average per farm <sup>1</sup> .....	(X)	—	(X)	(D)
Farms with loans of—				
\$1 to \$999 .....	—	—	1	(D)
\$1,000 to \$9,999 .....	—	—	2	(D)
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	—	—	—	—
\$25,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—

<sup>1</sup>Data are in whole dollars.

<sup>2</sup>Data for 1992 include CCC loans for rye and honey.

**Table 7. Land Use: 1997, 1992, and 1987**

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

All farms	1997	Percent of total in 1997	1992	1987
Farms .....	5 810	100.0	5 776	6 269
Land in farms .....	1 211 648	100.0	1 258 297	1 342 588
Total cropland .....	farms..	5 372	92.5	5 495
	acres..	539 966	44.6	559 424
Harvested cropland .....	farms..	4 875	83.9	5 141
	acres..	403 014	33.3	399 755
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 49 acres .....		3 180	54.7	3 201
1 to 9 acres .....		1 316	22.7	1 188
10 to 19 acres .....		725	12.5	735
20 to 29 acres .....		493	8.5	593
30 to 49 acres .....		646	11.1	685
50 to 99 acres .....		628	10.8	757
100 to 199 acres .....		502	8.6	620
200 to 499 acres .....		444	7.6	473
500 to 999 acres .....		89	1.5	68
1,000 acres or more .....		32	.6	22
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....		23	.4	18
2,000 acres or more .....		9	.2	4
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing .....	farms..	2 156	37.1	2 306
	acres..	65 066	5.4	73 085
Other cropland .....	farms..	1 657	28.5	1 823
	acres..	71 886	5.9	86 584
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured .....	farms..	565	9.7	671
	acres..	23 006	1.9	31 116
Cropland on which all crops failed .....	farms..	152	2.6	224
	acres..	2 430	.2	4 137
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow .....	farms..	195	3.4	242
	acres..	5 136	.4	4 965
Cropland idle .....	farms..	1 105	19.0	1 157
	acres..	41 314	3.4	46 366
Total woodland .....	farms..	4 189	72.1	4 349
	acres..	566 603	46.8	594 602
Woodland pastured .....	farms..	848	14.6	990
	acres..	40 274	3.3	51 120
Woodland not pastured .....	farms..	3 958	68.1	4 015
	acres..	526 329	43.4	543 482
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured .....	farms..	844	14.5	840
	acres..	27 952	2.3	29 509
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. .....	farms..	3 659	63.0	3 364
	acres..	77 127	6.4	74 762
Land under Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs <sup>1</sup> .....	farms..	352	(X)	251
	acres..	22 217	(X)	14 221

<sup>1</sup>Data for 1987 are for Conservation Reserve Program only.

**Table 8. Land in Farms, Harvested Cropland, and Irrigated Land, by Size of Farm: 1997 and 1992**

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

All farms	Farms		Land in farms (acres)		Harvested cropland (acres)		Irrigated land (acres)		
	1997	1992	1997	1992	1997	1992	1997	1992	
Land in farms .....	5 810	5 776	1 211 648		1 258 297	403 014	399 755	21 791	10 241
Farms by size:									
1 to 9 acres .....	533	465	2 149		1 836	794	699	259	185
10 to 49 acres .....	1 184	1 024	31 263		28 154	9 182	9 208	561	295
50 to 69 acres .....	458	465	26 351		26 609	7 547	7 965	185	203
70 to 99 acres .....	546	526	44 916		43 515	11 275	12 457	237	196
100 to 139 acres .....	689	676	79 247		77 430	19 874	22 203	596	306
140 to 179 acres .....	417	507	65 082		79 483	17 680	21 675	497	208
180 to 219 acres .....	328	370	64 655		72 933	20 509	21 026	377	210
220 to 259 acres .....	267	282	63 683		67 499	18 868	22 640	359	251
260 to 499 acres .....	846	861	300 546		302 852	98 784	99 360	1 966	1 859
500 to 999 acres .....	398	448	267 420		294 576	97 373	99 936	1 953	1 175
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....	113	120	151 002		159 559	57 670	53 558	3 390	3 613
2,000 acres or more .....	31	32	115 334		103 851	43 458	29 028	11 411	1 740
5,000 acres or more .....	6	4	(D)		26 207	(D)	9 151	4 220	1 075
Farms with harvested cropland .....	4 875	5 141	1 120 563		1 203 173	403 014	399 755	21 762	10 220
Farms by size:									
1 to 9 acres .....	384	340	1 466		1 295	794	699	259	185
10 to 49 acres .....	863	806	23 724		22 702	9 182	9 208	537	289
50 to 69 acres .....	364	397	20 975		22 800	7 547	7 965	185	201
70 to 99 acres .....	458	477	37 701		39 496	11 275	12 457	237	196
100 to 139 acres .....	589	609	67 791		69 904	19 874	22 203	596	306
140 to 179 acres .....	369	473	57 503		74 201	17 680	21 675	497	208
180 to 219 acres .....	305	354	60 196		69 767	20 509	21 026	372	205
220 to 259 acres .....	248	273	59 182		65 384	18 868	22 640	359	251
260 to 499 acres .....	774	822	275 228		288 650	98 784	99 360	1 966	1 851
500 to 999 acres .....	381	441	256 757		290 288	97 373	99 936	1 953	1 175
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....	110	117	147 006		154 835	57 670	53 558	3 390	3 613
2,000 acres or more .....	30	32	113 034		103 851	43 458	29 028	11 411	1 740
5,000 acres or more .....	6	4	(D)		26 207	(D)	9 151	4 220	1 075
Farms with irrigated land .....	671	523	173 250		111 548	68 699	36 468	21 791	10 241
Farms by size:									
1 to 9 acres .....	169	138	609		511	291	228	259	185
10 to 49 acres .....	159	109	3 980		2 891	919	682	561	295
50 to 69 acres .....	44	44	2 528		2 534	610	584	185	203
70 to 99 acres .....	55	38	4 610		3 124	751	431	237	196
100 to 139 acres .....	58	47	6 789		5 395	1 583	833	596	306
140 to 179 acres .....	35	30	5 457		4 547	759	910	497	208
180 to 219 acres .....	22	14	4 377		2 806	1 728	739	377	210
220 to 259 acres .....	15	12	3 544		2 821	860	947	359	251
260 to 499 acres .....	45	52	16 488		18 219	5 342	5 442	1 966	1 859
500 to 999 acres .....	29	12	20 479		8 770	8 609	3 501	1 953	1 175
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....	24	19	33 295		25 537	15 245	10 302	3 390	3 613
2,000 acres or more .....	16	8	71 094		34 393	32 002	11 869	11 411	1 740
5,000 acres or more .....	5	3	39 303		18 022	12 076	5 762	4 220	1 075

**Table 9. Irrigation: 1997, 1992, and 1987**

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

Farms with irrigation	1997	1992	1987	Farms with irrigation	1997	1992	1987
Farms .....	number..	671	523	Irrigated land—Con.			
Proportion of farms .....	percent..	11.5	9.1	Acres irrigated—Con.			
			359	200 to 499 acres .....	farms..	17	7
			5.7	500 to 999 acres .....	acres..	5 179	2 058
Irrigated land .....	acres..	21 791	10 241	1,000 acres or more .....	farms..	5	—
Average per farm .....	acres..	32	20	acres..	acres..	2 750	1 761
Acres irrigated:				1,000 acres or more .....	farms..	3	—
1 to 9 acres .....	farms..	516	422	acres..	acres..	183	133
	acres..	(D)	547	Irrigated land use:			
			53	Harvested cropland .....	farms..	660	352
10 to 49 acres .....	farms..	90	48	acres..	acres..	21 608	5 998
	acres..	1 924	951	Pastureland and other land .....	farms..	24	10
50 to 99 acres .....	farms..	20	16	acres..	acres..	183	67
	acres..	1 342	1 088	Land in irrigated farms .....	acres..	173 250	111 548
100 to 199 acres .....	farms..	20	9	Cropland .....	acres..	89 030	68 548
	acres..	2 623	2 360	Harvested cropland .....	acres..	68 699	36 468
			1 266				20 176

**Table 10. Selected Characteristics of Irrigated and Nonirrigated Farms: 1997 and 1992**

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

Characteristics	All farms		Irrigated farms				Nonirrigated farms		
			Any land irrigated		All harvested cropland irrigated				
	1997	1992	1997	1992	1997	1992	1997	1992	
Farms .....	number..	5 810	5 776	671	523	373	267	5 139	5 253
Land in farms .....	acres..	1 211 648	1 258 297	173 250	111 548	21 612	12 111	1 038 398	1 146 749
Estimated market value of land and buildings <sup>1</sup> :									
Average per farm .....	dollars..	251 074	241 816	307 272	283 643	184 780	170 292	242 202	237 622
Average per acre .....	dollars..	1 190	1 130	1 363	1 351	3 452	3 600	1 160	1 108
Irrigated land .....	acres..	21 791	10 241	21 791	10 241	2 820	1 148	(X)	(X)
Land in farms according to use:									
Total cropland .....	farms..	5 372	5 495	670	522	373	267	4 702	4 973
acres..		539 966	559 424	89 030	50 472	5 192	2 872	450 936	508 952
Harvested cropland .....	farms..	4 875	5 141	667	517	373	267	4 208	4 624
acres..		403 014	399 755	68 699	36 468	2 784	1 133	334 315	363 287
Pastureland, excluding woodland pastured .....	farms..	2 760	2 879	174	147	69	52	2 586	2 732
acres..		93 018	102 594	4 897	4 163	1 042	821	88 121	98 431
Land under Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs .....	farms..	352	251	26	18	4	3	326	233
acres..		22 217	14 221	1 091	1 077	(D)	70	21 126	13 144
Owned and rented land in farms:									
Owned land in farms .....	farms..	5 483	5 507	626	499	346	255	4 857	5 008
acres..		985 902	1 043 230	139 575	91 360	19 756	10 734	846 327	951 870
Rented or leased land in farms .....	farms..	1 981	2 043	219	154	67	37	1 762	1 889
acres..		225 746	215 067	33 675	20 188	1 856	1 377	192 071	194 879
Market value of agricultural products sold .....	\$1,000..	438 673	430 324	97 028	66 301	20 349	12 345	341 645	364 023
Average per farm .....	dollars..	75 503	74 502	144 602	126 771	54 555	46 237	66 481	69 298
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops .....	farms..	3 899	3 822	651	502	362	260	3 248	3 320
\$1,000..		212 229	215 995	93 025	64 519	18 980	11 982	119 204	151 476
Livestock, poultry, and their products .....	farms..	2 425	2 601	135	111	54	41	2 290	2 490
\$1,000..		226 444	214 329	4 004	1 782	1 369	363	222 440	212 547
Total farm production expenses <sup>1</sup> .....	\$1,000..	347 611	351 076	75 022	46 452	15 440	8 110	272 589	304 623
Average per farm .....	dollars..	59 923	60 824	94 845	88 312	31 704	32 967	54 409	58 068
Livestock and poultry purchased .....	farms..	1 234	1 360	89	62	23	29	1 145	1 298
\$1,000..		11 988	18 658	124	89	8	55	11 865	18 569
Feed for livestock and poultry .....	farms..	2 201	2 655	143	110	51	42	2 058	2 545
\$1,000..		79 605	70 781	922	627	202	187	78 683	70 154
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees .....	farms..	2 076	2 073	566	354	302	170	1 510	1 719
\$1,000..		13 757	15 329	5 999	3 788	1 437	879	7 758	11 541
Commercial fertilizer .....	farms..	3 031	3 181	669	426	398	183	2 362	2 755
\$1,000..		16 537	18 543	4 672	2 707	417	119	11 865	15 835
Agricultural chemicals .....	farms..	2 346	2 366	545	348	302	141	1 801	2 018
\$1,000..		17 435	16 197	6 108	3 081	270	95	11 327	13 116
Petroleum products .....	farms..	5 494	5 435	773	506	472	229	4 721	4 929
\$1,000..		14 829	15 276	3 439	2 117	978	514	11 391	13 159
Electricity .....	farms..	3 815	4 051	610	413	365	190	3 205	3 638
\$1,000..		10 613	8 763	2 351	878	415	240	8 262	7 884
Hired farm labor .....	farms..	2 472	2 485	436	283	228	116	2 036	2 202
\$1,000..		64 285	61 086	23 727	13 630	4 709	2 150	40 559	47 456
Contract labor .....	farms..	645	816	93	103	41	47	552	713
\$1,000..		4 161	7 348	693	1 928	289	335	3 468	5 420
Repairs and maintenance .....	farms..	4 827	4 778	720	475	429	209	4 107	4 303
\$1,000..		23 988	21 887	5 879	3 339	1 241	460	18 109	18 547
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment .....	farms..	1 145	1 390	188	156	80	45	957	1 234
\$1,000..		4 595	4 975	1 421	1 242	243	54	3 174	3 733
Interest .....	farms..	1 820	2 162	324	266	156	104	1 496	1 896
\$1,000..		15 954	14 775	3 291	2 202	713	552	12 663	12 573
Cash rent .....	farms..	941	1 135	128	116	24	11	813	1 019
\$1,000..		5 044	5 336	1 536	1 270	166	77	3 508	4 066
Property taxes paid .....	farms..	5 550	5 568	760	494	464	238	4 790	5 074
\$1,000..		16 006	13 753	3 087	1 454	1 214	384	12 919	12 299
All other farm production expenses .....	farms..	5 107	5 099	764	499	466	224	4 343	4 600
\$1,000..		48 814	58 370	11 775	8 099	3 137	2 009	37 039	50 271
Commodity Credit Corporation loans <sup>2</sup> .....	farms..	12	12	1	1	—	—	11	11
\$1,000..		24	69	(D)	(D)	—	—	(D)	(D)
Government payments received .....	farms..	934	999	84	81	14	17	850	918
\$1,000..		2 977	3 843	286	338	(D)	21	2 691	3 505
Other farm-related income <sup>1</sup> .....	farms..	1 689	1 769	185	176	79	69	1 504	1 593
\$1,000..		10 907	9 462	1 990	1 975	736	563	8 916	7 487
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment <sup>1</sup> .....	farms..	5 794	5 765	791	526	487	246	5 003	5 239
\$1,000..		282 151	263 791	55 331	35 448	14 885	5 965	226 820	228 343
Average per farm .....	dollars..	48 697	45 757	69 951	67 391	30 565	24 246	45 337	43 585
Livestock inventory:									
Cattle and calves .....	farms..	1 921	2 110	75	66	16	13	1 846	2 044
number..		101 695	104 511	2 805	1 513	386	109	98 890	102 998
Milk cows .....	farms..	685	836	20	16	1	1	665	820
number..		40 749	42 737	(D)	492	(D)	(D)	(D)	42 245
Hogs and pigs .....	farms..	341	377	30	28	10	7	311	349
number..		5 977	4 768	(D)	138	209	(D)	(D)	4 630
Sheep and lambs .....	farms..	426	457	46	37	19	17	380	420
number..		10 603	12 541	488	473	192	242	10 115	12 068

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

<sup>2</sup>Data for 1992 include CCC loans for rye and honey.

**Table 11. Value of Land and Buildings: 1997, 1992, and 1987**

[Data are based on a sample of farms. For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Value of land and buildings	1997		1992	1987
	Farms	Value (\$1,000)		
Estimated market value of land and buildings .....	5 801	(X)	5 772	6 266
farms..			1 395 761	1 320 729
\$1,000..		1 456 482	241 816	210 777
dollars..		251 074	1 130	962
Average per farm .....	(X)	1 190		
Average per acre .....	(X)			
Farms by value group:				
\$1 to \$39,999 .....	463	(D)	475	652
\$40,000 to \$69,999 .....	539	29 464	562	773
\$70,000 to \$99,999 .....	615	50 744	653	916
\$100,000 to \$149,999 .....	866	102 967	816	998
\$150,000 to \$199,999 .....	800	133 490	841	699
\$200,000 to \$499,999 .....	1 926	547 967	1 814	1 699
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....	439	282 625	437	389
\$1,000,000 to \$1,999,999 .....	113	146 849	144	119
\$2,000,000 to \$4,999,999 .....	36	98 869	26	16
\$5,000,000 or more .....	4	(D)	4	5

**Table 12. Value of Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1997 and 1992**

[Data are based on a sample of farms. For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Value of machinery and equipment	1997		1992		Value (\$1,000)
	Farms	Value (\$1,000)	Farms	Value (\$1,000)	
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment .....	5 794	282 151	5 765	263 791	
Average per farm <sup>1</sup> .....	(X)	48 697	(X)	45 757	
By value group:					
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	670	1 960	645	1 695	
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	742	4 883	934	6 724	
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....	1 205	16 082	1 350	17 847	
\$20,000 to \$29,999 .....	808	18 395	778	17 869	
\$30,000 to \$49,999 .....	810	29 115	770	28 387	
\$50,000 to \$69,999 .....	466	26 227	418	22 985	
\$70,000 to \$99,999 .....	324	25 373	212	16 990	
\$100,000 to \$199,999 .....	496	63 643	423	53 725	
\$200,000 to \$499,999 .....	232	61 716	198	52 878	
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....	34	22 274	30	18 441	
\$1,000,000 or more .....	7	12 483	7	26 250	

<sup>1</sup>Data are in whole dollars.

**Table 13. Selected Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1997 and 1992**

[Data are based on a sample of farms. For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Selected machinery and equipment	1997						1992		
	Total		Manufactured 1993 to 1997		Manufactured prior to 1993		Farms	Number	Number manufactured 1988 to 1992
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number			
Motortrucks, including pickups .....	5 141	11 261	1 319	1 692	4 530	9 569	5 157	11 338	2 329
2 or 3 .....	1 735	3 999	182	381	1 494	3 400	3 795	643	
4 or more .....	681	4 537	27	201	577	3 710	680	4 737	289
Wheel tractors .....	5 092	11 767	621	786	4 833	10 981	5 206	12 862	1 197
2 or 3 .....	2 362	5 661	111	235	2 251	5 397	2 225	5 165	357
4 or more .....	802	4 178	7	48	738	3 740	1 062	5 778	144
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) .....	3 315	5 155	271	289	3 141	4 866	3 648	5 766	535
40 horsepower (PTO) or more .....	3 236	6 612	384	497	3 040	6 115	3 065	7 096	662
40 to 99 horsepower (PTO) .....	3 075	5 346	341	404	2 865	4 942	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
100 horsepower (PTO) or more .....	647	1 266	69	93	621	1 173	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Grain and bean combines .....	230	254	12	13	220	241	360	419	20
Cotton pickers and strippers .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Mower conditioners .....	1 970	2 183	374	387	1 655	1 796	2 002	2 228	567
Pickup balers .....	2 126	2 514	284	316	1 949	2 198	2 232	2 563	279

**Table 14. Petroleum Products Expenses: 1997, 1992, and 1987**

[Data are based on a sample of farms. For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	1997		1992	1987
	Farms	Expenses (\$1,000)		
Petroleum products .....				
farms..	5 494	(X)	5 435	5 857
\$1,000..		14 829	15 276	12 827
(X)		2 699	2 811	2 190
Average per farm .....				
farms..	4 479	(X)	4 645	5 232
\$1,000..		5 758	6 043	6 421
(X)		1 286	1 301	1 227
Gasoline and gasohol .....				
farms..				
\$1,000..				
(X)				
Average per farm .....				
Farms with expenses of—				
\$1 to \$499 .....	2 568	450	2 369	2 580
\$500 to \$999 .....	664	433	789	976
\$1,000 to \$1,999 .....	550	693	652	781
\$2,000 to \$4,999 .....	433	1 267	559	666
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	190	1 205	193	172
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	59	809	72	49
\$25,000 or more .....	15	901	11	8
Diesel fuel .....				
farms..	3 647	(X)	3 301	3 268
\$1,000..		5 896	5 996	4 252
(X)		1 617	1 816	1 301
Average per farm .....				
Farms with expenses of—				
\$1 to \$499 .....	2 115	358	1 821	1 799
\$500 to \$999 .....	477	315	468	517
\$1,000 to \$1,999 .....	411	569	330	425
\$2,000 to \$4,999 .....	354	1 059	366	360
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	185	1 272	204	124
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	81	1 130	92	40
\$25,000 or more .....	24	1 194	20	3
Natural gas .....				
farms..	88	(X)	101	87
\$1,000..		61	138	105
(X)		693	1 368	1 212
Average per farm .....				
Farms with expenses of—				
\$1 to \$99 .....	6	(Z)	17	9
\$100 to \$499 .....	67	9	28	34
\$500 to \$999 .....	1	(D)	20	16
\$1,000 to \$1,999 .....	3	4	8	23
\$2,000 to \$4,999 .....	8	21	20	3
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	2	(D)	7	1
\$10,000 or more .....	1	(D)	1	1
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc. ....				
farms..	3 756	(X)	3 977	4 128
\$1,000..		3 114	3 099	2 049
(X)		829	779	496
Average per farm .....				
Farms with expenses of—				
\$1 to \$99 .....	1 425	66	1 499	1 649
\$100 to \$499 .....	1 409	288	1 414	1 678
\$500 to \$999 .....	370	251	389	403
\$1,000 to \$1,999 .....	239	314	337	218
\$2,000 to \$4,999 .....	205	611	235	132
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	60	372	76	32
\$10,000 or more .....	48	1 214	27	16

**Table 15. Agricultural Chemicals Used, Including Fertilizer: 1997, 1992, and 1987**

[Data are based on a sample of farms. For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Chemicals used	1997	1992	1987
Any chemicals or fertilizer used <sup>1</sup> .....	farms..	3 379	3 631
Commercial fertilizer .....	farms..	3 031	3 181
acres on which used..		234 911	257 402
\$1,000..		16 537	18 543
Agricultural chemicals .....	farms..	2 346	2 366
\$1,000..		17 435	16 197
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—			
Insects on hay and other crops .....	farms..	1 449	1 692
acres on which used..		113 473	133 702
Nematodes in crops .....	farms..	92	143
acres on which used..		4 923	13 401
Diseases in crops and orchards .....	farms..	869	885
acres on which used..		86 353	87 945
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture .....	farms..	1 428	1 482
acres on which used..		149 286	146 504
Chemicals used on crops to control growth, thin fruit, or defoliate .....	farms..	383	560
acres on which used..		45 461	61 640
			552
			53 000

<sup>1</sup>Data for 1987 include farms on which lime was applied alone or together with fertilizer and/or chemicals.

**Table 16. Tenure and Characteristics of Operator and Type of Organization for All Farms and Farms Operated by Black and Other Races: 1997, 1992, and 1987**

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

Characteristics	All farms			Farms operated by Black and other races <sup>1</sup>		
	1997	1992	1987	1997	1992	1987
<b>Tenure of operator:</b>						
All operators .....	5 810 1 211 648	5 776 1 258 297	6 269 1 342 588	20 8 691	9 (D) 7	20 4 343 15
Harvested cropland .....	4 875 403 014	5 141 399 755	5 486 410 891	19 1 830	(D)	1 901
Full owners .....	3 829 584 716	3 733 594 887	4 211 712 238	16 7 927	7 475	15 (D)
Harvested cropland .....	3 106 110 407	3 197 113 226	3 516 149 468	15 1 588	5 43	10 (D)
Part owners .....	1 654 586 987	1 774 629 696	1 786 595 137	4 764	2 (D) 2	2 (D)
Harvested cropland .....	1 552 270 696	1 704 264 759	1 716 243 734	4 242	(D)	2 (D)
Tenants .....	327 39 945	269 33 714	272 35 213	—	—	3 2 200
Harvested cropland .....	217 21 911	240 21 770	254 17 689	—	—	3 1 200
Percent of tenancy .....	5.6	4.7	4.3	—	—	15.0
<b>Operators by place of residence:</b>						
On farm operated .....	4 727 717 366	4 798 667 311	5 276 654 339	16 1 3	8 1 —	15 4 1
Not on farm operated .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Not reported .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
<b>Operators by principal occupation:</b>						
Farming .....	2 872	2 981	3 220	12	5	17
Other .....	2 938	2 795	3 049	8	4	3
<b>Operators by days worked off farm:</b>						
None .....	2 246	2 331	2 275	6	3	9
Any .....	3 263	3 144	3 653	13	6	11
1 to 49 days .....	409	386	436	1	—	1
50 to 99 days .....	234	182	240	5	—	3
100 to 149 days .....	231	248	287	1	1	—
150 to 199 days .....	431	471	437	1	1	3
200 days or more .....	1 958	1 857	2 253	5	4	4
Not reported .....	301	301	341	1	—	—
<b>Operators by years on present farm:</b>						
2 years or less .....	208	187	267	2	1	5
3 or 4 years .....	280	341	402	1	1	—
5 to 9 years .....	781	852	1 039	5	2	1
10 years or more .....	3 713	3 585	3 680	8	2	9
Average years on present farm .....	20.5	19.6	18.8	9.9	6.7	13.4
Not reported .....	828	811	881	4	3	5
<b>Operators by age group:</b>						
Under 25 years .....	39	47	53	—	—	—
25 to 34 years .....	286	407	611	—	1	3
35 to 44 years .....	1 113	1 278	1 469	6	3	2
45 to 49 years .....	824	773	763	4	2	6
50 to 54 years .....	794	720	757	3	—	3
55 to 59 years .....	727	655	760	4	2	1
60 to 64 years .....	636	630	622	1	1	2
65 to 69 years .....	522	468	566	2	—	1
70 years and over .....	869	798	668	—	—	2
Average age .....	54.4	53.0	51.7	50.1	47.2	50.3
<b>Operators by sex:</b>						
Male .....	4 991 1 128 669	5 082 1 178 788	5 705 1 267 935	11 7 792	6 (D) 3	17 4 137 3
Female .....	819 82 979	694 79 509	564 74 653	9 899	(D)	206
<b>Operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin (see text) .....</b>						
farms..	36	9	16	1	1	3
acres..	7 740	706	4 676	(D)	(D)	409
Operators not of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin .....	5 015	4 168	4 300	16	6	6
Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin not reported .....	759	1 599	1 953	3	2	11
<b>Type of organization:</b>						
Individual or family (sole proprietorship) .....	5 064 896 406	5 063 945 823	5 594 1 059 102	16 1 626	8 581	16 2 068
Partnership .....	306	325	350	1	—	1
Corporation .....	106 220 403	102 705 352	110 356 300	(D) 1	— (D)	2
Family held:						
More than 10 stockholders .....	4 (D)	3 (D)	3 (D)	—	—	—
10 or less stockholders .....	358 (D)	313 (D)	278 143 827	1 (D)	— (D)	2 (D)
Other than family held:						
More than 10 stockholders .....	5 (D)	4 (D)	1 (D)	—	1 (D)	—
10 or less stockholders .....	36 (D)	32 (D)	18 (D)	—	—	—
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. ....	9 525 37	36 36	25 25	2 (D)	— (D)	1 (D)
farms..	18 308	20 514	14 800	(D)	—	—
acres..						

<sup>1</sup>For classification of social and ethnic groups, see text.

**Table 17. Selected Characteristics of Farms by Specified Racial Groups, Sex of Operators, and Persons of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin: 1997 and 1992**

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

Characteristics	Farms operated by specified racial groups					Operators by sex		Operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin <sup>1</sup>
	Total	Black	American Indian	Asian or Pacific Islander	Other (see text)	Female	Male	
<b>F FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS</b>								
Farms .....	20	2	10	6	2	819	4 991	36
1992..	9	1	6	1	1	694	5 082	9
Land in farms .....	8 691	(D)	7 707	(D)	(D)	82 979	1 128 669	7 740
1992..	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	79 509	1 178 788	706
Harvested cropland .....	19	2	9	6	2	611	4 264	26
1992..	7	1	4	1	1	539	4 602	8
acres, 1997..	1 830	(D)	1 548	117	(D)	22 206	380 808	1 949
1992..	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	16 883	382 872	129
<b>1997 FARMS BY SIZE</b>								
1 to 9 acres .....	3	—	—	3	—	159	374	1
10 to 49 acres .....	4	1	1	1	1	261	923	7
50 to 139 acres .....	7	1	5	1	—	241	1 452	15
140 to 219 acres .....	2	—	2	—	—	58	687	6
220 to 499 acres .....	3	—	1	1	1	77	1 036	3
500 acres or more .....	1	—	1	—	—	23	519	4
<b>1997 OWNED AND RENTED LAND IN FARMS</b>								
Owned land in farms .....	farms..	20	2	10	6	778	4 705	34
acres..	8 475	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	72 668	913 234	6 900
Rented or leased land in farms .....	farms..	4	—	3	—	154	1 827	9
acres..	216	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	10 311	215 435	840
<b>TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>								
Full owners .....	farms, 1997..	16	2	7	6	665	3 164	27
1992..	7	1	4	1	1	558	3 175	7
acres, 1997..	7 927	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	57 492	527 224	5 127
1992..	475	(D)	298	(D)	(D)	55 976	538 911	(D)
Part owners .....	farms, 1997..	4	—	3	—	113	1 541	7
1992..	2	—	2	—	—	105	1 669	1
acres, 1997..	764	—	(D)	—	(D)	23 593	563 394	(D)
1992..	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	22 164	607 532	(D)
Tenants .....	farms, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	41	286
1992..	—	—	—	—	—	—	31	238
acres, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—	1 894	38 051
1992..	—	—	—	—	—	—	1 369	32 345
<b>1997 FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION</b>								
Individual or family (sole proprietorship) .....	16	1	7	6	2	737	4 327	30
Partnership .....	1	1	—	—	—	42	264	4
Family held corporation .....	1	—	1	—	—	34	328	2
Other than family held corporation .....	—	—	—	—	—	5	36	—
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc., .....	2	—	2	—	—	1	36	—
<b>1997 MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD</b>								
Total sales.....	farms..	20	2	10	6	819	4 991	36
\$1,000..	1 440	(D)	(D)	88	(D)	17 801	420 872	1 831
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops .....	farms..	17	2	8	5	486	3 413	19
\$1,000..	1 368	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	8 910	203 319	(D)
Livestock, poultry, and their products.....	farms..	5	—	3	1	339	2 086	20
\$1,000..	72	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	8 891	217 553	(D)
Farms by value of sales:								
Less than \$1,000 .....	1	—	1	—	—	211	809	7
\$1,000 to \$2,499 .....	2	—	1	—	1	157	746	8
\$2,500 to \$9,999 .....	7	1	4	2	—	211	1 283	7
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....	3	—	—	2	1	95	526	3
\$20,000 to \$24,999 .....	1	—	—	1	—	27	150	1
\$25,000 or more .....	6	1	4	1	—	118	1 477	10
<b>1997 FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM</b>								
Oilseed and grain farming (1111) .....	—	—	—	—	—	21	158	1
Vegetable and melon farming (1112) .....	2	—	1	1	—	51	682	2
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113) .....	2	—	2	—	—	97	708	2
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114) .....	5	1	1	3	—	183	521	4
Other crop farming (1119) .....	8	1	1	1	2	122	1 102	6
Tobacco farming (11191) .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton farming (11192) .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199) .....	8	1	4	1	2	122	1 102	6
Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111) .....	—	—	—	—	—	50	649	4
Cattle feedlots (112112) .....	1	—	—	1	—	4	91	—
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212) .....	—	—	—	—	—	34	501	7
Hog and pig farming (1122) .....	—	—	—	—	—	9	62	2
Poultry and egg production (1123) .....	—	—	—	—	—	17	87	—
Sheep and goat farming (1124) .....	—	—	—	—	—	60	133	1
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129) .....	2	—	2	—	—	171	297	7

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 17. Selected Characteristics of Farms by Specified Racial Groups, Sex of Operators, and Persons of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin: 1997 and 1992—Con.**

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

Characteristics	Farms operated by specified racial groups					Operators by sex		Operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin <sup>1</sup>
	Total	Black	American Indian	Asian or Pacific Islander	Other (see text)	Female	Male	
<b>1997 OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS</b>								
Operators by place of residence:								
On farm operated .....	16	2	7	5	2	692	4 035	30
Not on farm operated .....	1	—	—	1	—	84	633	3
Not reported .....	3	—	3	—	—	43	323	3
Operators by principal occupation:								
Farming .....	12	1	7	3	1	394	2 478	23
Other .....	8	1	3	3	1	425	2 513	13
Operators by days worked off farm:								
None .....	6	1	2	2	1	330	1 916	20
Any .....	13	1	7	4	1	452	2 811	13
1 to 99 days .....	6	—	4	1	1	107	536	2
100 to 199 days .....	2	—	1	1	—	121	541	3
200 days or more .....	5	1	2	2	—	224	1 734	8
Not reported .....	1	—	1	—	—	37	264	3
Operators by years on present farm:								
2 years or less .....	2	—	2	—	—	52	156	1
3 or 4 years .....	1	—	—	1	—	58	222	—
5 to 9 years .....	5	2	—	3	—	163	618	10
10 years or more .....	8	—	6	1	1	434	3 279	19
Average years on present farm .....	9.9	(D)	(D)	6.2	(D)	15.7	21.3	20.6
Not reported .....	4	—	2	1	1	112	716	6
Operators by age group:								
Under 25 years .....	—	—	—	—	—	2	37	—
25 to 34 years .....	—	—	—	—	—	34	252	3
35 to 44 years .....	6	—	5	1	—	197	916	6
45 to 54 years .....	7	1	4	1	1	241	1 377	10
55 to 59 years .....	4	1	1	2	—	115	612	4
60 to 64 years .....	1	—	—	—	1	60	576	1
65 to 69 years .....	2	—	—	2	—	60	462	5
70 years and over .....	—	—	—	—	—	110	759	7
Average age .....	50.1	(D)	44.0	56.2	(D)	53.3	54.6	54.8
Operators by sex:								
Male .....	11	2	6	1	2	(X)	4 991	28
Female .....	9	—	4	5	—	819	(X)	8
Operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin (see text) .....	1	—	1	—	—	8	28	36
<b>1997 COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS</b>								
Amount received from Commodity Credit								
Corporation loans .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	12	—
\$1,000..		—	—	—	—	—	24	—
Government payments received .....	farms..	1	—	1	—	—	72	862
\$1,000..	(D)	—	(D)	—	—	130	2 848	30

<sup>1</sup>See chapter 1, table 16 for operators not of or not reporting Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin.

**Table 18. Selected Characteristics of Farms by North American Industry Classification System: 1997**

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

NAICS code (see text)	Farms	Land in farms (acres)	Harvested cropland (acres)	Estimated market value of selected capital assets <sup>1</sup> , average per farm (dollars)		Market value of agricultural products sold (\$1,000)		
				Land and buildings	Machinery and equipment	Total	Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops	Livestock, poultry, and their products
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>5 810</b>	<b>1 211 648</b>	<b>403 014</b>	<b>251 074</b>	<b>48 697</b>	<b>438 673</b>	<b>212 229</b>	<b>226 444</b>
Crop production (111) .....	3 645	763 263	248 355	248 797	47 534	211 043	209 553	1 490
Oilseed and grain farming (1111) .....	179	42 931	5 676	155 910	29 989	1 174	1 112	62
Soybean farming (11111) .....	1	(D)	(D)	—	—	(D)	(D)	—
Oilseed (except soybean) farming (11112) .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Dry pea and bean farming (11113) .....	18	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	743	740	3
Wheat farming (11114) .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Corn farming (11115) .....	13	4 527	1 762	138 129	39 774	(D)	(D)	44
Rice farming (11116) .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other grain farming (11119) .....	147	35 255	2 523	155 977	27 382	252	237	15
Vegetable and melon farming (11121) .....	733	282 154	139 155	367 104	110 681	121 820	121 408	413
Potato farming (111211) .....	442	242 350	125 705	451 574	153 751	105 170	104 889	281
Other vegetable (except potato) and melon farming (111219) .....	291	39 804	13 450	246 951	49 417	16 650	16 518	132
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113) .....	805	158 482	30 942	259 245	33 702	46 651	46 590	61
Orange groves (11131) .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Citrus (except orange) groves (11132) .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Noncitrus fruit and tree nut farming (11133) .....	805	158 482	30 942	259 245	33 702	46 651	46 590	61
Apple orchards (111331) .....	160	20 738	4 979	289 132	37 132	11 429	11 422	7
Grape vineyards (111332) .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Strawberry farming (111333) .....	36	3 372	477	162 667	72 550	774	764	10
Berry (except strawberry) farming (111334) .....	555	130 216	24 608	268 891	32 439	32 200	32 183	18
Tree nut farming (111335) .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Fruit and tree nut combination farming (111336) .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other noncitrus fruit farming (111339) .....	54	4 156	878	178 090	23 698	2 248	2 221	26
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114) .....	704	55 773	8 446	171 038	30 378	29 729	29 677	52
Food crops grown under cover (11141) .....	17	598	33	111 500	8 575	352	348	4
Nursery and floriculture production (11142) .....	687	55 175	8 413	171 691	30 617	29 377	29 329	48
Nursery and tree production (111421) .....	306	37 764	6 731	210 117	32 095	11 153	11 146	7
Floriculture production (111422) .....	381	17 411	1 682	149 137	29 749	18 224	18 182	42
Other crop farming (1119) .....	1 224	223 923	64 136	236 594	32 797	11 669	10 766	903
Tobacco farming (11191) .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton farming (11192) .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sugarcane farming (11193) .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hay farming (11194) .....	964	188 606	59 766	246 823	35 514	7 550	6 818	732
All other crop farming (11199) .....	260	35 317	4 370	200 464	23 225	4 118	3 948	170
Animal production (112) .....	2 165	448 385	154 659	255 296	50 850	227 630	2 676	224 954
Cattle ranching and farming (1121) .....	1 329	372 205	142 828	292 537	59 791	106 447	2 298	104 149
Beef cattle ranching and farming, including feedlots (11211) .....	794	145 459	34 943	200 901	31 061	6 265	842	5 422
Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111) .....	699	124 110	30 831	190 237	31 318	5 108	805	4 304
Cattle feedlots (112112) .....	95	21 349	4 112	303 486	28 594	1 156	38	1 118
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212) .....	535	226 746	107 885	442 088	106 679	100 182	1 456	98 726
Hog and pig farming (1122) .....	71	6 718	1 092	189 371	26 163	1 145	(D)	(D)
Poultry and egg production (1123) .....	104	11 625	3 349	382 312	84 854	73 952	201	73 751
Chicken egg production (11231) .....	83	10 642	3 277	413 045	92 886	72 960	154	72 807
Broilers and other meat-type chicken production (11232) .....	2	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	264
Turkey production (11233) .....	9	(D)	47	134 300	14 800	283	19	—
Poultry hatcheries (11234) .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other poultry production (11239) .....	10	474	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Sheep and goat farming (1124) .....	193	20 822	2 663	163 984	24 751	672	50	622
Sheep farming (11241) .....	159	18 350	2 398	179 827	26 548	490	41	449
Goat farming (11242) .....	34	2 472	265	81 018	15 342	183	9	174
Animal aquaculture (1125) .....	30	1 738	(D)	230 056	126 870	22 559	(D)	(D)
Other animal production (1129) .....	438	35 277	(D)	170 487	29 338	22 854	105	22 749
Apiculture (11291) .....	20	575	(D)	51 591	13 105	169	18	151
Horse and other equine production (11292) .....	347	28 406	4 135	178 054	33 441	1 379	25	1 353
Fur-bearing animal and rabbit production (11293) .....	11	337	3	69 909	9 200	(D)	(D)	(D)
All other animal production (11299) .....	60	5 959	503	216 314	20 169	(D)	(D)	(D)

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

**Table 19. Selected Characteristics of Reservations and Abnormal Farms: 1997 and 1992**

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

Characteristics	1997		1992	Characteristics	1997		1992
	Reser-vations	Abnormal farms	Reser-vations and abnormal farms <sup>1</sup>		Reser-vations	Abnormal farms	Reser-vations and abnormal farms <sup>1</sup>
Farms .....	1	8	7	Total farm production expenses <sup>2 3</sup> .....	\$1,000..	(D)	606
Land in farms <sup>2</sup> .....	(D)	2 613	5 800	Average per farm .....	dollars..	(D)	75 755
Average size of farm .....	(D)	327	829	Government payments received <sup>2</sup> .....	farms..	—	—
Estimated market value of land and buildings <sup>2 3</sup> .....	\$1,000..	(D)	4 907	\$1,000..	—	—	—
Average per farm .....	(D)	613 379	1 397 354	Average per farm .....	dollars..	—	—
Average per acre .....	(D)	1 878	1 686	Other farm-related income <sup>2 3</sup> .....	farms..	—	—
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment <sup>2 3</sup> .....	\$1,000..	(D)	687	\$1,000..	—	—	1
Land in farms according to use: <sup>2</sup>				Average per farm .....	dollars..	—	(D)
Total cropland .....	farms..	1	6	Tenure of operator:			
Acres .....	(D)	1 264	1 650	Full owners .....		1	6
Harvested cropland .....	farms..	1	6	Part owners .....		—	2
Acres .....	(D)	737	996	Tenants .....		—	3
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing .....	farms..	—	2	Farms by North American Industry Classification System:			
Acres .....	(D)	—	3	Oilseed and grain farming (1111) .....		—	1
Other cropland .....	farms..	—	4	Vegetable and melon farming (1112) .....		—	(NA)
Acres .....	(D)	—	574	Fruit and tree nut farming (1113) .....		—	2
Total woodland .....	farms..	—	4	Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114) .....		—	(NA)
Acres .....	(D)	1 077	3 248	Other crop farming (1119) .....		1	(NA)
Woodland pastured .....	farms..	—	1	Tobacco farming (11191) .....		—	(NA)
Acres .....	(D)	—	—	Cotton farming (11192) .....		—	(NA)
Woodland not pastured .....	farms..	—	4	Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199) .....		1	—
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured .....	farms..	—	1	Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111) .....		—	(NA)
Acres .....	(D)	—	(D)	Cattle feedlots (112112) .....		—	(NA)
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. ....	farms..	—	7	Dairy cattle and milk production (11212) .....		—	(NA)
Acres .....	(D)	—	(D)	Hog and pig farming (1122) .....		—	1
Irrigated land .....	farms..	—	3	Poultry and egg production (1123) .....		—	(NA)
Acres .....	(D)	—	49	Sheep and goat farming (1124) .....		—	(NA)
Market value of agricultural products sold <sup>2</sup> .....	\$1,000..	(D)	489	Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129) .....		—	2
Average per farm .....	dollars..	(D)	61 065				(NA)
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops .....	\$1,000..	(D)	307				
Livestock, poultry, and their products .....	\$1,000..	(D)	182				

<sup>1</sup>In 1992 reservations were included in abnormal farms.

<sup>2</sup>Data have been adjusted to exclude the agricultural activity of American Indians farming on reservations that were counted individually.

<sup>3</sup>Data are based on a sample of farms.

**Table 20. Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1997 and 1992**

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

Item	1997		1992		Item	1997		1992	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
<b>INVENTORY</b>									
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older (see text) .....	554	6 134 383	562	5 200 911	<b>SALES</b>				
Layers 20 weeks old and older .....	532	5 019 263	545	4 410 202	Layers 20 weeks old and older .....	73	5 057 931	82	3 837 857
Farms with inventory of—					Pullet chicks and pullets less than 20 weeks old .....	29	1 919 707	32	2 045 715
1 to 49 .....	436	7 291	453	7 412	Broilers and other meat-type chickens .....	73	199 416	74	638 163
50 to 99 .....	51	3 081	42	2 482	Farms by number sold—				
100 to 399 .....	19	3 120	9	(D)	1 to 1,999 .....	68	(D)	65	(D)
400 to 3,199 .....	4	5 600	7	8 075	2,000 to 15,999 .....	3	26 800	1	—
3,200 to 9,999 .....	1	(D)	4	29 000	16,000 to 29,999 .....	—	—	4	98 000
10,000 to 19,999 .....	5	74 389	9	116 722	30,000 to 59,999 .....	—	—	—	—
20,000 to 49,999 .....	12	345 326	17	560 099	60,000 to 99,999 .....	2	(D)	1	(D)
50,000 to 99,999 .....	1	(D)	3	185 162	100,000 to 199,999 .....	—	—	3	454 000
100,000 or more .....	3	(D)	1	(D)	200,000 to 299,999 .....	—	—	—	—
Pullets 13 weeks old and older but less than 20 weeks old (see text) .....	109	1 115 120	99	790 709	300,000 to 499,999 .....	—	—	—	—
Pullet chicks and pullets less than 13 weeks old .....	28	940 959	32	821 019	500,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—
Broilers and other meat-type chickens .....	114	42 370	96	52 576	500,000 to 749,999 .....	—	—	—	—
Turkeys .....	109	2 049	113	2 530	750,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—
For slaughter .....	95	1 879	101	2 437	Turkeys .....	99	9 364	83	7 218
Hens kept for breeding .....	25	170	18	93	For slaughter .....	96	9 351	83	(D)
Ducks, geese, and other poultry .....	183	(X)	160	(X)	Hens kept for breeding .....	5	13	1	(D)

**Table 21. Layers, Pullets, and Pullet Chicks—Number Sold: 1997 and 1992**

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

Item	1997		1992		Item	1997		1992	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Layers 20 weeks old and older .....	73	5 057 931	82	3 837 857	Pullet chicks and pullets less than 20 weeks old .....	29	1 919 707	32	2 045 715
Farms by number sold—					Farms by number sold—				
1 to 99 .....	45	1 018	41	739	1 to 1,999 .....	9	(D)	7	283
100 to 399 .....	2	(D)	4	500	2,000 to 15,999 .....	—	—	2	(D)
400 to 3,199 .....	3	3 782	2	(D)	16,000 to 29,999 .....	2	(D)	2	(D)
3,200 to 9,999 .....	1	(D)	7	48 667	30,000 to 59,999 .....	7	294 313	10	410 632
10,000 to 19,999 .....	9	123 730	6	80 083	60,000 to 99,999 .....	5	391 000	6	465 800
20,000 to 49,999 .....	9	242 926	19	576 443	100,000 or more .....	6	1 190 000	5	1 105 000
50,000 to 99,999 .....	1	(D)	2	(D)					
100,000 or more .....	3	(D)	1	(D)					

**Table 22. Poultry—Inventory and Sales by Farms With Layers and Pullets 13 Weeks Old and Older: 1997**

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

Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text)	Inventory											
	Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older (see text)								Pullet chicks and pullets less than 13 weeks old	Broilers and other meat-type chickens		
	Total		Layers 20 weeks old and older		Pullets 13 weeks old and older but less than 20 weeks old							
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number				
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>554</b>	<b>6 134 383</b>	<b>532</b>	<b>5 019 263</b>	<b>109</b>	<b>1 115 120</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>246 762</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>3 896</b>		
Farms with inventory of—												
1 to 49 .....	441	7 899	428	7 081	70	818	11	167	69	2 397		
50 to 99 .....	53	3 305	53	2 901	15	404	—	—	7	475		
100 to 399 .....	25	4 040	25	3 510	9	530	2	(D)	8	1 024		
400 to 1,599 .....	3	2 600	3	2 600	—	—	—	—	—	—		
1,600 to 3,199 .....	1	(D)	1	(D)	—	—	—	—	—	—		
3,200 to 9,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
10,000 to 19,999 .....	7	97 246	6	83 175	3	14 071	2	(D)	—	—		
20,000 to 49,999 .....	14	399 625	11	312 326	4	87 299	2	(D)	—	—		
50,000 to 99,999 .....	7	459 000	2	(D)	6	(D)	1	(D)	—	—		
100,000 or more .....	3	(D)	3	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	—	—		
No layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older as of Dec. 31, 1997 .....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	8	694 197	30	38 474		
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text)	Sales											
	Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks (see text)								Broilers and other meat-type chickens	Poultry and poultry products		
	Total		Layers 20 weeks old and older		Pullet chicks and pullets less than 20 weeks old							
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number				
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>5 763 741</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>(D)</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>(D)</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>11 598</b>	<b>307</b>	<b>69 979</b>		
Farms with inventory of—												
1 to 49 .....	31	829	28	702	5	127	36	2 412	200	81		
50 to 99 .....	10	282	10	(D)	1	(D)	6	(D)	50	(D)		
100 to 399 .....	4	290	3	(D)	2	(D)	5	(D)	22	154		
400 to 1,599 .....	2	(D)	2	(D)	—	—	—	—	3	48		
1,600 to 3,199 .....	1	(D)	1	(D)	—	—	—	—	1	(D)		
3,200 to 9,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
10,000 to 19,999 .....	7	89 285	6	(D)	1	(D)	—	—	7	1 737		
20,000 to 49,999 .....	14	385 705	11	236 705	3	149 000	—	—	14	8 273		
50,000 to 99,999 .....	7	634 000	2	(D)	5	(D)	—	—	7	2 584		
100,000 or more .....	3	(D)	3	(D)	—	—	—	—	3	56 997		
No layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older as of Dec. 31, 1997 .....	19	1 213 897	7	(D)	12	(D)	26	187 818	89	3 321		

**Table 23. Turkeys—Number Sold: 1997**

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

Turkeys	Total		Turkeys sold for slaughter		Sales of hens kept for breeding	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Total sold .....	99	9 364	96	9 351	5	13
Farms by number of turkeys sold—						
1 to 1,999 .....	98	(D)	95	(D)	5	13
2,000 to 7,999 .....	1	(D)	1	(D)	—	—
8,000 to 15,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
16,000 to 29,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
30,000 to 59,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
60,000 to 99,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—

**Table 24. Cattle and Calves—Inventory: 1997 and 1992**

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

Item	1997		1992		Item	1997		1992	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Cattle and calves .....	1 921	101 695	2 110	104 511	Cows and heifers that had calved—Con.				
Farms with—					Milk cows .....				
1 to 9 .....	616	3 005	656	3 095	Farms with—				
10 to 19 .....	326	4 443	388	5 296	1 to 9 .....	685	40 749	836	42 737
20 to 49 .....	408	12 286	423	12 751	10 to 19 .....	156	387	197	475
50 to 99 .....	271	19 302	329	22 922	20 to 49 .....	36	495	41	(D)
100 to 199 .....	201	26 823	218	28 694	50 to 99 .....	193	6 602	256	9 057
200 to 499 .....	83	24 274	89	25 940	100 to 199 .....	202	13 599	242	15 608
500 to 999 .....	14	(D)	5	(D)	200 to 499 .....	68	9 272	78	10 411
1,000 to 2,499 .....	2	(D)	2	(D)	500 to 999 .....	26	7 464	20	4 979
2,500 to 4,999 .....	—	—	—	—	1,000 or more .....	3	(D)	2	(D)
5,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	1,000 or more .....	1	(D)	—	—
Cows and heifers that had calved .....	1 588	52 531	1 779	54 149	Heifers and heifer calves .....	1 432	39 222	1 662	41 354
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 to 9 .....	698	2 810	791	(D)	1 to 9 .....	680	(D)	818	3 073
10 to 19 .....	237	3 036	250	3 298	10 to 19 .....	208	2 790	241	(D)
20 to 49 .....	325	10 387	363	12 145	20 to 49 .....	303	9 390	349	10 880
50 to 99 .....	220	14 859	263	16 964	50 to 99 .....	161	11 001	172	11 052
100 to 199 .....	76	10 389	89	11 782	100 to 199 .....	59	7 880	65	8 336
200 to 499 .....	28	8 070	21	5 222	200 to 499 .....	19	4 345	15	3 502
500 to 999 .....	3	(D)	2	(D)	500 to 999 .....	2	(D)	2	(D)
1,000 to 2,499 .....	1	(D)	—	—	1,000 to 2,499 .....	—	—	—	—
2,500 or more .....	—	—	—	—	2,500 or more .....	—	—	—	—
Beef cows .....	1 035	11 782	1 098	11 412	Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves .....	1 320	9 942	1 398	9 008
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 to 9 .....	667	2 684	735	2 871	1 to 9 .....	1 088	3 662	1 176	3 631
10 to 19 .....	200	2 521	218	2 789	10 to 19 .....	139	1 739	134	1 683
20 to 49 .....	141	3 939	116	3 254	20 to 49 .....	73	2 016	69	1 878
50 to 99 .....	20	1 339	18	(D)	50 to 99 .....	13	872	14	933
100 to 199 .....	5	(D)	10	1 206	100 to 199 .....	4	561	4	(D)
200 to 499 .....	2	(D)	1	(D)	200 to 499 .....	2	(D)	1	(D)
500 to 999 .....	—	—	—	—	500 to 999 .....	1	(D)	—	—
1,000 to 2,499 .....	—	—	—	—	1,000 to 2,499 .....	—	—	—	—
2,500 or more .....	—	—	—	—	2,500 or more .....	—	—	—	—

**Table 25. Cattle and Calves—Sales: 1997 and 1992**

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

Number sold	1997			1992		
	Farms	Number	Value (\$1,000)	Farms	Number	Value (\$1,000)
Cattle and calves .....	1 631	37 889	10 222	1 831	40 873	14 273
Farms by number sold—						
1 to 9 .....	808	(D)	1 345	858	3 575	1 589
10 to 19 .....	302	4 044	1 364	352	4 752	1 811
20 to 49 .....	331	10 014	2 465	402	12 355	4 010
50 to 99 .....	128	8 490	1 934	160	10 608	3 420
100 to 199 .....	48	6 346	1 999	50	6 570	2 454
200 to 499 .....	13	3 750	(D)	8	(D)	(D)
500 to 999 .....	—	—	—	1	(D)	(D)
1,000 to 2,499 .....	1	(D)	(D)	—	—	—
2,500 to 4,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
5,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cattle, including calves weighing 500 pounds or more .....	1 358	18 168	8 938	1 616	20 527	12 040
Farms by number sold—						
1 to 9 .....	861	3 297	1 606	1 003	4 132	2 221
10 to 19 .....	255	3 282	1 518	326	4 303	2 334
20 to 49 .....	172	4 817	2 271	219	6 379	3 662
50 to 99 .....	44	2 914	1 423	53	3 268	1 986
100 to 199 .....	21	2 693	1 402	12	1 563	1 256
200 to 499 .....	5	1 165	718	3	882	581
500 to 999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,000 to 2,499 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
2,500 to 4,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
5,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cattle fattened on grain and concentrates for slaughter .....	256	2 699	1 751	354	3 229	2 134
Farms by number sold—						
1 to 9 .....	209	649	414	287	871	511
10 to 19 .....	27	334	203	35	427	241
20 to 49 .....	10	(D)	168	19	544	381
50 to 99 .....	4	293	(D)	9	505	429
100 to 199 .....	3	(D)	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
200 to 499 .....	3	715	505	2	(D)	(D)
500 to 999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,000 to 2,499 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
2,500 to 4,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
5,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Calves weighing less than 500 pounds .....	991	19 721	1 284	1 153	20 346	2 233
Farms by number sold—						
1 to 9 .....	468	1 822	309	558	2 123	413
10 to 19 .....	203	2 627	267	236	3 109	404
20 to 49 .....	242	6 894	481	271	7 881	795
50 to 99 .....	59	3 764	153	70	4 341	352
100 to 199 .....	13	1 537	(D)	14	1 657	100
200 to 499 .....	5	(D)	38	4	1 235	169
500 to 999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,000 or more .....	1	(D)	(D)	—	—	—

**Table 26. Cattle and Calves Herd Size by Inventory and Sales: 1997**

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

Herd size	Cattle and calves inventory							Cattle and calves sales			
	Total		Cows and heifers that had calved		Heifers and heifer calves		Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>1 921</b>	<b>101 695</b>	<b>1 588</b>	<b>52 531</b>	<b>1 432</b>	<b>39 222</b>	<b>1 320</b>	<b>9 942</b>	<b>1 577</b>	<b>36 655</b>	<b>9 692</b>
Farms with herd size of—											
1 to 9 .....	616	3 005	422	1 245	294	742	410	1 018	303	(D)	(D)
10 to 19 .....	326	4 443	277	2 054	244	1 313	257	1 076	318	2 016	815
20 to 49 .....	408	12 286	352	5 842	350	4 336	310	2 108	389	4 998	1 953
50 to 99 .....	271	19 302	251	10 198	254	7 042	174	2 062	268	7 005	1 875
100 to 199 .....	201	26 823	191	13 514	195	11 875	103	1 434	200	8 198	1 866
200 to 499 .....	83	24 274	80	13 227	80	9 679	52	1 368	83	8 361	1 901
500 to 999 .....	14	(D)	13	(D)	13	(D)	12	(D)	14	4 333	662
1,000 to 2,499 .....	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
2,500 to 4,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
5,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
No cattle and calves herd as of Dec. 31, 1997 .....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	54	1 234	530

**Table 27. Cow Herd Size by Inventory and Sales: 1997**

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

Cow herd <sup>1</sup>	Cattle and calves inventory								Cattle and calves sales		
	Total		Cows and heifers that had calved		Heifers and heifer calves		Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Value (\$1,000)
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>1 588</b>	<b>94 661</b>	<b>1 588</b>	<b>52 531</b>	<b>1 224</b>	<b>34 978</b>	<b>1 083</b>	<b>7 152</b>	<b>1 366</b>	<b>32 937</b>	<b>7 544</b>
Farms with cow herd size of—											
1 to 9 .....	698	7 791	698	2 810	458	2 785	511	2 196	493	3 069	1 251
10 to 19 .....	237	5 985	237	3 036	176	1 837	184	1 112	229	(D)	828
20 to 49 .....	325	18 334	325	10 387	279	6 231	212	1 716	316	6 125	1 663
50 to 99 .....	220	26 427	220	14 859	207	10 247	109	1 321	220	8 460	1 748
100 to 199 .....	76	18 817	76	10 389	74	7 909	43	519	76	5 881	1 085
200 to 499 .....	28	12 513	28	8 070	26	4 204	20	239	28	4 328	782
500 to 999 .....	3	(D)	3	(D)	3	(D)	3	(D)	3	2 575	(D)
1,000 to 2,499.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
2,500 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
No cow herd as of Dec. 31, 1997 .....	333	7 034	(X)	(X)	208	4 244	237	2 790	265	4 952	2 678

<sup>1</sup>Cow herd includes beef cows, milk cows, and heifers that had calved.

**Table 28. Beef Cow Herd Size by Inventory and Sales: 1997**

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

Beef cow herd	Cattle and calves inventory											
	Total		Cows and heifers that had calved				Heifers and heifer calves			Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves		
			Total		Beef cows							
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Number	
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>1 035</b>	<b>30 153</b>	<b>1 035</b>	<b>16 157</b>	<b>1 035</b>	<b>11 782</b>	<b>711</b>	<b>8 604</b>	<b>793</b>	<b>5 392</b>		
Farms with beef herd size of—												
1 to 9 .....	667	10 085	667	4 458	667	2 684	440	3 521	488	2 106		
10 to 19 .....	200	5 631	200	2 911	200	2 521	144	1 661	163	1 059		
20 to 49 .....	141	8 092	141	4 830	141	3 939	105	1 941	118	1 321		
50 to 99 .....	20	4 349	20	2 659	20	1 339	16	1 014	18	676		
100 to 199 .....	5	(D)	5	(D)	5	(D)	4	(D)	4	(D)		
200 to 499 .....	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)		
500 to 999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
1,000 to 2,499.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
2,500 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
No beef cow herd as of Dec. 31, 1997 .....	886	71 542	553	36 374	(X)	(X)	721	30 618	527	4 550		
Beef cow herd	Cattle and calves sales											
	Total			Cattle				Calves				
				Total		Fattened on grain and concentrates						
	Farms	Number	Value (\$1,000)	Farms	Number	Value (\$1,000)	Farms	Number	Value (\$1,000)	Farms	Number	
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>847</b>	<b>10 110</b>	<b>3 717</b>	<b>683</b>	<b>6 129</b>	<b>3 036</b>	<b>186</b>	<b>1 420</b>	<b>863</b>	<b>425</b>	<b>3 981</b>	<b>681</b>
Farms with beef herd size of—												
1 to 9 .....	489	3 397	1 213	388	2 027	1 024	96	292	184	227	1 370	189
10 to 19 .....	194	2 214	779	159	1 335	606	46	241	155	102	879	173
20 to 49 .....	137	2 760	1 020	111	1 459	767	30	286	173	83	1 301	253
50 to 99 .....	20	1 220	533	19	(D)	(D)	11	521	302	11	(D)	(D)
100 to 199 .....	5	(D)	(D)	5	(D)	(D)	2	(D)	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
200 to 499 .....	2	(D)	(D)	1	(D)	(D)	1	(D)	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
500 to 999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,000 to 2,499.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
2,500 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
No beef cow herd as of Dec. 31, 1997 .....	784	27 779	6 505	675	12 039	5 902	70	1 279	888	566	15 740	603

**Table 29. Milk Cow Herd Size by Inventory and Sales: 1997**

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

Milk cow herd	Cattle and calves inventory										
	Total		Cows and heifers that had calved				Heifers and heifer calves		Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves		
			Total		Milk cows						
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>685</b>	<b>73 871</b>	<b>685</b>	<b>41 810</b>	<b>685</b>	<b>40 749</b>	<b>624</b>	<b>29 564</b>	<b>394</b>	<b>2 497</b>	
Farms with milk cow herd size of—											
1 to 9 .....	156	2 419	156	858	156	387	124	1 007	122	554	
10 to 19 .....	36	1 129	36	590	36	495	31	454	18	85	
20 to 49 .....	193	12 265	193	6 779	193	6 602	179	4 829	103	657	
50 to 99 .....	202	24 455	202	13 753	202	13 599	195	10 023	93	679	
100 to 199 .....	68	17 024	68	9 351	68	9 272	67	7 354	36	319	
200 to 499 .....	26	(D)	26	(D)	26	7 464	24	(D)	18	(D)	
500 to 999 .....	3	2 794	3	1 630	3	(D)	3	1 135	3	29	
1,000 or more .....	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	
No milk cow herd as of Dec. 31, 1997 .....	1 236	27 824	903	10 721	(X)	(X)	808	9 658	926	7 445	
Cattle and calves sales											
Milk cow herd	Total			Cattle			Calves			Dairy product sales	
	Farms	Number	Value (\$1,000)	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number		
	<b>633</b>	<b>24 764</b>	<b>4 292</b>	<b>562</b>	<b>9 163</b>	<b>534</b>	<b>15 601</b>	<b>553</b>	<b>94 388</b>		
Farms with milk cow herd size of—											
1 to 9 .....	111	948	333	84	586	69	362	24	(D)		
10 to 19 .....	34	344	(D)	32	(D)	30	(D)	36	577		
20 to 49 .....	188	3 833	752	169	1 601	162	2 232	193	12 295		
50 to 99 .....	202	7 391	1 276	183	2 846	181	4 545	202	29 359		
100 to 199 .....	68	5 314	921	64	1 863	65	3 451	68	22 287		
200 to 499 .....	26	4 259	755	26	1 622	24	2 637	26	21 455		
500 to 999 .....	3	(D)	132	3	(D)	3	(D)	3	4 858		
1,000 or more .....	1	(D)	(D)	1	(D)	—	(D)	—	(D)	1	
No milk cow herd as of Dec. 31, 1997 .....	998	13 125	5 930	796	9 005	457	4 120	12	1 032		

**Table 30. Cattle and Calves—Number Sold Per Farm by Sales: 1997**

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

Number sold	Cattle and calves			Cattle						Calves weighing less than 500 pounds		
				Total		Fattened on grain and concentrates						
	Farms	Number	Value (\$1,000)	Farms	Number	Value (\$1,000)	Farms	Number	Value (\$1,000)	Farms	Number	Value (\$1,000)
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>1 631</b>	<b>37 889</b>	<b>10 222</b>	<b>1 358</b>	<b>18 168</b>	<b>8 938</b>	<b>256</b>	<b>2 699</b>	<b>1 751</b>	<b>991</b>	<b>19 721</b>	<b>1 284</b>
Farms by number of cattle and calves sold—												
1 to 9 .....	808	(D)	1 345	642	(D)	1 127	147	406	267	351	(D)	218
10 to 19 .....	302	4 044	1 364	261	2 283	1 141	53	292	177	200	1 761	223
20 to 49 .....	331	10 014	2 465	274	4 295	2 013	33	400	246	275	5 719	452
50 to 99 .....	128	8 490	1 934	119	3 636	1 687	14	386	209	118	4 854	246
100 to 199 .....	48	6 346	1 999	48	3 696	1 905	5	490	340	37	2 650	94
200 to 499 .....	13	3 750	(D)	13	2 034	(D)	4	725	512	9	1 716	(D)
500 to 999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,000 to 2,499 .....	1	(D)	(D)	1	(D)	(D)	—	—	—	1	(D)	(D)
2,500 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

**Table 31. Hogs and Pigs—Inventory: 1997 and 1992**

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

Hogs and pigs	1997		1992	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Total hogs and pigs .....	341	5 977	377	4 768
Farms with—				
1 to 24 .....	310	1 451	344	1 670
25 to 49 .....	8	266	14	467
50 to 99 .....	12	751	9	582
100 to 199 .....	7	921	7	880
200 to 499 .....	2	(D)	2	(D)
500 to 999 .....	1	(D)	1	(D)
1,000 to 1,999 .....	1	(D)	—	—
2,000 to 4,999 .....	—	—	—	—
5,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding .....	137	(D)	153	1 037
Farms with—				
1 to 24 .....	124	465	140	512
25 to 49 .....	8	217	11	(D)
50 to 99 .....	2	(D)	1	(D)
100 to 199 .....	3	374	1	(D)
200 to 499 .....	—	—	—	—
500 or more .....	—	—	—	—
Other hogs and pigs .....	302	(D)	345	3 731
Farms with—				
1 to 24 .....	278	1 249	317	1 355
25 to 49 .....	10	396	13	443
50 to 99 .....	5	336	8	485
100 to 199 .....	5	582	4	491
200 to 499 .....	2	(D)	2	(D)
500 to 999 .....	2	(D)	1	(D)
1,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—

**Table 32. Hogs and Pigs—Sales: 1997 and 1992**

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

Hogs and pigs	1997			1992		
	Farms	Number	Value (\$1,000)	Farms	Number	Value (\$1,000)
Total hogs and pigs sold .....	261	9 226	1 360	258	9 308	787
Farms with—						
1 to 24 .....	209	1 392	208	193	1 204	184
25 to 49 .....	19	(D)	71	33	1 150	131
50 to 99 .....	14	915	83	21	1 275	137
100 to 199 .....	7	957	99	2	(D)	(D)
200 to 499 .....	8	2 305	179	7	2 103	150
500 to 999 .....	3	1 947	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
1,000 to 1,999 .....	1	(D)	(D)	—	—	—
2,000 to 4,999 .....	—	—	—	1	(D)	(D)
5,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
5,000 to 7,499 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
7,500 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Feeder pigs sold .....	53	(D)	(D)	72	5 941	194
Farms with—						
1 to 9 .....	10	(D)	(D)	22	(D)	(D)
10 to 24 .....	16	222	9	13	206	8
25 to 49 .....	8	299	13	18	639	26
50 to 99 .....	9	633	28	11	690	26
100 to 199 .....	6	781	34	1	(D)	(D)
200 to 499 .....	4	1 376	46	6	1 706	58
500 to 999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,000 or more .....	—	—	—	1	(D)	(D)
1,000 to 1,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
2,000 or more .....	—	—	—	1	(D)	(D)
Hogs and pigs other than feeder pigs sold .....	245	(D)	(D)	229	3 367	593
Farms with—						
1 to 24 .....	212	1 276	222	197	1 083	196
25 to 49 .....	18	601	74	19	624	121
50 to 99 .....	6	388	58	8	(D)	(D)
100 to 199 .....	5	734	99	4	502	117
200 to 499 .....	1	(D)	(D)	—	—	—
500 to 999 .....	2	(D)	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
1,000 to 1,999 .....	1	(D)	(D)	—	—	—
2,000 to 4,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
5,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
5,000 to 7,499 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
7,500 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—

**Table 33. Hogs and Pigs—Litters Farrowed: 1997 and 1992**

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

Litters	1997			1992		
	Farms	Number of litters	Farms	Number of litters		
Litters farrowed between Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30 .....	153	(D)	167		1 207	
Farms with—						
1 to 9 .....	129	323	142		366	
10 to 19 .....	8	105	13		(D)	
20 to 49 .....	8	184	8		255	
50 to 99 .....	6	314	3		176	
100 to 199 .....	1	(D)	—		—	
200 to 499 .....	1	(D)	1		(D)	
500 to 999 .....	—	—	—		—	
1,000 or more .....	—	—	—		—	
Dec. 1 of preceding year and May 31 .....	133	980	149		683	
June 1 and Nov. 30 .....	92	(D)	102		524	

**Table 34. Hogs and Pigs Herd Size by Inventory and Sales: 1997**

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

Herd size	Hogs and pigs inventory						Hogs and pigs sales					
	Total		Used or to be used for breeding		Other hogs and pigs		Total			Feeder pigs		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Value (\$1,000)	Farms	Number	Value (\$1,000)
Total inventory .....	341	5 977	137	(D)	302	(D)	205	8 189	1 270	48	3 196	125
Farms with—												
1 to 24 .....	310	1 451	109	301	273	1 150	174	1 996	235	30	749	29
25 to 49 .....	8	266	7	114	152	8	1 038	80	6	625	23	
50 to 99 .....	12	751	11	158	12	593	12	1 273	163	3	374	14
100 to 199 .....	7	921	6	253	6	668	7	1 423	82	6	1 126	46
200 to 499 .....	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
500 to 999 .....	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)	—	—	—
1,000 to 1,999 .....	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
2,000 to 4,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
5,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
No hogs or pigs on Dec. 31, 1997 .....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	56	1 037	90	5	(D)	(D)

**Table 35. Hogs and Pigs—Inventory and Sales by Number Sold Per Farm: 1997**

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

Hogs and pigs	Hogs and pigs inventory						Hogs and pigs sales					
	Total		Used or to be used for breeding		Other hogs and pigs		Total			Feeder pigs		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Value (\$1,000)	Farms	Number	Value (\$1,000)
<b>Total sold .....</b>	<b>205</b>	<b>5 647</b>	<b>116</b>	<b>1 132</b>	<b>175</b>	<b>4 515</b>	<b>261</b>	<b>9 226</b>	<b>1 360</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>3 372</b>	<b>133</b>
Farms with sales of—												
1 to 9 .....	106	576	38	80	100	496	145	520	94	3	(D)	(D)
10 to 24 .....	52	426	34	86	340	38	64	872	113	19	220	9
25 to 49 .....	16	452	16	111	12	341	19	(D)	71	6	161	8
50 to 99 .....	14	590	12	126	10	464	14	915	83	11	535	21
100 to 199 .....	6	447	5	80	5	367	7	957	99	5	440	24
200 to 499 .....	8	1 192	8	311	7	881	8	2 305	179	7	1 455	47
500 to 999 .....	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	3	1 947	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
1,000 or more .....	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
1,000 to 1,999 .....	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
2,000 to 4,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
5,000 to 7,499 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
7,500 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
None sold .....	136	330	21	(D)	127	(D)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)

**Table 36. Hogs and Pigs—Inventory, Sales, and Litters by Total Litters Farrowed: 1997**

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

Litters farrowed	Hogs and pigs inventory						Hogs and pigs sales					
	Total		Used or to be used for breeding		Other hogs and pigs		Total			Feeder pigs		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Value (\$1,000)	Farms	Number	Value (\$1,000)
Total litters farrowed .....	145	(D)	137	(D)	106	3 936	131	7 931	1 196	52	3 322	(D)
Farms with—												
1 to 9 .....	122	1 086	114	329	86	757	107	2 002	190	36	820	32
10 to 19 .....	7	343	7	(D)	6	(D)	8	(D)	(D)	5	(D)	21
20 to 49 .....	8	647	8	194	7	453	8	1 144	101	5	600	23
50 to 99 .....	6	1 224	6	308	5	916	6	2 204	175	5	1 431	50
100 to 199 .....	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
200 to 499 .....	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)	—	—	—
500 to 999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
No litters farrowed .....	196	(D)	—	—	196	(D)	130	1 295	165	1	(D)	(D)
Litters farrowed between Dec. 1, 1996, and Nov. 30, 1997												
Litters farrowed	Total			Dec. 1, 1996, and May 31, 1997			June 1, 1997, and Nov. 30, 1997					
	Farms	Litters		Farms	Litters		Farms	Litters				
Total litters farrowed .....	153	(D)		133			980			92	(D)	
Farms with—												
1 to 9 .....	129	323		109			215			69	108	
10 to 19 .....	8	105		8			(D)			8	(D)	
20 to 49 .....	8	184		8			90			8	94	
50 to 99 .....	6	314		6			177			5	137	
100 to 199 .....	1	(D)		1			(D)			1	(D)	
200 to 499 .....	1	(D)		1			(D)			1	(D)	
500 to 999 .....	—	—		—			—			—	—	
1,000 or more .....	—	—		—			—			—	—	

**Table 37. Sheep and Lambs—Inventory, Shorn, and Sales: 1997 and 1992**

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

Item	1997			1992		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Sheep and lambs inventory .....	426	10 603			457	12 541
Farms with—						
1 to 24 .....	304	2 664			325	3 194
25 to 99 .....	108	5 125			107	4 638
100 to 299 .....	13	(D)			22	3 699
300 to 999 .....	1	(D)			3	1 010
1,000 to 2,499 .....	—	—			—	—
2,500 to 4,999 .....	—	—			—	—
5,000 or more .....	—	—			—	—
Ewes 1 year old or older .....	379	6 488			407	7 742
Sheep and lambs shorn .....	352	8 572			390	10 748
Pounds of wool .....	(X)	65 654			(X)	81 478
Sheep and lambs sold .....	355	7 970			387	10 334
Value of sales from sheep, lambs, and wool (\$1,000) .....	407	578			436	720

**Table 38. Sheep and Lambs—Inventory, Shorn, and Sales by Size of Flock: 1997**

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

Sheep and lambs inventory	Sheep and lambs inventory				Sheep and lambs shorn				Sales			
	Total		Ewes 1 year old or older						Sheep and lambs		Sheep, lambs, and wool	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Pounds of wool	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Value (\$1,000)
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>426</b>	<b>10 603</b>	<b>379</b>	<b>6 488</b>	<b>344</b>	<b>8 411</b>	<b>64 232</b>	<b>333</b>	<b>7 604</b>	<b>385</b>	<b>560</b>	
Farms with inventory of—												
1 to 24 .....	304	2 664	259	1 671	225	2 097	16 251	211	2 185	263	150	
25 to 99 .....	108	5 125	107	3 056	106	4 181	28 832	108	3 746	108	257	
100 to 299 .....	13	(D)	12	(D)	12	(D)	(D)	13	(D)	13	(D)	
300 to 999 .....	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	
1,000 to 2,499 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
2,500 to 4,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
5,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
No sheep and lambs as of Dec. 31, 1997 .....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	8	161	1 422	22	366	22	18	

**Table 39. Ewes 1 Year Old or Older—Inventory, Shorn, and Sales by Size of Ewe Flock: 1997**

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

Ewes 1 year old or older inventory	Sheep and lambs inventory				Sheep and lambs shorn			Sales			
	Total		Ewes 1 year old or older					Sheep and lambs		Sheep, lambs, and wool	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Pounds of wool	Farms	Number	Farms	Value (\$1,000)
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>379</b>	<b>10 164</b>	<b>379</b>	<b>6 488</b>	<b>336</b>	<b>8 380</b>	<b>64 047</b>	<b>308</b>	<b>7 190</b>	<b>357</b>	<b>530</b>
Farms with inventory of—											
1 to 24 .....	308	4 286	308	2 428	265	3 388	24 722	237	3 550	286	243
25 to 99 .....	65	4 167	65	2 857	65	3 660	27 541	65	2 629	65	184
100 to 199 .....	4	(D)	4	(D)	4	(D)	(D)	4	(D)	4	(D)
200 to 499 .....	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
500 to 999 .....	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
1,000 to 2,499 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
2,500 to 4,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
5,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
No ewes 1 year old or older as of Dec. 31, 1997 .....	47	439	(X)	(X)	16	192	1 607	47	780	50	48

**Table 40. Other Livestock and Livestock Products—Inventory and Sales: 1997 and 1992**

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

Item	Inventory		Sales	
	1997	1992	1997	1992
Horses and ponies.....	farms..	1 014	1 046	214 233
	number..	5 750	5 745	810 819
\$1,000..	(X)	(X)	(X)	1 411 901
Mules, burros, and donkeys .....	farms..	67	60	8 3
	number..	110	105	25 4
\$1,000..	(X)	(X)	(X)	9 1
Colonies of bees.....	farms..	176	218	6 10
	number..	5 510	4 411	515 (D)
Honey sold.....	farms..	(X)	(X)	55 61
	pounds..	(X)	(X)	166 177 197 515
Bees and honey sold .....	farms..	(X)	(X)	60 64
\$1,000..	(X)	(X)	(X)	182 130
Goats .....	farms..	214	173	66 47
	number..	2 214	1 220	657 416
Angora goats.....	farms..	26	23	5 9
	number..	137	129	(D) 69
Mohair sold .....	farms..	(X)	(X)	12 14
	pounds..	(X)	(X)	649 1 132
Angora goats and mohair sold .....	farms..	(X)	(X)	14 17
\$1,000..	(X)	(X)	(X)	5 6
Milk goats.....	farms..	83	75	29 27
	number..	846	554	232 223
Goats milk sold .....	farms..	(X)	(X)	17 30
	gallons..	(X)	(X)	54 512 37 380
Milk goats and goats milk sold .....	farms..	(X)	(X)	35 44
\$1,000..	(X)	(X)	(X)	173 183
Other goats .....	farms..	143	109	37 19
	number..	1 231	537	(D) 124
\$1,000..	(X)	(X)	(X)	34 10
Mink and their pelts .....	farms..	2	1	1 1
	number..	(D)	(D)	(D) (D)
\$1,000..	(X)	(X)	(X)	
Rabbits and their pelts .....	farms..	97	126	41 59
	number..	3 400	7 093	16 979 35 410
\$1,000..	(X)	(X)	(X)	111 251
Fish and other aquaculture products sold .....	farms..	(X)	(X)	35 21
\$1,000..	(X)	(X)	(X)	22 561 7 463
Other livestock and livestock products .....	farms..	73	30	47 25
\$1,000..	(X)	(X)	(X)	(D) (D)

**Table 41. Specified Crops Harvested—Yield Per Acre Irrigated and Nonirrigated: 1997**

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

Crop	Entire crop irrigated			Part of crop irrigated			None of crop irrigated			
	Farms	Acres	Average yield per acre	Farms	Acres irrigated	Acres not irrigated	Average yield per acre	Farms	Acres	Average yield per acre
Corn for grain or seed (bushels) .....	7	(D)	(D)	1	(D)	(D)	(D)	41	3 364	105.2
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green) .....	4	(D)	(D)	2	(D)	(D)	(D)	326	27 147	16.3
Sorghum for grain or seed (bushels) .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wheat for grain (bushels) .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	15	551	59.7
Oats for grain (bushels) .....	1	(D)	(D)	—	—	—	—	271	(D)	(D)
Barley for grain (bushels) .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	195	28 163	62.8
Rice (cwt) .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Soybeans for beans (bushels) .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	18	804	26.1
Peanuts for nuts (pounds) .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Dry edible beans, excluding dry limas (cwt) .....	6	6	11.2	—	—	—	—	55	978	10.0
Cotton (bales) .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco (pounds) .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Potatoes, excluding sweetpotatoes (cwt) .....	44	1 200	262.1	56	7 434	11 730	282.0	486	52 721	261.2
Sugar beets for sugar (tons) .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sugarcane for sugar (tons) .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry) .....	2	(D)	(D)	2	(D)	(D)	(D)	239	8 925	2.1
Tame hay other than alfalfa, small grain, and wild hay (tons, dry) (see text) .....	9	122	1.7	3	55	195	2.1	1 993	119 096	1.6
Wild hay (tons, dry) .....	10	45	.9	—	—	—	—	657	28 889	1.1
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text) .....	146	977	(X)	66	4 688	1 848	(X)	399	4 232	(X)
Land in orchards .....	31	100	(X)	6	225	(D)	(X)	297	(D)	(X)

**Table 42. Specified Crops by Acres Harvested: 1997 and 1992**

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

Crop	1997					1992				
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Irrigated land		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Irrigated land	
				Farms	Acres				Farms	Acres
Corn for grain or seed (bushels).....	49	3 604	(D)	8	(D)	46	2 739	266 755	1	(D)
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green).....	332	27 537	447 405	6	(D)	438	28 254	454 228	3	8
1 to 14 acres .....	53	(D)	(D)	4	10	95	(D)	(D)	2	(D)
15 to 24 acres .....	51	948	13 133	—	—	57	1 106	18 162	—	—
25 to 49 acres .....	61	2 056	32 141	—	—	100	3 407	52 867	1	(D)
50 to 99 acres .....	73	5 146	83 332	1	(D)	92	6 496	106 002	—	—
100 to 249 acres .....	69	10 143	167 104	—	—	81	12 144	195 401	—	—
250 to 499 acres .....	24	8 218	137 611	1	(D)	11	3 270	55 100	—	—
500 to 999 acres .....	1	(D)	(D)	—	—	2	(D)	(D)	—	—
1,000 acres or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Oats for grain (bushels).....	272	22 364	1 643 127	1	(D)	320	24 277	2 014 920	1	(D)
1 to 14 acres .....	80	508	25 630	1	(D)	76	(D)	(D)	—	—
15 to 24 acres .....	29	527	32 660	—	—	44	832	55 005	—	—
25 to 49 acres .....	35	1 192	73 759	—	—	54	1 881	142 905	—	—
50 to 99 acres .....	49	3 420	246 074	—	—	62	3 914	308 170	1	(D)
100 to 249 acres .....	58	8 377	619 754	—	—	69	9 975	818 476	—	—
250 to 499 acres .....	15	4 570	350 100	—	—	10	3 301	305 585	—	—
500 to 999 acres .....	6	3 770	295 150	—	—	4	2 500	239 400	—	—
1,000 acres or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	1	(D)	(D)	—	—
Potatoes, excluding sweetpotatoes (cwt).....	586	73 085	19 490 474	100	8 634	770	87 650	25 008 230	59	5 562
0.1 to 0.9 acres .....	61	21	3 240	11	(D)	70	23	3 426	10	2
1.0 to 4.9 acres .....	76	152	29 620	24	39	74	163	31 201	7	12
5.0 to 14.9 acres .....	53	442	84 949	4	28	54	442	109 698	3	22
15.0 to 24.9 acres .....	19	339	80 072	1	(D)	40	757	183 728	1	(D)
25.0 to 49.9 acres .....	54	1 910	471 206	5	139	75	2 752	672 385	1	(D)
50.0 to 99.9 acres .....	63	4 689	1 133 733	4	91	125	8 944	2 397 634	2	(D)
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....	167	26 425	6 920 606	20	1 995	243	37 471	10 431 497	16	1 512
250.0 to 499.9 acres .....	69	22 681	6 158 085	16	2 040	67	21 504	6 296 655	11	1 639
500.0 acres or more .....	24	16 425	4 608 963	15	4 281	22	15 594	4 882 006	8	2 201
500.0 to 749.9 acres .....	17	9 981	2 862 406	9	2 530	14	7 888	2 218 675	5	1 401
750.0 to 999.9 acres .....	5	(D)	(D)	4	(D)	4	3 433	1 146 330	1	(D)
1,000.0 acres or more .....	2	(D)	(D)	2	(D)	4	4 273	1 517 001	2	(D)
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) (tons, dry).....	2 810	214 005	332 039	26	958	3 119	214 129	332 197	18	160
1 to 14 acres .....	553	4 539	6 846	15	45	583	4 819	7 148	7	24
15 to 24 acres .....	433	8 015	10 756	4	70	517	9 595	13 446	1	(D)
25 to 49 acres .....	634	21 881	30 481	2	(D)	718	24 373	34 013	2	(D)
50 to 99 acres .....	513	33 923	49 947	2	(D)	587	38 714	60 180	2	(D)
100 to 249 acres .....	493	73 598	118 058	1	(D)	569	83 524	133 890	5	48
250 to 499 acres .....	160	52 583	87 235	1	(D)	129	40 873	69 780	1	(D)
500 to 999 acres .....	17	10 321	16 443	—	—	12	7 553	6 610	—	—
1,000 acres or more .....	7	9 145	12 273	1	(D)	4	4 678	7 130	—	—
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....	6	(D)	(D)	—	—	4	4 678	7 130	—	—
2,000 to 2,999 acres .....	1	(D)	(D)	1	(D)	—	—	—	—	—
3,000 to 4,999 acres .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
5,000 acres or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry).....	243	10 459	20 116	4	(D)	774	34 582	57 802	5	19
Small grain hay (tons, dry).....	85	3 886	5 334	1	(D)	87	1 993	3 317	1	(D)
Tame hay other than alfalfa, small grain, and wild hay (see text) (tons, dry).....	2 005	119 468	187 105	12	177	1 940	117 143	177 301	7	73
1 to 14 acres .....	391	3 255	4 986	5	9	348	2 820	4 430	3	6
15 to 24 acres .....	302	5 652	7 982	2	(D)	301	5 549	8 210	1	(D)
25 to 49 acres .....	500	17 240	24 486	2	(D)	481	16 091	24 101	1	(D)
50 to 99 acres .....	413	27 315	43 309	2	(D)	411	26 648	42 332	2	(D)
100 to 249 acres .....	348	49 278	79 586	1	(D)	341	46 052	73 116	—	—
250 to 499 acres .....	47	14 548	22 956	—	—	51	15 957	22 136	—	—
500 to 999 acres .....	4	2 180	3 800	—	—	7	4 026	2 976	—	—
1,000 acres or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wild hay (tons, dry).....	667	28 934	33 129	10	45	593	21 166	24 293	3	(D)
Grass silage, haylage, and green chop hay (tons, green).....	482	51 258	259 069	1	(D)	430	39 245	208 447	3	14
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text) .....	611	11 745	(X)	212	5 665	582	10 251	(X)	139	2 376
0.1 to 0.9 acres .....	121	(D)	(X)	41	18	111	55	(X)	29	14
1.0 to 4.9 acres .....	246	546	(X)	83	166	221	505	(X)	58	106
5.0 to 14.9 acres .....	127	1 017	(X)	40	211	135	1 050	(X)	18	104
15.0 to 24.9 acres .....	37	693	(X)	21	251	41	751	(X)	14	134
25.0 to 49.9 acres .....	45	1 522	(X)	13	240	45	1 502	(X)	9	154
50.0 to 99.9 acres .....	26	1 795	(X)	10	549	15	1 036	(X)	4	117
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....	7	895	(X)	2	(D)	9	1 472	(X)	4	449
250.0 to 499.9 acres .....	—	—	(X)	—	—	1	(D)	(X)	—	—
500.0 to 749.9 acres .....	—	—	(X)	—	—	2	(D)	(X)	2	(D)
750.0 to 999.9 acres .....	—	—	(X)	—	—	1	(D)	(X)	—	—
1,000.0 acres or more .....	2	(D)	(X)	2	(D)	1	(D)	(X)	1	(D)
1,000.0 to 1,999.9 acres .....	1	(D)	(X)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(X)	1	(D)
2,000.0 to 2,999.9 acres .....	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	(X)	—	—
3,000.0 acres or more .....	1	(D)	(X)	1	(D)	—	—	(X)	—	—
Sweet corn .....	303	2 366	(X)	91	671	337	2 400	(X)	55	401
Green peas, excluding green cowpeas .....	151	2 057	(X)	30	50	159	2 753	(X)	33	35
Berries harvested for sale .....	820	(D)	(X)	143	(D)	870	23 658	(X)	112	1 298
Tame blueberries (pounds).....	68	319	605 675	24	43	97	882	1 564 462	14	75
Wild blueberries (pounds).....	569	23 693	70 253 178	23	3 874	589	22 234	71 843 383	22	1 005

**Table 42. Specified Crops by Acres Harvested: 1997 and 1992—Con.**

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

Crop	1997					1992				
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Irrigated land		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Irrigated land	
				Farms	Acres				Farms	Acres
Land in orchards .....	334	5 170	(X)	37	325	396	6 463	(X)	26	84
0.1 to 0.9 acres .....	36	(D)	(X)	13	5	45	19	(X)	7	2
1.0 to 4.9 acres .....	157	343	(X)	17	42	182	373	(X)	14	24
5.0 to 14.9 acres .....	74	596	(X)	1	(D)	86	701	(X)	2	(D)
15.0 to 24.9 acres .....	19	339	(X)	2	(D)	23	389	(X)	1	(D)
25.0 to 49.9 acres .....	21	707	(X)	2	(D)	28	926	(X)	1	(D)
50.0 to 99.9 acres .....	19	1 155	(X)	1	(D)	15	1 029	(X)	1	(D)
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....	6	855	(X)	—	—	14	1 865	(X)	—	—
250.0 to 499.9 acres .....	1	(D)	(X)	—	—	2	(D)	(X)	—	—
500.0 to 749.9 acres .....	1	(D)	(X)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(X)	—	—
750.0 to 999.9 acres .....	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	(X)	—	—
1,000.0 acres or more .....	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	(X)	—	—
1,000.0 to 1,999.9 acres .....	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	(X)	—	—
2,000.0 to 2,999.9 acres .....	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	(X)	—	—
3,000.0 acres or more .....	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	(X)	—	—

**Table 43. Specified Fruits and Nuts by Acres: 1997 and 1992**

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

Crop	Total			Trees or vines of nonbearing age		Trees or vines of bearing age		Harvested	
	Farms	Acres	Trees or vines	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Pounds
Apples .....	332	5 117	563 333	204	42 033	303	521 300	248	61 128 647
1997 .....	388	6 341	531 926	225	68 672	353	463 254	276	75 181 308
1997 acres harvested:									
0.1 to 0.9 acres .....	46	16	1 278	32	670	34	608	20	14 255
1.0 to 4.9 acres .....	146	315	20 460	95	4 912	133	15 548	103	865 488
5.0 to 14.9 acres .....	73	584	52 658	45	8 889	69	43 769	59	3 740 779
15.0 to 24.9 acres .....	21	378	30 673	8	1 318	21	29 355	20	3 796 800
25.0 to 49.9 acres .....	19	653	63 275	10	8 329	19	54 946	19	6 617 860
50.0 to 99.9 acres .....	19	1 155	114 837	7	6 435	19	108 402	19	12 667 885
100.0 acres or more .....	8	2 016	280 152	7	11 480	8	268 672	8	33 425 580
1992 acres harvested:									
0.1 to 0.9 acres .....	57	23	1 577	37	739	41	838	30	20 524
1.0 to 4.9 acres .....	168	337	17 372	100	5 812	152	11 560	101	705 679
5.0 to 14.9 acres .....	81	656	52 372	42	7 936	78	44 436	66	3 680 772
15.0 to 24.9 acres .....	24	407	29 367	11	2 543	24	26 824	22	3 511 180
25.0 to 49.9 acres .....	27	914	78 115	12	6 231	27	71 884	26	8 116 664
50.0 to 99.9 acres .....	14	979	68 709	8	3 251	14	65 458	14	12 136 324
100.0 acres or more .....	17	3 025	284 414	15	42 160	17	242 254	17	47 010 165

**Table 44. Nursery and Greenhouse Crops, Cut Christmas Trees Harvested, Mushrooms, and Sod Grown for Sale by Value of Sales: 1997 and 1992**

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

Crop	Under glass or other protection			In the open		Sales	
	Farms	Square feet		Farms	Acres	Farms	Value (\$1,000)
Nursery and greenhouse crops, cut Christmas trees harvested, mushrooms, and sod grown for sale (see text) .....	475	3 152 467		601	7 116	926	29 852
1997 .....	430	2 729 865		284	1 597	568	20 823
1997 value of sales:							
\$1 to \$2,499 sales .....	92	69 690		285	1 844	349	285
\$2,500 to \$9,999 sales .....	115	200 954		122	1 153	213	1 117
\$10,000 to \$39,999 sales .....	160	735 714		120	1 188	228	4 868
\$40,000 to \$99,999 sales .....	62	671 035		32	891	71	4 281
\$100,000 to \$199,999 sales .....	16	300 372		15	496	24	3 285
\$200,000 to \$499,999 sales .....	25	633 582		22	771	33	8 494
\$500,000 sales or more .....	5	541 120		5	775	8	7 522
1992 value of sales:							
\$1 to \$2,499 sales .....	91	64 928		84	70	152	158
\$2,500 to \$9,999 sales .....	119	229 022		84	163	162	897
\$10,000 to \$39,999 sales .....	133	681 558		66	226	150	3 187
\$40,000 to \$99,999 sales .....	43	518 760		28	345	53	3 270
\$100,000 to \$199,999 sales .....	30	708 183		10	(D)	31	4 215
\$200,000 to \$499,999 sales .....	9	225 096		8	574	14	4 209
\$500,000 sales or more .....	5	302 318		4	(D)	6	4 888
Floriculture crops—bedding/garden plants, cut flowers and cut florist greens, foliage and potted flowering plants, total .....	404	2 618 133		211	246	504	18 000
1992 .....	377	2 335 667		172	241	447	13 835
Bedding/garden plants .....	377	2 088 135		151	170	442	13 918
1992 .....	345	1 700 872		82	104	364	9 446
Foliage plants .....	27	61 916		3	(D)	28	389
1992 .....	29	95 088		10	29	37	730
Potted flowering plants .....	84	377 429		24	(D)	104	2 965
1992 .....	84	481 579		29	33	100	2 977
Cut Christmas trees harvested .....	1997 .....	(X)	(X)	208	167	208	2 888

**Table 44. Nursery and Greenhouse Crops, Cut Christmas Trees Harvested, Mushrooms, and Sod Grown for Sale by Value of Sales: 1997 and 1992—Con.**

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

Crop	Under glass or other protection		In the open		Sales	
	Farms	Square feet	Farms	Acres	Farms	Value (\$1,000)
Nursery and greenhouse crops, cut Christmas trees harvested, mushrooms, and sod grown for sale (see text)—Con.						
Nursery crops .....	1997..	15	291 575	91	830	4 749
	1992..	33	165 829	123	899	5 323

**Table 45. Farms by Concentration of Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997**

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

Characteristics	All farms	Fewest number of farms accounting for—			
		10 percent of sales	25 percent of sales	50 percent of sales	75 percent of sales
Farms .....	5 810	2	10	107	455
number..	100.0	(Z)	.2	1.8	7.8
Land in farms .....	1 211 648	(D)	27 434	151 560	352 045
acres..	209	(D)	2 743	1 416	774
Average size of farm .....					
acres..					
Estimated market value of land and buildings <sup>1</sup> .....	5 801	2	10	107	439
farms..	1 456 482	(D)	49 518	164 661	356 763
\$1,000..	251 074	(D)	4 951 844	1 538 892	812 671
Average per farm .....	1 190	(D)	1 805	1 086	1 026
dollars..					
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment <sup>1</sup> .....	282 151	(D)	9 891	42 473	97 948
\$1,000..	100.0	(D)	3.5	15.1	34.7
Land in farms according to use:					
Total cropland .....	539 966	—	20 202	96 382	218 621
acres..	403 014	—	12 085	79 339	183 040
Harvested cropland .....					
Pastureland, excluding woodland pastured .....	93 018	—	—	3 088	12 748
Market value of agricultural products sold .....	\$1,000..	438 673	(D)	112 570	219 353
Average per farm .....	dollars..	75 503	(D)	11 257 001	2 050 024
Market value of agricultural products sold .....	\$1,000..				329 079
Average per farm .....	dollars..				723 250
Grains .....	farms..	407	—	1	42
\$1,000..	6 793	—	(D)	2 314	5 335
Cotton and cottonseed .....	farms..	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco .....	farms..	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—
Hay, silage, and field seeds .....	farms..	1 574	—	—	11
\$1,000..	9 747	—	—	181	69
\$1,000..					1 901
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons .....	farms..	611	—	1	15
\$1,000..	16 974	—	(D)	(D)	53
Fruits, nuts, and berries .....	farms..	963	—	2	12
\$1,000..	47 118	—	(D)	27 254	31 997
Nursery and greenhouse crops .....	farms..	926	—	—	7
\$1,000..	29 852	—	—	6 722	16 542
Other crops .....	farms..	813	—	1	43
\$1,000..	101 745	—	(D)	38 226	80 936
Poultry and poultry products .....	farms..	396	1	3	11
\$1,000..	73 299	(D)	56 997	65 003	71 165
Dairy products .....	farms..	565	—	1	25
\$1,000..	95 420	—	(D)	27 856	64 636
Cattle and calves .....	farms..	1 631	—	1	29
\$1,000..	10 222	—	(D)	1 022	3 237
Hogs and pigs .....	farms..	261	—	—	1
\$1,000..	1 360	—	—	(D)	6
Sheep, lambs, and wool .....	farms..	407	—	—	—
\$1,000..	578	—	—	—	3
Other livestock and livestock products (see text) .....	farms..	452	1	3	10
\$1,000..	45 563	(D)	30 618	41 732	42 173
Total farm production expenses <sup>1</sup> .....	farms..	5 801	2	10	107
\$1,000..	347 611	(D)	79 666	159 829	248 879
Selected farm production expenses <sup>1</sup> :					
Livestock and poultry purchased .....	farms..	1 234	2	5	33
\$1,000..	11 988	(D)	2 265	5 024	7 167
Feed for livestock and poultry .....	farms..	2 201	2	7	45
\$1,000..	79 605	(D)	35 644	49 979	66 064
Commercial fertilizer .....	farms..	3 031	—	4	84
\$1,000..	16 537	—	526	5 215	11 366
Agricultural chemicals .....	farms..	2 346	—	5	88
\$1,000..	17 435	—	958	6 872	375
Petroleum products .....	farms..	5 494	2	10	105
\$1,000..	14 829	(D)	993	4 446	8 405
Electricity .....	farms..	3 815	2	9	99
\$1,000..	10 613	(D)	3 416	5 314	7 554
Hired farm labor .....	farms..	2 472	2	10	105
\$1,000..	64 285	(D)	17 802	34 515	51 630
Interest .....	farms..	1 820	2	8	99
\$1,000..	15 954	(D)	879	5 199	370
Payments from government programs .....	farms..	934	1	3	46
\$1,000..	2 977	(D)	24	287	228
Payments from government programs .....					1 093
Inventory of selected livestock:					
Cattle and calves .....	farms..	1 921	—	1	29
number..	101 695	—	(D)	15 530	170
Milk cows .....	farms..	685	—	1	25
number..	40 749	—	(D)	9 190	154
Hogs and pigs .....	farms..	341	—	—	2
number..	5 977	—	—	(D)	15
					(D)

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

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**Table 46. Summary by Tenure of Operator: 1997**

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

Item	All farms				Farms with sales of \$10,000 or more			
	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants
<b>F FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS</b>								
Farms .....	5 810	3 829	1 654	327	2 393	1 119	1 074	200
number..								
percent..	100.0	65.9	28.5	5.6	41.2	19.3	18.5	3.4
Land in farms .....	1 211 648	584 716	586 987	39 945	806 800	267 745	504 659	34 396
acres..	209	153	355	122	337	239	470	172
Average size of farm .....								
acres..								
<b>M MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD</b>								
Total sales (see text) .....	farms..	5 810	3 829	1 654	327	2 393	1 119	1 074
\$1,000..		438 673	181 703	217 611	39 358	429 031	174 511	215 540
Average per farm .....	\$1,000..	75 503	47 454	131 567	120 362	179 286	155 953	200 689
Total sales (see text) .....								
Farms by value of sales:								
Less than \$1,000 (see text) .....		1 020	871	112	37	—	—	—
\$1,000 to \$2,499 .....		903	735	135	33	—	—	—
\$2,500 to \$4,999 .....		743	563	155	25	—	—	—
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....		751	541	178	32	—	—	—
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....		621	409	171	41	621	409	171
\$20,000 to \$24,999 .....		177	107	56	14	177	107	56
\$25,000 to \$39,999 .....		309	168	105	36	309	168	105
\$40,000 to \$49,999 .....		129	59	56	14	129	59	56
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....		390	171	178	41	390	171	178
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....		414	123	258	33	414	123	258
\$250,000 to \$499,999 .....		212	50	154	8	212	50	154
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....		88	20	62	6	88	20	62
\$1,000,000 to \$2,499,999 .....		39	5	30	4	39	5	30
\$2,500,000 to \$4,999,999 .....		7	3	3	1	7	3	1
\$5,000,000 or more .....		7	4	1	2	7	4	1
Grains.....	farms..	407	133	243	31	344	86	230
\$1,000..		6 793	1 220	4 763	809	6 693	1 144	4 742
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	37	5	30	2	37	5	30
\$1,000..		3 144	(D)	2 222	(D)	3 144	(D)	2 222
Corn for grain .....	farms..	17	5	11	1	13	2	10
\$1,000..		785	(D)	546	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Wheat .....	farms..	11	6	3	2	10	6	3
\$1,000..		124	88	(D)	(D)	(D)	88	(D)
Soybeans.....	farms..	16	2	14	—	15	1	14
\$1,000..		113	(D)	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	—
Sorghum for grain .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Barley .....	farms..	164	35	116	13	159	32	115
\$1,000..		3 162	538	2 399	225	3 150	532	(D)
Oats .....	farms..	209	68	124	17	179	47	117
\$1,000..		1 882	404	1 369	109	1 836	(D)	1 359
Other grains .....	farms..	63	34	24	5	36	12	19
\$1,000..		727	(D)	305	(D)	689	(D)	300
Cotton and cottonseed .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hay, silage, and field seeds .....	farms..	1 574	975	561	38	541	204	314
\$1,000..		9 747	4 091	4 756	900	7 077	2 112	4 108
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	18	5	10	3	18	5	10
\$1,000..		1 925	384	840	701	1 925	384	840
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons .....	farms..	611	362	213	36	350	154	172
\$1,000..		16 974	2 668	8 853	5 453	16 337	2 163	8 754
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	37	4	27	6	37	4	27
\$1,000..		11 905	(D)	6 418	(D)	11 905	(D)	6 418
Fruits, nuts, and berries .....	farms..	963	779	149	35	457	329	109
\$1,000..		47 118	22 875	22 483	1 761	45 521	21 402	22 395
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	108	62	41	5	108	62	41
\$1,000..		39 212	16 408	21 322	1 482	39 212	16 408	21 322
Nursery and greenhouse crops .....	farms..	926	761	123	42	465	339	93
\$1,000..		29 852	19 348	7 854	2 651	28 778	18 361	7 796
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	113	81	22	10	113	81	22
\$1,000..		22 577	13 593	6 784	2 199	22 577	13 593	6 784
Other crops .....	farms..	813	294	394	125	585	153	337
\$1,000..		101 745	18 898	74 099	8 748	101 330	18 694	73 987
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	344	67	228	49	344	67	228
\$1,000..		97 738	17 615	72 559	7 564	97 738	17 615	72 559
Poultry and poultry products .....	farms..	396	259	125	12	137	82	49
\$1,000..		73 299	65 098	(D)	(D)	73 156	65 017	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	47	35	10	2	47	35	10
\$1,000..		72 822	64 732	(D)	(D)	72 822	64 732	(D)
Dairy products .....	farms..	565	128	411	26	544	116	404
\$1,000..		95 420	10 130	83 151	2 139	95 394	10 121	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	422	74	333	15	422	74	333
\$1,000..		92 113	9 229	81 002	1 882	92 113	9 229	81 002
Cattle and calves .....	farms..	1 631	717	849	65	841	233	573
\$1,000..		10 222	3 379	6 472	371	8 469	2 356	5 795
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	26	8	16	2	26	8	16
\$1,000..		2 443	(D)	1 460	1 460	2 443	(D)	1 460

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**Table 46. Summary by Tenure of Operator: 1997—Con.**

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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
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD—Con.</b>								
Total sales (see text)—Con.								
Hogs and pigs .....	farms..	261	143	107	11	79	31	45
\$1,000..		1 360	1 126	192	43	1 115	982	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	3	3	—	—	3	3	—
\$1,000..		752	752	—	—	752	752	—
Sheep, lambs, and wool .....	farms..	407	277	113	17	84	40	38
\$1,000..		578	310	(D)	(D)	232	70	158
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other livestock and livestock products (see text) .....	farms..	452	334	91	27	132	88	34
\$1,000..		45 563	32 560	2 170	10 833	44 929	32 087	2 041
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	29	21	2	6	29	21	2
\$1,000..		43 702	31 182	(D)	(D)	43 702	31 182	(D)
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text) .....	farms..	1 177	725	391	61	484	234	217
\$1,000..		8 314	3 837	4 033	444	7 159	3 026	3 725
<b>FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES<sup>1</sup></b>								
Total farm production expenses .....	farms..	5 801	3 858	1 655	288	2 304	1 071	1 071
\$1,000..		347 611	143 060	175 998	28 554	326 270	126 820	171 378
Average per farm .....	dollars..	59 923	37 081	106 343	99 146	141 610	118 412	160 017
Livestock and poultry purchased .....	farms..	1 234	672	505	57	522	200	293
\$1,000..		11 988	5 379	4 109	2 501	10 855	4 843	3 570
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		941	545	351	45	256	90	148
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		208	88	114	6	189	72	112
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....		65	27	37	1	57	26	30
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....		12	8	3	1	12	8	3
\$250,000 or more .....		8	4	—	4	8	4	4
Feed for livestock and poultry .....	farms..	2 201	1 226	890	85	875	309	527
\$1,000..		79 605	42 119	30 057	7 429	78 092	41 093	29 636
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		1 624	1 052	511	61	318	151	152
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		194	96	91	7	174	80	87
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....		267	46	212	9	267	46	212
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....		77	18	56	3	77	18	56
\$250,000 or more .....		39	14	20	5	39	14	20
Commercially mixed formula feeds .....	farms..	1 553	765	714	74	736	228	471
\$1,000..		51 161	19 879	24 330	6 953	50 430	19 401	24 111
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		1 052	647	354	51	244	118	112
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		156	50	99	7	147	42	98
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....		251	39	202	10	251	39	202
\$100,000 or more .....		94	29	59	6	94	29	59
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees .....	farms..	2 076	1 127	859	90	1 305	525	711
\$1,000..		13 757	3 371	9 312	1 075	13 469	3 152	9 252
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$999 .....		1 220	828	353	39	491	257	216
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....		450	177	258	15	409	147	247
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		259	95	141	23	258	94	141
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		90	13	67	10	90	13	67
\$50,000 or more .....		57	14	40	3	57	14	40
Commercial fertilizer .....	farms..	3 031	1 751	1 141	139	1 703	744	864
\$1,000..		16 537	3 822	11 630	1 085	15 864	3 348	11 446
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		2 466	1 638	715	113	1 147	635	443
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		387	81	291	15	378	77	286
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		113	22	84	7	113	22	84
\$50,000 or more .....		65	10	51	4	65	10	51
Agricultural chemicals .....	farms..	2 346	1 391	844	111	1 492	676	737
\$1,000..		17 435	4 016	12 604	815	17 021	3 698	12 518
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		1 875	1 282	508	85	1 035	576	406
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		274	72	188	14	260	63	183
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		111	25	78	8	111	25	78
\$50,000 or more .....		86	12	70	4	86	12	70
Petroleum products .....	farms..	5 494	3 604	1 627	263	2 262	1 050	1 055
\$1,000..		14 829	5 937	8 010	883	13 079	4 636	7 593
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		4 832	3 427	1 184	221	1 611	877	619
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		582	155	389	38	571	151	382
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		51	10	39	2	51	10	39
\$50,000 or more .....		29	12	15	2	29	12	15
Gasoline and gasohol .....	farms..	4 479	2 915	1 383	181	1 913	863	948
\$1,000..		5 758	2 444	2 990	324	4 791	1 739	2 747
Diesel fuel .....	farms..	3 647	2 142	1 331	174	1 851	766	948
\$1,000..		5 896	1 788	3 761	347	5 417	1 443	3 634
Natural gas .....	farms..	88	73	13	2	49	37	10
\$1,000..		61	(D)	26	(D)	55	(D)	25
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc. ....	farms..	3 756	2 224	1 366	166	1 931	848	959
\$1,000..		3 114	(D)	1 233	(D)	2 817	(D)	1 186

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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
<b>FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES<sup>1</sup></b>								
—Con.								
Total farm production expenses—Con.								
Electricity ..... farms.. \$1,000..	3 815	2 270	1 333	212	1 966	853	968	145
10 613	4 978	4 489	1 147		9 966	4 508	4 340	1 118
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$999 .....	2 595	1 785	667	143	877	464	330	83
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	815	394	365	56	684	298	337	49
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	378	80	288	10	378	80	288	10
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	17	4	11	2	17	4	11	2
\$50,000 or more .....	10	7	2	1	10	7	2	1
Hired farm labor ..... farms.. \$1,000..	2 472	1 261	1 083	128	1 563	618	857	88
64 285	25 593	33 340	5 353		63 273	24 785	33 176	5 313
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	1 474	935	464	75	573	300	238	35
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	513	193	294	26	507	187	294	26
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....	384	107	262	15	382	105	262	15
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....	71	17	46	8	71	17	46	8
\$250,000 or more .....	30	9	17	4	30	9	17	4
Workers by days worked:								
150 days or more ..... farms.. workers..	942	352	547	43	821	256	524	41
Less than 150 days ..... farms.. workers..	4 746	2 750	1 772	224	4 620	2 649	(D)	(D)
Contract labor ..... farms.. \$1,000..	645	376	245	24	392	172	207	13
4 161	1 959	1 981	221		3 910	1 753	1 938	219
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$999 .....	244	163	69	12	91	36	54	1
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	271	150	116	5	177	79	93	5
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	111	59	48	4	105	53	48	4
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	7	1	4	2	7	1	4	2
\$50,000 or more .....	12	3	8	1	12	3	8	1
Repair and maintenance ..... farms.. \$1,000..	4 827	3 028	1 559	240	2 162	973	1 038	151
23 988	9 075	13 692	1 220		20 560	6 489	12 915	1 156
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	3 761	2 655	922	184	1 227	701	430	96
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	883	334	502	47	752	233	473	46
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	125	27	92	6	125	27	92	6
\$50,000 or more .....	58	12	43	3	58	12	43	3
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment ..... farms.. \$1,000..	1 145	577	497	71	726	254	434	38
4 595	1 061	2 851	683		4 349	865	2 811	673
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$999 .....	600	382	173	45	266	124	128	14
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	383	165	207	11	298	100	189	9
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	135	23	100	12	135	23	100	12
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	14	4	10	—	14	4	10	—
\$50,000 or more .....	13	3	7	3	13	3	7	3
Interest ..... farms.. \$1,000..	1 820	866	842	112	1 245	429	714	102
15 954	5 338	9 266	1 350		14 627	4 245	9 037	1 344
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	1 115	601	428	86	607	227	304	76
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	567	236	315	16	500	173	311	16
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....	121	23	92	6	121	23	92	6
\$100,000 or more .....	17	6	7	4	17	6	7	4
Secured by real estate ..... farms.. \$1,000..	1 359	695	664	—	921	353	568	—
10 753	4 171	6 582	—		9 657	3 259	6 398	—
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$999 .....	226	138	88	—	119	58	61	—
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	574	332	242	—	299	122	177	—
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	465	200	265	—	409	148	261	—
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	67	17	50	—	67	17	50	—
\$50,000 or more .....	27	8	19	—	27	8	19	—
Not secured by real estate ..... farms.. \$1,000..	973	394	467	112	722	214	406	102
5 201	1 167	2 685	1 350		4 969	986	2 639	1 344
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$999 .....	390	196	140	54	237	97	96	44
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	383	165	186	32	286	85	169	32
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	165	27	122	16	164	26	122	16
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	19	3	11	5	19	3	11	5
\$50,000 or more .....	16	3	8	5	16	3	8	5
Cash rent ..... farms.. \$1,000..	941	—	797	144	788	—	682	106
5 044	—	3 832	1 212		4 930	—	3 747	1 182
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	721	—	623	98	574	—	513	61
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	97	—	71	26	91	—	66	25
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	81	—	71	10	81	—	71	10
\$25,000 or more .....	42	—	32	10	42	—	32	10
Property taxes ..... farms.. \$1,000..	5 550	3 833	1 653	64	2 177	1 067	1 069	41
16 006	9 786	6 128	92		9 960	4 667	5 215	78
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	4 903	3 506	1 337	60	1 669	867	765	37
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	452	248	201	3	345	153	189	3
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	154	59	94	1	128	33	94	1
\$25,000 or more .....	41	20	21	—	35	14	21	—
All other farm production expenses ..... farms.. \$1,000..	5 107	3 275	1 578	254	2 298	1 068	1 069	161
48 814	20 626	24 698	3 489		46 315	18 738	24 183	3 393
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	4 064	2 943	947	174	1 266	740	445	81
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	710	255	389	66	701	253	382	66
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	167	37	123	7	165	35	123	7
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	94	22	71	1	94	22	71	1
\$100,000 or more .....	72	18	48	6	72	18	48	6

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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
<b>NET CASH RETURN FROM AGRICULTURAL SALES FOR THE FARM UNIT (SEE TEXT)<sup>1</sup></b>								
All farms .....	5 801	3 858	1 655	288	2 304	1 071	1 071	162
\$1,000..	78 187	31 371	38 592	8 224	89 186	39 886	41 046	8 255
Average per farm .....	13 478	8 132	23 318	28 555	38 709	37 242	38 325	50 955
Farms with net gains <sup>2</sup> .....	2 469	1 402	880	187	1 683	784	778	121
Average net gain .....	43 877	34 589	57 338	50 164	63 374	60 150	64 585	76 483
Gain of—								
Less than \$1,000 .....	309	234	46	29	44	30	14	—
\$1,000 to \$9,999 .....	1 084	729	301	54	563	315	231	17
\$10,000 to \$49,999 .....	738	360	310	68	738	360	310	68
\$50,000 or more .....	338	79	223	36	338	79	223	36
Farms with net losses .....	3 332	2 456	775	101	621	287	293	41
Average net loss .....	9 047	6 972	15 311	11 454	28 136	25 337	31 404	24 385
Loss of—								
Less than \$1,000 .....	529	405	100	24	23	12	10	1
\$1,000 to \$9,999 .....	2 307	1 765	487	55	331	161	150	20
\$10,000 to \$49,999 .....	418	258	142	18	199	89	94	16
\$50,000 or more .....	78	28	46	4	68	25	39	4
<b>GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS AND OTHER FARM-RELATED INCOME</b>								
Government payments .....	farms..	934	446	422	66	620	170	392
\$1,000..	2 977	1 278	1 451	249	2 172	545	1 400	227
Other farm-related income <sup>1</sup> .....	farms..	1 689	1 011	644	34	772	309	439
\$1,000..	10 907	5 573	4 938	395	7 415	2 904	4 123	388
Customwork and other agricultural services .....	farms..	546	262	267	17	252	92	144
\$1,000..	3 643	1 475	1 865	302	2 883	(D)	1 576	(D)
Gross cash rent or share payments .....	farms..	237	158	77	2	93	44	48
\$1,000..	753	541	(D)	(D)	457	(D)	163	(D)
Forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products .....	farms..	903	602	293	8	397	177	214
\$1,000..	5 754	3 208	2 500	46	3 504	(D)	2 031	(D)
Other farm-related income sources .....	farms..	472	210	248	14	321	93	220
\$1,000..	757	349	(D)	(D)	571	171	354	46
<b>COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS</b>								
Total .....	farms..	12	3	8	1	12	3	8
\$1,000..	24	(D)	10	(D)	24	(D)	10	(D)
Corn .....	farms..	2	—	2	—	2	—	—
\$1,000..	(D)	—	(D)	—	(D)	—	(D)	—
Wheat .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Soybeans .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sorghum, barley, and oats .....	farms..	10	3	6	1	10	3	6
\$1,000..	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Cotton .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sunflower seed, flaxseed, safflower, canola, other rapeseed, and mustard seed .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Peanuts, rice, and tobacco .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
<b>LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE</b>								
Total cropland .....	farms..	5 372	3 524	1 606	242	2 272	1 053	1 067
acres..	539 966	183 394	330 948	25 624	419 746	103 415	293 398	22 933
Harvested cropland .....	farms..	4 875	3 106	1 552	217	2 205	1 005	1 056
acres..	403 014	110 407	270 696	21 911	334 764	69 943	244 541	20 280
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 49 acres .....	3 180	2 586	471	123	921	678	181	62
50 to 99 acres .....	628	295	295	38	326	132	164	30
100 to 199 acres .....	502	139	338	25	413	112	280	21
200 to 499 acres .....	444	69	349	26	424	66	332	26
500 to 999 acres .....	89	12	74	3	89	12	74	3
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....	23	3	20	—	23	3	20	—
2,000 acres or more .....	9	2	5	2	9	2	5	2
Cropland:								
Pasture or grazing only .....	farms..	2 156	1 252	840	64	804	262	512
acres..	65 066	28 704	33 999	2 363	36 477	10 265	24 799	1 413
In cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured .....	farms..	565	374	172	19	270	118	140
acres..	23 006	12 254	10 398	354	14 342	4 226	9 812	304
On which all crops failed .....	farms..	152	83	63	6	77	24	48
acres..	2 430	1 312	(D)	(D)	1 514	(D)	738	(D)
In cultivated summer fallow .....	farms..	195	130	59	6	107	57	45
acres..	5 136	3 393	(D)	(D)	4 096	(D)	1 539	(D)
Idle .....	farms..	1 105	816	259	30	470	264	185
acres..	41 314	27 324	13 420	570	28 553	16 067	11 969	517
Total woodland .....	farms..	4 189	2 813	1 258	118	1 733	804	852
acres..	566 603	341 390	212 666	12 547	325 207	139 967	174 946	10 294
Woodland pastured .....	farms..	848	487	345	16	343	125	206
acres..	40 274	20 952	18 733	589	23 191	8 633	14 064	494
Woodland not pastured .....	farms..	3 958	2 667	1 178	113	1 645	764	806
acres..	526 329	320 438	193 933	11 958	302 016	131 334	160 882	9 800

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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
<b>LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE—Con.</b>								
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured..... farms..	844	533	281	30	305	110	183	12
acres..	27 952	14 096	12 860	996	15 582	4 712	10 344	526
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. .... farms..	3 659	2 498	1 066	95	1 483	709	709	65
acres..	77 127	45 836	30 513	778	46 265	19 651	25 971	643
Irrigated land ..... farms..	671	452	174	45	438	253	147	38
acres..	21 791	6 104	12 385	3 302	21 052	5 433	12 344	3 275
Harvested cropland irrigated .....	660	444	173	43	436	251	147	38
farms..	21 608	(D)	12 374	(D)	20 975	(D)	(D)	3 275
Pasture and other land irrigated .....	24	19	3	2	11	9	2	—
farms..	183	(D)	11	(D)	77	(D)	(D)	—
Land under Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs .....	farms..	352	237	108	7	164	56	102
acres..	22 217	15 125	6 930	162	10 590	(D)	6 585	6 (D)
<b>VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS<sup>1</sup></b>								
Estimated market value of land and buildings..... farms..	5 801	3 858	1 655	288	2 304	1 071	1 071	162
\$1,000..	1 456 482	796 470	611 534	48 478	862 210	329 220	494 690	38 300
Average per farm .....	251 074	206 446	369 507	168 327	374 223	307 395	461 896	236 417
Average per acre .....	dollars..	1 190	1 287	1 073	1 365	1 079	1 191	1 280
Farms by value group:								
\$1 to \$39,999 .....	463	332	15	116	112	78	5	29
\$40,000 to \$69,999 .....	539	442	55	42	110	65	16	29
\$70,000 to \$99,999 .....	615	487	122	6	131	80	48	3
\$100,000 to \$149,999 .....	866	640	193	33	285	153	110	22
\$150,000 to \$199,999 .....	800	524	262	14	232	114	109	9
\$200,000 to \$499,999 .....	1 926	1 187	688	51	976	451	475	50
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....	439	200	223	16	329	101	212	16
\$1,000,000 to \$1,999,999 .....	113	33	72	8	92	19	71	2
\$2,000,000 to \$4,999,999 .....	36	10	24	2	33	7	24	2
\$5,000,000 or more .....	4	3	1	—	4	3	1	—
<b>VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup></b>								
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment .....	farms..	5 794	3 851	1 655	288	2 304	1 071	1 071
\$1,000..	282 151	131 557	133 836	16 757	199 650	67 546	117 977	14 128
Farms by value group:								
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	670	595	62	13	132	116	15	1
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	742	579	140	23	145	97	43	5
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....	1 205	884	231	90	271	152	80	39
\$20,000 to \$49,999 .....	1 618	1 076	482	60	640	330	282	28
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	790	447	300	43	458	204	223	31
\$100,000 to \$199,999 .....	496	192	259	45	400	103	253	44
\$200,000 to \$499,999 .....	232	68	152	12	217	59	146	12
\$500,000 or more .....	41	10	29	2	41	10	29	2
<b>SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup></b>								
Motortrucks, including pickups .....	farms..	5 141	3 305	1 575	261	2 164	951	1 064
number..	11 261	5 882	4 828	551	6 738	2 321	4 015	402
Wheel tractors .....	farms..	5 092	3 307	1 546	239	2 090	924	1 019
number..	11 767	6 538	4 618	611	6 267	2 250	3 563	454
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) .....	farms..	3 315	2 343	836	136	1 201	615	496
number..	5 155	3 549	1 339	267	2 007	959	855	193
40 horsepower (PTO) or more .....	farms..	3 236	1 845	1 229	162	1 546	600	851
number..	6 612	2 989	3 279	344	4 260	1 291	2 708	261
40 to 99 horsepower (PTO) .....	farms..	3 075	1 757	1 168	150	1 473	566	796
number..	5 346	2 589	2 480	277	3 195	1 065	1 926	204
100 horsepower (PTO) or more .....	farms..	647	259	346	42	477	114	331
number..	1 266	400	799	67	1 065	226	782	57
Grain and bean combines .....	farms..	230	100	120	10	175	57	108
number..	254	103	141	10	198	59	129	10
Cotton pickers and strippers .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
number..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Mower conditioners .....	farms..	1 970	1 004	904	62	908	278	583
number..	2 183	1 099	1 021	63	1 053	327	678	48
Pickup balers .....	farms..	2 126	1 113	958	55	918	299	574
number..	2 514	1 233	1 196	85	1 188	346	770	72
<b>AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS<sup>1</sup></b>								
Commercial fertilizer .....	farms..	2 921	1 653	1 138	130	1 640	697	857
acres on which used..	234 911	58 863	164 846	11 202	216 047	47 534	157 582	10 931
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—								
Insects on hay and other crops .....	farms..	1 449	838	547	64	1 015	459	502
acres on which used..	113 473	27 909	78 733	6 831	109 901	24 799	78 297	6 805
Nematodes in crops .....	farms..	92	55	34	3	60	28	3
acres on which used..	4 923	(D)	3 697	(D)	4 833	(D)	3 667	(D)
Diseases in crops and orchards .....	farms..	869	485	336	48	588	250	304
acres on which used..	86 353	23 987	58 051	4 315	83 867	21 819	57 761	4 287
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture .....	farms..	1 428	724	643	61	999	377	582
acres on which used..	149 286	31 679	110 335	7 272	144 946	29 083	108 708	7 155
Chemicals used on crops to control growth, thin fruit, or defoliate .....	farms..	383	148	208	27	321	100	202
acres on which used..	45 461	11 374	30 195	3 892	45 203	11 178	30 157	3 868

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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
<b>TENURE AND RACE OF OPERATOR</b>								
All operators .....	5 810	3 829	1 654	327	2 393	1 119	1 074	200
Full owners .....	3 829	3 829	—	—	1 119	1 119	—	—
Part owners .....	1 654	—	1 654	—	1 074	—	1 074	—
Tenants .....	327	—	—	327	200	—	—	200
White .....	5 790	3 813	1 650	327	2 383	1 111	1 072	200
Full owners .....	3 813	3 813	—	—	1 111	1 111	—	—
Part owners .....	1 650	—	1 650	—	1 072	—	1 072	—
Tenants .....	327	—	—	327	200	—	—	200
Black and other races .....	20	16	4	—	10	8	2	—
Full owners .....	16	16	—	—	8	8	—	—
Part owners .....	4	—	4	—	2	—	2	—
Tenants .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
<b>OWNED AND RENTED LAND</b>								
Land owned..... farms..	5 485	3 829	1 654	2	2 193	1 119	1 074	—
acres..	1 008 270	602 455	(D)	(D)	625 360	273 660	351 700	—
Owned land in farms..... farms..	5 483	3 829	1 654	—	2 193	1 119	1 074	—
acres..	985 902	584 716	401 186	—	615 905	267 745	348 160	—
Land rented or leased from others..... farms..	1 990	9	1 654	327	1 278	4	1 074	200
acres..	227 375	292	187 019	40 064	192 388	(D)	157 685	(D)
landlords..	6 122	21	5 444	657	4 374	15	3 925	434
Rented or leased land in farms..... farms..	1 981	—	1 654	327	1 274	—	1 074	200
acres..	225 746	—	185 801	39 945	190 895	—	156 499	34 396
Land rented or leased to others..... farms..	435	332	99	4	176	109	65	2
acres..	23 997	18 031	(D)	(D)	10 948	(D)	4 726	(D)
<b>OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS</b>								
Operators by place of residence:								
On farm operated .....	4 727	3 110	1 472	145	1 882	843	950	89
Not on farm operated .....	717	464	127	126	337	182	90	65
Not reported .....	366	255	55	56	174	94	34	46
Operators by principal occupation:								
Farming .....	2 872	1 558	1 124	190	1 750	693	903	154
Other .....	2 938	2 271	530	137	643	426	171	46
Operators by days worked off farm:								
None .....	2 246	1 374	772	100	1 274	536	651	87
Any .....	3 263	2 231	814	218	988	508	373	107
1 to 99 days .....	643	410	194	39	299	146	132	21
100 to 199 days .....	662	419	198	45	214	102	90	22
200 days or more .....	1 958	1 402	422	134	475	260	151	64
Not reported .....	301	224	68	9	131	75	50	6
Operators by years on present farm:								
2 years or less .....	208	123	52	33	69	27	22	20
3 or 4 years .....	280	201	49	30	85	46	28	11
5 to 9 years .....	781	496	208	77	291	136	109	46
10 years or more .....	3 713	2 433	1 172	108	1 598	723	808	67
Average years on present farm .....	20.5	20.6	21.8	11.8	21.6	21.2	23.3	13.3
Not reported .....	828	576	173	79	350	187	107	56
Operators by age group:								
Under 25 years .....	39	11	10	18	25	7	8	10
25 to 34 years .....	286	110	94	82	154	30	64	60
35 to 44 years .....	1 113	654	369	90	493	206	240	47
45 to 49 years .....	824	524	261	39	341	153	164	24
50 to 54 years .....	794	510	248	36	315	141	159	15
55 to 59 years .....	727	492	220	15	310	158	144	8
60 to 64 years .....	636	427	193	16	283	144	126	13
65 to 69 years .....	522	411	97	14	188	114	63	11
70 years and over .....	869	690	162	17	284	166	106	12
Average age .....	54.4	56.4	52.1	43.3	53.0	55.6	52.1	43.4
Operators by sex:								
Male .....	4 991	3 164	1 541	286	2 153	938	1 028	187
Female .....	819	665	113	41	240	181	46	13
Operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin (see text) .....	36	27	7	2	14	7	5	2
<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION</b>								
Individual or family (sole proprietorship)..... farms..	5 064	3 437	1 369	258	1 857	881	831	145
acres..	896 406	467 734	400 617	28 055	527 985	180 437	324 619	22 929
Partnership .....	306	158	122	26	181	67	96	18
acres..	106 220	34 290	69 162	2 768	85 546	17 459	65 479	2 608
Corporation:								
Family held .....	farms..	362	181	149	32	301	137	137
acres..	179 965	61 633	112 574	5 758	169 015	52 656	110 746	5 613
More than 10 stockholders .....	farms..	4	1	2	1	4	1	2
10 or less stockholders .....	farms..	358	180	147	31	297	136	135
Other than family held .....	farms..	41	24	7	10	30	16	9
acres..	10 749	5 706	(D)	(D)	8 960	4 319	5 (D)	(D)
More than 10 stockholders .....	farms..	5	4	—	1	4	—	—
10 or less stockholders .....	farms..	36	20	7	9	26	12	5
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. ....	farms..	37	29	7	1	24	18	5
acres..	18 308	15 353	(D)	(D)	15 294	12 874	(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
<b>INJURIES AND DEATHS</b>								
Farm-related injuries:								
Operator and family members .....	52	26	22	4	28	10	15	3
farms..	57	28	23	6	30	(D)	16	(D)
number..						20	39	7
Hired workers .....	72	25	39	8	66	(D)	80	(D)
farms..								
number..	177	73	80	24	170			
Farm-related deaths:								
Operator and family members .....	1	—	1	—	1	—	1	—
farms..								
number..	(D)	—	(D)	—	(D)	—	(D)	—
Hired workers .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms..								
number..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
<b>F FARMS BY SIZE</b>								
1 to 9 acres .....	533	408	47	78	168	128	16	24
10 to 49 acres .....	1 184	938	160	86	307	216	42	49
50 to 69 acres .....	458	328	103	27	109	61	33	15
70 to 99 acres .....	546	416	113	17	133	77	42	14
100 to 139 acres .....	689	525	137	27	220	147	58	15
140 to 179 acres .....	417	284	120	13	148	70	66	12
180 to 219 acres .....	328	197	110	21	150	62	70	18
220 to 259 acres .....	267	141	112	14	153	52	89	12
260 to 499 acres .....	846	394	419	33	555	183	342	30
500 to 999 acres .....	398	155	234	9	315	88	218	9
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....	113	35	78	—	105	28	77	—
2,000 acres or more .....	31	8	21	2	30	7	21	2
<b>F FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM</b>								
Oilseed and grain farming (1111) .....	179	157	19	3	23	10	10	3
Vegetable and melon farming (1112) .....	733	303	347	83	564	175	322	67
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113) .....	805	679	96	30	358	269	74	15
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114) .....	704	611	60	33	349	280	45	24
Other crop farming (1119) .....	1 224	821	325	78	273	97	126	50
Tobacco farming (11191) .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton farming (11192) .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199) .....	1 224	821	325	78	273	97	126	50
Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111) .....	699	426	249	24	110	43	62	5
Cattle feedlots (112112) .....	95	59	32	4	23	10	12	1
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212) .....	535	117	392	26	528	113	391	24
Hog and pig farming (1122) .....	71	47	16	8	15	11	3	1
Poultry and egg production (1123) .....	104	79	20	5	59	46	11	2
Sheep and goat farming (1124) .....	193	149	38	6	13	7	6	—
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129) .....	468	381	60	27	78	58	12	8
<b>LIVESTOCK</b>								
Cattle and calves inventory..... farms..	1 921	928	923	70	863	241	587	35
number..	101 695	22 094	77 098	2 503	86 950	14 141	70 824	1 985
Farms with—								
1 to 9 .....	616	438	162	16	65	32	33	—
10 to 49 .....	734	372	327	35	260	104	140	16
50 to 99 .....	271	83	174	14	242	73	155	14
100 to 199 .....	201	24	172	5	197	21	171	5
200 to 499 .....	83	9	74	—	83	9	74	—
500 or more .....	16	2	14	—	16	2	14	—
Cows and heifers that had calved .....	farms..	1 588	702	829	57	780	205	542
number..	52 531	10 097	41 151	1 283	46 513	7 066	38 375	1 072
Beef cows .....	farms..	1 035	545	456	34	298	98	187
number..	11 782	4 978	6 482	322	6 082	2 132	3 787	163
Farms with—								
1 to 9 .....	667	395	248	24	137	46	84	7
10 to 49 .....	341	138	193	10	135	40	89	6
50 to 99 .....	20	10	10	—	19	10	9	—
100 to 199 .....	5	1	4	—	5	1	4	—
200 to 499 .....	2	1	1	—	2	1	1	—
500 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Milk cows .....	farms..	685	200	455	30	555	117	415
number..	40 749	5 119	34 669	961	40 431	4 934	34 588	909
Farms with—								
1 to 4 .....	131	75	54	2	20	4	16	—
5 to 9 .....	25	15	7	3	8	3	5	—
10 to 49 .....	229	75	135	19	227	75	135	17
50 to 99 .....	202	29	167	6	202	29	167	6
100 to 199 .....	68	6	62	—	68	6	62	—
200 to 499 .....	26	—	26	—	26	—	26	—
500 or more .....	4	—	4	—	4	—	4	—
Heifers and heifer calves..... farms..		1 432	591	790	51	753	183	539
number..	39 222	7 712	30 658	852	34 168	4 850	28 640	678
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves .....	farms..	1 320	638	635	47	519	138	359
number..	9 942	4 285	5 289	368	6 269	2 225	3 809	235

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 46. Summary by Tenure of Operator: 1997—Con.**

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

Item	All farms				Farms with sales of \$10,000 or more			
	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants
<b>LIVESTOCK—Con.</b>								
Cattle and calves sold .....	farms..	1 631	717	849	65	841	233	573
number..	\$1,000..	37 889	9 127	27 623	1 139	32 822	6 266	25 549
Calves .....	farms..	10 222	3 379	6 472	371	8 469	2 356	5 795
number..	\$1,000..	991	371	575	45	616	145	442
Cattle .....	farms..	19 721	3 725	15 509	487	17 362	2 364	14 565
number..	\$1,000..	1 284	436	803	45	828	172	619
Cattle .....	farms..	1 358	579	725	54	746	204	510
number..	\$1,000..	18 168	5 402	12 114	652	15 460	3 902	10 984
Fattened on grain and concentrates .....	farms..	8 938	2 943	5 669	326	7 642	2 184	5 176
number..	\$1,000..	2 699	1 379	1 198	122	2 244	1 103	(D)
Cattle .....	farms..	1 751	883	773	95	1 466	706	(D)
Hogs and pigs inventory .....	farms..	341	198	127	16	99	34	59
number..	\$1,000..	5 977	4 446	1 205	326	3 969	3 071	(D)
Farms with—								
1 to 24 .....		310	178	121	11	83	22	56
25 to 49 .....		8	4	2	2	4	3	1
50 to 99 .....		12	8	2	2	4	4	—
100 to 199 .....		7	5	1	1	4	2	1
200 to 499 .....		2	1	1	—	2	1	1
500 or more .....		2	2	—	—	2	2	—
Used or to be used for breeding .....	farms..	137	76	53	8	47	20	26
number..	\$1,000..	(D)	814	316	(D)	(D)	551	(D)
Other .....	farms..	302	177	111	14	87	30	51
number..	\$1,000..	(D)	3 632	889	(D)	(D)	2 520	517
Hogs and pigs sold .....	farms..	261	143	107	11	79	31	45
number..	\$1,000..	9 226	6 617	2 142	467	7 006	5 290	(D)
Feeder pigs .....	farms..	1 360	1 126	192	43	1 115	982	(D)
number..	\$1,000..	(D)	53	32	2	20	11	—
Litters of pigs farrowed between—								
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30 .....	farms..	153	87	58	8	54	24	29
number..	\$1,000..	(D)	1 278	282	(D)	1 272	1 021	(D)
Dec. 1 and May 31 .....	farms..	133	80	45	8	48	24	23
number..	\$1,000..	980	760	(D)	(D)	(D)	614	152
June 1 and Nov. 30 .....	farms..	92	55	36	1	42	17	24
number..	\$1,000..	(D)	518	(D)	(D)	(D)	407	(D)
Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory .....	farms..	426	282	124	20	88	38	42
number..	\$1,000..	10 603	6 029	4 327	247	3 294	1 031	2 160
Ewes 1 year old or older .....	farms..	379	254	108	17	77	35	36
number..	\$1,000..	6 488	3 724	2 620	144	2 104	745	1 314
Sheep and lambs sold .....	farms..	355	237	103	15	70	32	34
number..	\$1,000..	7 970	4 584	3 201	185	2 713	862	1 804
Sheep and lambs shorn .....	farms..	352	245	93	14	68	35	28
number..	\$1,000..	8 572	5 169	3 179	224	2 372	858	1 467
pounds of wool..	\$1,000..	65 654	36 507	27 437	1 710	20 377	6 233	13 743
Horses and ponies inventory .....	farms..	1 014	691	285	38	243	107	125
number..	\$1,000..	5 750	4 075	1 474	201	1 532	953	526
Horses and ponies sold .....	farms..	214	152	48	14	48	30	16
number..	\$1,000..	810	621	157	32	478	404	(D)
Goats inventory .....	farms..	214	153	49	12	45	27	16
number..	\$1,000..	2 214	1 838	329	47	954	808	(D)
Goats sold .....	farms..	66	52	11	3	12	9	2
number..	\$1,000..	657	525	111	21	136	95	(D)
<b>POULTRY</b>								
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text) .....	farms..	554	380	154	20	150	81	61
number..	\$1,000..	6 134	383	5 646	(D)	6 123	(D)	(D)
Farms with—								
1 to 399 .....		519	352	149	18	115	53	56
400 to 3,199 .....		4	4	—	—	4	4	—
3,200 to 9,999 .....		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
10,000 to 19,999 .....		7	6	1	—	7	6	1
20,000 to 49,999 .....		14	11	2	1	14	11	2
50,000 to 99,999 .....		7	5	2	—	7	5	2
100,000 or more .....		3	2	—	1	3	2	1
Layers 20 weeks old and older .....	farms..	532	365	147	20	138	74	56
number..	\$1,000..	5 019	263	4 723	(D)	5 009	(D)	(D)
Pullets 13 weeks old and older but less than 20 weeks old .....	farms..	109	70	34	5	39	22	16
number..	\$1,000..	1 115	120	922	323	(D)	1 113	(D)
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold (see text) .....	farms..	98	65	28	5	61	41	17
number..	\$1,000..	6 977	638	5 995	985	6 976	639	(D)
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold .....	farms..	73	50	22	1	21	16	1
number..	\$1,000..	199	416	127	286	(D)	196	692
Farms with—								
1 to 1,999 .....		68	46	21	1	16	12	3
2,000 to 59,999 .....		3	3	—	—	3	3	—
60,000 to 99,999 .....		2	1	1	—	2	1	1
100,000 or more .....		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Turkey hens kept for breeding .....	farms..	25	20	4	1	6	4	1
number..	\$1,000..	170	132	(D)	(D)	23	(D)	(D)
Turkeys sold .....	farms..	99	56	40	3	33	14	16
number..	\$1,000..	9 364	7 815	1 447	1	102	6 857	971
See footnotes at end of table.								

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

Item	All farms				Farms with sales of \$10,000 or more			
	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants
<b>SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED</b>								
Corn for silage or green chop.....	farms..	332	62	262	8	307	47	252
acres..	27 537	2 097	25 091	349	27 303	1 933	25 021	8
tons, green..	447 405	30 746	412 484	4 175	443 703	27 970	411 558	349
Irrigated .....	farms..	6	3	3	—	2	2	—
acres..	(D)	9	(D)	—	(D)	—	(D)	—
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres .....		104	35	66	3	82	23	56
25 to 99 acres .....		134	24	107	3	131	21	107
100 to 249 acres .....		69	3	64	2	69	3	64
250 to 499 acres .....		24	—	24	—	24	—	2
500 acres or more .....		1	—	1	—	—	1	—
Oats for grain .....	farms..	272	97	156	19	214	59	138
acres..	22 364	5 102	16 201	1 061	21 462	(D)	15 871	17
bushels..	1 643 127	376 355	1 189 836	76 936	1 592 924	(D)	1 173 267	(D)
Irrigated .....	farms..	1	—	1	—	—	—	—
acres..	(D)	—	(D)	—	—	—	—	—
Potatoes, excluding sweetpotatoes.....	farms..	586	197	322	67	504	141	305
acres..	73 085	13 944	53 877	5 264	72 865	13 831	53 805	58
cwt..	19 490 474	3 613 666	14 515 846	1 360 962	19 460 548	3 598 113	14 507 500	5 229
Irrigated .....	farms..	100	29	62	9	82	17	56
acres..	8 634	1 284	6 657	694	8 617	1 269	6 654	9
Farms by acres harvested:								
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....		137	79	47	11	68	30	33
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....		72	34	26	12	60	27	24
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....		117	34	56	27	116	34	55
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....		167	32	121	14	167	32	121
250.0 acres or more .....		93	18	72	3	93	18	14
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) .....	farms..	2 810	1 627	1 110	73	1 082	368	675
acres..	214 005	61 670	143 855	8 480	152 662	27 362	118 248	39
tons, dry..	332 039	91 202	229 303	11 534	258 290	47 635	200 624	7 052
Irrigated .....	farms..	26	20	5	1	12	8	3
acres..	958	189	(D)	(D)	807	52	(D)	1
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres .....		986	814	156	16	158	111	43
25 to 99 acres .....		1 147	688	428	31	350	156	181
100 to 249 acres .....		493	110	364	19	398	86	297
250 to 499 acres .....		160	14	140	6	152	14	132
500 acres or more .....		24	1	22	1	24	1	22
Tame hay other than alfalfa, small grain, and wild hay (see text) .....	farms..	2 005	1 092	851	62	815	249	534
acres..	119 468	39 372	75 393	4 703	78 654	16 644	58 479	32
tons, dry..	187 105	58 883	122 039	6 183	137 028	30 275	101 779	3 531
Irrigated .....	farms..	12	9	3	—	5	3	—
acres..	177	122	55	—	91	(D)	(D)	—
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text) .....	farms..	611	362	213	36	350	154	172
acres..	11 745	1 711	7 880	2 153	11 196	1 262	7 800	24
Irrigated .....	farms..	212	120	78	14	132	55	65
acres..	5 665	(D)	3 721	(D)	5 520	(D)	3 706	12
Farms by acres harvested:								
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....		367	262	84	21	142	83	49
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....		164	87	67	10	129	59	61
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....		71	13	54	4	70	12	54
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....		7	—	7	—	7	—	7
250.0 acres or more .....		2	—	1	1	2	—	1
Land in orchards .....	farms..	334	270	55	9	128	89	33
acres..	5 170	2 698	2 323	149	4 486	2 062	2 279	6
Irrigated .....	farms..	37	27	7	3	13	5	3
acres..	325	(D)	205	(D)	289	(D)	(D)	(D)
Farms by bearing and nonbearing acres:								
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....		193	157	31	5	35	22	11
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....		93	80	11	2	46	35	9
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....		40	31	7	2	39	30	7
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....		6	2	4	—	6	2	4
250.0 acres or more .....		2	—	2	—	2	—	—
Berries harvested for sale .....	farms..	820	659	130	31	374	265	93
acres..	(D)	15 326	8 038	(D)	22 029	13 027	7 878	16
Irrigated .....	farms..	143	108	28	7	78	48	6
acres..	(D)	3 491	667	(D)	4 075	3 361	(D)	(D)

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

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

**Table 47. Summary by Type of Organization: 1997**

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

Item	Total	Individual or family	Partnership	Corporation					Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc.	
				Total	Family held		Other than family held			
					Total	10 or less stockholders	Total	10 or less stockholders		
<b>F FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS</b>										
Farms .....	5 810	5 064	306	403	362	358	41	36	37	
number..	5 810	5 064	306	403	362	358	41	36	.6	
percent..	100.0	87.2	5.3	6.9	6.2	6.2	.7	.6	.6	
Land in farms .....	1 211 648	896 406	106 220	190 714	179 965	10 749	9 525	18 308	18 308	
acres..	209	177	347	473	497	262	265	495		
Average size of farm .....	acres..									
<b>M MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD</b>										
Total sales (see text) .....	farms..	5 810	5 064	306	403	362	358	36	37	
\$1,000..	438 673	258 278	39 831	137 713	113 902	110 825	23 811	18 138	2 851	
Average per farm .....	dollars..	75 503	51 003	130 167	341 721	314 647	309 567	580 758	77 050	
Farms by value of sales:										
Less than \$1,000 (see text) .....		1 020	954	31	32	26	6	5	3	
\$1,000 to \$2,499 .....		903	864	24	14	10	4	4	1	
\$2,500 to \$4,999 .....		743	695	28	14	13	1	1	6	
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....		751	694	42	12	12	—	—	3	
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....		621	540	30	43	35	8	7	8	
\$20,000 to \$24,999 .....		177	158	7	9	9	—	—	3	
\$25,000 to \$39,999 .....		309	266	20	19	13	6	6	4	
\$40,000 to \$49,999 .....		129	99	9	20	18	2	2	1	
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....		390	319	25	44	43	1	1	2	
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....		414	297	44	70	67	3	2	3	
\$250,000 to \$499,999 .....		212	119	25	66	65	1	1	2	
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....		88	46	14	28	23	5	4	—	
\$1,000,000 to \$2,499,999 .....		39	10	6	22	22	—	—	1	
\$2,500,000 to \$4,999,999 .....		7	—	1	6	4	2	1	—	
\$5,000,000 or more .....		7	3	—	4	2	2	2	—	
Grains .....	farms..	407	311	42	51	48	48	3	3	
\$1,000..	6 793	3 545	(D)	2 432	2 277	2 277	155	155	(D)	
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	37	16	4	17	16	16	1	—	
\$1,000..	3 144	1 070	274	1 801	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	
Corn for grain .....	farms..	17	10	2	5	5	5	—	—	
\$1,000..	785	(D)	(D)	524	524	524	—	—	—	
Wheat .....	farms..	11	10	—	1	—	—	1	1	
\$1,000..	124	(D)	—	(D)	—	—	(D)	(D)	—	
Soybeans .....	farms..	16	8	3	5	5	5	—	—	
\$1,000..	113	45	18	50	50	50	—	—	—	
Sorghum for grain .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Barley .....	farms..	164	119	19	25	24	24	1	1	
\$1,000..	3 162	1 830	(D)	883	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	
Oats .....	farms..	209	156	24	27	24	24	3	3	
\$1,000..	1 882	935	(D)	647	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	2	
Other grains .....	farms..	63	53	5	4	4	4	—	1	
\$1,000..	727	386	9	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	—	(D)	
Cotton and cottonseed .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Tobacco .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Hay, silage, and field seeds .....	farms..	1 574	1 436	70	59	55	55	4	3	
\$1,000..	9 747	8 152	734	780	773	773	7	(D)	80	
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	18	12	3	3	3	—	—	—	
\$1,000..	1 925	1 334	318	273	273	273	—	—	—	
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons .....	farms..	611	525	41	38	34	34	4	4	
\$1,000..	16 974	6 192	1 063	9 589	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	129	
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	37	21	6	9	8	8	1	1	
\$1,000..	11 905	1 938	(D)	9 161	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	
Fruits, nuts, and berries .....	farms..	963	834	43	78	69	68	9	8	
\$1,000..	47 118	13 994	(D)	30 724	30 066	(D)	659	(D)	(D)	
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	108	63	5	39	36	35	3	2	
\$1,000..	39 212	7 351	(D)	29 961	29 373	(D)	588	(D)	(D)	
Nursery and greenhouse crops .....	farms..	926	753	55	111	96	96	15	15	
\$1,000..	29 852	11 653	1 819	16 348	15 861	15 861	487	487	32	
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	113	50	9	54	53	53	1	—	
\$1,000..	22 577	5 905	1 289	15 382	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	
Other crops .....	farms..	813	656	77	70	65	65	4	10	
\$1,000..	101 745	61 091	14 564	25 758	23 163	23 163	2 595	(D)	332	
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	344	245	42	56	53	53	3	1	
\$1,000..	97 738	57 586	(D)	25 624	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	
Poultry and poultry products .....	farms..	396	361	16	18	16	16	2	1	
\$1,000..	73 299	62 468	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	47	37	1	9	8	8	1	—	
\$1,000..	72 822	62 060	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	
Dairy products .....	farms..	565	443	61	59	58	58	—	2	
\$1,000..	95 420	59 733	(D)	17 122	17 122	(D)	—	—	(D)	
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	422	318	48	55	54	54	—	1	
\$1,000..	92 113	56 832	(D)	17 050	17 050	(D)	—	—	(D)	
Cattle and calves .....	farms..	1 631	1 430	104	87	86	85	1	10	
\$1,000..	10 222	7 698	839	1 617	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	68	
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	26	18	3	5	5	5	—	—	
\$1,000..	2 443	1 629	209	604	604	604	—	—	—	

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Item	Total	Individual or family	Partnership	Total	Corporation				Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc.	
					Family held		Other than family held			
					Total	10 or less stockholders	Total	10 or less stockholders		
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD—Con.</b>										
Total sales (see text)—Con.										
Hogs and pigs .....	farms.. \$1,000..	261 1 360	246 714	4 2	8 (D) 1	5 (D) —	5 (D) —	3 (D) 1	2 (D) —	
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms.. \$1,000..	752	(D)	—	(D)	—	—	(D)	—	
Sheep, lambs, and wool .....	farms.. \$1,000..	407 578	381 (D)	16 (D)	7 15	7 15	7 15	—	—	
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms.. \$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(D)	
Other livestock and livestock products (see text) .....	farms.. \$1,000..	452 45 563	387 (D)	22 (D)	38 22 290	29 10 250	27 (D)	9 12 039	7 (D) 618	
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms.. \$1,000..	29 43 702	6 (D)	1 (D)	17 22 084	12 10 094	10 (D)	5 11 990	4 (D) 618	
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text).....	farms.. \$1,000..	1 177 8 314	1 030 5 577	71 519	67 2 152	59 2 054	58 (D)	8 99	7 (D) 9 66	
<b>FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES<sup>1</sup></b>										
Total farm production expenses .....	farms.. \$1,000..	5 801 347 611	5 090 210 033	309 30 073	368 105 237	345 90 385	341 88 709	23 14 852	20 13 134	
Average per farm .....	dollars..	59 923	41 264	97 323	285 970	261 986	260 144	645 719	656 723	
Livestock and poultry purchased .....	farms.. \$1,000..	1 234 11 988	1 086 7 278	64 823	76 3 849	73 (D)	72 (D)	3 (D)	3 (D) 8 38	
Farms with expenses of—										
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		941	872	29	35	34	34	1	1 5	
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		208	165	21	19	19	18	—	— 3	
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....		65	38	14	13	13	13	—	—	
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....		12	7	—	5	4	4	1	1 1	
\$250,000 or more .....		8	4	—	4	3	3	1	1 —	
Feed for livestock and poultry .....	farms.. \$1,000..	2 201 79 605	1 953 57 303	118 6 213	118 15 794	112 13 264	109 13 062	6 2 530	4 (D) 12 295	
Farms with expenses of—										
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		1 624	1 524	57	36	34	34	2	2 7	
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		194	152	24	16	16	15	—	— 2	
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....		267	211	21	33	32	31	1	— 2	
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....		77	48	8	20	20	19	—	— 1	
\$250,000 or more .....		39	18	8	13	10	10	3	2 —	
Commercially mixed formula feeds .....	farms.. \$1,000..	1 553 51 161	1 359 32 537	106 4 972	79 13 429	73 10 899	71 (D)	6 2 530	4 (D) 9 224	
Farms with expenses of—										
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		1 052	978	55	13	11	11	2	2 6	
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		156	133	20	3	3	3	—	—	
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....		251	193	19	37	36	35	1	— 2	
\$100,000 or more .....		94	55	12	26	23	22	3	2 1	
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees .....	farms.. \$1,000..	2 076 13 757	1 697 7 084	158 1 458	210 5 137	201 4 700	199 (D)	9 437	9 437 11 79	
Farms with expenses of—										
\$1 to \$999 .....		1 220	1 073	79	64	59	59	5	5 4	
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....		450	359	29	57	57	55	—	— 5	
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		259	186	28	44	42	42	2	2 1	
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		90	55	15	20	20	20	—	—	
\$50,000 or more .....		57	24	7	25	23	23	2	2 1	
Commercial fertilizer .....	farms.. \$1,000..	3 031 16 537	2 530 9 836	235 2 102	246 4 507	232 4 095	231 (D)	14 412	13 (D) 20 92	
Farms with expenses of—										
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		2 466	2 150	166	135	124	124	11	10 15	
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		387	280	40	63	63	62	—	— 4	
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		113	69	19	24	23	23	1	1 1	
\$50,000 or more .....		65	31	10	24	22	22	2	2 —	
Agricultural chemicals .....	farms.. \$1,000..	2 346 17 435	1 955 9 325	155 2 186	220 5 784	211 5 407	210 (D)	9 378	9 378 16 140	
Farms with expenses of—										
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		1 875	1 650	103	110	106	106	4	4 12	
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		274	188	25	58	56	56	2	2 3	
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		111	75	12	24	24	24	—	—	
\$50,000 or more .....		86	42	15	28	25	24	3	3 1	
Petroleum products .....	farms.. \$1,000..	5 494 14 829	4 800 9 135	300 1 581	361 3 997	338 3 501	335 3 460	23 496	20 474 33 117	
Farms with expenses of—										
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		4 832	4 384	218	202	189	188	13	12 28	
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		582	382	72	124	118	116	6	4 4	
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		51	27	6	17	15	15	2	2 1	
\$50,000 or more .....		29	7	4	18	16	16	2	2 —	
Gasoline and gasohol .....	farms.. \$1,000..	4 479 5 758	3 892 3 809	266 536	297 1 367	276 1 225	273 1 204	21 143	18 137 24 46	
Diesel fuel .....	farms.. \$1,000..	3 647	3 108	233	284	270	267	14	12 22	
Natural gas .....	farms.. \$1,000..	5 896	3 625	763	1 471	1 362	1 351	109	(D) 36	
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc. ....	farms.. \$1,000..	88 61	76 28	4 2	30 (D)	6 (D)	6 (D)	2 (D)	—	
		3 756 3 114	3 130 1 673	266 279	332 1 128	312 (D)	309 (D)	20 (D)	18 (D) 28 34	

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<b>FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES<sup>1</sup></b>										
—Con.										
Total farm production expenses—Con.										
Electricity . . . . . farms.. \$1,000..	3 815	3 253	243	296	280	1 276	16 (D)	14 (D)	23	
Farms with expenses of—	10 613	6 862	820	2 804	(D)	1 526	(D)	(D)	127	
\$1 to \$999 . . . . .	2 595	2 391	108	80	74	74	6	5	16	
\$1,000 to \$4,999 . . . . .	815	621	81	110	107	106	3	3	3	
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	378	231	51	93	88	87	5	4	3	
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	17	5	3	9	9	8	—	—	—	
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	10	5	—	4	2	1	2	2	1	
Hired farm labor . . . . . farms.. \$1,000..	2 472	1 978	193	284	269	265	15	12	17	
Farms with expenses of—	64 285	29 984	4 751	28 949	25 296	24 837	3 653	3 037	601	
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	1 474	1 316	98	53	50	50	3	2	7	
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	513	409	47	55	54	54	1	1	2	
\$25,000 to \$99,999 . . . . .	384	228	34	115	111	109	4	4	7	
\$100,000 to \$249,999 . . . . .	71	19	10	41	37	35	4	3	1	
\$250,000 or more . . . . .	30	6	4	20	17	17	3	2	—	
Workers by days worked:										
150 days or more . . . . . farms.. workers..	942	628	98	206	193	189	13	10	10	
Less than 150 days . . . . . farms.. workers..	4 746	1 610	296	2 805	2 514	2 452	291	272	35	
Contract labor . . . . . farms.. \$1,000..	645	534	38	70	62	61	8	7	3	
Farms with expenses of—	4 161	2 262	(D)	1 601	1 381	(D)	219	(D)	(D)	
\$1 to \$999 . . . . .	244	214	19	10	10	10	—	—	1	
\$1,000 to \$4,999 . . . . .	271	241	8	21	17	17	4	4	1	
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	111	75	10	25	23	23	2	1	1	
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	7	—	—	7	6	5	1	1	—	
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	12	4	1	7	6	6	1	1	—	
Repair and maintenance . . . . . farms.. \$1,000..	4 827	4 178	284	339	316	312	23	20	26	
Farms with expenses of—	23 988	14 894	2 341	6 556	6 028	5 904	528	463	197	
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	3 761	3 405	193	148	137	137	11	11	15	
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	883	678	66	130	124	122	6	4	9	
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	125	71	17	35	31	30	4	3	2	
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	58	24	8	26	24	23	2	2	—	
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment . . . . . farms.. \$1,000..	1 145	945	72	122	112	111	10	9	6	
Farms with expenses of—	4 595	2 202	629	1 746	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	18	
\$1 to \$999 . . . . .	600	539	28	30	27	27	3	3	3	
\$1,000 to \$4,999 . . . . .	383	307	28	47	43	43	4	3	1	
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	135	89	12	32	30	29	2	2	2	
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	14	6	3	5	5	5	—	—	—	
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	13	4	1	8	7	7	1	1	—	
Interest . . . . . farms.. \$1,000..	1 820	1 459	151	194	183	182	11	11	16	
Farms with expenses of—	15 954	10 397	1 426	4 014	3 347	(D)	666	666	118	
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	1 115	945	95	61	58	58	3	3	14	
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	567	432	41	93	90	90	3	3	1	
\$25,000 to \$99,999 . . . . .	121	76	11	33	30	29	3	3	1	
\$100,000 or more . . . . .	17	6	4	7	5	5	2	2	—	
Secured by real estate . . . . . farms.. \$1,000..	1 359	1 123	86	136	130	129	6	6	14	
Farms with expenses of—	10 753	7 836	786	2 041	1 911	(D)	130	130	89	
\$1 to \$999 . . . . .	226	200	16	7	6	6	1	1	3	
\$1,000 to \$4,999 . . . . .	574	503	28	34	33	33	1	1	9	
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	465	358	31	75	73	73	2	2	1	
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	67	45	9	12	11	11	1	1	1	
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	27	17	2	8	7	6	1	1	—	
Not secured by real estate . . . . . farms.. \$1,000..	973	762	103	104	98	98	6	6	4	
Farms with expenses of—	5 201	2 561	639	1 972	1 436	1 436	536	536	29	
\$1 to \$999 . . . . .	390	336	41	12	11	11	1	1	1	
\$1,000 to \$4,999 . . . . .	383	304	39	39	39	39	—	—	1	
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	165	109	17	37	35	35	2	2	2	
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	19	8	2	9	8	8	1	1	—	
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	16	5	4	7	5	5	2	2	—	
Cash rent . . . . . farms.. \$1,000..	941	735	81	122	117	115	5	5	3	
Farms with expenses of—	5 044	2 573	(D)	1 899	1 499	(D)	400	400	(D)	
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	721	614	40	64	62	61	2	2	3	
\$5,000 to \$9,999 . . . . .	97	55	24	18	18	17	—	—	—	
\$10,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	81	48	13	20	20	20	—	—	—	
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	42	18	4	20	17	17	3	3	—	
Property taxes . . . . . farms.. \$1,000..	5 550	4 908	277	337	318	315	19	17	28	
Farms with expenses of—	16 006	12 005	1 032	2 801	2 660	2 596	141	(D)	168	
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	4 903	4 484	212	186	174	173	12	11	21	
\$5,000 to \$9,999 . . . . .	452	322	45	84	81	81	3	2	1	
\$10,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	154	86	16	47	45	44	2	2	5	
\$25,000 or more . . . . .	41	16	4	20	18	17	2	2	1	
All other farm production expenses . . . . . farms.. \$1,000..	5 107	4 434	284	361	339	336	22	19	28	
Farms with expenses of—	48 814	28 892	3 869	15 799	13 045	12 829	2 755	2 417	254	
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	4 064	3 702	184	159	148	147	11	10	19	
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	710	542	66	96	95	94	1	1	6	
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	167	119	12	34	33	33	1	1	2	
\$50,000 to \$99,999 . . . . .	94	48	15	30	28	28	2	1	1	
\$100,000 or more . . . . .	72	23	7	42	35	34	7	6	—	

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<b>NET CASH RETURN FROM AGRICULTURAL SALES FOR THE FARM UNIT (SEE TEXT)<sup>1</sup></b>										
All farms .....	number..	5 801	5 090	309	368	345	341	23	20	
\$1,000..		78 187	39 682	8 642	29 419	20 969	19 568	8 450	4 709	
Average per farm .....	dollars..	13 478	7 796	27 966	79 944	60 780	57 383	367 411	235 467	
Farms with net gains <sup>2</sup> .....	number..	2 469	2 059	185	215	199	196	16	14	
Average net gain .....	dollars..	43 877	29 660	54 583	167 940	138 722	(D)	531 348	(D)	
Gain of—										
Less than \$1,000 .....		309	288	17	3	2	2	1	1	
\$1,000 to \$9,999 .....		1 084	990	59	33	31	31	2	2	
\$10,000 to \$49,999 .....		738	594	62	79	74	74	5	5	
\$50,000 or more .....		338	187	47	100	92	89	8	4	
Farms with net losses .....	number..	3 332	3 031	124	153	146	145	7	6	
Average net loss .....	dollars..	9 047	7 057	11 745	43 711	45 456	(D)	7 301	(D)	
Loss of—										
Less than \$1,000 .....		529	498	14	11	10	10	1	1	
\$1,000 to \$9,999 .....		2 307	2 143	79	83	80	79	3	2	
\$10,000 to \$49,999 .....		418	347	20	37	34	34	3	14	
\$50,000 or more .....		78	43	11	22	22	22	—	2	
<b>GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS AND OTHER FARM-RELATED INCOME</b>										
Government payments .....	farms..	934	751	81	99	96	95	3	2	
\$1,000..		2 977	2 150	337	483	461	(D)	23	(D)	
Other farm-related income <sup>1</sup> .....	farms..	1 689	1 435	123	125	120	118	5	5	
\$1,000..		10 907	8 229	793	1 853	(D)	(D)	(D)	32	
Customwork and other agricultural services .....	farms..	546	470	46	29	28	27	1	1	
\$1,000..		3 643	2 730	(D)	723	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	
Gross cash rent or share payments .....	farms..	237	205	11	20	19	18	1	1	
\$1,000..		753	499	(D)	213	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	
Forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products .....	farms..	903	753	65	79	78	78	1	1	
\$1,000..		5 754	4 434	(D)	768	(D)	(D)	(D)	6	
Other farm-related income sources .....	farms..	472	371	43	58	55	53	3	3	
\$1,000..		757	566	42	149	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	
<b>COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS</b>										
Total .....	farms..	12	9	—	3	3	3	—	—	
\$1,000..		24	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	—	
Corn .....	farms..	2	1	—	1	1	1	—	—	
\$1,000..		(D)	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	—	
Wheat .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
\$1,000..		—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Soybeans .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
\$1,000..		—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Sorghum, barley, and oats .....	farms..	10	8	—	2	2	2	—	—	
\$1,000..		(D)	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	—	
Cotton .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
\$1,000..		—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Sunflower seed, flaxseed, safflower, canola, other rapeseed, and mustard seed .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
\$1,000..		—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Peanuts, rice, and tobacco .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
\$1,000..		—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
<b>LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE</b>										
Total cropland .....	farms..	5 372	4 674	292	376	339	337	37	33	
acres..		539 966	374 856	54 937	103 993	96 914	(D)	7 079	6 056	
Harvested cropland .....	farms..	4 875	4 229	264	352	320	318	32	29	
acres..		403 014	275 577	43 823	80 129	74 206	(D)	5 923	4 923	
Farms by acres harvested:										
1 to 49 acres .....		3 180	2 885	125	153	130	130	23	21	
50 to 99 acres .....		628	540	35	49	45	45	4	4	
100 to 199 acres .....		502	428	37	34	33	32	1	1	
200 to 499 acres .....		444	321	44	74	74	73	—	5	
500 to 999 acres .....		89	44	16	29	26	26	3	2	
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....		23	9	6	7	7	7	—	1	
2,000 acres or more .....		9	2	1	6	5	5	1	1	
Cropland:										
Pasture or grazing only .....	farms..	2 156	1 917	120	111	101	100	10	8	
acres..		65 066	53 855	4 861	5 196	4 709	(D)	487	487	
In cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured .....	farms..	565	469	43	48	45	45	3	3	
acres..		23 006	16 308	2 637	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	
On which all crops failed .....	farms..	152	124	17	10	9	9	1	1	
acres..		2 430	1 190	1 022	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	
In cultivated summer fallow .....	farms..	195	164	17	13	11	11	2	2	
acres..		5 136	4 270	277	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	
Idle .....	farms..	1 105	948	62	87	81	81	6	5	
acres..		41 314	23 656	2 317	14 115	13 738	13 738	377	377	
Total woodland .....	farms..	4 189	3 694	219	252	233	230	19	18	
acres..		566 603	439 559	44 033	72 137	69 800	69 046	2 337	2 337	
Woodland pastured .....	farms..	848	740	56	48	47	46	1	1	
acres..		40 274	32 112	5 243	2 862	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	
Woodland not pastured .....	farms..	3 958	3 487	207	241	223	220	18	17	
acres..		526 329	407 447	38 790	69 275	(D)	(D)	(D)	10 817	

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<b>LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE—Con.</b>										
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured..... farms.. acres..	844 27 952	738 23 958	52 1 775	46 1 922	44 (D)	44 (D)	2 (D)	1 (D)	8 297	
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. .... farms.. acres..	3 659 77 127	3 181 58 033	193 5 475	260 12 662	228 (D)	225 (D)	32 (D)	28 1 161	25 957	
Irrigated land ..... farms.. acres..	671 21 791	511 6 319	47 1 989	102 12 773	92 (D)	92 (D)	10 (D)	10 (D)	11 710	
Harvested cropland irrigated ..... farms.. acres..	660 21 608	503 6 200	46 (D)	102 (D)	92 (D)	92 (D)	10 (D)	10 (D)	9 710	
Pasture and other land irrigated ..... farms.. acres..	24 183	19 119	1 (D)	2 (D)	2 (D)	2 (D)	— (D)	— (D)	2 (D)	
Land under Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs ..... farms.. acres..	352 22 217	293 16 255	31 (D)	27 3 285	26 (D)	25 (D)	1 (D)	1 (D)	1 (D)	
<b>VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS<sup>1</sup></b>										
Estimated market value of land and buildings ..... farms.. \$1,000..	5 801 1 456 482	5 090 1 128 293	309 103 962	368 203 060	345 191 773	341 189 365	23 11 286	20 10 626	34 21 168	
Average per farm ..... dollars..	251 074	221 668	336 447	551 792	555 865	555 324	490 704	531 310	622 579	
Average per acre ..... dollars..	1 190	1 247	919	1 076	1 065	1 061	1 302	1 248	1 215	
Farms by value group:										
\$1 to \$39,999 .....	463	419	25	15	11	11	4	4	4	
\$40,000 to \$69,999 .....	539	504	26	9	6	6	3	2	—	
\$70,000 to \$99,999 .....	615	564	29	22	22	22	—	—	—	
\$100,000 to \$149,999 .....	866	778	43	44	42	42	2	1	1	
\$150,000 to \$199,999 .....	800	762	22	15	13	13	2	2	1	
\$200,000 to \$499,999 .....	1 926	1 678	101	139	134	131	5	5	8	
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....	439	309	41	77	74	74	3	2	12	
\$1,000,000 to \$1,999,999 .....	113	56	19	31	28	27	3	3	7	
\$2,000,000 to \$4,999,999 .....	36	18	3	14	13	13	1	1	1	
\$5,000,000 or more .....	4	2	—	2	2	2	—	—	—	
<b>VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup></b>										
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ..... farms.. \$1,000..	5 794 282 151	5 083 206 436	309 25 247	368 47 915	345 43 793	341 43 228	23 4 122	20 3 937	34 2 554	
Farms by value group:										
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	670	615	48	6	5	5	1	1	1	
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	742	679	32	29	26	26	3	2	2	
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....	1 205	1 109	37	49	49	48	—	—	10	
\$20,000 to \$49,999 .....	1 618	1 474	70	62	58	57	4	4	12	
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	790	657	48	84	79	79	5	4	1	
\$100,000 to \$199,999 .....	496	388	40	64	59	59	5	4	4	
\$200,000 to \$499,999 .....	232	150	25	54	52	50	2	2	3	
\$500,000 or more .....	41	11	9	20	17	17	3	3	1	
<b>SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup></b>										
Motortrucks, including pickups ..... farms.. number..	5 141 11 261	4 507 8 915	265 774	346 1 500	323 1 424	319 1 405	23 76	20 65	23 72	
Wheel tractors ..... farms.. number..	5 092 11 767	4 466 9 751	272 813	323 1 130	308 1 074	306 (D)	15 56	14 (D)	31 73	
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms.. number..	3 315 5 155	2 933 4 552	169 237	193 338	183 326	183 326	10 12	9 (D)	20 28	
40 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms.. number..	3 236 6 612	2 779 5 199	206 576	227 792	220 748	218 (D)	7 44	7 44	24 45	
40 to 99 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms.. number..	3 075 5 346	2 640 4 371	200 (D)	211 519	205 494	203 (D)	6 25	6 25	24 (D)	
100 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms.. number..	647 1 266	493 828	56 (D)	96 273	93 254	93 254	3 19	3 19	2 (D)	
Grain and bean combines ..... farms.. number..	230 254	170 187	25 (D)	34 37	32 (D)	32 (D)	2 (D)	2 (D)	1 (D)	
Cotton pickers and strippers ..... farms.. number..	— —	— —	— —	— —	— —	— —	— —	— —	— —	
Mower conditioners ..... farms.. number..	1 970 2 183	1 679 1 853	130 142	147 174	145 (D)	144 (D)	2 (D)	2 (D)	14 14	
Pickup balers ..... farms.. number..	2 126 2 514	1 850 2 172	134 178	128 149	127 (D)	126 (D)	1 (D)	1 (D)	14 15	
<b>AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS<sup>1</sup></b>										
Commercial fertilizer ..... farms.. acres on which used..	2 921 234 911	2 448 139 843	214 28 628	239 64 329	225 59 777	224 (D)	14 4 552	13 (D)	20 2 111	
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—										
Insects on hay and other crops ..... farms.. acres on which used..	1 449 113 473	1 193 61 622	88 13 890	157 36 594	148 33 084	147 (D)	9 9	9 3 510	11 3 510	
Nematodes in crops ..... farms.. acres on which used..	92 4 923	79 3 025	3 252	10 1 646	9 (D)	9 (D)	1 (D)	1 (D)	— —	
Diseases in crops and orchards ..... farms.. acres on which used..	869 86 353	700 44 297	49 9 022	112 31 808	107 29 493	106 (D)	5 2 315	5 2 315	8 1 226	
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture ..... farms.. acres on which used..	1 428 149 286	1 133 77 191	108 19 651	176 50 998	169 47 589	168 (D)	7 3 409	7 3 409	11 1 446	
Chemicals used on crops to control growth, thin fruit, or defoliate ..... farms.. acres on which used..	383 45 461	291 26 416	34 5 920	54 12 937	48 11 219	47 (D)	6 1 718	6 1 718	4 188	

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<b>TENURE AND RACE OF OPERATOR</b>										
All operators .....	5 810	5 064	306	403	362	358	41	36	37	
Full owners .....	3 829	3 437	158	205	181	180	24	20	29	
Part owners .....	1 654	1 369	122	156	149	147	7	7	7	
Tenants .....	327	258	26	42	32	31	10	9	1	
White .....	5 790	5 048	305	402	361	357	41	36	35	
Full owners .....	3 813	3 425	157	204	180	179	24	20	27	
Part owners .....	1 650	1 365	122	156	149	147	7	7	7	
Tenants .....	327	258	26	42	32	31	10	9	1	
Black and other races .....	20	16	1	1	1	1	—	—	2	
Full owners .....	16	12	1	1	1	1	—	—	2	
Part owners .....	4	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Tenants .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
<b>OWNED AND RENTED LAND</b>										
Land owned..... farms..	5 485	4 808	280	361	330	327	31	27	36	
acres..	1 008 270	748 793	83 483	158 419	151 307	150 110	7 112	6 006	17 575	
Owned land in farms .....	5 483	4 806	280	361	330	327	31	27	36	
acres..	985 902	730 890	82 002	155 674	148 594	147 397	7 080	(D)	17 336	
Land rented or leased from others .....	farms..	1 990	1 635	149	198	181	178	17	16	
acres..	227 375	166 404	24 813	35 186	(D)	31 216	(D)	(D)	972	
landlords..	6 122	4 834	648	596	552	548	44	44	44	
Rented or leased land in farms .....	farms..	1 981	1 627	148	198	181	178	17	16	
acres..	225 746	165 516	24 218	35 040	31 371	(D)	3 669	(D)	972	
Land rented or leased to others .....	farms..	435	376	24	30	28	28	2	5	
acres..	23 997	18 791	2 076	2 891	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	239	
<b>OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS</b>										
Operators by place of residence:										
On farm operated .....	4 727	4 238	217	253	239	238	14	14	19	
Not on farm operated .....	717	515	74	116	94	91	22	17	12	
Not reported .....	366	311	15	34	29	29	5	5	6	
Operators by principal occupation:										
Farming .....	2 872	2 373	195	285	262	258	23	20	19	
Other .....	2 938	2 691	111	118	100	100	18	16	18	
Operators by days worked off farm:										
None .....	2 246	1 874	136	216	199	197	17	15	20	
Any .....	3 263	2 936	152	163	139	137	24	21	12	
1 to 99 days .....	643	547	43	51	45	43	6	4	2	
100 to 199 days .....	662	586	34	38	31	31	7	7	4	
200 days or more .....	1 958	1 803	75	74	63	63	11	10	6	
Not reported .....	301	254	18	24	24	24	—	—	5	
Operators by years on present farm:										
2 years or less .....	208	171	16	19	14	14	5	5	2	
3 or 4 years .....	280	246	18	14	12	12	2	2	2	
5 to 9 years .....	781	684	37	53	46	46	7	6	7	
10 years or more .....	3 713	3 249	198	252	232	229	20	17	14	
Average years on present farm .....	20.5	20.4	21.8	21.0	21.8	21.8	13.0	13.1	15.5	
Not reported .....	828	714	37	65	58	57	7	6	12	
Operators by age group:										
Under 25 years .....	39	35	1	3	3	3	—	—	—	
25 to 34 years .....	286	257	16	10	8	8	2	1	3	
35 to 44 years .....	1 113	948	59	99	85	84	14	11	7	
45 to 49 years .....	824	711	49	57	50	50	7	7	7	
50 to 54 years .....	794	714	33	43	40	40	3	3	4	
55 to 59 years .....	727	636	32	53	51	51	2	2	6	
60 to 64 years .....	636	547	32	54	50	47	4	3	3	
65 to 69 years .....	522	451	38	32	28	28	4	4	1	
70 years and over .....	869	765	46	52	47	47	5	5	6	
Average age .....	54.4	54.5	54.7	53.8	54.1	54.1	51.6	52.7	53.1	
Operators by sex:										
Male .....	4 991	4 327	264	364	328	325	36	31	36	
Female .....	619	737	42	39	34	33	5	5	1	
Operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin (see text) .....	36	30	4	2	2	2	—	—	—	
<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION</b>										
Individual or family (sole proprietorship)..... farms..	5 064	5 064	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
acres..	896 406	896 406	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Partnership .....	farms..	306	—	306	—	—	—	—	—	
acres..	106 220	—	106 220	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Corporation:										
Family held .....	farms..	362	—	362	362	358	—	—	—	
acres..	179 965	—	179 965	179 965	(D)	—	—	—	—	
More than 10 stockholders .....	farms..	4	—	4	4	—	—	—	—	
10 or less stockholders .....	farms..	358	—	358	358	358	—	—	—	
Other than family held .....	farms..	41	—	41	—	—	41	36	—	
acres..	10 749	—	10 749	—	—	—	10 749	9 525	—	
More than 10 stockholders .....	farms..	5	—	5	—	—	5	—	—	
10 or less stockholders .....	farms..	36	—	36	—	—	36	36	—	
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. ....	farms..	37	—	—	—	—	—	—	37	
acres..	18 308	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	18 308	

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<b>INJURIES AND DEATHS</b>										
Farm-related injuries:										
Operator and family members .....	farms..	52	37	5	10	8	8	2	1	
number..		57	38	7	12	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	
Hired workers .....	farms..	72	34	6	29	25	24	4	3	
number..		177	44	10	120	(D)	(D)	(D)	3	
Farm-related deaths:										
Operator and family members .....	farms..	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	
number..		(D)	—	(D)	—	—	—	—	—	
Hired workers .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
number..		—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
<b>F FARMS BY SIZE</b>										
1 to 9 acres .....		533	456	20	51	38	37	13	12	
10 to 49 acres .....		1 184	1 076	50	55	47	47	8	7	
50 to 69 acres .....		458	424	12	21	20	20	1	1	
70 to 99 acres .....		546	518	19	8	8	8	—	1	
100 to 139 acres .....		689	626	26	34	28	27	6	4	
140 to 179 acres .....		417	388	15	13	11	11	2	2	
180 to 219 acres .....		328	289	21	16	15	15	1	1	
220 to 259 acres .....		267	231	16	18	17	16	1	2	
260 to 499 acres .....		846	693	62	80	75	75	5	5	
500 to 999 acres .....		398	283	44	68	66	66	2	1	
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....		113	69	16	25	25	24	—	3	
2,000 acres or more .....		31	11	5	14	12	12	2	1	
<b>F FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM</b>										
Oilseed and grain farming (1111) .....		179	156	12	10	10	10	—	1	
Vegetable and melon farming (1112) .....		733	594	66	67	63	63	4	6	
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113) .....		805	705	32	63	56	55	7	5	
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114) .....		704	565	40	97	84	84	13	2	
Other crop farming (1119) .....		1 224	1 139	41	34	30	30	4	10	
Tobacco farming (11191) .....		—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Cotton farming (11192) .....		—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199) .....		1 224	1 139	41	34	30	30	4	10	
Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111) .....		699	657	22	16	16	16	—	4	
Cattle feedlots (112112) .....		95	87	3	4	4	4	—	1	
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212) .....		535	422	59	53	53	52	—	1	
Hog and pig farming (1122) .....		71	67	—	3	1	1	2	1	
Poultry and egg production (1123) .....		104	91	1	12	10	10	2	2	
Sheep and goat farming (1124) .....		193	179	9	5	4	4	1	—	
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129) .....		468	402	21	39	31	29	8	6	
<b>L LIVESTOCK</b>										
Cattle and calves inventory .....	farms..	1 921	1 705	110	95	93	92	2	2	
number..		101 695	73 159	13 817	14 157	(D)	(D)	(D)	11	
Farms with—									562	
1 to 9 .....		616	581	21	12	11	11	1	2	
10 to 49 .....		734	684	30	15	14	14	1	5	
50 to 99 .....		271	229	22	17	17	17	—	3	
100 to 199 .....		201	155	19	27	27	26	—	—	
200 to 499 .....		83	50	12	20	20	20	—	1	
500 or more .....		16	6	6	4	4	4	—	—	
Cows and heifers that had calved .....	farms..	1 588	1 393	103	81	81	80	—	11	
number..		52 531	36 856	8 048	7 345	7 345	(D)	—	282	
Beef cows .....	farms..	1 035	951	50	27	27	27	—	7	
number..		11 782	10 305	(D)	726	726	726	—	(D)	
Farms with—										
1 to 9 .....		667	621	33	11	11	11	—	2	
10 to 49 .....		341	310	13	13	13	13	—	5	
50 to 99 .....		20	14	4	2	2	2	—	—	
100 to 199 .....		5	4	—	1	1	1	—	—	
200 to 499 .....		2	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	
500 or more .....		—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Milk cows .....	farms..	685	560	64	57	57	56	—	4	
number..		40 749	26 551	(D)	6 619	6 619	(D)	—	(D)	
Farms with—										
1 to 4 .....		131	122	5	2	2	2	—	2	
5 to 9 .....		25	24	1	—	—	—	—	—	
10 to 49 .....		229	203	17	8	8	8	—	1	
50 to 99 .....		202	159	21	22	22	21	—	—	
100 to 199 .....		68	38	12	17	17	17	—	1	
200 to 499 .....		26	13	6	7	7	7	—	—	
500 or more .....		4	1	2	1	1	1	—	—	
Heifers and heifer calves .....	farms..	1 432	1 249	95	79	78	77	1	9	
number..		39 222	28 011	5 255	5 762	(D)	(D)	(D)	194	
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves .....	farms..	1 320	1 180	73	60	59	58	1	7	
number..		9 942	8 292	514	1 050	(D)	(D)	(D)	86	

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<b>LIVESTOCK—Con.</b>										
Cattle and calves sold .....	farms..	1 631	1 430	104	87	86	85	1	1	
number..	37 889	26 990	3 545	7 148	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	10	
\$1,000..	10 222	7 698	839	1 617	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	206	
Calves .....	farms..	991	850	73	61	60	59	1	1	
number..	19 721	13 353	1 901	4 385	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	7	
\$1,000..	1 284	1 070	94	110	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	82	
Cattle .....	farms..	1 358	1 179	92	78	77	76	1	1	
number..	18 168	13 637	1 644	2 763	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	10	
\$1,000..	8 938	6 627	746	1 507	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	9	
Fattened on grain and concentrates .....	farms..	256	231	12	11	11	11	—	124	
number..	2 699	2 406	(D)	161	161	161	161	—	58	
\$1,000..	1 751	1 581	(D)	92	92	92	92	—	(D)	
Hogs and pigs inventory .....	farms..	341	311	14	12	8	8	4	4	
number..	5 977	4 678	(D)	951	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	
Farms with—										
1 to 24 .....		310	284	14	9	7	7	2	2	
25 to 49 .....		8	8	—	—	—	—	—	3	
50 to 99 .....		12	10	—	2	1	1	1	—	
100 to 199 .....		7	7	—	—	—	—	—	—	
200 to 499 .....		2	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	
500 or more .....		2	1	—	1	—	—	1	—	
Used or to be used for breeding .....	farms..	137	124	3	7	4	4	3	3	
number..	(D)	935	(D)	180	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	
Other .....	farms..	302	273	13	12	8	8	4	4	
number..	(D)	3 743	32	771	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	
Hogs and pigs sold .....	farms..	261	246	4	8	5	5	3	3	
number..	9 226	7 432	(D)	1 548	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	
\$1,000..	1 360	714	4	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	
Feeder pigs .....	farms..	53	51	—	1	1	1	—	1	
number..	(D)	3 247	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	
\$1,000..	(D)	129	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	(D)	
Litters of pigs farrowed between—										
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30 .....	farms..	153	140	3	7	4	4	3	3	
number..	(D)	1 004	6	(D)	27	27	(D)	(D)	(D)	
Dec. 1 and May 31 .....	farms..	133	121	3	6	4	4	2	3	
number..	980	560	3	(D)	17	17	(D)	(D)	(D)	
June 1 and Nov. 30 .....	farms..	92	82	3	6	3	3	3	2	
number..	(D)	444	3	(D)	10	10	(D)	(D)	(D)	
Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory .....	farms..	426	397	16	10	8	8	2	3	
number..	10 603	9 639	728	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	
Ewes 1 year old or older .....	farms..	379	354	14	8	6	6	2	3	
number..	6 488	5 994	388	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	
Sheep and lambs sold .....	farms..	355	334	15	5	5	5	—	1	
number..	7 970	7 287	(D)	158	158	158	158	—	(D)	
Sheep and lambs shorn .....	farms..	352	330	13	6	6	6	—	3	
number..	8 572	7 875	(D)	25	25	25	25	—	(D)	
pounds of wool..	65 654	60 696	(D)	208	208	208	208	—	(D)	
Horses and ponies inventory .....	farms..	1 014	917	46	44	36	36	8	7	
number..	5 750	4 746	306	648	552	552	96	96	50	
Horses and ponies sold .....	farms..	214	194	11	9	7	7	2	—	
number..	810	521	25	264	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	
Goats inventory .....	farms..	214	198	9	6	3	3	3	1	
number..	2 214	1 561	164	(D)	20	20	(D)	(D)	(D)	
Goats sold .....	farms..	66	60	3	3	2	2	1	—	
number..	657	581	28	48	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	
<b>POULTRY</b>										
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text) .....	farms..	554	491	36	23	18	18	5	4	
number..	6 134	383	(D)	506	768	(D)	(D)	(D)	37	
Farms with—										
1 to 399 .....		519	465	35	15	11	11	4	4	
400 to 3,199 .....		4	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	
3,200 to 9,999 .....		—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
10,000 to 19,999 .....		7	6	—	1	1	1	—	—	
20,000 to 49,999 .....		14	9	1	4	3	3	1	—	
50,000 to 99,999 .....		7	5	—	2	2	2	—	—	
100,000 or more .....		3	2	—	1	1	1	—	—	
Layers 20 weeks old and older .....	farms..	532	473	35	20	15	15	5	4	
number..	5 019	263	(D)	335	362	(D)	(D)	(D)	37	
Pullets 13 weeks old and older but less than 20 weeks old .....	farms..	109	92	7	10	9	9	1	—	
number..	1 115	120	943	580	134	171	406	(D)	—	
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold (see text) .....	farms..	98	82	5	11	10	10	1	—	
number..	6 977	638	6 501	959	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold .....	farms..	73	66	3	4	3	3	1	—	
number..	199	416	180	429	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	
Farms with—										
1 to 1,999 .....		68	63	3	2	1	1	1	—	
2,000 to 59,999 .....		3	1	—	2	2	2	—	—	
60,000 to 99,999 .....		2	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	
100,000 or more .....		—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Turkey hens kept for breeding .....	farms..	25	22	—	3	3	3	—	—	
number..	170	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	—	
Turkeys sold .....	farms..	99	87	4	8	7	7	1	1	
number..	9 364	7 111	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 47. Summary by Type of Organization: 1997—Con.**

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

Item	Total	Individual or family	Partnership	Corporation					Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc.	
				Total	Family held		Other than family held			
					Total	10 or less stock-holders	Total	10 or less stock-holders		
<b>SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED</b>										
Corn for silage or green chop.....	farms.. acres..	332 27 537	241 15 668	44 (D)	45 6 322	45 6 322	45 6 322	— —	— —	
Irrigated .....	farms.. acres..	447 405 (D)	250 043 21	— (D)	110 584 —	110 584 —	110 584 —	— —	— —	
Farms by acres harvested:										
1 to 24 acres .....		104	93	10	1	1	1	—	—	
25 to 99 acres .....		134	98	17	18	18	18	—	1	
100 to 249 acres .....		69	38	9	21	21	21	—	1	
250 to 499 acres .....		24	12	7	5	5	5	—	—	
500 acres or more .....		1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	
Oats for grain .....	farms.. acres.. bushels..	272 22 364 1 643 127	209 12 168 879 357	27 (D)	31 6 752	28 6 192	3 560	3 560	5 (D)	
Irrigated .....	farms.. acres..	1 (D)	1 (D)	— —	511 592 —	458 892 —	52 700 —	52 700 —	— —	
Potatoes, excluding sweetpotatoes .....	farms.. acres.. cwt..	586 73 085 19 490 474	455 44 569 11 674 495	61 10 576 2 863 852	64 17 740 4 897 502	60 16 335 4 512 895	4 1 405 384 607	4 1 405 384 607	6 200 54 625	
Irrigated .....	farms.. acres..	100 (D)	61 3 197	16 (D)	21 3 761	20 (D)	20 (D)	1 (D)	2 (D)	
Farms by acres harvested:										
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....		137	124	8	4	3	3	1	1	
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....		72	55	10	5	5	5	—	2	
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....		117	105	7	2	2	2	—	3	
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....		167	121	20	26	26	26	—	—	
250.0 acres or more .....		93	50	16	27	24	24	3	3	
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) .....	farms.. acres.. tons, dry..	2 810 214 005 332 039	2 528 174 759 264 771	138 18 905 31 497	128 18 469 32 917	120 18 235 32 744	119 (D) (D)	8 234 173	16 (D) (D)	
Irrigated .....	farms.. acres..	26 958	22 852	2 (D)	2 (D)	2 (D)	2 (D)	— —	— —	
Farms by acres harvested:										
1 to 24 acres .....		986	930	29	24	19	19	5	5	
25 to 99 acres .....		1 147	1 050	50	40	37	37	3	2	
100 to 249 acres .....		493	417	35	38	38	37	—	3	
250 to 499 acres .....		160	115	20	22	22	22	—	3	
500 acres or more .....		24	16	4	4	4	4	—	—	
Tame hay other than alfalfa, small grain, and wild hay (see text) .....	farms.. acres.. tons, dry..	2 005 119 468 187 105	1 796 101 969 158 691	109 8 160 12 361	89 8 384 14 254	83 8 168 14 093	83 8 168 14 093	6 216 161	5 (D) (D)	
Irrigated .....	farms.. acres..	12 177	9 131	1 (D)	2 (D)	2 (D)	2 (D)	— —	— —	
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text) .....	farms.. acres..	611 11 745	525 4 536	41 (D)	38 6 381	34 (D)	34 (D)	4 1	4 (D) (D)	
Irrigated .....	farms.. acres..	212 5 665	181 1 001	9 85	19 4 576	18 (D)	18 (D)	1 (D)	1 (D) (D)	
Farms by acres harvested:										
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....		367	329	19	14	11	11	3	3	
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....		164	146	9	8	8	8	—	1	
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....		71	46	12	12	12	12	—	1	
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....		7	4	1	2	2	2	—	—	
250.0 acres or more .....		2	—	—	2	1	1	1	1	
Land in orchards .....	farms.. acres..	334 5 170	296 2 623	11 152	23 2 384	20 (D)	19 (D)	3 1	3 (D) (D)	
Irrigated .....	farms.. acres..	37 325	32 133	— —	4 (D)	3 (D)	3 (D)	1 (D)	1 (D)	
Farms by bearing and nonbearing acres:										
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....		193	178	5	6	5	5	1	1	
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....		93	87	4	2	1	1	1	—	
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....		40	29	2	9	8	8	1	1	
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....		6	2	—	4	4	4	—	—	
250.0 acres or more .....		2	—	—	2	2	1	—	—	
Berries harvested for sale ....	farms.. acres..	820 (D)	712 9 602	37 776	64 13 122	57 (D)	57 (D)	7 3	6 (D) (D)	
Irrigated .....	farms.. acres..	143 (D)	113 418	8 38	18 (D)	15 (D)	15 (D)	3 (D)	4 (D)	

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

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

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

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

Item	Total farming and other occupations	Farming						
		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
<b>F FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS</b>								
Farms .....	number..	5 810	2 872	20	164	513	660	662
	percent..	100.0	49.4	.3	2.8	8.8	11.4	14.7
Land in farms .....	acres..	1 211	648	820	375	2 548	202	223
Average size of farm .....	acres..	209	286	127	39	841	253	994
					243	277	306	338
<b>M MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD</b>								
Total sales (see text) .....	farms..	5 810	2 872	20	164	513	660	662
\$1,000..		438 673	390 599	1 650	19 746	72 689	93 401	145 284
Average per farm .....	dollars..	75 503	136 002	82 521	120 401	141 695	141 517	219 462
								57 828
Farms by value of sales:								67 794
Less than \$1,000 (see text) .....		1 020	254	—	9	49	42	52
\$1,000 to \$2,499 .....		903	280	—	10	32	45	50
\$2,500 to \$4,999 .....		743	259	1	13	34	47	47
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....		751	329	2	7	47	77	70
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....		621	325	5	18	63	66	66
\$20,000 to \$24,999 .....		177	105	—	9	22	26	24
\$25,000 to \$39,999 .....		309	194	—	21	26	51	43
\$40,000 to \$49,999 .....		129	97	1	4	18	27	22
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....		390	315	7	26	58	72	91
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....		414	389	3	31	87	113	104
\$250,000 to \$499,999 .....		212	195	—	12	49	55	55
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....		88	83	1	2	18	25	25
\$1,000,000 to \$2,499,999 .....		39	34	—	1	8	10	9
\$2,500,000 to \$4,999,999 .....		7	7	—	1	1	3	1
\$5,000,000 or more .....		7	6	—	—	1	1	1
Grains .....	farms..	407	333	7	24	69	97	86
	\$1,000..	6 793	6 382	55	260	1 046	1 915	1 886
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	37	36	—	—	6	12	12
	\$1,000..	3 144	(D)	—	—	(D)	873	915
Corn for grain .....	farms..	17	15	—	—	3	3	2
	\$1,000..	785	(D)	—	—	(D)	(D)	382
Wheat .....	farms..	11	10	—	—	2	3	4
	\$1,000..	124	(D)	—	—	(D)	(D)	17
Soybeans .....	farms..	16	13	—	—	2	5	5
	\$1,000..	113	106	—	—	(D)	47	37
Sorghum for grain .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Barley .....	farms..	164	150	5	11	33	45	36
	\$1,000..	3 162	2 918	36	165	556	907	936
Oats .....	farms..	209	167	4	11	37	54	44
	\$1,000..	1 882	1 777	19	(D)	324	730	439
Other grains .....	farms..	63	46	—	3	8	8	11
	\$1,000..	727	677	—	(D)	28	(D)	75
Cotton and cottonseed .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hay, silage, and field seeds .....	farms..	1 574	753	3	30	105	151	166
	\$1,000..	9 747	6 194	(D)	(D)	(D)	1 713	2 040
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	18	15	—	—	7	6	2
	\$1,000..	1 925	1 669	—	—	(D)	901	(D)
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons .....	farms..	611	403	2	22	87	107	97
	\$1,000..	16 974	15 716	(D)	(D)	5 019	6 230	2 335
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	37	34	1	1	10	5	11
	\$1,000..	11 905	11 696	(D)	(D)	4 410	(D)	1 127
Fruits, nuts, and berries .....	farms..	963	403	3	10	76	86	90
	\$1,000..	47 118	36 027	31	174	13 035	2 659	12 272
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	108	71	—	2	21	12	18
	\$1,000..	39 212	32 508	—	(D)	12 623	(D)	11 388
Nursery and greenhouse crops .....	farms..	926	442	1	16	99	127	110
	\$1,000..	29 852	20 880	(D)	(D)	7 025	5 447	5 472
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	113	81	—	1	24	24	23
	\$1,000..	22 577	16 718	—	(D)	6 196	4 277	4 201
Other crops .....	farms..	813	609	13	79	109	157	151
	\$1,000..	101 745	95 947	1 360	7 069	16 537	33 001	26 840
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	344	325	10	42	67	96	80
	\$1,000..	97 738	92 883	1 292	6 331	16 139	32 335	26 403
Poultry and poultry products .....	farms..	396	208	—	7	51	62	60
	\$1,000..	73 299	72 259	—	276	3 606	6 952	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	47	42	—	3	12	12	5
	\$1,000..	72 822	71 896	—	273	3 578	6 840	(D)
Dairy products .....	farms..	565	526	—	29	107	147	137
	\$1,000..	95 420	91 212	—	4 280	18 121	29 437	22 828
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	422	409	—	22	78	111	123
	\$1,000..	92 113	88 366	—	4 168	17 490	28 529	22 435
Cattle and calves .....	farms..	1 631	993	2	38	167	251	247
	\$1,000..	10 222	7 716	(D)	(D)	1 186	2 149	2 441
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	26	25	—	1	5	7	9
	\$1,000..	2 443	(D)	—	(D)	379	682	1 081
								165

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

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

Item		Other occupations						
		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
<b>F FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS</b>								
Farms .....	number..	2 938	19	122	600	958	701	538
	percent..	50.6	.3	2.1	10.3	16.5	12.1	9.3
Land in farms .....	acres..	391 273	1 886	8 474	68 228	124 568	102 292	85 825
Average size of farm .....	acres..	133	99	69	114	130	146	160
<b>M MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD</b>								
Total sales (see text) .....	farms..	2 938	19	122	600	958	701	538
\$1,000..		48 074	963	1 373	15 163	12 911	7 170	10 493
Average per farm .....	dollars..	16 363	50 673	11 254	25 271	13 477	10 229	19 504
Farms by value of sales:								
Less than \$1,000 (see text) .....		766	2	27	162	265	165	145
\$1,000 to \$2,499 .....		623	4	28	132	184	155	120
\$2,500 to \$4,999 .....		484	2	26	86	172	119	79
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....		422	3	12	78	130	112	87
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....		296	—	15	62	89	75	55
\$20,000 to \$24,999 .....		72	1	2	17	25	18	9
\$25,000 to \$39,999 .....		115	1	7	23	40	24	20
\$40,000 to \$49,999 .....		32	—	—	9	12	8	3
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....		75	4	4	18	23	17	9
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....		25	1	—	6	10	5	3
\$250,000 to \$499,999 .....		17	—	1	2	6	2	6
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....		5	1	—	3	—	1	—
\$1,000,000 to \$2,499,999 .....		5	—	—	1	2	—	2
\$2,500,000 to \$4,999,999 .....		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$5,000,000 or more .....		1	—	—	1	—	—	—
Grains .....	farms..	74	2	5	14	26	20	7
	\$1,000..	411	(D)	45	41	102	(D)	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	1	—	—	—	—	—	1
	\$1,000..	(D)	—	—	—	—	—	(D)
Corn for grain .....	farms..	2	—	—	1	1	—	—
	\$1,000..	(D)	—	—	(D)	(D)	—	—
Wheat .....	farms..	1	—	—	—	—	—	1
	\$1,000..	(D)	—	—	—	—	(D)	—
Soybeans .....	farms..	3	—	1	—	1	1	—
	\$1,000..	7	—	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	—
Sorghum for grain .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Barley .....	farms..	14	1	2	1	6	3	1
	\$1,000..	244	(D)	(D)	(D)	59	15	(D)
Oats .....	farms..	42	2	2	8	12	16	2
	\$1,000..	105	(D)	(D)	29	(D)	37	(D)
Other grains .....	farms..	17	—	1	4	6	2	4
	\$1,000..	51	—	(D)	(D)	25	(D)	15
Cotton and cottonseed .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hay, silage, and field seeds .....	farms..	821	1	27	135	275	226	157
	\$1,000..	3 553	(D)	(D)	630	1 189	1 081	532
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	3	—	1	1	1	1	—
	\$1,000..	256	—	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	—
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons .....	farms..	208	1	10	60	74	33	30
	\$1,000..	1 257	(D)	(D)	252	488	270	141
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	3	—	1	—	1	1	—
	\$1,000..	209	—	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	—
Fruits, nuts, and berries .....	farms..	560	5	15	89	171	124	156
	\$1,000..	11 091	250	192	941	5 508	1 544	2 656
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	37	3	2	5	12	5	10
	\$1,000..	6 704	(D)	(D)	317	4 218	450	1 329
Nursery and greenhouse crops .....	farms..	484	—	19	105	182	103	75
	\$1,000..	8 973	—	112	3 094	2 756	1 248	1 764
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	32	—	—	8	14	5	5
	\$1,000..	5 858	—	—	2 326	1 690	530	1 312
Other crops .....	farms..	204	4	18	46	61	42	33
	\$1,000..	5 799	(D)	512	1 060	1 051	472	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	19	1	2	5	6	4	1
	\$1,000..	4 854	(D)	(D)	885	730	262	(D)
Poultry and poultry products .....	farms..	188	—	15	52	70	38	13
	\$1,000..	1 040	—	35	(D)	197	(D)	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	5	—	—	—	2	2	1
	\$1,000..	925	—	—	—	(D)	(D)	(D)
Dairy products .....	farms..	39	3	1	17	9	6	3
	\$1,000..	4 208	134	(D)	574	295	989	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	13	2	—	5	2	3	1
	\$1,000..	3 747	(D)	—	380	(D)	948	(D)
Cattle and calves .....	farms..	638	8	30	162	190	173	75
	\$1,000..	2 506	18	112	535	708	784	349
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	1	—	—	—	—	—	1
	\$1,000..	(D)	—	—	—	—	—	(D)

See footnotes at end of table.

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

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

Item	Total farming and other occupations	Farming								
		Total	Age of operator (years)							
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over		
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD—Con.</b>										
Total sales (see text)—Con.										
Hogs and pigs..... farms.. \$1,000..	261 1 360	110 1 023	—	5 (D)	28 (D)	31 118	25 202	21 36		
Sales of \$50,000 or more..... farms.. \$1,000..	3 752	3 752	—	—	(D)	1 (D)	1 (D)	—		
Sheep, lambs, and wool..... farms.. \$1,000..	407 578	179 314	—	6 6	41 118	46 29	41 82	45 79		
Sales of \$50,000 or more..... farms.. \$1,000..	— —	— —	—	—	—	—	—	—		
Other livestock and livestock products (see text)..... farms.. \$1,000..	452 45 563	231 36 928	—	11 (D)	60 5 663	75 3 751	43 5 435	42 (D)		
Sales of \$50,000 or more..... farms.. \$1,000..	29 43 702	20 (D)	—	4 (D)	7 5 355	4 3 435	4 (D)	—		
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text)..... farms.. \$1,000..	1 177 8 314	591 6 650	3 (D)	23 (D)	130 1 267	138 1 206	147 2 176	150 1 688		
<b>FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES<sup>1</sup></b>										
Total farm production expenses..... farms.. \$1,000..	5 801 347 611	2 894 301 921	21 1 059	138 11 894	450 56 408	595 72 211	723 116 688	967 43 662		
Average per farm..... dollars..	59 923	104 327	50 419	86 186	125 350	121 364	161 394	45 152		
Livestock and poultry purchased..... farms.. \$1,000..	1 234 11 988	650 9 038	—	36 391	133 1 860	170 2 152	163 3 086	148 1 549		
Farms with expenses of—										
\$1 to \$4,999.....	941	416	—	24	81	99	111	101		
\$5,000 to \$24,999.....	208	157	—	10	35	45	28	39		
\$25,000 to \$99,999.....	65	61	—	1	13	23	19	5		
\$100,000 to \$249,999.....	12	10	—	1	3	3	1	2		
\$250,000 or more.....	8	6	—	—	1	—	4	1		
Feed for livestock and poultry..... farms.. \$1,000..	2 201 79 605	1 188 74 031	10 5	52 2 783	219 8 867	275 13 761	332 38 619	300 9 997		
Farms with expenses of—										
\$1 to \$4,999.....	1 624	685	10	21	131	133	195	195		
\$5,000 to \$24,999.....	194	139	—	5	16	43	26	49		
\$25,000 to \$99,999.....	267	255	—	20	45	68	84	38		
\$100,000 to \$249,999.....	77	74	—	4	21	16	19	14		
\$250,000 or more.....	39	35	—	2	6	15	8	4		
Commercially mixed formula feeds..... farms.. \$1,000..	1 553 51 161	889 46 422	—	46 2 544	189 7 046	223 11 156	244 16 620	187 9 056		
Farms with expenses of—										
\$1 to \$4,999.....	1 052	439	—	15	102	102	121	99		
\$5,000 to \$24,999.....	156	123	—	6	23	29	26	39		
\$25,000 to \$99,999.....	251	240	—	21	45	66	75	33		
\$100,000 or more.....	94	87	—	4	19	26	22	16		
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees..... farms.. \$1,000..	2 076 13 757	1 304 12 636	17 116	50 581	239 3 411	316 3 648	383 3 519	299 1 360		
Farms with expenses of—										
\$1 to \$999.....	1 220	620	1	19	108	140	151	201		
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	450	330	11	8	52	74	127	58		
\$5,000 to \$24,999.....	259	214	4	11	49	60	65	25		
\$25,000 to \$49,999.....	90	84	—	10	19	26	19	10		
\$50,000 or more.....	57	56	1	2	11	16	21	5		
Commercial fertilizer..... farms.. \$1,000..	3 031 16 537	1 745 14 386	17 100	59 662	256 2 799	391 4 875	501 3 995	521 1 956		
Farms with expenses of—										
\$1 to \$4,999.....	2 466	1 254	13	30	158	249	362	442		
\$5,000 to \$24,999.....	387	322	2	20	70	81	88	61		
\$25,000 to \$49,999.....	113	108	2	7	22	36	33	8		
\$50,000 or more.....	65	61	—	2	6	25	18	10		
Agricultural chemicals..... farms.. \$1,000..	2 346 17 435	1 403 15 756	15 123	64 654	197 3 550	284 5 059	431 4 268	412 2 102		
Farms with expenses of—										
\$1 to \$4,999.....	1 875	986	11	39	108	163	319	346		
\$5,000 to \$24,999.....	274	230	3	14	47	59	59	48		
\$25,000 to \$49,999.....	111	106	—	9	25	34	29	9		
\$50,000 or more.....	86	81	1	2	17	28	24	9		
Petroleum products..... farms.. \$1,000..	5 494 14 829	2 836 12 034	21 59	137 443	443 2 246	574 3 844	718 3 530	943 1 912		
Farms with expenses of—										
\$1 to \$4,999.....	4 832	2 239	18	111	311	396	554	849		
\$5,000 to \$24,999.....	582	528	3	24	117	152	146	86		
\$25,000 to \$49,999.....	51	44	—	2	12	13	11	6		
\$50,000 or more.....	29	25	—	—	3	13	7	2		
Gasoline and gasohol..... farms.. \$1,000..	4 479 5 758	2 434 2 054	7 27	77 141	386 801	490 1 352	628 1 473	846 818		
Diesel fuel..... farms.. \$1,000..	3 647	19	—	—	123	303	464	537		
Natural gas..... farms.. \$1,000..	5 896	5 054	23	226	938	1 754	1 332	781		
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc..... farms.. \$1,000..	88 61	61 58	—	13	17 7	8 4	18 24	9 11		
	3 756 3 114	2 178 2 310	21 9	83 63	377 501	493 733	553 702	651 301		

See footnotes at end of table.

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

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

Item		Other occupations						
		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD—Con.</b>								
Total sales (see text)—Con.								
Hogs and pigs .....	farms..	151	1	12	61	40	27	10
\$1,000..		337	(D)	29	139	94	66	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sheep, lambs, and wool .....	farms..	228	1	9	46	88	55	29
\$1,000..		264	(D)	(D)	58	91	85	27
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other livestock and livestock products (see text) .....	farms..	221	—	15	72	82	36	16
\$1,000..		8 635	(D)	(D)	(D)	433	173	117
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	9	—	—	4	2	2	1
\$1,000..		(D)	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text) .....	farms..	586	1	24	158	215	124	64
\$1,000..		1 664	(D)	(D)	394	725	328	140
<b>FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES<sup>1</sup></b>								
Total farm production expenses .....	farms..	2 907	18	162	621	970	653	483
\$1,000..		45 690	364	1 813	12 387	13 867	7 248	10 012
Average per farm .....	dollars..	15 717	20 217	11 192	19 946	14 296	11 099	20 729
Livestock and poultry purchased .....	farms..	584	—	33	222	191	91	47
\$1,000..		2 951	—	198	1 604	507	402	239
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		525	—	20	214	175	80	36
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		51	—	13	6	15	8	9
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....		4	—	—	—	—	2	2
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....		2	—	—	—	1	1	—
\$250,000 or more .....		2	—	—	2	—	—	—
Feed for livestock and poultry .....	farms..	1 013	—	62	313	325	217	96
\$1,000..		5 574	—	180	2 554	881	870	1 090
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		939	—	47	284	316	203	89
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		55	—	15	21	5	10	4
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....		12	—	—	6	3	2	1
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....		3	—	—	1	—	2	—
\$250,000 or more .....		4	—	—	1	1	—	2
Commercially mixed formula feeds .....	farms..	664	—	42	216	227	132	47
\$1,000..		4 740	—	164	2 340	684	687	865
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		613	—	35	189	222	126	41
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		33	—	7	19	2	2	3
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....		11	—	—	6	2	2	1
\$100,000 or more .....		7	—	—	2	1	2	2
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees .....	farms..	772	1	31	184	300	135	121
\$1,000..		1 122	(D)	(D)	253	377	139	227
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$999 .....		600	—	12	156	230	114	88
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....		120	—	17	22	48	13	20
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		45	—	1	3	22	8	11
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		6	1	1	2	—	—	2
\$50,000 or more .....		1	—	—	1	—	—	—
Commercial fertilizer .....	farms..	1 286	1	49	273	438	317	208
\$1,000..		2 151	(D)	(D)	353	806	327	499
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		1 212	—	42	258	397	311	204
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		65	—	6	14	38	4	3
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		5	1	—	1	1	2	—
\$50,000 or more .....		4	—	1	—	2	—	1
Agricultural chemicals .....	farms..	943	1	49	218	318	196	161
\$1,000..		1 679	(D)	(D)	189	741	155	393
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		889	—	41	216	283	193	156
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		44	—	6	1	31	2	4
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		5	—	1	1	2	1	—
\$50,000 or more .....		5	1	1	—	2	—	1
Petroleum products .....	farms..	2 658	18	157	556	867	613	447
\$1,000..		2 795	30	103	617	933	538	574
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		2 593	17	156	542	848	590	440
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		54	1	1	11	16	23	2
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		7	—	—	2	2	—	3
\$50,000 or more .....		4	—	—	1	1	—	2
Gasoline and gasohol .....	farms..	2 045	18	124	438	676	453	336
\$1,000..		1 147	17	48	322	309	205	246
Diesel fuel .....	farms..	1 593	1	85	364	526	414	203
\$1,000..		842	(D)	(D)	189	248	186	174
Natural gas .....	farms..	27	—	—	3	17	—	7
\$1,000..		3	—	—	(Z)	1	—	1
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc. ....	farms..	1 578	2	118	339	486	390	243
\$1,000..		804	(D)	(D)	106	374	147	153

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

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Item	Total farming and other occupations	Farming						
		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
<b>FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES<sup>1</sup></b>								
—Con.								
Total farm production expenses—Con.								
Electricity ..... farms.. \$1,000..	3 815	2 220	17	113	354	500	554	682
	10 613	9 514	23	228	1 331	2 582	4 141	1 209
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$999 .....	2 595	1 231	14	58	159	242	252	506
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	815	598	2	39	112	143	187	115
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	378	370	1	16	79	108	108	58
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	17	13	—	—	3	5	4	1
\$50,000 or more .....	10	8	—	—	1	2	3	2
Hired farm labor ..... farms.. \$1,000..	2 472	1 537	15	59	261	381	412	409
	64 285	58 422	112	1 872	13 495	12 360	22 080	8 503
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	1 474	662	13	22	101	148	148	230
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	513	424	1	13	69	114	112	115
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....	384	360	1	19	70	97	127	46
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....	71	66	—	4	12	16	20	14
\$250,000 or more .....	30	25	—	1	9	6	5	4
Workers by days worked:								
150 days or more ..... farms.. workers..	942	796	2	34	132	208	271	149
	4 746	4 405	(D)	(D)	1 923	865	1 078	423
Less than 150 days ..... farms.. workers..	2 306	1 384	15	53	239	345	357	375
	17 263	12 851	105	337	2 571	2 462	3 907	3 469
Contract labor ..... farms.. \$1,000..	645	374	2	18	77	71	121	85
	4 161	2 565	(D)	(D)	612	459	647	742
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$999 .....	244	120	—	6	19	14	47	34
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	271	169	2	8	39	35	45	40
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	111	71	—	3	14	19	25	10
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	7	4	—	1	2	—	1	—
\$50,000 or more .....	12	10	—	—	3	3	3	1
Repair and maintenance ..... farms.. \$1,000..	4 827	2 585	21	115	408	531	686	824
	23 988	19 211	127	707	4 041	5 372	5 758	3 206
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	3 761	1 785	18	77	239	311	433	707
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	883	629	2	32	129	171	199	96
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	125	117	—	6	32	29	37	13
\$50,000 or more .....	58	54	1	—	8	20	17	8
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment ..... farms.. \$1,000..	1 145	694	2	26	139	172	202	153
	4 595	3 814	(D)	(D)	765	1 422	884	598
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$999 .....	600	281	—	2	50	51	83	95
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	383	263	2	10	52	74	88	37
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	135	127	—	14	33	36	29	15
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	14	13	—	—	2	7	1	3
\$50,000 or more .....	13	10	—	—	2	4	1	3
Interest ..... farms.. \$1,000..	1 820	1 164	18	82	224	316	334	190
	15 954	12 695	99	662	3 052	3 776	3 629	1 477
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	1 115	624	16	55	101	134	180	138
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	567	412	1	22	89	144	118	38
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....	121	116	1	4	32	35	32	12
\$100,000 or more .....	17	12	—	1	2	3	4	2
Secured by real estate ..... farms.. \$1,000..	1 359	852	1	30	169	246	267	139
	10 753	8 602	(D)	(D)	1 859	2 800	2 500	1 067
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$999 .....	226	105	—	1	14	18	47	25
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	574	321	—	11	56	95	70	70
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	465	339	—	15	76	115	101	32
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	67	64	—	3	20	18	14	9
\$50,000 or more .....	27	23	1	—	3	10	6	3
Not secured by real estate ..... farms.. \$1,000..	973	663	17	67	136	168	184	91
	5 201	4 093	(D)	(D)	1 193	976	1 129	410
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$999 .....	390	221	—	39	21	60	58	43
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	383	256	16	17	68	50	70	35
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	165	156	1	10	41	50	45	9
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	19	19	—	—	3	7	7	2
\$50,000 or more .....	16	11	—	1	3	1	4	2
Cash rent ..... farms.. \$1,000..	941	725	3	79	134	194	212	103
	5 044	4 407	13	283	1 157	1 368	955	632
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	721	526	2	66	76	136	161	85
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	97	88	1	6	29	23	23	6
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	81	75	—	5	16	28	20	6
\$25,000 or more .....	42	36	—	2	13	7	8	6
Property taxes ..... farms.. \$1,000..	5 550	2 752	20	88	415	569	710	950
	16 006	10 492	39	343	1 605	2 152	3 613	2 740
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	4 903	2 256	19	66	340	454	534	843
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	452	341	—	15	51	68	121	86
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	154	126	1	6	19	40	47	13
\$25,000 or more .....	41	29	—	1	5	7	8	8
All other farm production expenses ..... farms.. \$1,000..	5 107	2 734	21	131	425	582	693	882
	48 814	42 920	237	2 043	7 616	9 381	17 964	5 679
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	4 064	1 871	19	83	256	316	453	744
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	710	551	1	34	104	179	140	93
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	167	158	—	8	28	46	56	20
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	94	88	—	1	18	23	31	15
\$100,000 or more .....	72	66	1	5	19	18	13	10

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Item	Total	Other occupations					
		Age of operator (years)					
		Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
<b>FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES<sup>1</sup></b>							
—Con.							
Total farm production expenses—Con.							
Electricity ..... farms.. \$1,000..	1 595	7	94	357	488	417	232
Farms with expenses of—	1 100	4	47	231	308	208	302
\$1 to \$999 .....	1 364	6	84	308	411	343	212
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	217	1	9	47	72	72	16
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	8	—	1	1	4	2	3
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	4	—	—	1	—	—	1
\$50,000 or more .....	2	—	—	—	1	—	1
Hired farm labor ..... farms.. \$1,000..	935	12	35	226	393	173	96
Farms with expenses of—	5 863	56	158	1 359	1 578	617	2 096
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	812	11	34	194	335	153	85
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	89	—	—	24	46	15	4
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....	24	1	1	6	9	4	3
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....	5	—	—	1	2	1	1
\$250,000 or more .....	5	—	—	1	1	—	3
Workers by days worked:							
150 days or more ..... farms.. workers..	146	1	3	35	59	27	21
Less than 150 days ..... farms.. workers..	341	(D)	(D)	85	84	37	128
Contract labor ..... farms.. \$1,000..	922	12	35	215	392	173	95
Farms with expenses of—	4 412	64	276	596	2 078	780	618
\$1 to \$999 .....	271	—	4	31	118	78	40
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	1 596	—	27	76	917	267	308
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	124	—	1	17	41	47	18
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	102	—	1	13	63	16	9
\$50,000 or more .....	40	—	2	—	11	15	12
Repair and maintenance ..... farms.. \$1,000..	2 242	2	147	504	737	522	330
Farms with expenses of—	4 777	(D)	(D)	1 060	1 601	1 061	812
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	1 976	1	138	460	630	461	286
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	254	—	9	41	103	60	41
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	8	1	—	2	3	1	1
\$50,000 or more .....	4	—	—	1	1	—	2
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment ..... farms.. \$1,000..	451	1	18	126	146	101	59
Farms with expenses of—	782	(D)	(D)	111	469	39	129
\$1 to \$999 .....	319	—	3	93	78	95	50
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	120	—	15	32	61	6	6
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	8	1	—	1	5	—	1
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	1	—	—	—	—	—	1
\$50,000 or more .....	3	—	—	—	2	—	1
Interest ..... farms.. \$1,000..	656	1	25	173	230	169	58
Farms with expenses of—	3 259	(D)	(D)	1 076	1 173	441	524
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	491	—	23	126	162	136	44
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	155	1	2	44	65	33	10
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....	5	—	—	1	2	—	2
\$100,000 or more .....	5	—	—	2	1	—	2
Secured by real estate ..... farms.. \$1,000..	507	1	18	129	187	127	45
Farms with expenses of—	2 151	(D)	(D)	512	1 024	363	225
\$1 to \$999 .....	121	—	14	17	40	40	10
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	253	—	3	81	79	60	30
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	126	1	1	30	65	27	2
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	3	—	—	1	—	—	2
\$50,000 or more .....	4	—	—	—	3	—	1
Not secured by real estate ..... farms.. \$1,000..	310	—	10	95	101	79	25
Farms with expenses of—	1 108	—	18	564	149	78	299
\$1 to \$999 .....	169	—	7	49	38	64	11
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	127	—	2	42	60	13	10
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	9	—	1	2	3	2	1
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more .....	5	—	—	2	—	—	3
Cash rent ..... farms.. \$1,000..	216	8	29	59	89	26	5
Farms with expenses of—	637	41	102	216	114	75	89
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	195	7	23	52	86	25	2
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	9	—	5	4	—	—	—
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	6	—	—	1	3	—	2
\$25,000 or more .....	6	1	1	2	—	1	1
Property taxes ..... farms.. \$1,000..	2 798	11	156	593	940	637	461
Farms with expenses of—	5 514	7	175	992	1 825	1 322	1 192
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	2 647	11	155	564	899	590	428
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	111	—	1	29	37	23	21
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	28	—	—	—	1	24	3
\$25,000 or more .....	12	—	—	—	3	—	9
All other farm production expenses ..... farms.. \$1,000..	2 373	2	119	553	767	541	391
Farms with expenses of—	5 894	(D)	(D)	1 696	1 636	788	1 538
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	2 193	1	111	503	700	510	368
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	159	—	8	45	60	29	17
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	9	1	—	1	4	2	1
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	6	—	—	2	2	—	2
\$100,000 or more .....	6	—	—	2	1	—	3

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Item	Total farming and other occupations	Farming							
		Total	Age of operator (years)						
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over	
<b>NET CASH RETURN FROM AGRICULTURAL SALES FOR THE FARM UNIT (SEE TEXT)<sup>1</sup></b>									
All farms .....	number..	5 801	2 894	21	138	450	595	723	967
\$1,000..	78 187	75 173	67	6 307	10 964	16 568	28 060	13 342	
Average per farm .....	dollars..	13 478	25 976	-3 203	45 703	24 364	27 846	38 811	13 797
Farms with net gains <sup>2</sup> .....	number..	2 469	1 423	5	81	227	345	340	425
Average net gain .....	dollars..	43 877	66 049	11 415	90 240	70 389	61 135	96 679	39 248
Gain of—									
Less than \$1,000 .....		309	120	—	2	29	19	18	52
\$1,000 to \$9,999 .....		1 084	489	3	8	57	111	98	212
\$10,000 to \$49,999 .....		738	506	2	44	73	125	137	125
\$50,000 or more .....		338	308	—	27	68	90	87	36
Farms with net losses .....	number..	3 332	1 471	16	57	223	250	383	542
Average net loss .....	dollars..	9 047	12 790	7 771	17 587	22 488	18 094	12 561	6 160
Loss of—									
Less than \$1,000 .....		529	197	—	13	12	20	46	106
\$1,000 to \$9,999 .....		2 307	956	15	28	138	134	251	390
\$10,000 to \$49,999 .....		418	250	—	12	58	72	71	37
\$50,000 or more .....		78	68	1	4	15	24	15	9
<b>GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS AND OTHER FARM-RELATED INCOME</b>									
Government payments .....	farms..	934	648	2	60	125	147	171	143
\$1,000..	2 977	2 268	(D)	(D)	(D)	514	532	558	414
Other farm-related income <sup>1</sup> .....	farms..	1 689	927	2	22	158	194	229	322
\$1,000..	10 907	7 898	(D)	(D)	1 583	1 723	2 517	1 860	
Customwork and other agricultural services .....	farms..	546	291	1	8	73	90	50	69
\$1,000..	3 643	2 934	(D)	(D)	1 001	680	623	587	
Gross cash rent or share payments .....	farms..	237	116	1	3	8	19	21	64
\$1,000..	753	302	(D)	(D)	33	35	67	156	
Forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products .....	farms..	903	527	—	8	74	84	161	200
\$1,000..	5 754	4 038	—	153	483	759	1 606	1 037	
Other farm-related income sources .....	farms..	472	335	—	9	39	107	81	99
\$1,000..	757	624	—	8	66	250	220	79	
<b>COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS</b>									
Total .....	farms..	12	10	—	1	4	3	2	—
\$1,000..	24	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	(Z)	(D)	—	
Corn .....	farms..	2	2	—	—	—	—	(D)	—
\$1,000..	(D)	(D)	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Wheat .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Soybeans .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Sorghum, barley, and oats .....	farms..	10	8	—	1	4	3	—	—
\$1,000..	(D)	15	—	(D)	(D)	(Z)	—	—	
Cotton .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Sunflower seed, flaxseed, safflower, canola, other rapeseed, and mustard seed .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Peanuts, rice, and tobacco .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
<b>LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE</b>									
Total cropland .....	farms..	5 372	2 699	20	117	478	630	628	826
acres..	539 966	414 024	2 053	18 461	80 816	116 813	110 456	85 425	
Harvested cropland .....	farms..	4 875	2 517	20	110	433	590	593	771
acres..	403 014	322 045	1 844	14 710	62 190	95 291	86 895	61 115	
Farms by acres harvested:									
1 to 49 acres .....		3 180	1 251	11	42	202	257	271	468
50 to 99 acres .....		628	365	3	18	61	70	80	133
100 to 199 acres .....		502	396	2	19	74	100	105	96
200 to 499 acres .....		444	394	4	30	73	125	102	60
500 to 999 acres .....		89	82	—	1	20	25	26	10
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....		23	20	—	—	1	9	7	3
2,000 acres or more .....		9	9	—	—	2	4	2	1
Cropland:									
Pasture or grazing only .....	farms..	2 156	1 160	2	46	198	280	264	370
acres..	65 066	43 530	(D)	(D)	6 981	10 160	10 262	14 597	
In cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured .....	farms..	565	308	3	17	56	76	80	76
acres..	23 006	15 921	(D)	(D)	2 114	4 697	4 675	2 730	
On which all crops failed .....	farms..	152	93	—	6	19	25	23	20
acres..	2 430	1 444	—	29	165	670	307	273	
In cultivated summer fallow .....	farms..	195	101	1	2	15	28	19	36
acres..	5 136	3 570	(D)	(D)	362	1 820	533	700	
Idle .....	farms..	1 105	520	4	18	78	127	110	183
acres..	41 314	27 514	123	418	9 004	4 175	7 784	6 010	
Total woodland .....	farms..	4 189	2 125	7	112	332	478	508	688
acres..	566 603	339 631	383	18 657	50 504	70 833	93 846	105 408	
Woodland pastured .....	farms..	848	464	1	16	74	118	126	129
acres..	40 274	27 213	(D)	(D)	5 637	5 190	6 730	8 902	
Woodland not pastured .....	farms..	3 958	1 990	6	112	309	439	479	645
acres..	526 329	312 418	(D)	44 867	65 643	87 116	96 506		

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Item		Other occupations						
		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
<b>NET CASH RETURN FROM AGRICULTURAL SALES FOR THE FARM UNIT (SEE TEXT)<sup>1</sup></b>								
All farms .....	number..	2 907	18	162	621	970	653	483
\$1,000..		3 014	232	-121	2 856	1 246	-819	-380
Average per farm .....	dollars..	1 037	12 886	-746	4 598	1 285	-1 255	-786
Farms with net gains <sup>2</sup> .....	number..	1 046	12	69	200	369	213	183
Average net gain .....	dollars..	13 713	19 647	5 559	23 603	13 094	7 771	13 754
Gain of—								
Less than \$1,000 .....		189	1	9	59	52	40	28
\$1,000 to \$9,999 .....		595	10	50	89	207	122	117
\$10,000 to \$49,999 .....		232	—	10	43	97	48	34
\$50,000 or more .....		30	1	—	9	13	3	4
Farms with net losses .....	number..	1 861	6	93	421	601	440	300
Average net loss .....	dollars..	6 088	638	5 425	4 430	5 966	5 625	9 656
Loss of—								
Less than \$1,000 .....		332	6	11	57	100	58	100
\$1,000 to \$9,999 .....		1 351	—	71	324	450	346	160
\$10,000 to \$49,999 .....		168	—	11	40	47	33	37
\$50,000 or more .....		10	—	—	—	4	3	3
<b>GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS AND OTHER FARM-RELATED INCOME</b>								
Government payments .....	farms..	286	1	7	64	90	68	56
\$1,000..		710	(D)	(D)	179	208	147	161
Other farm-related income <sup>1</sup> .....	farms..	762	1	57	162	258	200	84
\$1,000..		3 008	(D)	366	523	1 190	574	(D)
Customwork and other agricultural services .....	farms..	255	—	11	58	103	76	7
\$1,000..		709	—	89	254	241	117	9
Gross cash rent or share payments .....	farms..	121	—	14	10	52	28	17
\$1,000..		451	—	28	22	132	212	57
Forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products .....	farms..	376	1	32	66	136	87	54
\$1,000..		1 715	(D)	229	189	771	(D)	(D)
Other farm-related income sources .....	farms..	137	—	8	41	20	59	9
\$1,000..		134	—	20	58	47	(D)	(D)
<b>COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS</b>								
Total .....	farms..	2	—	—	—	—	2	—
\$1,000..		(D)	—	—	—	—	(D)	—
Corn .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wheat .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Soybeans .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sorghum, barley, and oats .....	farms..	2	—	—	—	—	2	—
\$1,000..		(D)	—	—	—	—	(D)	—
Cotton .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sunflower seed, flaxseed, safflower, canola, other rapeseed, and mustard seed .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Peanuts, rice, and tobacco .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
<b>LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE</b>								
Total cropland .....	farms..	2 673	14	94	518	885	663	499
acres..		125 942	936	4 337	21 315	41 326	34 310	23 718
Harvested cropland .....	farms..	2 358	10	83	444	787	573	461
acres..		80 969	829	3 049	14 116	26 711	21 303	14 961
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 49 acres .....		1 929	7	66	357	652	453	394
50 to 99 acres .....		263	2	11	53	81	74	42
100 to 199 acres .....		106	—	3	24	36	30	13
200 to 499 acres .....		50	—	2	10	14	14	10
500 to 999 acres .....		7	1	1	—	2	2	1
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....		3	—	—	—	2	—	1
2,000 acres or more .....		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cropland:								
Pasture or grazing only .....	farms..	996	4	32	211	357	264	128
acres..		21 536	60	406	4 041	7 129	6 903	2 997
In cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured .....	farms..	257	1	10	37	98	58	53
acres..		7 085	(D)	(D)	983	2 134	1 952	1 655
On which all crops failed .....	farms..	59	—	6	12	23	8	10
acres..		986	—	56	90	260	94	486
In cultivated summer fallow .....	farms..	94	—	5	13	35	18	23
acres..		1 566	—	14	96	634	302	520
Idle .....	farms..	585	3	26	121	180	136	119
acres..		13 800	(D)	(D)	1 989	4 458	3 756	3 099
Total woodland .....	farms..	2 064	7	67	388	677	534	391
acres..		226 972	892	3 245	39 825	71 402	59 445	52 163
Woodland pastured .....	farms..	384	1	12	94	128	102	47
acres..		13 061	(D)	(D)	3 123	5 113	2 927	1 740
Woodland not pastured .....	farms..	1 968	6	62	371	641	509	379
acres..		213 911	(D)	(D)	36 702	66 289	56 518	50 423

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		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
<b>LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE—Con.</b>								
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured..... farms.. acres..	844 27 952	433 17 779	1 (D)	23 (D)	89 3 124	116 4 648	108 4 793	96 3 830
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. .... farms.. acres..	3 659 77 127	1 828 48 941	6 (D)	81 (D)	323 7 876	421 9 959	446 14 899	551 14 756
Irrigated land ..... farms.. acres..	671 21 791	423 20 610	3 (D)	26 (D)	96 7 640	124 4 673	115 5 632	59 2 056
Harvested cropland irrigated ..... farms.. acres..	660 21 608	418 20 490	3 (D)	25 (D)	93 7 580	124 (D)	115 5 617	58 2 025
Pasture and other land irrigated ..... farms.. acres..	24 183	16 120	— (D)	1 (D)	3 60	6 (D)	3 15	3 31
Land under Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs ..... farms.. acres..	352 22 217	194 13 206	— (D)	1 385	40 1 912	45 2 790	50 3 618	48 3 501
<b>VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS<sup>1</sup></b>								
Estimated market value of land and buildings ..... farms.. \$1,000..	5 801 1 456 482	2 894 893 330	21 8 006	138 36 874	450 146 393	595 204 782	723 264 375	967 232 899
Average per farm ..... dollars..	251 074	308 683	381 228	267 207	325 318	344 172	365 664	240 847
Average per acre ..... dollars..	1 190	1 104	3 642	1 108	1 151	1 066	1 174	1 017
Farms by value group:								
\$1 to \$39,999 .....	463	144	—	14	15	26	43	46
\$40,000 to \$69,999 .....	539	246	—	21	41	48	60	76
\$70,000 to \$99,999 .....	615	303	1	10	32	72	53	135
\$100,000 to \$149,999 .....	866	320	6	18	64	51	88	93
\$150,000 to \$199,999 .....	800	388	2	10	86	66	69	155
\$200,000 to \$499,999 .....	1 926	1 057	10	40	133	218	292	364
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....	439	311	1	21	61	76	75	77
\$1,000,000 to \$1,999,999 .....	113	93	—	4	13	26	34	16
\$2,000,000 to \$4,999,999 .....	36	29	1	—	4	12	7	5
\$5,000,000 or more .....	4	3	—	—	1	—	2	—
<b>VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup></b>								
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ..... farms.. \$1,000..	5 794 282 151	2 893 196 190	21 2 131	138 9 112	450 35 175	595 54 214	723 58 590	966 36 968
Farms by value group:								
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	670	248	—	1	43	23	75	106
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	742	287	—	9	23	67	49	139
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....	1 205	491	1	44	77	80	87	202
\$20,000 to \$49,999 .....	1 618	790	2	15	99	151	205	318
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	790	483	6	29	77	112	128	131
\$100,000 to \$199,999 .....	496	359	12	28	90	80	108	41
\$200,000 to \$499,999 .....	232	196	—	11	35	63	64	23
\$500,000 or more .....	41	39	—	1	6	19	7	6
<b>SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup></b>								
Motortrucks, including pickups ..... farms.. number..	5 141 11 261	2 683 7 195	20 42	128 345	420 1 280	561 1 784	702 2 060	852 1 684
Wheel tractors ..... farms.. number..	5 092 11 767	2 625 7 044	20 95	124 356	546 1 091	629 1 594	629 1 691	909 2 217
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms.. number..	3 315 5 155	1 684 2 763	13 53	73 168	223 315	319 538	395 593	661 1 096
40 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms.. number..	3 236 6 612	1 743 4 281	19 42	70 188	288 776	401 1 056	439 1 098	526 1 121
40 to 99 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms.. number..	3 075 5 346	1 643 3 261	18 36	64 126	273 581	382 763	395 813	511 942
100 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms.. number..	647 1 266	464 1 020	4 6	34 62	93 195	118 293	120 285	95 179
Grain and bean combines ..... farms.. number..	230 254	164 188	1 (D)	8 (D)	40 40	47 53	39 50	29 34
Cotton pickers and strippers ..... farms.. number..	— —	— —	—	—	—	—	—	—
Mower conditioners ..... farms.. number..	1 970 2 183	1 146 1 292	14 14	41 53	177 203	253 302	259 288	402 432
Pickup balers ..... farms.. number..	2 126 2 514	1 259 1 543	15 25	43 55	164 220	274 341	259 327	504 575
<b>AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS<sup>1</sup></b>								
Commercial fertilizer ..... farms.. acres on which used..	2 921 234 911	1 694 200 584	17 1 279	59 7 043	253 42 011	367 61 735	478 56 911	520 31 605
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—								
Insects on hay and other crops ..... farms.. acres on which used..	1 449 113 473	931 101 348	14 550	46 4 047	136 22 324	207 32 585	291 27 198	237 14 644
Nematodes in crops ..... farms.. acres on which used..	92 4 923	60 4 359	11 25	—	10 1 503	11 1 518	10 961	18 352
Diseases in crops and orchards ..... farms.. acres on which used..	869 86 353	561 76 865	4 306	31 2 712	96 20 166	121 26 081	133 17 213	176 10 187
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture ..... farms.. acres on which used..	1 428 149 286	865 133 458	14 666	46 6 027	140 31 759	176 40 628	230 35 539	259 18 839
Chemicals used on crops to control growth, thin fruit, or defoliate ..... farms.. acres on which used..	383 45 461	264 40 690	3 (D)	23 (D)	49 8 125	73 15 437	81 11 849	35 2 743

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		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
<b>LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE—Con.</b>								
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured.....	farms..	411	4	24	102	124	89	68
	acres..	10 173	44	295	2 311	2 740	2 089	2 694
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. ....	farms..	1 831	4	70	391	604	429	333
	acres..	28 186	14	597	4 777	9 100	6 448	7 250
Irrigated land .....	farms..	248	—	11	64	91	49	33
	acres..	1 181	—	121	171	307	197	385
Harvested cropland irrigated .....	farms..	242	—	11	63	89	46	33
	acres..	1 118	—	121	(D)	(D)	186	(D)
Pasture and other land irrigated .....	farms..	8	—	—	1	3	3	1
	acres..	63	—	—	(D)	(D)	11	(D)
Land under Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs .....	farms..	158	—	4	29	45	44	36
	acres..	9 011	—	289	1 899	2 098	2 380	2 345
<b>VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS<sup>1</sup></b>								
Estimated market value of land and buildings .....	farms..	2 907	18	162	621	970	653	483
	\$1,000..	563 152	1 577	20 602	118 637	187 658	129 927	104 751
Average per farm .....	dollars..	193 723	87 607	127 174	191 042	193 461	198 970	216 876
Average per acre .....	dollars..	1 355	498	1 535	1 408	1 440	1 288	1 257
Farms by value group:								
\$1 to \$39,999 .....		319	6	56	57	101	66	33
\$40,000 to \$69,999 .....		293	—	16	69	97	42	69
\$70,000 to \$99,999 .....		312	—	14	42	117	62	77
\$100,000 to \$149,999 .....		546	10	11	123	185	133	84
\$150,000 to \$199,999 .....		412	1	26	76	156	92	61
\$200,000 to \$499,999 .....		869	1	29	237	262	230	110
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....		128	—	10	16	45	21	36
\$1,000,000 to \$1,999,999 .....		20	—	—	—	5	4	11
\$2,000,000 to \$4,999,999 .....		7	—	—	1	1	3	2
\$5,000,000 or more .....		1	—	—	—	1	—	—
<b>VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup></b>								
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment .....	farms..	2 901	18	162	615	970	653	483
	\$1,000..	85 961	352	3 657	19 857	27 732	19 556	14 808
Farms by value group:								
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		422	—	18	88	142	72	102
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....		455	1	51	90	157	115	41
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....		714	16	29	129	271	157	112
\$20,000 to \$49,999 .....		828	—	39	182	237	225	145
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....		307	—	23	70	117	58	39
\$100,000 to \$199,999 .....		137	1	1	49	34	9	43
\$200,000 to \$499,999 .....		36	—	1	7	11	17	—
\$500,000 or more .....		2	—	—	—	1	—	1
<b>SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup></b>								
Motortrucks, including pickups .....	farms..	2 458	18	143	534	809	548	406
	number..	4 066	29	237	1 013	1 321	838	628
Wheel tractors .....	farms..	2 467	17	131	486	829	582	422
	number..	4 723	19	212	953	1 545	1 137	857
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) .....	farms..	1 631	10	94	296	500	413	318
	number..	2 392	10	110	429	769	582	492
40 horsepower (PTO) or more .....	farms..	1 493	7	89	306	508	358	225
	number..	2 331	9	102	524	776	555	365
40 to 99 horsepower (PTO) .....	farms..	1 432	—	71	299	498	345	219
	number..	2 085	—	76	483	707	501	318
100 horsepower (PTO) or more .....	farms..	183	7	25	39	43	39	30
	number..	246	9	26	41	69	54	47
Grain and bean combines .....	farms..	66	—	6	14	17	29	—
	number..	66	—	6	14	17	29	—
Cotton pickers and strippers .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	number..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Mower conditioners .....	farms..	824	—	40	186	273	217	108
	number..	891	—	51	206	284	241	109
Pickup balers .....	farms..	867	—	27	229	285	236	90
	number..	971	—	27	256	326	263	99
<b>AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS<sup>1</sup></b>								
Commercial fertilizer .....	farms..	1 227	1	49	273	418	287	199
	acres on which used..	34 327	(D)	(D)	6 799	12 473	7 961	5 150
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—								
Insects on hay and other crops .....	farms..	518	1	38	140	168	87	84
	acres on which used..	12 125	(D)	(D)	1 517	6 232	881	2 446
Nematodes in crops .....	farms..	32	—	1	11	7	12	1
	acres on which used..	564	—	(D)	121	(D)	60	(D)
Diseases in crops and orchards .....	farms..	308	—	20	65	118	41	64
	acres on which used..	9 488	—	843	623	4 179	713	3 130
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture .....	farms..	563	—	29	118	198	121	97
	acres on which used..	15 828	—	1 485	2 283	5 740	2 344	3 976
Chemicals used on crops to control growth, thin fruit, or defoliate .....	farms..	119	—	13	34	42	17	13
	acres on which used..	4 771	—	546	610	1 449	(D)	(D)

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

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Item	Total farming and other occupations	Farming						
		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
<b>TENURE AND RACE OF OPERATOR</b>								
All operators .....	5 810	2 872	20	164	513	660	662	853
Full owners .....	3 829	1 558	6	30	230	315	359	618
Part owners .....	1 654	1 124	7	70	235	306	284	222
Tenants .....	327	190	7	64	48	39	19	13
White .....	5 790	2 860	20	164	509	656	659	852
Full owners .....	3 813	1 550	6	30	228	313	356	617
Part owners .....	1 650	1 120	7	70	233	304	284	222
Tenants .....	327	190	7	64	48	39	19	13
Black and other races .....	20	12	—	—	4	4	3	1
Full owners .....	16	8	—	—	2	2	3	1
Part owners .....	4	4	—	—	2	2	—	—
Tenants .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
<b>OWNED AND RENTED LAND</b>								
Land owned..... farms..	5 485	2 682	13	100	465	621	643	840
acres..	1 008 270	648 361	1 556	20 890	100 446	152 209	181 628	191 632
Owned land in farms .....	5 483	2 682	13	100	465	621	643	840
acres..	985 902	637 530	1 456	20 659	99 551	150 351	179 048	186 465
Land rented or leased from others .....	farms..	1 990	1 318	14	134	283	346	304
acres..	227 375	184 314	(D)	(D)	42 844	52 322	45 200	23 602
landlords..	6 122	4 419	22	382	1 033	1 191	1 047	744
Rented or leased land in farms .....	farms..	1 981	1 314	14	134	283	345	303
acres..	225 746	182 845	1 092	19 182	42 769	51 902	44 946	22 954
Land rented or leased to others .....	farms..	435	192	1	9	20	39	44
acres..	23 997	12 300	(D)	(D)	970	2 278	2 834	5 815
<b>OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS</b>								
Operators by place of residence:								
On farm operated .....	4 727	2 419	11	99	422	577	576	734
Not on farm operated .....	717	248	8	23	65	48	49	55
Not reported .....	366	205	1	42	26	35	37	64
Operators by principal occupation:								
Farming .....	2 872	2 872	20	164	513	660	662	853
Other .....	2 938	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Operators by days worked off farm:								
None .....	2 246	1 781	7	74	246	384	447	623
Any .....	3 263	790	10	86	231	224	154	85
1 to 99 days .....	643	439	6	27	123	125	100	58
100 to 199 days .....	662	175	2	13	57	50	40	13
200 days or more .....	1 958	176	2	46	51	49	14	14
Not reported .....	301	301	3	4	36	52	61	145
Operators by years on present farm:								
2 years or less .....	208	81	3	15	32	21	9	1
3 or 4 years .....	280	112	6	20	40	24	13	9
5 to 9 years .....	781	360	5	44	114	97	62	38
10 years or more .....	3 713	1 876	—	32	271	440	491	642
Average years on present farm .....	20.5	23.0	3.6	7.3	12.0	17.7	24.8	36.2
Not reported .....	828	443	6	53	56	78	87	163
Operators by age group:								
Under 25 years .....	39	20	20	—	—	—	—	—
25 to 34 years .....	286	164	—	164	—	—	—	—
35 to 44 years .....	1 113	513	—	—	513	—	—	—
45 to 49 years .....	824	352	—	—	—	352	—	—
50 to 54 years .....	794	308	—	—	—	308	—	—
55 to 59 years .....	727	314	—	—	—	—	314	—
60 to 64 years .....	636	348	—	—	—	—	348	—
65 to 69 years .....	522	293	—	—	—	—	—	293
70 years and over .....	869	560	—	—	—	—	—	560
Average age .....	54.4	55.8	22.3	30.8	40.0	49.3	59.6	73.1
Operators by sex:								
Male .....	4 991	2 478	20	148	407	556	584	763
Female .....	819	394	—	16	106	104	78	90
Operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin (see text) .....	36	23	—	1	3	6	4	9
<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION</b>								
Individual or family (sole proprietorship)..... farms..	5 064	2 373	18	144	406	539	531	735
acres..	896 406	559 902	(D)	(D)	84 515	138 085	147 891	154 296
Partnership .....	farms..	306	195	1	12	40	49	48
acres..	106 220	85 872	(D)	(D)	17 120	25 229	24 605	17 055
Corporation:								
Family held .....	farms..	362	262	1	5	57	61	61
acres..	179 965	152 647	(D)	(D)	31 980	34 693	48 580	33 832
More than 10 stockholders .....	farms..	4	4	—	—	1	—	3
10 or less stockholders .....	farms..	358	258	1	5	56	61	61
Other than family held .....	farms..	41	23	—	1	8	7	5
acres..	10 749	8 038	—	(D)	(D)	3 703	(D)	3 078
More than 10 stockholders .....	farms..	5	3	—	1	2	—	—
10 or less stockholders .....	farms..	36	20	—	—	6	7	5
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. ....	farms..	37	19	—	2	4	7	4
acres..	18 308	13 916	(D)	(D)	543	(D)	1 158	1 158

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Item		Other occupations						
		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	
<b>TENURE AND RACE OF OPERATOR</b>								
All operators .....		2 938	19	122	600	958	701	538
Full owners .....		2 271	5	80	424	719	560	483
Part owners .....		530	3	24	134	203	129	37
Tenants .....		137	11	18	42	36	12	18
White .....		2 930	19	122	598	955	699	537
Full owners .....		2 263	5	80	422	716	558	482
Part owners .....		530	3	24	134	203	129	37
Tenants .....		137	11	18	42	36	12	18
Black and other races .....		8	—	—	2	3	2	1
Full owners .....		8	—	—	2	3	2	1
Part owners .....		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tenants .....		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
<b>OWNED AND RENTED LAND</b>								
Land owned..... farms..		2 803	8	104	559	923	689	520
acres..		359 909	514	5 951	56 457	115 152	96 363	85 472
Owned land in farms..... farms..		2 801	8	104	558	922	689	520
acres..		348 372	514	5 670	55 123	111 718	92 537	82 810
Land rented or leased from others..... farms..		672	14	42	178	241	141	56
acres..		43 061	1 372	2 804	13 115	12 936	9 755	3 079
landlords..		1 703	43	102	502	577	343	136
Rented or leased land in farms..... farms..		667	14	42	176	239	141	55
acres..		42 901	1 372	2 804	13 105	12 850	9 755	3 015
Land rented or leased to others..... farms..		243	—	5	42	72	61	63
acres..		11 697	—	281	1 344	3 520	3 826	2 726
<b>OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS</b>								
Operators by place of residence:								
On farm operated .....		2 308	12	90	469	774	564	399
Not on farm operated .....		469	6	24	98	132	110	99
Not reported .....		161	1	8	33	52	27	40
Operators by principal occupation:								
Farming .....		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other .....		2 938	19	122	600	958	701	538
Operators by days worked off farm:								
None .....		465	2	5	31	48	100	279
Any .....		2 473	17	117	569	910	601	259
1 to 99 days .....		204	4	8	26	57	45	64
100 to 199 days .....		487	1	24	106	158	132	66
200 days or more .....		1 782	12	85	437	695	424	129
Not reported .....		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Operators by years on present farm:								
2 years or less .....		127	4	21	48	32	17	5
3 or 4 years .....		168	4	34	51	51	23	5
5 to 9 years .....		421	1	23	145	167	57	28
10 years or more .....		1 837	—	20	286	603	522	406
Average years on present farm .....		18.2	3.2	5.8	10.6	15.6	21.4	30.6
Not reported .....		385	10	24	70	105	82	94
Operators by age group:								
Under 25 years .....		19	19	—	—	—	—	—
25 to 34 years .....		122	—	122	—	—	—	—
35 to 44 years .....		600	—	—	600	—	—	—
45 to 49 years .....		472	—	—	—	472	—	—
50 to 54 years .....		486	—	—	—	486	—	—
55 to 59 years .....		413	—	—	—	—	413	—
60 to 64 years .....		288	—	—	—	—	288	—
65 to 69 years .....		229	—	—	—	—	—	229
70 years and over .....		309	—	—	—	—	—	309
Average age .....		53.1	21.2	30.5	40.3	49.6	58.9	72.0
Operators by sex:								
Male .....		2 513	17	104	509	821	604	458
Female .....		425	2	18	91	137	97	80
Operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin (see text) .....		13	—	2	3	4	1	3
<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION</b>								
Individual or family (sole proprietorship)..... farms..		2 691	17	113	542	886	652	481
acres..		336 504	(D)	(D)	57 131	105 697	91 413	73 289
Partnership .....		111	—	4	19	33	19	36
acres..		20 348	—	(D)	(D)	4 805	4 679	8 716
Corporation:								
Family held .....		100	2	3	28	29	24	14
acres..		27 318	(D)	(D)	7 518	11 529	4 385	2 754
More than 10 stockholders .....		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
10 or less stockholders .....		100	2	3	28	29	24	14
Other than family held .....		18	—	1	6	3	4	4
acres..		2 711	—	(D)	164	1 080	(D)	(D)
More than 10 stockholders .....		2	—	—	1	3	1	4
10 or less stockholders .....		16	—	1	5	3	3	4
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. ....		farms..	18	—	1	5	7	2
acres..		4 392	—	(D)	(D)	1 457	(D)	(D)

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Item	Total farming and other occupations	Farming							
		Total	Age of operator (years)						
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over	
<b>INJURIES AND DEATHS</b>									
Farm-related injuries:									
Operator and family members .....	farms..	52	39	—	4	8	10	13	4
number..	number..	57	42	—	5	8	11	13	5
Hired workers .....	farms..	72	59	—	2	12	18	12	15
number..	number..	177	157	—	(D)	(D)	75	39	23
Farm-related deaths:									
Operator and family members .....	farms..	1	1	—	1	—	—	—	—
number..	number..	(D)	(D)	—	(D)	—	—	—	—
Hired workers .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
number..	number..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
<b>F FARMS BY SIZE</b>									
1 to 9 acres .....		533	196	—	15	55	46	40	40
10 to 49 acres .....		1 184	446	4	33	100	113	82	114
50 to 69 acres .....		458	167	5	11	26	46	28	51
70 to 99 acres .....		546	202	2	10	29	28	55	78
100 to 139 acres .....		689	282	2	19	48	52	58	103
140 to 179 acres .....		417	202	3	8	28	52	42	69
180 to 219 acres .....		328	202	2	10	36	30	50	74
220 to 259 acres .....		267	154	—	10	25	33	37	49
260 to 499 acres .....		846	595	2	26	93	143	149	182
500 to 999 acres .....		398	304	—	15	55	85	76	73
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....		113	98	—	6	15	23	37	17
2,000 acres or more .....		31	24	—	1	3	9	8	3
<b>F FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM</b>									
Oilseed and grain farming (1111) .....		179	54	1	—	5	4	15	29
Vegetable and melon farming (1112) .....		733	572	15	49	116	151	142	99
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113) .....		805	285	3	4	46	55	63	114
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114) .....		704	309	—	8	67	89	80	65
Other crop farming (1119) .....		1 224	487	1	45	46	92	87	216
Tobacco farming (11191) .....		—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton farming (11192) .....		—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199) .....		1 224	487	1	45	46	92	87	216
Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111) .....		699	276	—	7	35	51	47	136
Cattle feedlots (112112) .....		95	35	—	3	1	4	9	18
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212) .....		535	501	—	28	102	138	133	100
Hog and pig farming (1122) .....		71	16	—	1	3	—	8	4
Poultry and egg production (1123) .....		104	74	—	3	17	20	25	9
Sheep and goat farming (1124) .....		193	70	—	2	13	11	15	29
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129) .....		468	193	—	14	62	45	38	34
<b>LIVESTOCK</b>									
Cattle and calves inventory..... farms..	farms..	1 921	1 089	2	44	189	266	265	323
number..	number..	101	695	85 714	(D)	14 160	25 143	24 185	18 948
Farms with—									
1 to 9 .....		616	212	—	10	40	48	44	70
10 to 49 .....		734	364	2	13	61	72	77	139
50 to 99 .....		271	230	—	10	32	63	58	67
100 to 199 .....		201	189	—	8	42	58	53	28
200 to 499 .....		83	79	—	3	13	19	28	16
500 or more .....		16	15	—	—	1	6	5	3
Cows and heifers that had calved .....	farms..	1 588	956	2	40	163	232	238	281
number..	number..	52 531	45 297	(D)	(D)	7 755	13 389	12 246	9 991
Beef cows .....	farms..	1 035	469	2	17	64	104	109	173
number..	number..	11 782	6 527	(D)	(D)	557	1 656	1 691	2 430
Farms with—									
1 to 9 .....		667	278	2	12	46	68	61	89
10 to 49 .....		341	174	5	17	30	42	42	80
50 to 99 .....		20	11	—	1	4	4	2	2
100 to 199 .....		5	4	—	—	—	2	2	2
200 to 499 .....		2	2	—	—	—	—	—	—
500 or more .....		—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Milk cows .....	farms..	685	573	—	29	115	154	146	129
number..	number..	40 749	38 770	—	1 723	7 198	11 733	10 555	7 561
Farms with—									
1 to 4 .....		131	63	—	1	14	12	12	24
5 to 9 .....		25	13	—	—	5	3	2	3
10 to 49 .....		229	204	—	13	40	54	50	47
50 to 99 .....		202	198	—	12	38	63	50	35
100 to 199 .....		68	67	—	2	13	13	24	15
200 to 499 .....		26	25	—	1	5	7	8	4
500 or more .....		4	3	—	—	—	2	—	1
Heifers and heifer calves..... farms..	farms..	1 432	897	2	33	162	220	224	256
number..	number..	39 222	33 590	(D)	(D)	5 494	10 379	9 421	7 047
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves .....	farms..	1 320	720	2	33	119	170	178	218
number..	number..	9 942	6 827	(D)	(D)	911	1 375	2 518	1 910

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		Age of operator (years)					
		Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
<b>INJURIES AND DEATHS</b>							
Farm-related injuries:							
Operator and family members .....	farms..	13	—	—	6	4	3
number..		15	—	—	7	4	4
Hired workers .....	farms..	13	—	—	4	4	3
number..		20	—	—	4	4	(D)
Farm-related deaths:							
Operator and family members .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
number..		—	—	—	—	—	—
Hired workers .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
number..		—	—	—	—	—	—
<b>F FARMS BY SIZE</b>							
1 to 9 acres .....		337	4	29	84	111	62
10 to 49 acres .....		738	7	46	182	247	141
50 to 69 acres .....		291	2	9	59	100	69
70 to 99 acres .....		344	2	11	77	122	80
100 to 139 acres .....		407	—	15	64	132	110
140 to 179 acres .....		215	—	4	37	59	61
180 to 219 acres .....		126	2	1	15	38	45
220 to 259 acres .....		113	—	1	20	39	30
260 to 499 acres .....		251	1	4	41	79	71
500 to 999 acres .....		94	1	2	16	24	28
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....		15	—	—	4	4	3
2,000 acres or more .....		7	—	—	1	3	1
<b>F FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM</b>							
Oilseed and grain farming (1111) .....		125	—	6	20	31	32
Vegetable and melon farming (1112) .....		161	4	12	38	58	28
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113) .....		520	5	13	79	157	119
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114) .....		395	—	14	82	156	82
Other crop farming (1119) .....		737	1	27	120	232	199
Tobacco farming (11191) .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton farming (11192) .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199) .....		737	1	27	120	232	199
Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111) .....		423	3	18	92	125	124
Cattle feedlots (112112) .....		60	1	—	16	18	17
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212) .....		34	3	1	13	8	6
Hog and pig farming (1122) .....		55	1	3	25	13	10
Poultry and egg production (1123) .....		30	—	5	6	11	5
Sheep and goat farming (1124) .....		123	1	2	26	43	33
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129) .....		275	—	21	83	106	46
<b>LIVESTOCK</b>							
Cattle and calves inventory..... farms..	number..	832	7	40	219	254	204
		15 981	125	469	3 564	4 356	4 748
Farms with—							
1 to 9 .....		404	1	23	119	128	78
10 to 49 .....		370	6	16	84	107	110
50 to 99 .....		41	—	1	13	11	12
100 to 199 .....		12	—	—	3	8	1
200 to 499 .....		4	—	—	—	—	—
500 or more .....		1	—	—	—	—	1
Cows and heifers that had calved .....	farms..	632	6	29	158	195	164
	number..	7 234	82	198	1 488	1 811	2 351
Beef cows .....	farms..	566	5	27	127	184	154
	number..	5 255	(D)	188	1 031	1 548	1 861
Farms with—							
1 to 9 .....		389	5	22	93	133	91
10 to 49 .....		167	—	5	33	48	57
50 to 99 .....		9	—	—	1	3	5
100 to 199 .....		1	—	—	—	—	1
200 to 499 .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
500 or more .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
Milk cows .....	farms..	112	3	4	45	29	17
	number..	1 979	(D)	10	457	263	490
Farms with—							
1 to 4 .....		68	—	3	27	19	10
5 to 9 .....		12	—	1	5	2	2
10 to 49 .....		25	3	—	11	6	3
50 to 99 .....		4	—	—	2	2	—
100 to 199 .....		1	—	—	—	—	1
200 to 499 .....		1	—	—	—	—	—
500 or more .....		1	—	—	—	—	1
Heifers and heifer calves..... farms..	number..	535	2	28	136	166	145
		5 632	(D)	(D)	1 396	1 561	1 486
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves .....	farms..	600	4	27	140	199	156
	number..	3 115	(D)	(D)	680	984	911

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		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
<b>LIVESTOCK—Con.</b>								
Cattle and calves sold .....	farms..	1 631	993	2	38	167	251	247
number..	37 889	31 172	(D)	(D)	5 386	8 112	8 331	8 261
\$1,000..	10 222	7 716	(D)	(D)	1 186	2 149	2 441	1 718
Calves .....	farms..	991	683	—	30	126	175	180
number..	19 721	16 974	—	651	2 983	4 279	3 991	5 070
\$1,000..	1 284	840	—	22	141	221	189	267
Cattle .....	farms..	1 358	847	2	33	141	208	243
number..	18 168	14 198	(D)	(D)	2 403	3 833	4 340	3 191
\$1,000..	8 938	6 876	(D)	(D)	1 045	1 927	2 252	1 451
Fattened on grain and concentrates .....	farms..	256	115	—	3	16	23	30
number..	2 699	1 880	—	9	160	249	1 086	376
\$1,000..	1 751	1 243	—	6	118	154	752	214
Hogs and pigs inventory .....	farms..	341	158	—	10	39	38	33
number..	5 977	3 735	—	134	1 195	222	1 946	238
Farms with—								
1 to 24 .....		310	143	—	9	36	36	31
25 to 49 .....		8	4	—	1	1	1	2
50 to 99 .....		12	4	—	—	—	1	2
100 to 199 .....		7	4	—	1	1	—	2
200 to 499 .....		2	1	—	—	—	1	—
500 or more .....		2	2	—	—	1	—	1
Used or to be used for breeding .....	farms..	137	60	—	4	15	12	21
number..	(D)	(D)	—	(D)	219	50	338	46
Other .....	farms..	302	143	—	9	35	34	30
number..	(D)	(D)	—	(D)	976	172	1 608	192
Hogs and pigs sold .....	farms..	261	110	—	5	28	31	25
number..	9 226	5 338	—	(D)	1 434	691	2 588	(D)
\$1,000..	1 360	1 023	—	(D)	(D)	118	202	36
Feeder pigs .....	farms..	53	22	—	1	3	6	12
number..	(D)	1 713	(D)	(D)	(D)	118	1 038	—
\$1,000..	(D)	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	5	37	—
Litters of pigs farrowed between—								
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30 .....	farms..	153	70	—	4	17	18	23
number..	(D)	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	88	419	53
Dec. 1 and May 31 .....	farms..	133	63	—	4	11	18	8
number..	(D)	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	53	202	30
June 1 and Nov. 30 .....	farms..	92	46	—	1	15	7	17
number..	(D)	(D)	—	(D)	164	35	217	23
Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory .....	farms..	426	184	—	6	43	48	48
number..	10 603	5 491	—	183	1 881	573	1 358	1 496
Ewes 1 year old or older .....	farms..	379	165	—	6	39	42	44
number..	6 488	3 327	—	134	1 190	385	737	881
Sheep and lambs sold .....	farms..	355	156	—	6	37	38	34
number..	7 970	4 296	—	106	1 323	437	1 157	1 273
Sheep and lambs shorn .....	farms..	352	149	—	5	31	39	40
number..	8 572	4 261	—	181	1 403	489	1 153	1 035
pounds of wool..	65 654	35 112	—	(D)	12 591	(D)	9 954	6 830
Horses and ponies inventory .....	farms..	1 014	467	—	22	111	125	100
number..	5 750	3 008	—	148	894	788	521	657
Horses and ponies sold .....	farms..	214	108	—	4	32	36	16
number..	810	305	—	14	75	96	47	73
Goats inventory .....	farms..	214	93	—	6	29	30	21
number..	2 214	1 374	—	33	716	450	119	56
Goats sold .....	farms..	66	32	—	2	7	15	6
number..	657	371	—	(D)	114	164	67	(D)
<b>POULTRY</b>								
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text) .....	farms..	554	259	—	9	61	78	63
number..	6 134	383	(D)	—	(D)	304 371	(D)	(D)
Farms with—								
1 to 399 .....		519	227	—	8	54	67	56
400 to 3,199 .....		4	3	—	—	—	1	2
3,200 to 9,999 .....		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
10,000 to 19,999 .....		7	7	—	1	2	2	2
20,000 to 49,999 .....		14	13	—	1	3	7	2
50,000 to 99,999 .....		7	6	—	3	2	—	1
100,000 or more .....		3	3	—	—	—	2	1
Layers 20 weeks old and older .....	farms..	532	246	—	8	57	73	60
number..	5 019	263	4 982	324	155	119 098	234 170	48
Pullets 13 weeks old and older but less than 20 weeks old .....	farms..	109	50	—	3	15	13	16
number..	1 115	120	(D)	—	(D)	185 273	(D)	(D)
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold (see text) .....	farms..	98	65	—	3	16	24	13
number..	6 977	638	6 579	205	(D)	667 309	375 409	9
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold .....	farms..	73	30	—	2	8	11	8
number..	199	416	196	910	(D)	(D)	27 954	(D)
Farms with—								
1 to 1,999 .....		68	25	—	2	7	8	7
2,000 to 59,999 .....		3	3	—	—	3	—	—
60,000 to 99,999 .....		2	2	—	—	1	—	1
100,000 or more .....		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Turkey hens kept for breeding .....	farms..	25	16	—	—	5	6	3
number..	170	97	—	—	35	45	(D)	2
Turkeys sold .....	farms..	99	46	—	2	16	15	9
number..	9 364	7 521	—	(D)	789	2 761	(D)	101

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

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

Item		Other occupations						
		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
<b>LIVESTOCK—Con.</b>								
Cattle and calves sold .....	farms..	638	8	30	162	190	173	75
number..		6 717	73	227	1 560	1 643	2 160	1 054
\$1,000..		2 506	18	112	535	708	784	349
Calves .....	farms..	308	7	17	89	80	76	39
number..		2 747	58	104	599	599	935	452
\$1,000..		444	9	25	105	124	127	53
Cattle .....	farms..	511	6	25	128	156	141	55
number..		3 970	15	123	961	1 044	1 225	602
\$1,000..		2 062	9	88	430	583	656	295
Fattened on grain and concentrates .....	farms..	141	1	5	28	51	42	14
number..		819	(D)	(D)	170	178	343	117
\$1,000..		508	(D)	(D)	101	129	200	73
Hogs and pigs inventory .....	farms..	183	1	13	76	40	39	14
number..		2 242	(D)	172	1 130	568	214	(D)
Farms with—								
1 to 24 .....		167	1	12	70	33	38	13
25 to 49 .....		4	—	—	2	2	—	—
50 to 99 .....		8	—	—	2	4	1	1
100 to 199 .....		3	—	1	1	1	—	—
200 to 499 .....		1	—	—	1	—	—	—
500 or more .....		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Used or to be used for breeding .....	farms..	77	—	7	37	11	16	6
number..		(D)	—	38	167	113	67	(D)
Other .....	farms..	159	1	10	65	39	31	13
number..		(D)	(D)	134	963	455	147	110
Hogs and pigs sold .....	farms..	151	1	12	61	40	27	10
number..		3 888	(D)	258	1 960	1 041	551	(D)
\$1,000..		337	(D)	29	139	94	66	(D)
Feeder pigs .....	farms..	31	—	1	14	5	8	3
number..		(D)	—	(D)	723	(D)	297	35
\$1,000..		75	—	(D)	33	(D)	14	1
Litters of pigs farrowed between—								
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30 .....	farms..	83	—	7	39	14	17	6
number..		414	—	33	180	96	82	23
Dec. 1 and May 31 .....	farms..	70	—	4	32	14	15	5
number..		234	—	(D)	103	(D)	53	11
June 1 and Nov. 30 .....	farms..	46	—	5	21	4	12	4
number..		180	—	(D)	77	(D)	29	12
Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory .....	farms..	242	1	7	51	93	59	31
number..		5 112	(D)	(D)	1 014	1 760	1 773	488
Ewes 1 year old or older .....	farms..	214	1	7	45	84	50	27
number..		3 161	(D)	(D)	579	1 120	1 094	326
Sheep and lambs sold .....	farms..	199	1	7	43	72	50	26
number..		3 674	(D)	(D)	831	1 204	1 265	332
Sheep and lambs shorn .....	farms..	203	1	6	41	81	46	28
number..		4 311	(D)	(D)	839	1 451	1 546	427
pounds of wool..		30 542	(D)	(D)	5 762	10 836	10 432	3 112
Horses and ponies inventory .....	farms..	547	2	27	125	219	115	59
number..		2 742	(D)	(D)	582	985	541	461
Horses and ponies sold .....	farms..	106	—	10	31	44	18	3
number..		505	—	(D)	53	180	48	(D)
Goats inventory .....	farms..	121	—	10	37	40	23	11
number..		840	—	30	294	237	213	66
Goats sold .....	farms..	34	—	1	12	9	6	6
number..		286	—	(D)	83	88	62	(D)
<b>POULTRY</b>								
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text) .....	farms..	295	—	19	88	104	59	25
number..		(D)	—	1 083	2 100	2 481	(D)	(D)
Farms with—								
1 to 399 .....		292	—	18	88	104	58	24
400 to 3,199 .....		1	—	1	—	—	—	—
3,200 to 9,999 .....		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
10,000 to 19,999 .....		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
20,000 to 49,999 .....		1	—	—	—	—	—	1
50,000 to 99,999 .....		1	—	—	—	—	1	—
100,000 or more .....		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Layers 20 weeks old and older .....	farms..	286	—	16	83	104	58	25
number..		36 939	—	1 024	1 756	2 218	(D)	(D)
Pullets 13 weeks old and older but less than 20 weeks old .....	farms..	59	—	4	21	15	12	7
number..		(D)	—	59	344	263	(D)	183
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold (see text) .....	farms..	33	—	3	5	13	11	1
number..		398 433	—	(D)	218	(D)	(D)	(D)
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold .....	farms..	43	—	4	16	16	5	2
number..		2 506	—	(D)	1 136	610	125	(D)
Farms with—								
1 to 1,999 .....		43	—	4	16	16	5	2
2,000 to 59,999 .....		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
60,000 to 99,999 .....		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 or more .....		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Turkey hens kept for breeding .....	farms..	9	—	1	4	1	3	—
number..		73	—	(D)	34	(D)	(D)	—
Turkeys sold .....	farms..	53	—	5	19	19	7	3
number..		1 843	—	(D)	387	425	79	(D)

See footnotes at end of table.

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

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

Item	Total farming and other occupations	Farming						
		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
<b>SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED</b>								
Corn for silage or green chop .....	farms..	332	309	—	19	62	75	83
acres..	27 537	26 594	—	1 390	5 605	7 756	7 044	4 799
tons, green..	447 405	433 102	—	22 607	86 761	134 010	108 752	80 972
Irrigated .....	farms..	6	5	—	1	—	1	—
acres..	(D)	(D)	—	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	—
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres .....		104	88	—	7	18	18	23
25 to 99 acres .....		134	129	—	6	23	35	32
100 to 249 acres .....		69	68	—	5	15	13	24
250 to 499 acres .....		24	23	—	1	6	8	4
500 acres or more .....		1	1	—	—	1	—	—
Oats for grain .....	farms..	272	210	4	15	42	65	52
acres..	22 364	20 852	208	1 055	3 771	8 425	5 180	32
bushels..	1 643 127	1 545 959	14 845	76 234	294 441	625 028	374 805	2 213
Irrigated .....	farms..	1	1	—	—	—	1	—
acres..	(D)	(D)	—	—	—	(D)	—	—
Potatoes, excluding sweetpotatoes .....	farms..	586	498	13	42	102	137	131
acres..	73 085	69 358	1 018	3 917	12 250	25 518	18 933	73
cwt..	19 490 474	18 498 397	264 354	1 030 804	3 198 228	6 867 028	5 111 272	7 722
Irrigated .....	farms..	100	89	—	8	16	24	29
acres..	8 634	(D)	—	(D)	793	2 325	3 516	1 259
Farms by acres harvested:								
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....		137	94	—	4	21	22	27
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....		72	52	1	5	8	9	16
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....		117	100	9	15	20	20	21
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....		167	164	2	17	39	51	39
250.0 acres or more .....		93	88	1	1	14	35	28
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) ...	farms..	2 810	1 469	4	54	209	317	348
acres..	214 005	156 002	65	7 395	24 323	41 731	43 126	537
tons, dry..	332 039	255 332	81	13 511	36 823	68 123	71 072	39 362
Irrigated .....	farms..	26	14	—	—	—	2	8
acres..	958	863	—	—	—	(D)	778	4
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres .....		986	333	4	10	45	56	68
25 to 99 acres .....		1 147	591	—	16	77	107	128
100 to 249 acres .....		493	386	—	19	57	105	105
250 to 499 acres .....		160	136	—	7	26	43	40
500 acres or more .....		24	23	—	2	4	6	7
Tame hay other than alfalfa, small grain, and wild hay (see text) .....	farms..	2 005	1 099	3	39	158	246	263
acres..	119 468	82 170	50	2 811	11 937	21 951	22 148	390
tons, dry..	187 105	135 125	(D)	(D)	18 857	35 590	37 839	23 273
Irrigated .....	farms..	12	8	—	—	—	1	3
acres..	177	(D)	—	—	—	(D)	(D)	74
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text) ....	farms..	611	403	2	22	87	107	97
acres..	11 745	10 897	(D)	(D)	4 680	3 392	1 511	88
Irrigated .....	farms..	212	146	—	13	35	39	927
acres..	5 665	5 505	—	(D)	(D)	1 595	311	22
Farms by acres harvested:								
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....		367	202	1	11	51	54	37
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....		164	127	—	7	21	33	48
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....		71	65	1	4	13	15	31
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....		7	7	—	—	1	4	8
250.0 acres or more .....		2	2	—	—	1	1	1
Land in orchards .....	farms..	334	147	—	3	35	33	43
acres..	5 170	3 815	—	(D)	849	(D)	993	1 240
Irrigated .....	farms..	37	21	—	2	5	5	3
acres..	325	298	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	16	(D)
Farms by bearing and nonbearing acres:								
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....		193	69	—	1	16	15	22
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....		93	45	—	1	10	12	14
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....		40	26	—	1	7	4	5
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....		6	5	—	—	2	2	1
250.0 acres or more .....		2	2	—	—	—	1	1
Berries harvested for sale .....	farms..	820	329	3	8	60	76	69
acres..	(D)	14 384	15	130	6 757	855	4 387	113
Irrigated .....	farms..	143	94	2	3	21	30	241
acres..	(D)	4 070	(D)	(D)	(D)	107	638	15
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[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item		Other occupations					
		Total	Age of operator (years)				
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64
<b>SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED</b>							
Corn for silage or green chop .....	farms..	23	—	—	4	9	6
acres..	943	—	—	(D)	173	442	4
tons, green..	14 303	—	—	(D)	2 712	6 889	(D)
Irrigated .....	farms..	1	—	—	1	—	—
acres..	(D)	—	—	(D)	—	—	—
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres .....		16	—	—	3	7	4
25 to 99 acres .....		5	—	—	1	2	1
100 to 249 acres .....		1	—	—	—	—	1
250 to 499 acres .....		1	—	—	—	—	1
500 acres or more .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
Oats for grain .....	farms..	62	2	3	13	16	21
acres..	1 512	(D)	109	476	239	524	7
bushels..	97 168	(D)	7 130	29 262	12 858	32 421	(D)
Irrigated .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
acres..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Potatoes, excluding sweetpotatoes .....	farms..	88	3	9	20	33	14
acres..	3 727	(D)	485	690	750	492	9
cwt..	992 077	(D)	113 905	162 643	197 099	127 763	(D)
Irrigated .....	farms..	11	—	3	1	4	—
acres..	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:							
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....		43	—	3	10	18	7
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....		20	2	3	4	6	2
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....		17	—	2	4	8	3
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....		3	—	—	1	—	2
250.0 acres or more .....		5	1	1	1	1	1
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) ...	farms..	1 341	1	44	243	444	364
acres..	58 003	(D)	(D)	11 376	18 999	16 781	245
tons, dry..	76 707	(D)	(D)	14 641	25 394	23 561	8 929
Irrigated .....	farms..	12	—	1	2	6	10 889
acres..	95	—	(D)	(D)	31	(D)	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres .....		653	—	27	110	222	166
25 to 99 acres .....		556	1	13	103	179	157
100 to 249 acres .....		107	—	3	25	36	33
250 to 499 acres .....		24	—	1	5	6	10
500 acres or more .....		1	—	—	—	1	4
Tame hay other than alfalfa, small grain, and wild hay (see text) .....	farms..	906	—	32	169	308	246
acres..	37 298	—	1 239	7 416	12 637	10 679	151
tons, dry..	51 980	—	1 398	10 416	17 971	15 738	5 327
Irrigated .....	farms..	4	—	—	1	1	6 457
acres..	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text) ....	farms..	208	1	10	60	74	33
acres..	848	(D)	(D)	140	267	216	30
Irrigated .....	farms..	66	—	3	19	24	170
acres..	160	—	(D)	26	63	(D)	13
Farms by acres harvested:							
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....		165	1	8	54	56	25
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....		37	—	2	5	17	21
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....		6	—	—	1	1	8
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....		—	—	—	—	—	1
250.0 acres or more .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
Land in orchards .....	farms..	187	1	6	44	60	42
acres..	1 356	(D)	(D)	265	508	335	34
Irrigated .....	farms..	16	—	—	6	5	169
acres..	27	—	—	6	13	2	3
Farms by bearing and nonbearing acres:							
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....		124	—	3	30	40	25
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....		48	—	3	12	13	26
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....		14	1	—	2	7	6
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....		1	—	—	—	—	2
250.0 acres or more .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
Berries harvested for sale .....	farms..	491	4	15	74	151	109
acres..	(D)	(D)	148	642	4 573	2 334	138
Irrigated .....	farms..	49	—	2	11	21	8
acres..	(D)	—	(D)	8	41	52	35

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

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

**Table 49. Summary by Size of Farm: 1997**

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

Item	Total	1 to 9 acres	10 to 49 acres	50 to 69 acres	70 to 99 acres	100 to 139 acres
<b>F FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS</b>						
Farms .....	5 810	533	1 184	458	546	689
number..						
percent..	100.0	9.2	20.4	7.9	9.4	11.9
Land in farms .....	1 211 648	2 149	31 263	26 351	44 916	79 247
acres..	209	4	26	58	82	115
Average size of farm .....						
acres..						
<b>M MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD</b>						
Total sales (see text) .....	5 810 farms..	533	1 184	458	546	689
\$1,000..	438 673	19 912	33 106	7 232	29 159	14 893
Average per farm .....	\$1,000..	75 503	37 359	27 962	53 405	21 615
Farms by value of sales:						
Less than \$1,000 (see text) .....	1 020	107	328	110	136	133
\$1,000 to \$2,499 .....	903	105	247	90	105	123
\$2,500 to \$4,999 .....	743	80	157	80	82	126
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	751	73	145	69	90	87
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....	621	42	138	46	48	80
\$20,000 to \$24,999 .....	177	29	28	3	12	31
\$25,000 to \$39,999 .....	309	36	59	14	24	34
\$40,000 to \$49,999 .....	129	10	10	7	7	15
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	390	24	31	29	24	38
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....	414	16	22	7	12	17
\$250,000 to \$499,999 .....	212	4	11	2	4	3
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....	88	4	2	—	1	—
\$1,000,000 to \$2,499,999 .....	39	2	4	1	—	1
\$2,500,000 to \$4,999,999 .....	7	1	1	—	—	1
\$5,000,000 or more .....	7	—	1	—	1	—
Grains .....	farms..	407	2	14	11	18
\$1,000..	6 793	(D)	36	32	(D)	24
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	37	—	—	—	83
\$1,000..	3 144	—	—	—	—	—
Corn for grain .....	farms..	17	1	1	1	1
\$1,000..	785	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Wheat .....	farms..	11	—	—	—	1
\$1,000..	124	—	—	—	—	(D)
Soybeans .....	farms..	16	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	113	—	—	—	(D)	—
Sorghum for grain .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Barley .....	farms..	164	—	—	2	5
\$1,000..	3 162	—	—	(D)	—	33
Oats .....	farms..	209	1	4	5	7
\$1,000..	1 882	(D)	(D)	(D)	9	10
Other grains .....	farms..	63	1	9	5	7
\$1,000..	727	(D)	32	25	49	29
Cotton and cottonseed .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hay, silage, and field seeds .....	farms..	1 574	4	175	131	171
\$1,000..	9 747	(D)	304	351	581	892
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	18	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	1 925	—	—	—	—	—
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons .....	farms..	611	69	149	48	47
\$1,000..	16 974	372	1 101	520	480	1 124
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	37	—	3	2	2
\$1,000..	11 905	—	160	(D)	(D)	(D)
Fruits, nuts, and berries .....	farms..	963	83	239	97	83
\$1,000..	47 118	257	2 026	1 323	1 218	125
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	108	—	5	8	9
\$1,000..	39 212	—	(D)	623	589	754
Nursery and greenhouse crops .....	farms..	926	253	258	65	88
\$1,000..	29 852	9 101	7 334	1 625	2 210	2 477
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	113	35	31	6	11
\$1,000..	22 577	6 531	5 506	1 066	1 761	1 866
Other crops .....	farms..	813	40	102	48	52
\$1,000..	101 745	278	1 027	568	810	2 246
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	344	1	5	3	7
\$1,000..	97 738	(D)	313	(D)	484	1 684
Poultry and poultry products .....	farms..	396	36	114	49	52
\$1,000..	73 299	721	7 715	1 456	2 038	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	47	3	11	5	2
\$1,000..	72 822	654	7 447	1 406	2 016	(D)
Dairy products .....	farms..	565	2	18	12	17
\$1,000..	95 420	(D)	607	876	(D)	28
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	422	1	5	8	14
\$1,000..	92 113	(D)	(D)	820	589	1 239
Cattle and calves .....	farms..	1 631	35	175	102	142
\$1,000..	10 222	74	421	220	372	644
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	26	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	2 443	—	—	—	—	—

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 49. Summary by Size of Farm: 1997—Con.**

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

Item	140 to 179 acres	180 to 219 acres	220 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 to 1,999 acres	2,000 acres or more
<b>F FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS</b>							
Farms .....	417	328	267	846	398	113	31
percent..	7.2	5.6	4.6	14.6	6.9	1.9	.5
Land in farms .....	65 082	64 655	63 683	300 546	267 420	151 002	115 334
Acres .....	156	197	239	355	672	1 336	3 720
Average size of farm .....							
<b>M MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD</b>							
Total sales (see text) .....	farms..	417	328	267	846	398	113
\$1,000..	10 246	13 815	15 516	76 461	78 647	89 958	31
Average per farm .....	dollars..	24 571	42 118	58 111	90 379	197 606	49 727
Farms by value of sales:							
Less than \$1,000 (see text) .....		54	38	24	68	20	—
\$1,000 to \$2,499 .....		75	52	24	58	22	—
\$2,500 to \$4,999 .....		73	33	28	70	13	1
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....		67	55	38	95	28	—
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....		46	41	35	105	30	8
\$20,000 to \$24,999 .....		11	5	13	30	9	2
\$25,000 to \$39,999 .....		27	11	22	60	20	—
\$40,000 to \$49,999 .....		15	17	9	29	8	—
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....		30	30	35	107	34	7
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....		11	36	29	163	92	1
\$250,000 to \$499,999 .....		7	8	7	49	86	30
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....		1	2	2	9	29	31
\$1,000,000 to \$2,499,999 .....		—	—	—	2	6	12
\$2,500,000 to \$4,999,999 .....		—	—	1	—	1	11
\$5,000,000 or more .....		—	—	—	1	—	2
\$10,000,000 or more .....		—	—	—	—	1	3
Grains .....	farms..	19	30	25	105	98	46
\$1,000..	81	158	85	1 003	2 143	1 983	15
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	(D)	(D)	1 128
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	(D)	(D)	10
Corn for grain .....	farms..	—	1	—	1	5	4
\$1,000..	—	(D)	—	(D)	349	239	(D)
Wheat .....	farms..	—	2	1	1	2	3
\$1,000..	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	102	(D)
Soybeans .....	farms..	1	—	—	1	5	5
\$1,000..	(D)	—	—	(D)	37	(D)	34
Sorghum for grain .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Barley .....	farms..	8	6	10	46	47	31
\$1,000..	(D)	64	39	430	834	1 167	562
Oats .....	farms..	9	17	13	61	54	18
\$1,000..	31	71	38	399	587	362	356
Other grains .....	farms..	2	6	5	7	9	2
\$1,000..	(D)	17	(D)	142	(D)	(D)	(D)
Cotton and cottonseed .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hay, silage, and field seeds .....	farms..	171	126	106	298	131	26
\$1,000..	735	760	763	2 599	1 608	430	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	1	—	—	4	8	2
\$1,000..	(D)	—	—	328	667	165	(D)
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons .....	farms..	41	37	22	73	35	10
\$1,000..	742	886	621	1 940	698	(D)	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	3	3	4	11	3	3
\$1,000..	448	567	437	1 321	227	(D)	(D)
Fruits, nuts, and berries .....	farms..	82	57	31	111	38	12
\$1,000..	1 728	2 355	1 546	6 777	6 983	2 482	18 306
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	11	10	5	26	16	7
\$1,000..	1 036	1 795	1 208	5 503	6 586	2 407	(D)
Nursery and greenhouse crops .....	farms..	38	33	30	52	23	4
\$1,000..	1 019	618	1 211	3 671	378	(D)	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	4	4	2	11	1	1
\$1,000..	791	482	(D)	3 251	(D)	—	(D)
Other crops .....	farms..	49	46	37	169	124	56
\$1,000..	1 542	2 920	2 387	17 944	29 554	27 382	15 090
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	13	19	20	99	97	51
\$1,000..	1 035	2 536	2 196	17 351	29 324	27 357	15 090
Poultry and poultry products .....	farms..	22	18	18	29	9	3
\$1,000..	2 042	1 473	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	5	3	3	6	—	—
\$1,000..	2 032	1 466	(D)	(D)	—	(D)	—
Dairy products .....	farms..	22	43	51	212	131	25
\$1,000..	1 438	3 878	4 851	24 399	35 034	16 071	5 810
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	10	33	35	160	122	25
\$1,000..	1 125	3 693	4 411	23 007	34 790	16 071	5 810
Cattle and calves .....	farms..	129	124	118	400	191	45
\$1,000..	572	444	692	3 253	2 154	1 160	216
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	3	10	7	4
\$1,000..	—	—	(D)	989	655	454	(D)

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 49. Summary by Size of Farm: 1997—Con.**

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

Item	Total	1 to 9 acres	10 to 49 acres	50 to 69 acres	70 to 99 acres	100 to 139 acres
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD—Con.</b>						
Total sales (see text)—Con.						
Hogs and pigs .....	farms..	261	18	73	23	25
\$1,000..		1 360	(D)	881	45	56
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	3	—	2	—	—
\$1,000..		752	—	(D)	—	—
Sheep, lambs, and wool .....	farms..	407	24	113	47	54
\$1,000..		578	(D)	100	28	66
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..		—	—	—	—	—
Other livestock and livestock products (see text) .....	farms..	452	77	136	37	47
\$1,000..		45 563	8 873	11 553	189	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	29	10	8	2	1
\$1,000..		43 702	8 594	10 890	(D)	(D)
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text) .....	farms..	1 177	105	294	105	126
\$1,000..		8 314	441	1 271	727	457
<b>FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES<sup>1</sup></b>						
Total farm production expenses .....	farms..	5 801	556	1 127	486	564
\$1,000..		347 611	11 116	26 597	8 375	19 323
Average per farm .....	dollars..	59 923	19 993	23 599	17 234	34 260
Livestock and poultry purchased .....	farms..	1 234	78	257	124	108
\$1,000..		11 988	238	3 348	195	1 180
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		941	58	235	119	93
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		208	18	10	4	7
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....		65	2	4	1	12
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....		12	—	4	—	1
\$250,000 or more .....		8	—	4	—	1
Feed for livestock and poultry .....	farms..	2 201	126	431	196	240
\$1,000..		79 605	1 469	8 675	863	6 925
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		1 624	112	395	182	227
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		194	7	20	8	—
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....		267	3	4	3	6
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....		77	2	6	3	5
\$250,000 or more .....		39	2	6	—	2
Commercially mixed formula feeds .....	farms..	1 553	79	288	149	160
\$1,000..		51 161	1 334	8 339	707	6 753
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		1 052	65	265	135	147
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		156	7	7	8	—
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....		251	3	4	4	6
\$100,000 or more .....		94	4	12	2	7
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees .....	farms..	2 076	251	376	162	120
\$1,000..		13 757	666	717	852	228
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999 .....		1 220	174	306	125	95
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....		450	42	48	31	14
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		259	30	17	5	9
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		90	2	4	—	1
\$50,000 or more .....		57	3	1	1	1
Commercial fertilizer .....	farms..	3 031	308	458	204	254
\$1,000..		16 537	84	284	190	271
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		2 466	307	453	201	241
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		387	1	5	2	13
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		113	—	—	1	—
\$50,000 or more .....		65	—	—	—	—
Agricultural chemicals .....	farms..	2 346	247	389	162	175
\$1,000..		17 435	58	247	171	210
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		1 875	246	386	156	161
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		274	1	3	6	14
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		111	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more .....		86	—	—	—	—
Petroleum products .....	farms..	5 494	490	1 045	446	548
\$1,000..		14 829	636	893	406	907
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		4 832	470	1 029	431	519
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		582	18	13	13	28
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		51	1	1	1	—
\$50,000 or more .....		29	1	2	1	1
Gasoline and gasohol .....	farms..	4 479	376	851	349	432
\$1,000..		5 758	167	423	152	616
Diesel fuel .....	farms..	3 647	210	501	287	337
\$1,000..		5 896	85	166	106	167
Natural gas .....	farms..	88	13	19	6	16
\$1,000..		61	1	5	1	11
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc. ....	farms..	3 756	306	577	284	316
\$1,000..		3 114	383	300	148	113

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**Table 49. Summary by Size of Farm: 1997—Con.**

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

Item	140 to 179 acres	180 to 219 acres	220 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 to 1,999 acres	2,000 acres or more
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD—Con.</b>							
Total sales (see text)—Con.							
Hogs and pigs .....	farms..	21	21	7	33	13	1
\$1,000..		56	30	28	152	31	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	1	—	—
\$1,000..		—	—	—	(D)	—	—
Sheep, lambs, and wool .....	farms..	23	21	19	28	6	7
\$1,000..		33	29	(D)	(D)	(D)	84
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..		—	—	—	—	—	—
Other livestock and livestock products (see text) .....	farms..	29	17	5	45	12	5
\$1,000..		260	265	269	453	41	26
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	1	1	1	3	—	(D)
\$1,000..		(D)	(D)	(D)	242	—	—
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text) .....	farms..	90	72	46	141	49	10
\$1,000..		987	1 092	472	1 421	532	(D)
<b>FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES<sup>1</sup></b>							
Total farm production expenses .....	farms..	325	383	326	863	399	113
\$1,000..		8 137	11 302	12 692	59 649	64 452	76 951
Average per farm .....	dollars..	25 036	29 508	38 932	69 118	161 534	680 985
Livestock and poultry purchased .....	farms..	66	75	100	191	96	29
\$1,000..		376	343	630	2 913	1 301	865
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		56	58	77	94	41	12
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		4	15	18	81	42	7
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....		6	2	4	12	12	7
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....		—	—	1	1	1	3
\$250,000 or more .....		—	—	—	3	—	—
Feed for livestock and poultry .....	farms..	114	166	105	353	211	47
\$1,000..		1 961	2 304	2 413	13 166	11 569	25 921
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		90	119	50	171	93	12
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		13	17	25	63	13	6
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....		6	27	26	106	66	10
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....		3	1	2	10	33	8
\$250,000 or more .....		2	2	2	3	6	11
Commercially mixed formula feeds .....	farms..	71	108	87	266	149	41
\$1,000..		1 698	1 627	2 081	11 980	8 799	4 323
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		53	70	33	112	38	13
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		9	10	27	51	18	2
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....		5	27	24	90	66	11
\$100,000 or more .....		4	1	3	13	27	15
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees .....	farms..	76	115	89	397	222	89
\$1,000..		397	300	237	2 549	2 797	2 704
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999 .....		45	71	61	184	52	12
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....		12	31	18	116	74	20
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		18	11	8	65	53	18
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		—	2	2	25	33	17
\$50,000 or more .....		1	—	—	7	10	22
Commercial fertilizer .....	farms..	159	160	202	608	282	97
\$1,000..		367	479	560	3 531	4 461	3 327
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		131	128	176	433	115	19
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		28	28	25	142	100	27
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		—	4	1	28	49	25
\$50,000 or more .....		—	—	—	5	18	16
Agricultural chemicals .....	farms..	118	135	130	448	240	94
\$1,000..		333	415	408	3 306	4 952	3 536
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		91	104	110	313	113	24
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		27	27	16	86	56	20
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		—	4	4	39	44	18
\$50,000 or more .....		—	—	—	10	27	32
Petroleum products .....	farms..	314	373	317	832	388	112
\$1,000..		417	622	930	2 681	2 964	2 239
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		295	348	277	657	202	25
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		18	24	38	167	171	60
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		1	1	1	7	13	21
\$50,000 or more .....		—	—	1	1	2	6
Gasoline and gasohol .....	farms..	268	318	254	716	345	99
\$1,000..		203	279	314	1 126	1 092	760
Diesel fuel .....	farms..	198	270	261	702	343	105
\$1,000..		126	227	317	1 138	1 374	1 209
Natural gas .....	farms..	—	2	—	8	5	3
\$1,000..		—	(D)	—	8	16	(D)
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc. ....	farms..	200	258	263	710	335	107
\$1,000..		88	(D)	299	409	482	(D)

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 49. Summary by Size of Farm: 1997—Con.**

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

Item	Total	1 to 9 acres	10 to 49 acres	50 to 69 acres	70 to 99 acres	100 to 139 acres
<b>FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES<sup>1</sup></b>						
—Con.						
Total farm production expenses—Con.						
Electricity ..... farms.. \$1,000..	3 815 10 613	372 467	633 484	262 186	323 810	366 353
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999 .....	2 595	300	519	225	277	298
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	815	62	104	32	38	63
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	378	9	8	4	7	3
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	17	—	2	1	—	1
\$50,000 or more .....	10	1	—	—	1	1
Hired farm labor ..... farms.. \$1,000..	2 472 64 285	160 2 525	365 3 679	130 1 929	201 3 927	194 1 362
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	1 474	125	309	93	146	157
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	513	16	29	32	39	27
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....	384	11	19	3	13	8
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....	71	6	5	—	2	2
\$250,000 or more .....	30	2	3	2	1	—
Workers by days worked:						
150 days or more ..... farms.. workers..	942 4 746	60 145	83 224	29 115	43 151	48 113
Less than 150 days ..... farms.. workers..	2 306 17 263	158 744	353 1 167	126 572	190 1 155	186 688
Contract labor ..... farms.. \$1,000..	645 4 161	57 268	130 242	26 83	60 92	70 292
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999 .....	244	29	64	6	41	42
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	271	22	61	12	13	8
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	111	5	4	8	6	20
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	7	—	1	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more .....	12	1	—	—	—	—
Repair and maintenance ..... farms.. \$1,000..	4 827 23 988	472 1 056	876 1 250	363 594	484 1 020	479 1 435
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	3 761	418	824	326	433	399
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	883	49	50	37	49	77
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	125	5	1	—	1	1
\$50,000 or more .....	58	—	1	—	1	2
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment ..... farms.. \$1,000..	1 145 4 595	71 38	168 135	62 71	90 92	86 94
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999 .....	600	60	136	52	66	62
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	383	11	29	8	22	21
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	135	—	3	1	2	2
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	14	—	—	1	—	1
\$50,000 or more .....	13	—	—	—	—	—
Interest ..... farms.. \$1,000..	1 820 15 954	136 789	151 1 244	130 493	150 475	182 882
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	1 115	92	119	99	139	133
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	567	41	27	30	8	47
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....	121	2	1	1	3	1
\$100,000 or more .....	17	1	4	—	—	1
Secured by real estate ..... farms.. \$1,000..	1 359 10 753	85 485	111 336	85 363	126 435	137 728
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999 .....	226	21	24	20	26	27
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	574	32	66	37	89	65
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	465	30	21	27	8	43
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	67	2	—	—	3	—
\$50,000 or more .....	27	—	—	1	—	2
Not secured by real estate ..... farms.. \$1,000..	973 5 201	94 304	71 908	85 130	47 40	93 153
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999 .....	390	52	45	38	35	40
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	383	38	17	44	12	50
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	165	3	4	3	—	2
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	19	—	1	—	—	1
\$50,000 or more .....	16	1	4	—	—	—
Cash rent ..... farms.. \$1,000..	941 5 044	39 87	58 191	65 124	50 57	63 157
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	721	36	54	61	49	54
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	97	1	2	2	1	7
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	81	1	—	1	—	1
\$25,000 or more .....	42	1	2	1	—	1
Property taxes ..... farms.. \$1,000..	5 550 16 006	493 764	1 061 1 556	466 883	552 1 590	602 1 064
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	4 903	488	1 048	439	521	590
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	452	3	11	25	23	5
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	154	1	2	1	1	7
\$25,000 or more .....	41	1	—	1	7	—
All other farm production expenses ..... farms.. \$1,000..	5 107 48 814	460 1 972	987 3 652	436 1 336	490 1 538	496 1 142
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	4 064	400	919	396	441	471
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	710	53	50	36	47	20
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	167	1	10	2	1	4
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	94	2	3	—	—	—
\$100,000 or more .....	72	4	5	2	1	1

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**Table 49. Summary by Size of Farm: 1997—Con.**

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

Item	140 to 179 acres	180 to 219 acres	220 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 to 1,999 acres	2,000 acres or more
<b>FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES<sup>1</sup></b>							
—Con.							
Total farm production expenses—Con.							
Electricity ..... farms.. \$1,000..	220 196	234 352	255 521	678 1 562	336 1 704	105 2 671	31 1 307
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999 .....	150	158	168	381	105	11	3
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	59	57	65	200	100	30	5
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	11	19	21	94	127	59	16
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	—	—	—	2	2	4	5
\$50,000 or more .....	—	—	1	1	2	1	2
Hired farm labor ..... farms.. \$1,000..	132 1 263	190 1 829	156 1 974	512 9 266	308 11 535	95 12 615	29 12 381
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	75	141	92	237	89	7	3
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	45	28	44	161	79	11	2
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....	10	17	17	99	125	55	7
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....	2	4	3	12	9	20	6
\$250,000 or more .....	—	—	—	3	6	2	11
Workers by days worked:							
150 days or more ..... farms.. workers..	44 78	66 113	37 234	229 530	194 611	84 650	25 1 782
Less than 150 days ..... farms.. workers..	127 754	169 768	146 1 449	465 3 555	268 2 884	89 1 189	29 2 338
Contract labor ..... farms.. \$1,000..	16 33	29 135	38 165	122 1 115	69 638	21 288	7 811
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999 .....	9	10	9	22	10	2	—
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	6	12	19	73	33	11	1
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	1	6	10	22	21	6	2
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	—	1	—	2	1	1	1
\$50,000 or more .....	—	—	—	3	4	1	3
Repair and maintenance ..... farms.. \$1,000..	251 623	332 971	300 1 255	766 4 353	368 5 082	106 3 790	30 2 559
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	209	281	215	474	158	21	3
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	41	45	78	268	150	34	5
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	1	6	4	20	48	30	8
\$50,000 or more .....	—	—	3	4	12	21	14
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment ..... farms.. \$1,000..	48 70	70 135	83 144	244 971	149 1 365	58 520	16 960
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999 .....	16	31	46	93	28	10	—
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	32	28	31	109	76	12	4
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	—	11	5	38	35	32	6
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	—	—	1	2	4	3	2
\$50,000 or more .....	—	—	—	2	6	1	4
Interest ..... farms.. \$1,000..	96 336	166 722	135 702	357 3 074	205 3 637	87 3 637	25 1 068
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	76	113	93	177	56	15	3
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	19	50	41	158	101	37	8
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....	1	3	1	21	45	32	10
\$100,000 or more .....	—	—	—	1	3	3	4
Secured by real estate ..... farms.. \$1,000..	76 270	139 581	98 526	254 2 085	159 2 445	69 2 445	20 702
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999 .....	24	18	16	38	10	2	—
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	34	74	46	82	35	10	4
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	17	47	35	117	82	33	5
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	1	—	1	11	25	17	7
\$50,000 or more .....	—	—	—	6	7	7	4
Not secured by real estate ..... farms.. \$1,000..	45 67	67 141	70 176	219 989	124 1 192	46 733	12 367
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999 .....	24	28	50	60	14	4	—
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	19	31	7	107	43	13	2
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	2	8	13	47	59	19	5
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	—	—	—	4	3	7	3
\$50,000 or more .....	—	—	—	1	5	3	2
Cash rent ..... farms.. \$1,000..	51 122	64 132	60 106	234 860	170 1 519	67 794	20 893
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	40	58	55	178	99	32	5
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	9	3	3	37	22	9	1
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	2	3	2	16	34	16	5
\$25,000 or more .....	—	—	—	3	15	10	9
Property taxes ..... farms.. \$1,000..	319 590	376 841	308 841	836 2 888	393 2 310	113 1 609	31 1 068
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	304	347	278	659	203	24	2
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	14	25	22	149	133	36	6
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	1	2	7	27	50	45	10
\$25,000 or more .....	—	2	1	1	7	8	13
All other farm production expenses ..... farms.. \$1,000..	292 1 050	344 1 722	306 1 805	772 7 412	383 8 618	111 13 543	30 5 025
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	243	276	224	498	172	21	3
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	42	42	69	194	108	40	9
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	3	21	4	52	54	11	4
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	2	4	6	19	33	23	2
\$100,000 or more .....	2	1	3	9	16	16	12

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 49. Summary by Size of Farm: 1997—Con.**

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

Item	Total	1 to 9 acres	10 to 49 acres	50 to 69 acres	70 to 99 acres	100 to 139 acres
<b>NET CASH RETURN FROM AGRICULTURAL SALES FOR THE FARM UNIT (SEE TEXT)<sup>1</sup></b>						
All farms .....	number..	5 801	556	1 127	486	564
\$1,000..		78 187	9 798	3 627	-2 489	9 829
Average per farm .....	dollars..	13 478	17 622	3 218	-5 122	17 427
Farms with net gains <sup>2</sup> .....	number..	2 469	305	439	114	187
Average net gain .....	dollars..	43 877	35 289	17 178	16 292	65 713
Gain of—						
Less than \$1,000 .....		309	30	99	28	26
\$1,000 to \$9,999 .....		1 084	129	211	56	109
\$10,000 to \$49,999 .....		738	123	112	25	44
\$50,000 or more .....		338	23	17	5	8
Farms with net losses .....	number..	3 332	251	688	372	377
Average net loss.....	dollars..	9 047	3 845	5 689	11 685	6 524
Loss of—						
Less than \$1,000 .....		529	67	130	61	61
\$1,000 to \$9,999 .....		2 307	162	519	270	281
\$10,000 to \$49,999 .....		418	22	33	37	26
\$50,000 or more .....		78	—	6	4	9
<b>GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS AND OTHER FARM-RELATED INCOME</b>						
Government payments .....	farms..	934	14	56	34	64
\$1,000..		2 977	41	96	81	150
Other farm-related income <sup>1</sup> .....	farms..	1 689	25	180	85	158
\$1,000..		10 907	52	507	360	758
Customwork and other agricultural services .....	farms..	546	14	57	31	114
\$1,000..		3 643	21	195	64	482
Gross cash rent or share payments .....	farms..	237	—	41	8	21
\$1,000..		753	—	36	14	(D)
Forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products .....	farms..	903	1	78	48	57
\$1,000..		5 754	(D)	226	215	(D)
Other farm-related income sources.....	farms..	472	10	24	26	25
\$1,000..		757	(D)	50	68	(D)
<b>COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS</b>						
Total .....	farms..	12	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..		24	—	—	—	—
Corn .....	farms..	2	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..		(D)	—	—	—	—
Wheat .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..		—	—	—	—	—
Soybeans.....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..		—	—	—	—	—
Sorghum, barley, and oats .....	farms..	10	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..		(D)	—	—	—	—
Cotton.....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..		—	—	—	—	—
Sunflower seed, flaxseed, safflower, canola, other rapeseed, and mustard seed .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..		—	—	—	—	—
Peanuts, rice, and tobacco .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..		—	—	—	—	—
<b>LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE</b>						
Total cropland .....	farms..	5 372	409	1 027	428	519
acres..		539 966	997	14 970	11 722	18 216
Harvested cropland .....	farms..	4 875	384	863	364	458
acres..		403 014	794	9 182	7 547	11 275
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 49 acres .....		3 180	384	863	320	400
50 to 99 acres .....		628	—	—	44	58
100 to 199 acres .....		502	—	—	—	—
200 to 499 acres .....		444	—	—	—	—
500 to 999 acres .....		89	—	—	—	—
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....		23	—	—	—	—
2,000 acres or more .....		9	—	—	—	—
Cropland:						
Pasture or grazing only .....	farms..	2 156	39	377	178	212
acres..		65 066	(D)	3 529	2 422	3 856
In cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured .....	farms..	565	8	88	32	56
acres..		23 006	14	515	449	917
On which all crops failed .....	farms..	152	4	20	14	16
acres..		2 430	(D)	39	41	112
In cultivated summer fallow .....	farms..	195	2	39	18	17
acres..		5 136	(D)	195	215	145
Idle .....	farms..	1 105	29	200	88	109
acres..		41 314	58	1 510	1 048	1 911
Total woodland .....	farms..	4 189	73	592	351	441
acres..		566 603	230	8 640	11 360	20 060
Woodland pastured .....	farms..	848	11	102	56	98
acres..		40 274	27	647	945	1 626
Woodland not pastured .....	farms..	3 958	66	552	328	411
acres..		526 329	203	7 993	10 415	18 434

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**Table 49. Summary by Size of Farm: 1997—Con.**

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

Item	140 to 179 acres	180 to 219 acres	220 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 to 1,999 acres	2,000 acres or more
<b>NET CASH RETURN FROM AGRICULTURAL SALES FOR THE FARM UNIT (SEE TEXT)<sup>1</sup></b>							
All farms .....	number..	325	383	326	863	399	113
\$1,000..	.....	320	1 933	3 664	12 588	12 592	12 210
Average per farm .....	dollars..	986	5 046	11 239	14 586	31 558	115 106
Farms with net gains <sup>2</sup> .....	number..	134	156	184	405	231	80
Average net gain .....	.....	11 885	20 387	27 169	46 325	68 418	187 947
Gain of—							
Less than \$1,000 .....	.....	26	10	7	29	16	4
\$1,000 to \$9,999 .....	.....	61	88	109	177	31	6
\$10,000 to \$49,999 .....	.....	41	48	51	128	86	16
\$50,000 or more .....	.....	6	10	17	71	98	54
Farms with net losses .....	number..	191	227	142	458	168	33
Average net loss.....	dollars..	6 660	5 497	9 401	13 479	19 124	61 476
Loss of—							
Less than \$1,000 .....	.....	11	66	28	36	1	1
\$1,000 to \$9,999 .....	.....	155	132	81	290	110	12
\$10,000 to \$49,999 .....	.....	25	28	31	110	40	9
\$50,000 or more .....	.....	—	1	2	22	17	11
<b>GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS AND OTHER FARM-RELATED INCOME</b>							
Government payments .....	farms..	58	52	64	240	170	68
\$1,000..	.....	137	133	204	702	711	386
Other farm-related income <sup>1</sup> .....	farms..	72	171	183	358	191	50
\$1,000..	.....	402	649	1 308	2 509	2 023	986
Customwork and other agricultural services .....	farms..	20	37	60	98	49	9
\$1,000..	.....	196	183	789	400	689	98
Gross cash rent or share payments .....	farms..	16	20	22	35	13	11
\$1,000..	.....	28	36	26	115	92	185
Forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products .....	farms..	44	115	90	214	119	32
\$1,000..	.....	169	340	457	1 852	1 070	646
Other farm-related income sources.....	farms..	19	33	57	134	78	33
\$1,000..	.....	10	90	36	143	171	57
<b>COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS</b>							
Total .....	farms..	1	—	1	4	3	3
\$1,000..	.....	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	2	(D)
Corn .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	.....	—	—	—	—	—	(D)
Wheat .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	.....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Soybeans.....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	.....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sorghum, barley, and oats .....	farms..	1	—	1	4	3	1
\$1,000..	.....	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	2	(D)
Cotton.....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	.....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sunflower seed, flaxseed, safflower, canola, other rapeseed, and mustard seed .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	.....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Peanuts, rice, and tobacco .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	.....	—	—	—	—	—	—
<b>LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE</b>							
Total cropland .....	farms..	401	317	259	823	394	111
acres..	.....	25 512	28 304	26 250	134 422	122 652	67 404
Harvested cropland .....	farms..	369	305	248	774	381	110
acres..	.....	17 680	20 509	18 868	98 784	97 373	57 670
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 49 acres .....	.....	222	150	107	219	59	13
50 to 99 acres .....	.....	94	78	61	137	40	2
100 to 199 acres .....	.....	53	65	61	217	64	8
200 to 499 acres .....	.....	—	12	19	201	174	34
500 to 999 acres .....	.....	—	—	—	—	44	40
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....	.....	—	—	—	—	—	5
2,000 acres or more .....	.....	—	—	—	—	—	10
Cropland:							
Pasture or grazing only .....	farms..	163	146	123	407	184	38
acres..	.....	4 176	5 000	3 780	20 437	11 910	2 752
In cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured .....	farms..	38	26	37	102	63	28
acres..	.....	1 011	467	1 361	6 012	5 669	3 042
On which all crops failed .....	farms..	8	8	10	26	19	4
acres..	.....	50	43	94	722	898	94
In cultivated summer fallow .....	farms..	16	12	12	29	25	4
acres..	.....	270	316	309	735	1 149	452
Idle .....	farms..	93	75	62	175	87	29
acres..	.....	2 325	1 969	1 838	7 732	5 653	3 394
Total woodland .....	farms..	370	273	238	757	361	98
acres..	.....	32 790	30 844	31 608	143 076	127 384	72 080
Woodland pastured .....	farms..	78	65	55	179	84	15
acres..	.....	2 811	3 038	2 926	8 933	10 819	4 671
Woodland not pastured .....	farms..	348	256	229	731	341	95
acres..	.....	29 979	27 806	28 682	134 143	116 565	67 409

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**Table 49. Summary by Size of Farm: 1997—Con.**

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

Item	Total	1 to 9 acres	10 to 49 acres	50 to 69 acres	70 to 99 acres	100 to 139 acres
<b>LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE—Con.</b>						
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured..... farms..	844	47	196	54	91	92
acres..	27 952	213	2 283	692	2 140	2 184
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. .... farms..	3 659	263	756	281	356	444
acres..	77 127	709	5 370	2 577	4 500	5 250
Irrigated land ..... farms..	671	169	159	44	55	58
acres..	21 791	259	561	185	237	596
Harvested cropland irrigated .....	farms..	660	168	155	44	54
acres..	21 608	(D)	523	181	(D)	(D)
Pasture and other land irrigated .....	farms..	24	2	8	3	2
acres..	183	(D)	38	4	(D)	(D)
Land under Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs .....	farms..	352	1	15	18	29
acres..	22 217	(D)	(D)	626	1 095	1 904
<b>VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS<sup>1</sup></b>						
Estimated market value of land and buildings..... farms..	5 801	556	1 127	486	564	628
\$1,000..	1 456 482	46 987	140 175	79 476	116 701	125 942
Average per farm ..... dollars..	251 074	84 509	124 379	163 530	206 917	200 545
Average per acre ..... dollars..	1 190	23 181	4 608	2 803	2 494	1 736
Farms by value group:						
\$1 to \$39,999 .....	farms..	463	187	185	30	31
\$40,000 to \$69,999 .....	farms..	539	88	167	90	63
\$70,000 to \$99,999 .....	farms..	615	76	200	64	94
\$100,000 to \$149,999 .....	farms..	866	112	194	107	71
\$150,000 to \$199,999 .....	farms..	800	54	149	62	76
\$200,000 to \$499,999 .....	farms..	1 926	38	226	114	199
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....	farms..	439	1	6	17	20
\$1,000,000 to \$1,999,999 .....	farms..	113	—	—	2	9
\$2,000,000 to \$4,999,999 .....	farms..	36	—	—	—	—
\$5,000,000 or more .....	farms..	4	—	—	—	—
<b>VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup></b>						
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment .....	farms..	5 794	556	1 127	486	557
\$1,000..	282 151	16 210	27 505	12 334	14 048	19 623
Farms by value group:						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	farms..	670	105	180	80	76
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	farms..	742	89	173	62	78
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....	farms..	1 205	81	338	145	143
\$20,000 to \$49,999 .....	farms..	1 618	181	314	134	192
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	farms..	790	71	64	41	51
\$100,000 to \$199,999 .....	farms..	496	26	47	22	12
\$200,000 to \$499,999 .....	farms..	232	3	10	2	5
\$500,000 or more .....	farms..	41	—	1	—	—
<b>SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup></b>						
Motortrucks, including pickups .....	farms..	5 141	475	973	425	482
number..	11 261	692	1 550	653	874	848
Wheel tractors .....	farms..	5 092	394	912	391	516
number..	11 767	688	1 503	787	1 042	1 074
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) .....	farms..	3 315	273	624	297	378
number..	5 155	423	899	494	601	546
40 horsepower (PTO) or more .....	farms..	3 236	203	439	218	275
number..	6 612	265	604	293	441	528
40 to 99 horsepower (PTO) .....	farms..	3 075	197	421	198	272
number..	5 346	232	561	264	417	368
100 horsepower (PTO) or more .....	farms..	647	25	34	29	16
number..	1 266	33	43	29	24	58
Grain and bean combines .....	farms..	230	2	2	1	3
number..	254	(D)	(D)	(D)	3	21
Cotton pickers and strippers .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
number..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Mower conditioners .....	farms..	1 970	24	150	136	212
number..	2 183	25	153	143	243	250
Pickup balers .....	farms..	2 126	9	203	161	221
number..	2 514	9	205	182	233	246
<b>AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS<sup>1</sup></b>						
Commercial fertilizer .....	farms..	2 921	237	432	199	251
acres on which used..	234 911	415	3 411	3 017	4 369	265
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—						
Insects on hay and other crops .....	farms..	1 449	142	237	96	109
acres on which used..	113 473	251	1 690	1 008	1 722	116
Nematodes in crops .....	farms..	92	8	14	23	7
acres on which used..	4 923	13	66	56	33	115
Diseases in crops and orchards .....	farms..	869	52	139	51	52
acres on which used..	86 353	83	992	555	959	91
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture .....	farms..	1 428	74	200	107	120
acres on which used..	149 286	170	1 274	1 246	1 929	127
Chemicals used on crops to control growth, thin fruit, or defoliate .....	farms..	383	13	45	14	11
acres on which used..	45 461	33	488	217	177	43

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**Table 49. Summary by Size of Farm: 1997—Con.**

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Item	140 to 179 acres	180 to 219 acres	220 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 to 1,999 acres	2,000 acres or more
<b>LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE—Con.</b>							
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured..... farms.. acres..	48 1 100	41 1 442	30 1 244	142 6 947	80 6 056	18 3 204	5 447
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. .... farms.. acres..	263 5 680	200 4 065	187 4 581	531 16 101	273 11 328	84 8 314	21 8 652
Irrigated land ..... farms.. acres..	35 497	22 377	15 359	45 1 966	29 1 953	24 3 390	16 11 411
Harvested cropland irrigated ..... farms.. acres..	33 423	21 (D)	15 359	45 (D)	29 (D)	23 (D)	16 11 411
Pasture and other land irrigated ..... farms.. acres..	4 74	1 (D)	— —	1 (D)	1 (D)	1 (D)	— —
Land under Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs ..... farms.. acres..	25 1 590	18 577	20 1 313	89 6 632	53 4 663	31 2 577	8 1 010
<b>VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS<sup>1</sup></b>							
Estimated market value of land and buildings ..... farms.. \$1,000..	325 63 480	383 86 030	326 92 900	863 281 842	399 193 678	113 130 438	31 98 832
Average per farm ..... dollars..	195 324	224 623	284 970	326 584	485 408	1 154 321	3 188 120
Average per acre ..... dollars..	1 242	1 128	1 198	913	733	864	857
Farms by value group:							
\$1 to \$39,999 .....	9	5	—	—	—	—	—
\$40,000 to \$69,999 .....	29	8	16	1	7	—	—
\$70,000 to \$99,999 .....	34	12	29	52	2	—	—
\$100,000 to \$149,999 .....	72	83	37	77	9	1	—
\$150,000 to \$199,999 .....	52	92	54	107	29	1	—
\$200,000 to \$499,999 .....	120	167	152	508	177	14	—
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....	8	14	28	91	153	48	1
\$1,000,000 to \$1,999,999 .....	—	2	8	25	16	41	10
\$2,000,000 to \$4,999,999 .....	1	—	2	2	6	7	17
\$5,000,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	1	3
<b>VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup></b>							
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ..... farms.. \$1,000..	325 14 562	383 12 170	326 17 678	863 56 175	399 45 986	113 30 514	31 15 344
Farms by value group:							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	27	27	30	62	10	3	—
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	57	57	29	55	17	4	1
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....	58	90	35	102	31	2	1
\$20,000 to \$49,999 .....	70	143	102	230	97	15	1
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	74	47	88	208	72	10	1
\$100,000 to \$199,999 .....	24	16	26	160	88	26	8
\$200,000 to \$499,999 .....	14	3	14	46	75	38	6
\$500,000 or more .....	1	—	2	—	9	15	13
<b>SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup></b>							
Motortrucks, including pickups ..... farms.. number..	295 560	349 603	301 655	765 2 035	390 1 561	107 836	31 394
Wheel tractors ..... farms.. number..	288 670	375 779	312 821	799 2 268	379 1 303	104 566	27 266
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms.. number..	180 322	268 462	192 298	464 734	199 289	42 73	9 14
40 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms.. number..	204 348	205 317	241 523	652 1 534	290 1 014	96 493	25 252
40 to 99 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms.. number..	191 319	194 293	236 475	617 1 249	273 678	85 244	23 144
100 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms.. number..	27 29	19 24	35 48	183 285	148 336	65 249	17 108
Grain and bean combines ..... farms.. number..	4 4	9 9	13 14	68 72	66 72	32 41	9 12
Cotton pickers and strippers ..... farms.. number..	— —	— —	— —	— —	— —	— —	— —
Mower conditioners ..... farms.. number..	122 131	174 201	177 201	461 511	213 248	48 58	12 19
Pickup balers ..... farms.. number..	134 138	206 256	203 282	482 593	217 275	36 46	8 12
<b>AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS<sup>1</sup></b>							
Commercial fertilizer ..... farms.. acres on which used..	159 6 298	160 5 901	202 13 555	609 49 035	282 60 373	97 46 249	28 35 491
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—							
Insects on hay and other crops ..... farms.. acres on which used..	72 2 145	81 3 150	71 2 956	285 21 326	150 28 470	70 26 391	20 22 221
Nematodes in crops ..... farms.. acres on which used..	1 (D)	1 (D)	1 (D)	10 1 032	14 2 572	2 (D)	2 (D)
Diseases in crops and orchards ..... farms.. acres on which used..	22 1 102	72 2 418	47 2 216	176 15 158	99 20 402	49 18 354	19 22 562
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture ..... farms.. acres on which used..	59 2 258	63 2 672	96 3 761	286 27 114	187 41 617	83 35 680	26 29 066
Chemicals used on crops to control growth, thin fruit, or defoliate ..... farms.. acres on which used..	9 400	14 754	18 984	98 8 153	75 15 683	33 10 976	10 6 790

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**Table 49. Summary by Size of Farm: 1997—Con.**

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

Item	Total	1 to 9 acres	10 to 49 acres	50 to 69 acres	70 to 99 acres	100 to 139 acres
<b>TENURE AND RACE OF OPERATOR</b>						
All operators .....	5 810	533	1 184	458	546	689
Full owners .....	3 829	408	938	328	416	525
Part owners .....	1 654	47	160	103	113	137
Tenants .....	327	78	86	27	17	27
White .....	5 790	530	1 180	458	545	683
Full owners .....	3 813	405	934	328	415	520
Part owners .....	1 650	47	160	103	113	136
Tenants .....	327	78	86	27	17	27
Black and other races .....	20	3	4	—	1	6
Full owners .....	16	3	4	—	1	5
Part owners .....	4	—	—	—	—	1
Tenants .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
<b>OWNED AND RENTED LAND</b>						
Land owned..... farms..	5 485	456	1 098	432	529	662
acres..	1 008 270	2 135	28 711	22 995	40 649	72 495
Owned land in farms .....	5 483	455	1 098	431	529	662
acres..	985 902	1 728	26 861	21 919	39 571	69 582
Land rented or leased from others .....	farms..	1 990	127	246	131	166
acres..	227 375	446	4 402	4 500	5 466	9 770
landlords..	6 122	194	486	317	270	483
Rented or leased land in farms .....	farms..	1 981	125	246	130	164
acres..	225 746	421	4 402	4 432	5 345	9 665
Land rented or leased to others .....	farms..	435	13	50	37	63
acres..	23 997	432	1 850	1 144	1 199	3 018
<b>OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS</b>						
Operators by place of residence:						
On farm operated .....	4 727	361	941	367	465	556
Not on farm operated .....	717	112	156	61	54	87
Not reported .....	366	60	87	30	27	46
Operators by principal occupation:						
Farming .....	2 872	196	446	167	202	282
Other .....	2 938	337	738	291	344	407
Operators by days worked off farm:						
None .....	2 246	178	348	128	171	237
Any .....	3 263	332	786	302	353	416
1 to 99 days .....	643	62	123	53	56	66
100 to 199 days .....	662	66	154	58	64	88
200 days or more .....	1 958	204	509	191	233	262
Not reported .....	301	23	50	28	22	36
Operators by years on present farm:						
2 years or less .....	208	38	66	23	20	22
3 or 4 years .....	280	57	89	26	22	43
5 to 9 years .....	781	112	227	75	70	93
10 years or more .....	3 713	216	619	274	365	440
Average years on present farm .....	20.5	12.3	15.2	18.4	19.8	20.8
Not reported .....	828	110	183	60	69	91
Operators by age group:						
Under 25 years .....	39	4	11	7	4	2
25 to 34 years .....	286	44	79	20	21	34
35 to 44 years .....	1 113	139	282	85	106	112
45 to 49 years .....	824	82	189	76	71	99
50 to 54 years .....	794	75	171	70	79	85
55 to 59 years .....	727	59	114	49	75	98
60 to 64 years .....	636	43	109	48	60	70
65 to 69 years .....	522	41	91	35	52	63
70 years and over .....	869	46	138	68	78	126
Average age .....	54.4	50.7	51.9	53.7	54.7	55.8
Operators by sex:						
Male .....	4 991	374	923	388	464	600
Female .....	819	159	261	70	82	89
Operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin (see text) .....	36	1	7	5	4	6
<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION</b>						
Individual or family (sole proprietorship)..... farms..	5 064	456	1 076	424	518	626
acres..	896 406	1 897	28 669	24 401	42 644	71 998
Partnership .....	farms..	306	20	50	12	26
acres..	106 220	59	1 199	(D)	(D)	2 966
Corporation:						
Family held .....	farms..	362	38	47	20	8
acres..	179 965	119	1 155	1 154	641	3 171
More than 10 stockholders .....	farms..	4	1	—	—	1
10 or less stockholders .....	farms..	358	37	47	20	8
Other than family held .....	farms..	41	13	8	1	6
acres..	10 749	57	181	(D)	—	772
More than 10 stockholders .....	farms..	5	1	—	—	2
10 or less stockholders .....	farms..	36	12	7	1	4
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. ....	farms..	37	6	3	1	3
acres..	18 308	17	59	(D)	(D)	340

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Item	140 to 179 acres	180 to 219 acres	220 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 to 1,999 acres	2,000 acres or more
<b>TENURE AND RACE OF OPERATOR</b>							
All operators .....	417	328	267	846	398	113	31
Full owners .....	284	197	141	394	155	35	8
Part owners .....	120	110	112	419	234	78	21
Tenants .....	13	21	14	33	9	—	2
White .....	415	328	267	843	398	113	30
Full owners .....	284	197	141	392	155	35	7
Part owners .....	118	110	112	418	234	78	21
Tenants .....	13	21	14	33	9	—	2
Black and other races .....	2	—	—	3	—	—	1
Full owners .....	—	—	—	2	—	—	1
Part owners .....	2	—	—	1	—	—	—
Tenants .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
<b>OWNED AND RENTED LAND</b>							
Land owned..... farms..	404	307	253	813	389	113	29
acres..	56 541	53 396	51 815	243 252	212 810	128 435	95 036
Owned land in farms .....	farms..	404	253	813	389	113	29
acres..	55 171	51 671	50 911	237 789	210 246	125 949	94 504
Land rented or leased from others .....	farms..	134	131	127	452	244	78
acres..	10 354	13 014	12 873	62 772	57 424	25 378	20 976
landlords..	367	385	347	1 607	1 116	372	178
Rented or leased land in farms .....	farms..	133	131	126	452	243	78
acres..	9 911	12 984	12 772	62 757	57 174	25 053	20 830
Land rented or leased to others .....	farms..	32	29	28	91	36	14
acres..	1 813	1 755	1 005	5 478	2 814	2 811	5 678
<b>OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS</b>							
Operators by place of residence:							
On farm operated .....	352	276	227	724	343	98	17
Not on farm operated .....	48	30	26	87	36	10	10
Not reported .....	17	22	14	35	19	5	4
Operators by principal occupation:							
Farming .....	202	202	154	595	304	98	24
Other .....	215	126	113	251	94	15	7
Operators by days worked off farm:							
None .....	138	153	116	428	243	85	21
Any .....	257	154	134	364	136	20	9
1 to 99 days .....	62	37	30	95	50	6	3
100 to 199 days .....	57	26	34	82	29	4	—
200 days or more .....	138	91	70	187	57	10	6
Not reported .....	22	21	17	54	19	8	1
Operators by years on present farm:							
2 years or less .....	8	3	5	20	2	1	—
3 or 4 years .....	12	6	7	14	4	—	—
5 to 9 years .....	39	39	22	70	25	7	2
10 years or more .....	307	241	196	625	320	87	23
Average years on present farm .....	23.0	25.2	25.0	25.5	26.0	29.4	26.7
Not reported .....	51	39	37	117	47	18	6
Operators by age group:							
Under 25 years .....	3	4	—	3	1	—	—
25 to 34 years .....	12	11	11	30	17	6	1
35 to 44 years .....	65	51	45	134	71	19	4
45 to 49 years .....	60	37	27	108	54	17	4
50 to 54 years .....	51	31	45	114	55	10	8
55 to 59 years .....	52	51	35	109	58	26	1
60 to 64 years .....	51	44	32	111	46	14	8
65 to 69 years .....	48	39	27	76	37	10	3
70 years and over .....	75	60	45	161	59	11	2
Average age .....	56.4	56.7	56.1	56.7	55.1	54.2	54.5
Operators by sex:							
Male .....	387	300	254	782	379	109	31
Female .....	30	28	13	64	19	4	—
Operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin (see text) .....	4	2	—	3	3	—	1
<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION</b>							
Individual or family (sole proprietorship)..... farms..	388	289	231	693	283	69	11
acres..	60 489	56 853	55 055	245 606	187 039	88 526	33 229
Partnership .....	15	21	16	62	44	16	5
farms..	2 357	4 182	3 810	22 920	30 874	23 286	12 348
Corporation:							
Family held .....	farms..	11	15	75	66	25	12
acres..	1 757	3 049	4 110	26 356	45 739	35 110	57 604
More than 10 stockholders .....	farms..	—	1	—	—	1	—
10 or less stockholders .....	farms..	11	15	16	66	24	12
Other than family held .....	farms..	2	1	1	5	2	(D)
acres..	(D)	(D)	(D)	1 621	(D)	—	(D)
More than 10 stockholders .....	farms..	—	—	—	1	—	—
10 or less stockholders .....	farms..	2	1	1	5	—	2
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. ....	farms..	1	2	2	11	3	1
acres..	(D)	(D)	(D)	4 043	(D)	4 080	(D)

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

Item	Total	1 to 9 acres	10 to 49 acres	50 to 69 acres	70 to 99 acres	100 to 139 acres
<b>INJURIES AND DEATHS</b>						
Farm-related injuries:						
Operator and family members .....	farms..	52	4	7	5	5
number..		57	5	7	6	6
Hired workers .....	farms..	72	2	2	3	6
number..		177	(D)	(D)	3	6
Farm-related deaths:						
Operator and family members .....	farms..	1	—	—	—	—
number..		(D)	—	—	—	—
Hired workers .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
number..		—	—	—	—	—
<b>F FARMS BY SIZE</b>						
1 to 9 acres .....		533	533	—	—	—
10 to 49 acres .....		1 184	—	1 184	—	—
50 to 69 acres .....		458	—	—	458	—
70 to 99 acres .....		546	—	—	546	—
100 to 139 acres .....		689	—	—	—	689
140 to 179 acres .....		417	—	—	—	—
180 to 219 acres .....		328	—	—	—	—
220 to 259 acres .....		267	—	—	—	—
260 to 499 acres .....		846	—	—	—	—
500 to 999 acres .....		398	—	—	—	—
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....		113	—	—	—	—
2,000 acres or more .....		31	—	—	—	—
<b>F FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM</b>						
Oilseed and grain farming (1111) .....		179	—	16	14	18
Vegetable and melon farming (1112) .....		733	48	110	38	40
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113) .....		805	76	197	83	76
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114) .....		704	233	202	52	62
Other crop farming (1119) .....		1 224	25	187	116	148
Tobacco farming (11191) .....		—	—	—	—	—
Cotton farming (11192) .....		—	—	—	—	—
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199) .....		1 224	25	187	116	148
Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111) .....		699	28	131	55	93
Cattle feedlots (112112) .....		95	3	22	6	5
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212) .....		535	2	17	11	14
Hog and pig farming (1122) .....		71	7	32	9	7
Poultry and egg production (1123) .....		104	10	42	11	13
Sheep and goat farming (1124) .....		193	20	51	23	24
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129) .....		468	81	177	40	46
<b>LIVESTOCK</b>						
Cattle and calves inventory..... farms..	1 921	48	257	126	184	213
number..	101 695	399	2 690	1 853	3 052	4 282
Farms with—						
1 to 9 .....		616	40	161	70	84
10 to 49 .....		734	7	93	47	88
50 to 99 .....		271	1	3	8	11
100 to 199 .....		201	—	—	1	1
200 to 499 .....		83	—	—	—	2
500 or more .....		16	—	—	—	1
Cows and heifers that had calved .....	farms..	1 588	27	186	100	153
number..	52 531	147	1 198	1 014	1 404	1 976
Beef cows .....	farms..	1 035	22	154	83	130
number..	11 782	(D)	800	(D)	874	1 114
Farms with—						
1 to 9 .....		667	21	133	67	99
10 to 49 .....		341	1	21	16	31
50 to 99 .....		20	—	—	—	1
100 to 199 .....		5	—	—	—	—
200 to 499 .....		2	—	—	—	—
500 or more .....		—	—	—	—	—
Milk cows .....	farms..	685	5	42	21	35
number..	40 749	(D)	398	(D)	530	53
Farms with—						
1 to 4 .....		131	3	22	9	18
5 to 9 .....		25	1	5	1	4
10 to 49 .....		229	—	14	7	11
50 to 99 .....		202	1	1	4	2
100 to 199 .....		68	—	—	—	1
200 to 499 .....		26	—	—	—	—
500 or more .....		4	—	—	—	—
Heifers and heifer calves..... farms..	1 432	18	154	72	127	156
number..	39 222	146	827	508	1 022	1 570
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves .....	farms..	1 320	31	182	85	143
number..	9 942	106	665	331	626	151

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**Table 49. Summary by Size of Farm: 1997—Con.**

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

Item	140 to 179 acres	180 to 219 acres	220 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 to 1,999 acres	2,000 acres or more
<b>INJURIES AND DEATHS</b>							
Farm-related injuries:							
Operator and family members .....	farms..	3	3	3	4	6	6
number..		3	3	3	4	6	—
Hired workers .....	farms..	1	3	4	10	17	7
number..	(D)	3	(D)	12	27	9	8
Farm-related deaths:							
Operator and family members .....	farms..	—	—	1	—	—	—
number..		—	—	(D)	—	—	—
Hired workers .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
number..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
<b>F FARMS BY SIZE</b>							
1 to 9 acres .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
10 to 49 acres .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
50 to 69 acres .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
70 to 99 acres .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100 to 139 acres .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
140 to 179 acres .....	417	—	—	—	—	—	—
180 to 219 acres .....	—	328	—	—	—	—	—
220 to 259 acres .....	—	—	267	—	—	—	—
260 to 499 acres .....	—	—	—	846	—	—	—
500 to 999 acres .....	—	—	—	—	398	—	—
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....	—	—	—	—	—	113	—
2,000 acres or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	31
<b>F FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM</b>							
Oilseed and grain farming (1111) .....	19	11	7	36	19	2	—
Vegetable and melon farming (1112) .....	47	40	31	135	106	53	15
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113) .....	60	51	23	88	32	10	5
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114) .....	21	21	18	31	8	2	2
Other crop farming (1119) .....	134	90	79	184	66	7	2
Tobacco farming (11191) .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton farming (11192) .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199) .....	134	90	79	184	66	7	2
Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111) .....	65	45	38	99	37	6	1
Cattle feedlots (112112) .....	8	7	5	20	2	2	1
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212) .....	22	39	50	202	124	25	4
Hog and pig farming (1122) .....	4	3	1	2	—	—	1
Poultry and egg production (1123) .....	5	4	3	7	—	2	—
Sheep and goat farming (1124) .....	11	6	7	9	2	3	—
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129) .....	21	11	5	33	2	1	—
<b>LIVESTOCK</b>							
Cattle and calves inventory..... farms..	151	138	129	425	195	48	7
number..	3 569	5 398	6 755	28 964	28 167	11 944	4 622
Farms with—							
1 to 9 .....	53	32	28	51	14	3	—
10 to 49 .....	82	65	49	144	33	9	—
50 to 99 .....	11	24	36	125	34	5	—
100 to 199 .....	5	16	11	91	65	9	—
200 to 499 .....	—	1	5	13	47	12	4
500 or more .....	—	—	—	1	2	10	3
Cows and heifers that had calved .....	farms..	116	121	110	376	181	45
number..	1 611	2 700	3 196	14 264	15 609	6 542	2 870
Beef cows .....	farms..	93	82	58	184	66	22
number..	899	799	910	2 923	1 466	818	590
Farms with—							
1 to 9 .....	53	49	38	85	24	6	—
10 to 49 .....	40	33	19	93	32	11	1
50 to 99 .....	—	—	—	5	10	3	1
100 to 199 .....	—	—	—	1	—	2	2
200 to 499 .....	—	—	1	—	—	—	1
500 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Milk cows .....	farms..	37	51	57	221	133	26
number..	712	1 901	2 286	11 341	14 143	5 724	2 280
Farms with—							
1 to 4 .....	15	11	6	16	6	—	—
5 to 9 .....	3	1	2	3	—	1	—
10 to 49 .....	13	24	33	88	15	1	—
50 to 99 .....	6	13	13	101	56	5	—
100 to 199 .....	—	2	3	13	44	5	—
200 to 499 .....	—	—	—	—	11	12	3
500 or more .....	—	—	—	—	1	2	1
Heifers and heifer calves..... farms..	105	108	108	362	173	42	7
number..	1 374	2 247	2 909	11 164	11 314	4 571	1 570
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves .....	farms..	100	96	74	299	119	34
number..	584	451	650	3 536	1 244	831	182

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**Table 49. Summary by Size of Farm: 1997—Con.**

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

Item	Total	1 to 9 acres	10 to 49 acres	50 to 69 acres	70 to 99 acres	100 to 139 acres
<b>LIVESTOCK—Con.</b>						
Cattle and calves sold .....	farms..	1 631	35	175	102	142
number..		37 889	184	1 114	699	1 198
\$1,000..		10 222	74	421	220	372
Calves .....	farms..	991	15	101	49	68
number..		19 721	86	527	325	535
\$1,000..		1 284	12	81	41	86
Cattle .....	farms..	1 358	30	137	79	115
number..		18 168	98	587	374	663
\$1,000..		8 938	62	340	179	286
Fattened on grain and concentrates .....	farms..	256	10	44	16	28
number..		2 699	(D)	133	65	67
\$1,000..		1 751	(D)	84	49	46
Hogs and pigs inventory .....	farms..	341	22	89	21	34
number..		5 977	177	2 554	272	355
Farms with—						
1 to 24 .....		310	20	74	18	31
25 to 49 .....		8	2	4	1	—
50 to 99 .....		12	—	5	2	3
100 to 199 .....		7	—	4	—	1
200 to 499 .....		2	—	1	—	—
500 or more .....		2	—	1	—	—
Used or to be used for breeding .....	farms..	137	14	36	12	9
number..		(D)	32	456	63	48
Other .....	farms..	302	19	73	20	33
number..		(D)	145	2 098	209	307
Hogs and pigs sold .....	farms..	261	18	73	23	25
number..		9 226	(D)	3 784	403	661
\$1,000..		1 360	(D)	881	45	444
Feeder pigs .....	farms..	53	3	17	3	5
number..		(D)	20	817	190	(D)
\$1,000..		(D)	1	39	9	302
Litters of pigs farrowed between—						
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30 .....	farms..	153	14	42	12	9
number..		(D)	26	842	38	76
Dec. 1 and May 31 .....	farms..	133	12	40	10	5
number..		980	17	560	19	39
June 1 and Nov. 30 .....	farms..	92	5	23	7	7
number..		(D)	9	282	19	37
Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory .....	farms..	426	23	108	45	59
number..		10 603	342	1 940	596	1 363
Ewes 1 year old or older .....	farms..	379	19	99	40	52
number..		6 488	197	1 108	430	789
Sheep and lambs sold .....	farms..	355	23	94	40	50
number..		7 970	348	1 406	545	975
Sheep and lambs shorn .....	farms..	352	19	98	39	48
number..		8 572	302	1 641	520	1 036
pounds of wool..		65 654	2 292	14 003	3 822	6 755
Horses and ponies inventory .....	farms..	1 014	63	267	97	104
number..		5 750	321	1 704	516	471
Horses and ponies sold .....	farms..	214	18	69	17	22
number..		810	27	148	45	37
Goats inventory .....	farms..	214	26	66	30	19
number..		2 214	233	663	162	159
Goats sold .....	farms..	66	12	21	7	7
number..		657	121	230	44	46
<b>POULTRY</b>						
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text) .....	farms..	554	48	157	58	72
number..		6 134 383	(D)	499 901	(D)	(D)
Farms with—						
1 to 399 .....		519	44	148	56	66
400 to 3,199 .....		4	—	2	1	—
3,200 to 9,999 .....		—	—	—	—	—
10,000 to 19,999 .....		7	1	1	—	3
20,000 to 49,999 .....		14	3	2	1	—
50,000 to 99,999 .....		7	—	3	—	2
100,000 or more .....		3	—	1	—	—
Layers 20 weeks old and older .....	farms..	532	44	148	56	71
number..		5 019 263	(D)	270 317	(D)	94 365
Pullets 13 weeks old and older but less than 20 weeks old .....	farms..	109	11	33	16	14
number..		1 115 120	57 289	229 584	199	(D)
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold (see text) .....	farms..	98	10	32	6	17
number..		6 977 638	154 879	808 421	115 065	242 502
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold .....	farms..	73	8	27	9	7
number..		199 416	331	28 721	(D)	199
Farms with—						
1 to 1,999 .....		68	8	24	8	7
2,000 to 59,999 .....		3	—	3	—	—
60,000 to 99,999 .....		2	—	—	1	—
100,000 or more .....		—	—	—	—	—
Turkey hens kept for breeding .....	farms..	25	3	5	3	3
number..		170	(D)	31	11	(D)
Turkeys sold .....	farms..	99	8	29	14	11
number..		9 364	288	3 757	(D)	248

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Item	140 to 179 acres	180 to 219 acres	220 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 to 1,999 acres	2,000 acres or more
<b>LIVESTOCK—Con.</b>							
Cattle and calves sold .....	farms..	129	124	118	400	191	45
number..	\$1,000..	1 506	1 840	2 350	10 734	9 670	6 027
\$1,000..	572	444	692	3 253	2 154	1 160	216
Calves .....	farms..	71	69	81	282	147	31
number..	\$1,000..	638	1 045	1 193	5 097	5 525	3 688
\$1,000..	116	93	90	379	209	80	24
Cattle .....	farms..	98	102	99	340	175	40
number..	\$1,000..	868	795	1 157	5 637	4 145	2 339
\$1,000..	456	351	602	2 874	1 945	1 080	456
Fattened on grain and concentrates .....	farms..	18	14	14	56	20	7
number..	\$1,000..	137	79	195	1 240	182	363
\$1,000..	85	46	116	838	106	216	(D)
Hogs and pigs inventory .....	farms..	25	23	12	48	17	3
number..	353	121	45	1 572	111	(D)	1
Farms with—							
1 to 24 .....		23	22	12	46	16	3
25 to 49 .....		—	1	—	—	—	—
50 to 99 .....		1	—	—	—	1	—
100 to 199 .....		1	—	—	—	—	1
200 to 499 .....		—	—	—	1	—	—
500 or more .....		—	—	—	1	—	—
Used or to be used for breeding .....	farms..	10	12	4	20	6	2
number..	115	37	12	225	33	(D)	1
Other .....	farms..	23	21	10	45	13	3
number..	238	84	33	1 347	78	(D)	—
Hogs and pigs sold .....	farms..	21	21	7	33	13	1
number..	738	398	227	1 585	276	(D)	1
\$1,000..	56	30	28	152	31	(D)	(D)
Feeder pigs .....	farms..	6	4	4	5	2	1
number..	\$1,000..	594	264	74	192	(D)	(D)
\$1,000..	25	8	2	8	(D)	(D)	(D)
Litters of pigs farrowed between—							
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30 .....	farms..	10	14	5	24	6	2
number..	107	49	22	277	37	(D)	1
Dec. 1 and May 31 .....	farms..	9	9	3	22	6	2
number..	51	20	13	(D)	21	(D)	1
June 1 and Nov. 30 .....	farms..	9	11	5	11	5	2
number..	56	29	9	(D)	16	(D)	—
Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory .....	farms..	24	27	21	38	7	—
number..	701	438	800	880	371	1 264	—
Ewes 1 year old or older .....	farms..	19	23	21	32	5	7
number..	376	231	531	547	131	886	—
Sheep and lambs sold .....	farms..	23	21	17	22	6	7
number..	460	536	782	553	317	728	—
Sheep and lambs shorn .....	farms..	17	16	19	24	4	6
number..	461	409	687	658	137	887	—
pounds of wool..	3 431	2 793	5 000	5 651	1 111	8 353	—
Horses and ponies inventory .....	farms..	69	66	33	121	44	11
number..	332	307	98	1 037	211	72	9
Horses and ponies sold .....	farms..	18	11	1	28	6	—
number..	39	22	(D)	387	(D)	13	—
Goats inventory .....	farms..	9	10	—	15	6	2
number..	40	107	—	105	(D)	(D)	—
Goats sold .....	farms..	1	3	—	5	2	—
number..	(D)	(D)	—	53	(D)	—	—
<b>POULTRY</b>							
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text) .....	farms..	34	28	17	48	16	7
number..	111 791	115 655	(D)	(D)	737	(D)	—
Farms with—							
1 to 399 .....		30	25	15	45	16	6
400 to 3,199 .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
3,200 to 9,999 .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
10,000 to 19,999 .....		—	—	—	1	—	—
20,000 to 49,999 .....		4	2	2	—	—	—
50,000 to 99,999 .....		—	1	—	1	—	—
100,000 or more .....		—	—	—	1	—	1
Layers 20 weeks old and older .....	farms..	34	26	16	45	16	7
number..	111 714	(D)	(D)	(D)	607	(D)	—
Pullets 13 weeks old and older but less than 20 weeks old .....	farms..	4	8	3	6	3	2
number..	77	(D)	(D)	(D)	130	(D)	—
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold (see text) .....	farms..	6	4	3	8	1	2
number..	88 423	97 512	(D)	1 166 139	(D)	(D)	—
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold .....	farms..	4	4	1	3	2	—
number..	(D)	(D)	(D)	688	(D)	—	—
Farms with—							
1 to 1,999 .....		3	4	1	3	2	—
2,000 to 59,999 .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
60,000 to 99,999 .....		1	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 or more .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
Turkey hens kept for breeding .....	farms..	2	2	—	4	—	1
number..	(D)	(D)	—	44	—	(D)	—
Turkeys sold .....	farms..	6	8	5	3	1	1
number..	598	75	188	81	(D)	(D)	—

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Item	Total	1 to 9 acres	10 to 49 acres	50 to 69 acres	70 to 99 acres	100 to 139 acres
<b>SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED</b>						
Corn for silage or green chop..... farms..	332	1	5	6	6	17
acres..	27 537	(D)	(D)	91	89	404
tons, green..	447 405	(D)	(D)	1 322	1 243	5 967
Irrigated .....	6	1	1	—	1	—
acres..	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	(D)	—
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres .....	104	1	5	5	4	13
25 to 99 acres .....	134	—	—	1	2	3
100 to 249 acres .....	69	—	—	—	—	1
250 to 499 acres .....	24	—	—	—	—	—
500 acres or more .....	1	—	—	—	—	—
Oats for grain .....	272	1	14	7	10	20
farms..						
acres..	22 364	(D)	86	(D)	151	333
bushels..	1 643 127	(D)	5 619	(D)	9 219	21 567
Irrigated .....	1	1	—	—	—	—
acres..	(D)	(D)	—	—	—	—
Potatoes, excluding sweetpotatoes..... farms..	586	15	62	22	32	50
acres..	73 085	41	614	334	706	1 488
cwt..	19 490 474	7 604	141 803	71 791	154 784	323 520
Irrigated .....	100	6	11	2	4	5
acres..	8 634	7	12	(D)	3	55
Farms by acres harvested:						
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....	137	12	36	9	16	19
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....	72	3	15	8	4	12
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....	117	—	11	5	12	14
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....	167	—	—	—	—	5
250.0 acres or more .....	93	—	—	—	—	—
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) ... farms..	2 810	24	353	209	294	397
acres..	214 005	70	5 330	5 184	8 411	14 640
tons, dry..	332 039	109	7 129	7 011	11 471	19 783
Irrigated .....	26	4	7	1	3	3
acres..	958	8	52	(D)	4	68
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres .....	986	24	292	119	151	153
25 to 99 acres .....	1 147	—	61	90	143	224
100 to 249 acres .....	493	—	—	—	—	20
250 to 499 acres .....	160	—	—	—	—	—
500 acres or more .....	24	—	—	—	—	—
Tame hay other than alfalfa, small grain, and wild hay (see text) .....	2 005	12	225	131	200	272
farms..						
acres..	119 468	36	3 399	3 088	5 469	9 722
tons, dry..	187 105	70	4 358	4 173	7 511	13 749
Irrigated .....	12	2	4	(D)	—	2
acres..	177	(D)	(D)	—	—	(D)
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text) .... farms..	611	69	149	48	47	74
acres..	11 745	(D)	565	302	234	617
Irrigated .....	212	39	50	12	22	22
acres..	5 665	69	156	(D)	122	166
Farms by acres harvested:						
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....	367	63	107	31	31	44
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....	164	6	41	15	16	22
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....	71	—	1	2	—	8
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....	7	—	—	—	—	—
250.0 acres or more .....	2	—	—	—	—	—
Land in orchards..... farms..	334	31	81	32	46	42
acres..						
farms..	5 170	69	454	340	288	439
Irrigated .....	37	6	10	3	8	2
acres..	325	11	26	2	12	(D)
Farms by bearing and nonbearing acres:						
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....	193	29	51	14	32	24
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....	93	2	28	13	11	12
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....	40	—	2	5	3	6
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....	6	—	—	—	—	—
250.0 acres or more .....	2	—	—	—	—	—
Berries harvested for sale .....	farms..	820	70	215	78	64
acres..		(D)	(D)	605	798	1 08
Irrigated .....	farms..	143	19	41	10	1 297
acres..	(D)	25	189	45	15	13
						80

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<b>SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED</b>							
Corn for silage or green chop..... farms..	9	17	20	116	103	25	7
acres..	215	377	881	5 756	11 812	5 513	2 383
tons, green..	2 800	5 823	13 700	89 715	191 042	97 009	38 525
Irrigated .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms..	—	(D)	—	(D)	—	(D)	—
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres .....	4	12	8	37	13	2	—
25 to 99 acres .....	5	5	8	64	41	4	1
100 to 249 acres .....	—	—	4	15	40	8	1
250 to 499 acres .....	—	—	—	—	9	11	4
500 acres or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
Oats for grain .....	farms..	12	20	14	80	62	22
acres..	405	780	509	4 937	7 147	4 108	10
bushels..	27 415	49 820	34 733	355 420	529 368	312 943	3 840
Irrigated .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Potatoes, excluding sweetpotatoes .....	farms..	33	42	26	131	107	52
acres..	1 403	2 316	1 807	14 403	21 028	19 643	9 304
cwt..	336 930	588 152	403 079	3 767 560	5 715 963	5 384 657	2 594 631
Irrigated .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms..	6	4	2	13	20	16	11
acres..	86	(D)	(D)	686	1 458	2 960	3 002
Farms by acres harvested:							
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....	8	9	4	16	8	—	—
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....	6	9	3	9	3	—	—
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....	14	13	10	32	5	1	—
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....	5	11	9	71	56	9	1
250.0 acres or more .....	—	—	—	3	35	42	13
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) .....	farms..	261	221	179	557	249	56
acres..	13 346	14 569	14 879	66 892	48 050	14 944	10
tons, dry..	18 675	21 652	22 542	101 877	83 966	25 985	7 690
Irrigated .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms..	2	1	—	1	—	2	1
acres..	(D)	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres .....	82	40	34	62	24	4	1
25 to 99 acres .....	142	131	80	209	56	11	—
100 to 249 acres .....	37	49	63	218	89	15	2
250 to 499 acres .....	—	1	2	66	70	19	2
500 acres or more .....	—	—	—	2	10	7	5
Tame hay other than alfalfa, small grain, and wild hay (see text) .....	farms..	182	162	142	441	188	43
acres..	7 850	8 875	10 046	40 969	22 666	5 448	7
tons, dry..	11 740	14 426	16 193	63 435	38 261	10 165	1 900
Irrigated .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	3 024
farms..	1	—	—	1	—	1	—
acres..	(D)	—	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	—
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text) .....	farms..	41	37	22	73	35	10
acres..	402	554	382	1 536	1 035	493	6
Irrigated .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms..	18	10	5	21	7	3	3
acres..	185	74	96	400	129	60	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:							
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....	26	18	9	28	10	—	—
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....	12	13	7	18	10	3	1
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....	3	5	6	25	14	5	2
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....	—	1	—	2	1	2	1
250.0 acres or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	2
Land in orchards .....	farms..	23	24	13	29	9	4
acres..	362	471	435	963	(D)	(D)	—
Irrigated .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms..	1	2	2	1	1	1	—
acres..	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—
Farms by bearing and nonbearing acres:							
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....	12	11	5	9	4	2	—
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....	5	8	4	8	2	—	—
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....	6	4	3	9	1	1	—
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....	—	1	1	3	1	—	—
250.0 acres or more .....	—	—	—	—	1	1	—
Berries harvested for sale .....	farms..	69	45	23	98	35	10
acres..	937	1 033	388	2 906	3 981	1 085	5
Irrigated .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms..	16	4	1	16	4	3	3
acres..	76	14	(D)	90	17	(D)	3 600

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

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

**Table 50. Summary by Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997**

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

Item	All farms	\$1,000,000 or more	\$500,000 to \$999,999	\$250,000 to \$499,999	\$100,000 to \$249,999	\$50,000 to \$99,999	\$40,000 to \$49,999
<b>F FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS</b>							
Farms .....	5 810	53	88	212	414	390	129
number..	100.0	.9	1.5	3.6	7.1	6.7	2.2
Land in farms .....	1 211 648	96 567	86 675	129 285	150 222	101 726	30 029
acres..	209	1 822	985	610	363	261	233
Average size of farm .....							
acres..							
<b>M MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD</b>							
Total sales (see text) .....	5 810	53	88	212	414	390	129
farms..	438 673	179 395	57 632	70 566	64 969	28 364	5 680
\$1,000..	75 503	3 384 804	654 909	332 860	156 931	72 728	44 029
Average per farm .....							
dollars..							
Farms by value of sales:							
Less than \$1,000 (see text) .....	1 020	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000 to \$2,499 .....	903	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$2,500 to \$4,999 .....	743	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	751	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....	621	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$20,000 to \$24,999 .....	177	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$25,000 to \$39,999 .....	309	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$40,000 to \$49,999 .....	129	—	—	—	—	—	129
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	390	—	—	—	—	390	—
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....	414	—	—	—	414	—	—
\$250,000 to \$499,999 .....	212	—	—	212	—	—	—
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....	88	—	88	—	—	—	—
\$1,000,000 to \$2,499,999 .....	39	39	—	—	—	—	—
\$2,500,000 to \$4,999,999 .....	7	7	—	—	—	—	—
\$5,000,000 or more .....	7	7	—	—	—	—	—
Grains .....	407	17	39	77	83	55	14
farms..	6 793	1 305	1 538	2 213	821	415	51
\$1,000..						2	—
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	37	13	13	9	—	(D)	—
farms..	3 144	1 194	(D)	951	—	(D)	—
Corn for grain .....	17	3	3	3	1	1	—
farms..	785	280	181	276	(D)	(D)	—
Wheat .....	11	1	—	3	—	1	2
farms..	124	(D)	—	102	—	(D)	(D)
Soybeans .....	16	3	4	4	2	1	—
farms..	113	23	44	(D)	(D)	(D)	—
Sorghum for grain .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Barley .....	164	10	21	48	42	20	7
farms..	3 162	686	758	1 061	432	118	35
Oats .....	209	7	21	33	50	31	6
farms..	1 882	251	555	406	370	139	(D)
Other grains .....	63	3	—	5	2	5	1
farms..	727	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Cotton and cottonseed .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hay, silage, and field seeds .....	1 574	2	17	34	63	59	30
farms..	9 747	(D)	1 013	648	720	964	(D)
\$1,000..						6	—
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	18	5	4	3	260	458	—
farms..	1 925	—	877	330	—	—	—
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons .....	611	10	8	25	42	54	20
farms..	16 974	(D)	(D)	1 712	1 829	1 663	549
\$1,000..						11	—
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	37	3	1	9	1 499	1 469	669
farms..	11 905	(D)	(D)	1 499	1 469	669	—
Fruits, nuts, and berries .....	963	10	2	17	41	72	35
farms..	47 118	25 894	(D)	4 343	4 097	4 025	(D)
\$1,000..						52	—
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	108	9	2	16	29	3943	3 686
farms..	39 212	(D)	(D)	(D)	3 943	3 686	—
Nursery and greenhouse crops .....	926	5	5	21	54	66	29
farms..	29 852	5 130	2 888	5 167	6 741	3 373	1 022
\$1,000..						44	—
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	113	5	5	18	41	44	—
farms..	22 577	5 130	2 888	5 142	6 473	2 944	—
Other crops .....	813	16	44	100	129	105	26
farms..	101 745	20 232	25 503	28 472	18 011	6 265	845
\$1,000..						80	—
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	344	16	43	91	114	(D)	—
farms..	97 738	20 232	(D)	28 402	17 914	(D)	—
Poultry and poultry products .....	396	5	7	17	18	14	6
farms..	73 299	60 547	4 989	4 939	1 817	(D)	(D)
\$1,000..						7	—
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	47	5	7	15	13	1 814	(D)
farms..	72 822	60 547	4 989	(D)	1 814	(D)	—
Dairy products .....	565	10	28	73	195	130	24
farms..	95 420	17 340	16 930	21 330	27 892	9 143	975
\$1,000..						117	—
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	422	10	28	73	194	(D)	—
farms..	92 113	17 340	16 930	21 330	(D)	(D)	—
Cattle and calves .....	1 631	11	33	80	205	154	39
farms..	10 222	427	999	1 517	1 798	1 158	306
\$1,000..						6	—
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	26	3	5	7	5	6	—
farms..	2 443	210	494	693	638	408	—

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 50. Summary by Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997—Con.**

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

Item	\$25,000 to \$39,999	\$20,000 to \$24,999	\$10,000 to \$19,999	\$5,000 to \$9,999	\$2,500 to \$4,999	\$1,000 to \$2,499	Less than \$1,000	
<b>F FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS</b>								
Farms .....	309	177	621	751	743	903	1 020	
number..	5.3	3.0	10.7	12.9	12.8	15.5	17.6	
percent..								
Land in farms .....	56 230	40 116	115 950	113 830	89 303	100 130	101 585	
acres..	182	227	187	152	120	111	100	
Average size of farm .....								
acres..								
<b>M MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD</b>								
Total sales (see text) .....	farms..	309	177	621	751	743	903	1 020
\$1,000..	9 743	3 892	8 790	5 297	2 618	1 477	1 250	
Average per farm .....	dollars..	31 531	21 989	14 155	7 054	3 523	1 636	245
Farms by value of sales:								
Less than \$1,000 (see text) .....		—	—	—	—	—	—	1 020
\$1,000 to \$2,499 .....		—	—	—	—	—	903	—
\$2,500 to \$4,999 .....		—	—	—	—	743	—	—
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....		—	—	—	751	—	—	—
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....		—	—	621	—	—	—	—
\$20,000 to \$24,999 .....		—	177	—	—	—	—	—
\$25,000 to \$39,999 .....		309	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$40,000 to \$49,999 .....		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$250,000 to \$499,999 .....		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000,000 to \$2,499,999 .....		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$2,500,000 to \$4,999,999 .....		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$5,000,000 or more .....		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Grains .....	farms..	17	7	35	30	12	19	2
\$1,000..	125	55	170	70	15	(D)	(D)	
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Corn for grain .....	farms..	2	—	—	2	—	2	—
\$1,000..	(D)	—	—	(D)	—	—	(D)	—
Wheat .....	farms..	1	—	2	1	—	—	—
\$1,000..	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	—	—	—	—
Soybeans .....	farms..	—	—	1	—	—	1	—
\$1,000..	—	—	(D)	—	—	—	(D)	—
Sorghum for grain .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Barley .....	farms..	5	—	6	4	—	1	—
\$1,000..	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	—	—	(D)	—
Oats .....	farms..	8	5	18	15	6	8	1
\$1,000..	18	(D)	55	33	9	(D)	(D)	
Other grains .....	farms..	4	2	14	13	6	7	1
\$1,000..	41	(D)	75	25	6	(D)	(D)	
Cotton and cottonseed .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hay, silage, and field seeds .....	farms..	77	53	206	299	305	290	139
\$1,000..	1 019	646	1 505	1 404	807	395	63	
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons .....	farms..	50	32	109	111	71	57	22
\$1,000..	808	358	839	432	131	67	7	
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Fruits, nuts, and berries .....	farms..	72	46	162	180	123	126	77
\$1,000..	1 934	876	1 869	1 069	325	170	33	
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Nursery and greenhouse crops .....	farms..	84	52	149	120	108	120	113
\$1,000..	2 125	857	1 475	635	263	153	24	
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other crops .....	farms..	57	22	86	75	57	74	22
\$1,000..	1 126	285	592	239	93	76	7	
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Poultry and poultry products .....	farms..	18	13	39	57	84	75	43
\$1,000..	157	30	81	53	52	(D)	(D)	
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Dairy products .....	farms..	42	13	29	9	8	4	—
\$1,000..	1 171	227	385	20	5	2	—	—
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cattle and calves .....	farms..	87	42	190	209	231	233	117
\$1,000..	710	266	1 288	818	559	313	62	
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 50. Summary by Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997—Con.**

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

Item	All farms	\$1,000,000 or more	\$500,000 to \$999,999	\$250,000 to \$499,999	\$100,000 to \$249,999	\$50,000 to \$99,999	\$40,000 to \$49,999
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD—Con.</b>							
Total sales (see text)—Con.							
Hogs and pigs .....	farms..	261	—	1	2	5	7
\$1,000..	1 360	—	(D)	(D)	94	(D)	3
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	3	—	1	—	1	1
\$1,000..	752	—	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	—
Sheep, lambs, and wool .....	farms..	407	—	—	2	7	9
\$1,000..	578	—	—	(D)	28	(D)	7
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other livestock and livestock products (see text) .....	farms..	452	8	2	3	15	16
\$1,000..	45 563	40 120	(D)	(D)	1 122	658	8
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	29	8	2	1	8	226
\$1,000..	43 702	40 120	(D)	(D)	1 104	10	—
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text) .....	farms..	1 177	7	6	27	47	66
\$1,000..	8 314	99	90	1 738	1 408	1 415	31
							412
<b>FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES<sup>1</sup></b>							
Total farm production expenses .....	farms..	5 801	53	88	206	372	335
\$1,000..	347 611	128 279	46 027	58 340	51 309	19 194	2 736
Average per farm .....	dollars..	59 923	2 420 355	523 032	283 204	137 928	57 295
Livestock and poultry purchased .....	farms..	1 234	19	1 23	43	99	49
\$1,000..	11 988	4 057	1 176	1 525	2 180	523	17
Farms with expenses of—							47
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		941	1	6	6	28	22
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		208	2	6	15	51	16
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....		65	5	8	20	17	1
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....		12	5	2	2	2	—
\$250,000 or more .....		8	6	1	—	1	—
Feed for livestock and poultry .....	farms..	2 201	23	9 293	88	213	111
\$1,000..	79 605	43 142	10 287	11 124	2 474	2 474	25
Farms with expenses of—							216
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		1 624	—	1	3	9	22
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		194	—	1	3	8	44
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....		267	—	1	35	186	45
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....		77	3	21	43	9	—
\$250,000 or more .....		39	20	14	4	1	—
Commercially mixed formula feeds .....	farms..	1 553	22	7 430	86	201	104
\$1,000..	51 161	21 419	9 073	9 161	2 103	2 103	13
Farms with expenses of—							89
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		1 052	—	2	2	10	18
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		156	—	—	5	19	49
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....		251	1	6	42	165	37
\$100,000 or more .....		94	21	28	37	7	—
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees .....	farms..	2 076	35	2 335	175	256	218
\$1,000..	13 757	2 858	4 223	2 181	1 133	1 133	31
Farms with expenses of—							44
\$1 to \$999 .....		1 220	1	4	9	60	55
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....		450	4	17	60	87	15
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		259	10	18	45	84	64
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		90	5	13	42	25	5
\$50,000 or more .....		57	15	23	19	—	—
Commercial fertilizer .....	farms..	3 031	40	3 091	187	296	259
\$1,000..	16 537	3 236	4 038	3 005	1 239	1 239	77
Farms with expenses of—							177
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		2 466	2	6	35	139	167
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		387	12	24	84	125	89
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		113	5	22	52	30	3
\$50,000 or more .....		65	21	26	16	2	—
Agricultural chemicals .....	farms..	2 346	43	3 533	187	261	246
\$1,000..	17 435	4 460	4 237	2 779	1 295	1 295	68
Farms with expenses of—							103
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		1 875	2	17	66	142	156
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		274	15	17	39	78	85
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		111	4	10	55	37	5
\$50,000 or more .....		86	22	33	27	4	—
Petroleum products .....	farms..	5 494	51	2 014	204	362	334
\$1,000..	14 829	2 963	2 673	2 432	1 251	1 251	105
Farms with expenses of—							258
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		4 832	3	8	36	147	258
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		582	11	59	148	212	88
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		51	16	14	18	3	17
\$50,000 or more .....		29	21	6	2	—	—
Gasoline and gasohol .....	farms..	4 479	48	718	191	335	282
\$1,000..	5 758	1 052	923	925	501	501	84
Diesel fuel .....	farms..	3 647	47	78	190	337	271
\$1,000..	5 896	1 208	958	1 139	1 007	418	95
Natural gas .....	farms..	88	1	5	6	5	102
\$1,000..	61	(D)	17	11	21	(D)	—
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc. ....	farms..	3 756	50	322	203	355	308
\$1,000..	3 114	(D)	600	479	479	(D)	77
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**Table 50. Summary by Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997—Con.**

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Item	\$25,000 to \$39,999	\$20,000 to \$24,999	\$10,000 to \$19,999	\$5,000 to \$9,999	\$2,500 to \$4,999	\$1,000 to \$2,499	Less than \$1,000
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD—Con.</b>							
Total sales (see text)—Con.							
Hogs and pigs .....	farms..	16	12	33	50	64	56
\$1,000..		145	56	128	120	79	42
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..		—	—	—	—	—	—
Sheep, lambs, and wool .....	farms..	9	7	43	68	83	99
\$1,000..		14	59	75	129	115	83
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..		—	—	—	—	—	—
Other livestock and livestock products (see text) .....	farms..	21	12	47	75	80	114
\$1,000..		408	178	383	309	172	134
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..		—	—	—	—	—	—
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text) .....	farms..	71	35	194	195	210	204
\$1,000..		691	273	1 032	574	357	198
<b>FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES<sup>1</sup></b>							
Total farm production expenses .....	farms..	281	205	659	817	753	924
\$1,000..		6 808	4 432	9 146	7 101	4 790	4 559
Average per farm .....	dollars..	24 227	21 618	13 879	8 691	6 361	4 934
Livestock and poultry purchased .....	farms..	55	42	175	185	168	187
\$1,000..		428	173	745	597	200	88
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		32	26	119	170	158	187
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		21	16	56	8	10	—
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....		1	—	—	7	—	1
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....		1	—	—	—	—	—
\$250,000 or more .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
Feed for livestock and poultry .....	farms..	89	27	261	285	335	333
\$1,000..		707	171	678	337	487	271
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		41	15	220	282	328	330
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		47	12	41	3	7	3
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....		1	—	—	—	—	—
\$250,000 or more .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
Commercially mixed formula feeds .....	farms..	68	26	180	175	226	167
\$1,000..		646	120	391	188	229	110
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		24	15	170	173	225	164
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		43	11	10	2	1	3
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
\$100,000 or more .....		1	—	—	—	—	—
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees .....	farms..	122	121	272	248	218	196
\$1,000..		196	281	219	148	72	39
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999 .....		79	56	212	213	212	196
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....		30	45	57	35	6	—
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		13	20	3	—	—	1
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
Commercial fertilizer .....	farms..	184	142	440	452	359	285
\$1,000..		307	324	448	307	175	107
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		168	128	437	445	358	285
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		16	13	3	7	1	231
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		—	1	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
Agricultural chemicals .....	farms..	141	112	357	344	196	181
\$1,000..		222	119	273	248	64	56
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		126	110	352	330	196	181
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		15	2	5	14	—	—
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
Petroleum products .....	farms..	266	204	649	797	743	893
\$1,000..		548	332	608	612	347	385
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		228	196	647	790	740	893
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		38	8	2	7	3	798
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
Gasoline and gasohol .....	farms..	206	175	511	626	597	699
\$1,000..		226	147	204	325	195	231
Diesel fuel .....	farms..	200	132	501	457	433	472
\$1,000..		173	102	310	158	109	434
Natural gas .....	farms..	1	—	30	4	10	114
\$1,000..		(D)	—	4	(Z)	2	97
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc. ....	farms..	213	172	468	550	384	410
\$1,000..		(D)	83	90	129	41	481

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**Table 50. Summary by Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997—Con.**

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Item	All farms	\$1,000,000 or more	\$500,000 to \$999,999	\$250,000 to \$499,999	\$100,000 to \$249,999	\$50,000 to \$99,999	\$40,000 to \$49,999
<b>FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES<sup>1</sup></b>							
—Con.							
Total farm production expenses—Con.							
Electricity ..... farms.. \$1,000..	3 815 10 613	47 4 601	85 1 032	198 1 450	364 1 560	304 574	93 100
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999 .....	2 595	1	1	7	43	102	52
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	815	4	10	63	189	178	41
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	378	22	71	124	132	24	—
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	17	12	3	2	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more .....	10	8	—	2	—	—	—
Hired farm labor ..... farms.. \$1,000..	2 472 64 285	52 29 337	87 7 604	201 11 543	345 8 918	250 3 533	77 579
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	1 474	—	1	7	38	68	24
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	513	—	4	39	160	138	52
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....	384	6	57	131	143	43	1
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....	71	20	23	22	4	1	—
\$250,000 or more .....	30	26	2	—	—	—	—
Workers by days worked:							
150 days or more ..... farms.. workers..	942 4 746	51 2 605	86 403	179 667	265 577	125 219	18 21
Less than 150 days ..... farms.. workers..	2 306 17 263	48 3 229	77 978	175 1 998	268 2 466	231 2 825	69 725
Contract labor ..... farms.. \$1,000..	645 4 161	11 1 422	21 408	52 638	96 646	47 345	9 20
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999 .....	244	—	1	1	15	10	4
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	271	2	9	21	50	21	3
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	111	2	8	26	27	15	2
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	7	3	—	1	2	1	—
\$50,000 or more .....	12	4	3	3	2	—	—
Repair and maintenance ..... farms.. \$1,000..	4 827 23 988	53 4 831	88 3 420	201 3 988	365 3 556	327 1 747	92 258
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	3 761	2	6	19	101	160	79
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	883	8	23	123	248	165	13
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	125	13	40	52	15	2	—
\$50,000 or more .....	58	30	19	7	1	—	—
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment ..... farms.. \$1,000..	1 145 4 595	28 1 624	58 814	105 829	166 587	122 267	13 15
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999 .....	600	1	3	8	48	36	10
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	383	2	22	44	79	75	3
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	135	11	26	48	39	10	—
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	14	5	4	4	—	1	—
\$50,000 or more .....	13	9	3	1	—	—	—
Interest ..... farms.. \$1,000..	1 820 15 954	49 3 499	80 2 391	168 2 730	283 2 929	187 938	55 142
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	1 115	3	8	34	102	112	49
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	567	15	32	94	161	73	6
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....	121	16	39	40	20	2	—
\$100,000 or more .....	17	15	1	—	—	—	—
Secured by real estate ..... farms.. \$1,000..	1 359 10 753	36 1 781	58 1 574	127 1 849	218 2 003	141 781	31 81
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999 .....	226	—	—	7	17	45	7
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	574	3	5	17	66	27	20
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	465	13	25	76	122	67	4
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	67	9	20	25	10	2	—
\$50,000 or more .....	27	11	8	2	3	—	—
Not secured by real estate ..... farms.. \$1,000..	973 5 201	27 1 718	41 817	102 882	185 927	95 156	38 61
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999 .....	390	1	1	5	33	50	21
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	383	1	5	45	77	38	16
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	165	6	28	45	74	7	1
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	19	8	5	5	1	—	—
\$50,000 or more .....	16	11	2	2	—	—	—
Cash rent ..... farms.. \$1,000..	941 5 044	34 1 208	65 1 236	141 1 045	216 872	117 206	43 68
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	721	6	19	81	165	106	41
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	97	5	7	26	27	10	1
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	81	9	22	27	21	1	1
\$25,000 or more .....	42	14	17	7	3	—	—
Property taxes ..... farms.. \$1,000..	5 550 16 006	50 2 220	86 928	200 1 521	353 1 611	315 999	93 192
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	4 903	6	14	81	231	260	84
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	452	7	34	64	107	51	9
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	154	16	33	50	13	3	—
\$25,000 or more .....	41	21	5	5	2	1	—
All other farm production expenses ..... farms.. \$1,000..	5 107 48 814	51 18 822	87 6 752	206 7 612	371 6 931	334 2 672	104 515
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	4 064	1	2	20	60	139	42
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	710	8	23	79	210	178	62
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	167	3	10	58	76	17	—
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	94	7	27	35	25	—	—
\$100,000 or more .....	72	32	25	14	—	—	—

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Item	\$25,000 to \$39,999	\$20,000 to \$24,999	\$10,000 to \$19,999	\$5,000 to \$9,999	\$2,500 to \$4,999	\$1,000 to \$2,499	Less than \$1,000
<b>FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES<sup>1</sup></b>							
—Con.							
Total farm production expenses—Con.							
Electricity ..... farms..	249	170	456	537	449	417	446
\$1,000..	262	125	263	229	146	117	156
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999 .....	181	132	358	484	423	390	421
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	65	36	98	53	26	27	25
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	3	2	—	—	—	—	—
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hired farm labor ..... farms..	175	82	294	342	193	226	148
\$1,000..	848	279	634	646	177	119	70
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	117	60	258	335	193	226	147
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	57	22	35	5	—	—	1
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....	—	—	1	2	—	—	—
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$250,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Workers by days worked:							
150 days or more ..... farms..	41	20	36	22	9	36	54
workers..	57	25	46	25	10	37	54
Less than 150 days ..... farms..	156	82	292	342	193	225	148
workers..	862	316	1 085	1 495	664	378	242
Contract labor ..... farms..	26	36	94	86	63	41	63
\$1,000..	80	111	239	144	59	22	26
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999 .....	7	13	40	26	32	36	59
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	15	18	38	54	31	5	4
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	4	5	16	6	—	—	—
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Repair and maintenance ..... farms..	263	169	604	670	549	696	750
\$1,000..	792	708	1 259	961	808	752	906
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	201	115	544	634	521	671	708
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	62	51	59	36	28	25	42
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	—	2	1	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more .....	—	1	—	—	—	—	—
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment ..... farms..	68	51	115	159	84	74	102
\$1,000..	90	39	85	111	66	31	38
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999 .....	32	43	85	119	53	66	96
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	36	7	30	40	31	8	6
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	—	1	—	—	—	—	—
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Interest ..... farms..	124	107	192	190	105	124	156
\$1,000..	538	646	814	432	273	270	353
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	93	62	144	172	89	113	134
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	30	43	46	18	16	11	22
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....	1	1	2	—	—	—	—
\$100,000 or more .....	—	1	—	—	—	—	—
Secured by real estate ..... farms..	84	78	148	152	79	91	116
\$1,000..	382	501	705	377	229	204	286
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999 .....	12	1	30	28	10	32	37
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	44	45	72	107	53	57	58
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	28	30	44	17	16	2	21
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	—	1	—	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more .....	—	1	2	—	—	—	—
Not secured by real estate ..... farms..	64	81	89	97	43	45	66
\$1,000..	156	145	108	56	44	65	67
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999 .....	39	35	52	75	29	10	39
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	23	45	36	22	14	35	26
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	1	1	1	—	—	—	1
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more .....	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cash rent ..... farms..	64	33	75	82	34	17	20
\$1,000..	161	48	85	76	10	3	25
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	54	32	70	76	34	17	20
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	9	1	5	6	—	—	—
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$25,000 or more .....	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
Property taxes ..... farms..	250	199	631	784	733	896	960
\$1,000..	571	501	1 418	1 360	1 373	1 764	1 549
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	233	189	571	744	690	866	934
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	15	8	50	33	35	15	24
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	2	1	10	7	8	9	2
\$25,000 or more .....	—	1	—	—	—	6	—
All other farm production expenses ..... farms..	281	205	659	667	630	738	774
\$1,000..	1 057	576	1 379	889	534	537	539
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	222	173	607	658	629	738	773
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	58	31	52	7	1	—	1
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	—	1	—	2	—	—	—
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$100,000 or more .....	1	—	—	—	—	—	—

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Item	All farms	\$1,000,000 or more	\$500,000 to \$999,999	\$250,000 to \$499,999	\$100,000 to \$249,999	\$50,000 to \$99,999	\$40,000 to \$49,999
<b>NET CASH RETURN FROM AGRICULTURAL SALES FOR THE FARM UNIT (SEE TEXT)<sup>1</sup></b>							
All farms .....	number..	5 801	53	88	206	372	335
\$1,000..	..\$1,000..	78 187	51 116	11 605	10 608	7 124	4 408
Average per farm .....	..dollars..	13 478	964 449	131 878	51 494	19 149	13 159
Farms with net gains <sup>2</sup> .....	number..	2 469	50	73	165	271	234
Average net gain .....	..dollars..	43 877	1 042 283	180 173	89 069	42 666	26 699
Gain of—							
Less than \$1,000 .....		309	—	—	—	3	3
\$1,000 to \$9,999 .....		1 084	1	9	28	39	18
\$10,000 to \$49,999 .....		738	2	10	37	152	171
\$50,000 or more .....		338	48	62	119	88	21
Farms with net losses .....	number..	3 332	3	15	41	101	101
Average net loss .....	..dollars..	9 047	332 783	103 161	99 722	43 950	18 212
Loss of—							
Less than \$1,000 .....		529	—	—	1	4	1
\$1,000 to \$9,999 .....		2 307	—	4	11	19	56
\$10,000 to \$49,999 .....		418	—	1	13	56	36
\$50,000 or more .....		78	3	10	16	22	8
<b>GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS AND OTHER FARM-RELATED INCOME</b>							
Government payments .....	farms..	934	25	43	112	165	98
\$1,000..	..\$1,000..	2 977	148	236	595	543	263
Other farm-related income <sup>1</sup> .....	farms..	1 689	20	30	90	131	76
\$1,000..	..\$1,000..	10 907	603	205	1 347	1 466	775
Customwork and other agricultural services .....	farms..	546	5	7	22	32	23
\$1,000..	..\$1,000..	3 643	368	27	610	597	260
Gross cash rent or share payments .....	farms..	237	2	4	9	8	10
\$1,000..	..\$1,000..	753	(D)	22	76	24	27
Forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products .....	farms..	903	10	7	39	54	34
\$1,000..	..\$1,000..	5 754	149	105	570	596	472
Other farm-related income sources .....	farms..	472	14	29	56	90	32
\$1,000..	..\$1,000..	757	(D)	51	91	250	17
<b>COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS</b>							
Total .....	farms..	12	1	—	3	3	5
\$1,000..	..\$1,000..	24	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	(D)
Corn .....	farms..	2	1	—	1	—	—
\$1,000..	..\$1,000..	(D)	(D)	—	(D)	—	—
Wheat .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	..\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Soybeans .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	..\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sorghum, barley, and oats .....	farms..	10	—	—	2	3	5
\$1,000..	..\$1,000..	(D)	—	—	(D)	(D)	(D)
Cotton .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	..\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sunflower seed, flaxseed, safflower, canola, other rapeseed, and mustard seed .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	..\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Peanuts, rice, and tobacco .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	..\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—
<b>LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE</b>							
Total cropland .....	farms..	5 372	44	84	206	397	373
acres..	539 966	60 901	57 491	75 134	88 621	47 917	12 610
Harvested cropland .....	farms..	4 875	41	82	203	391	358
acres..	403 014	48 227	51 248	62 769	71 827	36 139	9 432
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 49 acres .....		3 180	3	6	19	59	122
50 to 99 acres .....		628	—	1	11	43	87
100 to 199 acres .....		502	1	2	17	124	107
200 to 499 acres .....		444	4	23	126	159	41
500 to 999 acres .....		89	15	37	30	5	1
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....		23	11	11	—	1	—
2,000 acres or more .....		9	7	2	—	—	—
Cropland:							
Pasture or grazing only .....	farms..	2 156	6	26	67	176	145
acres..	65 066	325	2 642	3 341	9 219	7 316	1 296
In cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured .....	farms..	565	11	13	44	44	51
acres..	23 006	1 122	1 616	5 006	2 452	1 350	370
On which all crops failed .....	farms..	152	3	3	9	18	15
acres..	2 430	(D)	(D)	145	296	464	143
In cultivated summer fallow .....	farms..	195	1	6	7	15	20
acres..	5 136	(D)	(D)	455	743	550	183
Idle .....	farms..	1 105	15	12	43	69	71
acres..	41 314	11 128	633	3 418	4 084	2 098	1 186
Total woodland .....	farms..	4 189	31	60	167	309	285
acres..	566 603	28 095	23 146	45 954	49 642	45 547	14 014
Woodland pastured .....	farms..	848	1	10	29	65	59
acres..	40 274	(D)	1 172	3 627	2 655	3 077	(D)
Woodland not pastured .....	farms..	3 958	31	57	161	296	275
acres..	526 329	(D)	21 974	42 327	46 987	42 470	(D)

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**Table 50. Summary by Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997—Con.**

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Item	\$25,000 to \$39,999	\$20,000 to \$24,999	\$10,000 to \$19,999	\$5,000 to \$9,999	\$2,500 to \$4,999	\$1,000 to \$2,499	Less than \$1,000
<b>NET CASH RETURN FROM AGRICULTURAL SALES FOR THE FARM UNIT (SEE TEXT)<sup>1</sup></b>							
All farms .....	number..	281	205	659	817	753	924
\$1,000..	dollars..	2 225	63	304	-1 136	-2 168	-3 044
Average per farm .....	dollars..	7 918	310	461	-1 390	-2 879	-3 294
Farms with net gains <sup>2</sup> .....	number..	226	139	426	455	214	108
Average net gain .....	dollars..	14 969	9 793	5 376	2 910	1 336	577
Gain of—							
Less than \$1,000 .....		2	4	32	71	95	90
\$1,000 to \$9,999 .....		83	59	326	384	119	18
\$10,000 to \$49,999 .....		141	76	68	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
Farms with net losses .....	number..	55	66	233	362	539	816
Average net loss.....	dollars..	21 054	19 662	8 525	6 794	4 552	3 806
Loss of—							
Less than \$1,000 .....		7	—	10	90	106	208
\$1,000 to \$9,999 .....		36	29	175	226	376	561
\$10,000 to \$49,999 .....		9	35	44	37	57	47
\$50,000 or more .....		3	2	4	9	—	—
<b>GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS AND OTHER FARM-RELATED INCOME</b>							
Government payments .....	farms..	47	30	73	50	56	46
\$1,000..		129	83	132	78	64	93
Other farm-related income <sup>1</sup> .....	farms..	97	58	232	221	238	246
\$1,000..		686	352	1 603	1 255	1 092	567
Customwork and other agricultural services .....	farms..	28	28	97	96	39	97
\$1,000..		162	256	329	364	105	151
Gross cash rent or share payments .....	farms..	13	11	27	32	24	26
\$1,000..		30	(D)	216	94	23	10
Forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products .....	farms..	56	19	162	116	185	130
\$1,000..		455	78	1 022	674	960	397
Other farm-related income sources.....	farms..	47	12	36	59	36	22
\$1,000..		40	(D)	36	122	5	9
<b>COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS</b>							
Total .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..		—	—	—	—	—	—
Corn .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..		—	—	—	—	—	—
Wheat .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..		—	—	—	—	—	—
Soybeans.....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..		—	—	—	—	—	—
Sorghum, barley, and oats .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..		—	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton.....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..		—	—	—	—	—	—
Sunflower seed, flaxseed, safflower, canola, other rapeseed, and mustard seed .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..		—	—	—	—	—	—
Peanuts, rice, and tobacco .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..		—	—	—	—	—	—
<b>LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE</b>							
Total cropland .....	farms..	283	170	593	715	675	811
acres..		21 671	14 321	41 080	37 738	27 265	25 576
Harvested cropland .....	farms..	272	169	571	669	619	699
acres..		16 230	10 933	27 959	25 071	18 165	14 030
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 49 acres .....		172	106	374	477	510	628
50 to 99 acres .....		39	25	96	130	80	63
100 to 199 acres .....		43	23	76	53	20	8
200 to 499 acres .....		18	14	25	9	9	2
500 to 999 acres .....		—	1	—	—	—	—
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
2,000 acres or more .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
Cropland:							
Pasture or grazing only .....	farms..	89	53	203	286	296	360
acres..		3 161	1 772	7 405	8 558	6 634	7 035
In cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured .....	farms..	18	14	63	62	44	69
acres..		543	340	1 543	979	400	897
On which all crops failed .....	farms..	3	4	16	20	16	23
acres..		(D)	46	151	156	185	144
In cultivated summer fallow .....	farms..	12	10	31	29	18	23
acres..		(D)	136	554	269	205	360
Idle .....	farms..	68	28	135	150	123	171
acres..		1 444	1 094	3 468	2 705	1 676	3 110
Total woodland .....	farms..	218	124	452	547	568	651
acres..		30 638	21 643	66 528	66 245	52 522	62 787
Woodland pastured .....	farms..	48	23	91	110	137	122
acres..		3 591	2 495	5 408	4 180	3 476	5 010
Woodland not pastured .....	farms..	200	114	427	519	538	613
acres..		27 047	19 148	61 120	62 065	49 046	57 777

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**Table 50. Summary by Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997—Con.**

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Item	All farms	\$1,000,000 or more	\$500,000 to \$999,999	\$250,000 to \$499,999	\$100,000 to \$249,999	\$50,000 to \$99,999	\$40,000 to \$49,999
<b>LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE—Con.</b>							
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured..... farms.. acres..	844 27 952	5 376	15 1 405	32 2 257	68 3 080	48 3 679	16 787
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. .... farms.. acres..	3 659 77 127	39 7 195	55 4 633	147 5 940	266 8 879	227 4 583	80 2 618
Irrigated land ..... farms.. acres..	671 21 791	24 12 038	16 3 719	44 2 526	57 952	63 876	28 107
Harvested cropland irrigated ..... farms.. acres..	660 21 608	24 12 038	16 3 719	44 (D)	57 (D)	63 (D)	28 107
Pasture and other land irrigated ..... farms.. acres..	24 183	— —	— —	1 (D)	1 (D)	2 (D)	— —
Land under Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs ..... farms.. acres..	352 22 217	9 341	12 1 122	34 2 669	38 2 399	26 1 065	8 231
<b>VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS<sup>1</sup></b>							
Estimated market value of land and buildings ..... farms.. \$1,000..	5 801 1 456 482	53 115 869	88 77 799	206 124 155	372 149 442	335 82 228	105 21 243
Average per farm ..... dollars..	251 074	2 186 209	884 079	602 696	401 726	245 456	202 314
Average per acre ..... dollars..	1 190	1 200	898	969	1 075	922	1 019
Farms by value group:							
\$1 to \$39,999 .....	463	1	2	—	4	10	10
\$40,000 to \$69,999 .....	539	1	1	—	—	24	—
\$70,000 to \$99,999 .....	615	—	—	1	6	7	3
\$100,000 to \$149,999 .....	866	1	1	7	23	60	20
\$150,000 to \$199,999 .....	800	—	3	7	43	54	18
\$200,000 to \$499,999 .....	1 926	4	16	87	212	150	51
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....	439	15	37	75	69	25	3
\$1,000,000 to \$1,999,999 .....	113	13	21	26	12	4	—
\$2,000,000 to \$4,999,999 .....	36	15	7	3	3	1	—
\$5,000,000 or more .....	4	3	—	—	—	—	—
<b>VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup></b>							
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ..... farms.. \$1,000..	5 794 282 151	53 27 638	88 23 528	206 36 418	372 35 593	335 24 779	105 5 612
Farms by value group:							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	670	—	—	—	4	14	13
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	742	—	1	2	6	17	1
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....	1 205	1	1	2	13	30	23
\$20,000 to \$49,999 .....	1 618	4	3	15	72	89	38
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	790	3	8	36	115	94	8
\$100,000 to \$199,999 .....	496	9	25	78	127	64	10
\$200,000 to \$499,999 .....	232	17	38	64	34	27	12
\$500,000 or more .....	41	19	12	9	1	—	—
<b>SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup></b>							
Motortrucks, including pickups ..... farms.. number..	5 141 11 261	53 635	88 632	206 1 219	372 1 320	327 836	102 192
Wheel tractors ..... farms.. number..	5 092 11 767	41 389	79 444	189 820	328 972	314 958	105 264
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms.. number..	3 315 5 155	18 45	24 46	78 135	160 232	184 320	87 170
40 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms.. number..	3 236 6 612	40 344	72 398	170 685	269 740	245 638	61 94
40 to 99 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms.. number..	3 075 5 346	38 209	61 181	156 422	250 552	238 510	61 90
100 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms.. number..	647 1 266	25 135	56 217	100 263	108 188	78 128	3 4
Grain and bean combines ..... farms.. number..	230 254	10 12	19 25	45 54	39 42	21 23	4 (D)
Cotton pickers and strippers ..... farms.. number..	— —	— —	— —	— —	— —	— —	— —
Mower conditioners ..... farms.. number..	1 970 2 183	14 23	34 45	84 107	199 229	95 114	33 34
Pickup balers ..... farms.. number..	2 126 2 514	6 9	27 36	75 98	182 246	117 159	40 50
<b>AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS<sup>1</sup></b>							
Commercial fertilizer ..... farms.. acres on which used..	2 921 234 911	40 42 138	78 40 312	186 50 635	294 40 511	243 13 800	70 4 786
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—							
Insects on hay and other crops ..... farms.. acres on which used..	1 449 113 473	33 27 804	58 22 514	128 26 885	168 17 368	194 9 394	42 957
Nematodes in crops ..... farms.. acres on which used..	92 4 923	4 (D)	4 696	10 1 709	13 1 101	9 104	— —
Diseases in crops and orchards ..... farms.. acres on which used..	869 86 353	27 24 583	37 15 520	98 21 687	105 12 715	106 5 779	10 401
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture ..... farms.. acres on which used..	1 428 149 286	36 33 221	64 29 650	158 39 824	205 25 322	124 8 648	47 1 662
Chemicals used on crops to control growth, thin fruit, or defoliate ..... farms.. acres on which used..	383 45 461	11 6 708	33 13 427	63 12 946	65 7 820	52 2 864	6 154

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Item	\$25,000 to \$39,999	\$20,000 to \$24,999	\$10,000 to \$19,999	\$5,000 to \$9,999	\$2,500 to \$4,999	\$1,000 to \$2,499	Less than \$1,000
<b>LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE—Con.</b>							
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured..... farms.. acres..	31 848	14 738	76 2 412	97 2 772	106 2 910	140 2 941	196 3 747
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. .... farms.. acres..	194 3 073	108 3 414	367 5 930	461 7 075	479 6 606	572 8 826	664 8 355
Irrigated land ..... farms.. acres..	61 272	32 77	113 485	78 271	54 121	54 175	47 172
Harvested cropland irrigated ..... farms.. acres..	61 266	32 77	111 429	77 (D)	53 (D)	51 (D)	43 143
Pasture and other land irrigated ..... farms.. acres..	3 6	— —	4 56	2 (D)	1 (D)	5 (D)	5 29
Land under Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs ..... farms.. acres..	6 295	7 664	24 1 804	19 705	21 546	16 571	132 9 805
<b>VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS<sup>1</sup></b>							
Estimated market value of land and buildings ..... farms.. \$1,000..	281 77 012	205 63 738	659 150 724	817 148 000	753 145 110	924 152 256	1 003 148 906
Average per farm ..... dollars..	274 066	310 915	228 716	181 151	192 710	164 779	148 461
Average per acre ..... dollars..	1 479	1 573	1 033	1 230	1 483	1 408	1 500
Farms by value group:							
\$1 to \$39,999 .....	30	24	31	101	51	63	136
\$40,000 to \$69,999 .....	15	29	40	82	96	117	134
\$70,000 to \$99,999 .....	24	21	69	84	93	96	211
\$100,000 to \$149,999 .....	55	13	105	145	125	174	137
\$150,000 to \$199,999 .....	22	25	60	140	124	183	121
\$200,000 to \$499,999 .....	82	68	306	232	215	267	236
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....	41	21	43	26	38	23	23
\$1,000,000 to \$1,999,999 .....	12	1	3	5	10	1	5
\$2,000,000 to \$4,999,999 .....	—	2	2	2	1	—	—
\$5,000,000 or more .....	—	1	—	—	—	—	—
<b>VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup></b>							
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ..... farms.. \$1,000..	281 14 194	205 6 823	659 25 064	817 21 717	747 14 535	923 22 926	1 003 23 323
Farms by value group:							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	4	30	67	88	113	165	172
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	28	8	82	137	119	147	194
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....	30	51	120	206	247	230	251
\$20,000 to \$49,999 .....	105	66	248	265	219	249	245
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	79	37	78	86	43	91	112
\$100,000 to \$199,999 .....	32	11	44	29	4	40	23
\$200,000 to \$499,999 .....	3	2	20	6	2	1	6
\$500,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
<b>SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup></b>							
Motortrucks, including pickups ..... farms.. number..	259 460	171 410	586 1 034	720 1 158	645 995	776 1 112	836 1 258
Wheel tractors ..... farms.. number..	262 622	181 476	591 1 322	714 1 360	687 1 269	779 1 405	822 1 466
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms.. number..	152 275	116 199	382 585	451 647	515 781	583 890	565 830
40 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms.. number..	157 347	113 277	419 737	493 713	354 488	365 515	478 636
40 to 99 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms.. number..	156 298	112 251	401 682	467 664	343 458	342 445	450 584
100 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms.. number..	37 49	19 26	51 55	42 49	29 30	54 70	45 52
Grain and bean combines ..... farms.. number..	4 5	2 (D)	31 31	30 31	6 6	16 16	3 3
Cotton pickers and strippers ..... farms.. number..	— —	— —	— —	— —	— —	— —	— —
Mower conditioners ..... farms.. number..	98 108	67 69	284 324	284 314	253 260	276 289	249 267
Pickup balers ..... farms.. number..	128 170	70 92	273 328	290 365	335 353	310 317	273 291
<b>AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS<sup>1</sup></b>							
Commercial fertilizer ..... farms.. acres on which used..	184 7 342	128 5 380	417 11 143	440 8 223	344 4 438	274 3 192	223 3 011
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—							
Insects on hay and other crops ..... farms.. acres on which used..	101 1 767	61 908	230 2 304	186 2 264	102 490	99 571	47 247
Nematodes in crops ..... farms.. acres on which used..	— —	6 137	14 (D)	6 36	21 45	4 (D)	1 (D)
Diseases in crops and orchards ..... farms.. acres on which used..	57 1 111	25 431	123 1 640	134 1 785	60 242	37 142	50 317
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture ..... farms.. acres on which used..	81 2 006	76 1 821	208 2 792	195 2 769	86 650	97 606	51 315
Chemicals used on crops to control growth, thin fruit, or defoliate ..... farms.. acres on which used..	28 468	14 202	49 614	44 185	1 (D)	15 63	2 (D)

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Item	All farms	\$1,000,000 or more	\$500,000 to \$999,999	\$250,000 to \$499,999	\$100,000 to \$249,999	\$50,000 to \$99,999	\$40,000 to \$49,999
<b>TENURE AND RACE OF OPERATOR</b>							
All operators .....	5 810	53	88	212	414	390	129
Full owners .....	3 829	12	20	50	123	171	59
Part owners .....	1 654	34	62	154	258	178	56
Tenants .....	327	7	6	8	33	41	14
White .....	5 790	52	88	212	414	389	128
Full owners .....	3 813	11	20	50	123	170	59
Part owners .....	1 650	34	62	154	258	178	55
Tenants .....	327	7	6	8	33	41	14
Black and other races .....	20	1	—	—	—	1	1
Full owners .....	16	1	—	—	—	1	—
Part owners .....	4	—	—	—	—	—	1
Tenants .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
<b>OWNED AND RENTED LAND</b>							
Land owned..... farms..	5 485	46	82	204	381	349	115
acres..	1 008 270	77 217	61 547	99 719	108 739	76 144	23 258
Owned land in farms .....	5 483	46	82	204	381	349	115
acres..	985 902	76 821	61 117	98 143	107 433	75 214	22 795
Land rented or leased from others .....	farms..	1 990	41	68	162	292	70
acres..	227 375	19 826	25 858	31 443	42 936	26 559	7 249
landlords..	6 122	226	376	672	1 123	633	211
Rented or leased land in farms .....	farms..	1 981	41	68	162	291	70
acres..	225 746	19 746	25 558	31 142	42 789	26 512	7 234
Land rented or leased to others .....	farms..	435	4	5	14	21	26
acres..	23 997	476	730	1 877	1 453	977	9 478
<b>OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS</b>							
Operators by place of residence:							
On farm operated .....	4 727	30	74	168	334	295	103
Not on farm operated .....	717	18	9	31	55	62	17
Not reported .....	366	5	5	13	25	33	9
Operators by principal occupation:							
Farming .....	2 872	47	83	195	389	315	97
Other .....	2 938	6	5	17	25	75	32
Operators by days worked off farm:							
None .....	2 246	39	77	165	298	215	56
Any .....	3 263	12	6	35	92	152	67
1 to 99 days .....	643	5	4	19	49	45	24
100 to 199 days .....	662	—	1	2	20	35	11
200 days or more .....	1 958	7	1	14	23	72	32
Not reported .....	301	2	5	12	24	23	6
Operators by years on present farm:							
2 years or less .....	208	—	1	1	10	12	4
3 or 4 years .....	280	2	1	4	9	17	3
5 to 9 years .....	781	3	10	17	32	38	21
10 years or more .....	3 713	41	67	157	303	258	86
Average years on present farm .....	20.5	25.5	25.4	25.2	22.8	22.5	21.9
Not reported .....	828	7	9	33	60	65	15
Operators by age group:							
Under 25 years .....	39	—	2	—	4	11	1
25 to 34 years .....	286	2	2	13	31	30	4
35 to 44 years .....	1 113	12	21	51	93	76	27
45 to 49 years .....	824	9	13	32	64	47	23
50 to 54 years .....	794	7	12	29	59	48	16
55 to 59 years .....	727	4	14	30	51	60	11
60 to 64 years .....	636	9	12	27	58	48	19
65 to 69 years .....	522	5	3	13	23	29	16
70 years and over .....	869	5	9	17	31	41	12
Average age .....	54.4	54.0	52.1	51.9	51.2	52.2	53.3
Operators by sex:							
Male .....	4 991	51	85	206	394	357	114
Female .....	819	2	3	6	20	33	15
Operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin (see text) .....	36	—	1	2	1	4	1
<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION</b>							
Individual or family (sole proprietorship)..... farms..	5 064	13	46	119	297	319	99
acres..	896 406	17 342	46 782	72 572	108 055	82 741	21 850
Partnership .....	farms..	306	7	14	25	44	9
acres..	106 220	12 400	17 200	17 242	14 623	7 728	4 279
Corporation:							
Family held .....	farms..	362	28	23	65	67	18
acres..	179 965	57 007	(D)	37 626	26 055	11 231	(D)
More than 10 stockholders .....	farms..	4	2	—	2	—	—
10 or less stockholders .....	farms..	358	26	23	65	43	18
Other than family held .....	farms..	41	4	5	1	3	2
acres..	10 749	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
More than 10 stockholders .....	farms..	5	1	1	1	1	—
10 or less stockholders .....	farms..	36	3	4	1	2	2
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. ....	farms..	37	1	—	2	3	2
acres..	18 308	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)

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<b>TENURE AND RACE OF OPERATOR</b>							
All operators .....	309	177	621	751	743	903	1 020
Full owners .....	168	107	409	541	563	735	871
Part owners .....	105	56	171	178	155	135	112
Tenants .....	36	14	41	32	25	33	37
White .....	306	176	618	748	739	901	1 019
Full owners .....	165	106	407	540	559	733	870
Part owners .....	105	56	170	176	155	135	112
Tenants .....	36	14	41	32	25	33	37
Black and other races .....	3	1	3	3	4	2	1
Full owners .....	3	1	2	1	4	2	1
Part owners .....	—	—	1	2	—	—	—
Tenants .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
<b>OWNED AND RENTED LAND</b>							
Land owned..... farms..	273	163	580	719	718	871	984
acres..	43 455	33 146	102 023	81 957	96 963	101 967	101 967
Owned land in farms .....	273	163	580	719	718	870	983
acres..	42 491	32 653	99 238	99 245	79 981	94 682	96 089
Land rented or leased from others .....	farms..	142	70	213	211	182	168
acres..	13 912	7 463	17 142	14 595	9 389	5 466	5 537
landlords..	406	176	551	557	533	378	280
Rented or leased land in farms .....	farms..	141	70	212	210	180	168
acres..	13 739	7 463	16 712	14 585	9 322	5 448	5 496
Land rented or leased to others .....	farms..	22	14	61	57	60	52
acres..	1 137	493	3 327	2 788	2 043	2 299	5 919
<b>OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS</b>							
Operators by place of residence:							
On farm operated .....	236	136	506	618	639	758	830
Not on farm operated .....	43	23	79	85	70	102	123
Not reported .....	30	18	36	48	34	43	67
Operators by principal occupation:							
Farming .....	194	105	325	329	259	280	254
Other .....	115	72	296	422	484	623	766
Operators by days worked off farm:							
None .....	120	73	231	247	189	253	283
Any .....	171	96	357	467	513	596	699
1 to 99 days .....	49	19	85	103	82	76	83
100 to 199 days .....	44	17	84	87	111	138	112
200 days or more .....	78	60	188	277	320	382	504
Not reported .....	18	8	33	37	41	54	38
Operators by years on present farm:							
2 years or less .....	12	9	20	24	29	31	55
3 or 4 years .....	9	8	32	33	46	59	57
5 to 9 years .....	45	26	99	111	99	147	133
10 years or more .....	197	102	387	483	476	551	605
Average years on present farm .....	20.9	17.6	19.7	20.5	19.9	19.2	19.5
Not reported .....	46	32	83	100	93	115	170
Operators by age group:							
Under 25 years .....	1	1	5	5	3	4	2
25 to 34 years .....	28	11	33	19	39	38	36
35 to 44 years .....	49	39	125	125	120	164	211
45 to 49 years .....	49	24	80	109	111	100	163
50 to 54 years .....	42	27	75	98	108	129	144
55 to 59 years .....	38	20	82	86	89	134	108
60 to 64 years .....	29	22	59	96	77	71	109
65 to 69 years .....	30	12	57	87	62	92	93
70 years and over .....	43	21	105	126	134	171	154
Average age .....	53.7	52.8	54.7	56.2	55.3	55.9	54.6
Operators by sex:							
Male .....	270	150	526	645	638	746	809
Female .....	39	27	95	106	105	157	211
Operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin (see text) .....	1	1	3	1	6	8	7
<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION</b>							
Individual or family (sole proprietorship)..... farms..	266	158	540	694	695	864	954
acres..	44 791	37 739	96 113	99 264	82 488	95 050	91 619
Partnership .....	20	7	30	42	28	24	31
acres..	4 783	800	6 491	11 589	3 275	2 065	3 745
Corporation:							
Family held .....	farms..	13	9	35	12	13	10
acres..	5 022	(D)	8 114	2 022	1 852	2 099	4 977
More than 10 stockholders .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
10 or less stockholders .....	farms..	13	9	35	12	13	10
Other than family held .....	farms..	6	—	8	—	1	4
acres..	326	—	261	—	(D)	(D)	(D)
More than 10 stockholders .....	farms..	—	—	1	—	—	1
10 or less stockholders .....	farms..	6	—	7	—	1	4
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. ....	farms..	4	3	8	3	6	1
acres..	1 308	(D)	4 971	955	(D)	(D)	(D)

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<b>INJURIES AND DEATHS</b>							
Farm-related injuries:							
Operator and family members .....	farms..	52	3	1	2	7	5
number..		57	4	(D)	(D)	7	5
Hired workers .....	farms..	72	16	11	12	12	6
number..		177	111	14	17	12	6
Farm-related deaths:							
Operator and family members .....	farms..	1	—	—	1	—	—
number..		(D)	—	—	(D)	—	—
Hired workers .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
number..		—	—	—	—	—	—
<b>F FARMS BY SIZE</b>							
1 to 9 acres .....		533	3	4	4	16	24
10 to 49 acres .....		1 184	6	2	11	22	31
50 to 69 acres .....		458	1	—	2	7	7
70 to 99 acres .....		546	1	1	4	12	24
100 to 139 acres .....		689	2	—	3	17	38
140 to 179 acres .....		417	—	1	7	11	30
180 to 219 acres .....		328	—	2	8	36	30
220 to 259 acres .....		267	1	2	7	29	35
260 to 499 acres .....		846	3	9	49	163	107
500 to 999 acres .....		398	7	29	86	92	34
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....		113	13	31	30	8	7
2,000 acres or more .....		31	16	7	1	1	2
<b>F FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM</b>							
Oilseed and grain farming (1111) .....		179	—	—	1	—	3
Vegetable and melon farming (1112) .....		733	17	42	94	119	102
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113) .....		805	9	2	13	27	57
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114) .....		704	4	5	17	40	49
Other crop farming (1119) .....		1 224	—	1	—	10	25
Tobacco farming (11191) .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton farming (11192) .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199) .....		1 224	—	1	—	10	25
Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111) .....		699	—	—	3	1	7
Cattle feedlots (112112) .....		95	—	—	—	2	3
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212) .....		535	10	28	68	194	125
Hog and pig farming (1122) .....		71	—	1	—	—	1
Poultry and egg production (1123) .....		104	5	7	15	13	7
Sheep and goat farming (1124) .....		193	—	—	—	—	2
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129) .....		468	8	2	1	8	9
<b>LIVESTOCK</b>							
Cattle and calves inventory..... farms..	farms..	1 921	11	33	79	207	160
number..	number..	101 695	8 257	12 037	15 149	24 742	11 718
Farms with—							
1 to 9 .....		616	—	—	3	4	9
10 to 49 .....		734	1	1	5	8	32
50 to 99 .....		271	—	—	6	62	86
100 to 199 .....		201	—	1	27	122	29
200 to 499 .....		83	2	25	38	9	4
500 or more .....		16	8	6	—	2	—
Cows and heifers that had calved .....	farms..	1 588	11	32	75	204	149
number..	number..	52 531	5 471	6 681	8 288	13 162	6 094
Beef cows .....	farms..	1 035	2	6	6	27	39
number..	number..	11 782	(D)	412	(D)	319	715
Farms with—							
1 to 9 .....		667	—	—	2	14	27
10 to 49 .....		341	1	3	3	13	8
50 to 99 .....		20	1	2	1	—	2
100 to 199 .....		5	—	—	—	—	—
200 to 499 .....		2	—	1	—	—	—
500 or more .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
Milk cows .....	farms..	685	10	28	70	194	131
number..	number..	40 749	(D)	6 269	(D)	12 843	5 379
Farms with—							
1 to 4 .....		131	—	—	—	1	2
5 to 9 .....		25	—	—	1	—	1
10 to 49 .....		229	—	—	3	29	97
50 to 99 .....		202	—	—	20	150	31
100 to 199 .....		68	—	10	44	14	—
200 to 499 .....		26	6	18	2	—	—
500 or more .....		4	4	—	—	—	—
Heifers and heifer calves..... farms..	farms..	1 432	10	30	74	197	137
number..	number..	39 222	2 715	4 575	6 553	10 087	4 684
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves .....	farms..	1 320	9	20	42	100	87
number..	number..	9 942	71	781	308	1 493	940

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<b>INJURIES AND DEATHS</b>							
Farm-related injuries:							
Operator and family members .....	farms..	1	1	8	6	4	10
number..	(D)	(D)	(D)	9	7	4	4
Hired workers .....	farms..	4	1	3	1	1	11
number..	5	(D)	(D)	(D)	4	(D)	(D)
Farm-related deaths:							
Operator and family members .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
number..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hired workers .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
number..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
<b>F FARMS BY SIZE</b>							
1 to 9 acres .....		36	29	42	73	80	105
10 to 49 acres .....		59	28	138	145	157	247
50 to 69 acres .....		14	3	46	69	80	90
70 to 99 acres .....		24	12	48	90	82	105
100 to 139 acres .....		34	31	80	87	126	123
140 to 179 acres .....		27	11	46	67	73	75
180 to 219 acres .....		11	5	41	55	33	52
220 to 259 acres .....		22	13	35	38	28	24
260 to 499 acres .....		60	30	105	95	70	58
500 to 999 acres .....		20	9	30	28	13	22
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....		2	4	8	4	—	2
2,000 acres or more .....		—	2	2	—	1	—
<b>F FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM</b>							
Oilseed and grain farming (1111) .....		4	3	12	9	9	126
Vegetable and melon farming (1112) .....		46	25	90	75	36	48
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113) .....		61	39	126	145	91	103
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114) .....		71	40	98	85	70	97
Other crop farming (1119) .....		46	36	139	235	266	286
Tobacco farming (11191) .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton farming (11192) .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199) .....		46	36	139	235	266	286
Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111) .....		16	9	71	102	133	158
Cattle feedlots (112112) .....		3	—	13	13	30	24
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212) .....		40	11	28	3	1	1
Hog and pig farming (1122) .....		4	2	7	17	13	22
Poultry and egg production (1123) .....		5	1	5	6	8	10
Sheep and goat farming (1124) .....		—	3	8	19	34	68
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129) .....		13	8	24	42	52	74
<b>LIVESTOCK</b>							
Cattle and calves inventory..... farms..	93	48	194	218	254	290	296
number..	3 522	2 306	7 105	4 923	4 111	3 142	2 569
Farms with—							
1 to 9 .....		19	5	23	61	100	160
10 to 49 .....		44	26	127	135	146	130
50 to 99 .....		26	12	34	20	7	2
100 to 199 .....		4	3	8	2	1	1
200 to 499 .....		—	2	2	—	—	—
500 or more .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
Cows and heifers that had calved .....	farms..	81	35	158	169	197	229
number..	1 561	897	3 276	1 926	1 635	1 484	973
Beef cows .....	farms..	49	25	129	158	177	212
number..	624	644	2 769	1 863	1 547	1 394	896
Farms with—							
1 to 9 .....		28	12	46	79	111	170
10 to 49 .....		20	10	74	78	66	42
50 to 99 .....		1	1	7	1	—	—
100 to 199 .....		—	2	1	—	—	—
200 to 499 .....		—	—	1	—	—	—
500 or more .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
Milk cows .....	farms..	43	13	42	21	36	37
number..	937	253	507	63	88	90	77
Farms with—							
1 to 4 .....		4	1	12	17	30	31
5 to 9 .....		3	—	3	2	6	5
10 to 49 .....		36	12	27	2	—	—
50 to 99 .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
100 to 199 .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
200 to 499 .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
500 or more .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
Heifers and heifer calves..... farms..	74	42	157	167	182	179	151
number..	1 363	1 083	2 333	1 993	1 490	767	804
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves .....	farms..	60	35	140	163	204	229
number..	598	326	1 496	1 004	986	891	205
							792

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<b>LIVESTOCK—Con.</b>							
Cattle and calves sold .....	farms..	1 631	11	33	80	205	154
number..	37 889	4 461	3 883	5 555	8 071	4 357	875
\$1,000..	10 222	427	999	1 517	1 798	1 158	306
Calves .....	farms..	991	9	27	69	178	26
number..	19 721	3 451	1 958	3 050	4 442	1 990	313
\$1,000..	1 284	49	50	117	140	86	27
Cattle .....	farms..	1 358	11	31	74	190	136
number..	18 168	1 010	1 925	2 505	3 629	2 367	562
\$1,000..	8 938	378	949	1 400	1 658	1 072	280
Fattened on grain and concentrates .....	farms..	256	2	6	3	8	6
number..	2 699	(D)	481	(D)	503	362	239
\$1,000..	1 751	(D)	315	(D)	373	238	127
Hogs and pigs inventory .....	farms..	341	—	3	6	12	7
number..	5 977	—	(D)	24	152	(D)	4
Farms with—							
1 to 24 .....		310	—	2	6	11	5
25 to 49 .....		8	—	—	—	—	—
50 to 99 .....		12	—	—	—	1	1
100 to 199 .....		7	—	—	—	—	—
200 to 499 .....		2	—	—	—	—	—
500 or more .....		2	—	1	—	—	1
Used or to be used for breeding .....	farms..	137	—	1	2	4	3
number..	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	47	(D)	1
Other .....	farms..	302	—	3	5	11	7
number..	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	105	(D)	4
Hogs and pigs sold .....	farms..	261	—	1	2	5	7
number..	9 226	—	(D)	(D)	477	(D)	3
\$1,000..	1 360	—	(D)	(D)	94	(D)	8
Feeder pigs .....	farms..	53	—	—	—	—	1
number..	(D)	—	—	—	—	(D)	—
\$1,000..	(D)	—	—	—	—	(D)	—
Litters of pigs farrowed between—							
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30 .....	farms..	153	—	1	2	4	4
number..	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	1
Dec. 1 and May 31 .....	farms..	133	—	1	2	4	3
number..	980	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	1
June 1 and Nov. 30 .....	farms..	92	—	1	1	3	4
number..	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—
Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory .....	farms..	426	—	—	3	9	11
number..	10 603	—	—	(D)	436	(D)	7
Ewes 1 year old or older .....	farms..	379	—	—	2	6	11
number..	6 488	—	—	(D)	127	(D)	6
pounds of wool..	65 654	—	—	(D)	635	(D)	52
Sheep and lambs sold .....	farms..	355	—	—	2	7	8
number..	7 970	—	—	(D)	378	344	5
Sheep and lambs shorn .....	farms..	352	—	—	2	4	5
number..	8 572	—	—	(D)	131	(D)	59
pounds of wool..	65 654	—	—	(D)	635	(D)	453
Horses and ponies inventory .....	farms..	1 014	4	6	8	28	45
number..	5 750	11	16	27	316	213	11
Horses and ponies sold .....	farms..	214	—	—	2	2	7
number..	810	—	—	(D)	(D)	132	4
Goats inventory .....	farms..	214	—	—	2	5	7
number..	2 214	—	—	(D)	86	(D)	2
Goats sold .....	farms..	66	—	—	—	1	—
number..	657	—	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	—
<b>POULTRY</b>							
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text) .....	farms..	554	5	(D)	6	16	13
number..	6 134 383	—	—	445 235	114 462	(D)	12
Farms with—							
1 to 399 .....		519	—	1	2	16	10
400 to 3,199 .....		4	—	—	—	—	1
3,200 to 9,999 .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
10,000 to 19,999 .....		7	—	—	5	1	1
20,000 to 49,999 .....		14	2	3	6	1	2
50,000 to 99,999 .....		7	—	2	3	1	—
100,000 or more .....		3	3	—	—	—	—
Layers 20 weeks old and older .....	farms..	532	5	(D)	6	13	10
number..	5 019 263	—	—	186 419	217 034	(D)	11
Pullets 13 weeks old and older but less than 20 weeks old .....	farms..	109	3	(D)	1	4	5
number..	1 115 120	—	—	228 201	(D)	(D)	1
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold (see text) .....	farms..	98	5	(D)	7	15	7
number..	6 977 638	—	—	758 811	622 150	585 595	3
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold .....	farms..	73	—	—	—	6	—
number..	199 416	—	—	—	191 604	—	(D)
Farms with—							
1 to 1,999 .....		68	—	—	—	2	3
2,000 to 59,999 .....		3	—	—	—	2	—
60,000 to 99,999 .....		2	—	—	—	2	—
100,000 or more .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
Turkey hens kept for breeding .....	farms..	25	—	—	—	—	—
number..	170	—	—	—	—	(D)	—
Turkeys sold .....	farms..	99	—	—	1	3	6
number..	9 364	—	—	(D)	2 700	(D)	1

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<b>LIVESTOCK—Con.</b>							
Cattle and calves sold .....	farms..	87	42	190	209	231	233
number..		1 764	737	3 119	2 340	1 528	953
\$1,000..		710	266	1 288	818	559	313
Calves .....	farms..	57	27	104	101	105	68
number..		719	236	1 203	1 107	622	464
\$1,000..		107	33	219	218	121	91
Cattle .....	farms..	76	33	162	168	201	179
number..		1 045	501	1 916	1 233	906	489
\$1,000..		603	232	1 070	600	438	222
Fattened on grain and concentrates .....	farms..	11	8	48	51	62	39
number..		177	38	405	192	178	80
\$1,000..		108	17	259	122	116	44
Hogs and pigs inventory .....	farms..	18	14	35	55	65	68
number..		679	207	1 011	1 006	518	249
Farms with—							
1 to 24 .....		14	13	28	46	60	68
25 to 49 .....		1	—	3	2	2	—
50 to 99 .....		1	—	1	4	3	1
100 to 199 .....		1	1	2	3	—	—
200 to 499 .....		1	—	1	—	—	—
500 or more .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
Used or to be used for breeding .....	farms..	12	6	18	31	21	23
number..		210	37	239	212	56	49
Other .....	farms..	14	14	29	47	62	55
number..		469	170	772	794	462	200
Hogs and pigs sold .....	farms..	16	12	33	50	64	56
number..		1 661	806	1 975	1 262	590	334
\$1,000..		145	56	128	120	79	42
Feeder pigs .....	farms..	5	1	13	21	6	6
number..		(D)	(D)	1 457	735	72	(D)
\$1,000..		(D)	(D)	52	33	4	(D)
Litters of pigs farrowed between—							
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30 .....	farms..	13	8	21	34	26	23
number..		236	38	234	192	61	41
Dec. 1 and May 31 .....	farms..	13	5	19	28	21	23
number..		120	19	152	107	47	30
June 1 and Nov. 30 .....	farms..	13	6	14	23	9	8
number..		116	19	82	85	14	11
Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory .....	farms..	10	6	42	72	88	98
number..		154	507	1 270	1 940	2 434	1 940
Ewes 1 year old or older .....	farms..	7	6	39	64	79	90
number..		123	347	885	1 124	1 472	1 184
Sheep and lambs sold .....	farms..	6	7	35	62	76	94
number..		161	731	988	1 765	1 559	1 466
Sheep and lambs shorn .....	farms..	7	6	38	61	67	93
number..		130	500	995	1 662	1 961	1 753
pounds of wool..		1 259	5 084	7 509	10 930	14 538	14 124
Horses and ponies inventory .....	farms..	27	24	90	119	142	156
number..		194	177	473	697	631	780
Horses and ponies sold .....	farms..	7	5	21	50	42	56
number..		24	24	81	147	79	85
Goats inventory .....	farms..	2	3	24	31	21	52
number..		(D)	7	707	295	224	385
Goats sold .....	farms..	—	1	9	12	7	22
number..		—	(D)	104	145	60	251
<b>POULTRY</b>							
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text) .....	farms..	27	12	40	78	101	110
number..		(D)	(D)	2 155	2 853	3 479	2 537
Farms with—							
1 to 399 .....		25	12	38	78	101	110
400 to 3,199 .....		1	—	2	—	—	—
3,200 to 9,999 .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
10,000 to 19,999 .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
20,000 to 49,999 .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
50,000 to 99,999 .....		1	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 or more .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
Layers 20 weeks old and older .....	farms..	25	12	40	76	98	107
number..		2 168	564	2 081	2 485	3 270	2 144
Pullets 13 weeks old and older but less than 20 weeks old .....	farms..	8	2	7	16	18	15
number..		(D)	(D)	74	368	209	393
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold (see text) .....	farms..	5	4	6	14	8	9
number..		(D)	(D)	(D)	434	192	311
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold .....	farms..	1	1	10	13	21	9
number..		(D)	(D)	4 613	1 152	1 171	226
Farms with—							
1 to 1,999 .....		1	1	9	13	21	9
2,000 to 59,999 .....		—	—	1	—	—	—
60,000 to 99,999 .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 or more .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
Turkey hens kept for breeding .....	farms..	—	—	5	6	9	9
number..		—	—	(D)	51	46	(D)
Turkeys sold .....	farms..	5	2	15	15	26	19
number..		104	(D)	1 337	495	580	322

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 50. Summary by Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997—Con.**

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

Item	All farms	\$1,000,000 or more	\$500,000 to \$999,999	\$250,000 to \$499,999	\$100,000 to \$249,999	\$50,000 to \$99,999	\$40,000 to \$49,999
<b>SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED</b>							
Corn for silage or green chop .....	farms..	332	10	27	66	110	46
acres..	27 537	3 824	6 433	7 696	6 300	1 673	215
tons, green..	447 405	71 842	106 133	123 086	97 996	26 184	2 940
Irrigated .....	farms..	6	1	—	1	—	—
acres..	(D)	(D)	—	(D)	—	—	—
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres .....		104	—	1	—	23	25
25 to 99 acres .....		134	—	3	29	70	17
100 to 249 acres .....		69	2	9	34	17	4
250 to 499 acres .....		24	7	14	3	—	—
500 acres or more .....		1	1	—	—	—	—
Oats for grain .....	farms..	272	7	22	36	55	35
acres..	22 364	2 890	5 570	4 636	5 028	1 660	9
bushels..	1 643 127	215 900	464 005	344 598	341 392	118 651	221
Irrigated .....	farms..	1	—	—	—	—	—
acres..	(D)	—	—	—	—	—	—
Potatoes, excluding sweetpotatoes .....	farms..	586	16	43	96	116	95
acres..	73 085	11 538	17 219	20 508	15 190	6 184	23
cwt..	19 490 474	3 257 512	4 876 243	5 583 889	3 754 838	1 501 601	778
Irrigated .....	farms..	100	13	12	26	10	1
acres..	8 634	3 506	2 509	1 836	419	293	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:							
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....		137	—	—	3	4	9
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....		72	—	—	2	2	4
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....		117	—	—	2	19	58
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....		167	—	3	55	88	21
250.0 acres or more .....		93	16	40	34	3	—
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) .....	farms..	2 810	12	38	83	215	169
acres..	214 005	4 293	15 066	18 491	40 634	22 522	54
tons, dry..	332 039	10 323	28 301	32 557	70 969	37 628	6 218
Irrigated .....	farms..	26	1	1	1	—	9 390
acres..	958	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	2	—
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres .....		986	—	2	6	14	17
25 to 99 acres .....		1 147	—	4	8	42	63
100 to 249 acres .....		493	5	11	33	101	68
250 to 499 acres .....		160	6	13	32	51	23
500 acres or more .....		24	1	8	4	7	4
Tame hay other than alfalfa, small grain, and wild hay (see text) .....	farms..	2 005	7	27	56	173	130
acres..	119 468	887	3 986	5 769	19 775	13 826	44
tons, dry..	187 105	1 604	6 825	9 667	38 325	24 852	4 494
Irrigated .....	farms..	12	—	—	1	—	7 099
acres..	177	—	—	(D)	—	(D)	—
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text) .....	farms..	611	10	8	25	42	54
acres..	11 745	5 728	539	1 205	1 270	970	20
Irrigated .....	farms..	212	5	1	9	11	256
acres..	5 665	(D)	(D)	370	215	349	11
Farms by acres harvested:							
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....		367	1	—	2	11	11
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....		164	2	1	4	8	5
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....		71	3	5	17	22	29
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....		7	2	2	2	1	12
250.0 acres or more .....		2	2	—	—	—	3
Land in orchards .....	farms..	334	2	2	10	21	29
acres..	5 170	(D)	(D)	645	834	783	4
Irrigated .....	farms..	37	1	—	1	4	59
acres..	325	(D)	—	(D)	79	(D)	—
Farms by bearing and nonbearing acres:							
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....		193	—	—	2	3	6
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....		93	—	—	1	3	2
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....		40	—	—	5	14	11
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....		6	—	2	2	1	2
250.0 acres or more .....		2	2	—	—	—	—
Berries harvested for sale .....	farms..	820	9	1	12	25	53
acres..	(D)	11 244	(D)	1 582	2 437	2 071	33
Irrigated .....	farms..	143	5	—	4	7	892
acres..	(D)	3 610	—	31	58	171	6

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 50. Summary by Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997—Con.**

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

Item	\$25,000 to \$39,999	\$20,000 to \$24,999	\$10,000 to \$19,999	\$5,000 to \$9,999	\$2,500 to \$4,999	\$1,000 to \$2,499	Less than \$1,000
<b>SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED</b>							
Corn for silage or green chop..... farms..	12	7	21	2	15	2	6
acres..	452	262	448	(D)	199	(D)	12
tons, green..	6 981	2 785	5 736	(D)	3 188	(D)	186
Irrigated .....	farms..	—	—	1	1	—	2
acres..	—	—	—	(D)	(D)	—	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres .....	9	2	18	2	12	2	6
25 to 99 acres .....	2	4	2	—	3	—	—
100 to 249 acres .....	1	1	1	—	—	—	—
250 to 499 acres .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
500 acres or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Oats for grain .....	farms..	15	6	29	10	13	6
acres..	272	410	775	543	187	95	77
bushels..	15 505	25 455	54 266	31 006	8 460	5 810	4 927
Irrigated .....	farms..	—	—	1	—	—	—
acres..	—	—	—	(D)	—	—	—
Potatoes, excluding sweetpotatoes .....	farms..	38	16	61	42	18	16
acres..	691	271	488	180	11	26	6
cwt..	163 815	51 092	85 842	24 028	2 678	3 022	3
Irrigated .....	farms..	2	2	9	8	5	3
acres..	(D)	(D)	43	12	2	(D)	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:							
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....	15	7	25	31	18	14	6
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....	10	5	30	10	—	2	—
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....	13	4	6	1	—	—	—
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
250.0 acres or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) .....	farms..	121	82	308	389	432	451
acres..	12 139	9 953	23 346	21 999	16 827	12 754	9 763
tons, dry..	19 524	15 441	34 157	28 800	20 256	14 664	10 029
Irrigated .....	farms..	—	—	7	3	2	5
acres..	—	—	51	(D)	(D)	50	26
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres .....	19	13	77	79	167	249	333
25 to 99 acres .....	46	34	136	251	238	194	114
100 to 249 acres .....	49	25	83	54	25	8	8
250 to 499 acres .....	7	9	12	5	2	—	1
500 acres or more .....	—	1	—	—	—	—	—
Tame hay other than alfalfa, small grain, and wild hay (see text) .....	farms..	90	59	229	286	301	311
acres..	8 426	5 905	15 586	15 129	11 185	8 316	6 184
tons, dry..	13 832	10 101	24 723	20 093	14 583	9 550	5 851
Irrigated .....	farms..	—	—	2	2	1	4
acres..	—	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text) .....	farms..	50	32	109	111	71	57
acres..	509	191	529	328	126	81	22
Irrigated .....	farms..	19	11	39	32	19	14
acres..	114	42	97	94	28	20	10
Farms by acres harvested:							
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....	17	19	76	86	64	54	21
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....	30	13	30	24	7	3	1
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....	3	—	3	1	—	—	—
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
250.0 acres or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Land in orchards .....	farms..	12	7	41	48	33	47
acres..	219	39	397	229	87	153	78
Irrigated .....	farms..	1	1	4	8	5	1
acres..	(D)	(D)	(D)	9	(D)	(D)	10
Farms by bearing and nonbearing acres:							
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....	2	4	16	27	26	36	69
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....	7	3	21	20	7	11	9
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....	3	—	4	1	—	—	—
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
250.0 acres or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Berries harvested for sale .....	farms..	65	41	135	161	109	108
acres..	1 390	(D)	1 759	1 477	516	351	68
Irrigated .....	farms..	8	3	28	25	15	(D)
acres..	43	(D)	137	76	18	11	14
acres..	—	—	—	—	—	—	32

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

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

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

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

Item	Total	Oilseed and grain farming (1111)	Vegetable and melon farming (1112)	Fruit and tree nut farming (1113)	Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114)	Total	Other crop farming (1119)		
							Tobacco farming (11191)	Cotton farming (11192)	Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199)
<b>F FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS</b>									
Farms .....	5 810	179	733	805	704	1 224	-	-	1 224
number .....	100.0	3.1	12.6	13.9	12.1	21.1	-	-	21.1
Land in farms .....	1 211 648	42 931	282 154	158 482	55 773	223 923	-	-	223 923
acres .....	209	240	385	197	79	183	-	-	183
Average size of farm .....	acres .....								
<b>M MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD</b>									
Total sales (see text) .....	farms..	5 810	179	733	805	704	1 224	-	1 224
\$1,000..	438 673	1 174	121 820	46 651	29 729	11 669	-	-	11 669
Average per farm .....	\$1,000..	75 503	6 558	166 194	57 951	42 229	9 533	-	9 533
Farms by value of sales:									
Less than \$1,000 (see text) .....		1 020	126	10	108	103	164	-	164
\$1,000 to \$2,499 .....		903	12	48	103	97	286	-	286
\$2,500 to \$4,999 .....		743	9	36	91	70	266	-	266
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....		751	9	75	145	85	235	-	235
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....		621	12	90	126	98	139	-	139
\$20,000 to \$24,999 .....		177	3	25	39	40	36	-	36
\$25,000 to \$39,999 .....		309	4	46	61	71	46	-	46
\$40,000 to \$49,999 .....		129	-	29	24	25	16	-	16
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....		390	3	102	57	49	25	-	25
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....		414	-	119	27	40	10	-	10
\$250,000 to \$499,999 .....		212	1	94	13	17	-	-	-
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....		88	-	42	2	5	1	-	1
\$1,000,000 to \$2,499,999 .....		39	-	15	6	4	-	-	-
\$2,500,000 to \$4,999,999 .....		7	-	1	1	-	-	-	-
\$5,000,000 or more .....		7	-	1	2	-	-	-	-
Grains .....	farms..	407	43	305	2	5	40	-	40
\$1,000..	6 793	922	5 651	(D)	16	56	-	-	56
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	37	3	33	-	-	-	-	-
\$1,000..	3 144	(D)	2 489	-	-	-	-	-	-
Corn for grain .....	farms..	17	2	6	-	2	2	-	2
\$1,000..	785	(D)	512	-	(D)	(D)	-	-	(D)
Wheat .....	farms..	11	2	5	-	-	3	-	3
\$1,000..	124	(D)	103	-	-	-	5	-	5
Soybeans .....	farms..	16	1	13	-	-	1	-	1
\$1,000..	113	(D)	86	-	-	(D)	-	-	(D)
Sorghum for grain .....	farms..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
\$1,000..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Barley .....	farms..	164	9	151	-	2	2	-	2
\$1,000..	3 162	52	3 092	-	(D)	(D)	-	-	(D)
Oats .....	farms..	209	17	166	2	1	19	-	19
\$1,000..	1 882	86	1 754	(D)	(D)	27	-	-	27
Other grains .....	farms..	63	22	25	-	1	13	-	13
\$1,000..	727	582	104	-	(D)	16	-	-	16
Cotton and cottonseed .....	farms..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
\$1,000..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
\$1,000..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tobacco .....	farms..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
\$1,000..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
\$1,000..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hay, silage, and field seeds .....	farms..	1 574	21	104	52	31	1 038	-	1 038
\$1,000..	9 747	152	853	127	76	6 775	-	-	6 775
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	18	4	-	-	8	-	-	8
\$1,000..	1 925	-	394	-	-	1 102	-	-	1 102
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons .....	farms..	611	4	346	50	49	100	-	100
\$1,000..	16 974	22	15 055	237	558	706	-	-	706
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	37	-	31	-	2	3	-	3
\$1,000..	11 905	-	11 423	-	(D)	222	-	-	222
Fruits, nuts, and berries .....	farms..	963	2	71	766	34	65	-	65
\$1,000..	47 118	(D)	444	46 133	118	255	-	-	255
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	108	3	103	-	1	-	-	1
\$1,000..	39 212	(D)	38 815	-	(D)	-	-	-	(D)
Nursery and greenhouse crops .....	farms..	926	3	85	27	704	76	-	76
\$1,000..	29 852	(D)	760	72	28 599	351	-	-	351
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	113	2	-	-	110	1	-	1
\$1,000..	22 577	(D)	-	-	22 196	(D)	-	-	(D)
Other crops .....	farms..	813	4	514	13	18	205	-	205
\$1,000..	101 745	11	98 644	(D)	309	2 623	-	-	2 623
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	344	-	327	-	1	15	-	15
\$1,000..	97 738	(D)	-	(D)	1 433	-	-	-	1 433
Poultry and poultry products .....	farms..	396	-	32	17	20	76	-	76
\$1,000..	73 299	-	17	9	10	46	-	-	46
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	47	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
\$1,000..	72 822	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dairy products .....	farms..	565	1	-	-	-	14	-	14
\$1,000..	95 420	(D)	-	-	-	-	91	-	91
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	422	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
\$1,000..	92 113	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cattle and calves .....	farms..	1 631	13	55	17	9	216	-	216
\$1,000..	10 222	54	350	14	30	569	-	-	569
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	26	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
\$1,000..	2 443	-	(D)	-	-	-	-	-	-

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 (11211)	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)
<b>F FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS</b>							
Farms .....	number..	699	95	535	71	104	193
percent..		12.0	1.6	9.2	1.2	1.8	3.3
Land in farms .....	acres..	124 110	21 349	226 746	6 718	11 625	20 822
Average size of farm .....	acres..	178	225	424	95	112	108
<b>M MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD</b>							
Total sales (see text) .....	farms..	699	95	535	71	104	193
\$1,000..		5 108	1 156	100 182	1 145	73 952	672
Average per farm .....	dollars..	7 308	12 170	187 256	16 131	711 077	3 484
Farms by value of sales:							
Less than \$1,000 (see text) .....		196	5	2	4	21	59
\$1,000 to \$2,499 .....		158	24	1	22	10	68
\$2,500 to \$4,999 .....		133	30	1	13	8	34
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....		102	13	3	17	6	19
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....		71	13	28	7	5	8
\$20,000 to \$24,999 .....		9	—	11	2	1	3
\$25,000 to \$39,999 .....		16	3	40	4	5	—
\$40,000 to \$49,999 .....		3	2	24	—	1	—
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....		7	3	125	1	7	2
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....		1	2	194	—	13	—
\$250,000 to \$499,999 .....		3	—	68	—	15	—
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....		—	—	28	1	7	—
\$1,000,000 to \$2,499,999 .....		—	—	9	—	1	—
\$2,500,000 to \$4,999,999 .....		—	—	1	—	2	—
\$5,000,000 or more .....		—	—	—	—	2	—
Grains .....	farms..	4	—	6	2	—	—
\$1,000..		(D)	—	114	(D)	—	—
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	1	—	—	—
\$1,000..		—	—	(D)	—	—	—
Corn for grain .....	farms..	1	—	3	1	—	—
\$1,000..		(D)	—	(D)	(D)	—	—
Wheat .....	farms..	—	—	—	1	—	—
\$1,000..		—	—	—	(D)	—	—
Soybeans .....	farms..	—	—	1	—	—	—
\$1,000..		—	—	(D)	—	—	—
Sorghum for grain .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..		—	—	—	—	—	—
Barley .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..		—	—	—	—	—	—
Oats .....	farms..	3	—	1	—	—	—
\$1,000..		3	—	(D)	—	—	—
Other grains .....	farms..	—	—	2	—	—	—
\$1,000..		—	—	(D)	—	—	—
Cotton and cottonseed .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..		—	—	—	—	—	—
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..		—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..		—	—	—	—	—	—
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..		—	—	—	—	—	—
Hay, silage, and field seeds .....	farms..	147	14	108	8	15	20
\$1,000..		585	35	904	11	117	44
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	2	—	3	—	1	—
\$1,000..		(D)	—	196	—	(D)	—
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons .....	farms..	12	—	22	4	9	3
\$1,000..		91	—	266	2	20	(Z)
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	1	—	—	—
\$1,000..		—	—	(D)	—	—	—
Fruits, nuts, and berries .....	farms..	2	—	6	1	7	4
\$1,000..		(D)	—	126	(D)	30	3
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	1	—	—	—
\$1,000..		—	—	(D)	—	—	—
Nursery and greenhouse crops .....	farms..	8	—	3	2	3	5
\$1,000..		20	—	10	(D)	(D)	2
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..		—	—	—	—	—	—
Other crops .....	farms..	20	5	15	2	6	5
\$1,000..		90	3	36	(D)	(D)	6
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	1	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..		(D)	—	—	—	—	—
Poultry and poultry products .....	farms..	52	5	16	17	102	32
\$1,000..		22	1	9	10	73 153	9
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	47	12
\$1,000..		—	—	—	—	72 822	—
Dairy products .....	farms..	11	—	533	—	2	3
\$1,000..		512	—	94 506	—	(D)	1
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	3	—	417	—	2	—
\$1,000..		424	—	(D)	—	(D)	—
Cattle and calves .....	farms..	605	95	526	27	21	20
\$1,000..		3 632	1 108	4 163	47	173	54
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	7	5	12	—	1	—
\$1,000..		703	576	(D)	—	(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)	Total	Other crop farming (1119)		
							Tobacco farming (11191)	Cotton farming (11192)	Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199)
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD—Con.</b>									
Total sales (see text)—Con.									
Hogs and pigs farms.. \$1,000..	261	2	19	9	3	38	—	—	38
Sales of \$50,000 or more farms.. \$1,000..	1 360	(D)	23	6	1	50	—	—	50
Sheep, lambs, and wool farms.. \$1,000..	407	—	23	21	20	69	—	—	69
Sales of \$50,000 or more farms.. \$1,000..	578	—	18	11	5	58	—	—	58
Other livestock and livestock products (see text) farms.. \$1,000..	452	—	11	18	15	54	—	—	54
Sales of \$50,000 or more farms.. \$1,000..	45 563	—	5	21	6	88	—	—	88
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text) farms.. \$1,000..	1 177	8	272	242	70	197	—	—	197
Average per farm	8 314	19	2 931	3 006	307	739	—	—	739
<b>FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES<sup>1</sup></b>									
Total farm production expenses farms.. \$1,000..	5 801	239	734	788	738	1 269	—	—	1 269
Average per farm dollars..	347 611	1 971	96 249	31 758	22 542	12 209	—	—	12 209
Livestock and poultry purchased farms.. \$1,000..	1 234	9	57	41	31	219	—	—	219
Farms with expenses of—	11 988	18	105	36	9	677	—	—	677
\$1 to \$4,999	941	9	55	40	31	202	—	—	202
\$5,000 to \$24,999	208	—	1	1	—	9	—	—	9
\$25,000 to \$99,999	65	—	1	—	—	8	—	—	8
\$100,000 to \$249,999	12	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$250,000 or more	8	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Feed for livestock and poultry farms.. \$1,000..	2 201	13	73	67	47	381	—	—	381
Farms with expenses of—	79 605	20	76	54	45	447	—	—	447
\$1 to \$4,999	1 624	13	72	67	47	370	—	—	370
\$5,000 to \$24,999	194	—	1	—	—	10	—	—	10
\$25,000 to \$99,999	267	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	1
\$100,000 to \$249,999	77	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$250,000 or more	39	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Commercially mixed formula feeds farms.. \$1,000..	1 553	2	54	48	25	213	—	—	213
Farms with expenses of—	51 161	(D)	31	29	(D)	201	—	—	201
\$1 to \$4,999	1 052	2	54	48	25	211	—	—	211
\$5,000 to \$24,999	156	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	1
\$25,000 to \$99,999	251	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	1
\$100,000 or more	94	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees farms.. \$1,000..	2 076	70	679	146	452	259	—	—	259
Farms with expenses of—	13 757	76	9 841	292	2 599	188	—	—	188
\$1 to \$999	1 220	58	260	99	282	244	—	—	244
\$1,000 to \$4,999	450	11	150	32	89	10	—	—	10
\$5,000 to \$24,999	259	1	141	14	65	4	—	—	4
\$25,000 to \$49,999	90	—	80	—	8	1	—	—	1
\$50,000 or more	57	—	48	1	8	—	—	—	—
Commercial fertilizer farms.. \$1,000..	3 031	51	691	495	458	569	—	—	569
Farms with expenses of—	16 537	171	11 634	853	433	798	—	—	798
\$1 to \$4,999	2 466	44	357	469	446	534	—	—	534
\$5,000 to \$24,999	387	6	177	23	9	35	—	—	35
\$25,000 to \$49,999	113	—	99	1	1	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more	65	1	58	2	2	—	—	—	—
Agricultural chemicals farms.. \$1,000..	2 346	55	652	571	382	222	—	—	222
Farms with expenses of—	17 435	143	13 208	2 702	272	139	—	—	139
\$1 to \$4,999	1 875	47	323	508	373	216	—	—	216
\$5,000 to \$24,999	274	7	150	49	8	6	—	—	6
\$25,000 to \$49,999	111	—	102	7	—	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more	86	1	77	7	1	—	—	—	—
Petroleum products farms.. \$1,000..	5 494	175	722	745	710	1 247	—	—	1 247
Farms with expenses of—	14 829	168	5 277	1 371	1 456	1 076	—	—	1 076
\$1 to \$4,999	4 832	172	460	701	645	1 199	—	—	1 199
\$5,000 to \$24,999	582	3	219	37	57	48	—	—	48
\$25,000 to \$49,999	51	—	32	2	5	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more	29	—	11	5	3	—	—	—	—
Gasoline and gasohol farms.. \$1,000..	4 479	135	667	611	535	959	—	—	959
Diesel fuel farms.. \$1,000..	5 758	63	2 198	573	375	482	—	—	482
Natural gas farms.. \$1,000..	3 647	123	566	424	357	883	—	—	883
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc. farms.. \$1,000..	5 896	50	2 359	423	249	458	—	—	458
See footnotes at end of table.	88	—	20	3	23	9	—	—	9
	61	—	22	(D)	7	1	—	—	1
	3 756	142	584	421	493	715	—	—	715
	3 114	54	697	(D)	825	136	—	—	136

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Item	Beef cattle ranching and farming (11211)	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)
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD—Con.</b>							
Total sales (see text)—Con.							
Hogs and pigs .....	farms..	58	13	9	71	10	11
\$1,000..		78	6	15	1 060	(D)	6
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	2	1	—
\$1,000..		—	—	—	(D)	(D)	—
Sheep, lambs, and wool .....	farms..	44	8	12	9	13	167
\$1,000..		45	4	28	3	6	388
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..		—	—	—	—	—	—
Other livestock and livestock products (see text) .....	farms..	16	3	7	4	15	45
\$1,000..		14	(Z)	5	(D)	25	165
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	1
\$1,000..		—	—	—	—	—	(D)
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text).....	farms..	140	43	45	28	34	66
\$1,000..		329	119	271	56	280	94
<b>FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES<sup>1</sup></b>							
Total farm production expenses .....	farms..	683	71	462	67	109	237
\$1,000..		8 199	1 469	80 494	1 062	62 180	1 722
Average per farm .....	dollars..	12 005	20 686	174 230	15 855	570 458	7 265
Livestock and poultry purchased .....	farms..	287	32	197	56	81	91
\$1,000..		1 237	484	2 804	78	3 691	87
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		215	27	80	56	44	84
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		67	2	89	—	4	7
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....		4	2	25	—	24	—
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....		1	—	3	—	6	—
\$250,000 or more .....		—	1	—	—	3	—
Feed for livestock and poultry .....	farms..	496	54	459	66	109	192
\$1,000..		953	251	30 424	234	35 991	218
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		473	47	24	59	56	191
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		18	5	113	5	14	205
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....		5	2	248	2	6	1
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....		—	—	57	—	17	3
\$250,000 or more .....		—	—	17	—	16	—
Commercially mixed formula feeds .....	farms..	269	35	449	39	106	134
\$1,000..		535	101	24 500	142	15 584	117
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		258	32	40	33	64	133
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		7	3	118	5	5	1
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....		4	—	236	1	6	—
\$100,000 or more .....		—	—	55	—	31	8
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees .....	farms..	90	12	270	13	24	24
\$1,000..		63	4	667	4	7	10
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999 .....		76	10	100	13	24	17
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....		12	2	137	—	—	37
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		2	—	32	—	—	—
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		—	—	1	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
Commercial fertilizer .....	farms..	250	38	313	7	25	46
\$1,000..		287	15	2 214	18	26	58
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		243	38	175	5	22	45
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		7	—	125	2	3	—
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		—	—	11	—	—	1
\$50,000 or more .....		—	—	2	—	—	—
Agricultural chemicals .....	farms..	80	9	250	3	17	57
\$1,000..		96	13	805	2	23	17
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		72	8	205	3	16	56
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		7	1	44	—	1	48
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		1	—	1	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
Petroleum products .....	farms..	644	71	454	59	104	215
\$1,000..		664	58	2 972	61	740	165
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		630	68	258	55	90	215
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		14	3	182	4	10	339
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		—	—	10	—	1	5
\$50,000 or more .....		—	—	4	—	3	—
Gasoline and gasohol .....	farms..	531	50	401	51	86	168
\$1,000..		276	26	911	28	141	96
Diesel fuel .....	farms..	408	54	419	48	51	121
\$1,000..		295	25	1 630	14	198	50
Natural gas .....	farms..	7	—	—	2	7	145
\$1,000..		3	—	(D)	—	20	—
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc. ....	farms..	448	29	423	58	65	140
\$1,000..		91	7	(D)	18	381	238
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<b>FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES<sup>1</sup></b>									
—Con.									
Total farm production expenses—Con.									
Electricity ..... farms.. \$1,000..	3 815	98	580	332	471	778	—	—	778
Farms with expenses of—	10 613	55	2 802	452	541	318	—	—	318
\$1 to \$999 .....	2 595	92	246	266	333	719	—	—	719
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	815	5	214	53	118	57	—	—	57
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	378	1	113	9	19	2	—	—	2
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	17	—	4	3	1	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more .....	10	—	3	1	—	—	—	—	—
Hired farm labor ..... farms.. \$1,000..	2 472	33	514	413	292	396	—	—	396
Farms with expenses of—	64 285	156	19 212	12 350	7 314	825	—	—	825
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	1 474	22	161	252	194	352	—	—	352
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	513	9	152	116	38	41	—	—	41
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....	384	2	166	30	44	3	—	—	3
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....	71	—	28	9	11	—	—	—	—
\$250,000 or more .....	30	—	7	6	5	—	—	—	—
Workers by days worked:									
150 days or more ..... farms.. workers..	942	8	269	80	121	48	—	—	48
	4 746	(D)	941	1 704	471	67	—	—	67
Less than 150 days ..... farms.. workers..	2 306	33	504	402	270	388	—	—	388
	17 263	93	5 557	7 004	1 322	1 124	—	—	1 124
Contract labor ..... farms.. \$1,000..	645	19	85	199	89	65	—	—	65
Farms with expenses of—	4 161	9	570	1 941	284	67	—	—	67
\$1 to \$999 .....	244	19	17	52	43	37	—	—	37
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	271	—	44	87	35	28	—	—	28
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	111	—	20	51	9	—	—	—	—
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	7	—	1	3	1	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more .....	12	—	3	6	1	—	—	—	—
Repair and maintenance ..... farms.. \$1,000..	4 827	166	711	583	602	1 018	—	—	1 018
Farms with expenses of—	23 988	278	8 217	3 057	1 746	1 926	—	—	1 926
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	3 761	155	350	492	495	929	—	—	929
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	883	11	270	76	99	87	—	—	87
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	125	—	60	9	6	2	—	—	2
\$50,000 or more .....	58	—	31	6	2	—	—	—	—
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment ..... farms.. \$1,000..	1 145	11	286	187	137	192	—	—	192
Farms with expenses of—	4 595	94	2 026	682	170	162	—	—	162
\$1 to \$999 .....	600	2	80	121	112	128	—	—	128
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	383	8	132	46	20	63	—	—	63
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	135	—	66	17	3	1	—	—	1
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	14	—	1	—	2	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more .....	13	1	7	3	—	—	—	—	—
Interest ..... farms.. \$1,000..	1 820	36	381	214	254	269	—	—	269
Farms with expenses of—	15 954	58	5 499	1 346	1 307	858	—	—	858
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	1 115	34	149	151	169	216	—	—	216
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	567	2	158	56	80	52	—	—	52
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....	121	—	70	5	5	1	—	—	1
\$100,000 or more .....	17	—	4	2	—	—	—	—	—
Secured by real estate ..... farms.. \$1,000..	1 359	26	306	171	182	168	—	—	168
Farms with expenses of—	10 753	(D)	3 767	1 084	1 048	574	—	—	574
\$1 to \$999 .....	226	23	57	33	39	20	—	—	20
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	574	2	78	79	77	110	—	—	110
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	465	1	119	54	62	38	—	—	38
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	67	—	40	2	2	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more .....	27	—	12	3	2	—	—	—	—
Not secured by real estate ..... farms.. \$1,000..	973	25	171	116	140	168	—	—	168
Farms with expenses of—	5 201	(D)	1 732	262	259	284	—	—	284
\$1 to \$999 .....	390	20	38	57	74	101	—	—	101
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	383	4	37	51	56	64	—	—	64
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	165	1	80	7	9	2	—	—	2
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	19	—	10	—	1	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more .....	16	—	6	1	—	1	—	—	1
Cash rent ..... farms.. \$1,000..	941	20	331	36	43	123	—	—	123
Farms with expenses of—	5 044	131	2 844	235	291	258	—	—	258
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	721	14	210	24	33	110	—	—	110
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	97	5	46	5	2	10	—	—	10
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	81	—	50	5	5	1	—	—	1
\$25,000 or more .....	42	1	25	2	3	2	—	—	2
Property taxes ..... farms.. \$1,000..	5 550	231	695	774	710	1 199	—	—	1 199
Farms with expenses of—	16 006	409	3 263	2 068	1 497	2 797	—	—	2 797
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	4 903	218	506	711	680	1 089	—	—	1 089
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	452	10	106	50	18	79	—	—	79
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	154	3	66	6	4	31	—	—	31
\$25,000 or more .....	41	—	17	7	8	—	—	—	—
All other farm production expenses ..... farms.. \$1,000..	5 107	167	711	646	660	1 067	—	—	1 067
Farms with expenses of—	48 814	185	11 674	4 319	4 578	1 674	—	—	1 674
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	4 064	157	386	560	522	1 007	—	—	1 007
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	710	9	215	62	113	56	—	—	56
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	167	1	58	10	12	1	—	—	1
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	94	—	34	9	5	2	—	—	2
\$100,000 or more .....	72	—	18	5	8	1	—	—	1

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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 (11211)	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)
<b>FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES<sup>1</sup></b>							
—Con.							
Total farm production expenses—Con.							
Electricity ..... farms.. \$1,000..	460 268	57 38	454 2 619	45 47	97 2 387	166 45	277 1 041
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999 .....	376	54	33	33	49	165	229
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	80	1	206	10	27	1	43
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	4	2	210	2	15	—	1
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	—	—	5	—	2	—	2
\$50,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	4	—	2
Hired farm labor ..... farms.. \$1,000..	216 486	35 77	359 11 500	12 (D)	50 (D)	56 46	96 4 994
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	203	32	83	11	28	56	80
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	9	2	135	—	10	—	1
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....	3	1	120	—	8	—	7
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....	1	—	15	1	2	—	4
\$250,000 or more .....	—	—	6	—	2	—	4
Workers by days worked:							
150 days or more ..... farms.. workers..	53 81	3 5	283 774	1 (D)	26 487	24 24	26 176
Less than 150 days ..... farms.. workers..	212 512	35 98	261 926	12 30	40 163	56 151	93 283
Contract labor ..... farms.. \$1,000..	31 25	1 (D)	92 426	2 (D)	11 (D)	17 15	34 222
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999 .....	22	1	13	1	—	15	24
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	9	—	53	—	6	2	7
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	—	—	25	1	4	—	1
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	—	—	1	—	—	—	1
\$50,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	1	—	1
Repair and maintenance ..... farms.. \$1,000..	568 1 086	66 112	450 5 243	56 75	102 893	181 309	324 1 045
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	516	63	178	53	82	152	296
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	51	3	217	3	15	29	22
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	1	—	41	—	3	—	3
\$50,000 or more .....	—	—	14	—	2	—	3
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment ..... farms.. \$1,000..	85 93	7 (D)	182 1 193	1 (D)	16 (D)	20 15	21 42
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999 .....	60	7	48	1	9	16	16
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	23	—	79	—	4	4	4
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	1	—	45	—	2	—	—
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	1	—	9	—	—	—	1
\$50,000 or more .....	—	—	1	—	1	—	—
Interest ..... farms.. \$1,000..	120 555	32 143	299 3 725	6 25	36 731	52 173	121 1 533
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	94	29	113	5	19	47	89
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	21	2	154	1	12	5	24
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....	5	1	29	—	3	—	2
\$100,000 or more .....	—	—	3	—	2	—	6
Secured by real estate ..... farms.. \$1,000..	74 448	26 122	228 2 417	3 (D)	35 627	51 166	89 452
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999 .....	9	—	13	—	3	13	16
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	42	23	64	2	16	34	47
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	18	2	131	1	12	4	23
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	3	—	16	—	2	—	2
\$50,000 or more .....	2	1	4	—	2	—	1
Not secured by real estate ..... farms.. \$1,000..	65 107	11 22	203 1 309	3 (D)	8 105	14 7	49 1 082
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999 .....	26	—	35	2	2	13	22
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	38	10	97	1	3	1	21
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	1	1	63	—	1	—	—
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	—	—	6	—	1	—	1
\$50,000 or more .....	—	—	2	—	1	—	5
Cash rent ..... farms.. \$1,000..	66 69	7 (D)	257 994	15 (D)	9 39	11 8	23 167
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999 .....	59	7	212	15	6	11	20
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	7	—	19	—	2	—	1
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	—	—	19	—	1	—	—
\$25,000 or more .....	—	—	7	—	—	—	2
Property taxes ..... farms.. \$1,000..	660 1 375	65 137	450 2 040	53 156	108 704	231 361	374 1 199
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	611	63	301	43	96	226	359
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	44	1	116	8	7	5	8
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	5	—	30	2	2	—	5
\$25,000 or more .....	—	1	3	—	3	—	2
All other farm production expenses ..... farms.. \$1,000..	582 942	71 135	462 12 868	60 153	103 9 101	228 196	350 2 988
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	565	67	118	55	74	228	325
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	15	3	199	4	18	—	16
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	1	1	79	—	3	—	1
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	1	—	39	1	3	—	—
\$100,000 or more .....	—	—	27	—	5	—	8

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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)	Total	Other crop farming (1119)		
							Tobacco farming (11191)	Cotton farming (11192)	Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199)
<b>NET CASH RETURN FROM AGRICULTURAL SALES FOR THE FARM UNIT (SEE TEXT)<sup>1</sup></b>									
All farms .....	number..	5 801	239	734	788	738	1 269	—	—
\$1,000..	..	78 187	-1 012	22 329	13 250	6 603	169	—	1 269
Average per farm .....	..	13 478	-4 233	30 421	16 814	8 948	133	—	169
Farms with net gains <sup>2</sup> .....	number..	2 469	17	450	424	457	496	—	496
Average net gain .....	..	43 877	(D)	60 101	36 088	25 128	8 568	—	8 568
Gain of—									
Less than \$1,000 .....	..	309	7	37	37	50	125	—	125
\$1,000 to \$9,999 .....	..	1 084	8	120	260	165	276	—	276
\$10,000 to \$49,999 .....	..	738	2	158	104	199	80	—	80
\$50,000 or more .....	..	338	—	135	23	43	15	—	15
Farms with net losses .....	number..	3 332	222	284	364	281	773	—	773
Average net loss .....	..	9 047	(D)	16 606	5 636	17 367	5 280	—	5 280
Loss of—									
Less than \$1,000 .....	..	529	12	57	98	60	142	—	142
\$1,000 to \$9,999 .....	..	2 307	193	150	237	167	566	—	566
\$10,000 to \$49,999 .....	..	418	16	50	26	49	57	—	57
\$50,000 or more .....	..	78	1	27	3	5	8	—	8
<b>GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS AND OTHER FARM-RELATED INCOME</b>									
Government payments .....	farms..	934	130	208	48	35	139	—	139
\$1,000..	..	2 977	491	698	90	85	311	—	311
Other farm-related income <sup>1</sup> .....	farms..	1 689	68	185	214	100	543	—	543
\$1,000..	..	10 907	189	1 739	2 011	838	2 393	—	2 393
Customwork and other agricultural services .....	farms..	546	13	48	81	35	195	—	195
\$1,000..	..	3 643	35	754	763	251	747	—	747
Gross cash rent or share payments .....	farms..	237	32	43	12	17	77	—	77
\$1,000..	..	753	146	182	49	(D)	105	—	105
Forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products .....	farms..	903	9	87	133	64	331	—	331
\$1,000..	..	5 754	6	708	1 084	513	1 470	—	1 470
Other farm-related income sources .....	farms..	472	17	94	23	5	92	—	92
\$1,000..	..	757	2	95	115	(D)	71	—	71
<b>COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS</b>									
Total .....	farms..	12	—	11	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	..	24	(D)	—	—	—	—	—	—
Corn .....	farms..	2	—	1	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	..	(D)	—	(D)	—	—	—	—	—
Wheat .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Soybeans .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sorghum, barley, and oats .....	farms..	10	—	10	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	..	(D)	—	(D)	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sunflower seed, flaxseed, safflower, canola, other rapeseed, and mustard seed .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Peanuts, rice, and tobacco .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
<b>LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE</b>									
Total cropland .....	farms..	5 372	157	733	805	704	1 139	—	1 139
acres..		539 966	16 264	166 938	53 611	12 720	80 851	—	80 851
Harvested cropland .....	farms..	4 875	65	733	805	704	1 120	—	1 120
acres..		403 014	5 676	139 155	30 942	8 446	64 136	—	64 136
Farms by acres harvested:									
1 to 49 acres .....	..	3 180	36	342	712	672	726	—	726
50 to 99 acres .....	..	628	10	77	52	18	221	—	221
100 to 199 acres .....	..	502	9	98	20	7	115	—	115
200 to 499 acres .....	..	444	9	145	13	7	56	—	56
500 to 999 acres .....	..	89	1	48	4	—	1	—	1
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....	..	23	—	18	2	—	—	—	—
2,000 acres or more .....	..	9	—	5	2	—	1	—	1
Cropland:									
Pasture or grazing only .....	farms..	2 156	25	136	104	69	455	—	455
acres..		65 066	754	4 459	1 623	1 013	10 888	—	10 888
In cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured .....	farms..	565	71	195	75	54	81	—	81
acres..		23 006	5 769	12 326	959	816	1 227	—	1 227
On which all crops failed .....	farms..	152	7	47	24	7	31	—	31
acres..		2 430	472	532	337	26	550	—	550
In cultivated summer fallow .....	farms..	195	6	42	81	17	18	—	18
acres..		5 136	131	2 154	1 781	277	230	—	230
Idle .....	farms..	1 105	70	187	318	123	174	—	174
acres..		41 314	3 462	8 312	17 969	2 142	3 820	—	3 820
Total woodland .....	farms..	4 189	135	516	570	381	1 017	—	1 017
acres..		566 603	22 692	91 874	89 308	36 920	125 770	—	125 770
Woodland pastured .....	farms..	848	23	70	59	43	165	—	165
acres..		40 274	2 950	6 793	4 246	1 895	5 482	—	5 482
Woodland not pastured .....	farms..	3 958	122	490	545	359	977	—	977
acres..		526 329	19 742	85 081	85 062	35 025	120 288	—	120 288

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<b>NET CASH RETURN FROM AGRICULTURAL SALES FOR THE FARM UNIT (SEE TEXT)<sup>1</sup></b>							
All farms .....	number..	683	71	462	67	109	237
\$1,000..	\$1,000..	-3 080	-676	14 389	-33	10 613	-702
Average per farm .....	.dollars..	4 509	-9 527	31 146	487	97 366	-2 964
Farms with net gains <sup>2</sup> .....	number..	87	5	363	10	39	42
Average net gain .....	.dollars..	7 875	1 466	47 010	(D)	334 513	4 416
Gain of—							
Less than \$1,000 .....		7	1	14	7	6	7
\$1,000 to \$9,999 .....		73	4	75	1	17	34
\$10,000 to \$49,999 .....		5	—	178	1	5	1
\$50,000 or more .....		2	—	96	1	11	—
Farms with net losses .....	number..	596	66	99	57	70	195
Average net loss .....	.dollars..	6 317	10 360	27 025	(D)	34 759	4 554
Loss of—							
Less than \$1,000 .....		77	7	6	17	—	29
\$1,000 to \$9,999 .....		440	56	32	37	48	147
\$10,000 to \$49,999 .....		72	—	49	3	12	19
\$50,000 or more .....		7	3	12	—	10	—
<b>GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS AND OTHER FARM-RELATED INCOME</b>							
Government payments .....	farms..	70	6	235	8	12	14
\$1,000..	\$1,000..	155	17	914	21	55	39
Other farm-related income <sup>1</sup> .....	farms..	175	10	210	16	23	54
\$1,000..	\$1,000..	1 292	23	1 403	45	310	272
Customwork and other agricultural services .....	farms..	66	—	41	1	5	31
\$1,000..	\$1,000..	294	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	212
Gross cash rent or share payments .....	farms..	27	—	2	1	17	—
\$1,000..	\$1,000..	201	—	(D)	(D)	29	—
Forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products .....	farms..	100	5	87	12	11	19
\$1,000..	\$1,000..	775	23	889	36	104	54
Other farm-related income sources .....	farms..	39	5	160	2	3	11
\$1,000..	\$1,000..	22	(Z)	293	(D)	(D)	5
<b>COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS</b>							
Total .....	farms..	—	—	1	—	—	—
\$1,000..	\$1,000..	—	—	(D)	—	—	—
Corn .....	farms..	—	—	1	—	—	—
\$1,000..	\$1,000..	—	—	(D)	—	—	—
Wheat .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Soybeans .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sorghum, barley, and oats .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sunflower seed, flaxseed, safflower, canola, other rapeseed, and mustard seed .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Peanuts, rice, and tobacco .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—
<b>LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE</b>							
Total cropland .....	farms..	630	82	516	50	75	155
acres..	48 361	7 692	130 003	2 221	4 647	5 739	326
Harvested cropland .....	farms..	536	61	495	26	50	108
acres..	30 831	4 112	107 885	1 092	3 349	2 663	172
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 49 acres .....		323	33	39	19	39	97
50 to 99 acres .....		121	15	82	2	4	18
100 to 199 acres .....		64	7	161	4	4	2
200 to 499 acres .....		27	6	176	1	2	1
500 to 999 acres .....		1	—	34	—	—	—
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....		—	—	2	—	1	—
2,000 acres or more .....		—	—	1	—	—	—
Cropland:							
Pasture or grazing only .....	farms..	479	63	384	31	47	118
acres..	15 143	2 815	19 796	505	902	2 465	245
In cover crops, legumes, and soil- improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured .....	farms..	20	3	21	8	10	7
acres..	391	94	414	502	170	93	245
On which all crops failed .....	farms..	1	2	19	2	1	3
acres..	(D)	(D)	339	(D)	(D)	(D)	100
In cultivated summer fallow .....	farms..	6	1	13	1	2	2
acres..	(D)	(D)	283	(D)	(D)	(D)	143
Idle .....	farms..	70	11	48	10	17	35
acres..	1 898	621	1 286	106	223	474	42
Total woodland .....	farms..	516	76	445	46	73	138
acres..	64 853	11 697	83 802	3 228	4 291	11 745	276
Woodland pastured .....	farms..	186	27	133	13	19	35
acres..	7 402	1 195	6 604	455	183	749	75
Woodland not pastured .....	farms..	472	73	425	42	68	132
acres..	57 451	10 502	77 198	2 773	4 108	10 996	230

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							Tobacco farming (11191)	Cotton farming (11192)	Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199)
<b>LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE—Con.</b>									
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured..... farms.. acres..	844 27 952	26 1 216	70 3 888	54 1 820	66 1 234	142 3 697	—	—	142 3 697
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. .... farms.. acres..	3 659 77 127	110 2 759	455 19 454	532 13 743	461 4 899	709 13 605	—	—	709 13 605
Irrigated land ..... farms.. acres..	671 21 791	4 (D)	190 13 997	91 4 439	290 1 815	57 948	—	—	57 948
Harvested cropland irrigated ..... farms.. acres..	660 21 608	3 6 (D)	188 4 425	91 1 801	290 55 (D)	—	—	—	55 (D)
Pasture and other land irrigated ..... farms.. acres..	24 183	1 (D)	3 14	4 14	6 14	2 (D)	—	—	2 (D)
Land under Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs ..... farms.. acres..	352 22 217	108 8 996	111 7 319	11 362	7 241	37 1 277	—	—	37 1 277
<b>VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS<sup>1</sup></b>									
Estimated market value of land and buildings..... farms.. \$1,000..	5 801 1 456 482	239 37 262	734 269 454	788 204 285	738 126 226	1 269 300 237	—	—	1 269 300 237
Average per farm ..... dollars..	251 074	155 910	367 711	259 245	171 1 038	236 594	—	—	236 594
Average per acre ..... dollars..	1 190	973	1 231	2 341	1 152	—	—	—	1 152
Farms by value group:									
\$1 to \$39,999 .....	463	26	28	94	114	53	—	—	53
\$40,000 to \$69,999 .....	539	32	48	72	105	100	—	—	100
\$70,000 to \$99,999 .....	615	69	75	91	96	76	—	—	76
\$100,000 to \$149,999 .....	866	27	107	123	171	178	—	—	178
\$150,000 to \$199,999 .....	800	17	80	73	84	228	—	—	228
\$200,000 to \$499,999 .....	1 926	63	249	263	130	518	—	—	518
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....	439	3	88	50	29	107	—	—	107
\$1,000,000 to \$1,999,999 .....	113	1	44	15	6	7	—	—	7
\$2,000,000 to \$4,999,999 .....	36	1	15	4	3	2	—	—	2
\$5,000,000 or more .....	4	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—
<b>VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup></b>									
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ..... farms.. \$1,000..	5 794 282 151	239 7 167	734 81 240	788 26 557	738 22 419	1 262 41 390	—	—	1 262 41 390
Farms by value group:									
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	670	19	68	147	105	114	—	—	114
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	742	38	48	115	112	187	—	—	187
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....	1 205	78	102	159	144	313	—	—	313
\$20,000 to \$49,999 .....	1 618	62	139	234	246	407	—	—	407
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	790	21	98	79	77	164	—	—	164
\$100,000 to \$199,999 .....	496	18	150	42	49	56	—	—	56
\$200,000 to \$499,999 .....	232	3	102	8	5	21	—	—	21
\$500,000 or more .....	41	—	27	4	—	—	—	—	—
<b>SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup></b>									
Motortrucks, including pickups ..... farms.. number..	5 141 11 261	201 453	698 3 104	679 1 292	637 1 061	1 080 1 797	—	—	1 080 1 797
Wheel tractors ..... farms.. number..	5 092 11 767	205 415	659 2 202	711 1 353	602 1 153	1 180 2 644	—	—	1 180 2 644
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms.. number..	3 315 5 155	116 155	327 611	510 756	460 714	880 1 450	—	—	880 1 450
40 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms.. number..	3 236 6 612	160 260	465 1 591	365 597	284 439	697 1 194	—	—	697 1 194
40 to 99 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms.. number..	3 075 5 346	147 209	415 978	346 553	276 375	669 1 094	—	—	669 1 094
100 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms.. number..	647 1 266	40 51	226 613	24 44	47 64	82 100	—	—	82 100
Grain and bean combines ..... farms.. number..	230 254	26 26	120 137	2 (D) (D)	1 353	35 36	—	—	35 36
Cotton pickers and strippers ..... farms.. number..	— —	— —	— —	— —	— —	— —	—	—	— —
Mower conditioners ..... farms.. number..	1 970 2 183	61 61	107 113	130 168	48 53	640 690	—	—	640 690
Pickup balers ..... farms.. number..	2 126 2 514	39 39	83 92	102 114	26 26	769 859	—	—	769 859
<b>AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS<sup>1</sup></b>									
Commercial fertilizer ..... farms.. acres on which used..	2 921 234 911	46 2 959	689 119 920	494 22 615	364 4 018	567 24 037	—	—	567 24 037
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—									
Insects on hay and other crops ..... farms.. acres on which used..	1 449 113 473	21 747	591 86 746	395 15 752	245 2 142	105 1 320	—	—	105 1 320
Nematodes in crops ..... farms.. acres on which used..	92 4 923	— 34	41 2 941	2 199	2 (D)	— —	—	—	— —
Diseases in crops and orchards ..... farms.. acres on which used..	869 86 353	18 471	392 68 597	295 14 928	54 693	64 441	—	—	64 441
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture ..... farms.. acres on which used..	1 428 149 286	45 2 524	408 97 064	406 16 386	176 2 746	120 2 721	—	—	120 2 721
Chemicals used on crops to control growth, thin fruit, or defoliate ..... farms.. acres on which used..	383 45 461	9 458	239 40 418	81 3 611	22 (D)	5 67	—	—	5 67

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<b>LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE—Con.</b>							
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured..... farms.. acres..	148 5 127	19 482	125 5 899	18 450	16 326	54 1 984	106 1 829
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. .... farms.. acres..	420 5 769	59 1 478	321 7 042	54 819	68 2 361	135 1 354	335 3 844
Irrigated land ..... farms.. acres..	10 97	1 (D)	4 (D)	3 (D)	8 18	2 (D)	11 66
Harvested cropland irrigated ..... farms.. acres..	8 (D)	— —	4 (D)	3 (D)	8 (D)	2 (D)	8 35
Pasture and other land irrigated ..... farms.. acres..	2 (D)	1 (D)	— —	— (D)	1 (D)	— —	4 31
Land under Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs ..... farms.. acres..	28 1 553	3 280	22 976	2 (D)	3 (D)	5 160	15 724
<b>VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS<sup>1</sup></b>							
Estimated market value of land and buildings..... farms.. \$1,000..	683 129 932	71 21 547	462 204 245	67 12 688	109 41 672	237 38 864	404 70 068
Average per farm ..... dollars..	190 237	303 486	442 088	189 371	382 312	163 984	173 436
Average per acre ..... dollars..	1 036	1 470	1 018	1 979	3 957	1 483	2 284
Farms by value group:							
\$1 to \$39,999 .....	36	—	13	16	10	20	53
\$40,000 to \$69,999 .....	71	—	14	8	9	26	54
\$70,000 to \$99,999 .....	92	16	5	3	12	31	49
\$100,000 to \$149,999 .....	88	11	26	2	15	61	57
\$150,000 to \$199,999 .....	139	2	32	14	28	37	66
\$200,000 to \$499,999 .....	227	33	234	21	27	54	107
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....	24	1	108	2	5	8	14
\$1,000,000 to \$1,999,999 .....	5	6	23	1	2	—	3
\$2,000,000 to \$4,999,999 .....	1	2	7	—	—	—	1
\$5,000,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	1	—	—
<b>VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup></b>							
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ..... farms.. \$1,000..	683 21 390	71 2 030	462 49 286	67 1 753	109 9 249	237 5 866	404 13 803
Farms by value group:							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	77	6	15	8	34	27	50
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	127	—	13	5	14	37	46
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....	146	31	15	22	19	71	105
\$20,000 to \$49,999 .....	197	24	97	25	22	63	102
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	97	7	123	6	7	35	76
\$100,000 to \$199,999 .....	25	2	122	1	6	4	21
\$200,000 to \$499,999 .....	14	1	71	—	4	—	3
\$500,000 or more .....	—	—	6	—	3	—	1
<b>SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup></b>							
Motortrucks, including pickups ..... farms.. number..	604 911	63 120	449 1 269	59 86	99 294	195 312	377 562
Wheel tractors ..... farms.. number..	622 1 376	62 113	429 1 390	55 129	103 157	180 359	284 476
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms.. number..	359 535	37 43	205 300	39 63	72 93	103 170	198 265
40 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms.. number..	475 841	47 70	371 1 090	38 66	49 64	109 189	176 211
40 to 99 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms.. number..	457 770	40 59	362 808	37 59	42 54	108 186	176 201
100 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms.. number..	46 71	8 11	144 282	7 7	10 10	3 3	10 10
Grain and bean combines ..... farms.. number..	14 14	— —	19 24	2 (D)	— —	— —	11 11
Cotton pickers and strippers ..... farms.. number..	— —	— —	— —	— —	— —	— —	— —
Mower conditioners ..... farms.. number..	360 381	25 25	399 476	12 12	15 17	58 58	115 129
Pickup balers ..... farms.. number..	451 531	37 47	403 550	13 14	15 18	78 103	110 121
<b>AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS<sup>1</sup></b>							
Commercial fertilizer ..... farms.. acres on which used..	250 9 231	34 560	314 48 648	11 404	25 401	40 1 289	87 829
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—							
Insects on hay and other crops ..... farms.. acres on which used..	21 897	1 (D)	61 5 799	— —	6 21	2 (D)	1 (D)
Nematodes in crops ..... farms.. acres on which used..	— —	— —	14 1 730	— (D)	1 —	— —	— —
Diseases in crops and orchards ..... farms.. acres on which used..	24 771	1 (D)	6 331	— (D)	2 87	12 87	1 (D)
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture ..... farms.. acres on which used..	34 1 240	3 283	205 25 501	2 (D)	6 160	22 526	1 (D)
Chemicals used on crops to control growth, thin fruit, or defoliate ..... farms.. acres on which used..	11 165	— —	14 611	— (D)	2 —	— —	— —

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							Tobacco farming (11191)	Cotton farming (11192)	Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199)
<b>TENURE AND RACE OF OPERATOR</b>									
All operators .....	5 810	179	733	805	704	1 224	—	—	1 224
Full owners .....	3 829	157	303	679	611	821	—	—	821
Part owners .....	1 654	19	347	96	60	325	—	—	325
Tenants .....	327	3	83	30	33	78	—	—	78
White .....	5 790	179	731	803	699	1 216	—	—	1 216
Full owners .....	3 813	157	302	677	606	816	—	—	816
Part owners .....	1 650	19	346	96	60	322	—	—	322
Tenants .....	327	3	83	30	33	78	—	—	78
Black and other races .....	20	—	2	2	5	8	—	—	8
Full owners .....	16	—	1	2	5	5	—	—	5
Part owners .....	4	—	1	—	—	3	—	—	3
Tenants .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
<b>OWNED AND RENTED LAND</b>									
Land owned .....	farms.. acres..	5 485 1 008 270	176 44 808	650 219 197	775 151 003	671 54 395	1 147 187 850	—	— 1 147
Owned land in farms .....	farms.. acres..	5 483 985 902	176 40 397	650 214 455	775 149 426	671 53 080	1 146 183 351	—	— 187 850
Land rented or leased from others .....	farms.. acres.. landlords..	1 990 227 375 6 122	22 2 534 61	432 68 700 1 135	127 9 107 305	93 2 693 175	405 40 641 1 100	—	— 40 641
Rented or leased land in farms .....	farms.. acres..	1 981 225 746	22 2 534	430 67 699	126 9 056	93 2 693	403 40 572	—	— 40 572
Land rented or leased to others .....	farms.. acres..	435 23 997	50 4 411	77 5 743	41 1 628	32 1 315	110 4 568	—	— 110
Not reported .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4 568
<b>OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS</b>									
Operators by place of residence:									
On farm operated .....	4 727	125	625	540	521	1 017	—	—	1 017
Not on farm operated .....	717	34	84	206	134	116	—	—	116
Not reported .....	366	20	24	59	49	91	—	—	91
Operators by principal occupation:									
Farming .....	2 872	54	572	285	309	487	—	—	487
Other .....	2 938	125	161	520	395	737	—	—	737
Operators by days worked off farm:									
None .....	2 246	77	415	247	263	372	—	—	372
Any .....	3 263	93	288	520	412	786	—	—	786
1 to 99 days .....	643	10	92	127	110	132	—	—	132
100 to 199 days .....	662	21	81	85	87	154	—	—	154
200 days or more .....	1 958	62	115	308	215	500	—	—	500
Not reported .....	301	9	30	38	29	66	—	—	66
Operators by years on present farm:									
2 years or less .....	208	3	24	18	37	38	—	—	38
3 or 4 years .....	280	6	43	40	45	36	—	—	36
5 to 9 years .....	781	10	102	118	132	132	—	—	132
10 years or more .....	3 713	128	499	507	391	822	—	—	822
Average years on present farm .....	20.5	27.8	21.4	19.6	14.8	23.1	—	—	23.1
Not reported .....	828	32	65	122	99	196	—	—	196
Operators by age group:									
Under 25 years .....	39	1	19	8	—	2	—	—	2
25 to 34 years .....	286	6	61	17	22	72	—	—	72
35 to 44 years .....	1 113	25	154	125	149	166	—	—	166
45 to 49 years .....	824	18	108	98	141	170	—	—	170
50 to 54 years .....	794	17	101	114	104	154	—	—	154
55 to 59 years .....	727	14	85	86	89	155	—	—	155
60 to 64 years .....	636	33	85	96	73	131	—	—	131
65 to 69 years .....	522	25	60	88	70	111	—	—	111
70 years and over .....	869	40	60	173	56	263	—	—	263
Average age .....	54.4	58.9	51.1	57.5	52.9	56.6	—	—	56.6
Operators by sex:									
Male .....	4 991	158	682	708	521	1 102	—	—	1 102
Female .....	819	21	51	97	183	122	—	—	122
Operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin (see text) .....	36	1	2	2	4	6	—	—	6
<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION</b>									
Individual or family (sole proprietorship) ....	farms.. acres..	5 064 896 406	156 32 448	594 171 377	705 93 028	565 42 532	1 139 201 119	—	— 201 119
Partnership .....	farms.. acres..	306 106 220	12 (D)	66 39 109	32 10 223	40 3 206	41 9 205	—	— 41
Corporation:									
Family held .....	farms.. acres..	362 179 965	10 6 319	63 62 878	56 46 269	84 9 199	30 8 227	—	— 8 227
More than 10 stockholders .....	farms.. acres..	4 —	—	1	—	—	—	—	—
10 or less stockholders .....	farms.. acres..	358 —	10	63 4	55 6	84 13	30 3	—	30 3
Other than family held .....	farms.. acres..	41 10 749	—	4 6 388	7 (D)	13 (D)	4 759	—	— 759
More than 10 stockholders .....	farms.. acres..	5 36	—	—	1	—	1	—	1
10 or less stockholders .....	farms.. acres..	36 —	—	4	6	13	3	—	3
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. ....	farms.. acres..	37 18 308	1 (D)	6 2 402	5 (D)	2 (D)	10 4 613	—	— 4 613

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<b>TENURE AND RACE OF OPERATOR</b>							
All operators .....	699	95	535	71	104	193	468
Full owners .....	426	59	117	47	79	149	381
Part owners .....	249	32	392	16	20	38	60
Tenants .....	24	4	26	8	5	6	27
White .....	699	94	535	71	104	193	466
Full owners .....	426	58	117	47	79	149	379
Part owners .....	249	32	392	16	20	38	60
Tenants .....	24	4	26	8	5	6	27
Black and other races .....	—	1	—	—	—	—	2
Full owners .....	—	1	—	—	—	—	2
Part owners .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tenants .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
<b>OWNED AND RENTED LAND</b>							
Land owned .....	farms..	676	91	509	63	99	187
acres..	106 462	18 816	157 822	4 685	10 543	18 082	34 607
Owned land in farms .....	farms..	675	91	509	63	99	187
acres..	103 355	18 612	157 310	4 650	9 911	17 890	33 465
Land rented or leased from others .....	farms..	275	36	419	24	25	45
acres..	20 795	2 737	69 464	2 068	1 714	2 972	3 950
landlords..	816	101	1 979	70	52	114	214
Rented or leased land in farms .....	farms..	273	36	418	24	25	44
acres..	20 755	2 737	69 436	2 068	1 714	2 932	3 550
Land rented or leased to others .....	farms..	52	6	14	3	14	8
acres..	3 147	204	540	35	632	232	28
1 542							
<b>OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS</b>							
Operators by place of residence:							
On farm operated .....	621	87	478	59	89	177	388
Not on farm operated .....	41	5	28	8	7	10	44
Not reported .....	37	3	29	4	8	6	36
Operators by principal occupation:							
Farming .....	276	35	501	16	74	70	193
Other .....	423	60	34	55	30	123	275
Operators by days worked off farm:							
None .....	207	18	388	13	56	55	135
Any .....	451	66	108	56	43	128	312
1 to 99 days .....	53	5	39	8	10	15	42
100 to 199 days .....	94	11	22	6	12	28	61
200 days or more .....	304	50	47	42	21	85	209
Not reported .....	41	11	39	2	5	10	21
Operators by years on present farm:							
2 years or less .....	23	2	16	4	4	11	28
3 or 4 years .....	27	6	10	6	4	5	52
5 to 9 years .....	67	13	56	18	19	27	87
10 years or more .....	483	61	378	30	63	122	229
Average years on present farm .....	23.5	21.3	24.6	12.9	17.1	17.5	14.0
Not reported .....	99	13	75	13	14	28	72
Operators by age group:							
Under 25 years .....	3	1	3	1	—	1	—
25 to 34 years .....	25	3	29	4	8	4	35
35 to 44 years .....	127	17	115	28	23	39	145
45 to 49 years .....	88	5	66	9	20	21	80
50 to 54 years .....	88	17	80	4	11	33	71
55 to 59 years .....	106	16	79	9	7	34	47
60 to 64 years .....	65	10	60	9	23	14	37
65 to 69 years .....	75	9	35	4	5	18	22
70 years and over .....	122	17	68	3	7	29	31
Average age .....	55.9	56.6	53.4	48.6	51.9	55.0	49.3
Operators by sex:							
Male .....	649	91	501	62	87	133	297
Female .....	50	4	34	9	17	60	171
Operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin (see text) .....	4	—	7	2	—	1	7
<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION</b>							
Individual or family (sole proprietorship) ....	farms..	657	87	422	67	91	179
acres..	110 230	18 918	158 825	6 237	10 189	18 953	32 550
Partnership .....	farms..	22	3	59	—	1	9
acres..	3 943	(D)	34 292	—	(D)	1 145	21
Corporation:							
Family held .....	farms..	16	4	53	1	10	4
acres..	9 115	709	(D)	(D)	1 151	(D)	31
More than 10 stockholders .....	farms..	—	—	1	—	—	2
10 or less stockholders .....	farms..	16	4	52	1	10	4
Other than family held .....	farms..	—	—	—	2	(D)	8
acres..	—	—	—	(D)	1	(D)	453
More than 10 stockholders .....	farms..	—	—	—	1	—	1
10 or less stockholders .....	farms..	—	—	—	1	2	7
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. ....	farms..	4	1	1	(D)	—	6
acres..	822	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	—	(D)

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							Total	Tobacco farming (11191)	Cotton farming (11192)
<b>INJURIES AND DEATHS</b>									
Farm-related injuries:									
Operator and family members .....	52	—	7	3	6	9	—	—	9
farms..	57	—	8	3	6	11	—	—	11
number..									
Hired workers .....	72	—	24	8	16	4	—	—	4
farms..	177	—	51	37	19	5	—	—	5
number..									
Farm-related deaths:									
Operator and family members .....	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms..	(D)	—	(D)	—	—	—	—	—	—
number..									
Hired workers .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms..									
number..									
<b>F FARMS BY SIZE</b>									
1 to 9 acres .....	533	—	48	76	233	25	—	—	25
10 to 49 acres .....	1 184	16	110	197	202	187	—	—	187
50 to 69 acres .....	458	14	38	83	52	116	—	—	116
70 to 99 acres .....	546	18	40	76	62	148	—	—	148
100 to 139 acres .....	689	37	70	104	52	186	—	—	186
140 to 179 acres .....	417	19	47	60	21	134	—	—	134
180 to 219 acres .....	328	11	40	51	21	90	—	—	90
220 to 259 acres .....	267	7	31	23	18	79	—	—	79
260 to 499 acres .....	846	36	135	88	31	184	—	—	184
500 to 999 acres .....	398	19	106	32	8	66	—	—	66
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....	113	2	53	10	2	7	—	—	7
2,000 acres or more .....	31	—	15	5	2	2	—	—	2
<b>F FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM</b>									
Oilseed and grain farming (1111) .....	179	179	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Vegetable and melon farming (1112) .....	733	—	733	—	—	—	—	—	—
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113) .....	805	—	—	805	—	—	—	—	—
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114) .....	704	—	—	704	—	—	—	—	—
Other crop farming (1119) .....	1 224	—	—	—	—	1 224	—	—	1 224
Tobacco farming (11191) .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton farming (11192) .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199) .....	1 224	—	—	—	—	1 224	—	—	1 224
Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111) .....	699	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cattle feedlots (112112) .....	95	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212) .....	535	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hog and pig farming (1122) .....	71	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Poultry and egg production (1123) .....	104	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sheep and goat farming (1124) .....	193	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129) .....	468	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
<b>LIVESTOCK</b>									
Cattle and calves inventory..... farms..	1 921	16	72	31	23	305	—	—	305
number..	101 695	747	2 109	226	141	4 860	—	—	4 860
Farms with—									
1 to 9 .....	616	4	30	25	17	165	—	—	165
10 to 49 .....	734	7	33	6	6	116	—	—	116
50 to 99 .....	271	3	4	—	—	23	—	—	23
100 to 199 .....	201	1	3	—	—	1	—	—	1
200 to 499 .....	83	1	2	—	—	—	—	—	—
500 or more .....	16	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cows and heifers that had calved .....	1 588	12	58	26	21	238	—	—	238
farms..	52 531	292	947	103	73	2 121	—	—	2 121
number..	1 035	11	55	25	19	215	—	—	215
Beef cows .....	11 782	(D)	932	(D)	66	1 978	—	—	1 978
Farms with—									
1 to 9 .....	667	3	32	24	18	148	—	—	148
10 to 49 .....	341	7	18	1	1	61	—	—	61
50 to 99 .....	20	—	4	—	—	6	—	—	6
100 to 199 .....	5	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
200 to 499 .....	2	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
500 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Milk cows .....	685	4	7	2	3	45	—	—	45
farms..	40 749	(D)	15	(D)	7	143	—	—	143
Farms with—									
1 to 4 .....	131	3	6	2	2	38	—	—	38
5 to 9 .....	25	—	1	—	1	4	—	—	4
10 to 49 .....	229	1	—	—	—	3	—	—	3
50 to 99 .....	202	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100 to 199 .....	68	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
200 to 499 .....	26	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
500 or more .....	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Heifers and heifer calves .....	1 432	11	47	18	12	193	—	—	193
farms..	39 222	329	580	53	23	1 718	—	—	1 718
number..	1 320	13	53	19	13	217	—	—	217
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves .....	9 942	126	582	70	45	1 021	—	—	1 021

See footnotes at end of table.

**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)
<b>INJURIES AND DEATHS</b>							
Farm-related injuries:							
Operator and family members .....	2	—	15	—	—	1	9
farms..		(D)	16	—	—	(D)	10
number..			12	—	5	1	1
Hired workers .....	—	1	18	—	(D)	(D)	(D)
farms..		(D)					
number..							
Farm-related deaths:							
Operator and family members .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms..							
number..							
Hired workers .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms..							
number..							
<b>F FARMS BY SIZE</b>							
1 to 9 acres .....	28	3	2	7	10	20	81
10 to 49 acres .....	131	22	17	32	42	51	177
50 to 69 acres .....	55	6	11	9	11	23	40
70 to 99 acres .....	93	5	14	7	13	24	46
100 to 139 acres .....	101	14	25	5	7	37	51
140 to 179 acres .....	65	8	22	4	5	11	21
180 to 219 acres .....	45	7	39	3	4	6	11
220 to 259 acres .....	38	5	50	1	3	7	5
260 to 499 acres .....	99	20	202	2	7	9	33
500 to 999 acres .....	37	2	124	—	—	2	2
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....	6	2	25	—	2	3	1
2,000 acres or more .....	1	1	4	1	—	—	—
<b>F FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM</b>							
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) .....	699	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cattle feedlots (112112) .....	—	95	—	—	—	—	—
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212) .....	—	—	535	—	—	—	—
Hog and pig farming (1122) .....	—	—	—	71	—	—	—
Poultry and egg production (1123) .....	—	—	—	—	104	—	—
Sheep and goat farming (1124) .....	—	—	—	—	—	193	—
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129) .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	468
<b>LIVESTOCK</b>							
Cattle and calves inventory..... farms..	678	90	530	33	32	38	73
number..	17 161	3 302	70 804	501	966	487	391
Farms with—							
1 to 9 .....	221	25	6	17	16	29	61
10 to 49 .....	384	53	86	13	12	6	12
50 to 99 .....	50	5	179	3	2	2	—
100 to 199 .....	16	4	174	—	1	1	—
200 to 499 .....	6	2	71	—	1	—	—
500 or more .....	1	1	14	—	—	—	—
Cows and heifers that had calved .....	526	69	527	18	24	30	39
farms..	6 467	1 061	40 617	197	309	197	147
number..	493	69	58	16	18	23	33
Beef cows .....	6 206	1 043	507	190	184	180	124
Farms with—							
1 to 9 .....	295	35	43	10	11	18	30
10 to 49 .....	187	31	14	6	7	5	3
50 to 99 .....	7	2	1	—	—	—	—
100 to 199 .....	3	1	—	—	—	—	—
200 to 499 .....	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
500 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Milk cows .....	57	10	525	3	6	10	13
farms..	261	18	40 110	7	125	17	23
Farms with—							
1 to 4 .....	41	10	1	3	3	9	13
5 to 9 .....	12	—	5	—	1	1	—
10 to 49 .....	4	—	220	—	1	—	—
50 to 99 .....	—	—	201	—	1	—	—
100 to 199 .....	—	—	68	—	—	—	—
200 to 499 .....	—	—	26	—	—	—	—
500 or more .....	—	—	4	—	—	—	—
Heifers and heifer calves .....	504	60	499	24	19	18	27
farms..	6 740	787	28 407	141	202	141	101
number..	530	79	269	30	22	28	47
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves .....	3 954	1 454	1 780	163	455	149	143

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	Total	Oilseed and grain farming (1111)	Vegetable and melon farming (1112)	Fruit and tree nut farming (1113)	Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114)	Total	Other crop farming (1119)		
							Tobacco farming (11191)	Cotton farming (11192)	Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199)
<b>LIVESTOCK—Con.</b>									
Cattle and calves sold .....	farms..	1 631	13	55	17	9	216	—	—
number..	37 889	121	844	44	101	1 863	—	—	216
\$1,000..	10 222	54	350	14	30	569	—	—	1 863
Calves .....	farms..	991	7	21	7	4	112	—	569
number..	19 721	41	320	(D)	(D)	857	—	—	112
\$1,000..	1 284	7	62	(D)	(D)	132	—	—	857
Cattle .....	farms..	1 358	12	40	12	8	159	—	132
number..	18 168	80	524	(D)	(D)	1 006	—	—	159
\$1,000..	8 938	47	287	(D)	(D)	437	—	—	1 006
Fattened on grain and concentrates .....	farms..	256	3	11	5	2	38	—	437
number..	2 699	(D)	313	5	(D)	149	—	—	38
\$1,000..	1 751	7	190	3	(D)	95	—	—	149
Hogs and pigs inventory .....	farms..	341	3	22	12	4	58	—	58
number..	5 977	19	143	52	8	278	—	—	278
Farms with—									
1 to 24 .....		310	3	21	12	4	58	—	58
25 to 49 .....		8	—	1	—	—	—	—	—
50 to 99 .....		12	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100 to 199 .....		7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
200 to 499 .....		2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
500 or more .....		2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Used or to be used for breeding .....	farms..	137	2	9	3	—	21	—	21
number..	(D)	(D)	27	7	—	72	—	—	72
Other .....	farms..	302	1	21	12	4	49	—	49
number..	(D)	(D)	116	45	8	206	—	—	206
Hogs and pigs sold .....	farms..	261	2	19	9	3	38	—	38
number..	9 226	(D)	148	52	(D)	570	—	—	570
\$1,000..	1 360	(D)	23	6	1	50	—	—	50
Feeder pigs .....	farms..	53	2	2	2	—	9	—	9
number..	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	336	—	—	336
\$1,000..	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	13	—	—	13
Litters of pigs farrowed between—									
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30 .....	farms..	153	2	10	3	—	25	—	25
number..	(D)	(D)	31	7	—	84	—	—	84
Dec. 1 and May 31 .....	farms..	133	2	7	3	—	20	—	20
number..	980	(D)	17	(D)	—	53	—	—	53
June 1 and Nov. 30 .....	farms..	92	2	9	2	—	16	—	16
number..	(D)	(D)	14	(D)	—	31	—	—	31
Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory .....	farms..	426	—	23	21	22	76	—	76
number..	10 603	—	307	204	123	1 078	—	—	1 078
Ewes 1 year old or older .....	farms..	379	—	19	17	19	69	—	69
number..	6 488	—	144	115	67	700	—	—	700
Sheep and lambs sold .....	farms..	355	—	20	16	11	59	—	59
number..	7 970	—	328	156	63	853	—	—	853
Sheep and lambs shorn .....	farms..	352	—	17	20	19	59	—	59
number..	8 572	—	234	199	122	772	—	—	772
pounds of wool..	65 654	—	1 722	1 363	677	6 603	—	—	6 603
Horses and ponies inventory .....	farms..	1 014	8	46	37	32	232	—	232
number..	5 750	22	108	97	81	978	—	—	978
Horses and ponies sold .....	farms..	214	—	2	2	1	23	—	23
number..	810	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	36	—	—	36
Goats inventory .....	farms..	214	—	9	16	11	28	—	28
number..	2 214	—	26	84	32	152	—	—	152
Goats sold .....	farms..	66	—	1	6	4	9	—	9
number..	657	—	(D)	47	(D)	49	—	—	49
<b>POULTRY</b>									
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text) .....	farms..	554	—	41	39	38	106	—	106
number..	6 134 383	—	1 218	841	880	3 075	—	—	3 075
Farms with—									
1 to 399 .....		519	—	41	39	38	106	—	106
400 to 3,199 .....		4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
3,200 to 9,999 .....		—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
10,000 to 19,999 .....		7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
20,000 to 49,999 .....		14	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
50,000 to 99,999 .....		7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 or more .....		3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Layers 20 weeks old and older .....	farms..	532	—	38	39	38	106	—	106
number..	5 019 263	—	1 050	691	818	2 702	—	—	2 702
Pullets 13 weeks old and older but less than 20 weeks old .....	farms..	109	—	11	12	3	11	—	11
number..	1 115 120	—	168	150	62	373	—	—	373
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold (see text) .....	farms..	98	—	3	4	2	11	—	11
number..	6 977 638	—	140	175	(D)	480	—	—	480
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold .....	farms..	73	—	8	4	5	11	—	11
number..	199 416	—	642	380	242	469	—	—	469
Farms with—									
1 to 1,999 .....		68	—	8	4	5	11	—	11
2,000 to 59,999 .....		3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
60,000 to 99,999 .....		2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 or more .....		—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Turkey hens kept for breeding .....	farms..	25	—	3	2	—	7	—	7
number..	170	—	14	(D)	—	31	—	—	31
Turkeys sold .....	farms..	99	—	7	3	4	20	—	20
number..	9 364	—	122	(D)	108	325	—	—	325

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Item	Beef cattle ranching and farming (11211)	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)
<b>LIVESTOCK—Con.</b>							
Cattle and calves sold .....	farms..	605	95	526	27	21	20
number..	8 060	1 807	24 279	135	342	186	27
\$1,000..	3 632	1 108	4 163	47	173	54	107
Calves .....	farms..	301	16	471	15	12	7
number..	2 647	97	15 399	69	116	26	18
\$1,000..	572	22	430	12	18	4	59
Cattle .....	farms..	484	95	482	19	15	16
number..	5 413	1 710	8 880	66	226	160	48
\$1,000..	3 060	1 086	3 733	35	155	50	21
Fattened on grain and concentrates .....	farms..	67	95	15	7	4	3
number..	284	1 593	104	33	(D)	4	6
\$1,000..	175	1 052	62	21	(D)	4	14
Hogs and pigs inventory .....	farms..	78	14	32	61	10	14
number..	365	39	83	4 629	136	52	33
Farms with—							
1 to 24 .....		77	14	32	34	9	14
25 to 49 .....		—	—	—	6	—	32
50 to 99 .....		1	—	—	10	1	1
100 to 199 .....		—	—	—	7	—	—
200 to 499 .....		—	—	—	2	—	—
500 or more .....		—	—	—	2	—	—
Used or to be used for breeding .....	farms..	22	2	7	50	2	5
number..	51	(D)	16	882	(D)	11	14
Other .....	farms..	68	13	29	52	10	29
number..	314	(D)	67	3 747	(D)	14	41
Hogs and pigs sold .....	farms..	58	13	9	71	10	11
number..	555	37	91	6 790	465	51	18
\$1,000..	78	6	15	1 060	(D)	6	352
Feeder pigs .....	farms..	9	1	—	24	—	1
number..	129	(D)	—	2 490	—	(D)	3
\$1,000..	5	(D)	—	103	—	(D)	(D)
Litters of pigs farrowed between—							
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30 .....	farms..	26	2	10	51	2	5
number..	68	(D)	16	1 246	(D)	13	17
Dec. 1 and May 31 .....	farms..	24	2	9	48	1	13
number..	41	(D)	10	778	(D)	7	34
June 1 and Nov. 30 .....	farms..	13	—	5	28	2	5
number..	27	—	6	468	(D)	6	10
Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory .....	farms..	52	9	15	13	11	165
number..	932	116	478	143	195	6 839	19
Ewes 1 year old or older .....	farms..	43	7	13	9	9	157
number..	544	51	211	118	88	4 339	111
Sheep and lambs sold .....	farms..	40	6	11	8	12	153
number..	576	64	365	58	116	5 200	19
Sheep and lambs shorn .....	farms..	34	7	7	7	8	160
number..	711	82	202	114	133	5 890	14
pounds of wool..	5 877	622	1 219	512	964	45 293	113
Horses and ponies inventory .....	farms..	130	16	74	11	16	50
number..	392	37	193	20	90	163	362
Horses and ponies sold .....	farms..	8	—	4	1	2	3
number..	16	—	6	(D)	(D)	8	168
Goats inventory .....	farms..	33	2	7	10	13	733
number..	155	(D)	33	(D)	56	1 461	37
Goats sold .....	farms..	3	—	—	3	3	183
number..	7	—	—	7	17	32	5
—	—	—	—	—	—	472	31
<b>POULTRY</b>							
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text) .....	farms..	85	6	34	19	74	51
number..	1 790	119	1 027	471	6 122	593	1 276
Farms with—							
1 to 399 .....		85	6	34	19	39	51
400 to 3,199 .....		—	—	—	—	4	—
3,200 to 9,999 .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
10,000 to 19,999 .....		—	—	—	—	7	—
20,000 to 49,999 .....		—	—	—	—	14	—
50,000 to 99,999 .....		—	—	—	—	7	—
100,000 or more .....		—	—	—	—	3	—
Layers 20 weeks old and older .....	farms..	81	5	32	19	65	50
number..	1 534	64	855	445	5 008	965	59
Pullets 13 weeks old and older but less than 20 weeks old .....	farms..	14	3	8	3	22	11
number..	256	55	172	26	1 113	628	121
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold (see text) .....	farms..	10	—	3	—	51	10
number..	237	—	32	—	6 976	206	213
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold .....	farms..	13	1	—	5	13	6
number..	752	(D)	—	420	196	077	177
Farms with—							
1 to 1,999 .....		13	1	—	5	8	7
2,000 to 59,999 .....		—	—	—	—	3	—
60,000 to 99,999 .....		—	—	—	—	2	—
100,000 or more .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
Turkey hens kept for breeding .....	farms..	2	—	1	—	2	2
number..	(D)	—	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	39
Turkeys sold .....	farms..	13	1	4	10	17	9
number..	336	(D)	171	299	7 633	130	11
—	—	—	—	—	—	174	—

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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)	Total	Other crop farming (1119)		
							Tobacco farming (11191)	Cotton farming (11192)	Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199)
<b>SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED</b>									
Corn for silage or green chop.....	farms..	332	14	14	1	1	21	—	—
acres..	27 537	517	1 250	(D)	(D)	(D)	444	—	21
tons, green..	447 405	7 856	18 072	(D)	(D)	5 962	—	—	444
Irrigated .....	farms..	6	—	—	—	1	1	—	5 962
acres..	(D)	—	—	—	(D)	(D)	—	—	1
Farms by acres harvested:									
1 to 24 acres .....		104	9	8	1	1	17	—	17
25 to 99 acres .....		134	3	2	—	—	4	—	4
100 to 249 acres .....		69	2	2	—	—	—	—	—
250 to 499 acres .....		24	—	2	—	—	—	—	—
500 acres or more .....		1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Oats for grain .....	farms..	272	18	185	2	1	36	—	36
acres..	22 364	1 032	19 866	(D)	(D)	(D)	510	—	510
bushels..	1 643 127	73 387	1 488 310	(D)	(D)	27 384	—	—	27 384
Irrigated .....	farms..	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—
acres..	(D)	—	—	—	(D)	(D)	—	—	—
Potatoes, excluding sweetpotatoes .....	farms..	586	5	512	7	12	33	—	33
acres..	73 085	8	72 771	7	163	72	—	—	72
cwt..	19 490 474	1 364	19 417 705	1 493	(D)	12 212	—	—	12 212
Irrigated .....	farms..	100	—	76	2	6	13	—	13
acres..	8 634	—	8 428	(D)	(D)	29	—	—	29
Farms by acres harvested:									
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....		137	5	71	7	11	29	—	29
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....		72	—	66	—	—	4	—	4
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....		117	—	116	—	—	—	—	—
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....		167	—	166	—	1	—	—	—
250.0 acres or more .....		93	—	93	—	—	—	—	—
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) .....	farms..	2 810	36	150	94	68	1 082	—	1 082
acres..	214 005	2 805	6 931	1 950	1 179	63 338	—	—	63 338
tons, dry..	332 039	4 205	10 443	2 153	1 470	96 018	—	—	96 018
Irrigated .....	farms..	26	—	8	1	5	—	—	5
acres..	958	—	37	(D)	14	(D)	—	—	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:									
1 to 24 acres .....		986	20	80	70	50	373	—	373
25 to 99 acres .....		1 147	9	54	22	18	541	—	541
100 to 249 acres .....		493	3	12	2	—	136	—	136
250 to 499 acres .....		160	3	2	—	—	29	—	29
500 acres or more .....		24	1	2	—	—	3	—	3
Tame hay other than alfalfa, small grain, and wild hay (see text) .....	farms..	2 005	26	97	53	36	755	—	755
acres..	119 468	1 327	3 567	1 142	710	41 414	—	—	41 414
tons, dry..	187 105	2 321	5 918	1 350	1 042	66 692	—	—	66 692
Irrigated .....	farms..	12	—	3	1	2	—	—	2
acres..	177	—	11	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	—	(D)
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text) .....	farms..	611	4	346	50	49	100	—	100
acres..	11 745	13	10 507	169	287	474	—	—	474
Irrigated .....	farms..	212	2	119	14	28	33	—	33
acres..	5 665	(D)	5 266	50	123	161	—	—	161
Farms by acres harvested:									
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....		367	3	166	39	32	77	—	77
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....		164	1	111	11	14	18	—	18
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....		71	—	60	—	3	5	—	5
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....		7	—	7	—	—	—	—	—
250.0 acres or more .....		2	—	2	—	—	—	—	—
Land in orchards .....	farms..	334	1	30	186	21	61	—	61
acres..	5 170	(D)	117	4 666	61	173	—	—	173
Irrigated .....	farms..	37	—	7	15	5	—	—	5
acres..	325	—	(D)	249	5	7	—	—	7
Farms by bearing and nonbearing acres:									
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....		193	—	24	73	20	49	—	49
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....		93	1	5	68	1	12	—	12
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....		40	—	1	37	—	—	—	—
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....		6	—	—	6	—	—	—	—
250.0 acres or more .....		2	—	—	2	—	—	—	—
Berries harvested for sale .....	farms..	820	1	71	650	28	49	—	49
acres..	(D)	(D)	138	24 034	111	169	—	—	169
Irrigated .....	farms..	143	—	36	77	8	16	—	16
acres..	(D)	—	68	4 089	11	42	—	—	42

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 (11211)	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)
<b>SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED</b>							
Corn for silage or green chop..... farms..	20	4	250	1	3	—	3
acres..	1 310	(D)	23 705	(D)	(D)	—	(D)
tons, green..	22 897	(D)	387 239	(D)	(D)	—	(D)
Irrigated .....	—	—	—	—	1	—	1
farms..	—	—	—	—	(D)	—	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres .....	8	2	54	1	1	—	2
25 to 99 acres .....	6	1	115	—	2	—	1
100 to 249 acres .....	6	1	58	—	—	—	—
250 to 499 acres .....	—	—	22	—	—	—	—
500 acres or more .....	—	—	1	—	—	—	—
Oats for grain .....	farms..	13	3	10	—	1	2
acres..	205	31	657	—	(D)	(D)	(D)
bushels..	12 517	2 500	37 300	—	(D)	(D)	(D)
Irrigated .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Potatoes, excluding sweetpotatoes..... farms..	6	1	3	—	4	2	1
acres..	40	(D)	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	(D)
cwt..	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	(D)
Irrigated .....	—	—	—	—	1	—	—
farms..	2	—	—	—	(D)	—	—
Farms by acres harvested:							
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....	5	1	2	—	3	2	1
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....	—	—	1	—	1	—	—
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
250.0 acres or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) .... farms..	526	61	489	20	35	98	151
acres..	30 852	4 085	91 373	946	3 228	2 624	4 694
tons, dry..	40 129	5 662	158 686	804	4 209	3 546	4 714
Irrigated .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms..	1	—	1	2	2	—	1
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres .....	187	12	13	10	18	63	90
25 to 99 acres .....	245	35	125	6	10	32	50
100 to 249 acres .....	84	10	225	4	4	2	11
250 to 499 acres .....	9	4	110	—	2	1	—
500 acres or more .....	1	—	16	—	1	—	—
Tame hay other than alfalfa, small grain, and wild hay (see text) .....	farms..	398	45	372	15	20	70
acres..	21 474	2 319	40 328	525	1 115	1 860	3 687
tons, dry..	28 688	3 469	68 879	556	1 876	2 616	3 698
Irrigated .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms..	1	—	—	2	—	—	1
acres..	(D)	—	—	(D)	—	—	(D)
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text) .....	farms..	12	—	22	4	9	3
acres..	84	—	193	2	10	1	5
Irrigated .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms..	4	—	2	1	4	—	2
Farms by acres harvested:							
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....	8	—	14	4	9	3	12
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....	2	—	7	—	—	—	—
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....	2	—	1	—	—	—	—
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
250.0 acres or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Land in orchards..... farms..	7	—	6	3	7	6	6
acres..	22	—	73	13	19	17	(D)
Irrigated .....	—	—	—	1	—	1	2
farms..	—	—	—	(D)	—	(D)	(D)
Farms by bearing and nonbearing acres:							
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....	5	—	4	1	6	5	6
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....	2	—	—	2	1	1	—
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....	—	—	2	—	—	—	—
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
250.0 acres or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Berries harvested for sale .....	farms..	1	—	2	1	8	3
acres..	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	27	14	6
Irrigated .....	—	—	—	—	1	—	24
farms..	—	—	—	(D)	3	—	(D)

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

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

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

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

Item	All farms	\$1,000,000 or more	\$500,000 to \$999,999	\$250,000 to \$499,999	\$100,000 to \$249,999	\$50,000 to \$99,999
<b>F FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS</b>						
Farms .....	5 810	53	90	210	420	389
number..	5 810	53	90	210	420	389
percent..	100.0	9	1.5	3.6	7.2	6.7
Land in farms .....	1 211 648	96 567	88 538	127 422	152 171	101 151
acres..	209	1 822	984	607	362	260
Average size of farm .....						
acres..						
<b>M MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD</b>						
Total sales (see text) .....	5 810	53	90	210	420	389
farms..	5 810	53	90	210	420	389
\$1,000..	438 673	179 395	58 625	69 573	65 533	28 027
Average per farm .....	75 503	3 384 804	651 390	331 301	156 031	72 049
Farms by value of sales:						
Less than \$1,000 (see text) .....	1 020	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000 to \$2,499 .....	903	—	—	—	—	—
\$2,500 to \$4,999 .....	743	—	—	—	—	—
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	751	—	—	—	—	—
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....	621	—	—	—	—	—
\$20,000 to \$24,999 .....	177	—	—	—	—	—
\$25,000 to \$39,999 .....	309	—	—	—	—	1
\$40,000 to \$49,999 .....	129	—	—	—	—	4
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	390	—	—	—	6	384
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....	414	—	—	—	414	—
\$250,000 to \$499,999 .....	212	—	2	210	—	—
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....	88	—	88	—	—	—
\$1,000,000 to \$2,499,999 .....	39	39	—	—	—	—
\$2,500,000 to \$4,999,999 .....	7	7	—	—	—	—
\$5,000,000 or more .....	7	7	—	—	—	—
Grains.....	407	17	40	76	84	55
farms..	407	17	40	76	84	55
\$1,000..	6 793	1 305	1 603	2 148	826	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	37	13	14	8	—	2
farms..	37	13	14	8	—	(D)
\$1,000..	3 144	1 194	930	(D)	—	—
Corn for grain .....	17	3	3	3	1	1
farms..	17	3	3	3	1	(D)
\$1,000..	785	280	181	276	(D)	(D)
Wheat .....	11	1	1	2	—	1
farms..	11	1	1	2	—	(D)
\$1,000..	124	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	—
Soybeans.....	16	3	4	4	2	1
farms..	16	3	4	4	2	(D)
\$1,000..	113	23	(D)	35	(D)	(D)
Sorghum for grain .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Barley .....	164	10	22	47	42	20
farms..	164	10	22	47	42	20
\$1,000..	3 162	686	774	1 045	432	118
Oats .....	209	7	22	22	32	31
farms..	209	7	22	22	32	31
\$1,000..	1 882	251	574	387	375	137
Other grains .....	63	3	—	5	2	5
farms..	63	3	—	5	2	(D)
\$1,000..	727	(D)	—	(D)	—	(D)
Cotton and cottonseed .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hay, silage, and field seeds .....	1 574	2	17	34	63	60
farms..	1 574	2	17	34	63	60
\$1,000..	9 747	(D)	1 013	648	720	992
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	18	—	5	4	3	6
farms..	18	—	5	4	3	6
\$1,000..	1 925	—	877	330	260	458
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons .....	611	10	8	25	42	54
farms..	611	10	8	25	42	54
\$1,000..	16 974	(D)	222	1 712	1 829	1 663
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	37	3	1	9	13	11
farms..	37	3	1	9	13	11
\$1,000..	11 905	(D)	(D)	1 499	1 469	669
Fruits, nuts, and berries .....	963	10	2	17	41	72
farms..	47 118	25 894	(D)	4 343	4 097	4 025
\$1,000..	108	9	2	16	29	52
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	39 212	(D)	(D)	(D)	3 943	3 686
Nursery and greenhouse crops .....	926	5	5	21	54	66
farms..	29 852	5 130	2 888	5 167	6 741	3 373
\$1,000..	113	5	5	18	41	44
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	22 577	5 130	2 888	5 142	6 473	2 944
Other crops .....	813	16	45	99	131	107
farms..	101 745	20 232	25 933	28 043	18 195	6 269
\$1,000..	344	16	44	90	116	78
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	97 738	20 232	(D)	27 973	18 098	(D)
Poultry and poultry products.....	396	5	7	17	18	14
farms..	73 299	60 547	4 989	4 939	1 817	544
\$1,000..	47	5	7	15	13	7
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	72 822	60 547	4 989	(D)	1 814	(D)
Dairy products .....	565	10	29	72	199	126
farms..	95 420	17 340	17 418	20 843	28 249	8 785
\$1,000..	422	10	29	72	198	113
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	92 113	17 340	17 418	20 843	(D)	(D)
Cattle and calves .....	1 631	11	34	79	210	150
farms..	10 222	427	1 011	1 505	1 816	1 149
\$1,000..	26	3	5	7	5	6
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	2 443	210	494	693	638	408

See footnotes at end of table.

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

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

Item	\$25,000 to \$49,999	\$10,000 to \$24,999	\$5,000 to \$9,999	\$2,500 to \$4,999	\$1,000 to \$2,499	Less than \$1,000
<b>F FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS</b>						
Farms .....	number..	450	804	799	776	941
	percent..	7.7	13.8	13.8	13.4	16.2
Land in farms .....	acres..	92 738	154 260	127 925	96 186	103 683
Average size of farm .....	acres..	206	192	160	124	110
<b>M MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD</b>						
Total sales (see text) .....	farms..	450	804	799	776	941
	\$1,000..	15 564	12 412	5 299	2 558	1 443
Average per farm .....	dollars..	34 586	15 438	6 632	3 296	1 533
Farms by value of sales:						
Less than \$1,000 (see text) .....		1	7	32	43	59
\$1,000 to \$2,499 .....		—	2	10	9	882
\$2,500 to \$4,999 .....		—	1	18	724	—
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....		—	12	739	—	—
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....		1	620	—	—	—
\$20,000 to \$24,999 .....		15	162	—	—	—
\$25,000 to \$39,999 .....		308	—	—	—	—
\$40,000 to \$49,999 .....		125	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....		—	—	—	—	—
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....		—	—	—	—	—
\$250,000 to \$499,999 .....		—	—	—	—	—
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....		—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000,000 to \$2,499,999 .....		—	—	—	—	—
\$2,500,000 to \$4,999,999 .....		—	—	—	—	—
\$5,000,000 or more .....		—	—	—	—	—
Grains .....	farms..	32	40	32	11	18
	\$1,000..	210	188	73	14	12
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
	\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—
Corn for grain .....	farms..	2	—	2	—	2
	\$1,000..	(D)	—	(D)	—	(D)
Wheat .....	farms..	3	2	1	—	—
	\$1,000..	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	—
Soybeans .....	farms..	—	1	—	—	1
	\$1,000..	—	(D)	—	(D)	—
Sorghum for grain .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
	\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—
Barley .....	farms..	12	6	4	—	1
	\$1,000..	70	24	(D)	—	(D)
Oats .....	farms..	15	21	17	5	7
	\$1,000..	66	45	36	8	(D)
Other grains .....	farms..	5	16	13	6	1
	\$1,000..	41	102	25	6	(D)
Cotton and cottonseed .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
	\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
	\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
	\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
	\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—
Hay, silage, and field seeds .....	farms..	113	258	308	300	285
	\$1,000..	1 577	2 103	1 413	793	386
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
	\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons .....	farms..	74	142	106	71	57
	\$1,000..	1 377	1 184	424	131	67
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
	\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—
Fruits, nuts, and berries .....	farms..	111	208	181	120	125
	\$1,000..	3 119	2 691	1 073	315	169
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
	\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—
Nursery and greenhouse crops .....	farms..	116	203	118	109	122
	\$1,000..	3 173	2 316	631	259	152
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
	\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—
Other crops .....	farms..	81	110	74	56	73
	\$1,000..	1 804	876	226	88	73
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
	\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—
Poultry and poultry products .....	farms..	25	52	58	86	73
	\$1,000..	214	106	53	52	29
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
	\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—
Dairy products .....	farms..	66	42	9	8	4
	\$1,000..	2 146	611	20	5	2
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
	\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—
Cattle and calves .....	farms..	131	232	220	226	223
	\$1,000..	1 078	1 501	835	541	298
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
	\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—

See footnotes at end of table.

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

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

Item	All farms	\$1,000,000 or more	\$500,000 to \$999,999	\$250,000 to \$499,999	\$100,000 to \$249,999	\$50,000 to \$99,999
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD—Con.</b>						
Total sales (see text)—Con.						
Hogs and pigs .....	farms..	261	—	1	2	5
\$1,000..		1 360	—	(D)	(D)	94
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	3	—	1	—	1
\$1,000..		752	—	(D)	—	(D)
Sheep, lambs, and wool .....	farms..	407	—	—	2	7
\$1,000..		578	—	—	(D)	28
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..		—	—	—	—	—
Other livestock and livestock products (see text) .....	farms..	452	8	2	3	15
\$1,000..		45 563	40 120	(D)	(D)	1 122
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	29	8	2	1	8
\$1,000..		43 702	40 120	(D)	(D)	1 104
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text).....	farms..	1 177	7	6	27	47
\$1,000..		8 314	99	90	1 738	1 408
<b>FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES<sup>1</sup></b>						
Total farm production expenses .....	farms..	5 801	53	90	204	377
\$1,000..		347 611	128 279	46 833	57 534	51 821
Average per farm .....	dollars..	59 923	2 420 355	520 364	282 030	137 457
Livestock and poultry purchased .....	farms..	1 234	19	23	43	102
\$1,000..		11 988	4 057	1 176	1 525	2 205
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		941	1	6	6	29
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		208	2	6	15	53
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....		65	5	8	20	17
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....		12	5	2	2	6
\$250,000 or more .....		8	6	1	—	—
Feed for livestock and poultry .....	farms..	2 201	23	39	87	217
\$1,000..		79 605	43 142	9 473	10 108	11 275
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		1 624	—	1	3	9
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		194	—	1	3	9
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....		267	—	1	35	189
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....		77	3	22	42	9
\$250,000 or more .....		39	20	14	4	1
Commercially mixed formula feeds .....	farms..	1 553	22	37	85	205
\$1,000..		51 161	21 419	7 531	8 971	9 304
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		1 052	—	2	2	10
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		156	—	—	5	20
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....		251	1	6	42	168
\$100,000 or more .....		94	21	29	36	7
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees .....	farms..	2 076	35	77	173	261
\$1,000..		13 757	2 858	2 358	4 200	2 192
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999 .....		1 220	1	4	9	63
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....		450	4	18	59	88
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		259	10	19	44	85
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		90	5	13	42	25
\$50,000 or more .....		57	15	23	19	5
Commercial fertilizer .....	farms..	3 031	40	80	185	300
\$1,000..		16 537	3 236	3 158	3 970	3 024
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		2 466	2	6	35	142
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		387	12	25	83	126
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		113	5	23	51	30
\$50,000 or more .....		65	21	26	16	2
Agricultural chemicals .....	farms..	2 346	43	79	185	264
\$1,000..		17 435	4 460	3 616	4 155	2 798
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		1 875	2	17	66	144
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		274	15	18	38	79
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		111	4	10	55	37
\$50,000 or more .....		86	22	34	26	4
Petroleum products .....	farms..	5 494	51	89	202	367
\$1,000..		14 829	2 963	2 055	2 631	2 458
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		4 832	3	8	36	150
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		582	11	60	147	214
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		51	16	15	17	3
\$50,000 or more .....		29	21	6	2	—
Gasoline and gasohol .....	farms..	4 479	48	83	189	340
\$1,000..		5 758	1 052	732	909	932
Diesel fuel .....	farms..	3 647	47	80	188	342
\$1,000..		5 896	1 208	980	1 117	1 020
Natural gas .....	farms..	88	1	5	6	5
\$1,000..		61	(D)	17	11	21
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc. ....	farms..	3 756	50	87	201	360
\$1,000..		3 114	(D)	327	594	484

See footnotes at end of table.

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

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

Item	\$25,000 to \$49,999	\$10,000 to \$24,999	\$5,000 to \$9,999	\$2,500 to \$4,999	\$1,000 to \$2,499	Less than \$1,000
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD—Con.</b>						
Total sales (see text)—Con.						
Hogs and pigs .....	farms.. 19 \$1,000.. 147	47 188	49 118	66 80	54 40	11 4
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms.. — \$1,000.. —	— —	— —	— —	— —	— —
Sheep, lambs, and wool .....	farms.. 17 \$1,000.. 35	52 134	71 125	80 108	98 83	71 19
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms.. — \$1,000.. —	— —	— —	— —	— —	— —
Other livestock and livestock products (see text) .....	farms.. 31 \$1,000.. 683	58 515	75 309	81 172	113 133	50 18
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms.. — \$1,000.. —	— —	— —	— —	— —	— —
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text) .....	farms.. 105 \$1,000.. 1 121	232 1 298	195 573	208 345	199 192	84 27
<b>FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES<sup>1</sup></b>						
Total farm production expenses .....	farms.. 391 \$1,000.. 9 821	892 13 590	872 7 584	818 4 939	942 4 367	830 4 079
Average per farm .....	dollars.. 25 119	15 236	8 698	6 037	4 636	4 914
Livestock and poultry purchased .....	farms.. 75 \$1,000.. 481	229 927	191 678	166 198	169 75	171 168
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	51	157	175	156	169	170
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	22	72	8	10	—	1
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....	1	—	8	—	—	—
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....	1	—	—	—	—	—
\$250,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Feed for livestock and poultry .....	farms.. 117 \$1,000.. 935	310 874	284 338	339 503	307 226	371 409
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	50	255	280	332	307	365
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	66	55	4	7	—	6
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....	1	—	—	—	—	—
\$250,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Commercially mixed formula feeds .....	farms.. 84 \$1,000.. 746	228 532	166 180	228 232	149 81	249 205
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	29	205	164	227	149	246
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	54	23	2	1	—	3
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$100,000 or more .....	1	—	—	—	—	—
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees .....	farms.. 153 \$1,000.. 239	408 519	263 142	217 69	185 42	90 13
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999 .....	94	279	231	212	185	90
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	45	106	31	5	—	—
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	14	23	1	—	—	—
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Commercial fertilizer .....	farms.. 264 \$1,000.. 528	587 733	489 332	349 159	257 88	224 78
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	234	573	481	349	257	223
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	29	14	8	—	—	1
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	1	—	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Agricultural chemicals .....	farms.. 212 \$1,000.. 332	469 366	375 284	182 44	166 39	126 44
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	192	464	361	182	166	126
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	20	5	14	—	—	—
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Petroleum products .....	farms.. 375 \$1,000.. 843	882 920	845 676	784 359	876 356	692 336
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	318	875	836	782	876	692
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	57	7	9	2	—	—
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Gasoline and gasohol .....	farms.. 293 \$1,000.. 335	715 351	661 344	619 204	687 201	566 205
Diesel fuel .....	farms.. 298 \$1,000.. 295	658 393	480 167	461 112	473 107	352 86
Natural gas .....	farms.. 1 \$1,000.. (D)	30 4	4 (Z)	10 2	15 3	10 1
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc. ....	farms.. 294 \$1,000.. (D)	668 172	566 165	428 42	417 44	381 44

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

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

Item	All farms	\$1,000,000 or more	\$500,000 to \$999,999	\$250,000 to \$499,999	\$100,000 to \$249,999	\$50,000 to \$99,999
<b>FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES<sup>1</sup></b>						
—Con.						
Total farm production expenses—Con.						
Electricity ..... farms.. \$1,000..	3 815 10 613	47 4 601	87 1 053	196 1 429	369 1 584	300 551
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999 .....	2 595	1	1	7	43	102
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	815	4	10	63	192	176
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	378	22	73	122	134	22
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	17	12	3	2	—	—
\$50,000 or more .....	10	8	—	2	—	—
Hired farm labor ..... farms.. \$1,000..	2 472 64 285	52 29 337	89 7 719	199 11 428	350 8 990	246 3 473
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	1 474	—	1	7	39	67
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	513	—	4	39	164	135
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....	384	6	59	129	143	43
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....	71	20	23	22	4	1
\$250,000 or more .....	30	26	2	2	—	—
Workers by days worked:						
150 days or more ..... farms.. workers..	942 4 746	51 2 605	88 407	177 663	270 582	121 216
Less than 150 days ..... farms.. workers..	2 306 17 263	48 3 229	79 1 009	173 1 967	273 2 497	227 2 812
Contract labor ..... farms.. \$1,000..	645 4 161	11 1 422	21 408	52 638	96 646	47 345
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999 .....	244	—	1	1	15	10
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	271	2	9	21	50	21
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	111	2	8	26	27	15
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	7	3	—	1	2	1
\$50,000 or more .....	12	4	3	3	2	—
Repair and maintenance ..... farms.. \$1,000..	4 827 23 988	53 4 831	90 3 505	199 3 903	370 3 601	324 1 711
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	3 761	2	6	19	103	159
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	883	8	23	123	251	163
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	125	13	41	51	15	2
\$50,000 or more .....	58	30	20	6	1	—
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment ..... farms.. \$1,000..	1 145 4 595	28 1 624	60 845	103 797	167 593	121 261
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999 .....	600	1	3	8	48	36
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	383	2	23	43	79	75
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	135	11	26	48	40	9
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	14	5	5	3	1	—
\$50,000 or more .....	13	9	3	1	—	—
Interest ..... farms.. \$1,000..	1 820 15 954	49 3 499	82 2 453	166 2 669	286 2 965	185 910
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	1 115	3	8	34	103	111
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	567	15	33	93	163	72
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....	121	16	40	39	20	2
\$100,000 or more .....	17	15	1	—	—	—
Secured by real estate ..... farms.. \$1,000..	1 359 10 753	36 1 781	60 1 633	125 1 790	220 2 012	140 776
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999 .....	226	—	—	7	17	45
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	574	3	5	17	67	27
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	465	13	26	75	123	66
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	67	9	21	24	10	2
\$50,000 or more .....	27	11	8	2	3	—
Not secured by real estate ..... farms.. \$1,000..	973 5 201	27 1 718	42 820	101 879	188 953	93 134
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999 .....	390	1	1	5	34	49
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	383	1	6	44	77	39
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	165	6	28	45	76	5
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	19	8	5	5	1	—
\$50,000 or more .....	16	11	2	2	—	—
Cash rent ..... farms.. \$1,000..	941 5 044	34 1 208	67 1 244	139 1 037	218 877	117 203
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	721	6	21	79	167	106
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	97	5	7	26	27	10
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	81	9	22	27	21	1
\$25,000 or more .....	42	14	17	7	3	—
Property taxes ..... farms.. \$1,000..	5 550 16 006	50 2 220	88 940	198 1 509	357 1 630	312 983
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	4 903	6	14	81	233	259
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	452	7	36	62	109	49
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	154	16	33	50	13	3
\$25,000 or more .....	41	21	5	5	2	1
All other farm production expenses ..... farms.. \$1,000..	5 107 48 814	51 18 822	89 6 830	204 7 534	376 6 983	331 2 625
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	4 064	1	2	20	61	139
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	710	8	23	79	214	175
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	167	3	11	57	76	17
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	94	7	28	34	25	—
\$100,000 or more .....	72	32	25	14	—	—

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

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

Item	\$25,000 to \$49,999	\$10,000 to \$24,999	\$5,000 to \$9,999	\$2,500 to \$4,999	\$1,000 to \$2,499	Less than \$1,000
<b>FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES<sup>1</sup></b>						
—Con.						
Total farm production expenses—Con.						
Electricity ..... farms..	348	638	561	456	420	393
\$1,000..	377	382	239	149	111	138
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999 .....	236	503	503	432	397	370
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	108	134	58	24	23	23
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	4	1	—	—	—	—
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hired farm labor ..... farms..	254	381	369	189	196	147
\$1,000..	1 432	903	708	134	114	48
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	142	325	361	189	196	147
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	110	55	6	—	—	—
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....	1	1	2	—	—	—
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....	1	—	—	—	—	—
\$250,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Workers by days worked:						
150 days or more ..... farms..	58	56	23	16	29	53
workers..	76	71	26	17	30	53
Less than 150 days ..... farms..	227	379	369	189	195	147
workers..	1 584	1 424	1 546	629	327	239
Contract labor ..... farms..	36	133	82	71	48	48
\$1,000..	104	352	139	63	26	18
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999 .....	11	53	26	39	43	45
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	19	59	50	32	5	3
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	6	21	6	—	—	—
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Repair and maintenance ..... farms..	359	794	706	600	693	639
\$1,000..	1 083	2 000	1 009	872	728	746
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	282	676	668	572	668	606
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	76	115	38	28	25	33
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	1	2	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more .....	—	1	—	—	—	—
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment ..... farms..	82	165	177	69	74	99
\$1,000..	108	120	137	44	31	33
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999 .....	42	128	127	47	66	94
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	40	36	50	22	8	5
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	—	1	—	—	—	—
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Interest ..... farms..	183	304	196	117	123	129
\$1,000..	732	1 407	443	307	259	311
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	143	215	177	100	112	109
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	38	86	19	17	11	20
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....	2	2	—	—	—	—
\$100,000 or more .....	—	1	—	—	—	—
Secured by real estate ..... farms..	118	230	158	84	98	90
\$1,000..	518	1 155	385	233	211	259
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999 .....	19	35	36	16	37	14
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	65	119	104	52	59	56
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	33	73	18	16	2	20
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	1	—	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more .....	—	3	—	—	—	—
Not secured by real estate ..... farms..	104	169	103	50	45	51
\$1,000..	215	252	57	74	48	52
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999 .....	63	86	81	28	17	25
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	38	81	22	21	28	26
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	2	2	—	1	—	—
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more .....	1	—	—	—	—	—
Cash rent ..... farms..	109	106	82	33	16	20
\$1,000..	237	124	77	10	2	25
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	97	100	76	33	16	20
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	10	6	6	—	—	—
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	1	—	—	—	—	—
\$25,000 or more .....	1	—	—	—	—	—
Property taxes ..... farms..	348	857	839	798	916	787
\$1,000..	798	1 971	1 460	1 447	1 783	1 265
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	319	783	797	755	885	771
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	25	64	35	34	16	15
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	4	9	7	9	9	1
\$25,000 or more .....	—	1	—	—	6	—
All other farm production expenses ..... farms..	390	887	709	670	743	657
\$1,000..	1 592	1 990	923	580	487	447
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	268	805	698	670	743	657
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	121	81	9	—	—	—
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	—	1	2	—	—	—
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$100,000 or more .....	1	—	—	—	—	—

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

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

Item	All farms	\$1,000,000 or more	\$500,000 to \$999,999	\$250,000 to \$499,999	\$100,000 to \$249,999	\$50,000 to \$99,999
<b>NET CASH RETURN FROM AGRICULTURAL SALES AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS FOR THE FARM UNIT (SEE TEXT)<sup>1</sup></b>						
All farms .....	number..	5 801	53	90	204	377
	\$1,000..	81 338	51 263	12 045	10 999	7 646
Average per farm .....	.dollars..	14 021	967 235	133 831	53 918	20 281
Farms with net gains <sup>2</sup> .....	number..	2 606	50	76	166	276
	\$1,000..	42 263	1 045 120	178 407	90 385	43 196
Average net gain .....	.dollars..					27 072
Gain of—						
Less than \$1,000 .....		343	—	—	—	4
\$1,000 to \$9,999 .....		1 176	—	1	10	28
\$10,000 to \$49,999 .....		743	1	11	39	156
\$50,000 or more .....		344	49	64	117	90
Farms with net losses .....	number..	3 195	3	14	38	101
	\$1,000..	9 013	330 850	108 155	105 383	42 339
Average net loss .....	.dollars..					17 932
Loss of—						
Less than \$1,000 .....		554	—	—	3	5
\$1,000 to \$9,999 .....		2 162	—	3	9	17
\$10,000 to \$49,999 .....		404	—	1	10	59
\$50,000 or more .....		75	3	10	16	20
						7
<b>GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS AND OTHER FARM-RELATED INCOME</b>						
Government payments .....	farms..	934	25	45	110	171
	\$1,000..	2 977	148	252	579	603
Other farm-related income <sup>1</sup> .....	farms..	1 689	20	31	89	132
	\$1,000..	10 907	603	215	1 337	1 467
Customwork and other agricultural services .....	farms..	546	5	8	21	32
	\$1,000..	3 643	368	37	600	597
Gross cash rent or share payments .....	farms..	237	2	4	9	8
	\$1,000..	753	(D)	(D)	76	24
Forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products .....	farms..	903	10	7	39	55
	\$1,000..	5 754	149	105	570	597
Other farm-related income sources .....	farms..	472	14	29	56	90
	\$1,000..	757	(D)	(D)	91	250
						17
<b>COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS</b>						
Total .....	farms..	12	1	—	3	3
	\$1,000..	24	(D)	—	(D)	(D)
Corn .....	farms..	2	1	—	1	—
	\$1,000..	(D)	(D)	—	(D)	—
Wheat .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
	\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—
Soybeans .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
	\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—
Sorghum, barley, and oats .....	farms..	10	—	—	2	3
	\$1,000..	(D)	—	—	(D)	(D)
Cotton .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
	\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—
Sunflower seed, flaxseed, safflower, canola, other rapeseed, and mustard seed .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
	\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—
Peanuts, rice, and tobacco .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
	\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—
<b>LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE</b>						
Total cropland .....	farms..	5 372	44	86	204	403
	acres..	539 966	60 901	58 839	73 786	89 823
Harvested cropland .....	farms..	4 875	41	84	201	397
	acres..	403 014	48 227	52 546	61 471	72 766
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 49 acres .....		3 180	3	6	19	60
50 to 99 acres .....		628	—	1	11	44
100 to 199 acres .....		502	1	2	17	127
200 to 499 acres .....		444	4	23	126	160
500 to 999 acres .....		89	15	39	28	5
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....		23	11	11	—	1
2,000 acres or more .....		9	7	2	—	—
Cropland:						
Pasture or grazing only .....	farms..	2 156	6	26	67	179
	acres..	65 066	325	2 642	3 341	9 358
In cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured .....	farms..	565	11	13	44	44
	acres..	23 006	1 122	1 616	5 006	2 452
On which all crops failed .....	farms..	152	3	3	9	18
	acres..	2 430	(D)	(D)	145	296
In cultivated summer fallow .....	farms..	195	1	6	7	15
	acres..	5 136	(D)	(D)	455	743
Idle .....	farms..	1 105	15	13	42	71
	acres..	41 314	11 128	683	3 368	4 208
Total woodland .....	farms..	4 189	31	62	165	314
	acres..	566 603	28 095	23 626	45 474	50 292
Woodland pastured .....	farms..	848	1	10	29	65
	acres..	40 274	(D)	(D)	3 627	2 655
Woodland not pastured .....	farms..	3 958	31	59	159	301
	acres..	526 329	(D)	(D)	41 847	47 637

See footnotes at end of table.

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

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

Item	\$25,000 to \$49,999	\$10,000 to \$24,999	\$5,000 to \$9,999	\$2,500 to \$4,999	\$1,000 to \$2,499	Less than \$1,000
<b>NET CASH RETURN FROM AGRICULTURAL SALES AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS FOR THE FARM UNIT (SEE TEXT)<sup>1</sup></b>						
All farms .....	number..	391	892	872	818	942
\$1,000..	3 911	855	-1 252	-2 134	-2 828	-3 835
Average per farm .....	dollars..	10 004	959	-1 436	-2 608	-3 003
Farms with net gains <sup>2</sup> .....	number..	327	589	492	261	124
Average net gain .....	dollars..	16 327	6 443	2 965	1 294	605
Gain of—						
Less than \$1,000 .....		2	25	71	125	105
\$1,000 to \$9,999 .....		101	420	421	136	19
\$10,000 to \$49,999 .....		224	144	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more .....		—	—	—	—	—
Farms with net losses .....	number..	64	303	380	557	818
Average net loss .....	dollars..	22 304	9 702	7 134	4 437	3 549
Loss of—						
Less than \$1,000 .....		7	26	91	113	216
\$1,000 to \$9,999 .....		37	197	240	381	565
\$10,000 to \$49,999 .....		15	76	39	63	37
\$50,000 or more .....		5	4	10	—	—
<b>GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS AND OTHER FARM-RELATED INCOME</b>						
Government payments .....	farms..	86	109	98	89	84
\$1,000..	254	331	306	165	100	4
Other farm-related income <sup>1</sup> .....	farms..	137	294	242	258	251
\$1,000..	1 133	1 888	1 350	1 168	578	393
Customwork and other agricultural services .....	farms..	39	128	101	44	90
\$1,000..	486	536	399	110	140	110
Gross cash rent or share payments .....	farms..	23	36	35	43	35
\$1,000..	78	227	107	120	42	31
Forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products .....	farms..	74	182	131	179	121
\$1,000..	526	1 089	719	933	389	207
Other farm-related income sources .....	farms..	53	47	61	42	28
\$1,000..	43	36	125	4	7	20
						50
<b>COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS</b>						
Total .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Corn .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wheat .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Soybeans .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sorghum, barley, and oats .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sunflower seed, flaxseed, safflower, canola, other rapeseed, and mustard seed .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Peanuts, rice, and tobacco .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—
<b>LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE</b>						
Total cropland .....	farms..	417	768	761	702	837
acres..	37 269	55 684	41 727	29 031	26 302	19 779
Harvested cropland .....	farms..	402	736	690	613	695
acres..	27 549	37 038	26 069	17 813	13 762	10 660
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 49 acres .....		236	484	494	507	625
50 to 99 acres .....		65	120	131	77	63
100 to 199 acres .....		66	95	55	20	6
200 to 499 acres .....		34	37	10	9	1
500 to 999 acres .....		1	—	—	—	—
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....		—	—	—	—	—
2,000 acres or more .....		—	—	—	—	—
Cropland:						
Pasture or grazing only .....	farms..	133	259	308	293	351
acres..	4 668	9 228	9 066	6 568	6 835	5 798
In cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured .....	farms..	33	81	76	61	90
acres..	1 293	3 187	2 651	1 595	1 644	1 090
On which all crops failed .....	farms..	9	22	19	16	23
acres..	200	546	155	185	144	83
In cultivated summer fallow .....	farms..	17	41	32	17	24
acres..	419	690	331	175	365	169
Idle .....	farms..	103	166	160	139	183
acres..	3 140	4 995	3 455	2 695	3 552	2 116
Total woodland .....	farms..	316	578	586	593	678
acres..	47 667	86 541	75 134	56 645	65 022	42 582
Woodland pastured .....	farms..	69	112	119	137	128
acres..	4 826	7 978	4 756	3 885	5 220	3 055
Woodland not pastured .....	farms..	294	543	555	560	640
acres..	42 841	78 563	70 378	52 760	59 802	39 533

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

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

Item	All farms	\$1,000,000 or more	\$500,000 to \$999,999	\$250,000 to \$499,999	\$100,000 to \$249,999	\$50,000 to \$9,999
<b>LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE—Con.</b>						
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured..... farms..	844	5	15	32	68	49
acres..	27 952	376	1 405	2 257	3 080	3 779
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. .... farms..	3 659	39	57	145	271	225
acres..	77 127	7 195	4 668	5 905	8 976	4 610
Irrigated land ..... farms..	671	24	16	44	57	63
acres..	21 791	12 038	3 719	2 526	952	876
Harvested cropland irrigated .....	660	24	16	44	57	63
acres..	21 608	12 038	3 719	(D)	(D)	(D)
Pasture and other land irrigated .....	farms..	24	—	—	1	2
acres..	183	—	—	(D)	(D)	(D)
Land under Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs .....	farms..	352	9	13	40	25
acres..	22 217	341	1 150	2 641	2 638	886
<b>VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS<sup>1</sup></b>						
Estimated market value of land and buildings..... farms..	5 801	53	90	204	377	332
\$1,000..	1 456 482	115 869	78 835	123 119	150 235	81 769
Average per farm .....	dollars..	251 074	2 186 209	875 950	603 524	398 502
Average per acre .....	dollars..	1 190	1 200	890	976	1 070
Farms by value group:						
\$1 to \$39,999 .....	463	1	2	—	5	9
\$40,000 to \$69,999 .....	539	1	1	—	—	24
\$70,000 to \$99,999 .....	615	—	—	1	7	6
\$100,000 to \$149,999 .....	866	1	1	7	24	59
\$150,000 to \$199,999 .....	800	—	3	7	44	55
\$200,000 to \$499,999 .....	1 926	4	17	86	213	149
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....	439	15	38	74	69	25
\$1,000,000 to \$1,999,999 .....	113	13	21	26	12	4
\$2,000,000 to \$4,999,999 .....	36	15	7	3	3	1
\$5,000,000 or more .....	4	3	—	—	—	—
<b>VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup></b>						
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment .....	farms..	5 794	53	90	204	377
\$1,000..	282 151	27 638	24 103	35 843	36 010	332
Farms by value group:						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	670	—	—	—	4	14
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	742	—	1	2	6	17
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....	1 205	1	1	2	13	31
\$20,000 to \$49,999 .....	1 618	4	3	15	74	88
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	790	3	8	36	117	92
\$100,000 to \$199,999 .....	496	9	25	78	127	64
\$200,000 to \$499,999 .....	232	17	40	62	35	26
\$500,000 or more .....	41	19	12	9	1	—
<b>SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup></b>						
Motortrucks, including pickups .....	farms..	5 141	53	90	204	377
number..	11 261	635	650	1 201	1 334	324
Wheel tractors .....	farms..	5 092	41	81	187	827
number..	11 767	389	461	803	333	311
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) .....	farms..	3 315	18	25	77	947
number..	5 155	45	47	134	165	180
40 horsepower (PTO) or more .....	farms..	3 236	40	74	168	239
number..	6 612	344	414	669	272	316
40 to 99 horsepower (PTO) .....	farms..	3 075	38	63	154	243
number..	5 346	209	191	412	253	236
100 horsepower (PTO) or more .....	farms..	647	25	58	98	505
number..	1 266	135	223	257	109	78
number..					191	126
Grain and bean combines .....	farms..	230	10	20	44	40
number..	254	12	26	53	43	21
Cotton pickers and strippers .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
number..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Mower conditioners .....	farms..	1 970	14	35	83	202
number..	2 183	23	46	106	233	92
Pickup balers .....	farms..	2 126	6	28	74	110
number..	2 514	9	37	97	185	114
number..					250	155
<b>AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS<sup>1</sup></b>						
Commercial fertilizer .....	farms..	2 921	40	80	184	298
acres on which used..	234 911	42 138	41 587	49 360	40 824	240
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—						
Insects on hay and other crops .....	farms..	1 449	33	59	127	171
acres on which used..	113 473	27 804	23 014	26 385	17 560	192
Nematodes in crops .....	farms..	92	4	4	10	9
acres on which used..	4 923	(D)	696	1 709	1 101	104
Diseases in crops and orchards .....	farms..	869	27	38	97	106
acres on which used..	86 353	24 583	16 270	20 937	12 865	5 720
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture .....	farms..	1 428	36	66	156	206
acres on which used..	149 286	33 221	30 652	38 822	25 472	124
Chemicals used on crops to control growth, thin fruit, or defoliate .....	farms..	383	11	34	62	52
acres on which used..	45 461	6 708	13 727	12 646	7 970	8 589

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

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

Item	\$25,000 to \$49,999	\$10,000 to \$24,999	\$5,000 to \$9,999	\$2,500 to \$4,999	\$1,000 to \$2,499	Less than \$1,000
<b>LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE—Con.</b>						
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured..... farms..	49	87	106	111	145	177
acres..	2 055	2 630	3 070	3 141	3 108	3 051
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. .... farms..	285	476	490	497	593	581
acres..	5 747	9 405	7 994	7 369	9 251	6 007
Irrigated land ..... farms..	90	148	74	54	54	47
acres..	380	570	262	121	175	172
Harvested cropland irrigated .....	90	146	73	53	51	43
acres..	374	514	(D)	(D)	(D)	143
Pasture and other land irrigated .....	3	4	2	1	5	5
acres..	6	56	(D)	(D)	(D)	29
Land under Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs .....	farms..	20	37	56	54	55
acres..	1 368	4 171	4 560	2 700	1 701	10
						61
<b>VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS<sup>1</sup></b>						
Estimated market value of land and buildings..... farms..	391	892	872	818	942	830
\$1,000..	101 840	215 075	160 134	149 998	153 640	125 967
Average per farm .....	260 460	241 116	183 640	183 372	163 099	151 767
Average per acre .....	1 300	1 140	1 172	1 335	1 429	2 064
Farms by value group:						
\$1 to \$39,999 .....	40	57	101	63	69	116
\$40,000 to \$69,999 .....	15	74	84	109	127	104
\$70,000 to \$99,999 .....	28	101	99	113	102	158
\$100,000 to \$149,999 .....	75	118	155	128	181	117
\$150,000 to \$199,999 .....	40	86	150	137	170	108
\$200,000 to \$499,999 .....	136	384	247	220	266	204
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....	44	64	29	37	22	22
\$1,000,000 to \$1,999,999 .....	12	4	5	10	5	1
\$2,000,000 to \$4,999,999 .....	1	3	2	1	—	—
\$5,000,000 or more .....	—	1	—	—	—	—
<b>VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup></b>						
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment .....	farms..	391	892	872	812	941
\$1,000..	20 205	32 862	23 268	16 327	21 746	19 729
Farms by value group:						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	17	97	101	107	176	154
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	29	95	144	146	141	161
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....	54	176	224	267	254	182
\$20,000 to \$49,999 .....	145	322	273	230	254	210
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	87	127	85	55	84	96
\$100,000 to \$199,999 .....	43	54	39	5	31	21
\$200,000 to \$499,999 .....	16	21	6	2	1	6
\$500,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
<b>SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup></b>						
Motortrucks, including pickups .....	farms..	366	779	772	694	777
number..	664	1 477	1 290	1 098	1 086	999
Wheel tractors .....	farms..	372	800	753	740	804
number..	907	1 827	1 428	1 377	1 465	1 175
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) .....	farms..	242	521	484	537	598
number..	449	812	687	799	928	699
40 horsepower (PTO) or more .....	farms..	223	546	508	410	387
number..	458	1 015	741	578	537	476
40 to 99 horsepower (PTO) .....	farms..	220	522	481	391	371
number..	396	937	685	520	482	346
100 horsepower (PTO) or more .....	farms..	42	74	47	49	451
number..	62	78	56	58	46	21
Grain and bean combines .....	farms..	8	36	35	6	8
number..	9	36	36	(D)	8	(D)
Cotton pickers and strippers .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
number..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Mower conditioners .....	farms..	134	360	297	264	276
number..	146	401	327	271	289	231
Pickup balers .....	farms..	171	349	305	332	296
number..	223	430	377	349	303	284
<b>AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS<sup>1</sup></b>						
Commercial fertilizer .....	farms..	257	550	477	334	245
acres on which used..	12 731	15 863	9 217	4 238	2 443	2 932
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—						
Insects on hay and other crops .....	farms..	144	289	216	89	88
acres on which used..	2 808	3 037	2 784	243	335	210
Nematodes in crops .....	farms..	—	20	6	21	4
acres on which used..	—	167	36	45	8	(D)
Diseases in crops and orchards .....	farms..	67	147	154	51	26
acres on which used..	1 571	1 921	1 985	107	77	50
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture .....	farms..	131	280	202	80	101
acres on which used..	4 136	4 054	2 944	481	634	46
Chemicals used on crops to control growth, thin fruit, or defoliate .....	farms..	33	63	44	1	15
acres on which used..	531	816	185	(D)	63	2

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

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

Item	All farms	\$1,000,000 or more	\$500,000 to \$999,999	\$250,000 to \$499,999	\$100,000 to \$249,999	\$50,000 to \$99,999
<b>TENURE AND RACE OF OPERATOR</b>						
All operators .....	5 810	53	90	210	420	389
Full owners .....	3 829	12	20	50	127	168
Part owners .....	1 654	34	64	152	259	180
Tenants .....	327	7	6	8	34	41
White .....	5 790	52	90	210	420	388
Full owners .....	3 813	11	20	50	127	167
Part owners .....	1 650	34	64	152	259	180
Tenants .....	327	7	6	8	34	41
Black and other races .....	20	1	—	—	—	1
Full owners .....	16	1	—	—	—	1
Part owners .....	4	—	—	—	—	—
Tenants .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
<b>OWNED AND RENTED LAND</b>						
Land owned..... farms..	5 485	46	84	202	386	348
acres..	1 008 270	77 217	62 815	98 451	110 468	74 929
Owned land in farms .....	5 483	46	84	202	386	348
acres..	985 902	76 821	62 385	96 875	109 102	74 041
Land rented or leased from others .....	farms..	1 990	41	70	160	294
acres..	227 375	19 826	26 453	30 848	43 216	27 157
landlords..	6 122	226	385	663	1 129	639
Rented or leased land in farms .....	farms..	1 981	41	70	160	293
acres..	225 746	19 746	26 153	30 547	43 069	27 110
Land rented or leased to others .....	farms..	435	4	5	14	22
acres..	23 997	476	730	1 877	1 513	935
<b>OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS</b>						
Operators by place of residence:						
On farm operated .....	4 727	30	76	166	338	295
Not on farm operated .....	717	18	9	31	55	62
Not reported .....	366	5	5	13	27	32
Operators by principal occupation:						
Farming .....	2 872	47	85	193	394	313
Other .....	2 938	6	5	17	26	76
Operators by days worked off farm:						
None .....	2 246	39	79	163	301	215
Any .....	3 263	12	6	35	94	152
1 to 99 days .....	643	5	4	19	49	46
100 to 199 days .....	662	—	1	2	20	35
200 days or more .....	1 958	7	1	14	25	71
Not reported .....	301	2	5	12	25	22
Operators by years on present farm:						
2 years or less .....	208	—	1	1	10	12
3 or 4 years .....	280	2	1	4	9	17
5 to 9 years .....	781	3	10	17	33	38
10 years or more .....	3 713	41	69	155	306	258
Average years on present farm .....	20.5	25.5	25.4	25.2	22.8	22.5
Not reported .....	828	7	9	33	62	64
Operators by age group:						
Under 25 years .....	39	—	2	—	4	11
25 to 34 years .....	286	2	2	13	31	30
35 to 44 years .....	1 113	12	22	50	95	75
45 to 49 years .....	824	9	13	32	65	47
50 to 54 years .....	794	7	12	29	59	49
55 to 59 years .....	727	4	15	29	52	59
60 to 64 years .....	636	9	12	27	58	48
65 to 69 years .....	522	5	3	13	25	29
70 years and over .....	869	5	9	17	31	41
Average age .....	54.4	54.0	52.0	51.9	51.2	52.2
Operators by sex:						
Male .....	4 991	51	87	204	399	357
Female .....	819	2	3	6	21	32
Operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin (see text) .....	36	—	1	2	1	4
<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION</b>						
Individual or family (sole proprietorship)..... farms..	5 064	13	48	117	302	319
acres..	896 406	17 342	48 645	70 709	109 164	83 006
Partnership .....	farms..	306	7	14	25	25
acres..	106 220	12 400	(D)	17 242	14 623	7 728
Corporation:						
Family held .....	farms..	362	28	23	65	68
acres..	179 965	57 007	19 334	37 626	26 895	10 391
More than 10 stockholders .....	farms..	4	2	—	2	—
10 or less stockholders .....	farms..	358	26	23	65	66
Other than family held .....	farms..	41	4	5	1	3
acres..	10 749	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
More than 10 stockholders .....	farms..	5	1	1	1	—
10 or less stockholders .....	farms..	36	3	4	1	2
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. ....	farms..	37	1	—	2	2
acres..	18 308	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	(D)

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

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Item	\$25,000 to \$49,999	\$10,000 to \$24,999	\$5,000 to \$9,999	\$2,500 to \$4,999	\$1,000 to \$2,499	Less than \$1,000
<b>TENURE AND RACE OF OPERATOR</b>						
All operators .....	450	804	799	776	941	878
Full owners .....	235	523	592	598	773	731
Part owners .....	163	227	175	154	136	110
Tenants .....	52	54	32	24	32	37
White .....	446	800	796	772	939	877
Full owners .....	232	520	591	594	771	730
Part owners .....	162	226	173	154	136	110
Tenants .....	52	54	32	24	32	37
Black and other races .....	4	4	3	4	2	1
Full owners .....	3	3	1	4	2	1
Part owners .....	1	1	2	—	—	—
Tenants .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
<b>OWNED AND RENTED LAND</b>						
Land owned..... farms..	398	750	767	752	910	842
acres..	72 261	135 857	117 667	90 046	101 551	67 008
Owned land in farms .....	398	750	767	752	909	841
acres..	70 821	131 736	113 424	86 893	98 222	65 582
Land rented or leased from others .....	farms..	216	282	209	179	168
acres..	22 105	22 954	14 514	9 357	5 479	5 466
landlords..	629	720	545	530	378	278
Rented or leased land in farms .....	farms..	215	281	207	178	168
acres..	21 917	22 524	14 501	9 293	5 461	5 425
Land rented or leased to others .....	farms..	32	77	73	70	66
acres..	1 628	4 551	4 256	3 217	3 347	1 467
<b>OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS</b>						
Operators by place of residence:						
On farm operated .....	349	646	654	659	774	740
Not on farm operated .....	61	102	93	79	118	89
Not reported .....	40	56	52	38	49	49
Operators by principal occupation:						
Farming .....	301	432	337	265	284	221
Other .....	149	372	462	511	657	657
Operators by days worked off farm:						
None .....	181	304	269	206	266	223
Any .....	243	460	493	527	618	623
1 to 99 days .....	72	107	105	87	78	71
100 to 199 days .....	58	103	94	112	141	96
200 days or more .....	113	250	294	328	399	456
Not reported .....	26	40	37	43	57	32
Operators by years on present farm:						
2 years or less .....	16	29	25	30	32	52
3 or 4 years .....	12	43	31	46	63	52
5 to 9 years .....	68	124	115	106	146	121
10 years or more .....	290	493	519	493	578	511
Average years on present farm .....	21.2	19.4	20.8	20.3	19.6	18.2
Not reported .....	64	115	109	101	122	142
Operators by age group:						
Under 25 years .....	2	6	5	3	4	2
25 to 34 years .....	33	45	19	42	37	32
35 to 44 years .....	76	167	134	124	166	192
45 to 49 years .....	73	106	118	110	102	149
50 to 54 years .....	58	102	105	112	134	127
55 to 59 years .....	54	99	89	90	138	98
60 to 64 years .....	53	81	100	86	77	85
65 to 69 years .....	46	71	92	68	97	73
70 years and over .....	55	127	137	141	186	120
Average age .....	53.7	54.2	56.2	55.5	56.3	53.8
Operators by sex:						
Male .....	395	681	688	670	777	682
Female .....	55	123	111	106	164	196
Operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin (see text) .....	3	3	5	6	6	5
<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION</b>						
Individual or family (sole proprietorship)..... farms..	376	698	738	726	896	831
acres..	72 830	129 422	110 937	89 693	98 104	66 554
Partnership .....	30	41	41	30	29	20
acres..	9 352	9 037	10 841	3 450	2 510	(D)
Corporation:						
Family held .....	farms..	31	46	17	13	11
acres..	8 744	9 896	5 192	1 355	2 153	1 372
More than 10 stockholders .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
10 or less stockholders .....	farms..	31	46	17	13	11
Other than family held .....	farms..	8	8	—	1	4
acres..	334	261	—	(D)	(D)	(D)
More than 10 stockholders .....	farms..	—	1	—	—	1
10 or less stockholders .....	farms..	8	7	—	1	4
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. ....	farms..	5	11	3	6	1
acres..	1 478	5 644	955	(D)	(D)	(D)

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

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Item	All farms	\$1,000,000 or more	\$500,000 to \$999,999	\$250,000 to \$499,999	\$100,000 to \$249,999	\$50,000 to \$99,999
<b>INJURIES AND DEATHS</b>						
Farm-related injuries:						
Operator and family members .....	farms..	52	3	1	2	5
number..	number..	57	4	(D)	(D)	5
Hired workers .....	farms..	72	16	11	12	6
number..	number..	177	111	14	17	12
Farm-related deaths:						
Operator and family members .....	farms..	1	—	—	1	—
number..	number..	(D)	—	—	(D)	—
Hired workers .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
number..	number..	—	—	—	—	—
<b>F FARMS BY SIZE</b>						
1 to 9 acres .....		533	3	4	4	24
10 to 49 acres .....		1 184	6	2	11	22
50 to 69 acres .....		458	1	—	2	8
70 to 99 acres .....		546	1	1	4	24
100 to 139 acres .....		689	2	—	3	39
140 to 179 acres .....		417	—	1	7	11
180 to 219 acres .....		328	—	2	8	38
220 to 259 acres .....		267	1	2	7	30
260 to 499 acres .....		846	3	9	49	164
500 to 999 acres .....		398	7	30	85	93
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....		113	13	32	29	8
2,000 acres or more .....		31	16	7	1	1
<b>F FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM</b>						
Oilseed and grain farming (1111) .....		179	—	—	1	3
Vegetable and melon farming (1112) .....		733	17	43	93	103
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113) .....		805	9	2	13	57
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114) .....		704	4	5	17	40
Other crop farming (1119) .....		1 224	—	1	—	27
Tobacco farming (11191) .....		—	—	—	—	—
Cotton farming (11192) .....		—	—	—	—	—
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199) .....		1 224	—	1	—	27
Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111) .....		699	—	—	3	7
Cattle feedlots (112112) .....		95	—	—	2	3
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212) .....		535	10	29	67	198
Hog and pig farming (1122) .....		71	—	1	—	1
Poultry and egg production (1123) .....		104	5	7	15	13
Sheep and goat farming (1124) .....		193	—	—	—	7
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129) .....		468	8	2	1	8
<b>LIVESTOCK</b>						
Cattle and calves inventory..... farms..	1 921	11	34	78	212	156
number..	101 695	8 257	12 391	14 795	25 132	11 358
Farms with—						
1 to 9 .....		616	—	—	3	9
10 to 49 .....		734	1	1	5	32
50 to 99 .....		271	—	—	6	65
100 to 199 .....		201	—	1	27	123
200 to 499 .....		83	2	26	37	9
500 or more .....		16	8	6	—	4
Cows and heifers that had calved .....	farms..	1 588	11	33	74	209
number..	52 531	5 471	6 855	8 114	13 442	145
Beef cows .....	farms..	1 035	2	6	6	5 829
number..	11 782	(D)	412	(D)	347	39
Farms with—						
1 to 9 .....		667	—	—	2	14
10 to 49 .....		341	1	3	3	14
50 to 99 .....		20	1	2	1	—
100 to 199 .....		5	—	—	—	2
200 to 499 .....		2	—	1	—	—
500 or more .....		—	—	—	—	—
Milk cows .....	farms..	685	10	29	69	198
number..	40 749	(D)	6 443	(D)	13 095	127
Farms with—						
1 to 4 .....		131	—	—	—	1
5 to 9 .....		25	—	—	1	2
10 to 49 .....		229	—	—	3	1
50 to 99 .....		202	—	—	20	29
100 to 199 .....		68	—	11	43	154
200 to 499 .....		26	6	18	2	27
500 or more .....		4	4	—	—	—
Heifers and heifer calves .....	farms..	1 432	10	31	73	200
number..	39 222	2 715	4 755	6 373	10 193	135
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves .....	farms..	1 320	9	20	42	102
number..	9 942	71	781	308	1 497	86

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Item	\$25,000 to \$49,999	\$10,000 to \$24,999	\$5,000 to \$9,999	\$2,500 to \$4,999	\$1,000 to \$2,499	Less than \$1,000
<b>INJURIES AND DEATHS</b>						
Farm-related injuries:						
Operator and family members .....	1	10	7	4	4	8
farms..		11	8	5	4	9
number..	(D)	4	1	3	1	1
Hired workers .....	5	4	(D)	4	(D)	(D)
farms..		4				
number..	6					
Farm-related deaths:						
Operator and family members .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms..						
number..	—					
Hired workers .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms..						
number..	—					
<b>F FARMS BY SIZE</b>						
1 to 9 acres .....	46	73	73	80	104	106
10 to 49 acres .....	68	166	147	157	255	318
50 to 69 acres .....	21	50	70	84	99	95
70 to 99 acres .....	32	62	94	82	113	121
100 to 139 acres .....	50	111	95	138	130	104
140 to 179 acres .....	44	55	78	80	75	36
180 to 219 acres .....	29	47	56	37	52	31
220 to 259 acres .....	34	45	40	28	25	20
260 to 499 acres .....	92	142	105	73	63	39
500 to 999 acres .....	28	39	35	16	24	7
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....	5	11	6	—	1	1
2,000 acres or more .....	1	3	—	1	—	—
<b>F FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM</b>						
Oilseed and grain farming (1111) .....	6	20	34	40	59	16
Vegetable and melon farming (1112) .....	73	117	73	35	48	10
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113) .....	87	164	148	89	103	106
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114) .....	98	137	87	71	99	97
Other crop farming (1119) .....	65	174	243	266	280	158
Tobacco farming (11191) .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton farming (11192) .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199) .....	65	174	243	266	280	158
Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111) .....	21	79	115	131	153	189
Cattle feedlots (112112) .....	5	15	11	30	24	5
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212) .....	64	39	3	1	1	2
Hog and pig farming (1122) .....	4	10	17	13	21	4
Poultry and egg production (1123) .....	6	6	6	10	10	19
Sheep and goat farming (1124) .....	1	11	19	33	69	58
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129) .....	20	32	43	57	74	214
<b>LIVESTOCK</b>						
Cattle and calves inventory..... farms..	136	243	236	252	281	282
number..	6 293	8 796	5 458	3 939	3 008	2 268
Farms with—						
1 to 9 .....	21	31	66	105	158	219
10 to 49 .....	62	154	145	140	123	62
50 to 99 .....	43	45	22	6	—	1
100 to 199 .....	7	11	3	1	—	—
200 to 499 .....	3	2	—	—	—	—
500 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cows and heifers that had calved .....	120	190	186	193	224	203
farms..	2 930	3 881	2 079	1 548	1 439	943
number..	68	151	172	175	208	180
Beef cows .....	1 277	3 121	1 994	1 470	1 357	870
Farms with—						
1 to 9 .....	38	58	88	112	168	160
10 to 49 .....	23	83	83	63	40	20
50 to 99 .....	5	8	1	—	—	—
100 to 199 .....	2	1	—	—	—	—
200 to 499 .....	—	1	—	—	—	—
500 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Milk cows .....	67	55	26	36	35	33
farms..	1 653	760	85	78	82	73
number..						
Farms with—						
1 to 4 .....	4	13	19	32	31	29
5 to 9 .....	3	3	5	4	4	4
10 to 49 .....	59	39	2	—	—	—
50 to 99 .....	1	—	—	—	—	—
100 to 199 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
200 to 499 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
500 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Heifers and heifer calves..... farms..	111	198	181	178	172	143
number..	2 451	3 140	2 166	1 428	721	700
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves .....	89	175	179	200	222	196
farms..	912	1 775	1 213	963	848	625

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Item	All farms	\$1,000,000 or more	\$500,000 to \$999,999	\$250,000 to \$499,999	\$100,000 to \$249,999	\$50,000 to \$99,999
<b>LIVESTOCK—Con.</b>						
Cattle and calves sold	farms..	1 631	34	79	210	150
number..	37 889	11	3 993	5 445	8 208	4 228
\$1,000..	10 222	427	1 011	1 505	1 816	1 149
Calves	farms..	991	9	28	68	114
number..	19 721	3 451	2 041	2 967	4 537	1 895
\$1,000..	1 284	49	51	116	143	83
Cattle	farms..	1 358	11	32	73	132
number..	18 168	1 010	1 952	2 478	3 671	2 333
\$1,000..	8 938	378	960	1 389	1 672	1 066
Fattened on grain and concentrates	farms..	256	2	6	8	8
number..	2 699	(D)	481	22	503	370
\$1,000..	1 751	(D)	315	15	373	246
Hogs and pigs inventory	farms..	341	—	3	6	6
number..	5 977	—	(D)	24	154	(D)
Farms with—						
1 to 24 .....	310	—	2	6	12	4
25 to 49 .....	8	—	—	—	—	—
50 to 99 .....	12	—	—	—	1	1
100 to 199 .....	7	—	—	—	—	—
200 to 499 .....	2	—	—	—	—	—
500 or more .....	2	—	1	—	—	1
Used or to be used for breeding	farms..	137	—	1	2	3
number..	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	47	(D)
Other	farms..	302	—	3	5	6
number..	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	12	(D)
107						
Hogs and pigs sold	farms..	261	—	1	2	5
number..	9 226	—	(D)	(D)	477	(D)
\$1,000..	1 360	—	(D)	(D)	94	(D)
Feeder pigs	farms..	53	—	—	—	1
number..	(D)	—	—	—	—	(D)
\$1,000..	(D)	—	—	—	—	(D)
Litters of pigs farrowed between—						
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30 .....	farms..	153	—	1	2	4
number..	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Dec. 1 and May 31 .....	farms..	133	—	1	2	4
number..	980	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
June 1 and Nov. 30 .....	farms..	92	—	1	1	3
number..	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory	farms..	426	—	—	3	9
number..	10 603	—	—	(D)	436	(D)
Ewes 1 year old or older	farms..	379	—	—	2	6
number..	6 488	—	—	(D)	127	(D)
Sheep and lambs sold	farms..	355	—	—	2	7
number..	7 970	—	—	(D)	378	(D)
Sheep and lambs shorn	farms..	352	—	—	2	4
number..	8 572	—	—	(D)	131	(D)
pounds of wool..	65 654	—	—	(D)	635	(D)
Horses and ponies inventory	farms..	1 014	4	6	8	46
number..	5 750	11	16	27	316	216
Horses and ponies sold	farms..	214	—	—	2	7
number..	810	—	—	(D)	(D)	132
Goats inventory	farms..	214	—	—	2	5
number..	2 214	—	—	(D)	86	7
Goats sold	farms..	66	—	—	—	1
number..	657	—	—	—	(D)	(D)
<b>POULTRY</b>						
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older	farms..	554	5	6	16	20
inventory (see text) .....	number..	6 134 383	(D)	(D)	445 235	114 492
Farms with—						
1 to 399 .....	519	—	1	2	17	9
400 to 3,199 .....	4	—	—	—	—	1
3,200 to 9,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
10,000 to 19,999 .....	7	—	—	5	1	—
20,000 to 49,999 .....	14	2	3	6	1	2
50,000 to 99,999 .....	7	—	2	3	1	—
100,000 or more .....	3	3	—	—	—	—
Layers 20 weeks old and older	farms..	532	5	6	13	17
number..	5 019 263	(D)	186 419	217 034	(D)	(D)
Pullets 13 weeks old and older but less than 20 weeks old	farms..	109	3	1	4	8
number..	1 115 120	(D)	(D)	228 201	(D)	5
(D)						(D)
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold (see text)	farms..	98	5	7	15	9
number..	6 977 638	(D)	758 811	622 150	585 595	185 225
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold	farms..	73	—	—	—	6
number..	199 416	—	—	—	191 604	—
Farms with—						
1 to 1,999 .....	68	—	—	—	2	—
2,000 to 59,999 .....	3	—	—	—	2	—
60,000 to 99,999 .....	2	—	—	—	2	—
100,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Turkey hens kept for breeding	farms..	25	—	—	—	1
number..	170	—	—	—	—	(D)
Turkeys sold	farms..	99	—	—	1	6
number..	9 364	—	—	(D)	3	(D)
2 700						

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<b>LIVESTOCK—Con.</b>						
Cattle and calves sold .....						
farms..	131	232	220	226	223	115
number..	2 813	3 709	2 387	1 491	912	242
\$1,000..	1 078	1 501	835	541	298	61
Calves .....						
farms..	85	132	105	98	103	66
number..	1 083	1 397	1 124	606	458	162
\$1,000..	140	247	219	119	91	25
Cattle .....						
farms..	114	193	178	196	170	64
number..	1 730	2 312	1 263	885	454	80
\$1,000..	938	1 254	616	421	208	36
Fattened on grain and concentrates .....						
farms..	18	56	54	58	38	5
number..	424	439	190	170	78	(D)
\$1,000..	233	279	122	109	43	(D)
Hogs and pigs inventory .....						
farms..	22	53	53	69	67	49
number..	692	1 228	1 002	535	243	218
Farms with—						
1 to 24 .....	18	45	44	64	67	48
25 to 49 .....	1	3	2	2	—	—
50 to 99 .....	1	1	4	3	—	1
100 to 199 .....	1	3	3	—	—	—
200 to 499 .....	1	1	—	—	—	—
500 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Used or to be used for breeding .....						
farms..	13	26	30	23	22	13
number..	212	281	210	60	46	34
Other .....						
farms..	18	46	46	66	54	46
number..	480	947	792	475	197	184
Hogs and pigs sold .....						
farms..	19	47	49	66	54	11
number..	1 669	2 799	1 252	594	323	33
\$1,000..	147	188	118	80	40	4
Feeder pigs .....						
farms..	5	15	20	6	6	—
number..	976	1 473	734	72	70	—
\$1,000..	39	53	32	4	3	—
Litters of pigs farrowed between—						
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30 .....						
farms..	14	31	33	28	22	14
number..	237	274	191	65	40	30
Dec. 1 and May 31 .....						
farms..	14	26	27	23	22	11
number..	121	173	106	49	29	16
June 1 and Nov. 30 .....						
farms..	13	20	23	11	8	8
number..	116	101	85	16	11	14
Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory .....						
farms..	18	50	75	85	97	78
number..	335	1 841	1 973	2 274	1 920	978
Ewes 1 year old or older .....						
farms..	14	47	64	77	90	68
number..	275	1 215	1 153	1 373	1 180	595
Sheep and lambs sold .....						
farms..	12	44	65	73	93	51
number..	356	1 766	1 673	1 518	1 463	456
Sheep and lambs shorn .....						
farms..	14	46	61	66	91	63
number..	289	1 505	1 684	1 847	1 735	824
pounds of wool..	2 881	12 130	11 720	13 170	13 996	5 685
Horses and ponies inventory .....						
farms..	38	114	125	149	156	340
number..	298	668	706	665	763	2 064
Horses and ponies sold .....						
farms..	11	27	50	42	55	18
number..	38	107	147	79	83	21
Goats inventory .....						
farms..	4	27	32	22	52	63
number..	8	714	297	226	385	352
Goats sold .....						
farms..	—	10	12	8	22	12
number..	—	113	145	(D)	251	63
<b>POULTRY</b>						
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text) .....						
farms..	40	54	82	101	109	109
number..	(D)	2 594	2 879	3 485	2 554	2 350
Farms with—						
1 to 399 .....	37	52	82	101	109	109
400 to 3,199 .....	1	2	—	—	—	—
3,200 to 9,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
10,000 to 19,999 .....	1	—	—	—	—	—
20,000 to 49,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
50,000 to 99,999 .....	1	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Layers 20 weeks old and older .....						
farms..	37	54	80	98	106	107
number..	2 711	2 460	2 511	3 276	2 146	2 031
Pullets 13 weeks old and older but less than 20 weeks old .....						
farms..	9	9	16	18	16	20
number..	(D)	134	368	209	408	319
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold (see text) .....						
farms..	8	11	13	8	9	6
number..	130 666	(D)	428	192	311	62
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold .....						
farms..	4	11	13	22	8	9
number..	218	4 863	1 152	1 221	176	182
Farms with—						
1 to 1,999 .....	4	10	13	22	8	9
2,000 to 59,999 .....	—	1	—	—	—	—
60,000 to 99,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Turkey hens kept for breeding .....						
farms..	—	5	6	9	1	3
number..	—	(D)	51	46	(D)	44
Turkeys sold .....						
farms..	6	18	14	26	19	6
number..	143	1 371	491	580	322	37

See footnotes at end of table.

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

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

Item	All farms	\$1,000,000 or more	\$500,000 to \$999,999	\$250,000 to \$499,999	\$100,000 to \$249,999	\$50,000 to \$99,999
<b>SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED</b>						
Corn for silage or green chop .....	farms..	332	10	28	65	111
acres..	27 537	3 824	6 721	7 408	6 310	45
tons, green..	447 405	71 842	110 533	118 686	98 136	1 663
Irrigated .....	farms..	6	1	—	1	—
acres..	(D)	(D)	—	(D)	—	—
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres .....		104	—	1	—	24
25 to 99 acres .....		134	—	3	29	70
100 to 249 acres .....		69	2	9	34	17
250 to 499 acres .....		24	7	15	2	4
500 acres or more .....		1	1	—	—	—
Oats for grain .....	farms..	272	7	23	35	56
acres..	22 364	2 890	5 770	4 436	5 123	36
bushels..	1 643 127	215 900	481 548	327 055	350 417	1 645
Irrigated .....	farms..	1	—	—	—	—
acres..	(D)	(D)	—	—	—	—
Potatoes, excluding sweetpotatoes .....	farms..	586	16	44	95	118
acres..	73 085	11 538	4 175 19	20 208	15 460	96
cwt..	19 490 474	3 257 512	4 972 943	5 487 189	3 793 988	6 122
Irrigated .....	farms..	100	13	12	26	10
acres..	8 634	3 506	2 509	1 836	419	7
Farms by acres harvested:						
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....		137	—	—	3	4
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....		72	—	—	2	2
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....		117	—	—	2	19
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....		167	—	3	55	90
250.0 acres or more .....		93	16	41	33	19
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) .....	farms..	2 810	12	39	82	220
acres..	214 005	4 293	15 346	18 211	41 248	165
tons, dry..	332 039	10 323	28 764	32 094	71 646	22 098
Irrigated .....	farms..	26	1	1	1	—
acres..	958	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres .....		986	—	2	6	14
25 to 99 acres .....		1 147	—	4	8	44
100 to 249 acres .....		493	5	11	33	104
250 to 499 acres .....		160	6	14	31	51
500 acres or more .....		24	1	8	4	7
Tame hay other than alfalfa, small grain, and wild hay (see text) .....	farms..	2 005	7	28	55	178
acres..	119 468	887	4 006	5 749	20 158	126
tons, dry..	187 105	1 604	6 855	9 637	38 783	13 563
Irrigated .....	farms..	12	—	—	1	—
acres..	177	—	—	(D)	—	(D)
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text) .....	farms..	611	10	8	25	42
acres..	11 745	5 728	539	1 205	1 270	54
Irrigated .....	farms..	212	5	1	9	970
acres..	5 665	(D)	(D)	370	215	26
Farms by acres harvested:						
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....		367	1	—	2	11
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....		164	2	1	4	8
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....		71	3	5	17	22
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....		7	2	2	2	14
250.0 acres or more .....		2	2	—	—	—
Land in orchards .....	farms..	334	2	2	10	21
acres..	5 170	(D)	(D)	645	834	29
Irrigated .....	farms..	37	1	—	1	—
acres..	325	(D)	—	(D)	79	(D)
Farms by bearing and nonbearing acres:						
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....		193	—	—	2	3
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....		93	—	—	1	3
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....		40	—	—	5	14
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....		6	—	2	2	1
250.0 acres or more .....		2	2	—	—	1
Berries harvested for sale .....	farms..	820	9	1	12	25
acres..	(D)	11 244	(D)	1 582	2 437	53
Irrigated .....	farms..	143	5	—	4	17
acres..	(D)	3 610	—	31	58	171

See footnotes at end of table.

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

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

Item	\$25,000 to \$49,999	\$10,000 to \$24,999	\$5,000 to \$9,999	\$2,500 to \$4,999	\$1,000 to \$2,499	Less than \$1,000
<b>SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED</b>						
Corn for silage or green chop .....	farms.. acres.. tons, green..	21 767 11 121	27 610 7 341	3 (D) (D)	14 145 2 338	2 (D) (D)
Irrigated .....	farms.. acres..	— —	— —	1 (D)	1 (D)	— (D)
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres .....		13	20	2	12	2
25 to 99 acres .....		6	6	1	2	—
100 to 249 acres .....		2	1	—	—	—
250 to 499 acres .....		—	—	—	—	—
500 acres or more .....		—	—	—	—	—
Oats for grain .....	farms.. acres.. bushels..	24 813 59 182	33 785 45 721	33 640 36 676	9 167 7 860	12 74 4 130
Irrigated .....	farms.. acres..	— —	— —	1 (D)	— —	— —
Potatoes, excluding sweetpotatoes .....	farms.. acres.. cwt..	58 1 261 304 021	79 768 138 534	42 173 23 048	17 8 2 078	15 25 3 002
Irrigated .....	farms.. acres..	3 8	11 46	8 12	5 2	2 (D) (D)
Farms by acres harvested:						
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....		20	32	33	17	13
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....		14	37	8	—	2
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....		24	10	1	—	—
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....		—	—	—	—	—
250.0 acres or more .....		—	—	—	—	—
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) .....	farms.. acres.. tons, dry..	187 20 519 32 193	385 31 255 46 451	409 22 856 30 272	427 16 520 19 984	443 12 495 14 100
Irrigated .....	farms.. acres..	— —	7 51	3 (D)	2 (D)	5 50
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres .....		33	87	90	169	246
25 to 99 acres .....		66	174	257	231	190
100 to 249 acres .....		74	105	57	25	7
250 to 499 acres .....		13	19	5	2	—
500 acres or more .....		1	—	—	—	1
Tame hay other than alfalfa, small grain, and wild hay (see text) .....	farms.. acres.. tons, dry..	144 14 196 23 101	285 20 403 32 865	295 15 347 20 482	298 10 950 14 242	306 8 199 9 260
Irrigated .....	farms.. acres..	— —	2 (D)	2 (D)	1 (D)	— (D)
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text) ....	farms.. acres..	74 775	142 719	106 318	71 126	57 81
Irrigated .....	farms.. acres..	30 185	52 145	30 87	19 28	19 20
Farms by acres harvested:						
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....		25	96	82	64	54
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....		43	43	23	7	3
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....		6	3	1	—	—
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....		—	—	—	—	—
250.0 acres or more .....		—	—	—	—	—
Land in orchards .....	farms.. acres..	18 289	48 427	49 248	32 86	46 141
Irrigated .....	farms.. acres..	1 (D)	5 9	8 9	5 8	1 (D)
Farms by bearing and nonbearing acres:						
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....		4	22	26	25	36
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....		9	22	22	7	10
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....		5	4	1	—	—
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....		—	—	—	—	—
250.0 acres or more .....		—	—	—	—	—
Berries harvested for sale .....	farms.. acres..	100 2 318	177 2 382	162 1 486	107 506	107 354
Irrigated .....	farms.. acres..	14 58	33 150	23 74	15 18	11 (D)

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

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

**Table 1. County Summary Highlights: 1997**

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

Item	Maine	Androscoggin	Aroostook	Cumberland	Franklin
Farms ..... number..	5 810	288	889	455	223
Land in farms ..... acres..	1 211 648	55 905	324 887	49 829	40 091
Average size of farm ..... acres..	209	194	365	110	180
Median size of farm ..... acres..	102	105	210	55	101
Estimated market value of land and buildings <sup>1</sup> :					
Average per farm ..... dollars..	251 074	303 880	277 684	322 033	193 875
Average per acre ..... dollars..	1 190	1 715	716	2 600	1 236
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment <sup>1</sup> :					
Average per farm ..... dollars..	48 697	71 152	90 555	34 525	29 637
Farms by size:					
1 to 9 acres .....	533	27	26	79	13
10 to 49 acres .....	1 184	52	88	136	36
50 to 179 acres .....	2 110	101	274	160	101
180 to 499 acres .....	1 441	80	314	64	60
500 to 999 acres .....	398	22	124	15	9
1,000 acres or more .....	144	6	63	1	4
Total cropland ..... farms..	5 372	253	848	420	201
acres..	539 966	23 368	187 599	25 543	14 723
Harvested cropland ..... farms..	4 875	243	735	389	180
acres..	403 014	17 842	143 507	18 484	10 604
Irrigated land ..... farms..	671	36	76	107	6
acres..	21 791	784	11 058	906	20
Market value of agricultural products sold ..... \$1,000..	438 673	62 377	109 619	17 318	5 570
Average per farm ..... dollars..	75 503	216 587	123 306	38 061	24 976
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops ..... \$1,000..	212 229	7 893	104 685	11 164	(D)
Livestock, poultry, and their products ..... \$1,000..	226 444	54 484	4 934	6 154	(D)
Farms by value of sales:					
Less than \$2,500 .....	1 923	84	252	169	84
\$2,500 to \$4,999 .....	743	31	53	63	33
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	751	35	82	46	30
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	798	40	98	78	29
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	438	23	60	31	9
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	390	19	94	20	21
\$100,000 or more .....	767	56	250	48	17
Total farm production expenses <sup>1</sup> ..... \$1,000..	347 611	57 058	88 177	16 556	5 535
Average per farm ..... dollars..	59 923	199 505	99 298	36 387	24 822
Net cash return from agricultural sales for the farm unit (see text) <sup>1</sup> ..... farms..	5 801	286	888	455	223
\$1,000..	78 187	3 906	17 663	-2	138
Average per farm ..... dollars..	13 478	13 656	19 891	-5	617
Operators by principal occupation:					
Farming .....	2 872	150	530	215	103
Other .....	2 938	138	359	240	120
Operators by days worked off farm:					
Any .....	3 263	142	423	264	125
200 days or more .....	1 958	93	242	165	78
Livestock and poultry:					
Cattle and calves inventory ..... farms..	1 921	142	210	151	114
number..	101 695	10 026	9 755	5 906	5 134
Beef cows ..... farms..	1 035	58	147	100	52
number..	11 782	511	2 895	1 432	448
Milk cows ..... farms..	685	67	47	42	44
number..	40 749	4 089	1 465	1 733	1 769
Cattle and calves sold ..... farms..	1 631	130	187	118	91
number..	37 889	4 077	3 542	2 025	1 691
Hogs and pigs inventory ..... farms..	341	29	39	27	6
number..	5 977	291	1 499	1 243	12
Hogs and pigs sold ..... farms..	261	18	31	22	6
number..	9 226	402	1 619	1 474	42
Sheep and lambs inventory ..... farms..	426	22	33	46	25
number..	10 603	365	727	1 141	656
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text) ..... farms..	554	32	33	47	18
number..	6 134 383	(D)	1 052	1 431	(D)
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold ..... farms..	73	3	4	4	4
number..	199 416	(D)	(D)	(D)	272
Selected crops harvested:					
Corn for silage or green chop ..... farms..	332	41	17	13	19
acres..	27 537	3 333	827	820	938
tons, green..	447 405	62 692	12 068	11 735	15 426
Oats for grain ..... farms..	272	3	220	3	3
acres..	22 364	(D)	20 644	26	(D)
Potatoes, excluding sweetpotatoes ..... farms..	1 643 127	(D)	1 538 268	1 192	624
acres..	586	12	416	9	5
cwt..	73 085	196	65 454	(D)	22
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) ..... farms..	2 810	172	270	248	141
acres..	214 005	13 759	21 795	17 075	9 882
tons, dry..	332 039	24 589	32 927	24 976	16 326
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text) ..... farms..	611	37	79	63	14
acres..	11 745	465	7 360	578	52
Land in orchards ..... farms..	334	34	19	19	16
acres..	5 170	1 492	62	292	222

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 1. County Summary Highlights: 1997—Con.**

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

Item	Hancock	Kennebec	Knox	Lincoln	Oxford	Penobscot
Farms ..... number..	310	455	194	210	358	525
Land in farms ..... acres..	42 607	88 134	25 183	25 920	63 959	116 593
Average size of farm ..... acres..	137	194	130	123	179	222
Median size of farm ..... acres..	65	100	100	75	100	100
Estimated market value of land and buildings <sup>1</sup> : Average per farm ..... dollars..	265 598	258 170	216 952	205 766	293 384	226 336
Average per acre ..... dollars..	1 728	1 509	1 916	1 705	1 417	1 058
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment <sup>1</sup> : Average per farm ..... dollars..	23 909	52 231	39 984	32 551	45 147	43 491
Farms by size: 1 to 9 acres .....	32	34	23	22	40	62
10 to 49 acres .....	98	92	46	57	75	101
50 to 179 acres .....	118	172	79	84	122	182
180 to 499 acres .....	49	122	43	38	94	120
500 to 999 acres .....	10	28	2	8	22	45
1,000 acres or more .....	3	7	1	1	5	15
Total cropland ..... farms..	293	422	184	196	328	498
acres..	11 121	44 591	10 306	11 010	20 673	49 019
Harvested cropland ..... farms..	275	380	171	169	279	458
acres..	6 459	34 425	7 173	7 541	15 794	40 029
Irrigated land ..... farms..	40	42	24	26	43	65
acres..	195	365	102	92	1 086	1 592
Market value of agricultural products sold ..... \$1,000..	30 448	45 181	5 603	6 329	19 549	29 978
Average per farm ..... dollars..	98 219	99 299	28 883	30 140	54 607	57 101
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops ..... \$1,000..	(D)	6 175	3 386	2 270	10 398	11 150
Livestock, poultry, and their products ..... \$1,000..	(D)	39 006	2 218	4 059	9 152	18 828
Farms by value of sales: Less than \$2,500 .....	105	138	59	77	129	187
\$2,500 to \$4,999 .....	43	66	22	33	62	59
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	59	63	29	29	46	66
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	42	62	37	30	51	69
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	31	31	18	14	21	40
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	13	29	11	13	19	33
\$100,000 or more .....	17	66	18	14	30	71
Total farm production expenses <sup>1</sup> ..... \$1,000..	17 312	33 272	4 783	5 123	16 542	24 388
Average per farm ..... dollars..	55 846	73 124	24 656	24 395	46 208	46 543
Net cash return from agricultural sales for the farm unit (see text) <sup>1</sup> ..... farms..	310	455	194	210	358	524
\$1,000..	12 935	11 142	146	555	2 046	4 596
Average per farm ..... dollars..	41 725	24 488	755	2 643	5 714	8 771
Operators by principal occupation: Farming .....	118	237	90	103	171	248
Other .....	192	218	104	107	187	277
Operators by days worked off farm: Any .....	199	250	108	118	220	285
200 days or more .....	110	146	66	70	127	184
Livestock and poultry: Cattle and calves inventory ..... farms..	40	208	44	77	133	175
number..	353	15 699	1 499	2 642	4 176	14 741
Beef cows ..... farms..	34	103	31	39	90	73
number..	(D)	1 104	424	364	713	697
Milk cows ..... farms..	2	84	12	21	37	91
number..	(D)	7 850	351	850	1 375	7 581
Cattle and calves sold ..... farms..	24	183	33	62	110	161
number..	103	5 279	500	927	1 468	5 309
Hogs and pigs inventory ..... farms..	15	26	7	14	31	27
number..	156	393	19	87	700	389
Hogs and pigs sold ..... farms..	15	20	6	16	25	20
number..	478	767	32	154	734	1 096
Sheep and lambs inventory ..... farms..	30	31	17	29	29	30
number..	500	740	667	1 425	409	431
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text) ..... farms..	46	48	16	33	55	40
number..	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	1 339
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold ..... farms..	11	7	2	8	2	4
number..	(D)	171	(D)	1 660	(D)	186
Selected crops harvested: Corn for silage or green chop ..... farms..	6	47	5	7	13	55
acres..	(D)	4 238	136	180	744	7 206
tons, green..	(D)	66 926	1 990	3 324	12 322	110 923
Oats for grain ..... farms..	6	6	1	1	3	11
acres..	16	140	(D)	(D)	(D)	1 057
Potatoes, excluding sweetpotatoes ..... farms..	425	6 282	(D)	(D)	(D)	67 494
acres..	12	14	4	8	18	34
cwt..	11	9	(D)	7	1 919	4 007
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) ..... farms..	1 590	1 406	(D)	1 425	545 626	1 035 188
acres..	76	282	87	103	193	293
tons, dry..	2 122	30 484	5 150	6 409	9 964	25 283
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text) ..... farms..	32	59	21	28	37	61
acres..	2 530	43 024	5 848	10 672	15 204	41 288
Land in orchards ..... farms..	99	339	208	318	315	530
acres..	22	18	23	14	36	36
	101	665	145	117	690	296

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 1. County Summary Highlights: 1997—Con.**

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

Item	Piscataquis	Sagadahoc	Somerset	Waldo	Washington	York
Farms ..... number..	141	118	431	315	399	499
Land in farms ..... acres..	34 171	17 853	101 270	68 569	98 336	58 341
Average size of farm ..... acres..	242	151	235	218	246	117
Median size of farm ..... acres..	125	90	145	140	80	67
Estimated market value of land and buildings <sup>1</sup> :						
Average per farm ..... dollars..	213 977	288 119	219 241	222 268	215 070	222 768
Average per acre ..... dollars..	862	1 893	921	952	885	2 053
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment <sup>1</sup> :						
Average per farm ..... dollars..	41 987	34 761	56 717	34 455	35 097	30 994
Farms by size:						
1 to 9 acres .....	4	12	22	17	49	71
10 to 49 acres .....	27	29	57	58	102	130
50 to 179 acres .....	59	48	169	116	135	190
180 to 499 acres .....	32	22	132	94	83	94
500 to 999 acres .....	15	4	40	24	18	12
1,000 acres or more .....	4	3	11	6	12	2
Total cropland ..... farms..	127	106	358	298	386	454
acres..	10 434	7 074	35 971	28 338	36 313	23 883
Harvested cropland ..... farms..	115	96	327	278	369	411
acres..	8 179	5 530	27 191	21 460	20 235	18 561
Irrigated land ..... farms..	11	13	22	26	39	95
acres..	166	66	73	60	3 771	1 455
Market value of agricultural products sold ..... \$1,000..	5 561	3 067	24 727	14 768	43 074	15 503
Average per farm ..... dollars..	39 440	25 993	57 371	46 884	107 956	31 068
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops ..... \$1,000..	1 715	1 412	4 903	2 540	26 332	10 264
Livestock, poultry, and their products ..... \$1,000..	3 846	1 655	19 824	12 229	16 742	5 239
Farms by value of sales:						
Less than \$2,500 .....	45	41	124	98	135	196
\$2,500 to \$4,999 .....	20	19	63	42	50	84
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	23	24	46	42	72	59
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	21	13	61	38	65	64
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	10	2	50	27	37	34
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	9	12	29	28	19	21
\$100,000 or more .....	13	7	58	40	21	41
Total farm production expenses <sup>1</sup> ..... \$1,000..	4 883	2 752	19 123	13 212	27 798	11 097
Average per farm ..... dollars..	35 131	23 521	44 575	41 943	69 668	22 238
Net cash return from agricultural sales for the farm unit (see text) <sup>1</sup> ..... \$1,000..	139	117	429	315	399	499
Average per farm ..... dollars..	338	-168	5 766	1 627	14 927	2 572
Average per farm .....	2 434	-1 433	13 441	5 166	37 410	5 153
Operators by principal occupation:						
Farming .....	68	55	244	173	145	222
Other .....	73	63	187	142	254	277
Operators by days worked off farm:						
Any .....	85	68	251	177	259	289
200 days or more .....	54	46	143	93	138	203
Livestock and poultry:						
Cattle and calves inventory ..... farms..	51	43	182	142	31	178
number..	3 396	1 876	12 502	9 303	390	4 297
Beef cows ..... farms..	24	27	73	52	22	110
number..	385	425	838	492	(D)	768
Milk cows ..... farms..	31	15	81	76	4	31
number..	1 507	541	5 729	4 600	(D)	1 229
Cattle and calves sold ..... farms..	44	37	170	134	26	121
number..	1 218	661	6 195	3 001	111	1 782
Hogs and pigs inventory ..... farms..	6	14	21	20	14	45
number..	28	106	351	170	40	493
Hogs and pigs sold ..... farms..	4	11	15	12	9	31
number..	62	213	1 056	515	23	560
Sheep and lambs inventory ..... farms..	14	12	28	21	22	37
number..	651	333	778	527	472	781
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text) ..... farms..	15	21	22	31	35	62
number..	531	(D)	(D)	(D)	1 010	(D)
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold ..... farms..	-	1	2	4	6	11
number..	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	216	(D)
Selected crops harvested:						
Corn for silage or green chop ..... farms..	11	4	47	30	1	16
acres..	1 315	167	4 173	2 641	(D)	654
tons, green..	26 021	3 550	68 372	41 361	(D)	8 757
Oats for grain ..... farms..	4	2	4	2	-	3
acres..	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	-	13
Potatoes, excluding sweetpotatoes ..... farms..	12	3	52	(D)	-	(D)
acres..	444	(D)	1 970	(D)	-	11
cwt..	99 574	(D)	(D)	(D)	3 304	15
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) ..... farms..	69	69	275	197	69	266
acres..	5 681	5 526	24 018	18 784	2 899	15 174
tons, dry..	9 576	10 236	37 808	30 336	3 184	23 515
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text) ..... farms..	68	76	201	128	26	71
acres..	6	10	18	14	87	922
Land in orchards ..... farms..	9	42	152	102	54	36
acres..	-	-	-	-	-	728

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

**Table 2. Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold and Farms by North American Industry Classification System: 1997 and 1992**

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

Item	Maine	Androscoggin	Aroostook	Cumberland	Franklin
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD</b>					
Total sales (see text) .....	5 810	288	889	455	223
1992..	5 776	302	884	440	210
\$1,000, 1997..	438 673	62 377	109 619	17 318	5 570
1992..	430 324	81 017	122 767	15 928	7 553
Average per farm .....	75 503	216 587	123 306	38 061	24 976
dollars, 1997..	74 502	268 267	138 877	36 201	35 966
1997 value of sales:					
Less than \$1,000 (see text) .....	1 020	48	172	86	49
farms..	250	11	23	16	13
\$1,000..	903	36	80	83	35
\$1,000 to \$2,499 .....	1 477	55	119	127	54
farms..	743	31	53	63	33
\$2,500 to \$4,999 .....	2 618	119	190	229	123
farms..	751	35	82	46	30
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	5 297	241	571	305	216
farms..	1,000..				
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....	621	31	77	53	26
farms..	\$1,000..	445	1 072	744	354
\$20,000 to \$24,999 .....	177	9	21	25	3
farms..	\$1,000..	3 892	197	465	543
\$25,000 to \$39,999 .....	309	19	35	26	7
farms..	\$1,000..	9 743	571	1 095	800
\$40,000 to \$49,999 .....	129	4	25	5	2
farms..	\$1,000..	5 680	189	1 120	214
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	390	19	94	20	21
farms..	\$1,000..	28 364	1 342	6 992	1 378
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....	414	30	111	31	13
farms..	\$1,000..	64 969	4 568	18 315	4 988
\$250,000 to \$499,999 .....	212	17	87	11	4
farms..	\$1,000..	70 566	5 855	29 378	3 425
\$500,000 or more .....	141	9	52	6	(D)
farms..	\$1,000..	237 027	48 785	50 280	4 549
1992 value of sales:					
Less than \$1,000 .....	880	47	59	88	45
farms..	\$1,000..	256	12	15	14
\$1,000 to \$2,499 .....	810	44	64	70	35
farms..	\$1,000..	1 322	72	109	112
\$2,500 to \$4,999 .....	775	38	69	57	26
farms..	\$1,000..	2 787	138	256	202
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	786	39	74	65	24
farms..	\$1,000..	5 438	272	514	470
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....	572	24	64	37	13
farms..	\$1,000..	7 931	338	931	516
\$20,000 to \$24,999 .....	160	6	12	14	7
farms..	\$1,000..	3 524	(D)	258	317
\$25,000 to \$39,999 .....	313	16	60	32	14
farms..	\$1,000..	9 914	513	1 921	1 071
\$40,000 to \$49,999 .....	128	10	26	5	3
farms..	\$1,000..	5 701	449	1 139	213
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	449	14	122	27	20
farms..	\$1,000..	32 696	987	8 875	1 930
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....	559	39	187	31	18
farms..	\$1,000..	88 183	6 305	30 379	4 890
\$250,000 to \$499,999 .....	235	18	104	10	3
farms..	\$1,000..	81 773	5 915	35 576	3 460
\$500,000 or more .....	109	7	43	4	2
farms..	\$1,000..	190 802	(D)	42 793	2 718
Sales by commodity or commodity group:					
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops .....	3 899	168	641	293	131
farms, 1997..	3 822	161	749	282	111
1992..	212 229	7 893	104 685	11 164	(D)
\$1,000, 1997..	215 995	7 359	117 645	9 482	1 374
Grains .....	407	3	305	—	5
farms, 1997..	419	4	317	—	4
1992..	6 793	(D)	5 041	—	(D)
\$1,000, 1997..	4 525	(D)	3 206	—	54
Corn for grain .....	17	1	—	—	1
farms, 1997..	23	2	1	—	2
1992..	785	(D)	—	—	(D)
\$1,000, 1997..	547	(D)	(D)	—	(D)
Wheat .....	11	1	7	—	—
farms, 1997..	8	—	3	—	—
1992..	124	(D)	118	—	—
\$1,000, 1997..	(D)	—	33	—	—
Soybeans .....	16	—	14	—	—
farms, 1997..	1	—	—	—	—
1992..	113	—	(D)	—	—
\$1,000, 1997..	(D)	—	—	—	—
Sorghum for grain .....	—	—	—	—	—
farms, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—
Barley .....	164	—	152	—	—
farms, 1997..	120	—	112	—	—
1992..	3 162	—	3 036	—	—
\$1,000, 1997..	1 348	—	1 297	—	—
Oats .....	209	—	188	—	—
farms, 1997..	265	—	240	—	—
1992..	1 882	—	1 776	—	—
\$1,000, 1997..	1 860	—	1 762	—	—
Other grains .....	farms, 1997..	63	1	5	—
1992..	68	3	5	—	5
\$1,000, 1997..	727	(D)	(D)	—	3
1992..	729	(D)	(D)	—	29

**Table 2. Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold and Farms by North American Industry Classification System: 1997 and 1992—Con.**

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

Item	Hancock	Kennebec	Knox	Lincoln	Oxford	Penobscot
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD</b>						
Total sales (see text) .....	310	455	194	210	358	525
1992..	291	494	217	202	346	524
\$1,000, 1997..	30 448	45 181	5 603	6 329	19 549	29 978
1992..	15 236	36 543	6 420	4 745	14 509	28 814
Average per farm .....	dollars, 1997..	98 219	99 299	28 883	30 140	54 607
1992..	52 357	73 973	29 585	23 489	41 933	54 989
1997 value of sales:						
Less than \$1,000 (see text) .....	farms..	57	62	31	39	63
\$1,000..		18	18	9	10	15
\$1,000 to \$2,499 .....	farms..	48	76	28	38	66
\$1,000..		79	134	52	63	108
\$2,500 to \$4,999 .....	farms..	43	66	22	33	62
\$1,000..		143	220	79	117	214
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	farms..	59	63	29	29	46
\$1,000..		442	444	220	211	316
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....	farms..	35	48	29	24	37
\$1,000..		501	705	426	321	535
\$20,000 to \$24,999 .....	farms..	7	14	8	6	14
\$1,000..		151	316	182	135	306
\$25,000 to \$39,999 .....	farms..	22	24	14	11	15
\$1,000..		663	772	436	319	470
\$40,000 to \$49,999 .....	farms..	9	7	4	3	6
\$1,000..		404	299	169	(D)	267
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	farms..	13	29	11	13	19
\$1,000..		953	2 266	763	884	1 426
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....	farms..	10	38	14	8	18
\$1,000..		1 744	5 620	1 862	1 241	3 018
\$250,000 to \$499,999 .....	farms..	3	13	4	4	4
\$1,000..		806	4 489	1 405	1 629	1 473
\$500,000 or more .....	farms..	4	15	—	2	8
\$1,000..		24 543	29 898	—	(D)	11 401
1992 value of sales:						
Less than \$1,000 .....	farms..	28	78	36	35	72
\$1,000..		7	23	10	16	19
\$1,000 to \$2,499 .....	farms..	42	73	30	41	59
\$1,000..		79	118	53	65	99
\$2,500 to \$4,999 .....	farms..	53	65	29	34	52
\$1,000..		186	224	103	118	186
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	farms..	60	67	43	33	52
\$1,000..		435	434	308	215	358
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....	farms..	45	42	26	22	30
\$1,000..		633	576	359	296	396
\$20,000 to \$24,999 .....	farms..	14	14	8	3	7
\$1,000..		311	312	(D)	63	157
\$25,000 to \$39,999 .....	farms..	18	24	9	3	9
\$1,000..		547	761	298	91	251
\$40,000 to \$49,999 .....	farms..	2	6	5	6	5
\$1,000..		(D)	268	219	267	222
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	farms..	18	39	14	11	26
\$1,000..		1 175	2 866	1 088	766	1 903
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....	farms..	9	55	13	10	20
\$1,000..		1 449	8 261	1 940	1 434	2 964
\$250,000 to \$499,999 .....	farms..	1	19	3	4	9
\$1,000..		(D)	6 704	1 120	1 414	2 884
\$500,000 or more .....	farms..	1	12	1	—	5
\$1,000..		(D)	15 995	(D)	—	5 072
Sales by commodity or commodity group:						
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse						
crops .....	farms, 1997..	255	270	142	127	216
1992..		255	260	146	127	197
\$1,000, 1997..	(D)	6 175	3 386	2 270	10 398	11 150
1992..		(D)	5 329	2 687	1 964	9 252
Grains .....	farms, 1997..	9	11	3	1	9
1992..		4	4	3	4	6
\$1,000, 1997..	(D)	74	2	(D)	819	563
1992..		(D)	8	2	(D)	634
Corn for grain .....	farms, 1997..	1	3	—	—	4
1992..		1	1	1	—	6
\$1,000, 1997..	(D)	(D)	—	—	(D)	(D)
1992..		(D)	—	(D)	262	201
Wheat .....	farms, 1997..	1	—	—	1	—
1992..		1	—	—	(D)	—
\$1,000, 1997..	(D)	—	—	(D)	—	—
1992..		(D)	—	(D)	—	—
Soybeans .....	farms, 1997..	—	—	—	—	2
1992..		—	1	—	—	—
\$1,000, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	(D)
1992..		(D)	—	—	—	—
Sorghum for grain .....	farms, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—
1992..		—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—
1992..		—	—	—	—	—
Barley .....	farms, 1997..	—	1	—	—	7
1992..		—	(D)	—	—	4
\$1,000, 1997..	—	—	(D)	—	—	112
1992..		—	—	—	—	35
Oats .....	farms, 1997..	1	3	1	—	7
1992..		—	—	—	—	13
\$1,000, 1997..	(D)	7	(D)	—	(D)	67
1992..		—	—	—	(D)	72
Other grains .....	farms, 1997..	7	5	2	—	4
1992..		3	2	3	—	3
\$1,000, 1997..	7	3	(D)	—	439	22
1992..		(D)	2	(D)	(D)	131

**Table 2. Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold and Farms by North American Industry Classification System: 1997 and 1992—Con.**

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

Item	Piscataquis	Sagadahoc	Somerset	Waldo	Washington	York
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD</b>						
Total sales (see text) .....	141	118	431	315	399	499
1992..	140	120	413	339	372	482
\$1,000, 1997..	5 561	3 067	24 727	14 768	43 074	15 503
1992..	5 599	2 831	19 581	17 132	35 995	15 653
Average per farm .....	39 440	25 993	57 371	46 884	107 956	31 068
dollars, 1997..	39 994	23 595	47 412	50 538	96 762	32 475
1997 value of sales:						
Less than \$1,000 (see text) .....	25	20	48	49	47	110
\$1,000..	9	6	14	16	19	22
\$1,000 to \$2,499 .....	20	21	76	49	88	86
\$1,000..	36	37	128	83	145	138
\$2,500 to \$4,999 .....	20	19	63	42	50	84
\$1,000..	70	65	219	148	181	286
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	23	24	46	42	72	59
\$1,000..	169	161	315	308	519	400
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....	16	9	51	26	50	53
\$1,000..	208	132	694	384	714	772
\$20,000 to \$24,999 .....	5	4	10	12	15	11
\$1,000..	114	92	214	260	328	243
\$25,000 to \$39,999 .....	5	2	35	17	26	23
\$1,000..	(D)	(D)	1 105	533	859	724
\$40,000 to \$49,999 .....	5	—	15	10	11	11
\$1,000..	226	—	643	453	483	476
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	9	12	29	28	19	21
\$1,000..	716	872	2 141	2 050	1 263	1 424
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....	8	5	36	27	7	25
\$1,000..	1 320	738	5 512	4 188	911	3 788
\$250,000 to \$499,999 .....	4	1	13	9	3	12
\$1,000..	1 283	(D)	4 006	3 115	1 006	3 691
\$500,000 or more .....	1	1	9	4	11	4
\$1,000..	(D)	(D)	9 736	3 231	36 647	3 538
1992 value of sales:						
Less than \$1,000 .....	24	25	67	47	36	104
\$1,000..	5	7	20	15	13	24
\$1,000 to \$2,499 .....	19	18	43	40	44	93
\$1,000..	32	28	70	60	69	148
\$2,500 to \$4,999 .....	21	26	81	50	51	70
\$1,000..	74	98	306	184	179	253
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	29	18	51	45	60	69
\$1,000..	206	121	341	307	442	466
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....	11	11	40	39	61	46
\$1,000..	156	149	566	525	836	644
\$20,000 to \$24,999 .....	2	4	13	8	19	18
\$1,000..	(D)	(D)	284	178	(D)	394
\$25,000 to \$39,999 .....	7	4	22	21	24	18
\$1,000..	194	140	725	635	776	535
\$40,000 to \$49,999 .....	6	2	9	11	17	7
\$1,000..	272	(D)	403	492	751	315
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	7	5	34	25	33	17
\$1,000..	561	334	2 478	1 916	2 477	1 244
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....	11	3	34	39	14	27
\$1,000..	2 067	356	4 844	5 884	2 236	4 517
\$250,000 to \$499,999 .....	2	4	16	10	2	7
\$1,000..	(D)	1 415	6 013	3 440	(D)	2 322
\$500,000 or more .....	1	—	3	4	11	6
\$1,000..	(D)	—	3 533	3 497	27 071	4 792
Sales by commodity or commodity group:						
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops .....	99	75	270	180	355	325
farms, 1997..	90	73	234	192	331	299
1992..	1 715	1 412	4 903	2 540	26 332	10 264
\$1,000, 1997..	1 727	(D)	2 335	2 796	28 214	9 323
Grains .....	8	—	5	10	—	10
farms, 1997..	10	3	4	10	3	7
1992..	26	—	11	34	(D)	(D)
\$1,000, 1997..	44	(D)	4	34	(D)	(D)
Corn for grain .....	1	—	—	2	—	1
farms, 1997..	1	2	1	1	—	(D)
1992..	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	—	—
\$1,000, 1997..	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	—
Wheat .....	—	—	—	—	—	1
farms, 1997..	—	—	—	2	—	(D)
1992..	—	—	—	—	—	(D)
\$1,000, 1997..	—	—	—	(D)	—	(D)
Soybeans .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sorghum for grain .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Barley .....	2	—	2	—	—	—
farms, 1997..	2	—	(D)	—	—	—
1992..	(D)	—	(D)	—	—	—
\$1,000, 1997..	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	—	—
Oats .....	2	—	1	2	—	2
farms, 1997..	2	—	(D)	(D)	—	(D)
1992..	3	1	2	3	—	2
\$1,000, 1997..	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	—	(D)
1992..	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	(D)
Other grains .....	4	—	2	7	—	6
farms, 1997..	5	—	1	8	3	5
1992..	9	—	(D)	18	—	(D)
\$1,000, 1997..	8	—	(D)	28	(D)	55

**Table 2. Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold and Farms by North American Industry Classification System: 1997 and 1992—Con.**

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

Item	Maine	Androscoggin	Aroostook	Cumberland	Franklin
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD—Con.</b>					
Total sales (see text)—Con.					
Sales by commodity or commodity group—Con.					
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops—Con.					
Cotton and cottonseed .....					
farms, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco .....					
farms, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—
Hay, silage, and field seeds .....					
farms, 1997..	1 574	87	147	141	74
1992..	1 688	91	159	142	70
\$1,000, 1997..	9 747	598	1 338	889	387
1992..	9 683	570	907	(D)	301
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons .....					
farms, 1997..	611	37	79	63	14
1992..	582	43	56	66	16
\$1,000, 1997..	16 974	849	8 984	1 365	90
1992..	12 737	711	6 956	1 190	70
Fruits, nuts, and berries .....					
farms, 1997..	963	40	24	47	24
1992..	1 017	40	17	52	28
\$1,000, 1997..	47 118	5 000	121	725	421
1992..	49 888	4 592	34	962	652
Nursery and greenhouse crops .....					
farms, 1997..	926	41	86	115	28
1992..	568	37	22	83	15
\$1,000, 1997..	29 852	1 014	1 886	7 981	267
1992..	20 823	1 079	405	6 287	259
Other crops .....					
farms, 1997..	813	17	429	19	31
1992..	741	14	590	5	9
\$1,000, 1997..	101 745	(D)	87 315	204	(D)
1992..	118 340	(D)	106 136	(D)	37
Livestock, poultry, and their products .....					
farms, 1997..	2 425	168	234	197	120
1992..	2 601	176	198	237	128
\$1,000, 1997..	226 444	54 484	4 934	6 154	(D)
1992..	214 329	73 657	5 123	6 446	6 179
Poultry and poultry products .....					
farms, 1997..	396	26	21	34	14
1992..	397	24	13	34	15
\$1,000, 1997..	73 299	(D)	37	(D)	(D)
1992..	88 576	(D)	(D)	182	(D)
Dairy products .....					
farms, 1997..	565	56	22	31	38
1992..	694	72	30	44	44
\$1,000, 1997..	95 420	10 236	3 013	3 964	3 267
1992..	89 975	10 154	3 359	3 715	4 496
Cattle and calves .....					
farms, 1997..	1 631	130	187	118	91
1992..	1 831	138	169	162	96
\$1,000, 1997..	10 222	1 579	1 320	720	441
1992..	14 273	1 726	1 255	1 580	569
Hogs and pigs .....					
farms, 1997..	261	18	31	22	6
1992..	258	16	20	26	5
\$1,000, 1997..	1 360	(D)	146	(D)	7
1992..	787	28	135	101	15
Sheep, lambs, and wool .....					
farms, 1997..	407	18	30	42	26
1992..	436	27	26	43	22
\$1,000, 1997..	578	20	34	71	30
1992..	720	19	20	62	80
Other livestock and livestock products (see text) .....					
farms, 1997..	452	20	28	31	22
1992..	429	19	18	39	16
\$1,000, 1997..	45 563	66	384	409	137
1992..	19 998	(D)	(D)	807	(D)
<b>1997 FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM</b>					
Oilseed and grain farming (1111) .....	179	2	112	4	3
Vegetable and melon farming (1112) .....	733	25	413	29	3
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113) .....	805	30	13	34	15
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114) .....	704	30	70	90	21
Other crop farming (1119) .....	1 224	44	95	110	70
Tobacco farming (11191) .....	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton farming (11192) .....	—	—	—	—	—
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199) .....	1 224	44	95	110	70
Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111) .....	699	52	91	63	42
Cattle feedlots (112112) .....	95	9	21	8	5
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212) .....	535	50	20	30	36
Hog and pig farming (1122) .....	71	6	7	9	1
Poultry and egg production (1123) .....	104	10	5	10	4
Sheep and goat farming (1124) .....	193	6	14	22	6
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129) .....	468	24	28	46	17

**Table 2. Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold and Farms by North American Industry Classification System: 1997 and 1992—Con.**

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

Item	Hancock	Kennebec	Knox	Lincoln	Oxford	Penobscot
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD—Con.</b>						
Total sales (see text)—Con.						
Sales by commodity or commodity group—						
Con.						
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops—Con.						
Cotton and cottonseed .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hay, silage, and field seeds .....	farms, 1997..	46	156	53	52	108
1992..	44	170	63	75	110	170
\$1,000, 1997..	138	1 053	174	240	617	1 115
1992..	123	1 173	253	241	512	1 207
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons .....	farms, 1997..	32	59	21	28	37
1992..	27	48	22	27	38	61
\$1,000, 1997..	342	556	327	624	519	906
1992..	143	368	367	210	221	521
Fruits, nuts, and berries .....	farms, 1997..	160	39	75	34	43
1992..	181	52	80	37	45	49
\$1,000, 1997..	4 603	1 979	2 087	582	2 074	574
1992..	3 380	2 158	1 429	782	2 098	503
Nursery and greenhouse crops .....	farms, 1997..	71	68	30	41	60
1992..	40	51	20	27	35	93
\$1,000, 1997..	1 508	2 480	769	808	2 801	2 391
1992..	1 199	1 611	573	699	2 834	1 338
Other crops .....	farms, 1997..	12	31	6	16	39
1992..	9	8	6	2	15	52
\$1,000, 1997..	14	33	26	(D)	3 568	5 602
1992..	9	11	64	(D)	2 954	6 338
Livestock, poultry, and their products .....	farms, 1997..	80	257	67	107	179
1992..	68	296	97	112	182	231
\$1,000, 1997..	(D)	39 006	2 218	4 059	9 152	260
1992..	(D)	31 213	3 733	2 781	5 256	18 828
Poultry and poultry products .....	farms, 1997..	39	36	12	25	40
1992..	29	50	22	25	25	24
\$1,000, 1997..	313	17 464	1 281	(D)	(D)	34
1992..	49	12 308	1 839	(D)	(D)	142
Dairy products .....	farms, 1997..	1	77	7	11	31
1992..	5	104	16	14	37	84
\$1,000, 1997..	(D)	19 644	654	1 725	3 451	94
1992..	(D)	16 770	1 432	1 626	3 861	17 164
Cattle and calves .....	farms, 1997..	24	183	33	62	110
1992..	26	232	51	69	134	161
\$1,000, 1997..	59	1 259	178	230	403	173
1992..	91	1 576	329	289	901	1 252
Hogs and pigs .....	farms, 1997..	15	20	6	16	25
1992..	19	25	7	13	27	20
\$1,000, 1997..	95	57	5	(D)	74	84
1992..	17	39	15	32	35	59
Sheep, lambs, and wool .....	farms, 1997..	29	29	18	26	27
1992..	26	29	29	35	26	29
\$1,000, 1997..	36	36	31	75	22	38
1992..	26	36	61	128	17	29
Other livestock and livestock products (see text) .....	farms, 1997..	28	48	15	22	38
1992..	18	45	14	18	32	52
\$1,000, 1997..	(D)	546	68	934	(D)	59
1992..	(D)	485	57	(D)	(D)	157
<b>1997 FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM</b>						
Oilseed and grain farming (1111) .....	8	6	2	—	4	15
Vegetable and melon farming (1112) .....	15	32	13	17	24	53
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113) .....	148	26	61	29	32	41
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114) .....	46	52	23	25	46	81
Other crop farming (1119) .....	33	111	38	43	93	121
Tobacco farming (11191) .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton farming (11192) .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199) .....	33	111	38	43	93	121
Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111) .....	14	72	20	34	50	53
Cattle feedlots (112112) .....	4	7	1	2	7	4
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212) .....	—	74	7	10	29	80
Hog and pig farming (1122) .....	3	9	1	2	7	4
Poultry and egg production (1123) .....	7	13	7	6	7	5
Sheep and goat farming (1124) .....	13	13	10	16	18	10
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129) .....	19	40	11	26	41	58

**Table 2. Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold and Farms by North American Industry Classification System: 1997 and 1992—Con.**

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

Item	Piscataquis	Sagadahoc	Somerset	Waldo	Washington	York
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD—Con.</b>						
Total sales (see text)—Con.						
Sales by commodity or commodity group—Con.						
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops—Con.						
Cotton and cottonseed ..... farms, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco ..... farms, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hay, silage, and field seeds ..... farms, 1997..	46	45	159	88	45	157
1992..	58	49	176	100	48	164
\$1,000, 1997..	393	270	972	407	201	955
1992..	406	192	1 248	536	(D)	1 027
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ..... farms, 1997..	12	15	28	28	26	71
1992..	12	15	37	19	22	82
\$1,000, 1997..	80	190	354	184	108	1 495
1992..	51	522	150	128	53	1 074
Fruits, nuts, and berries ..... farms, 1997..	20	9	18	42	291	46
1992..	13	8	20	64	281	50
\$1,000, 1997..	200	94	390	650	25 642	1 973
1992..	150	58	472	1 511	27 728	3 380
Nursery and greenhouse crops ..... farms, 1997..	25	27	45	48	36	112
1992..	12	16	32	27	18	69
\$1,000, 1997..	326	761	907	1 211	349	4 395
1992..	105	506	445	541	240	2 703
Other crops ..... farms, 1997..	18	8	64	18	13	40
1992..	12	1	5	7	6	12
\$1,000, 1997..	690	97	2 268	53	31	(D)
1992..	972	(D)	15	47	(D)	(D)
Livestock, poultry, and their products ..... farms, 1997..	60	59	223	168	65	210
1992..	70	67	247	184	61	218
\$1,000, 1997..	3 846	1 655	19 824	12 229	16 742	5 239
1992..	3 872	(D)	17 246	14 336	7 782	6 330
Poultry and poultry products ..... farms, 1997..	12	13	16	19	21	44
1992..	8	8	24	19	18	49
\$1,000, 1997..	4	3	(D)	1 708	(D)	1 255
1992..	4	(D)	2 556	3 645	(D)	2 461
Dairy products ..... farms, 1997..	25	12	73	72	2	23
1992..	21	11	95	77	3	27
\$1,000, 1997..	3 525	1 222	15 180	9 654	(D)	2 595
1992..	3 366	1 205	12 732	9 309	(D)	2 804
Cattle and calves ..... farms, 1997..	44	37	170	134	26	121
1992..	49	41	193	144	22	132
\$1,000, 1997..	229	160	1 009	678	29	676
1992..	408	233	1 643	1 244	66	784
Hogs and pigs ..... farms, 1997..	4	11	15	12	9	31
1992..	4	9	14	12	7	32
\$1,000, 1997..	3	29	61	32	4	60
1992..	2	14	146	49	31	68
Sheep, lambs, and wool ..... farms, 1997..	13	14	28	20	21	37
1992..	14	13	26	24	16	42
\$1,000, 1997..	33	26	40	32	21	42
1992..	42	32	17	57	20	59
Other livestock and livestock products (see text) ..... farms, 1997..	8	14	29	16	27	54
1992..	15	16	36	19	26	39
\$1,000, 1997..	52	215	(D)	125	16 554	610
1992..	50	36	153	32	7 387	154
<b>1997 FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM</b>						
Oilseed and grain farming (1111) .....	2	—	5	8	4	4
Vegetable and melon farming (1112) .....	13	6	21	16	15	38
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113) .....	16	5	9	34	279	33
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114) .....	18	19	35	35	25	88
Other crop farming (1119) .....	37	39	158	69	35	128
Tobacco farming (11191) .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton farming (11192) .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199) .....	37	39	158	69	35	128
Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111) .....	12	14	63	39	7	73
Cattle feedlots (112112) .....	1	—	6	6	1	13
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212) .....	24	10	72	70	2	21
Hog and pig farming (1122) .....	—	1	7	4	—	10
Poultry and egg production (1123) .....	—	3	6	8	3	10
Sheep and goat farming (1124) .....	7	6	18	9	8	17
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129) .....	11	15	31	17	20	64

**Table 3. Farm Production Expenses: 1997 and 1992**

[Data are based on a sample of farms. For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	Maine	Androscoggin	Aroostook	Cumberland	Franklin
Total farm production expenses .....					
farms, 1997..	5 801	286	888	455	223
1992..	5 772	301	884	440	211
\$1,000, 1997..	347 611	57 058	88 177	16 556	5 535
1992..	351 076	74 524	96 255	13 333	5 892
Average per farm .....	dollars, 1997..	59 923	199 505	99 298	36 387
1992..	60 824	247 588	108 885	30 301	24 822
27 926					
Livestock and poultry purchased .....	farms, 1997..	1 234	107	111	75
1992..	1 360	102	55	127	75
\$1,000, 1997..	11 988	1 447	778	299	647
1992..	18 658	(D)	372	832	204
Feed for livestock and poultry .....	farms, 1997..	2 201	159	175	99
1992..	2 655	158	187	230	131
\$1,000, 1997..	79 605	25 316	969	1 466	1 413
1992..	70 781	(D)	1 402	1 742	1 994
Commercially mixed formula feeds .....	farms, 1997..	1 553	127	86	82
1992..	1 452	102	101	160	64
\$1,000, 1997..	51 161	4 311	(D)	1 271	1 186
1992..	58 694	25 270	770	1 124	1 629
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees .....	farms, 1997..	2 076	115	496	71
1992..	2 073	133	654	150	52
\$1,000, 1997..	13 757	265	8 459	1 161	53
1992..	15 329	162	11 436	613	40
Commercial fertilizer .....	farms, 1997..	3 031	122	604	130
1992..	3 181	165	694	250	124
\$1,000, 1997..	16 537	411	10 602	447	179
1992..	18 543	595	11 807	330	273
Agricultural chemicals .....	farms, 1997..	2 346	99	514	56
1992..	2 366	116	615	127	64
\$1,000, 1997..	17 435	589	11 823	204	92
Petroleum products .....	farms, 1997..	16 197	672	10 986	69
1992..	5 494	244	825	439	212
\$1,000, 1997..	5 435	260	849	417	188
1992..	14 829	948	5 115	859	343
15 276	1 673	5 894	5 894	555	272
Gasoline and gasohol .....	farms, 1997..	4 479	204	754	372
1992..	4 645	219	776	313	146
\$1,000, 1997..	5 758	306	2 116	297	154
Diesel fuel .....	farms, 1997..	6 043	(D)	2 529	228
1992..	3 647	158	650	300	(D)
\$1,000, 1997..	3 301	177	701	216	151
1992..	5 896	440	2 309	218	106
5 996	923	2 487	123	131	106
Natural gas .....	farms, 1997..	88	11	15	7
1992..	101	2	24	15	2
\$1,000, 1997..	61	14	13	(D)	1
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc. ....	farms, 1997..	138	(D)	30	(D)
1992..	3 756	187	705	320	138
\$1,000, 1997..	3 977	179	709	270	142
1992..	3 114	187	677	(D)	41
\$1,000, 1997..	3 099	405	847	168	43
Electricity .....	farms, 1997..	3 815	194	637	346
1992..	4 051	234	706	324	139
\$1,000, 1997..	10 613	2 361	2 636	442	164
Hired farm labor .....	farms, 1997..	8 763	1 500	1 895	214
1992..	2 472	96	476	390	207
\$1,000, 1997..	2 485	111	602	185	81
1992..	64 285	9 689	16 492	4 898	73
Contract labor .....	farms, 1997..	61 086	9 045	17 267	3 122
Repair and maintenance .....	farms, 1997..	645	17	97	29
1992..	816	26	92	19	29
\$1,000, 1997..	4 161	120	431	113	69
1992..	7 348	561	1 826	125	73
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment.....	farms, 1997..	4 827	247	781	173
1992..	4 778	233	773	401	368
\$1,000, 1997..	23 988	2 025	7 899	1 352	173
1992..	21 887	1 711	8 020	940	463
Interest .....	farms, 1997..	1 145	49	283	385
1992..	1 390	45	355	49	33
\$1,000, 1997..	4 595	295	1 375	75	60
1992..	4 975	605	2 158	94	80
Interest paid on debt:					
Secured by real estate .....	farms, 1997..	1 359	87	322	52
1992..	1 611	103	414	106	61
\$1,000, 1997..	10 753	951	3 602	483	216
1992..	10 382	1 026	3 698	518	215
Not secured by real estate .....	farms, 1997..	973	38	203	54
1992..	1 161	64	301	77	57
\$1,000, 1997..	5 201	210	1 704	167	63
1992..	4 393	195	2 121	130	90
Cash rent .....	farms, 1997..	941	79	315	28
1992..	1 135	73	363	57	52
\$1,000, 1997..	5 044	146	2 729	213	59
1992..	5 336	258	2 315	146	99
Property taxes paid .....	farms, 1997..	5 550	262	866	211
1992..	5 568	295	839	426	204
\$1,000, 1997..	16 006	1 316	3 165	1 565	364
1992..	13 753	1 158	3 131	1 092	333
All other farm production expenses .....	farms, 1997..	5 107	244	780	201
1992..	5 099	279	849	365	191
\$1,000, 1997..	48 814	10 969	10 397	2 792	782
1992..	58 370	19 416	11 929	2 510	836

**Table 3. Farm Production Expenses: 1997 and 1992 —Con.**

[Data are based on a sample of farms. For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	Hancock	Kennebec	Knox	Lincoln	Oxford	Penobscot
Total farm production expenses .....						
farms, 1997..	310	455	194	210	358	524
1992..	291	495	216	201	345	525
\$1,000, 1997..	17 312	33 272	4 783	5 123	16 542	24 388
1992..	13 021	30 929	5 454	4 352	10 999	23 376
Average per farm .....	55 846	73 124	24 656	24 395	46 208	46 543
dollars, 1997..						
1992..	44 747	62 483	25 249	21 650	31 882	44 527
Livestock and poultry purchased .....						
farms, 1997..	50	116	40	55	98	93
1992..	32	143	59	69	113	124
\$1,000, 1997..	1 019	1 968	255	145	897	662
1992..	(D)	1 779	495	255	235	862
Feed for livestock and poultry .....						
farms, 1997..	89	217	53	133	171	168
1992..	38	304	97	115	192	270
\$1,000, 1997..	(D)	12 966	1 201	1 355	4 682	5 720
1992..	(D)	9 357	1 268	938	1 594	5 357
Commercially mixed formula feeds .....						
farms, 1997..	65	144	34	82	138	121
1992..	17	196	66	42	83	124
\$1,000, 1997..	(D)	11 650	1 069	1 171	4 436	3 953
1992..	(D)	6 535	1 136	648	1 158	3 677
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees .....						
farms, 1997..	79	198	41	50	98	193
1992..	52	181	61	34	77	226
\$1,000, 1997..	124	381	117	51	634	1 045
1992..	122	274	110	41	555	958
Commercial fertilizer .....						
farms, 1997..	169	233	100	79	156	278
1992..	130	272	87	110	171	299
\$1,000, 1997..	136	536	113	126	766	1 202
1992..	73	817	117	181	776	1 409
Agricultural chemicals .....						
farms, 1997..	163	170	95	43	105	204
1992..	177	151	78	68	86	208
\$1,000, 1997..	260	416	136	50	729	1 034
Petroleum products .....						
farms, 1997..	171	346	71	91	600	1 018
1992..	286	450	182	196	343	478
\$1,000, 1997..	275	474	184	185	317	513
1992..	751	1 187	317	236	642	1 102
372	1 240	268	226	226	524	1 261
Gasoline and gasohol .....						
farms, 1997..	224	386	142	160	262	401
1992..	219	417	160	149	288	446
\$1,000, 1997..	436	374	75	98	271	421
Diesel fuel .....						
farms, 1997..	166	302	121	133	248	267
1992..	114	268	140	95	159	278
\$1,000, 1997..	115	455	67	99	253	491
1992..	62	417	73	59	196	470
Natural gas .....						
farms, 1997..	5	14	—	—	1	14
1992..	1	15	—	1	—	6
\$1,000, 1997..	(Z)	3	—	—	(D)	8
1992..	(D)	7	—	(D)	—	26
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc. ....						
farms, 1997..	156	316	118	131	218	314
1992..	201	336	131	122	192	440
\$1,000, 1997..	200	355	176	39	(D)	181
1992..	171	368	70	73	117	242
Electricity .....						
farms, 1997..	151	336	105	154	231	350
1992..	140	387	152	130	255	382
\$1,000, 1997..	748	961	106	165	361	715
Hired farm labor .....						
farms, 1997..	603	1 133	149	128	292	776
1992..	142	193	85	92	167	214
\$1,000, 1997..	107	224	76	87	111	167
1992..	4 039	4 418	555	986	2 263	3 533
3 202	6 701	732	694	694	1 825	3 587
Contract labor .....						
farms, 1997..	72	39	38	32	23	42
1992..	140	66	25	6	42	56
\$1,000, 1997..	(D)	703	267	70	134	188
Repair and maintenance .....						
farms, 1997..	571	471	93	25	376	177
1992..	249	396	154	198	294	447
\$1,000, 1997..	187	444	170	167	267	478
1992..	863	1 994	403	419	1 164	1 709
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment.....						
farms, 1997..	75	77	31	24	57	120
1992..	91	122	36	38	57	124
\$1,000, 1997..	95	398	51	24	546	630
1992..	94	176	67	89	210	422
Interest .....						
farms, 1997..	78	126	53	59	89	143
1992..	45	197	77	47	110	173
\$1,000, 1997..	769	1 305	244	308	644	1 285
1992..	328	1 051	330	189	549	1 295
Interest paid on debt:						
Secured by real estate .....	68	105	45	45	72	96
1992..	40	143	58	42	87	143
\$1,000, 1997..	429	841	205	249	517	824
1992..	308	712	258	113	433	900
Not secured by real estate .....	39	79	20	31	49	85
1992..	8	142	33	24	43	99
\$1,000, 1997..	339	464	39	59	128	461
1992..	20	339	72	77	116	395
Cash rent .....						
farms, 1997..	7	78	11	26	54	55
1992..	10	97	19	19	44	105
\$1,000, 1997..	69	164	76	81	281	465
1992..	18	328	27	28	385	350
Property taxes paid .....						
farms, 1997..	308	445	183	193	345	500
1992..	290	478	204	192	334	521
\$1,000, 1997..	1 012	1 352	396	361	884	1 268
All other farm production expenses .....						
farms, 1997..	782	1 287	424	350	692	917
1992..	269	420	160	198	314	460
\$1,000, 1997..	231	454	183	192	271	465
1992..	1 479	4 523	547	745	1 916	3 829
	867	4 292	854	598	1 435	3 171

**Table 3. Farm Production Expenses: 1997 and 1992 —Con.**

[Data are based on a sample of farms. For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	Piscataquis	Sagadahoc	Somerset	Waldo	Washington	York
Total farm production expenses .....						
farms, 1997..	139	117	429	315	399	499
1992..	139	120	413	338	371	482
\$1,000, 1997..	4 883	2 752	19 123	13 212	27 798	11 097
1992..	4 053	2 448	16 590	13 764	23 338	12 747
Average per farm .....	35 131	23 521	44 575	41 943	69 668	22 238
dollars, 1997..	29 156	20 403	40 169	40 722	62 906	26 446
Livestock and poultry purchased .....						
farms, 1997..	22	40	90	66	55	95
1992..	41	23	135	118	36	108
\$1,000, 1997..	47	135	773	948	1 461	509
1992..	118	50	712	1 034	908	500
Feed for livestock and poultry .....						
farms, 1997..	52	62	207	151	80	194
1992..	79	63	234	207	97	253
\$1,000, 1997..	1 231	(D)	6 345	4 601	4 702	1 587
1992..	1 022	524	5 293	4 484	2 431	2 239
Commercially mixed formula feeds .....						
farms, 1997..	45	37	150	115	58	138
1992..	52	22	192	95	17	119
\$1,000, 1997..	1 020	461	5 506	3 895	4 142	1 318
1992..	716	294	4 637	3 463	(D)	1 514
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees .....						
farms, 1997..	48	29	107	112	110	184
1992..	46	37	130	82	42	116
\$1,000, 1997..	149	47	251	293	112	615
1992..	145	52	163	156	41	463
Commercial fertilizer .....						
farms, 1997..	85	40	199	148	219	219
1992..	62	59	162	152	211	255
\$1,000, 1997..	277	79	641	200	466	356
1992..	319	78	663	296	435	373
Agricultural chemicals .....						
farms, 1997..	65	23	153	128	224	148
1992..	27	36	127	114	259	113
\$1,000, 1997..	160	21	202	133	1 289	299
Petroleum products .....						
farms, 1997..	153	42	202	149	992	430
1992..	133	108	401	306	399	492
\$1,000, 1997..	131	120	378	304	369	471
1992..	274	131	793	704	836	590
225	147	753	623	641	641	603
Gasoline and gasohol .....						
farms, 1997..	116	88	298	247	314	365
1992..	110	108	332	282	312	360
\$1,000, 1997..	119	48	242	242	336	208
Diesel fuel .....						
farms, 1997..	107	67	331	(D)	243	265
1992..	79	66	302	209	193	302
\$1,000, 1997..	80	63	265	202	182	255
1992..	121	34	385	301	268	208
Natural gas .....						
farms, 1997..	—	6	8	3	—	2
1992..	—	3	6	2	18	6
\$1,000, 1997..	—	1	(D)	1	(D)	17
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc. ....						
farms, 1997..	94	74	238	219	226	302
1992..	99	80	258	259	277	282
\$1,000, 1997..	34	49	(D)	160	232	(D)
1992..	37	33	125	105	160	135
Electricity .....						
farms, 1997..	81	80	358	201	181	271
1992..	107	81	278	256	148	307
\$1,000, 1997..	113	79	742	503	172	294
Hired farm labor .....						
farms, 1997..	169	81	534	464	122	318
1992..	49	25	185	159	196	127
\$1,000, 1997..	46	44	159	151	207	131
1992..	821	411	2 411	1 609	9 579	2 082
Contract labor .....						
farms, 1997..	13	6	17	54	96	45
1992..	4	9	43	71	132	56
\$1,000, 1997..	48	(D)	81	98	1 061	196
Repair and maintenance .....						
farms, 1997..	125	105	343	224	302	388
1992..	113	100	352	269	308	376
\$1,000, 1997..	410	235	1 305	991	1 732	1 024
1992..	361	150	1 305	917	1 546	810
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment.....						
farms, 1997..	20	13	47	69	98	100
1992..	30	20	58	72	127	80
\$1,000, 1997..	94	17	178	161	443	115
1992..	34	38	169	112	574	71
Interest .....						
farms, 1997..	53	30	171	100	88	116
1992..	49	26	171	129	113	105
\$1,000, 1997..	275	217	1 231	535	1 175	570
1992..	237	77	746	640	632	709
Interest paid on debt:						
Secured by real estate .....						
farms, 1997..	47	25	94	83	73	82
1992..	25	16	131	88	73	81
\$1,000, 1997..	212	201	876	440	317	391
1992..	146	53	605	434	413	551
Not secured by real estate .....						
farms, 1997..	26	10	121	46	52	39
1992..	36	16	63	94	58	46
\$1,000, 1997..	63	16	355	95	858	179
1992..	91	24	141	206	219	158
Cash rent .....						
farms, 1997..	16	10	111	43	9	52
1992..	29	12	98	44	53	60
\$1,000, 1997..	21	20	247	120	203	150
1992..	54	16	198	153	750	210
Property taxes paid .....						
farms, 1997..	136	113	386	314	388	474
1992..	134	115	402	319	363	456
\$1,000, 1997..	261	298	877	651	1 074	1 163
1992..	229	282	738	616	602	1 121
All other farm production expenses .....						
farms, 1997..	125	99	391	259	322	447
1992..	122	102	351	291	344	409
\$1,000, 1997..	703	378	3 046	1 665	3 494	1 547
1992..	466	432	3 001	2 243	4 032	2 289

**Table 4. Net Cash Return From Agricultural Sales, Government Payments, Other Farm-Related Income, Direct Sales, and Commodity Credit Corporation Loans: 1997 and 1992**

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

Item	Maine	Androscoggin	Aroostook	Cumberland	Franklin
<b>NET CASH RETURN<sup>1</sup></b>					
Net cash return from agricultural sales for the farm unit (see text) .....					
farms, 1997..	5 801	286	888	455	223
1992..	5 772	301	884	440	211
\$1,000, 1997..	78 187	3 906	17 663	-2	138
1992..	72 781	6 609	25 368	2 425	737
Average per farm .....	13 478	13 656	19 891	-5	617
dollars, 1997..	12 609	21 958	28 697	5 512	3 494
Farms with net gains <sup>2</sup> .....	2 469	84	403	142	92
1992..	2 938	146	543	183	90
\$1,000, 1997..	108 332	5 982	24 137	4 537	1 314
1992..	90 975	7 785	29 234	3 939	1 241
Average per farm .....	43 877	71 219	59 894	31 954	14 286
dollars, 1997..	30 965	53 324	53 837	21 525	13 783
Farms with net losses .....	3 332	202	485	313	131
1992..	2 834	155	341	257	121
\$1,000, 1997..	30 145	2 077	6 474	4 539	1 177
1992..	18 194	1 176	3 866	1 514	503
Average per farm .....	9 047	10 281	13 348	14 503	8 982
dollars, 1997..	6 420	7 587	11 336	5 890	4 159
<b>GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS</b>					
Total received .....					
farms, 1997..	934	37	346	46	33
1992..	999	30	323	71	49
\$1,000, 1997..	2 977	110	1 159	82	114
1992..	3 843	178	1 599	164	158
Average per farm .....	3 188	2 980	3 350	1 792	3 455
dollars, 1997..	3 847	5 947	4 950	2 304	3 217
Amount from Conservation Reserve and Wetlands Reserve Programs .....					
farms, 1997..	350	4	252	12	4
1992..	222	2	171	7	3
\$1,000, 1997..	1 077	10	862	20	(D)
1992..	669	(D)	540	17	(D)
Average per farm .....	3 078	2 411	3 420	1 688	(D)
dollars, 1997..	3 015	(D)	3 158	2 435	(D)
<b>OTHER FARM-RELATED INCOME<sup>1</sup></b>					
Gross before taxes and expenses .....					
farms, 1997..	1 689	71	244	98	84
1992..	1 769	87	247	106	78
\$1,000, 1997..	10 907	469	1 790	714	349
1992..	9 462	301	2 318	557	210
Average per farm .....	6 457	6 607	7 334	7 283	4 156
dollars, 1997..	5 349	3 463	9 384	5 256	2 695
Customwork and other agricultural services ....					
farms, 1997..	546	23	49	44	18
1992..	470	21	54	60	15
\$1,000, 1997..	3 643	51	897	363	88
1992..	3 568	18	865	(D)	29
Rental of farmland .....					
farms, 1997..	237	12	59	25	12
1992..	353	28	75	10	13
\$1,000, 1997..	753	25	380	83	18
1992..	828	24	375	(D)	6
Sales of forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products <sup>3</sup> .....					
farms, 1997..	903	41	73	39	47
1992..	977	49	117	55	32
\$1,000, 1997..	5 754	353	423	238	207
1992..	4 335	246	948	208	133
Other farm-related income sources .....					
farms, 1997..	472	21	122	8	47
1992..	308	16	71	14	47
\$1,000, 1997..	757	40	90	30	37
1992..	731	13	129	(D)	41
<b>DIRECT SALES</b>					
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text) .....					
farms, 1997..	1 177	58	106	124	47
1992..	1 006	61	77	106	44
\$1,000, 1997..	8 314	748	630	1 025	245
1992..	5 521	778	834	471	201
Average per farm .....	7 064	12 893	5 940	8 264	5 213
dollars, 1997..	5 488	12 752	10 827	4 442	4 559
<b>COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS</b>					
Total .....	12	-	10	-	1
farms, 1992..	12	-	7	-	1
\$1,000, 1997..	24	-	(D)	-	(D)
1992..	69	-	53	-	(D)
Corn .....	2	-	-	-	1
1992..	2	-	-	-	1
\$1,000, 1997..	(D)	-	-	-	(D)
1992..	(D)	-	-	-	(D)
Wheat .....	-	-	-	-	-
1992..	-	-	-	-	-
\$1,000, 1997..	-	-	-	-	-
1992..	-	-	-	-	-
Soybeans .....	-	-	-	-	-
1992..	-	-	-	-	-
\$1,000, 1997..	-	-	-	-	-
1992..	-	-	-	-	-

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**Table 4. Net Cash Return From Agricultural Sales, Government Payments, Other Farm-Related Income, Direct Sales, and Commodity Credit Corporation Loans: 1997 and 1992—Con.**

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

Item	Hancock	Kennebec	Knox	Lincoln	Oxford	Penobscot
<b>NET CASH RETURN<sup>1</sup></b>						
Net cash return from agricultural sales for the farm unit (see text) .....						
farms, 1997..	310	455	194	210	358	524
1992..	291	495	216	201	345	525
\$1,000, 1997..	12 935	11 142	146	555	2 046	4 596
1992..	1 621	4 989	654	445	2 822	5 335
Average per farm .....	41 725	24 488	755	2 643	5 714	8 771
dollars, 1997..	5 569	10 080	3 028	2 216	8 180	10 161
Farms with net gains <sup>2</sup> .....	143	215	77	70	107	263
1992..	190	231	109	81	132	283
\$1,000, 1997..	14 025	13 957	950	1 266	3 537	6 052
1992..	2 066	6 754	1 423	1 298	3 839	6 668
Average per farm .....	98 074	64 918	12 332	18 092	33 054	23 011
dollars, 1997..	10 876	29 236	13 053	16 027	29 084	23 562
Farms with net losses .....	167	240	117	140	251	261
1992..	101	264	107	120	213	242
\$1,000, 1997..	1 090	2 815	803	711	1 491	1 456
1992..	446	1 764	769	853	1 017	1 333
Average per farm .....	6 526	11 730	6 864	5 082	5 941	5 579
dollars, 1997..	4 414	6 682	7 184	7 107	4 775	5 509
<b>GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS</b>						
Total received .....	34	52	12	19	39	81
farms, 1997..	36	67	31	29	31	92
1992..	84	168	32	38	104	391
\$1,000, 1997..	46	343	64	82	88	332
Average per farm .....	2 485	3 224	2 679	1 986	2 663	4 832
dollars, 1997..	1 291	5 122	2 054	2 813	2 832	3 606
Amount from Conservation Reserve and Wetlands Reserve Programs .....	10	5	2	4	9	14
farms, 1997..	4	—	2	3	1	5
1992..	9	9	(D)	20	18	43
\$1,000, 1997..	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	29
Average per farm .....	908	1 814	(D)	5 000	1 951	3 047
dollars, 1997..	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	5 720
<b>OTHER FARM-RELATED INCOME<sup>1</sup></b>						
Gross before taxes and expenses .....	91	128	56	59	126	148
farms, 1997..	58	126	59	66	143	150
1992..	510	631	168	269	935	815
\$1,000, 1997..	275	602	360	270	731	557
Average per farm .....	5 603	4 932	3 008	4 554	7 424	5 506
dollars, 1997..	4 744	4 779	6 097	4 084	5 113	3 712
Customwork and other agricultural services ....	43	34	23	18	63	60
farms, 1997..	2	43	9	10	38	25
1992..	241	223	90	70	293	154
\$1,000, 1997..	(D)	277	70	(D)	228	94
Rental of farmland .....	farms, 1997..	7	22	7	9	10
1992..	19	22	12	4	19	51
\$1,000, 1997..	28	44	1	4	9	47
1992..	(D)	36	6	—	41	74
Sales of forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products <sup>3</sup> .....	56	53	35	40	79	84
farms, 1997..	40	71	34	48	97	78
1992..	210	302	74	188	620	580
\$1,000, 1997..	242	234	270	215	450	356
Other farm-related income sources .....	farms, 1997..	12	52	6	5	11
1992..	—	11	8	8	7	17
\$1,000, 1997..	31	62	3	6	12	34
1992..	—	56	13	(D)	11	34
<b>DIRECT SALES</b>						
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text) .....	farms, 1997..	66	97	50	48	107
1992..	49	86	40	56	93	82
\$1,000, 1997..	492	772	388	273	570	726
1992..	200	379	228	245	433	289
Average per farm .....	dollars, 1997..	7 449	7 954	7 759	5 692	5 323
1992..	4 091	4 402	5 707	4 371	4 660	3 529
<b>COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS</b>						
Total .....	farms, 1997..	—	—	—	1	—
1992..	1	1	1	—	—	1
\$1,000, 1997..	—	—	—	—	(D)	(D)
Average per farm .....	1992..	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	(D)
Corn .....	farms, 1997..	—	—	—	1	—
1992..	1	—	—	—	(D)	—
\$1,000, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	(D)	—	—	—	—	—
Wheat .....	farms, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Soybeans .....	farms, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—	—

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**Table 4. Net Cash Return From Agricultural Sales, Government Payments, Other Farm-Related Income, Direct Sales, and Commodity Credit Corporation Loans: 1997 and 1992—Con.**

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

Item	Piscataquis	Sagadahoc	Somerset	Waldo	Washington	York
<b>NET CASH RETURN<sup>1</sup></b>						
Net cash return from agricultural sales for the farm unit (see text) .....						
farms, 1997..	139	117	429	315	399	499
1992..	139	120	413	338	371	482
\$1,000, 1997..	338	-168	5 766	1 627	14 927	2 572
1992..	1 140	427	1 939	3 474	12 164	2 631
Average per farm .....	2 434	-1 433	13 441	5 166	37 410	5 153
dollars, 1997..	8 202	3 562	4 694	10 277	32 788	5 458
Farms with net gains <sup>2</sup> .....	59	39	234	136	236	169
1992..	66	51	199	168	262	204
\$1,000, 1997..	805	661	7 435	3 187	15 821	4 664
1992..	1 482	787	3 210	4 354	12 655	4 239
Average per farm .....	13 649	16 957	31 774	23 433	67 038	27 600
dollars, 1997..	22 458	15 432	16 131	25 919	48 302	20 781
Farms with net losses .....	80	78	195	179	163	330
1992..	73	69	214	170	109	278
\$1,000, 1997..	467	829	1 669	1 559	894	2 093
1992..	342	360	1 271	881	491	1 609
Average per farm .....	5 838	10 628	8 559	8 712	5 486	6 342
dollars, 1997..	4 687	5 212	5 942	5 181	4 504	5 787
<b>GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS</b>						
Total received .....	16	4	121	36	24	34
farms, 1997..	28	10	67	48	39	48
1992..	58	33	379	110	49	65
\$1,000, 1997..	81	58	260	154	77	160
Average per farm .....	3 618	8 320	3 134	3 044	2 047	1 916
dollars, 1997..	2 885	5 819	3 884	3 203	1 980	3 336
Amount from Conservation Reserve and Wetlands Reserve Programs .....	3	-	15	7	3	6
farms, 1997..	7	-	10	2	1	4
1992..	7	-	38	20	4	11
\$1,000, 1997..	7	-	26	(D)	(D)	(D)
Average per farm .....	2 169	-	2 559	2 897	1 333	1 767
dollars, 1997..	988	-	2 645	(D)	(D)	(D)
<b>OTHER FARM-RELATED INCOME<sup>1</sup></b>						
Gross before taxes and expenses .....	63	25	144	97	114	141
farms, 1997..	51	42	219	104	97	136
1992..	417	133	1 100	568	1 072	967
\$1,000, 1997..	201	68	1 156	410	959	486
Average per farm .....	6 611	5 336	7 639	5 851	9 400	6 860
dollars, 1997..	3 942	1 629	5 280	3 941	9 887	3 575
Customwork and other agricultural services ....	14	10	17	35	49	46
farms, 1997..	7	9	36	37	50	54
1992..	90	69	191	159	395	267
\$1,000, 1997..	5	13	642	92	778	208
Rental of farmland .....	farms, 1997..	9	6	22	2	11
1992..	13	8	48	16	8	11
\$1,000, 1997..	9	(D)	9	60	(D)	15
Average per farm .....	17	5	32	81	35	48
Sales of forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products <sup>3</sup> .....	36	18	90	50	74	88
farms, 1997..	36	17	125	57	46	75
1992..	284	(D)	760	258	(D)	603
\$1,000, 1997..	169	28	378	177	102	179
Other farm-related income sources .....	farms, 1997..	18	1	54	28	14
1992..	14	11	34	23	8	19
\$1,000, 1997..	33	(D)	139	91	(D)	83
Average per farm .....	10	23	104	60	43	51
<b>DIRECT SALES</b>						
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text) .....	33	35	73	58	56	119
farms, 1997..	23	22	68	47	48	104
1992..	90	210	395	213	123	1 415
\$1,000, 1997..	68	53	249	141	76	877
Average per farm .....	2 733	6 001	5 408	3 674	2 205	11 893
dollars, 1997..	2 976	2 401	3 654	2 997	1 579	8 433
<b>COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS</b>						
Total .....	-	-	-	-	-	-
farms, 1997..	-	-	-	-	-	-
1992..	-	-	-	-	-	-
\$1,000, 1997..	-	-	-	-	-	-
Corn .....	-	-	-	-	-	-
1992..	-	-	-	-	-	-
\$1,000, 1997..	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wheat .....	-	-	-	-	-	-
1992..	-	-	-	-	-	-
\$1,000, 1997..	-	-	-	-	-	-
Soybeans .....	-	-	-	-	-	-
1992..	-	-	-	-	-	-
\$1,000, 1997..	-	-	-	-	-	-
1992..	-	-	-	-	-	-

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

Item	Maine	Androscoggin	Aroostook	Cumberland	Franklin
<b>COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS—Con.</b>					
Total—Con.					
Sorghum, barley, and oats					
farms, 1997..	10	—		10	—
1992..	7	—		7	—
\$1,000, 1997..	(D)	—		(D)	—
1992..	53	—		53	—
Cotton					
farms, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—
Sunflower seed, flaxseed, safflower, canola, other rapeseed, and mustard seed					
farms, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—
Peanuts, rice, and tobacco <sup>4</sup>					
farms, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000, 1997..	3	—	—	—	—
1992..	(D)	—	—	—	—
Item	Hancock	Kennebec	Knox	Lincoln	Oxford
<b>COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS—Con.</b>					
Total—Con.					
Sorghum, barley, and oats					
farms, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton					
farms, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—
Sunflower seed, flaxseed, safflower, canola, other rapeseed, and mustard seed					
farms, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—
Peanuts, rice, and tobacco <sup>4</sup>					
farms, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000, 1997..	—	1	1	—	1
1992..	—	(D)	(D)	—	(D)
Item	Piscataquis	Sagadahoc	Somerset	Waldo	Washington
<b>COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS—Con.</b>					
Total—Con.					
Sorghum, barley, and oats					
farms, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton					
farms, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—
Sunflower seed, flaxseed, safflower, canola, other rapeseed, and mustard seed					
farms, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—
Peanuts, rice, and tobacco <sup>4</sup>					
farms, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—

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

<sup>2</sup>Farms with total production expenses equal to market value of agricultural products sold are included as farms with gains.

<sup>3</sup>Data for 1992 include Christmas trees and maple products.

<sup>4</sup>Data for 1992 include CCC loans for rye and honey.

**Table 5. Hired Farm Labor—Workers and Payroll: 1997**

[Data are based on a sample of farms. For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

All farms	Maine	Androscoggin	Aroostook	Cumberland	Franklin
Hired farm labor .....					
farms..	2 472	96	476	185	81
workers..	22 009	943	5 668	944	374
\$1,000 payroll..	64 285	9 689	16 492	4 898	499
Farms with—					
1 worker .....	farms..	510	18	40	62
workers..	510	18	40	62	5
2 workers .....	farms..	491	24	57	47
workers..	982	48	114	94	35
3 or 4 workers .....	farms..	478	19	67	27
workers..	1 670	68	248	84	29
5 to 9 workers .....	farms..	490	21	99	31
workers..	3 122	154	669	199	44
10 workers or more .....	farms..	503	14	213	18
workers..	15 725	655	4 597	505	5
160					
Workers by days worked:					
150 days or more .....	farms..	942	60	253	59
workers..	4 746	460	791	267	35
Farms with—					
1 worker .....	farms..	443	25	99	26
workers..	443	25	99	26	23
2 workers .....	farms..	185	10	72	6
workers..	370	20	144	12	7
3 or 4 workers .....	farms..	178	15	43	14
workers..	610	52	144	52	5
5 to 9 workers .....	farms..	90	5	30	5
workers..	556	34	178	33	—
10 workers or more .....	farms..	46	5	9	8
workers..	2 767	329	226	144	—
Less than 150 days .....	farms..	2 306	75	468	174
workers..	17 263	483	4 877	677	73
Farms with—					
1 worker .....	farms..	636	24	53	72
workers..	636	24	53	72	17
2 workers .....	farms..	367	11	45	35
workers..	734	22	90	70	30
3 or 4 workers .....	farms..	478	16	78	40
workers..	1 660	58	285	123	17
5 to 9 workers .....	farms..	381	15	96	16
workers..	2 401	108	644	99	4
10 workers or more .....	farms..	444	9	196	11
workers..	11 832	271	3 805	313	26
160					
Reported only workers working 150 days or more .....	farms..	166	21	8	11
workers..	716	294	15	106	8
\$1,000 payroll..	12 196	(D)	268	1 880	17
94					
Reported only workers working less than 150 days .....	farms..	1 530	36	223	126
workers..	8 305	98	1 245	336	46
\$1,000 payroll..	5 864	(D)	1 397	361	269
94					
Reported both—workers working 150 days or more and workers working less than 150 days .....	farms..	776	39	245	48
150 days or more..	4 030	166	776	161	27
less than 150 days..	8 958	385	3 632	341	37
\$1,000 payroll..	46 226	2 979	14 828	2 657	51
310					

**Table 5. Hired Farm Labor—Workers and Payroll: 1997—Con.**

[Data are based on a sample of farms. For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

All farms	Hancock	Kennebec	Knox	Lincoln	Oxford	Penobscot
Hired farm labor .....						
farms..	142	193	85	92	167	214
workers..	1 715	1 463	540	332	804	1 049
\$1,000 payroll..	4 039	4 418	555	986	2 263	3 533
Farms with—						
1 worker .....	farms..	9	31	27	59	80
	workers..	9	31	27	59	80
2 workers .....	farms..	47	41	6	22	42
	workers..	94	82	12	44	84
3 or 4 workers .....	farms..	34	38	18	25	20
	workers..	115	121	61	94	40
5 to 9 workers .....	farms..	22	39	19	14	31
	workers..	165	224	134	93	186
10 workers or more .....	farms..	30	44	11	4	15
	workers..	1 332	1 005	302	74	408
Workers by days worked:						
150 days or more .....	farms..	31	69	21	29	48
	workers..	98	429	39	64	178
Farms with—						
1 worker .....	farms..	18	30	13	14	24
	workers..	18	30	13	14	24
2 workers .....	farms..	8	8	4	6	5
	workers..	16	16	8	12	10
3 or 4 workers .....	farms..	4	17	3	6	11
	workers..	(D)	56	(D)	20	38
5 to 9 workers .....	farms..	—	7	1	3	5
	workers..	—	42	(D)	18	31
10 workers or more .....	farms..	1	7	—	—	3
	workers..	(D)	285	—	—	75
Less than 150 days .....	farms..	138	181	82	88	162
	workers..	1 617	1 034	501	268	626
Farms with—						
1 worker .....	farms..	24	38	34	34	61
	workers..	24	38	34	34	61
2 workers .....	farms..	30	43	3	15	45
	workers..	60	86	6	30	90
3 or 4 workers .....	farms..	37	32	17	29	23
	workers..	127	100	59	106	79
5 to 9 workers .....	farms..	17	32	18	7	20
	workers..	137	188	117	41	116
10 workers or more .....	farms..	30	36	10	3	13
	workers..	1 269	622	285	57	280
Reported only workers working 150 days or more .....	farms..	4	12	3	4	5
	workers..	8	30	7	8	15
	\$1,000 payroll..	57	459	(D)	152	103
Reported only workers working less than 150 days .....	farms..	111	124	64	63	119
	workers..	1 299	531	261	184	269
	\$1,000 payroll..	1 008	248	(D)	189	163
Reported both—workers working 150 days or more and workers working less than 150 days .....	farms..	27	57	18	25	43
	150 days or more..	90	399	32	56	163
	less than 150 days..	318	503	240	84	357
	\$1,000 payroll..	2 974	3 712	342	645	1 998
						2 800

**Table 5. Hired Farm Labor—Workers and Payroll: 1997—Con.**

[Data are based on a sample of farms. For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

All farms	Piscataquis	Sagadahoc	Somerset	Waldo	Washington	York
Hired farm labor .....						
farms..	49	25	185	159	196	127
workers..	431	177	614	920	5 512	523
\$1,000 payroll..	821	411	2 411	1 609	9 579	2 082
Farms with—						
1 worker .....	farms..	10	4	69	12	9
	workers..	10	4	69	12	9
2 workers .....	farms..	10	5	34	19	39
	workers..	20	10	68	38	78
3 or 4 workers .....	farms..	8	7	40	82	15
	workers..	28	22	137	295	58
5 to 9 workers .....	farms..	6	4	37	33	62
	workers..	38	24	232	199	368
10 workers or more .....	farms..	15	5	5	13	71
	workers..	335	117	108	376	4 999
Workers by days worked:						
150 days or more .....	farms..	20	16	65	61	31
	workers..	46	(D)	167	131	(D)
Farms with—						
1 worker .....	farms..	10	8	35	30	18
	workers..	10	8	35	30	18
2 workers .....	farms..	4	5	10	11	3
	workers..	8	10	20	22	6
3 or 4 workers .....	farms..	5	2	12	18	2
	workers..	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
5 to 9 workers .....	farms..	—	—	7	2	2
	workers..	—	—	42	(D)	(D)
10 workers or more .....	farms..	1	1	1	—	6
	workers..	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Less than 150 days .....	farms..	46	22	160	143	196
	workers..	385	(D)	447	789	(D)
Farms with—						
1 worker .....	farms..	11	9	74	20	29
	workers..	11	9	74	20	29
2 workers .....	farms..	9	2	20	23	23
	workers..	18	(D)	40	46	(D)
3 or 4 workers .....	farms..	9	5	35	64	15
	workers..	32	16	119	223	57
5 to 9 workers .....	farms..	3	2	28	23	63
	workers..	18	(D)	169	132	(D)
10 workers or more .....	farms..	14	4	3	13	66
	workers..	306	100	45	368	3 399
Reported only workers working 150 days or more .....	farms..	3	3	25	16	—
	workers..	(D)	(D)	49	61	—
	\$1,000 payroll..	60	159	811	640	—
Reported only workers working less than 150 days .....	farms..	29	9	120	98	165
	workers..	213	25	304	580	2 137
	\$1,000 payroll..	56	5	335	298	895
Reported both—workers working 150 days or more and workers working less than 150 days .....	farms..	17	13	40	45	31
	150 days or more..	(D)	(D)	118	70	(D)
	less than 150 days..	172	(D)	143	209	(D)
	\$1,000 payroll..	705	246	1 265	671	8 684
						1 410

**Table 6. Farms, Land in Farms, Value of Land and Buildings, and Land Use: 1997 and 1992**

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

All farms	Maine	Androscoggin	Aroostook	Cumberland	Franklin
<b>F FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS</b>					
Farms .....	5 810	288	889	455	223
1992..	5 776	302	884	440	210
Land in farms .....	1 211 648	55 905	324 887	49 829	40 091
1992..	1 258 297	62 242	334 040	53 893	38 853
Average size of farm .....	209	194	365	110	180
1992..	218	206	378	122	185
Estimated market value of land and buildings <sup>1</sup> .... farms, 1997..	5 801	286	888	455	223
1992..	5 772	301	884	440	211
\$1,000, 1997..	1 456 482	86 910	246 583	146 525	43 234
1992..	1 395 761	84 274	197 836	134 714	30 380
Average per farm .....	251 074	303 880	277 684	322 033	193 875
1992..	241 816	279 980	223 796	306 168	143 980
Average per acre .....	1 190	1 715	716	2 600	1 236
1992..	1 130	1 417	592	2 608	908
1997 farms by value group:					
\$1 to \$39,999 .....	463	24	60	22	20
\$40,000 to \$69,999 .....	539	39	107	17	22
\$70,000 to \$99,999 .....	615	32	150	17	22
\$100,000 to \$149,999 .....	866	30	113	61	41
\$150,000 to \$199,999 .....	800	29	92	63	37
\$200,000 to \$499,999 .....	1 926	107	255	206	66
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....	439	17	68	47	13
\$1,000,000 to \$1,999,999 .....	113	5	29	20	2
\$2,000,000 to \$4,999,999 .....	36	2	14	2	—
\$5,000,000 or more .....	4	1	—	—	—
Approximate land area .....	acres, 1997..	300 990	4 270 039	534 776	1 086 720
Proportion in farms .....	percent, 1997..	6.1	18.6	7.6	3.7
1997 size of farm:					
1 to 9 acres .....	farms..	533	27	26	79
acres..	2 149	88	124	332	51
10 to 49 acres .....	farms..	1 184	52	88	136
acres..	31 263	1 327	2 462	3 393	934
50 to 69 acres .....	farms..	458	29	46	34
acres..	26 351	1 620	2 677	1 970	880
70 to 99 acres .....	farms..	546	24	69	42
acres..	44 916	1 924	5 655	3 412	3 080
100 to 139 acres .....	farms..	689	31	98	53
acres..	79 247	3 435	11 369	6 130	3 875
140 to 179 acres .....	farms..	417	17	61	31
acres..	65 082	2 702	9 667	4 742	2 483
180 to 219 acres .....	farms..	328	23	61	12
acres..	64 655	4 633	11 981	2 372	2 708
220 to 259 acres .....	farms..	267	6	50	14
acres..	63 683	1 447	11 919	3 350	2 929
260 to 499 acres .....	farms..	846	51	203	38
acres..	300 546	18 070	74 047	12 958	12 032
500 to 999 acres .....	farms..	398	22	124	15
acres..	267 420	13 472	84 034	(D)	5 273
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....	farms..	113	6	50	1
acres..	151 002	7 187	67 323	(D)	5 846
2,000 acres or more .....	farms..	31	—	13	—
acres..	115 334	—	43 629	—	—
1992 size of farm:					
1 to 9 acres .....	farms..	465	29	19	84
acres..	1 836	(D)	89	(D)	49
10 to 49 acres .....	farms..	1 024	45	74	100
acres..	28 154	1 235	1 799	2 712	766
50 to 69 acres .....	farms..	465	32	37	36
acres..	26 609	1 845	2 044	2 153	683
70 to 99 acres .....	farms..	526	23	58	55
acres..	43 515	1 995	4 791	4 412	2 040
100 to 139 acres .....	farms..	676	32	89	60
acres..	77 430	3 472	10 147	6 832	3 909
140 to 179 acres .....	farms..	507	21	98	17
acres..	79 483	3 281	15 525	2 730	3 864
180 to 219 acres .....	farms..	370	26	46	25
acres..	72 933	5 170	8 939	4 887	2 967
220 to 259 acres .....	farms..	282	13	56	12
acres..	67 499	3 138	13 628	2 910	2 158
260 to 499 acres .....	farms..	861	53	195	35
acres..	302 852	19 032	68 088	12 790	10 735
500 to 999 acres .....	farms..	448	21	142	14
acres..	294 576	13 075	93 061	10 057	7 317
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....	farms..	120	6	58	1
acres..	159 559	7 806	78 608	(D)	(D)
2,000 acres or more .....	farms..	32	1	12	1
acres..	103 851	(D)	37 321	(D)	(D)

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 6. Farms, Land in Farms, Value of Land and Buildings, and Land Use: 1997 and 1992—Con.**

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

All farms	Hancock	Kennebec	Knox	Lincoln	Oxford	Penobscot
<b>F FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS</b>						
Farms .....	310	455	194	210	358	525
1992..	291	494	217	202	346	524
Land in farms .....	42 607	88 134	25 183	25 920	63 959	116 593
1992..	50 076	95 402	27 622	24 350	63 473	118 152
Average size of farm .....	137	194	130	123	179	222
1992..	172	193	127	121	183	225
Estimated market value of land and buildings <sup>1</sup> .... farms, 1997..	310	455	194	210	358	524
1992..	291	495	216	201	345	525
\$1,000, 1997..	82 335	117 467	42 089	43 211	105 032	118 600
1992..	71 810	112 356	51 624	63 879	81 596	118 958
Average per farm .....	265 598	258 170	216 952	205 766	293 384	226 336
1992..	246 771	226 983	239 000	317 804	236 509	226 586
Average per acre .....	1 728	1 509	1 916	1 705	1 417	1 058
1992..	1 512	1 232	1 824	2 093	1 212	1 065
1997 farms by value group:						
\$1 to \$39,999 .....	24	20	16	26	39	58
\$40,000 to \$69,999 .....	22	24	13	8	8	75
\$70,000 to \$99,999 .....	41	51	15	25	12	48
\$100,000 to \$149,999 .....	48	108	32	36	25	55
\$150,000 to \$199,999 .....	37	60	27	29	71	75
\$200,000 to \$499,999 .....	113	121	77	69	155	156
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....	17	59	12	16	42	46
\$1,000,000 to \$1,999,999 .....	6	9	2	1	3	8
\$2,000,000 to \$4,999,999 .....	1	3	—	—	3	3
\$5,000,000 or more .....	1	—	—	—	—	—
Approximate land area .....	acres, 1997..	1 017 023	555 182	233 980	291 585	1 330 043
Proportion in farms .....	percent, 1997..	4.2	15.9	10.8	8.9	4.8
1997 size of farm:						
1 to 9 acres .....	farms..	32	34	23	22	40
acres..		131	141	114	97	170
10 to 49 acres .....	farms..	98	92	46	57	75
acres..		2 409	2 573	1 243	1 566	2 035
50 to 69 acres .....	farms..	31	36	10	21	36
acres..		1 784	2 075	585	1 199	2 032
70 to 99 acres .....	farms..	24	46	13	25	25
acres..		2 010	3 818	1 046	2 023	2 053
100 to 139 acres .....	farms..	40	62	42	23	38
acres..		4 789	6 996	4 742	2 659	4 369
140 to 179 acres .....	farms..	23	28	14	15	23
acres..		3 593	4 328	2 152	2 364	3 482
180 to 219 acres .....	farms..	13	25	11	16	22
acres..		2 586	4 816	2 171	3 199	4 359
220 to 259 acres .....	farms..	8	23	8	9	18
acres..		1 871	5 532	1 925	2 075	4 256
260 to 499 acres .....	farms..	28	74	24	13	54
acres..		8 899	26 492	8 706	4 411	19 409
500 to 999 acres .....	farms..	10	28	2	8	22
acres..		7 635	18 881	(D)	(D)	14 853
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....	farms..	2	5	1	1	5
acres..		(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	6 941
2,000 acres or more .....	farms..	1	2	—	—	—
acres..		(D)	(D)	—	—	14 774
1992 size of farm:						
1 to 9 acres .....	farms..	33	36	15	11	27
acres..		130	(D)	(D)	33	106
10 to 49 acres .....	farms..	75	83	64	50	74
acres..		1 818	2 354	1 855	1 458	1 935
50 to 69 acres .....	farms..	26	40	14	19	33
acres..		1 455	2 209	773	1 070	1 873
70 to 99 acres .....	farms..	28	47	16	37	27
acres..		2 276	3 938	1 365	3 032	2 144
100 to 139 acres .....	farms..	37	63	30	25	35
acres..		4 254	7 195	3 520	2 879	3 898
140 to 179 acres .....	farms..	23	42	24	18	32
acres..		3 587	6 648	3 724	2 765	5 106
180 to 219 acres .....	farms..	16	34	16	12	17
acres..		3 165	6 655	3 169	2 343	3 426
220 to 259 acres .....	farms..	8	29	8	7	18
acres..		1 953	6 925	1 947	1 646	4 260
260 to 499 acres .....	farms..	24	84	25	17	52
acres..		8 458	29 688	8 065	5 713	17 939
500 to 999 acres .....	farms..	17	30	4	6	28
acres..		11 150	19 852	2 150	3 411	18 600
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....	farms..	—	4	1	—	—
acres..		—	4 764	(D)	—	4 186
2,000 acres or more .....	farms..	4	2	—	—	—
acres..		11 830	(D)	—	—	(D)

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 6. Farms, Land in Farms, Value of Land and Buildings, and Land Use: 1997 and 1992—Con.**

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

All farms	Piscataquis	Sagadahoc	Somerset	Waldo	Washington	York
<b>F FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS</b>						
Farms .....	141	118	431	315	399	499
1992..	140	120	413	339	372	482
Land in farms .....	34 171	17 853	101 270	68 569	98 336	58 341
1992..	35 988	18 793	106 971	71 890	94 755	61 797
Average size of farm .....	242	151	235	218	246	117
1992..	257	157	259	212	255	128
Estimated market value of land and buildings <sup>1</sup> .... farms, 1997..	139	117	429	315	399	499
1992..	139	120	413	338	371	482
\$1,000, 1997..	29 743	33 710	94 055	70 014	85 813	111 161
1992..	27 261	24 274	101 358	87 268	90 249	117 924
Average per farm .....	213 977	288 119	219 241	222 268	215 070	222 768
1992..	196 123	202 279	245 420	258 191	243 260	244 656
Average per acre .....	862	1 893	921	952	885	2 053
1992..	813	1 293	931	1 218	1 070	1 869
1997 farms by value group:						
\$1 to \$39,999 .....	10	9	8	18	83	26
\$40,000 to \$69,999 .....	25	13	70	22	53	21
\$70,000 to \$99,999 .....	20	11	30	54	46	41
\$100,000 to \$149,999 .....	22	12	59	42	75	107
\$150,000 to \$199,999 .....	23	12	79	47	35	84
\$200,000 to \$499,999 .....	25	43	154	108	90	181
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....	11	13	19	20	7	32
\$1,000,000 to \$1,999,999 .....	2	2	9	3	5	7
\$2,000,000 to \$4,999,999 .....	1	2	1	1	3	—
\$5,000,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	2	—
Approximate land area .....	acres, 1997..	2 538 584	162 566	2 513 175	467 065	1 643 880
Proportion in farms .....	percent, 1997..	1.3	11.0	4.0	14.7	6.0
1997 size of farm:						
1 to 9 acres .....	farms..	4	12	22	17	49
acres..		13	63	106	56	187
10 to 49 acres .....	farms..	27	29	57	58	102
acres..		693	867	1 460	1 490	2 655
50 to 69 acres .....	farms..	11	8	38	20	36
acres..		638	468	2 137	1 201	2 058
70 to 99 acres .....	farms..	16	16	40	21	41
acres..		1 335	1 343	3 282	1 754	3 434
100 to 139 acres .....	farms..	21	12	52	40	33
acres..		2 465	1 390	5 963	4 703	3 631
140 to 179 acres .....	farms..	11	12	39	35	25
acres..		1 701	1 879	6 209	5 419	3 918
180 to 219 acres .....	farms..	7	7	28	21	19
acres..		1 379	1 355	5 559	4 188	3 804
220 to 259 acres .....	farms..	7	4	32	14	16
acres..		1 701	985	7 574	3 432	3 721
260 to 499 acres .....	farms..	18	11	72	59	48
acres..		6 289	3 407	25 510	20 657	16 636
500 to 999 acres .....	farms..	15	4	40	24	18
acres..		10 527	2 716	25 100	16 736	13 586
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....	farms..	3	3	8	5	8
acres..		(D)	3 380	10 016	(D)	11 883
2,000 acres or more .....	farms..	1	—	3	1	4
acres..		(D)	—	8 354	(D)	32 823
1992 size of farm:						
1 to 9 acres .....	farms..	7	12	16	16	39
acres..		(D)	(D)	61	(D)	165
10 to 49 acres .....	farms..	23	31	45	44	82
acres..		616	929	1 312	1 345	2 311
50 to 69 acres .....	farms..	10	6	29	32	36
acres..		587	336	1 648	1 872	2 028
70 to 99 acres .....	farms..	16	10	32	28	28
acres..		1 274	828	2 702	2 326	2 403
100 to 139 acres .....	farms..	19	11	53	46	36
acres..		2 171	1 319	6 146	5 394	4 161
140 to 179 acres .....	farms..	3	15	44	28	29
acres..		460	2 299	6 865	4 413	4 541
180 to 219 acres .....	farms..	11	8	33	31	31
acres..		2 117	1 606	6 471	6 103	6 226
220 to 259 acres .....	farms..	9	7	25	26	14
acres..		2 087	1 728	5 929	6 198	3 300
260 to 499 acres .....	farms..	19	14	84	52	46
acres..		7 035	4 766	30 532	17 689	16 178
500 to 999 acres .....	farms..	18	4	44	31	17
acres..		11 168	2 473	30 785	19 754	12 619
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....	farms..	4	2	5	4	9
acres..		4 900	(D)	6 440	4 715	13 789
2,000 acres or more .....	farms..	1	—	3	1	5
acres..		(D)	—	8 080	(D)	27 034

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 6. Farms, Land in Farms, Value of Land and Buildings, and Land Use: 1997 and 1992—Con.**

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

All farms	Maine	Androscoggin	Aroostook	Cumberland	Franklin
<b>LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE</b>					
Total cropland .....					
farms, 1997..	5 372	253	848	420	201
1992..	5 495	292	872	408	200
acres, 1997..	539 966	23 368	187 599	25 543	14 723
1992..	559 424	25 378	189 850	23 860	14 876
Harvested cropland .....					
farms, 1997..	4 875	243	735	389	180
1992..	5 141	275	833	375	183
acres, 1997..	403 014	17 842	143 507	18 484	10 604
1992..	399 755	19 299	135 856	16 914	10 534
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing .....					
farms, 1997..	2 156	126	236	178	117
1992..	2 306	161	228	186	104
acres, 1997..	65 066	4 420	10 264	5 418	3 402
1992..	73 085	4 518	10 102	5 308	3 640
Other cropland .....					
farms, 1997..	1 657	44	429	90	44
1992..	1 823	61	489	104	36
acres, 1997..	71 886	1 106	33 828	1 641	717
1992..	86 584	1 561	43 892	1 638	702
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured .....					
farms, 1997..	565	16	250	30	14
1992..	671	20	301	16	10
acres, 1997..	23 006	193	18 314	385	199
1992..	31 116	225	25 844	152	159
Cropland on which all crops failed .....					
farms, 1997..	152	8	25	12	3
1992..	224	13	56	14	1
acres, 1997..	2 430	(D)	1 041	64	(D)
1992..	4 137	65	2 323	119	(D)
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow .....					
farms, 1997..	195	3	36	11	2
1992..	242	6	54	12	3
acres, 1997..	5 136	(D)	1 812	214	(D)
1992..	4 965	59	1 484	117	(D)
Cropland idle .....					
farms, 1997..	1 105	29	231	64	34
1992..	1 157	37	251	81	26
acres, 1997..	41 314	662	12 661	978	485
1992..	46 366	1 212	14 241	1 250	470
Total woodland .....					
farms, 1997..	4 189	207	654	270	181
1992..	4 349	235	623	281	161
acres, 1997..	566 603	25 192	108 490	19 278	22 782
1992..	594 602	31 436	114 744	24 771	21 539
Woodland pastured .....					
farms, 1997..	848	38	122	62	67
1992..	990	59	121	71	54
acres, 1997..	40 274	1 010	9 485	2 096	1 717
1992..	51 120	2 928	13 645	1 948	2 210
Woodland not pastured .....					
farms, 1997..	3 958	199	616	245	173
1992..	4 015	218	568	252	147
acres, 1997..	526 329	24 182	99 005	17 182	21 065
1992..	543 482	28 508	101 099	22 823	19 329
Other land .....					
farms, 1997..	3 905	207	598	325	139
1992..	3 667	197	507	293	108
acres, 1997..	105 079	7 345	28 798	5 008	2 586
1992..	104 271	5 428	29 446	5 262	2 438
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured .....					
farms, 1997..	844	65	131	62	53
1992..	840	52	108	59	36
acres, 1997..	27 952	1 733	7 049	1 172	1 148
1992..	29 509	1 807	6 653	1 219	1 014
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. ....					
farms, 1997..	3 659	193	558	310	120
1992..	3 364	170	469	271	92
acres, 1997..	77 127	5 612	21 749	3 836	1 438
1992..	74 762	3 621	22 793	4 043	1 424
Pastureland, all types .....					
farms, 1997..	2 996	174	368	234	161
1992..	3 171	204	351	243	144
acres, 1997..	133 292	7 163	26 798	8 686	6 267
1992..	153 714	9 253	30 400	8 475	6 864
Land under Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs .....					
farms, 1997..	352	4	253	12	4
1992..	251	2	188	8	3
acres, 1997..	22 217	176	17 602	415	(D)
1992..	14 221	(D)	11 829	336	(D)

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 6. Farms, Land in Farms, Value of Land and Buildings, and Land Use: 1997 and 1992—Con.**

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

All farms	Hancock	Kennebec	Knox	Lincoln	Oxford	Penobscot
<b>LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE</b>						
Total cropland .....	293	422	184	196	328	498
farms, 1997..	286	471	199	190	321	487
1992..	11 121	44 591	10 306	11 010	20 673	49 019
acres, 1997..	12 226	48 273	10 214	10 187	20 834	53 916
Harvested cropland .....	275	380	171	169	279	458
farms, 1997..	280	427	189	174	283	454
1992..	6 459	34 425	7 173	7 541	15 794	40 029
acres, 1997..	7 344	35 886	7 305	7 162	15 169	40 717
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing .....	74	233	57	97	147	196
farms, 1997..	71	244	73	104	169	217
1992..	1 131	7 825	1 427	3 018	3 372	5 693
acres, 1997..	892	9 420	1 569	2 173	3 655	8 487
Other cropland .....	126	88	63	37	49	139
farms, 1997..	108	119	73	51	74	161
1992..	3 531	2 341	1 706	451	1 507	3 297
acres, 1997..	3 990	2 967	1 340	852	2 010	4 712
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured .....	38	35	17	13	11	37
farms, 1997..	20	39	20	14	27	59
1992..	313	478	(D)	98	354	747
acres, 1997..	150	367	259	123	416	1 872
Cropland on which all crops failed .....	14	8	2	3	6	15
farms, 1997..	18	24	2	4	12	28
1992..	78	22	(D)	(D)	152	191
acres, 1997..	71	287	(D)	29	86	524
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow .....	19	9	12	5	7	20
farms, 1997..	23	13	10	5	8	19
1992..	221	165	329	(D)	426	202
acres, 1997..	392	243	(D)	70	476	130
Cropland idle .....	78	64	40	21	36	100
farms, 1997..	82	70	52	36	51	92
1992..	2 919	1 676	1 105	266	575	2 157
acres, 1997..	3 377	2 070	853	630	1 032	2 186
Total woodland .....	225	329	146	137	271	374
farms, 1997..	218	391	167	152	264	393
1992..	25 959	35 908	12 323	11 949	39 601	58 686
acres, 1997..	31 604	40 557	13 876	11 487	36 235	56 801
Woodland pastured .....	35	77	24	34	84	50
farms, 1997..	35	71	42	34	79	97
1992..	851	4 647	482	1 504	2 794	4 035
acres, 1997..	863	2 969	932	647	5 466	6 322
Woodland not pastured .....	216	303	143	126	252	363
farms, 1997..	205	373	149	145	240	354
1992..	25 108	31 261	11 841	10 445	36 807	54 651
acres, 1997..	30 741	37 588	12 944	10 840	30 769	50 479
Other land .....	223	311	133	142	224	343
farms, 1997..	202	308	151	140	227	337
1992..	5 527	7 635	2 554	2 961	3 685	8 888
acres, 1997..	6 246	6 572	3 532	2 676	6 404	7 435
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured .....	29	80	35	27	46	79
farms, 1997..	32	68	34	38	68	67
1992..	1 217	2 664	750	1 625	1 232	3 113
acres, 1997..	1 526	2 330	1 578	730	2 861	3 353
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. ....	221	274	129	131	213	319
farms, 1997..	194	283	136	124	204	310
1992..	4 310	4 971	1 804	1 336	2 453	5 775
acres, 1997..	4 720	4 242	1 954	1 946	3 543	4 082
Pastureland, all types .....	113	308	95	133	199	267
farms, 1997..	108	300	118	131	228	291
1992..	3 199	15 136	2 659	6 147	7 398	12 841
acres, 1997..	3 281	14 719	4 079	3 550	11 982	18 162
Land under Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs .....	10	6	2	4	9	14
farms, 1997..	4	1	2	4	2	8
1992..	139	240	(D)	400	366	999
acres, 1997..	(D)	(D)	(D)	178	(D)	389

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 6. Farms, Land in Farms, Value of Land and Buildings, and Land Use: 1997 and 1992—Con.**

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

All farms	Piscataquis	Sagadahoc	Somerset	Waldo	Washington	York
<b>LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE</b>						
Total cropland .....						
farms, 1997..	127	106	358	298	386	454
1992..	136	112	386	324	358	453
acres, 1997..	10 434	7 074	35 971	28 338	36 313	23 883
1992..	12 952	6 777	42 580	29 036	33 585	24 880
Harvested cropland .....						
farms, 1997..	115	96	327	278	369	411
1992..	125	102	360	309	351	421
acres, 1997..	8 179	5 530	27 191	21 460	20 235	18 561
1992..	8 603	5 512	32 415	21 300	17 558	18 181
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing .....						
farms, 1997..	56	49	191	156	54	189
1992..	60	52	216	172	53	196
acres, 1997..	1 349	1 196	6 456	5 392	899	3 804
1992..	2 975	980	8 122	5 790	1 179	4 275
Other cropland .....						
farms, 1997..	40	26	96	58	215	113
1992..	44	23	91	74	191	124
acres, 1997..	906	348	2 324	1 486	15 179	1 518
1992..	1 374	285	2 043	1 946	14 848	2 424
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured .....						
farms, 1997..	7	12	13	14	24	34
1992..	10	9	30	25	30	41
acres, 1997..	136	(D)	487	124	480	309
1992..	175	43	335	281	378	337
Cropland on which all crops failed .....						
farms, 1997..	7	—	10	5	17	17
1992..	1	1	16	4	18	12
acres, 1997..	106	—	169	(D)	141	198
1992..	(D)	(D)	239	44	126	166
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow .....						
farms, 1997..	5	2	3	2	47	12
1992..	7	2	6	20	39	15
acres, 1997..	16	(D)	53	(D)	1 337	136
1992..	(D)	(D)	175	282	823	359
Cropland idle .....						
farms, 1997..	27	18	80	50	159	74
1992..	30	15	58	51	138	87
acres, 1997..	648	181	1 615	1 290	13 221	875
1992..	1 125	204	1 294	1 339	13 521	1 562
Total woodland .....						
farms, 1997..	114	81	352	251	262	335
1992..	108	100	355	283	265	353
acres, 1997..	20 799	8 721	59 769	34 878	53 007	29 261
1992..	21 672	10 304	59 462	37 670	49 969	32 475
Woodland pastured .....						
farms, 1997..	15	16	68	49	33	74
1992..	20	25	84	78	34	86
acres, 1997..	306	518	2 803	2 707	3 649	1 670
1992..	1 129	555	3 676	2 913	2 596	2 321
Woodland not pastured .....						
farms, 1997..	111	78	335	237	246	315
1992..	102	97	325	266	252	322
acres, 1997..	20 493	8 203	56 966	32 171	49 358	27 591
1992..	20 543	9 749	55 786	34 757	47 373	30 154
Other land .....						
farms, 1997..	93	92	276	213	251	335
1992..	82	81	260	206	260	308
acres, 1997..	2 938	2 058	5 530	5 353	9 016	5 197
1992..	1 364	1 712	4 929	5 184	11 201	4 442
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured .....						
farms, 1997..	23	22	50	40	39	63
1992..	18	22	67	43	44	84
acres, 1997..	1 211	769	1 171	1 203	1 119	776
1992..	212	821	2 225	1 254	825	1 101
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. ....						
farms, 1997..	84	83	263	203	241	317
1992..	75	75	230	192	253	286
acres, 1997..	1 727	1 289	4 359	4 150	7 897	4 421
1992..	1 152	891	2 704	3 930	10 376	3 341
Pastureland, all types .....						
farms, 1997..	74	70	242	188	110	260
1992..	79	78	284	218	118	276
acres, 1997..	2 866	2 483	10 430	9 302	5 667	6 250
1992..	4 316	2 356	14 023	9 957	4 600	7 697
Land under Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs .....						
farms, 1997..	3	—	15	7	3	6
1992..	7	—	13	2	1	6
acres, 1997..	135	—	806	448	80	212
1992..	161	—	620	(D)	(D)	73

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

**Table 7. Harvested Cropland by Size of Farm and Acres Harvested: 1997 and 1992**

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

Farms with harvested cropland	Maine	Androscoggin	Aroostook	Cumberland	Franklin
Farms.....	4 875	243	735	389	180
number, 1997..	5 141	275	833	375	183
1992..	403 014	17 842	143 507	18 484	10 604
acres harvested, 1997..	399 755	19 299	135 856	16 914	10 534
<b>HARVESTED CROPLAND BY SIZE OF FARM</b>					
1997 size of farm:					
1 to 9 acres .....	384	16	18	59	8
farms..	794	17	68	(D)	(D)
acres harvested..	863	39	60	105	21
10 to 49 acres .....	9 182	401	987	1 129	224
farms..	364	24	32	32	11
acres harvested..	7 547	594	717	876	140
50 to 69 acres .....	458	19	49	40	30
farms..	11 275	516	1 441	1 054	770
acres harvested..	589	30	68	45	30
100 to 139 acres.....	19 874	860	3 084	1 781	828
farms..	369	14	46	31	16
acres harvested..	17 680	662	2 941	2 032	767
140 to 179 acres.....	305	20	56	11	13
farms..	20 509	1 203	5 157	892	817
acres harvested..	248	6	47	14	11
220 to 259 acres.....	18 868	611	3 833	1 153	701
farms..	774	48	181	36	29
acres harvested..	98 784	5 845	30 784	5 916	4 024
260 to 499 acres.....	381	22	115	15	9
farms..	97 373	5 493	37 314	3 498	1 459
acres harvested..	110	5	50	1	2
500 to 999 acres.....	57 670	1 640	33 640	(D)	(D)
farms..	30	—	13	—	—
acres harvested..	43 458	—	23 541	—	—
1992 size of farm:					
1 to 9 acres .....	340	23	15	61	10
farms..	699	33	59	105	17
acres harvested..	806	37	63	76	24
10 to 49 acres .....	9 208	390	1 177	826	324
farms..	397	28	30	34	10
acres harvested..	7 965	583	1 040	812	248
50 to 69 acres .....	477	23	53	53	21
farms..	12 457	621	1 833	1 705	444
acres harvested..	609	27	78	52	31
100 to 139 acres.....	22 203	1 113	4 341	1 778	895
farms..	473	21	92	16	21
acres harvested..	21 675	1 052	5 506	(D)	916
140 to 179 acres.....	354	25	45	24	13
farms..	21 026	1 641	3 526	1 859	759
acres harvested..	273	13	56	12	9
220 to 259 acres.....	22 640	1 197	5 961	1 327	574
farms..	822	52	191	32	29
acres harvested..	99 360	6 760	28 490	4 485	3 249
260 to 499 acres.....	441	21	141	13	12
farms..	99 936	4 572	38 980	3 102	2 071
acres harvested..	117	4	57	1	2
500 to 999 acres.....	53 558	(D)	30 833	(D)	(D)
farms..	32	1	12	1	1
acres harvested..	29 028	(D)	14 110	(D)	(D)
<b>HARVESTED CROPLAND BY ACRES HARVESTED</b>					
1997 acres harvested:					
1 to 9 acres .....	1 316	57	92	123	39
farms..	4 377	(D)	358	330	150
acres..	725	37	65	74	34
10 to 19 acres .....	9 398	488	826	972	434
farms..	493	23	42	39	23
acres..	11 193	533	981	868	524
20 to 29 acres .....	646	23	81	47	21
farms..	23 834	878	3 091	1 718	805
acres..	628	45	97	50	26
30 to 49 acres .....	42 053	2 794	6 625	3 363	1 779
farms..	502	29	131	31	25
acres..	66 569	3 940	17 962	3 957	3 298
100 to 199 acres.....	444	27	163	25	12
farms..	131 355	7 784	49 672	7 276	3 614
acres..	89	2	44	—	—
200 to 499 acres.....	59 942	(D)	30 773	—	—
farms..	32	—	20	—	—
acres..	54 293	—	33 219	—	—
1992 acres harvested:					
1 to 9 acres .....	1 188	54	73	117	37
farms..	4 190	(D)	312	(D)	(D)
acres..	735	39	63	60	32
10 to 19 acres .....	9 673	500	858	767	427
farms..	593	36	47	50	28
acres..	13 366	801	1 068	1 142	632
20 to 29 acres .....	685	28	97	43	25
farms..	24 898	1 037	3 604	1 582	914
acres..	757	51	141	48	26
30 to 49 acres .....	50 804	3 453	9 671	3 015	1 706
farms..	620	43	188	34	23
acres..	82 272	6 098	25 779	4 246	3 010
100 to 199 acres.....	135 405	6 655	53 104	4 836	3 118
farms..	68	1	28	2	1
acres..	44 200	(D)	18 861	(D)	(D)
200 to 499 acres.....	44 200	—	16	—	—
farms..	22	—	22 599	—	—
500 to 999 acres.....	34 947	—	—	—	—

**Table 7. Harvested Cropland by Size of Farm and Acres Harvested: 1997 and 1992—Con.**

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

Farms with harvested cropland	Hancock	Kennebec	Knox	Lincoln	Oxford	Penobscot
<b>Farms.....</b>	<b>275</b>	<b>380</b>	<b>171</b>	<b>169</b>	<b>279</b>	<b>458</b>
<b>number, 1997..</b>	<b>280</b>	<b>427</b>	<b>189</b>	<b>174</b>	<b>283</b>	<b>454</b>
<b>1992..</b>	<b>6 459</b>	<b>34 425</b>	<b>7 173</b>	<b>7 541</b>	<b>15 794</b>	<b>40 029</b>
<b>acres harvested, 1997..</b>	<b>7 344</b>	<b>35 886</b>	<b>7 305</b>	<b>7 162</b>	<b>15 169</b>	<b>40 717</b>
<b>HARVESTED CROPLAND BY SIZE OF FARM</b>						
1997 size of farm:						
1 to 9 acres .....	26	21	21	13	24	50
acres harvested..	60	(D)	42	(D)	55	94
10 to 49 acres .....	82	69	37	40	43	72
acres harvested..	656	706	421	384	393	750
50 to 69 acres .....	29	24	8	17	27	27
acres harvested..	540	616	255	311	504	621
70 to 99 acres .....	20	38	13	21	14	42
acres harvested..	245	908	245	528	420	734
100 to 139 acres.....	34	59	35	21	31	59
acres harvested..	714	2 174	914	487	1 069	1 926
140 to 179 acres.....	23	25	13	13	22	38
acres harvested..	620	1 402	469	641	1 163	1 752
180 to 219 acres.....	13	24	10	16	21	23
acres harvested..	535	1 925	312	1 274	976	1 403
220 to 259 acres.....	7	21	7	8	18	23
acres harvested..	375	1 861	595	299	1 463	1 825
260 to 499 acres.....	28	64	24	11	52	67
acres harvested..	1 590	9 439	3 251	1 802	4 951	9 030
500 to 999 acres.....	10	28	2	8	22	42
acres harvested..	(D)	8 731	(D)	1 636	2 953	11 581
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....	2	5	1	1	5	9
acres harvested..	(D)	4 233	(D)	(D)	1 847	4 237
2,000 acres or more.....	1	2	—	—	—	6
acres harvested..	(D)	(D)	—	—	—	6 076
1992 size of farm:						
1 to 9 acres .....	30	23	11	9	19	33
acres harvested..	58	46	15	14	48	57
10 to 49 acres .....	70	61	49	35	46	61
acres harvested..	555	676	509	448	535	766
50 to 69 acres .....	25	33	13	16	26	42
acres harvested..	446	523	218	256	605	815
70 to 99 acres .....	27	41	12	34	20	42
acres harvested..	467	1 005	312	779	602	1 231
100 to 139 acres.....	36	57	30	23	30	43
acres harvested..	842	2 181	859	463	892	1 388
140 to 179 acres.....	23	39	24	17	28	44
acres harvested..	729	2 083	669	822	(D)	(D)
180 to 219 acres.....	16	34	16	11	17	24
acres harvested..	561	2 498	740	600	807	1 699
220 to 259 acres.....	8	28	8	6	16	21
acres harvested..	452	2 107	710	461	915	1 638
260 to 499 acres.....	24	75	21	17	50	85
acres harvested..	1 072	10 485	2 685	2 399	4 398	10 658
500 to 999 acres.....	17	30	4	6	28	40
acres harvested..	1 674	10 323	(D)	920	3 513	9 619
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....	—	4	1	—	3	18
acres harvested..	(D)	(D)	—	(D)	9 826	1
2,000 acres or more.....	4	2	—	—	—	(D)
acres harvested..	488	(D)	—	—	—	5 106
<b>HARVESTED CROPLAND BY ACRES HARVESTED</b>						
1997 acres harvested:						
1 to 9 acres .....	farms..	122	90	57	52	70
acres..	434	(D)	217	167	223	389
10 to 19 acres .....	farms..	66	50	23	39	43
acres..	853	620	266	526	538	761
20 to 29 acres .....	farms..	24	48	26	24	47
acres..	534	1 086	611	515	544	1 080
30 to 49 acres .....	farms..	35	42	29	17	53
acres..	1 297	1 562	1 112	647	2 029	1 876
50 to 99 acres .....	farms..	12	52	15	14	60
acres..	699	3 398	956	950	2 734	4 065
100 to 199 acres.....	farms..	9	49	14	14	44
acres..	990	6 868	1 678	1 876	3 113	5 491
200 to 499 acres.....	farms..	7	41	7	9	14
acres..	1 652	12 556	2 333	2 860	3 535	13 391
500 to 999 acres.....	farms..	—	5	—	—	13
acres..	—	3 154	—	—	3 078	7 870
1,000 acres or more.....	farms..	—	3	—	—	4
acres..	—	(D)	—	—	—	5 106
1992 acres harvested:						
1 to 9 acres .....	farms..	112	94	57	45	66
acres..	433	(D)	201	182	250	300
10 to 19 acres .....	farms..	71	46	35	42	48
acres..	902	570	443	568	668	830
20 to 29 acres .....	farms..	29	39	32	29	41
acres..	641	858	706	653	935	1 141
30 to 49 acres .....	farms..	31	68	25	20	45
acres..	1 124	2 487	902	743	1 669	1 947
50 to 99 acres .....	farms..	23	70	21	21	45
acres..	1 564	4 633	1 424	1 398	2 920	4 237
100 to 199 acres.....	farms..	8	58	10	8	22
acres..	1 063	8 016	1 503	1 028	2 969	8 629
200 to 499 acres.....	farms..	6	46	9	9	12
acres..	1 617	13 797	2 126	2 590	2 877	14 017
500 to 999 acres.....	farms..	—	5	—	—	4
acres..	—	3 219	—	—	2 881	5 759
1,000 acres or more.....	farms..	—	1	—	—	3
acres..	—	(D)	—	—	—	3 857

**Table 7. Harvested Cropland by Size of Farm and Acres Harvested: 1997 and 1992—Con.**

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

Farms with harvested cropland	Piscataquis	Sagadahoc	Somerset	Waldo	Washington	York
<b>Farms.....</b>	<b>115</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>327</b>	<b>278</b>	<b>369</b>	<b>411</b>
<b>number, 1997..</b>	<b>125</b>	<b>102</b>	<b>360</b>	<b>309</b>	<b>351</b>	<b>421</b>
<b>1992..</b>	<b>8 179</b>	<b>5 530</b>	<b>27 191</b>	<b>21 460</b>	<b>20 235</b>	<b>18 561</b>
<b>acres harvested, 1997..</b>	<b>8 603</b>	<b>5 512</b>	<b>32 415</b>	<b>21 300</b>	<b>17 558</b>	<b>18 181</b>
<b>HARVESTED CROPLAND BY SIZE OF FARM</b>						
1997 size of farm:						
1 to 9 acres .....	2	6	10	15	42	53
farms..	(D)	12	(D)	(D)	105	(D)
acres harvested..	14	19	30	45	90	97
10 to 49 acres .....	196	210	449	348	890	1 038
farms..	10	8	29	12	35	39
acres harvested..	224	228	451	164	347	959
50 to 69 acres .....	16	14	30	20	38	54
farms..	522	290	917	574	627	1 484
acres harvested..	18	11	39	36	32	41
100 to 139 acres.....	642	411	1 567	1 040	678	1 699
farms..	9	10	32	30	23	24
acres harvested..	500	694	1 250	1 315	578	894
140 to 179 acres.....	6	7	24	20	18	23
farms..	193	258	1 388	1 136	730	2 310
acres harvested..	6	4	25	14	15	22
220 to 259 acres.....	440	232	2 145	1 178	416	1 741
farms..	16	10	62	56	46	44
acres harvested..	1 545	1 141	6 996	5 705	2 136	4 629
260 to 499 acres.....	14	4	36	24	18	12
farms..	2 620	730	7 539	7 415	3 147	2 080
acres harvested..	3	3	8	5	8	2
500 to 999 acres.....	645	1 324	3 673	2 470	874	(D)
farms..	1	—	2	1	4	—
acres harvested..	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	9 707	—
1992 size of farm:						
1 to 9 acres .....	5	9	8	14	32	38
farms..	7	15	14	24	83	104
acres harvested..	18	20	35	34	77	100
10 to 49 acres .....	249	173	321	375	844	1 040
farms..	9	4	23	26	34	44
acres harvested..	224	73	416	476	372	858
50 to 69 acres .....	15	9	25	27	26	49
farms..	282	223	581	591	377	1 404
acres harvested..	18	11	45	42	34	52
100 to 139 acres.....	752	545	1 918	1 524	682	2 030
farms..	3	15	38	26	28	38
acres harvested..	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	838	1 881
140 to 179 acres.....	10	8	31	29	30	21
farms..	305	316	2 070	1 702	620	1 323
acres harvested..	8	7	24	25	14	18
220 to 259 acres.....	787	532	1 658	2 004	338	1 979
farms..	16	14	80	50	45	41
acres harvested..	1 386	2 078	10 000	4 559	2 547	4 109
260 to 499 acres.....	18	3	43	31	17	17
farms..	2 885	(D)	10 748	7 340	897	2 188
acres harvested..	4	2	5	4	9	3
500 to 999 acres.....	1 028	(D)	2 385	1 340	1 612	1 265
farms..	1	—	3	1	5	—
acres harvested..	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	8 348	—
<b>HARVESTED CROPLAND BY ACRES HARVESTED</b>						
1997 acres harvested:						
1 to 9 acres .....	29	21	51	66	171	143
farms..	(D)	(D)	212	182	654	(D)
acres..	11	17	41	40	70	57
10 to 19 acres .....	156	243	516	526	955	718
farms..	14	11	48	23	37	40
acres..	334	248	1 061	532	860	882
20 to 29 acres .....	18	20	51	42	45	67
farms..	655	727	1 869	1 505	1 603	2 460
acres..	18	13	58	45	21	58
30 to 49 acres .....	1 202	904	4 148	3 237	1 388	3 811
farms..	14	7	38	32	12	28
acres..	1 863	1 084	5 273	3 865	1 377	3 934
100 to 199 acres.....	9	6	32	23	6	17
farms..	2 673	1 615	9 273	6 704	1 486	4 931
acres..	2	1	8	7	3	—
500 to 999 acres.....	4 839	(D)	4 909	4 909	2 205	—
farms..	(D)	(D)	—	—	4	1
acres..	—	—	—	—	9 707	(D)
1,000 acres or more.....	—	—	—	—	—	—
1992 acres harvested:						
1 to 9 acres .....	26	26	62	59	137	125
farms..	(D)	72	201	(D)	(D)	(D)
acres..	10	13	29	41	82	62
10 to 19 acres .....	131	177	396	571	1 048	817
farms..	27	12	37	36	50	51
acres..	596	274	792	828	1 148	1 151
20 to 29 acres .....	17	23	52	51	28	75
farms..	637	838	1 860	1 841	1 028	2 685
acres..	20	13	76	50	36	53
30 to 49 acres .....	1 374	838	5 187	3 443	2 433	3 508
farms..	10	5	54	42	7	40
acres..	1 302	704	6 870	5 048	791	5 216
100 to 199 acres.....	13	10	41	28	6	13
farms..	3 312	2 609	11 799	8 227	1 619	3 102
acres..	2	—	9	2	3	2
500 to 999 acres.....	5 310	(D)	5 310	(D)	2 432	(D)
farms..	—	—	—	—	2	—
acres..	—	—	—	—	(D)	—
1,000 acres or more.....	—	—	—	—	—	—

**Table 8. Irrigation: 1997 and 1992**

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

Farms with irrigation	Maine	Androscoggin	Aroostook	Cumberland	Franklin
Farms ..... number, 1997..	671	36	76	107	6
1992..	523	36	47	78	7
Land in irrigated farms ..... acres, 1997..	173 250	6 419	72 045	5 062	376
1992..	111 548	5 627	43 768	5 131	339
Harvested cropland ..... farms, 1997..	667	36	76	104	6
1992..	517	36	46	76	7
acres, 1997..	68 699	2 426	38 996	1 647	90
1992..	36 468	1 625	18 220	1 165	(D)
Other cropland, excluding cropland pastured ..... farms, 1997..	242	9	33	30	2
1992..	238	14	31	36	4
acres, 1997..	17 618	306	5 174	509	(D)
1992..	11 257	303	4 070	595	48
Pastureland, excluding woodland pastured ..... farms, 1997..	174	16	20	16	2
1992..	147	11	9	15	2
acres, 1997..	4 897	276	1 755	260	(D)
1992..	4 163	358	595	313	(D)
Irrigated land ..... acres, 1997..	21 791	784	11 058	906	20
1992..	10 241	333	4 948	581	12
Harvested cropland ..... farms, 1997..	660	36	75	103	6
1992..	514	36	45	76	7
acres, 1997..	21 608	784	(D)	874	20
1992..	10 108	333	(D)	(D)	12
Pastureland and other land..... farms, 1997..	24	—	2	7	—
1992..	21	—	(D)	2	—
acres, 1997..	183	—	(D)	32	—
1992..	133	—	(D)	(D)	—
1997 irrigated acres by size of farm:					
1 to 9 acres ..... farms..	169	6	4	43	1
acres irrigated..	259	6	4	82	(D)
10 to 49 acres ..... farms..	159	9	3	33	1
acres irrigated..	561	18	5	178	(D)
50 to 69 acres ..... farms..	44	3	1	6	2
acres irrigated..	185	22	(D)	38	(D)
70 to 99 acres ..... farms..	55	1	3	9	—
acres irrigated..	237	(D)	5	80	—
100 to 139 acres..... farms..	58	8	7	6	2
acres irrigated..	596	46	45	207	(D)
140 to 179 acres..... farms..	35	—	4	3	—
acres irrigated..	497	—	122	(D)	—
180 to 219 acres..... farms..	22	2	2	3	—
acres irrigated..	377	(D)	(D)	(D)	—
220 to 259 acres..... farms..	15	—	(D)	2	—
acres irrigated..	359	—	(D)	(D)	—
260 to 499 acres..... farms..	45	3	11	2	—
acres irrigated..	1 966	(D)	349	(D)	—
500 to 999 acres..... farms..	29	3	13	—	—
acres irrigated..	1 953	(D)	1 006	—	—
1,000 to 1,999 acres ..... farms..	24	1	13	—	—
acres irrigated..	3 390	(D)	2 170	—	—
2,000 acres or more..... farms..	16	—	10	—	—
acres irrigated..	11 411	—	6 985	—	—
1992 irrigated acres by size of farm:					
1 to 9 acres ..... farms..	138	12	3	27	2
acres irrigated..	185	16	3	32	(D)
10 to 49 acres ..... farms..	109	4	5	19	2
acres irrigated..	295	7	13	96	(D)
50 to 69 acres ..... farms..	44	2	1	9	—
acres irrigated..	203	(D)	(D)	81	—
70 to 99 acres ..... farms..	38	3	4	4	3
acres irrigated..	196	(D)	4	39	4
100 to 139 acres..... farms..	47	5	2	11	—
acres irrigated..	306	19	(D)	73	—
140 to 179 acres..... farms..	30	1	—	1	—
acres irrigated..	208	(D)	(D)	—	—
180 to 219 acres..... farms..	14	2	—	1	—
acres irrigated..	210	(D)	—	(D)	—
220 to 259 acres..... farms..	12	—	1	2	—
acres irrigated..	251	—	(D)	(D)	—
260 to 499 acres..... farms..	52	5	10	4	—
acres irrigated..	1 859	41	969	(D)	—
500 to 999 acres..... farms..	12	1	4	—	—
acres irrigated..	1 175	(D)	525	—	—
1,000 to 1,999 acres ..... farms..	19	1	12	—	—
acres irrigated..	3 613	(D)	2 735	—	—
2,000 acres or more..... farms..	8	—	5	—	—
acres irrigated..	1 740	—	665	—	—

**Table 8. Irrigation: 1997 and 1992—Con.**

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

Farms with irrigation	Hancock	Kennebec	Knox	Lincoln	Oxford	Penobscot
Farms ..... number, 1997..	40	42	24	26	43	65
1992..	31	41	18	13	32	50
Land in irrigated farms..... acres, 1997..	2 790	6 176	2 771	3 174	7 165	15 734
1992..	1 806	4 817	1 390	893	5 830	7 922
Harvested cropland ..... farms, 1997..	40	42	24	26	43	65
1992..	31	41	18	13	32	49
acres, 1997..	465	1 384	516	285	2 466	6 231
1992..	500	695	359	150	2 392	2 657
Other cropland, excluding cropland pastured..... farms, 1997..	15	13	8	8	9	28
1992..	8	16	8	4	14	24
acres, 1997..	233	218	143	(D)	199	642
1992..	117	127	111	(D)	380	723
Pastureland, excluding woodland pastured ..... farms, 1997..	16	15	12	7	10	14
1992..	9	9	9	4	16	10
acres, 1997..	163	537	311	106	344	241
1992..	91	333	121	27	619	307
Irrigated land ..... acres, 1997..	195	365	102	92	1 086	1 592
1992..	62	195	135	70	695	755
Harvested cropland ..... farms, 1997..	40	39	24	26	43	65
1992..	31	41	18	13	32	49
acres, 1997..	195	(D)	102	(D)	1 086	1 592
1992..	(D)	(D)	(D)	70	(D)	(D)
Pastureland and other land..... farms, 1997..	—	4	—	2	—	—
1992..	2	2	1	—	1	1
acres, 1997..	—	(D)	—	(D)	—	(D)
1992..	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	(D)	(D)
1997 irrigated acres by size of farm:						
1 to 9 acres ..... farms..	13	10	7	5	11	21
acres irrigated..	17	17	8	6	21	33
10 to 49 acres ..... farms..	13	13	6	6	10	18
acres irrigated..	67	31	8	6	31	47
50 to 69 acres ..... farms..	4	1	2	3	5	1
acres irrigated..	(D)	(D)	(D)	5	5	(D)
70 to 99 acres ..... farms..	2	4	1	1	2	7
acres irrigated..	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	20
100 to 139 acres..... farms..	4	6	3	3	2	4
acres irrigated..	(D)	21	(D)	4	(D)	(D)
140 to 179 acres..... farms..	1	1	2	4	2	1
acres irrigated..	(D)	(D)	(D)	50	(D)	(D)
180 to 219 acres..... farms..	2	—	—	—	1	2
acres irrigated..	(D)	—	—	—	(D)	(D)
220 to 259 acres..... farms..	—	—	—	1	1	—
acres irrigated..	—	—	—	(D)	(D)	—
260 to 499 acres..... farms..	—	5	2	1	7	3
acres irrigated..	—	28	(D)	(D)	919	22
500 to 999 acres..... farms..	—	—	—	2	—	4
acres irrigated..	—	—	—	(D)	—	282
1,000 to 1,999 acres ..... farms..	1	2	1	—	2	1
acres irrigated..	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	(D)	(D)
2,000 acres or more..... farms..	—	—	—	—	—	3
acres irrigated..	—	—	—	—	—	826
1992 irrigated acres by size of farm:						
1 to 9 acres ..... farms..	15	11	3	4	6	15
acres irrigated..	16	12	(D)	6	11	20
10 to 49 acres ..... farms..	3	9	6	4	6	12
acres irrigated..	3	14	21	4	11	23
50 to 69 acres ..... farms..	1	2	3	1	3	6
acres irrigated..	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	3	7
70 to 99 acres ..... farms..	1	5	—	—	2	4
acres irrigated..	(D)	39	—	—	(D)	4
100 to 139 acres..... farms..	6	4	1	—	1	3
acres irrigated..	8	14	(D)	—	(D)	7
140 to 179 acres..... farms..	3	4	3	2	3	3
acres irrigated..	9	9	4	(D)	3	(D)
180 to 219 acres..... farms..	2	1	—	2	2	—
acres irrigated..	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—
220 to 259 acres..... farms..	—	—	1	—	1	—
acres irrigated..	—	—	(D)	—	(D)	—
260 to 499 acres..... farms..	—	4	1	—	6	4
acres irrigated..	—	19	(D)	—	(D)	(D)
500 to 999 acres..... farms..	—	—	—	—	1	1
acres irrigated..	—	—	—	—	(D)	(D)
1,000 to 1,999 acres ..... farms..	—	1	—	—	1	1
acres irrigated..	—	(D)	—	—	(D)	(D)
2,000 acres or more..... farms..	—	—	—	—	—	1
acres irrigated..	—	—	—	—	—	(D)

**Table 8. Irrigation: 1997 and 1992—Con.**

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

Farms with irrigation	Piscataquis	Sagadahoc	Somerset	Waldo	Washington	York
Farms ..... number, 1997..	11	13	22	26	39	95
1992..	11	14	24	29	21	71
Land in irrigated farms..... acres, 1997..	2 049	925	3 075	3 121	32 200	10 168
1992..	2 345	1 536	4 183	3 624	14 317	8 020
Harvested cropland ..... farms, 1997..	10	13	22	26	39	95
1992..	11	14	24	29	21	69
acres, 1997..	429	240	230	752	8 374	4 168
1992..	665	288	440	521	(D)	2 549
Other cropland, excluding cropland pastured..... farms, 1997..	6	8	10	6	20	37
1992..	3	7	11	12	12	34
acres, 1997..	136	73	231	91	9 265	358
1992..	49	100	183	207	(D)	733
Pastureland, excluding woodland pastured ..... farms, 1997..	5	2	6	6	8	19
1992..	5	4	6	13	3	22
acres, 1997..	121	(D)	53	275	188	219
1992..	203	97	54	548	(D)	383
Irrigated land ..... acres, 1997..	166	66	73	60	3 771	1 455
1992..	181	173	44	92	959	1 006
Harvested cropland ..... farms, 1997..	9	13	22	26	38	95
1992..	11	14	24	28	21	68
acres, 1997..	(D)	66	73	(D)	3 760	(D)
1992..	181	173	(D)	(D)	(D)	959
Pastureland and other land..... farms, 1997..	3	—	—	2	3	1
1992..	—	—	2	1	2	5
acres, 1997..	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	11	(D)
1992..	—	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	47
1997 irrigated acres by size of farm:						
1 to 9 acres ..... farms..	—	2	3	8	8	27
acres irrigated..	—	(D)	4	9	9	36
10 to 49 acres ..... farms..	1	3	1	7	7	28
acres irrigated..	(D)	10	(D)	11	40	106
50 to 69 acres ..... farms..	1	2	6	—	3	4
acres irrigated..	(D)	(D)	8	—	13	(D)
70 to 99 acres .....	farms..	1	4	3	4	5
acres irrigated..	(D)	(D)	8	11	16	43
100 to 139 acres..... farms..	4	1	2	1	1	4
acres irrigated..	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	58
140 to 179 acres..... farms..	1	—	4	2	4	6
acres irrigated..	(D)	—	39	(D)	15	49
180 to 219 acres..... farms..	1	—	1	1	1	6
acres irrigated..	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	116
220 to 259 acres..... farms..	1	1	—	—	2	2
acres irrigated..	(D)	(D)	—	—	(D)	(D)
260 to 499 acres..... farms..	—	—	1	—	2	8
acres irrigated..	—	—	(D)	—	(D)	429
500 to 999 acres..... farms..	1	—	—	3	2	1
acres irrigated..	(D)	—	—	11	(D)	(D)
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....	farms..	—	—	1	1	1
acres irrigated..	—	—	(D)	—	(D)	(D)
2,000 acres or more..... farms..	—	—	—	—	3	—
acres irrigated..	—	—	—	—	3 600	—
1992 irrigated acres by size of farm:						
1 to 9 acres ..... farms..	3	4	3	8	4	18
acres irrigated..	5	5	8	8	9	29
10 to 49 acres ..... farms..	1	2	7	4	6	19
acres irrigated..	(D)	(D)	10	13	20	43
50 to 69 acres ..... farms..	2	—	2	3	2	7
acres irrigated..	(D)	—	(D)	3	(D)	47
70 to 99 acres .....	farms..	—	3	3	2	4
acres irrigated..	—	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	(D)
100 to 139 acres..... farms..	1	2	4	2	2	3
acres irrigated..	(D)	(D)	13	(D)	(D)	(D)
140 to 179 acres..... farms..	—	1	1	2	—	6
acres irrigated..	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	23
180 to 219 acres..... farms..	—	—	2	—	—	2
acres irrigated..	—	—	(D)	—	—	(D)
220 to 259 acres..... farms..	1	—	—	2	1	3
acres irrigated..	(D)	—	—	(D)	(D)	(D)
260 to 499 acres..... farms..	2	1	3	4	1	7
acres irrigated..	(D)	(D)	3	46	(D)	137
500 to 999 acres..... farms..	—	1	1	1	1	1
acres irrigated..	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....	farms..	1	1	—	—	1
acres irrigated..	1	—	(D)	—	—	(D)
2,000 acres or more..... farms..	—	—	—	—	2	—
acres irrigated..	—	—	—	—	(D)	—

**Table 9. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1997 and 1992**

[Data are based on a sample of farms. For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

All farms	Maine	Androscoggin	Aroostook	Cumberland	Franklin
<b>VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT</b>					
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment .....	5 794	286	888	455	216
1992..	5 765	301	884	440	211
\$1,000, 1997..	282 151	20 350	80 412	15 709	6 402
1992..	263 791	29 499	80 922	13 145	5 898
Average per farm .....	48 697	71 152	90 555	34 525	29 637
dollars, 1997..	45 757	98 003	91 541	29 875	27 951
Farms by value group:					
\$1 to \$9,999 .....	1 412	12	154	90	65
1997..	1 579	101	157	134	55
1992..	1 205	79	140	82	65
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....	1 350	68	129	97	46
1997..	808	56	76	77	23
1992..	778	33	77	64	54
\$20,000 to \$29,999 .....	1997..	810	36	76	123
1992..	770	32	124	77	19
\$30,000 to \$49,999 .....	1997..	466	37	71	28
1992..	418	11	84	38	12
\$50,000 to \$69,999 .....	1997..	324	19	101	31
1992..	212	14	45	15	13
\$70,000 to \$99,999 .....	1997..	496	36	157	20
1992..	423	26	147	26	5
\$100,000 to \$199,999 .....	1997..	232	8	93	6
1992..	198	14	99	4	6
\$200,000 to \$499,999 .....	1997..	41	3	20	4
1992..	37	2	22	—	—
<b>SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT</b>					
Motortrucks, including pickups .....	5 141	267	824	385	193
farms, 1997..	5 157	274	865	375	198
number, 1997..	11 261	597	3 419	666	289
1992..	11 338	685	3 596	662	314
Wheel tractors .....	5 092	254	790	413	176
farms, 1997..	5 206	283	821	409	184
number, 1997..	11 767	635	2 511	896	379
1992..	12 862	761	2 773	887	390
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) .....	3 315	170	359	305	129
1992..	3 648	192	362	316	142
number, 1997..	5 155	288	529	477	191
1992..	5 766	346	580	497	204
40 horsepower (PTO) or more .....	3 236	176	647	248	106
1992..	3 065	161	676	234	88
number, 1997..	6 612	347	1 982	419	188
1992..	7 096	415	2 193	390	186
40 to 99 horsepower (PTO) .....	3 075	169	570	241	101
number, 1997..	5 346	286	1 304	(D)	(D)
100 horsepower (PTO) or more .....	647	38	282	23	12
number, 1997..	1 266	61	678	(D)	(D)
Grain and bean combines .....	, farms, 1997..	230	2	165	1
1992..	360	8	197	26	2
number, 1997..	254	(D)	181	(D)	(D)
1992..	419	8	229	26	(D)
Cotton pickers and strippers .....	farms, 1997..	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—
number, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—
Mower conditioners .....	farms, 1997..	1 970	149	273	186
1992..	2 002	142	225	162	73
number, 1997..	2 183	157	290	200	64
1992..	2 228	155	233	190	83
Pickup balers .....	farms, 1997..	2 126	135	243	197
1992..	2 232	158	180	200	86
number, 1997..	2 514	165	274	241	74
1992..	2 563	172	217	209	105
<b>1997 INVENTORY</b>					
Manufactured 1993 to 1997:					
Motortrucks, including pickups .....	farms..	1 319	86	265	127
number..	1 692	155	346	144	51
Wheel tractors .....	farms..	621	54	104	57
number..	786	67	152	63	11
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) .....	farms..	271	15	22	32
number..	289	17	24	33	6
40 horsepower (PTO) or more .....	farms..	384	41	86	25
number..	497	50	128	30	(D)
40 to 99 horsepower (PTO) .....	farms..	341	39	54	2
number..	404	47	73	(D)	(D)
100 horsepower (PTO) or more .....	farms..	69	3	42	2
number..	93	3	55	(D)	(D)
Grain and bean combines .....	farms..	12	—	6	—
number..	13	—	7	—	—
Cotton pickers and strippers .....	farms..	—	—	—	—
number..	—	—	—	—	—
Mower conditioners .....	farms..	374	44	31	35
number..	387	44	31	36	8
Pickup balers .....	farms..	284	33	26	33
number..	316	38	26	35	15
Manufactured prior to 1993:					
Motortrucks, including pickups .....	farms..	4 530	230	761	310
number..	9 569	442	3 073	522	238
Wheel tractors .....	farms..	4 833	236	756	378
number..	10 981	568	2 359	833	368
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) .....	farms..	3 141	159	345	286
number..	4 866	271	505	444	129
40 horsepower (PTO) or more .....	farms..	3 040	160	621	227
number..	6 115	297	1 854	389	106
Grain and bean combines .....	farms..	220	2	161	1
number..	241	(D)	174	(D)	(D)
Cotton pickers and strippers .....	farms..	—	—	—	—
number..	—	—	—	—	—
Mower conditioners .....	farms..	1 655	109	253	155
number..	1 796	113	259	164	55
Pickup balers .....	farms..	1 949	115	230	175
number..	2 198	127	248	206	90

**Table 9. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1997 and 1992**

[Data are based on a sample of farms. For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

All farms	Hancock	Kennebec	Knox	Lincoln	Oxford	Penobscot
<b>VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT</b>						
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment .....	310	455	194	210	358	524
1992..	286	495	216	201	345	523
\$1,000, 1997..	7 412	23 765	7 757	6 836	16 162	22 789
1992..	7 270	20 171	6 460	5 971	12 353	20 096
Average per farm .....	23 909	52 231	39 984	32 551	45 147	43 491
dollars, 1997..	25 418	40 749	29 907	29 709	35 806	38 424
Farms by value group:						
\$1 to \$9,999 .....	1997..	119	75	52	54	98
1992..	117	111	62	62	117	133
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....	1997..	41	72	28	47	63
1992..	102	110	55	42	55	157
\$20,000 to \$29,999 .....	1997..	95	120	23	17	43
1992..	15	58	48	11	75	73
\$30,000 to \$49,999 .....	1997..	34	77	45	34	62
1992..	41	97	12	39	36	90
\$50,000 to \$69,999 .....	1997..	3	34	14	37	48
1992..	8	39	14	30	20	30
\$70,000 to \$99,999 .....	1997..	7	24	1	13	4
1992..	—	34	10	11	18	20
\$100,000 to \$199,999 .....	1997..	7	18	30	7	24
1992..	2	27	12	4	16	30
\$200,000 to \$499,999 .....	1997..	4	30	1	1	13
1992..	—	18	3	2	4	18
\$500,000 or more .....	1997..	—	5	—	—	3
1992..	1	1	—	—	4	2
						4
<b>SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT</b>						
Motortrucks, including pickups .....	291	422	174	185	277	498
farms, 1997..	259	478	188	192	314	410
number, 1997..	526	770	293	306	536	981
Wheel tractors .....	464	795	285	313	545	848
farms, 1997..	240	426	176	177	335	444
number, 1997..	209	479	175	162	308	457
1992..	418	1 020	319	337	650	1 090
	329	1 241	327	367	707	1 106
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) .....	farms, 1997..	156	279	113	116	204
1992..	129	369	114	142	245	326
number, 1997..	224	448	160	163	280	467
40 horsepower (PTO) or more .....	farms, 1997..	228	622	178	243	353
1992..	143	291	117	121	205	308
number, 1997..	84	263	96	75	181	266
40 to 99 horsepower (PTO) .....	farms, 1997..	194	572	159	174	370
1992..	101	619	149	124	354	623
number, 1997..	143	279	116	120	205	304
(D)	185	154	168	(D)	514	514
100 horsepower (PTO) or more .....	farms, 1997..	9	47	5	4	15
number, 1997..	9	(D)	5	6	(D)	109
Grain and bean combines .....	farms, 1997..	5	11	—	6	5
1992..	—	14	—	8	17	55
number, 1997..	5	12	—	6	6	17
Cotton pickers and strippers .....	farms, 1997..	—	17	—	8	18
1992..	—	—	—	—	—	—
number, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Mower conditioners .....	farms, 1997..	50	197	51	77	130
1992..	68	286	59	64	113	141
number, 1997..	54	232	56	88	163	195
Pickup balers .....	farms, 1997..	81	334	61	67	121
1992..	50	205	51	79	141	225
number, 1997..	23	292	52	82	168	199
1992..	64	243	54	91	163	275
number, 1997..	32	336	69	95	181	239
<b>1997 INVENTORY</b>						
Manufactured 1993 to 1997:						
Motortrucks, including pickups .....	farms..	101	84	57	54	55
number..	121	102	59	55	73	135
Wheel tractors .....	farms..	29	26	21	31	45
number..	30	39	22	32	50	66
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) .....	farms..	7	17	18	15	14
number..	8	17	18	15	14	16
40 horsepower (PTO) or more .....	farms..	22	18	3	16	32
number..	22	22	4	17	36	50
40 to 99 horsepower (PTO) .....	farms..	22	18	3	16	30
number..	22	(D)	4	17	(D)	40
100 horsepower (PTO) or more .....	farms..	—	2	—	—	2
number..	—	(D)	—	—	(D)	4
Grain and bean combines .....	farms..	—	—	—	5	1
Cotton pickers and strippers .....	farms..	—	—	—	(D)	(D)
Mower conditioners .....	farms..	18	38	2	8	35
number..	18	38	(D)	8	35	27
Pickup balers .....	farms..	8	29	3	13	3
number..	8	29	4	13	(D)	20
Manufactured prior to 1993:						
Motortrucks, including pickups .....	farms..	218	356	153	162	265
number..	405	668	234	251	463	846
Wheel tractors .....	farms..	223	418	171	166	308
number..	388	981	297	305	600	1 024
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) .....	farms..	154	270	96	107	192
number..	216	431	142	148	266	451
40 horsepower (PTO) or more .....	farms..	121	290	117	113	188
number..	172	550	155	157	334	573
Grain and bean combines .....	farms..	5	11	—	1	5
Cotton pickers and strippers .....	farms..	5	12	—	(D)	6
Mower conditioners .....	farms..	32	165	49	73	106
number..	36	194	(D)	80	128	163
Pickup balers .....	farms..	46	188	49	71	138
number..	56	214	50	78	(D)	218
						255

**Table 9. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1997 and 1992—Con.**

[Data are based on a sample of farms. For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

All farms	Piscataquis	Sagadahoc	Somerset	Waldo	Washington	York
<b>VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT</b>						
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment .....	139	117	429	315	399	499
1992..	139	120	413	338	371	482
\$1,000, 1997..	5 836	4 067	24 332	10 853	14 004	15 466
1992..	4 345	4 484	15 366	12 885	12 049	12 878
Average per farm .....	41 987	34 761	56 717	34 455	35 097	30 994
dollars, 1997..	31 261	37 364	37 205	38 121	32 478	26 718
Farms by value group:						
\$1 to \$9,999 .....	31	31	85	87	137	181
1992..	38	26	116	101	115	134
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....	35	27	104	84	110	128
1992..	40	27	92	61	105	164
\$20,000 to \$29,999 .....	14	13	52	27	59	40
1992..	18	20	60	30	65	53
\$30,000 to \$49,999 .....	32	23	54	30	25	50
1992..	25	24	34	55	43	65
\$50,000 to \$69,999 .....	3	8	7	46	46	32
1992..	6	5	58	34	17	14
\$70,000 to \$99,999 .....	9	5	30	20	3	33
1992..	2	8	13	14	1	24
\$100,000 to \$199,999 .....	10	8	58	14	10	31
1992..	6	8	30	38	16	26
\$200,000 to \$499,999 .....	4	2	38	6	4	4
1992..	4	2	10	5	7	1
\$500,000 or more .....	1	—	1	1	5	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	2	1
<b>SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT</b>						
Motortrucks, including pickups .....	129	103	381	249	355	408
farms, 1997..	113	94	360	291	356	390
number, 1997..	258	155	635	460	698	672
Wheel tractors .....	236	150	632	503	560	750
farms, 1997..	122	109	393	290	353	394
number, 1997..	127	112	394	327	312	447
1992..	264	254	976	674	591	753
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) .....	317	265	981	749	510	1 152
farms, 1997..	78	87	283	194	247	301
number, 1997..	91	84	328	227	231	350
1992..	125	148	557	283	338	477
147	137	510	307	302	620	
40 horsepower (PTO) or more .....	70	58	223	195	154	174
farms, 1997..	84	69	202	203	125	258
number, 1997..	139	106	419	391	253	276
1992..	170	128	471	442	208	532
40 to 99 horsepower (PTO) .....	67	56	220	181	140	163
farms, 1997..	121	(D)	337	338	(D)	224
number, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—
100 horsepower (PTO) or more .....	12	7	50	39	16	31
farms, 1997..	18	(D)	82	53	(D)	52
Grain and bean combines .....	6	2	5	2	—	1
farms, 1997..	6	2	14	4	6	2
number, 1997..	8	(D)	5	(D)	—	(D)
1992..	10	(D)	14	10	6	(D)
Cotton pickers and strippers .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—
number, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Mower conditioners .....	45	48	185	139	66	127
farms, 1997..	55	47	210	151	52	154
number, 1997..	50	53	202	155	87	137
1992..	62	52	247	156	62	156
Pickup balers .....	57	54	216	148	57	182
farms, 1997..	71	50	239	207	57	180
number, 1997..	67	74	273	182	57	186
1992..	79	63	283	242	58	209
<b>1997 INVENTORY</b>						
Manufactured 1993 to 1997:						
Motortrucks, including pickups .....	31	31	82	49	74	78
farms..	33	34	100	61	112	111
number..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wheel tractors .....	11	13	68	28	24	45
farms..	12	20	92	32	46	52
number..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) .....	7	6	32	23	1	40
farms..	8	8	33	24	(D)	47
number..	—	—	—	—	—	—
40 horsepower (PTO) or more .....	4	9	49	6	23	5
farms..	4	12	59	8	(D)	5
number..	—	9	49	3	23	5
40 to 99 horsepower (PTO) .....	4	9	51	3	(D)	5
farms..	4	(D)	8	5	(D)	—
number..	—	—	—	—	—	—
100 horsepower (PTO) or more .....	—	1	8	3	1	—
farms..	—	(D)	8	5	(D)	—
number..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Grain and bean combines .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton pickers and strippers .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Mower conditioners .....	4	6	65	25	16	12
farms..	6	6	65	26	26	12
number..	(D)	—	—	—	—	—
Pickup balers .....	5	4	53	13	1	26
farms..	6	6	70	15	(D)	26
number..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Manufactured prior to 1993:						
Motortrucks, including pickups .....	113	84	325	229	311	384
farms..	225	121	535	399	586	561
number..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wheel tractors .....	120	101	361	284	349	372
farms..	252	234	884	642	545	701
number..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) .....	76	81	266	186	246	269
farms..	117	140	524	259	(D)	430
number..	—	—	—	—	—	—
40 horsepower (PTO) or more .....	70	52	193	195	138	171
farms..	135	94	360	383	(D)	271
number..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Grain and bean combines .....	6	2	5	2	—	1
Cotton pickers and strippers .....	8	(D)	5	(D)	—	(D)
number..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Mower conditioners .....	41	44	125	119	50	116
farms..	(D)	47	137	129	61	125
number..	55	52	181	139	56	157
Pickup balers .....	61	68	203	167	(D)	160

**Table 10. Agricultural Chemicals Used, Including Fertilizer: 1997 and 1992**

[Data are based on a sample of farms. For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Chemicals used	Maine	Androscoggin	Aroostook	Cumberland	Franklin	
Commercial fertilizer .....						
farms, 1997..	2 921	122	598	238	125	
1992..	3 090	162	694	214	123	
acres on which used, 1997..	234 911	8 072	116 444	8 429	5 241	
1992..	257 402	10 557	122 538	5 841	5 772	
Cropland fertilized, except pastureland .....	2 797	120	579	223	119	
farms, 1997..	2 965	150	693	197	117	
1992..	227 062	7 547	115 229	7 919	4 029	
acres on which used, 1997..	246 056	9 737	121 776	4 726	4 574	
Pastureland and rangeland fertilized.....	352	25	38	31	30	
farms, 1997..	442	41	27	51	39	
1992..	7 849	525	1 215	510	1 212	
acres on which used, 1997..	11 346	820	762	1 115	1 198	
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—						
Insects on hay and other crops .....	1 449	36	423	88	18	
farms, 1997..	1 692	69	560	101	22	
1992..	113 473	2 391	78 386	1 408	439	
acres on which used, 1997..	133 702	2 780	93 448	1 427	424	
Nematodes in crops .....	92	5	19	7	5	
farms, 1997..	143	6	88	1	—	
1992..	4 923	236	2 770	185	10	
acres on which used, 1997..	13 401	235	10 939	(D)	—	
Diseases in crops and orchards.....	869	32	310	57	10	
farms, 1997..	885	35	395	41	19	
1992..	86 353	1 190	61 865	701	148	
acres on which used, 1997..	87 945	1 854	65 465	743	299	
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture .....	1 428	57	353	94	34	
farms, 1997..	1 482	83	501	51	22	
1992..	149 286	4 431	88 220	1 615	1 798	
acres on which used, 1997..	146 504	4 109	91 306	1 410	1 260	
Chemicals used on crops to control growth, thin fruit, or defoliate .....	383	13	204	11	5	
farms, 1997..	560	13	351	14	—	
1992..	45 461	1 080	36 528	132	135	
acres on which used, 1997..	61 640	686	51 741	395	—	
Chemicals used	Hancock	Kennebec	Knox	Lincoln	Oxford	Penobscot
Commercial fertilizer .....						
farms, 1997..	152	214	100	77	147	254
1992..	127	262	79	109	169	280
acres on which used, 1997..	3 083	13 718	2 476	2 620	9 156	20 728
1992..	1 990	17 483	2 179	2 776	8 719	26 760
Cropland fertilized, except pastureland .....	145	191	96	74	135	238
farms, 1997..	121	246	67	93	158	274
1992..	3 042	12 665	2 426	2 369	8 835	19 912
acres on which used, 1997..	1 947	15 556	1 694	2 273	8 297	25 654
Pastureland and rangeland fertilized.....	11	42	7	13	19	37
farms, 1997..	7	57	14	25	26	40
1992..	41	1 053	50	251	321	816
acres on which used, 1997..	43	1 927	485	503	422	1 106
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—						
Insects on hay and other crops .....	86	85	81	25	75	130
farms, 1997..	146	81	70	62	50	102
1992..	2 243	3 019	1 195	342	2 764	6 732
acres on which used, 1997..	3 100	2 044	1 226	905	2 642	6 225
Nematodes in crops .....	4	1	6	1	7	4
farms, 1997..	—	8	—	1	10	7
1992..	8	(D)	91	(D)	7	417
acres on which used, 1997..	—	55	—	(D)	142	960
Diseases in crops and orchards.....	59	44	35	16	31	54
farms, 1997..	22	36	15	31	37	61
1992..	1 766	968	524	122	2 250	4 809
acres on which used, 1997..	237	867	568	259	2 080	4 485
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture .....	100	79	60	29	70	81
farms, 1997..	123	92	36	46	43	112
1992..	2 272	5 105	1 386	667	4 382	13 442
acres on which used, 1997..	2 167	4 417	1 061	980	3 852	11 102
Chemicals used on crops to control growth, thin fruit, or defoliate .....	7	12	9	9	23	35
farms, 1997..	21	10	7	1	21	35
1992..	116	573	111	79	1 177	3 187
acres on which used, 1997..	167	573	95	(D)	1 931	3 595

**Table 10. Agricultural Chemicals Used, Including Fertilizer: 1997 and 1992—Con.**

[Data are based on a sample of farms. For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Chemicals used	Piscataquis	Sagadahoc	Somerset	Waldo	Washington	York
Commercial fertilizer .....						
farms, 1997..	85	38	199	146	205	221
1992..	61	57	159	150	202	242
acres on which used, 1997..	5 215	1 815	12 598	5 079	13 986	6 251
1992..	5 310	2 959	13 853	8 429	14 429	7 807
Cropland fertilized, except pastureland .....						
farms, 1997..	79	37	197	146	205	213
1992..	61	50	158	148	195	237
acres on which used, 1997..	4 770	(D)	11 706	4 904	(D)	6 033
1992..	4 701	2 575	12 752	8 094	14 173	7 527
Pastureland and rangeland fertilized.....						
farms, 1997..	19	7	41	6	1	25
1992..	15	16	24	18	15	27
acres on which used, 1997..	445	(D)	892	175	(D)	218
1992..	609	384	1 101	335	256	280
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—						
Insects on hay and other crops .....						
farms, 1997..	38	12	64	61	127	100
1992..	12	24	32	72	202	87
acres on which used, 1997..	790	61	1 233	1 188	8 285	2 997
1992..	749	389	1 119	2 286	12 051	2 887
Nematodes in crops .....						
farms, 1997..	3	—	18	—	8	4
1992..	5	1	3	6	—	7
acres on which used, 1997..	(D)	—	523	—	8	(D)
1992..	432	(D)	309	60	—	(D)
Diseases in crops and orchards.....						
farms, 1997..	23	3	19	10	95	71
1992..	6	18	4	27	88	50
acres on which used, 1997..	560	3	347	57	8 920	2 123
1992..	363	217	264	233	8 048	1 963
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture .....						
farms, 1997..	37	15	110	96	151	62
1992..	13	24	84	69	104	79
acres on which used, 1997..	2 140	621	5 852	3 700	10 891	2 764
1992..	1 630	479	6 286	2 791	10 635	3 019
Chemicals used on crops to control growth, thin fruit, or defoliate .....						
farms, 1997..	7	1	2	11	12	22
1992..	3	2	4	15	42	21
acres on which used, 1997..	239	(D)	(D)	96	1 415	559
1992..	385	(D)	96	625	588	724

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

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

Characteristics	Maine	Androscoggin	Aroostook	Cumberland	Franklin
<b>F FARMS</b>					
Land in farms .....	5 810	288	889	455	223
1992..	5 776	302	884	440	210
acres, 1997..	1 211 648	55 905	324 887	49 829	40 091
1992..	1 258 297	62 242	334 040	53 893	38 853
Harvested cropland .....	4 875	243	735	399	180
1992..	5 141	275	833	375	183
acres, 1997..	403 014	17 842	143 507	18 484	10 604
1992..	399 755	19 299	135 856	16 914	10 534
<b>T TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>					
Full owners .....	3 829	187	486	309	147
1992..	3 733	182	420	298	143
acres, 1997..	584 716	27 646	127 264	25 316	18 622
1992..	594 887	28 037	124 531	27 584	19 467
Harvested cropland .....	3 106	154	346	251	112
1992..	3 197	158	377	245	118
acres, 1997..	110 407	5 433	32 241	5 847	2 801
1992..	113 226	(D)	36 097	6 000	3 268
Part owners .....	1 654	87	331	119	67
1992..	1 774	113	362	127	57
acres, 1997..	586 987	27 714	184 058	21 578	20 773
1992..	629 696	33 365	193 696	25 431	18 968
Owned land in farms .....	401 186	20 514	128 243	12 344	14 239
acres, 1997..	448 343	25 959	142 640	15 965	13 613
Rented land in farms .....	185 801	7 200	55 815	9 234	6 534
acres, 1997..	181 353	7 406	51 056	9 466	5 355
Harvested cropland .....	1 552	81	324	114	63
1992..	1 704	111	356	118	57
acres, 1997..	270 696	12 248	99 194	10 651	7 407
1992..	264 759	14 045	87 673	10 669	7 019
Tenants .....	327	14	72	27	9
1992..	269	7	102	15	10
acres, 1997..	39 945	545	13 565	2 935	696
1992..	33 714	840	15 813	878	418
Harvested cropland .....	217	8	65	24	5
1992..	240	6	100	12	8
acres, 1997..	21 911	161	12 072	1 986	396
1992..	21 770	(D)	12 086	245	247
<b>O OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS</b>					
Operators by place of residence:					
On farm operated .....	4 727	242	709	370	191
1992..	4 798	254	690	369	184
Not on farm operated .....	717	31	135	58	19
1992..	667	28	142	47	14
Not reported .....	366	15	45	27	13
1992..	311	20	52	24	12
Operators by principal occupation:					
Farming .....	2 872	150	530	215	103
1992..	2 981	177	647	187	109
Other .....	2 938	138	359	240	120
1992..	2 795	125	237	253	101
Operators by days worked off farm:					
None .....	2 246	132	432	169	89
1992..	2 331	139	475	158	91
Any .....	3 263	142	423	264	125
1992..	3 144	143	364	261	110
1 to 49 days .....	409	12	61	28	19
1992..	386	19	65	26	18
50 to 99 days .....	234	13	34	14	10
1992..	182	6	32	15	2
100 to 149 days .....	231	10	44	22	8
1992..	248	15	41	22	7
150 to 199 days .....	431	14	42	35	10
1992..	471	16	52	40	20
200 days or more .....	1 958	93	242	165	78
1992..	1 857	87	174	158	63
Not reported .....	301	14	34	22	9
1992..	301	20	45	21	9
Operators by years on present farm:					
2 years or less .....	208	8	32	16	9
1992..	187	5	21	11	10
3 or 4 years .....	280	14	41	16	2
1992..	341	17	66	18	5
5 to 9 years .....	781	39	109	51	28
1992..	852	44	109	62	23
10 years or more .....	3 713	191	603	302	146
1992..	3 585	199	570	278	144
Average years on present farm .....	20.5	22.5	21.8	21.6	21.7
1992..	19.6	22.2	20.3	19.8	22.0
Not reported .....	828	36	104	70	38
1992..	811	37	118	71	28

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

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

Characteristics	Hancock	Kennebec	Knox	Lincoln	Oxford	Penobscot
<b>F FARMS</b>						
Land in farms .....						
farms, 1997..	310	455	194	210	358	525
1992..	291	494	217	202	346	524
acres, 1997..	42 607	88 134	25 183	25 920	63 959	116 593
1992..	50 076	95 402	27 622	24 350	63 473	118 152
Harvested cropland .....						
farms, 1997..	275	380	171	169	279	458
1992..	280	427	189	174	283	454
acres, 1997..	6 459	34 425	7 173	7 541	15 794	40 029
1992..	7 344	35 886	7 305	7 162	15 169	40 717
<b>TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>						
Full owners .....						
farms, 1997..	250	286	143	143	245	350
1992..	246	300	156	142	236	326
acres, 1997..	33 103	34 827	15 078	13 225	36 463	52 163
1992..	38 460	42 407	17 059	13 654	36 306	46 651
Harvested cropland .....						
farms, 1997..	220	228	123	114	184	295
1992..	238	245	132	119	183	264
acres, 1997..	3 806	8 299	2 639	1 894	(D)	8 795
1992..	4 396	9 265	2 592	2 597	4 228	7 792
Part owners .....						
farms, 1997..	49	151	43	58	99	150
1992..	39	172	53	52	101	184
acres, 1997..	8 705	51 013	9 495	11 600	26 224	63 495
1992..	11 477	50 090	9 445	9 881	25 405	69 771
Owned land in farms .....						
acres, 1997..	6 888	35 548	5 300	5 491	17 957	41 651
Rented land in farms .....						
acres, 1997..	9 337	33 245	5 144	6 040	17 157	48 103
1992..	1 817	15 465	4 195	6 109	8 267	21 844
2 140	16 845	4 301	3 841	8 248	21 668	
Harvested cropland .....						
farms, 1997..	47	140	41	49	88	145
1992..	37	166	51	48	91	176
acres, 1997..	2 429	25 233	4 288	5 309	10 373	30 600
1992..	2 890	24 507	4 296	4 350	9 796	31 668
Tenants .....						
farms, 1997..	11	18	8	9	14	25
1992..	6	22	8	8	9	14
acres, 1997..	799	2 294	610	1 095	1 272	935
1992..	139	2 905	1 118	815	1 762	1 730
Harvested cropland .....						
farms, 1997..	8	12	7	6	7	18
1992..	5	16	6	7	9	14
acres, 1997..	224	893	246	338	(D)	634
1992..	58	2 114	417	215	1 145	1 257
<b>OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS</b>						
Operators by place of residence:						
On farm operated .....						
1997..	228	386	161	170	320	427
1992..	213	424	175	177	300	446
Not on farm operated .....						
1997..	55	39	21	23	25	69
1992..	62	47	34	18	25	43
Not reported .....						
1997..	27	30	12	17	13	29
1992..	16	23	8	7	21	35
Operators by principal occupation:						
Farming .....						
1997..	118	237	90	103	171	248
1992..	91	259	97	91	167	263
Other .....						
1997..	192	218	104	107	187	277
1992..	200	235	120	111	179	261
Operators by days worked off farm:						
None .....						
1997..	99	173	78	74	120	214
1992..	92	213	76	69	124	206
Any .....						
1997..	199	250	108	118	220	285
1992..	188	255	136	123	199	284
1 to 49 days .....						
1997..	29	26	16	12	27	32
1992..	25	21	20	15	26	31
50 to 99 days .....						
1997..	23	21	7	7	16	14
1992..	15	7	9	6	10	14
100 to 149 days .....						
1997..	10	13	5	8	13	19
1992..	12	13	14	5	12	21
150 to 199 days .....						
1997..	27	44	14	21	37	36
1992..	27	36	15	18	29	41
200 days or more .....						
1997..	110	146	66	70	127	184
1992..	109	178	78	79	122	177
Not reported .....						
1997..	12	32	8	18	18	26
1992..	11	26	5	10	23	34
Operators by years on present farm:						
2 years or less .....						
1997..	11	14	3	13	18	20
1992..	7	19	9	9	6	16
3 or 4 years .....						
1997..	20	27	5	9	25	29
1992..	17	35	15	10	18	33
5 to 9 years .....						
1997..	38	55	33	19	54	79
1992..	43	73	36	29	56	93
10 years or more .....						
1997..	185	292	135	131	230	318
1992..	175	298	123	122	205	314
Average years on present farm .....						
1997..	18.8	20.5	20.0	18.9	19.8	19.7
1992..	18.8	19.4	18.6	17.3	19.5	18.8
Not reported .....						
1997..	56	67	18	38	31	79
1992..	49	69	34	32	61	68

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

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

Characteristics	Piscataquis	Sagadahoc	Somerset	Waldo	Washington	York
<b>F FARMS</b>						
Land in farms .....						
farms, 1997..	141	118	431	315	399	499
1992..	140	120	413	339	372	482
acres, 1997..	34 171	17 853	101 270	68 569	98 336	58 341
1992..	35 988	18 793	106 971	71 890	94 755	61 797
Harvested cropland .....						
farms, 1997..	115	96	327	278	369	411
1992..	125	102	360	309	351	421
acres, 1997..	8 179	5 530	27 191	21 460	20 235	18 561
1992..	8 603	5 512	32 415	21 300	17 558	18 181
<b>TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>						
Full owners .....						
farms, 1997..	96	80	241	207	323	336
1992..	87	83	261	237	292	324
acres, 1997..	16 192	(D)	38 557	(D)	71 429	30 954
1992..	14 604	9 946	47 704	39 330	55 991	33 156
Harvested cropland .....						
farms, 1997..	74	62	199	182	298	264
1992..	77	68	214	208	276	275
acres, 1997..	2 478	(D)	6 128	5 710	12 491	5 584
1992..	2 374	(D)	8 165	7 121	5 431	6 795
Part owners .....						
farms, 1997..	39	35	132	101	60	133
1992..	47	32	137	96	68	134
acres, 1997..	16 899	8 425	53 269	33 718	25 315	24 706
1992..	19 726	8 747	56 964	31 488	38 143	27 099
Owned land in farms .....						
acres, 1997..	13 992	6 167	36 676	21 069	19 722	15 385
Rented land in farms .....						
acres, 1997..	15 364	6 359	39 128	20 223	31 337	18 729
1992..	2 907	2 258	16 593	12 649	5 593	9 321
4 362	2 388	17 836	11 265	6 806	8 370	
Harvested cropland .....						
farms, 1997..	36	32	119	90	58	125
1992..	42	30	133	96	64	128
acres, 1997..	5 041	3 577	20 100	15 501	6 718	12 027
1992..	5 078	3 329	23 123	13 919	11 927	10 470
Tenants .....						
farms, 1997..	6	3	58	7	16	30
1992..	6	5	15	6	12	24
acres, 1997..	1 080	(D)	9 444	(D)	1 592	2 681
1992..	1 658	100	2 303	1 072	621	1 542
Harvested cropland .....						
farms, 1997..	5	2	9	6	13	22
1992..	6	4	13	5	11	18
acres, 1997..	660	(D)	963	249	1 026	950
1992..	1 151	(D)	1 127	260	200	916
<b>OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS</b>						
Operators by place of residence:						
On farm operated .....						
1997..	121	111	330	282	266	413
1992..	123	108	375	287	256	417
Not on farm operated .....						
1997..	15	7	40	21	101	58
1992..	9	4	25	35	95	39
Not reported .....						
1997..	5	—	61	12	32	28
1992..	8	8	13	17	21	26
Operators by principal occupation:						
Farming .....						
1997..	68	55	244	173	145	222
1992..	72	56	221	186	132	226
Other .....						
1997..	73	63	187	142	254	277
1992..	68	64	192	153	240	256
Operators by days worked off farm:						
None .....						
1997..	48	45	154	124	114	181
1992..	62	36	187	129	108	166
Any .....						
1997..	85	68	251	177	259	289
1992..	76	74	209	189	247	286
1 to 49 days .....						
1997..	7	4	32	34	46	24
1992..	9	7	21	26	33	24
50 to 99 days .....						
1997..	10	2	15	13	19	16
1992..	6	2	8	19	17	14
100 to 149 days .....						
1997..	2	8	19	17	21	12
1992..	4	8	12	16	30	16
150 to 199 days .....						
1997..	12	8	42	20	35	34
1992..	9	6	40	36	40	46
200 days or more .....						
1997..	54	46	143	93	138	203
1992..	48	51	128	92	127	186
Not reported .....						
1997..	8	5	26	14	26	29
1992..	2	10	17	21	17	30
Operators by years on present farm:						
2 years or less .....						
1997..	3	2	10	16	8	25
1992..	10	4	16	12	20	12
3 or 4 years .....						
1997..	4	6	18	12	20	32
1992..	7	4	18	26	26	26
5 to 9 years .....						
1997..	24	14	55	48	65	70
1992..	22	25	47	45	58	87
10 years or more .....						
1997..	94	84	254	204	242	302
1992..	84	73	287	207	215	291
Average years on present farm .....						
1997..	20.7	21.8	20.2	21.2	19.0	19.5
1992..	16.9	19.7	20.2	19.9	17.7	20.1
Not reported .....						
1997..	16	12	94	35	64	70
1992..	17	14	45	49	53	66

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

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

Characteristics	Maine	Androscoggin	Aroostook	Cumberland	Franklin
<b>OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS—</b>					
Con.					
Operators by age group:					
Under 25 years .....	1997.. 39 1992.. 47	2	20	2	1
25 to 34 years .....	1997.. 286 1992.. 407	10 13	64 99	14 16	6 20
35 to 44 years .....	1997.. 1 113 1992.. 1 278	55 71	182 207	83 100	37 35
45 to 54 years .....	1997.. 1 618 1992.. 1 493	72 61	259 246	104 105	62 55
55 to 59 years .....	1997.. 727 1992.. 655	36 37	102 107	65 60	34 21
60 to 64 years .....	1997.. 636 1992.. 630	33 28	114 95	51 48	19 25
65 to 69 years .....	1997.. 522 1992.. 468	21 38	72 50	48 32	26 16
70 years and over .....	1997.. 869 1992.. 798	59 54	76 62	88 79	38 37
Average age .....	1997.. 54.4 1992.. 53.0	56.1 55.9	51.7 49.4	56.5 55.1	56.1 54.3
Operators by sex:					
Male .....	farms, 1997.. 4 991 1992.. 5 082 acres, 1997.. 1 128 669 1992.. 1 178 788	261 275 54 280 59 931	839 852 318 791 327 910	358 361 42 783 48 433	192 186 36 368 34 941
Female .....	farms, 1997.. 819 1992.. 694 acres, 1997.. 82 979 1992.. 79 509	27 27 1 625 2 311	50 32 6 096 6 130	97 79 7 046 5 460	31 24 3 723 3 912
<b>TYPE OF ORGANIZATION</b>					
Individual or family (sole proprietorship) .....	farms, 1997.. 5 064 1992.. 5 063 acres, 1997.. 896 406 1992.. 945 823	239 253 37 336 42 238	746 727 221 267 236 832	380 369 38 786 37 344	195 188 32 938 31 892
Partnership .....	farms, 1997.. 306 1992.. 325 acres, 1997.. 106 220 1992.. 102 705	10 12 3 426 4 190	71 75 34 505 32 087	24 25 5 317 5 548	14 12 2 388 2 118
Corporation:					
Family held .....	farms, 1997.. 362 1992.. 316 acres, 1997.. 179 965 1992.. 175 535	35 36 13 989 (D)	65 73 61 150 59 703	39 32 3 463 5 118	10 9 3 954 (D)
Other than family held .....	farms, 1997.. 41 1992.. 36 acres, 1997.. 10 749 1992.. 13 720	2 — (D) —	3 5 6 378 (D)	7 7 (D) 1 240	2 — (D) —
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. ....	farms, 1997.. 37 1992.. 36 acres, 1997.. 18 308 1992.. 20 514	2 1 (D) (D)	4 4 1 587 (D)	5 7 (D) 4 643	2 1 (D) (D)

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

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

Characteristics	Hancock	Kennebec	Knox	Lincoln	Oxford	Penobscot
<b>OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS—</b>						
Con.						
Operators by age group:						
Under 25 years .....	1997..	—	—	1	—	4
1992..	—	3	4	—	—	2
25 to 34 years .....	1997..	11	25	5	9	20
1992..	18	43	18	12	22	29
35 to 44 years .....	1997..	58	87	54	65	83
1992..	56	92	43	45	73	118
45 to 54 years .....	1997..	92	124	57	113	169
1992..	67	129	46	52	99	146
55 to 59 years .....	1997..	32	56	20	12	52
1992..	36	64	29	34	35	56
60 to 64 years .....	1997..	36	43	30	32	41
1992..	28	64	20	22	31	72
65 to 69 years .....	1997..	21	53	17	20	32
1992..	31	33	22	17	30	37
70 years and over .....	1997..	60	67	36	29	46
1992..	55	66	35	20	56	64
Average age .....	1997..	56.1	54.7	56.5	54.4	54.7
1992..	55.5	53.0	53.5	52.7	53.7	53.2
Operators by sex:						
Male .....	farms, 1997..	244	399	162	165	298
	1992..	237	446	191	167	295
acres, 1997..	37 545	79 837	23 277	22 365	58 311	106 433
	1992..	41 360	90 775	25 691	21 806	58 112
Female .....	farms, 1997..	66	56	32	45	60
	1992..	54	48	26	35	51
acres, 1997..	5 062	8 297	1 906	3 555	5 648	10 160
	1992..	8 716	4 627	1 931	2 544	5 361
<b>TYPE OF ORGANIZATION</b>						
Individual or family (sole proprietorship) .....	farms, 1997..	273	400	175	189	321
	1992..	256	434	197	190	304
acres, 1997..	32 433	70 029	22 086	23 060	53 560	88 537
	1992..	32 758	78 988	23 873	21 830	50 645
Partnership .....	farms, 1997..	11	28	7	7	18
	1992..	13	32	11	7	23
acres, 1997..	2 111	10 893	902	(D)	3 834	15 673
	1992..	1 812	9 715	2 059	(D)	4 982
Corporation:						
Family held .....	farms, 1997..	20	21	8	8	17
	1992..	14	22	5	4	14
acres, 1997..	7 548	5 002	690	1 287	6 262	11 052
	1992..	11 430	4 280	456	(D)	6 527
Other than family held .....	farms, 1997..	4	1	2	5	1
	1992..	5	2	1	1	2
acres, 1997..	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	94	(D)
	1992..	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. ....	farms, 1997..	2	5	2	1	1
	1992..	3	4	3	—	3
acres, 1997..	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
	1992..	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)

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

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

Characteristics	Piscataquis	Sagadahoc	Somerset	Waldo	Washington	York
<b>OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS—</b>						
Con.						
Operators by age group:						
Under 25 years .....	1997..	—	—	2	1	5
	1992..	—	—	3	2	7
25 to 34 years .....	1997..	4	3	47	10	12
	1992..	9	8	36	20	20
35 to 44 years .....	1997..	31	19	88	62	71
	1992..	41	25	80	94	88
45 to 54 years .....	1997..	50	33	107	96	106
	1992..	40	34	115	78	82
55 to 59 years .....	1997..	20	22	50	37	49
	1992..	11	12	46	31	36
60 to 64 years .....	1997..	8	9	42	30	39
	1992..	9	9	48	43	49
65 to 69 years .....	1997..	12	12	34	32	33
	1992..	10	13	35	28	30
70 years and over .....	1997..	16	20	61	47	84
	1992..	20	19	50	43	60
Average age .....	1997..	53.5	55.5	52.4	54.7	56.3
	1992..	51.9	53.7	52.5	52.7	53.8
Operators by sex:						
Male .....	farms, 1997..	122	94	386	269	341
	1992..	122	98	373	304	321
	acres, 1997..	32 170	15 067	96 755	63 241	89 957
	1992..	34 187	15 902	100 901	68 770	85 331
Female .....	farms, 1997..	19	24	45	46	58
	1992..	18	22	40	35	51
	acres, 1997..	2 001	2 786	4 515	5 328	8 379
	1992..	1 801	2 891	6 070	3 120	9 424
<b>TYPE OF ORGANIZATION</b>						
Individual or family (sole proprietorship) .....	farms, 1997..	121	108	394	283	353
	1992..	125	110	377	304	332
	acres, 1997..	24 516	15 733	87 404	53 752	50 310
	1992..	26 160	17 137	90 050	60 104	52 825
Partnership .....	farms, 1997..	14	4	18	14	11
	1992..	10	5	25	16	11
	acres, 1997..	5 018	(D)	6 243	5 926	5 173
	1992..	(D)	(D)	9 379	5 071	4 766
Corporation:						
Family held .....	farms, 1997..	5	6	19	15	27
	1992..	4	4	10	14	20
	acres, 1997..	(D)	(D)	7 623	(D)	34 880
	1992..	(D)	(D)	(D)	5 776	28 929
Other than family held .....	farms, 1997..	—	—	—	2	4
	1992..	1	1	—	4	6
	acres, 1997..	—	—	—	(D)	(D)
	1992..	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. ....	farms, 1997..	1	—	—	1	4
	1992..	—	—	1	1	3
	acres, 1997..	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	(D)
	1992..	—	—	(D)	(D)	(D)

**Table 12. Farms With Sales of \$10,000 or More: 1997 and 1992**

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

Item	Maine	Androscoggin	Aroostook	Cumberland	Franklin
<b>F FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS</b>					
Land in farms .....	2 393	138	502	177	76
1992..	2 525	134	618	160	80
acres, 1997..	806 800	40 165	256 511	28 551	20 472
1992..	859 352	43 599	288 668	31 327	23 378
Average size of farm .....	acres, 1997..	337	291	511	161
	1992..	340	325	467	196
Total cropland .....	farms, 1997..	2 272	130	499	174
	1992..	2 458	131	615	156
acres, 1997..	419 746	18 509	162 541	16 560	9 893
1992..	442 015	19 890	172 393	15 983	10 572
Harvested cropland .....	farms, 1997..	2 205	126	496	165
	1992..	2 395	128	609	151
acres, 1997..	334 764	15 105	134 122	12 950	7 636
1992..	329 180	15 867	128 904	12 182	7 753
Irrigated land .....	farms, 1997..	438	30	67	67
	1992..	311	22	49	49
acres, 1997..	21 052	769	11 000	767	(D)
1992..	9 698	282	4 939	538	7
<b>M MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD</b>					
Total sales (see text) .....	\$1,000, 1997..	429 031	61 951	108 716	16 641
	1992..	420 522	80 522	121 873	15 113
Average per farm .....	dollars, 1997..	179 286	448 922	216 566	94 015
	1992..	166 543	600 911	197 206	94 458
1997 sales by commodity or commodity group:					
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops .....	farms..	1 808	88	464	138
	\$1,000..	205 736	7 681	104 146	10 754
Grains .....	farms..	344	3	280	—
	\$1,000..	6 693	(D)	4 987	(D)
Corn for grain .....	farms..	13	1	—	—
	\$1,000..	(D)	(D)	—	(D)
Wheat .....	farms..	10	1	7	—
	\$1,000..	(D)	(D)	118	—
Soybeans .....	farms..	15	—	13	—
	\$1,000..	(D)	—	(D)	—
Sorghum for grain .....	farms..	—	—	—	—
	\$1,000..	—	—	—	—
Barley .....	farms..	159	—	148	—
	\$1,000..	3 150	—	3 026	—
Oats .....	farms..	179	—	166	—
	\$1,000..	1 836	—	1 733	—
Other grains .....	farms..	36	1	4	—
	\$1,000..	689	(D)	(D)	(D)
Cotton and cottonseed .....	farms..	—	—	—	—
	\$1,000..	—	—	—	—
Tobacco .....	farms..	—	—	—	—
	\$1,000..	—	—	—	—
Hay, silage, and field seeds .....	farms..	541	40	59	48
	\$1,000..	7 077	486	1 131	664
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons .....	farms..	350	27	57	42
	\$1,000..	16 337	814	8 950	1 319
Fruits, nuts, and berries .....	farms..	457	29	14	24
	\$1,000..	45 521	4 970	104	678
Nursery and greenhouse crops .....	farms..	465	23	39	75
	\$1,000..	28 778	983	1 783	7 893
Other crops .....	farms..	585	11	396	12
	\$1,000..	101 330	(D)	87 192	199
Livestock, poultry, and their products .....	farms..	1 064	89	94	76
	\$1,000..	223 295	54 270	4 571	5 887
Poultry and poultry products .....	farms..	137	14	4	10
	\$1,000..	73 156	(D)	(D)	329
Dairy products .....	farms..	544	53	20	30
	\$1,000..	95 394	10 232	(D)	(D)
Cattle and calves .....	farms..	841	74	79	56
	\$1,000..	8 469	1 453	1 055	568
Hogs and pigs .....	farms..	79	1	8	10
	\$1,000..	1 115	(D)	(D)	(D)
Sheep, lambs, and wool .....	farms..	84	8	2	9
	\$1,000..	232	10	(D)	25
Other livestock and livestock products (see text) .....	farms..	132	5	11	11
	\$1,000..	44 929	33	353	376
<b>F FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES<sup>1</sup></b>					
Total farm production expenses .....	farms, 1997..	2 304	110	501	176
	1992..	2 511	126	618	161
	\$1,000, 1997..	326 270	55 908	85 739	14 463
	1992..	333 092	73 374	94 751	11 714
1997 farm production expenses:					
Livestock and poultry purchased .....	farms..	522	64	69	31
	\$1,000..	10 855	1 337	624	240
Feed for livestock and poultry .....	farms..	875	77	73	59
	\$1,000..	78 092	25 199	870	1 341
Commercially mixed formula feeds .....	farms..	736	67	31	50
	\$1,000..	50 430	4 231	(D)	1 199
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees .....	farms..	1 305	71	420	82
	\$1,000..	13 469	249	8 386	1 142
Commercial fertilizer .....	farms..	1 703	59	469	147
	\$1,000..	15 864	387	10 491	369
Agricultural chemicals .....	farms..	1 492	65	428	89
	\$1,000..	17 021	578	11 725	188

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 12. Farms With Sales of \$10,000 or More: 1997 and 1992—Con.**

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

Item	Hancock	Kennebec	Knox	Lincoln	Oxford	Penobscot
<b>F FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS</b>						
Land in farms .....	farms, 1997..	103	188	84	71	121
1992..	108	211	79	59	111	213
acres, 1997..	23 007	61 498	14 455	13 713	33 090	77 732
1992..	33 289	62 445	13 394	11 003	29 653	82 404
Average size of farm .....	acres, 1997..	223	327	172	193	273
1992..	308	296	170	186	267	365
Total cropland .....	farms, 1997..	97	180	79	65	118
1992..	106	201	69	57	110	205
acres, 1997..	6 442	34 117	6 570	7 015	13 965	38 108
1992..	7 739	35 316	5 813	5 989	13 338	43 914
Harvested cropland .....	farms, 1997..	95	174	77	63	110
1992..	106	191	66	57	103	201
acres, 1997..	4 020	28 125	4 645	5 185	11 631	32 841
1992..	4 553	28 262	4 531	4 643	10 531	34 305
Irrigated land .....	farms, 1997..	30	28	17	16	26
1992..	18	20	11	9	16	40
acres, 1997..	162	338	83	81	1 055	33
1992..	42	53	103	66	659	1 516
						731
<b>M MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD</b>						
Total sales (see text) .....	\$1,000, 1997..	29 766	44 365	5 243	5 928	18 896
1992..	14 527	35 743	5 945	4 331	13 848	29 154
Average per farm .....	dollars, 1997..	288 987	235 983	62 422	83 487	156 168
1992..	134 514	169 396	75 251	73 409	124 754	28 063
1997 sales by commodity or commodity group:						
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops .....	farms..	93	112	70	53	88
\$1,000..	(D)	5 737		1 991	9 989	147
Grains .....	farms..	5	6	3	—	6
\$1,000..	(D)					22
Corn for grain .....	farms..	—	3	—	—	817
\$1,000..	(D)					554
Wheat .....	farms..	1	—	—	—	2
\$1,000..	(D)					(D)
Soybeans .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	(D)					(D)
Sorghum for grain .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	(D)					—
Barley .....	farms..	—	1	—	—	—
\$1,000..	(D)					7
Oats .....	farms..	—	3	1	—	—
\$1,000..	(D)					112
Other grains .....	farms..	4	7	(D)	—	4
\$1,000..	(D)					66
Cotton and cottonseed .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	(D)					—
Tobacco .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	(D)					—
Hay, silage, and field seeds .....	farms..	8	60	16	16	38
\$1,000..	(D)					57
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons .....	farms..	64	814	69	148	440
\$1,000..	(D)					808
Fruits, nuts, and berries .....	farms..	312	497	295	576	465
\$1,000..	(D)					844
Nursery and greenhouse crops .....	farms..	56	21	46	19	24
\$1,000..	4 213	1 929	1 991	534	2 031	26
Other crops .....	farms..	41	32	19	20	520
\$1,000..	1 430	2 407	751	728	2 699	50
Livestock, poultry, and their products .....	farms..	10	14	3	5	2 299
\$1,000..	(D)	19	22	5	18	26
Poultry and poultry products .....	farms..	29	124	25	43	3 537
\$1,000..	(D)	38 628	2 113	3 937	8 908	5 555
Dairy products .....	farms..	12	17	6	10	114
\$1,000..	(D)	300	17 458	1 275	(D)	18 575
Cattle and calves .....	farms..	1	75	7	10	4
\$1,000..	(D)	1 059	(D)	654	(D)	(D)
Hogs and pigs .....	farms..	14	98	13	29	30
\$1,000..	(D)	2	142	142	168	81
Sheep, lambs, and wool .....	farms..	11	5	4	6	17 160
\$1,000..	(D)	16	6	(D)	55	102
Other livestock and livestock products (see text) .....	farms..	12	9	3	11	13
\$1,000..	(D)	447	(D)	912	124	4
<b>F FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES<sup>1</sup></b>						
Total farm production expenses .....	farms, 1997..	105	170	84	70	105
1992..	107	213	75	72	98	209
\$1,000, 1997..	16 204	31 702	4 202	4 270	14 859	224
1992..	12 056	29 175	4 773	3 468	9 541	22 663
1997 farm production expenses:						21 822
Livestock and poultry purchased .....	farms..	21	43	18	22	31
\$1,000..	996	1 877	233	131	836	51
Feed for livestock and poultry .....	farms..	29	89	22	51	631
\$1,000..	(D)	12 872	1 165	1 279	4 565	88
Commercially mixed formula feeds .....	farms..	29	84	16	37	5 598
\$1,000..	(D)	11 605	1 046	1 136	4 355	69
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees .....	farms..	27	118	22	39	123
\$1,000..	111	353	109	48	620	1 016
Commercial fertilizer .....	farms..	76	112	55	42	72
\$1,000..	107	483	104	98	738	157
Agricultural chemicals .....	farms..	66	89	62	33	45
\$1,000..	206	398	129	46	702	144
						977

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**Table 12. Farms With Sales of \$10,000 or More: 1997 and 1992—Con.**

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

Item	Piscataquis	Sagadahoc	Somerset	Waldo	Washington	York
<b>F FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS</b>						
Land in farms .....	farms, 1997..	53	34	198	133	142
1992..		47	33	171	157	181
acres, 1997..	20 629	9 495	65 351	43 652	71 893	26 586
1992..	21 001	8 393	66 851	46 197	70 152	27 598
Average size of farm .....	acres, 1997..	389	279	330	328	506
1992..		447	254	391	294	166
Total cropland .....	farms, 1997..	47	32	159	126	137
1992..		46	33	165	153	174
acres, 1997..	7 033	4 463	27 460	21 238	31 101	14 731
1992..	9 216	4 324	31 868	22 345	29 392	13 923
Harvested cropland .....	farms, 1997..	45	31	150	122	134
1992..		40	32	159	149	172
acres, 1997..	6 045	3 657	21 864	16 876	17 483	12 579
1992..		6 231	3 842	24 748	16 866	15 170
Irrigated land .....	farms, 1997..	5	6	15	18	15
1992..		4	6	16	14	8
acres, 1997..	107	(D)	49	52	3 672	1 338
1992..		170	(D)	29	66	940
<b>M MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD</b>						
Total sales (see text) .....	\$1,000, 1997..	5 277	2 799	24 050	14 214	42 211
1992..		5 282	2 577	18 845	16 566	35 292
Average per farm .....	dollars, 1997..	99 565	82 329	121 464	106 873	297 257
1992..		112 376	78 090	110 207	105 518	194 983
1997 sales by commodity or commodity group:						
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops .....	farms..	35	23	127	69	133
\$1,000..	1 490	1 234	4 474	2 143	25 531	9 741
Grains .....	farms..	3	—	4	5	—
\$1,000..	(D)	—	(D)	31	(D)	6
Corn for grain .....	farms..	—	—	—	1	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	(D)	—	1
Wheat .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	(D)
Soybeans .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sorghum for grain .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Barley .....	farms..	1	—	2	—	—
\$1,000..	(D)	—	(D)	—	—	—
Oats .....	farms..	2	—	1	1	—
\$1,000..	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	—	—
Other grains .....	farms..	1	—	1	3	—
\$1,000..	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	—	4
Cotton and cottonseed .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hay, silage, and field seeds .....	farms..	15	12	61	25	12
\$1,000..	296	176	686	217	129	50
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons .....	farms..	3	9	17	12	6
\$1,000..	(D)	(D)	(D)	143	(D)	41
Fruits, nuts, and berries .....	farms..	8	4	8	21	118
\$1,000..	176	81	375	580	25 013	26
Nursery and greenhouse crops .....	farms..	9	8	20	22	54
\$1,000..	283	712	864	1 138	298	4 277
Other crops .....	farms..	10	3	49	5	2
\$1,000..	673	(D)	2 228	35	(D)	11
Livestock, poultry, and their products .....	farms..	31	18	114	92	18
\$1,000..	3 787	1 565	19 576	12 071	16 680	73
Poultry and poultry products .....	farms..	3	2	10	7	2
\$1,000..	1	(D)	1 743	1 703	(D)	13
Dairy products .....	farms..	23	11	73	72	1
\$1,000..	(D)	(D)	15 180	9 654	(D)	22
Cattle and calves .....	farms..	28	17	100	83	5
\$1,000..	201	118	859	569	9	50
Hogs and pigs .....	farms..	1	4	7	4	1
\$1,000..	(D)	(D)	52	(D)	(D)	7
Sheep, lambs, and wool .....	farms..	4	4	4	5	2
\$1,000..	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	34
Other livestock and livestock products (see text) .....	farms..	3	1	8	4	13
\$1,000..	39	(D)	(D)	103	16 535	18
						528
<b>F FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES<sup>1</sup></b>						
Total farm production expenses .....	farms, 1997..	51	33	198	133	121
1992..		47	34	170	154	181
\$1,000, 1997..	4 384	1 982	17 908	12 034	26 387	9 205
1992..		3 594	1 955	15 259	12 892	22 474
1997 farm production expenses:						
Livestock and poultry purchased .....	farms..	7	14	46	30	5
\$1,000..	38	116	749	929	1 445	37
Feed for livestock and poultry .....	farms..	26	15	117	64	9
\$1,000..	1 196	(D)	6 227	4 506	4 655	48
Commercially mixed formula feeds .....	farms..	24	15	103	64	7
\$1,000..	1 007	423	5 461	3 833	4 115	35
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees .....	farms..	25	14	79	76	19
\$1,000..	142	43	244	285	81	91
Commercial fertilizer .....	farms..	36	22	105	95	89
\$1,000..	245	65	578	185	406	109
Agricultural chemicals .....	farms..	34	12	92	88	109
\$1,000..	151	19	188	119	1 240	98
						271

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Table 12. Farms With Sales of \$10,000 or More: 1997 and 1992—Con.

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

Item	Maine	Androscoggin	Aroostook	Cumberland	Franklin
<b>FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES<sup>1</sup>—</b>					
Con.					
1997 farm production expenses—Con.					
Petroleum products .....	2 262	108	501	175	72
farms.. \$1,000..	13 079	868	4 884	700	225
Electricity .....	1 966	105	443	161	68
farms.. \$1,000..	9 966	2 336	2 571	375	191
Hired farm labor .....	1 563	70	371	114	56
farms.. \$1,000..	63 273	9 640	16 427	4 851	485
Contract labor .....	392	15	71	14	21
farms.. \$1,000..	3 910	(D)	404	102	59
Repair and maintenance .....	2 162	105	488	164	71
farms.. \$1,000..	20 560	1 875	7 401	1 100	312
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment.....	726	30	250	22	32
farms.. \$1,000..	4 349	292	1 336	83	(D)
Interest .....	1 245	52	345	85	50
farms.. \$1,000..	14 627	1 065	5 194	565	184
Cash rent .....	788	48	281	38	26
farms.. \$1,000..	4 930	(D)	2 669	196	(D)
Property taxes .....	2 177	101	490	153	72
farms.. \$1,000..	9 960	984	2 628	658	178
All other farm production expenses.....	2 298	109	501	175	76
farms.. \$1,000..	46 315	10 841	10 128	2 553	681
<b>NET CASH RETURN<sup>1</sup></b>					
Net cash return from agricultural sales for the farm unit (see text) .....	2 304	110	501	176	76
farms, 1997..	2 511	126	618	161	84
1992..	89 186	4 565	19 174	1 360	922
\$1,000, 1997..	80 789	7 226	26 084	3 137	1 052
Average per farm .....	dollars, 1997..	38 709	41 497	38 272	7 727
1992..	32 174	57 348	42 208	19 487	12 133
Farms with net gains <sup>2</sup> .....	number, 1997..	1 683	61	333	114
1992..	1 971	104	469	122	68
\$1,000, 1997..	106 659	5 924	23 997	4 500	1 250
1992..	89 043	7 667	29 103	3 803	1 191
Average per farm .....	dollars, 1997..	63 374	97 107	72 064	39 476
1992..	45 176	73 724	62 054	31 174	21 195
Farms with net losses .....	number, 1997..	621	49	168	62
1992..	540	22	149	39	16
\$1,000, 1997..	17 473	1 359	4 823	3 140	328
1992..	8 254	441	3 019	666	139
Average per farm .....	dollars, 1997..	28 136	27 732	28 709	50 650
1992..	15 285	20 067	20 260	17 073	19 319
					8 711
<b>GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS</b>					
Total received .....	farms, 1997..	620	35	201	24
1992..	669	23	245	40	25
\$1,000, 1997..	2 172	(D)	647	45	29
1992..	3 200	175	1 312	126	104
Average per farm .....	dollars, 1997..	3 503	(D)	3 218	1 855
1992..	4 783	7 616	5 355	3 141	4 168
					4 909
Amount from Conservation Reserve and Wetlands Reserve Programs .....	farms, 1997..	162	4	120	3
1992..	138	2	118	1	4
\$1,000, 1997..	519	10	423	(D)	2
1992..	425	(D)	360	(D)	(D)
Average per farm .....	dollars, 1997..	3 203	2 411	3 528	(D)
1992..	3 077	(D)	3 052	(D)	(D)
<b>F FARMS BY SIZE</b>					
1 to 9 acres .....	1997..	168	11	9	33
1992..	142	9	3	23	4
10 to 49 acres .....	1997..	307	13	31	38
1992..	262	11	42	21	6
50 to 69 acres .....	1997..	109	8	10	7
1992..	128	3	18	13	4
70 to 99 acres .....	1997..	133	7	25	10
1992..	124	3	19	15	8
100 to 139 acres .....	1997..	220	13	35	18
1992..	231	10	49	21	6
140 to 179 acres .....	1997..	148	7	25	16
1992..	201	9	57	8	5
180 to 219 acres .....	1997..	150	9	29	9
1992..	166	10	30	12	8
220 to 259 acres .....	1997..	153	3	35	8
1992..	157	11	43	9	6
260 to 499 acres .....	1997..	555	40	135	25
1992..	600	44	156	25	22
500 to 999 acres .....	1997..	315	21	107	12
1992..	374	18	134	12	7
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....	1997..	105	6	48	1
1992..	108	5	55	—	2
2,000 acres or more .....	1997..	30	—	13	—
1992..	32	1	12	1	1
<b>VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS<sup>1</sup></b>					
Estimated market value of land and buildings:					
Average per farm .....	dollars, 1997..	374 223	538 329	405 770	401 514
1992..	335 230	430 886	282 138	452 318	210 168
Average per acre .....	dollars, 1997..	1 079	1 751	761	2 161
1992..	1 000	1 207	609	2 544	1 141
					778

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Table 12. Farms With Sales of \$10,000 or More: 1997 and 1992—Con.

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

Item	Hancock	Kennebec	Knox	Lincoln	Oxford	Penobscot
<b>FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES<sup>1</sup>—</b>						
Con.						
1997 farm production expenses—Con.						
Petroleum products .....	farms..	105	168	78	70	102
	\$1,000..	665	1 019	268	165	477
Electricity .....	farms..	71	155	43	59	94
	\$1,000..	719	894	79	123	309
Hired farm labor .....	farms..	75	126	52	49	78
	\$1,000..	3 960	4 374	541	927	2 187
Contract labor .....	farms..	30	22	23	18	22
	\$1,000..	478	699	257	60	(D)
Repair and maintenance .....	farms..	97	158	77	65	95
	\$1,000..	731	1 757	290	260	206
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment.....	farms..	40	57	27	13	29
	\$1,000..	(D)	394	49	22	536
Interest .....	farms..	46	83	32	36	61
	\$1,000..	669	1 202	199	230	614
Cash rent .....	farms..	7	60	11	22	34
	\$1,000..	69	160	76	80	(D)
Property taxes .....	farms..	103	167	82	63	102
	\$1,000..	736	884	239	167	309
All other farm production expenses.....	farms..	105	170	84	70	105
	\$1,000..	1 364	4 336	465	633	1 795
<b>NET CASH RETURN<sup>1</sup></b>						
Net cash return from agricultural sales for the farm unit (see text) .....	farms, 1997..	105	170	84	70	105
	1992..	107	213	75	72	98
	\$1,000, 1997..	13 285	11 809	445	997	2 938
	1992..	1 801	5 943	896	962	3 575
Average per farm .....	dollars, 1997..	126 520	69 465	5 301	14 250	27 977
	1992..	16 829	27 903	11 953	13 359	36 476
Farms with net gains <sup>2</sup> .....	number, 1997..	65	133	57	48	65
	1992..	101	168	52	48	82
	\$1,000, 1997..	13 871	13 823	912	1 208	3 419
	1992..	1 864	6 639	1 288	1 229	3 747
Average per farm .....	dollars, 1997..	213 403	103 934	15 992	25 167	52 595
	1992..	18 456	39 517	24 776	25 611	45 691
Farms with net losses .....	number, 1997..	40	37	27	22	40
	1992..	6	45	23	24	16
	\$1,000, 1997..	587	2 014	466	211	481
	1992..	63	696	392	268	172
Average per farm .....	dollars, 1997..	14 664	54 435	17 271	9 571	12 027
	1992..	10 569	15 457	17 038	11 147	10 753
<b>GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS</b>						
Total received .....	farms, 1997..	14	42	7	11	28
	1992..	16	50	16	20	21
	\$1,000, 1997..	58	158	17	(D)	85
	1992..	26	317	37	66	83
Average per farm .....	dollars, 1997..	4 123	3 752	2 457	(D)	3 044
	1992..	1 632	6 348	2 301	3 280	3 932
Amount from Conservation Reserve and Wetlands Reserve Programs .....	farms, 1997..	3	3	—	—	3
	1992..	2	—	—	—	1
	\$1,000, 1997..	(D)	(D)	—	—	(D)
Average per farm .....	dollars, 1997..	(D)	(D)	—	—	(D)
	1992..	(D)	—	—	—	(D)
<b>F FARMS BY SIZE</b>						
1 to 9 acres .....	1997..	11	8	9	8	7
	1992..	16	14	5	6	5
10 to 49 acres .....	1997..	22	19	16	15	16
	1992..	18	16	16	8	12
50 to 69 acres .....	1997..	7	7	4	4	11
	1992..	3	8	5	3	8
70 to 99 acres .....	1997..	6	7	2	2	5
	1992..	7	9	5	5	7
100 to 139 acres .....	1997..	17	24	17	6	7
	1992..	15	24	9	3	8
140 to 179 acres .....	1997..	7	8	5	6	9
	1992..	5	18	7	11	11
180 to 219 acres .....	1997..	6	11	6	10	9
	1992..	6	12	7	5	6
220 to 259 acres .....	1997..	3	17	6	2	8
	1992..	3	16	6	2	8
260 to 499 acres .....	1997..	16	55	16	11	34
	1992..	17	60	16	12	25
500 to 999 acres .....	1997..	5	25	2	6	10
	1992..	14	29	2	4	16
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....	1997..	2	5	1	1	5
	1992..	—	3	1	—	3
2,000 acres or more .....	1997..	1	2	—	—	—
	1992..	4	2	—	—	—
<b>VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS<sup>1</sup></b>						
Estimated market value of land and buildings:						
Average per farm .....	dollars, 1997..	426 296	423 654	269 574	249 295	458 029
	1992..	379 547	319 793	355 467	458 217	321 660
Average per acre .....	dollars, 1997..	1 592	1 355	1 756	1 141	1 635
	1992..	1 248	1 221	1 892	1 809	1 330

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**Table 12. Farms With Sales of \$10,000 or More: 1997 and 1992—Con.**

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

Item	Piscataquis	Sagadahoc	Somerset	Waldo	Washington	York
<b>FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES<sup>1</sup>—</b>						
Con.						
1997 farm production expenses—Con.						
Petroleum products .....	farms..	51	32	193	130	121
	\$1,000..	231	82	722	601	733
Electricity .....	farms..	41	33	192	119	68
	\$1,000..	97	55	703	463	143
Hired farm labor .....	farms..	29	16	140	96	90
	\$1,000..	812	309	2 393	1 569	9 293
Contract labor .....	farms..	11	4	17	39	37
	\$1,000..	(D)	(D)	81	(D)	1 006
Repair and maintenance .....	farms..	47	31	196	124	108
	\$1,000..	278	133	1 026	795	1 593
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment.....	farms..	14	5	32	37	26
	\$1,000..	91	(D)	168	130	(D)
Interest .....	farms..	37	14	133	60	38
	\$1,000..	242	178	1 157	367	1 126
Cash rent .....	farms..	15	10	104	41	8
	\$1,000..	(D)	20	243	(D)	(D)
Property taxes .....	farms..	51	33	162	133	119
	\$1,000..	140	103	549	347	793
All other farm production expenses.....	farms..	51	32	196	133	120
	\$1,000..	653	285	2 880	1 537	3 274
<b>NET CASH RETURN<sup>1</sup></b>						
Net cash return from agricultural sales for the farm unit (see text) .....	farms, 1997..	51	33	198	133	121
	1992..	47	34	170	154	181
	\$1,000, 1997..	593	354	6 261	2 164	15 291
	1992..	2 284	663	2 613	3 758	12 240
Average per farm .....	dollars, 1997..	11 624	10 727	31 620	16 269	126 374
	1992..	27 319	19 510	15 370	24 405	67 623
Farms with net gains <sup>2</sup> .....	number, 1997..	39	26	158	105	115
	1992..	34	27	120	101	162
	\$1,000, 1997..	771	(D)	7 252	3 095	(D)
	1992..	1 430	724	3 080	4 194	12 458
Average per farm .....	dollars, 1997..	19 766	(D)	45 901	29 473	(D)
	1992..	42 054	26 832	25 667	41 524	76 903
Farms with net losses .....	number, 1997..	12	7	40	28	6
	1992..	13	7	50	53	19
	\$1,000, 1997..	178	(D)	992	931	(D)
	1992..	146	61	467	436	218
Average per farm .....	dollars, 1997..	14 837	(D)	24 791	33 244	(D)
	1992..	11 219	8 730	9 342	8 219	11 499
<b>GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS</b>						
Total received .....	farms, 1997..	13	4	92	26	12
	1992..	19	6	44	31	24
	\$1,000, 1997..	52	33	334	89	33
	1992..	64	57	241	133	62
Average per farm .....	dollars, 1997..	3 988	8 320	3 630	3 422	2 777
	1992..	3 374	9 546	5 483	4 292	2 570
Amount from Conservation Reserve and Wetlands Reserve Programs .....	farms, 1997..	2	—	6	4	1
	1992..	1	—	6	—	1
	\$1,000, 1997..	(D)	—	25	5	(D)
	1992..	(D)	—	25	—	(D)
Average per farm .....	dollars, 1997..	(D)	—	4 148	1 171	(D)
	1992..	(D)	—	4 090	—	(D)
<b>F FARMS BY SIZE</b>						
1 to 9 acres .....	1997..	1	1	9	7	8
	1992..	1	1	5	8	9
10 to 49 acres .....	1997..	6	6	12	16	28
	1992..	4	3	11	12	33
50 to 69 acres .....	1997..	3	4	11	6	5
	1992..	3	2	2	11	19
70 to 99 acres .....	1997..	4	2	16	9	12
	1992..	1	4	6	11	6
100 to 139 acres .....	1997..	6	2	18	9	10
	1992..	5	3	18	16	21
140 to 179 acres .....	1997..	5	4	18	7	8
	1992..	1	4	12	9	10
180 to 219 acres .....	1997..	2	1	12	7	6
	1992..	3	1	16	12	19
220 to 259 acres .....	1997..	4	1	22	9	7
	1992..	4	2	11	14	5
260 to 499 acres .....	1997..	10	7	40	36	32
	1992..	9	10	47	31	34
500 to 999 acres .....	1997..	8	3	30	21	17
	1992..	12	2	35	28	14
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....	1997..	3	3	7	5	5
	1992..	3	1	5	4	6
2,000 acres or more .....	1997..	1	—	3	1	4
	1992..	1	—	3	1	5
<b>VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS<sup>1</sup></b>						
Estimated market value of land and buildings:						
Average per farm .....	dollars, 1997..	351 698	340 903	302 425	308 674	458 069
	1992..	369 980	324 664	290 896	327 996	359 493
Average per acre .....	dollars, 1997..	894	1 139	856	955	826
	1992..	867	1 174	774	970	997

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 12. Farms With Sales of \$10,000 or More: 1997 and 1992—Con.

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

Item	Maine	Androscoggin	Aroostook	Cumberland	Franklin
<b>MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup></b>					
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment .....					
farms, 1997..	2 304	110	501	176	76
1992..	2 509	126	618	161	84
\$1,000, 1997..	199 650	15 783	68 753	9 595	4 353
1992..	209 107	27 359	76 924	8 232	3 967
Average per farm .....	dollars, 1997..	86 654	143 483	137 231	54 519
1992..	83 343	217 137	124 472	51 129	57 276
					47 229
Motortrucks, including pickups .....	farms, 1997..	2 164	108	493	159
1992..	2 366	121	602	150	84
number, 1997..	6 738	376	2 697	360	148
1992..	7 358	435	3 158	325	188
Wheel tractors .....	farms, 1997..	2 090	100	462	166
1992..	2 319	125	559	152	82
number, 1997..	6 267	319	1 869	455	182
1992..	7 688	508	2 333	455	244
Grain and bean combines .....	farms, 1997..	175	2	134	1
1992..	248	8	176	8	1
number, 1997..	198	(D)	150	(D)	(D)
1992..	294	8	208	8	(D)
<b>TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>					
Full owners .....	farms, 1997..	1 119	70	169	89
1992..	1 178	51	216	81	38
acres, 1997..	267 745	14 872	70 927	10 010	3 765
1992..	288 620	(D)	88 034	11 808	6 892
Part owners .....	farms, 1997..	1 074	60	278	69
1992..	1 183	80	322	72	37
acres, 1997..	504 659	24 897	172 646	16 098	16 302
1992..	542 279	29 930	186 168	18 896	16 084
Tenants .....	farms, 1997..	200	8	55	19
1992..	164	3	80	7	5
acres, 1997..	34 396	396	12 938	2 443	405
1992..	28 453	(D)	14 466	623	402
<b>OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS</b>					
Operators by place of residence:					
On farm operated .....	1997..	1 882	111	418	132
	1992..	2 014	115	471	127
Not on farm operated .....	1997..	337	20	68	33
	1992..	379	17	109	33
Not reported .....	1997..	174	7	16	12
	1992..	132	2	38	10
Operators by principal occupation:					
Farming .....	1997..	1 750	96	423	123
	1992..	1 903	104	543	108
Other .....	1997..	643	42	79	54
	1992..	622	30	75	52
Operators by days worked off farm:					
None .....	1997..	1 274	82	315	85
	1992..	1 427	85	399	84
Any .....	1997..	988	53	166	82
	1992..	955	43	186	68
1 to 49 days .....	1997..	194	6	37	17
	1992..	199	10	38	16
50 to 99 days .....	1997..	105	7	22	6
	1992..	76	4	22	5
100 to 149 days .....	1997..	77	4	21	7
	1992..	114	4	35	12
150 to 199 days .....	1997..	137	6	14	3
	1992..	144	7	22	11
200 days or more .....	1997..	475	30	72	38
	1992..	422	18	69	24
Not reported .....	1997..	131	3	21	10
	1992..	143	6	33	8
1997 operators by years on present farm:					
2 years or less .....		69	3	16	5
		85	6	19	6
3 or 4 years .....		291	20	53	25
		1 598	99	365	113
5 to 9 years .....		21.6	23.5	22.7	21.3
		350	10	49	28
10 years or more .....					23.1
Average years on present farm .....					10
Not reported .....					58
1997 operators by age group:					
Under 25 years .....		25	1	15	—
		154	5	47	6
25 to 34 years .....		493	30	110	39
		656	34	144	35
35 to 44 years .....		593	38	121	47
		472	30	65	50
45 to 54 years .....		53.0	54.7	49.8	55.5
					54.9
<b>TYPE OF ORGANIZATION</b>					
Individual or family (sole proprietorship) .....	farms, 1997..	1 857	97	387	117
1992..	2 001	94	482	115	64
acres, 1997..	527 985	24 057	161 940	18 574	15 756
1992..	580 412	25 155	194 966	18 084	17 322
Partnership .....	farms, 1997..	181	7	49	17
1992..	214	7	61	14	5
acres, 1997..	85 546	2 207	29 004	4 350	9
1992..	87 567	2 713	30 344	4 767	(D)
					(D)

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 12. Farms With Sales of \$10,000 or More: 1997 and 1992—Con.**

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

Item	Hancock	Kennebec	Knox	Lincoln	Oxford	Penobscot	
<b>MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup></b>							
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment .....							
farms, 1997..	105	170	84	70	105	209	
1992..	107	213	75	72	98	222	
\$1,000, 1997..	3 102	17 532	3 430	3 252	10 251	16 714	
1992..	4 382	14 128	4 369	3 628	8 121	16 012	
Average per farm .....	dollars, 1997..	29 539	103 127	40 838	46 451	97 633	
	1992..	40 957	66 330	58 260	50 386	82 869	
Motortrucks, including pickups .....	farms, 1997..	101	169	74	70	95	
	1992..	97	203	75	72	89	
number, 1997..	184	410	129	136	260	591	
	1992..	197	425	139	143	259	
Wheel tractors .....	farms, 1997..	67	161	72	62	101	
	1992..	66	207	70	71	97	
number, 1997..	138	456	134	148	260	542	
	1992..	92	687	166	203	331	
Grain and bean combines .....	farms, 1997..	1	4	—	6	5	
	1992..	—	6	—	7	4	
number, 1997..	(D)	5	—	6	(D)	6	
	1992..	—	9	—	—	5	
<b>TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>							
Full owners .....	farms, 1997..	75	92	56	40	54	
	1992..	87	92	49	34	48	
acres, 1997..	16 640	17 238	(D)	4 634	11 360	19 633	
	1992..	(D)	18 742	6 925	(D)	17 272	
Part owners .....	farms, 1997..	21	88	25	26	61	
	1992..	18	107	27	22	56	
acres, 1997..	5 636	42 669	7 155	8 295	20 567	57 302	
	1992..	9 342	41 240	5 934	5 911	18 690	
Tenants .....	farms, 1997..	7	8	3	5	6	
	1992..	3	12	3	3	7	
acres, 1997..	731	1 591	(D)	784	1 163	797	
	1992..	(D)	2 463	535	(D)	1 330	
<b>OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS</b>							
Operators by place of residence:							
On farm operated .....	1997..	69	149	65	46	106	
	1992..	69	180	58	46	94	
Not on farm operated .....	1997..	21	21	12	18	9	
	1992..	32	23	19	9	10	
Not reported .....	1997..	13	18	7	7	6	
	1992..	7	8	2	4	7	
Operators by principal occupation:							
Farming .....	1997..	62	144	52	48	94	
	1992..	44	180	52	41	90	
Other .....	1997..	41	44	32	23	27	
	1992..	64	31	27	18	21	
Operators by days worked off farm:							
None .....	1997..	36	102	48	31	60	
	1992..	42	148	35	22	57	
Any .....	1997..	60	70	32	31	54	
	1992..	62	50	40	31	45	
1 to 49 days .....	1997..	15	12	7	5	16	
	1992..	13	6	11	5	15	
50 to 99 days .....	1997..	11	8	2	2	7	
	1992..	5	2	3	2	4	
100 to 149 days .....	1997..	6	4	1	4	4	
	1992..	5	2	9	3	6	
150 to 199 days .....	1997..	9	16	4	2	5	
	1992..	7	8	6	7	4	
200 days or more .....	1997..	19	30	18	18	22	
	1992..	32	32	11	14	18	
Not reported .....	1997..	7	16	4	9	7	
	1992..	4	13	4	6	9	
1997 operators by years on present farm:							
2 years or less .....		4	8	1	2	2	
3 or 4 years .....		7	7	2	1	5	
5 to 9 years .....		10	25	9	8	14	
10 years or more .....		56	115	61	46	88	
Average years on present farm .....		18.3	20.6	21.5	19.0	22.4	
Not reported .....		26	33	11	14	12	
1997 operators by age group:							
Under 25 years .....		—	—	—	—	4	
25 to 34 years .....		7	11	3	2	3	
35 to 44 years .....		24	44	16	17	22	
45 to 54 years .....		21	50	22	26	39	
55 to 64 years .....		27	42	20	18	29	
65 years and over .....		24	41	23	8	28	
Average age .....		55.5	53.2	56.8	52.6	54.9	
TYPE OF ORGANIZATION							
Individual or family (sole proprietorship) .....	farms, 1997..	77	148	72	57	100	
	1992..	82	171	66	52	82	
acres, 1997..	13 868	44 629	11 915	11 123	25 804	50 973	
	1992..	16 697	49 452	10 448	9 289	19 563	62 787
Partnership .....	farms, 1997..	3	18	2	2	8	
	1992..	6	20	6	3	20	
acres, 1997..	(D)	9 994	(D)	(D)	(D)	15 016	
	1992..	1 212	8 510	1 544	(D)	3 869	8 439

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Table 12. Farms With Sales of \$10,000 or More: 1997 and 1992—Con.

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

Item	Piscataquis	Sagadahoc	Somerset	Waldo	Washington	York
<b>MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup></b>						
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment .....						
farms, 1997..	51	33	198	133	121	162
1992..	47	34	170	154	181	147
\$1,000, 1997..	3 833	1 805	15 591	7 506	9 639	8 512
1992..	2 729	2 257	10 400	9 936	9 251	7 411
Average per farm .....	75 156	54 700	78 743	56 433	79 663	52 541
dollars, 1997..	58 060	66 377	61 176	64 522	51 112	50 413
Motortrucks, including pickups .....						
farms, 1997..	46	31	197	110	107	133
1992..	42	30	156	150	179	128
number, 1997..	125	47	387	264	355	269
1992..	121	63	341	327	333	337
Wheel tractors .....						
farms, 1997..	45	29	189	132	113	140
1992..	39	32	165	150	161	142
number, 1997..	117	92	602	367	271	315
1992..	148	105	543	462	290	440
Grain and bean combines .....						
farms, 1997..	3	1	5	2	—	—
1992..	3	2	5	4	—	1
number, 1997..	5	(D)	5	(D)	—	—
1992..	4	(D)	5	10	—	(D)
<b>TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>						
Full owners .....						
farms, 1997..	20	18	61	61	104	84
1992..	11	15	74	78	139	76
acres, 1997..	4 755	3 297	10 144	(D)	49 238	8 610
1992..	(D)	(D)	18 754	(D)	34 545	10 636
Part owners .....						
farms, 1997..	30	16	92	69	31	60
1992..	31	16	91	75	38	58
acres, 1997..	14 874	6 198	46 706	27 895	21 422	15 997
1992..	16 297	5 393	46 186	27 271	35 027	16 108
Tenants .....						
farms, 1997..	3	—	45	3	7	16
1992..	5	2	6	4	4	12
acres, 1997..	1 000	(D)	8 501	(D)	1 233	1 979
1992..	(D)	(D)	1 911	(D)	580	854
<b>OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS</b>						
Operators by place of residence:						
On farm operated .....						
1997..	44	33	140	114	83	135
1992..	40	27	155	132	112	119
Not on farm operated .....						
1997..	8	1	17	12	46	17
1992..	4	3	13	19	63	18
Not reported .....						
1997..	1	—	41	7	13	8
1992..	3	3	3	6	6	9
Operators by principal occupation:						
Farming .....						
1997..	39	28	155	102	70	105
1992..	42	24	134	120	76	105
Other .....						
1997..	14	6	43	31	72	55
1992..	5	9	37	37	105	41
Operators by days worked off farm:						
None .....						
1997..	29	24	89	76	53	76
1992..	32	16	114	80	58	76
Any .....						
1997..	23	7	100	52	79	74
1992..	13	13	50	66	117	61
1 to 49 days .....						
1997..	2	1	15	16	13	12
1992..	3	2	7	16	21	10
50 to 99 days .....						
1997..	2	1	7	5	9	8
1992..	1	1	5	8	7	4
100 to 149 days .....						
1997..	—	—	7	4	5	4
1992..	2	2	3	6	11	7
150 to 199 days .....						
1997..	3	—	14	5	18	8
1992..	3	3	8	10	22	8
200 days or more .....						
1997..	16	5	57	22	34	42
1992..	4	5	27	26	56	32
Not reported .....						
1997..	1	3	9	5	10	10
1992..	2	4	7	11	6	9
1997 operators by years on present farm:						
2 years or less .....						
1997..	1	—	2	4	1	6
1992..	1	2	9	2	5	10
3 or 4 years .....						
1997..	12	5	22	21	18	22
1992..	35	25	113	88	96	102
5 to 9 years .....						
1997..	19.6	26.7	20.8	22.6	22.5	19.7
1992..	4	2	52	18	22	20
10 years or more .....						
Average years on present farm .....						
1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Not reported .....						
997 operators by age group:						
Under 25 years .....						
1997..	—	—	2	1	2	—
1992..	3	1	37	1	3	18
25 to 34 years .....						
1997..	13	3	41	29	19	33
1992..	19	9	53	43	35	39
35 to 44 years .....						
1997..	11	10	37	30	35	42
1992..	7	11	28	29	48	28
45 to 54 years .....						
1997..	51.0	58.6	48.5	54.0	58.3	51.4
1992..	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
55 to 64 years .....						
1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—
65 years and over .....						
1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Average age .....						
1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Not reported .....						
TYPE OF ORGANIZATION						
Individual or family (sole proprietorship) .....						
farms, 1997..	43	29	167	110	106	117
1992..	40	27	144	134	148	104
acres, 1997..	12 334	8 133	52 735	29 841	28 599	17 704
1992..	12 999	7 263	52 289	35 923	32 216	15 959
Partnership .....						
farms, 1997..	8	1	13	7	7	14
1992..	6	2	18	10	9	12
acres, 1997..	(D)	(D)	(D)	5 204	2 790	(D)
1992..	(D)	(D)	(D)	4 329	(D)	2 531

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 12. Farms With Sales of \$10,000 or More: 1997 and 1992—Con.**

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

Item	Maine	Androscoggin	Aroostook	Cumberland	Franklin
<b>TYPE OF ORGANIZATION—Con.</b>					
Corporation:					
Family held .....	301	33	59	31	8
1992..	268	33	67	25	7
acres, 1997..	169 015	(D)	57 602	3 364	(D)
1992..	166 213	15 731	58 040	4 716	(D)
Other than family held .....	30	1	3	7	—
1992..	24	—	5	2	—
acres, 1997..	8 960	(D)	6 378	(D)	(D)
1992..	12 032	—	(D)	(D)	—
Other—cooperative, estate or trust,					
institutional, etc. ....	24	—	4	5	—
1992..	18	—	3	4	—
acres, 1997..	15 294	—	1 587	(D)	(D)
1992..	13 128	—	(D)	(D)	—
<b>1997 FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM</b>					
Oilseed and grain farming (1111) .....	23	1	6	1	1
Vegetable and melon farming (1112) .....	564	18	388	20	2
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113) .....	358	19	2	16	8
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114) .....	349	15	31	56	8
Other crop farming (1119) .....	273	9	24	27	12
Tobacco farming (11191) .....	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton farming (11192) .....	—	—	—	—	—
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199) .....	273	9	24	27	12
Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111) .....	110	15	15	12	5
Cattle feedlots (112112) .....	23	2	6	2	1
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212) .....	528	49	20	30	35
Hog and pig farming (1122) .....	15	—	1	3	—
Poultry and egg production (1123) .....	59	9	1	4	2
Sheep and goat farming (1124) .....	13	—	1	1	1
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129) .....	78	1	7	5	1
<b>LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY</b>					
Cattle and calves inventory .....					
farms, 1997..	863	75	81	61	47
number, 1992..	1 003	79	88	75	52
number, 1997..	86 950	9 277	7 409	4 445	4 109
1992..	89 802	9 531	5 376	5 328	4 541
Cows and heifers that had calved .....					
farms, 1997..	780	65	73	56	43
1992..	906	77	74	65	48
number, 1997..	46 513	4 343	3 379	2 496	1 972
1992..	47 644	4 690	2 829	2 782	2 505
Beef cows .....					
farms, 1997..	298	19	53	30	13
1992..	311	20	48	33	9
number, 1997..	6 082	301	1 944	795	235
1992..	5 255	194	1 254	701	165
Milk cows .....					
farms, 1997..	555	52	25	30	35
1992..	679	67	34	36	42
number, 1997..	40 431	4 042	1 435	1 701	1 737
1992..	42 389	4 496	1 575	2 081	2 340
Heifers and heifer calves .....					
farms, 1997..	753	67	64	54	44
number, 1997..	34 168	3 925	2 192	1 540	1 972
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves .....					
farms, 1997..	519	42	63	41	27
number, 1997..	6 269	1 009	1 838	409	165
Cattle and calves sold .....					
farms, 1997..	841	74	79	56	47
1992..	973	80	83	76	52
number, 1997..	32 822	3 741	2 802	1 506	1 427
1992..	35 595	3 441	2 125	2 682	1 805
Calves .....					
farms, 1997..	616	51	42	37	42
number, 1997..	17 362	1 535	1 040	598	883
Cattle .....					
farms, 1997..	746	69	61	56	36
1992..	901	72	73	70	48
number, 1997..	15 460	2 206	1 762	908	544
1992..	17 310	1 588	1 302	1 638	640
Fattened on grain and concentrates .....					
farms, 1997..	99	6	20	15	4
number, 1997..	2 244	284	975	180	26
Hogs and pigs inventory .....					
farms, 1997..	99	5	9	11	1
1992..	125	5	10	11	3
number, 1997..	3 969	22	(D)	(D)	(D)
1992..	2 796	55	(D)	336	12
Used or to be used for breeding .....					
farms, 1997..	47	3	5	5	—
1992..	64	3	5	6	2
number, 1997..	(D)	6	152	(D)	—
1992..	614	18	91	60	(D)
Other .....					
farms, 1997..	87	5	7	9	1
1992..	112	4	9	11	1
number, 1997..	(D)	16	(D)	(D)	(D)
1992..	2 182	37	(D)	276	(D)
Hogs and pigs sold .....					
farms, 1997..	79	1	8	10	3
1992..	99	2	6	12	3
number, 1997..	7 006	(D)	1 241	1 305	29
1992..	7 364	(D)	(D)	524	(D)
Feeder pigs .....					
farms, 1997..	20	—	4	3	—
1992..	32	1	2	4	—
number, 1997..	2 495	—	(D)	(D)	—
1992..	5 028	(D)	(D)	265	—

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**Table 12. Farms With Sales of \$10,000 or More: 1997 and 1992—Con.**

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

Item	Hancock	Kennebec	Knox	Lincoln	Oxford	Penobscot
<b>TYPE OF ORGANIZATION—Con.</b>						
Corporation:						
Family held .....	18	17	7	6	13	21
farms, 1997..	13	17	4	4	12	17
1992..	(D)	4 775	(D)	(D)	5 867	10 760
acres, 1997..	(D)	4 046	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Other than family held .....	4	1	1	5	—	2
farms, 1997..	4	1	—	—	1	—
1992..	(D)	(D)	(D)	94	(D)	(D)
acres, 1997..	(D)	(D)	—	—	(D)	—
1992..	(D)	(D)	—	—	(D)	—
Other—cooperative, estate or trust,						
institutional, etc. ....	1	4	2	1	—	3
farms, 1997..	2	1	3	—	—	2
1992..	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	(D)
acres, 1997..	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	—	(D)
1992..	(D)	(D)	—	—	—	(D)
<b>1997 FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM</b>						
Oilseed and grain farming (1111) .....	1	1	—	—	3	7
Vegetable and melon farming (1112) .....	10	18	7	6	12	32
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113) .....	51	13	39	15	19	18
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114) .....	22	24	14	12	21	45
Other crop farming (1119) .....	7	28	6	11	20	11
Tobacco farming (11191) .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton farming (11192) .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199) .....	7	28	6	11	20	11
Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111) .....	—	11	3	3	6	11
Cattle feedlots (112112) .....	—	2	1	—	3	1
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212) .....	—	72	7	10	28	80
Hog and pig farming (1122) .....	—	1	—	—	1	2
Poultry and egg production (1123) .....	3	12	6	3	3	1
Sheep and goat farming (1124) .....	2	—	—	3	—	—
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129) .....	7	6	1	8	5	5
<b>LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY</b>						
Cattle and calves inventory .....	8	102	16	28	59	101
farms, 1997..	13	130	31	25	60	120
number, 1997..	87	14 144	1 025	2 050	3 207	13 772
1992..	285	14 862	1 582	1 727	3 597	13 370
Cows and heifers that had calved .....	farms, 1997..	8	90	15	24	54
1992..	13	123	25	22	49	110
number, 1997..	54	8 349	514	1 003	1 657	7 886
1992..	150	8 334	755	851	1 889	7 035
Beef cows .....	farms, 1997..	8	30	8	13	28
1992..	11	35	9	9	17	19
number, 1997..	(D)	537	(D)	181	286	328
1992..	(D)	525	103	67	185	227
Milk cows .....	farms, 1997..	1	73	9	11	34
1992..	4	101	18	14	35	81
number, 1997..	(D)	7 812	(D)	822	1 371	7 558
1992..	(D)	7 809	652	784	1 704	6 808
Heifers and heifer calves .....	farms, 1997..	5	90	13	23	49
number, 1997..	(D)	5 374	383	824	1 350	5 392
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves .....	farms, 1997..	3	58	9	16	31
number, 1997..	(D)	421	128	223	200	494
Cattle and calves sold .....	farms, 1997..	5	98	13	29	55
1992..	10	130	26	25	59	118
number, 1997..	30	4 652	365	759	1 133	4 973
1992..	98	4 924	617	595	2 075	5 511
Calves .....	farms, 1997..	2	75	10	21	40
number, 1997..	(D)	2 374	184	448	589	2 898
Cattle .....	farms, 1997..	5	89	12	23	50
1992..	10	122	26	25	56	108
number, 1997..	(D)	2 278	181	311	544	2 075
1992..	(D)	2 262	422	317	931	2 325
Fattened on grain and concentrates .....	farms, 1997..	1	6	3	8	7
number, 1997..	(D)	104	(D)	62	80	52
Hogs and pigs inventory .....	farms, 1997..	2	6	1	7	17
1992..	1	10	8	7	13	16
number, 1997..	(D)	15	(D)	55	573	211
1992..	(D)	44	37	71	81	271
Used or to be used for breeding .....	farms, 1997..	1	1	—	2	3
1992..	1	4	1	4	8	11
number, 1997..	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	48	(D)
1992..	(D)	14	(D)	26	12	121
Other .....	farms, 1997..	2	6	1	7	16
1992..	1	9	8	6	13	14
number, 1997..	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	525	(D)
1992..	(D)	30	(D)	45	69	150
Hogs and pigs sold .....	farms, 1997..	2	4	—	10	13
1992..	8	11	3	8	10	12
number, 1997..	(D)	(D)	(D)	107	547	941
1992..	33	136	(D)	160	153	1 180
Feeder pigs .....	farms, 1997..	—	—	—	1	4
1992..	—	—	—	2	2	7
number, 1997..	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	260	(D)
1992..	(D)	40	—	(D)	(D)	1 073

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**Table 12. Farms With Sales of \$10,000 or More: 1997 and 1992—Con.**

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

Item	Piscataquis	Sagadahoc	Somerset	Waldo	Washington	York
<b>TYPE OF ORGANIZATION—Con.</b>						
Corporation:						
Family held .....	2	4	18	15	23	26
farms, 1997..						
1992..	1	3	8	12	17	28
acres, 1997..	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	32 714	6 135
1992..	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	27 036	8 558
Other than family held .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	1	—	1	6	1
acres, 1997..	—	—	—	—	(D)	(D)
1992..	—	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	(D)
Other—cooperative, estate or trust,						
institutional, etc. ....	—	—	—	1	3	—
farms, 1997..						
1992..	—	—	1	—	(D)	1
acres, 1997..	—	—	—	(D)	(D)	—
1992..	—	—	(D)	—	(D)	(D)
<b>1997 FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM</b>						
Oilseed and grain farming (1111) .....	—	—	—	1	—	1
Vegetable and melon farming (1112) .....	4	5	10	4	5	23
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113) .....	6	1	4	18	112	17
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114) .....	8	6	16	19	9	43
Other crop farming (1119) .....	6	7	68	8	5	24
Tobacco farming (11191) .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton farming (11192) .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199) .....	6	7	68	8	5	24
Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111) .....	2	3	14	2	—	8
Cattle feedlots (112112) .....	—	—	—	—	—	4
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212) .....	23	10	72	70	1	21
Hog and pig farming (1122) .....	—	—	3	2	—	2
Poultry and egg production (1123) .....	—	—	5	5	—	5
Sheep and goat farming (1124) .....	1	1	1	1	1	—
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129) .....	3	1	5	2	9	12
<b>LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY</b>						
Cattle and calves inventory .....						
farms, 1997..	28	16	100	82	6	53
1992..	29	17	122	99	12	51
number, 1997..	3 029	1 502	11 241	8 422	153	3 078
1992..	2 811	1 470	12 337	9 406	308	3 271
Cows and heifers that had calved .....						
farms, 1997..	27	15	88	75	5	48
1992..	27	16	115	88	12	42
number, 1997..	1 725	781	6 059	4 722	94	1 479
1992..	1 613	790	6 693	4 883	174	1 671
Beef cows .....						
farms, 1997..	8	7	18	11	4	28
1992..	8	8	35	20	9	21
number, 1997..	237	247	343	134	(D)	262
1992..	125	255	585	381	(D)	337
Milk cows .....						
farms, 1997..	24	11	74	71	1	23
1992..	21	11	97	76	3	26
number, 1997..	1 488	534	5 716	4 588	(D)	1 217
1992..	1 488	535	6 108	4 502	(D)	1 334
Heifers and heifer calves .....						
farms, 1997..	27	14	93	77	4	40
number, 1997..	1 176	554	4 855	3 317	(D)	1 256
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves .....						
farms, 1997..	22	10	57	49	3	36
number, 1997..	128	167	327	383	(D)	343
Cattle and calves sold .....						
farms, 1997..	28	17	100	83	5	50
1992..	27	17	119	96	9	46
number, 1997..	1 134	503	5 799	2 662	39	1 297
1992..	1 218	480	4 984	3 553	112	1 375
Calves .....						
farms, 1997..	21	12	76	75	5	27
number, 1997..	654	261	3 933	1 510	(D)	422
Cattle .....						
farms, 1997..	22	17	87	75	3	46
1992..	24	16	111	92	5	43
number, 1997..	480	242	1 866	1 152	(D)	875
1992..	605	274	2 291	1 734	(D)	838
Fattened on grain and concentrates .....						
farms, 1997..	—	4	7	2	—	11
number, 1997..	—	45	28	(D)	—	300
Hogs and pigs inventory .....						
farms, 1997..	3	3	12	6	1	10
1992..	5	2	12	11	1	10
number, 1997..	8	(D)	309	109	(D)	270
1992..	17	(D)	406	83	(D)	329
Used or to be used for breeding .....						
farms, 1997..	—	2	7	5	1	8
1992..	—	2	6	7	3	3
number, 1997..	—	(D)	149	63	(D)	36
1992..	—	(D)	(D)	31	(D)	(D)
Other .....						
farms, 1997..	3	3	8	4	1	10
1992..	5	2	11	7	1	10
number, 1997..	8	(D)	160	46	(D)	234
1992..	17	(D)	(D)	52	(D)	(D)
Hogs and pigs sold .....						
farms, 1997..	1	4	7	4	1	7
1992..	—	2	6	7	1	8
number, 1997..	(D)	(D)	952	434	(D)	325
1992..	—	(D)	(D)	237	(D)	(D)
Feeder pigs .....						
farms, 1997..	—	1	2	2	—	1
1992..	—	1	3	3	1	2
number, 1997..	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
1992..	—	(D)	(D)	118	(D)	(D)

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 12. Farms With Sales of \$10,000 or More: 1997 and 1992—Con.

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

Item	Maine	Androscoggin	Aroostook	Cumberland	Franklin
<b>LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY—Con.</b>					
Sheep and lambs inventory .....	farms, 1997..	88	8	4	10
1992..	112	7	4	9	7
number, 1997..	3 294	179	(D)	345	334
1992..	4 087	179	(D)	276	593
Sheep and lambs sold .....	farms, 1997..	70	6	2	8
1992..	91	6	4	8	7
number, 1997..	2 713	138	(D)	271	(D)
1992..	4 569	110	(D)	276	(D)
Layers 20 weeks old and older inventory .....	farms, 1997..	138	9	6	7
1992..	168	10	10	13	5
number, 1997..	5 009 234	(D)	(D)	76	114
1992..	4 402 358	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold .....	farms, 1997..	21	—	—	2
1992..	31	3	1	1	1
number, 1997..	196 685	—	—	(D)	(D)
1992..	633 070	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
<b>SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED</b>					
Corn for silage or green chop .....	farms, 1997..	307	39	15	12
1992..	389	51	15	17	20
acres, 1997..	27 303	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
1992..	27 813	3 305	(D)	966	1 256
tons, green, 1997..	443 703	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
1992..	448 725	56 936	(D)	17 324	20 125
Oats for grain .....	farms, 1997..	214	1	185	1
1992..	268	1	233	—	—
acres, 1997..	21 462	(D)	19 853	(D)	(D)
1992..	23 605	(D)	21 682	—	—
bushels, 1997..	1 592 924	(D)	1 491 242	(D)	(D)
1992..	1 969 158	(D)	1 837 530	—	—
Potatoes, excluding sweetpotatoes .....	farms, 1997..	504	12	391	7
1992..	662	12	549	6	4
acres, 1997..	72 865	196	65 312	(D)	7
1992..	87 321	192	79 676	(D)	(D)
cwt, 1997..	19 460 548	50 070	17 450 678	(D)	(D)
1992..	24 941 311	55 977	22 972 408	(D)	(D)
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) .....	farms, 1997..	1 082	84	112	81
1992..	1 219	98	126	81	53
acres, 1997..	152 662	11 151	14 310	11 709	59
1992..	148 687	11 614	10 225	10 003	6 952
tons, dry, 1997..	258 290	20 929	23 238	18 066	6 530
1992..	254 395	22 476	15 405	18 608	12 974
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text) .....	farms, 1997..	350	27	57	42
1992..	312	29	44	39	7
acres, 1997..	11 196	445	7 301	542	12
1992..	9 563	411	5 831	766	43
Land in orchards .....	farms, 1997..	128	19	7	9
1992..	134	20	3	10	8
acres, 1997..	4 486	1 448	30	251	9
1992..	5 454	1 413	14	246	189
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See footnotes at end of table.

Table 12. Farms With Sales of \$10,000 or More: 1997 and 1992—Con.

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

Item	Hancock	Kennebec	Knox	Lincoln	Oxford	Penobscot
<b>LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY—Con.</b>						
Sheep and lambs inventory .....	11	4	4	8	5	2
1992..	10	8	6	12	6	10
number, 1997..	200	19	(D)	931	41	(D)
1992..	157	115	190	498	51	284
Sheep and lambs sold .....	8	5	3	6	4	1
1992..	7	7	6	11	3	8
number, 1997..	173	86	(D)	373	(D)	(D)
1992..	145	263	205	1 177	22	283
Layers 20 weeks old and older inventory .....	14	19	7	7	15	10
1992..	7	26	9	10	14	12
number, 1997..	592	515 406	67 545	(D)	(D)	238
1992..	259	303 302	105 844	(D)	(D)	(D)
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold .....	5	2	2	3	2	1
1992..	5	5	1	6	—	—
number, 1997..	(D)	(D)	(D)	923	(D)	(D)
1992..	166	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
<b>SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED</b>						
Corn for silage or green chop .....	2	45	3	6	13	52
1992..	1	57	5	5	18	65
acres, 1997..	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	744	7 175
1992..	(D)	3 991	(D)	(D)	1 210	6 598
tons, green, 1997..	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	12 322	110 421
1992..	(D)	66 525	(D)	(D)	17 960	100 889
Oats for grain .....	2	6	1	1	1	8
1992..	3	3	—	—	1	12
acres, 1997..	(D)	140	(D)	(D)	(D)	1 032
1992..	(D)	(D)	—	—	(D)	1 238
bushels, 1997..	(D)	6 282	(D)	(D)	(D)	67 000
1992..	(D)	(D)	—	—	(D)	103 590
Potatoes, excluding sweetpotatoes .....	6	10	4	5	13	25
1992..	7	6	3	1	9	37
acres, 1997..	7	6	(D)	6	1 919	3 985
1992..	4	13	63	(D)	1 702	4 082
cwt, 1997..	1 280	1 246	(D)	1 225	545 509	1 029 765
1992..	765	1 140	11 125	(D)	507 455	1 021 196
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) .....	16	126	28	32	69	117
1992..	22	156	34	33	59	143
acres, 1997..	642	24 401	2 882	4 254	6 012	18 625
1992..	1 240	24 035	3 204	4 001	4 886	22 213
tons, dry, 1997..	909	36 312	3 478	8 479	10 842	32 974
1992..	1 716	46 561	5 844	5 891	9 007	31 227
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text) .....	20	33	8	14	21	33
1992..	13	30	8	14	17	25
acres, 1997..	86	288	171	303	288	448
1992..	63	276	267	152	174	291
Land in orchards .....	4	7	11	6	13	11
1992..	8	11	4	4	21	10
acres, 1997..	57	645	109	99	600	194
1992..	75	798	61	44	980	184

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 12. Farms With Sales of \$10,000 or More: 1997 and 1992—Con.

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

Item	Piscataquis	Sagadahoc	Somerset	Waldo	Washington	York
<b>LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY—Con.</b>						
Sheep and lambs inventory .....	4	4	4	5	2	6
1992..	5	3	5	9	1	9
number, 1997..	(D)	182	61	(D)	(D)	30
1992..	706	142	65	708	(D)	95
Sheep and lambs sold .....	4	3	4	2	2	5
1992..	3	3	2	9	(D)	8
number, 1997..	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	150
1992..	364	(D)	84	742	—	329
Layers 20 weeks old and older inventory .....	4	3	10	6	5	11
1992..	3	3	14	8	7	13
number, 1997..	120	117	95 921	(D)	134	(D)
1992..	135	93	105 861	82 312	394	(D)
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold .....	farms, 1997..	—	—	2	2	1
1992..	—	—	—	—	—	1
number, 1997..	—	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
1992..	—	—	—	(D)	—	(D)
<b>SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED</b>						
Corn for silage or green chop .....	farms, 1997..	11	4	44	30	—
1992..	12	5	58	40	1	13
acres, 1997..	1 315	167	4 122	2 641	—	19
1992..	(D)	(D)	4 434	(D)	(D)	642
tons, green, 1997..	26 021	3 550	67 532	41 361	—	871
1992..	(D)	(D)	70 921	(D)	(D)	8 637
						11 972
Oats for grain .....	farms, 1997..	2	1	2	—	—
1992..	3	1	6	4	—	—
acres, 1997..	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	—
1992..	200	(D)	195	19	—	(D)
bushels, 1997..	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	—
1992..	(D)	(D)	7 050	396	—	(D)
Potatoes, excluding sweetpotatoes .....	farms, 1997..	6	2	4	3	9
1992..	7	1	2	6	1	8
acres, 1997..	417	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
1992..	596	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
cwt, 1997..	97 914	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
1992..	131 580	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) .....	farms, 1997..	28	21	129	83	21
1992..	30	22	140	111	27	82
acres, 1997..	3 879	3 668	18 823	14 446	1 316	78
1992..	4 125	3 506	21 100	13 653	1 114	592
tons, dry, 1997..	7 226	7 474	31 408	24 856	1 764	7 238
1992..	8 186	6 519	31 586	24 777	1 612	17 361
						14 072
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text) .....	farms, 1997..	3	9	17	12	6
1992..	7	7	11	8	4	41
acres, 1997..	(D)	63	172	98	(D)	44
1992..	33	190	111	92	37	872
Land in orchards .....	farms, 1997..	—	3	5	5	3
1992..	—	2	6	8	2	17
acres, 1997..	—	(D)	109	78	(D)	16
1992..	—	(D)	(D)	147	(D)	653
						1 065

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

<sup>2</sup>Farms with total production expenses equal to market value of agricultural products sold are included as farms with gains.

**Table 13. Selected Crops Harvested: 1997 and 1992**

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

Crop	Maine	Androscoggin	Aroostook	Cumberland	Franklin
Harvested cropland .....					
farms, 1997..	4 875	243	735	389	180
1992..	5 141	275	833	375	183
acres, 1997..	403 014	17 842	143 507	18 484	10 604
1992..	399 755	19 299	135 856	16 914	10 534
Irrigated .....					
farms, 1997..	660	36	75	103	6
1992..	514	36	45	76	7
acres, 1997..	21 608	784	(D)	874	20
1992..	10 108	333	(D)	(D)	12
Corn for silage or green chop .....					
farms, 1997..	332	41	17	13	19
1992..	438	54	17	22	24
acres, 1997..	27 537	3 333	827	820	938
1992..	28 254	3 321	1 016	995	1 284
tons, green, 1997..	447 405	62 692	12 088	11 735	15 426
1992..	454 228	57 175	15 295	17 694	20 449
Irrigated .....					
farms, 1997..	6	—	—	—	—
1992..	3	—	—	—	—
acres, 1997..	(D)	—	—	—	—
1992..	8	—	—	—	—
1997 farms by acres harvested:					
1 to 24 acres .....	104	10	6	3	9
25 to 99 acres .....	134	17	9	7	3
100 to 249 acres .....	69	12	2	3	3
250 to 499 acres .....	24	2	—	—	—
500 acres or more .....	1	—	—	—	—
Oats for grain .....					
farms, 1997..	272	3	220	3	3
1992..	320	1	264	4	—
acres, 1997..	22 364	(D)	20 644	26	(D)
1992..	24 277	(D)	22 259	18	—
bushels, 1997..	1 643 127	(D)	1 538 268	1 192	624
1992..	2 014 920	(D)	1 880 330	430	—
Irrigated .....					
farms, 1997..	1	—	—	—	—
1992..	1	—	1	—	—
acres, 1997..	(D)	—	—	—	—
1992..	(D)	—	(D)	—	—
1997 farms by acres harvested:					
1 to 24 acres .....	109	3	69	3	3
25 to 99 acres .....	84	—	77	—	—
100 to 249 acres .....	58	—	55	—	—
250 to 499 acres .....	15	—	13	—	—
500 acres or more .....	6	—	6	—	—
Potatoes, excluding sweetpotatoes .....					
farms, 1997..	586	12	416	9	5
1992..	770	19	591	7	9
acres, 1997..	73 085	196	65 454	(D)	22
1992..	87 650	194	79 938	(D)	59
cwt, 1997..	19 490 474	50 070	17 468 682	(D)	(D)
1992..	25 008 230	56 300	23 029 776	22 160	6 933
Irrigated .....					
farms, 1997..	100	4	45	4	1
1992..	59	7	26	3	—
acres, 1997..	8 634	144	6 052	14	(D)
1992..	5 562	(D)	3 466	(D)	—
1997 farms by acres harvested:					
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....	137	7	20	6	3
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....	72	1	50	2	2
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....	117	3	112	—	—
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....	167	1	151	1	—
250.0 to 499.9 acres .....	69	—	63	—	—
500.0 acres or more .....	24	—	20	—	—
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) .....					
farms, 1997..	2 810	172	270	248	141
1992..	3 119	213	279	242	143
acres, 1997..	214 005	13 759	21 795	17 075	9 882
1992..	214 129	14 949	16 302	14 524	9 228
tons, dry, 1997..	332 039	24 589	32 927	24 976	16 326
1992..	332 197	26 464	22 528	24 631	14 208
Irrigated .....					
farms, 1997..	26	3	4	—	—
1992..	18	3	—	—	—
acres, 1997..	958	—	(D)	30	—
1992..	160	44	—	—	—
1997 farms by acres harvested:					
1 to 24 acres .....	986	56	82	104	59
25 to 99 acres .....	1 147	64	122	94	45
100 to 249 acres .....	493	41	55	33	29
250 to 499 acres .....	160	9	7	17	6
500 acres or more .....	24	2	4	—	2
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text) .....					
farms, 1997..	611	37	79	63	14
1992..	582	43	56	66	16
acres, 1997..	11 745	465	7 360	578	52
1992..	10 251	442	5 903	816	46
Irrigated .....					
farms, 1997..	212	17	10	34	3
1992..	139	14	10	27	2
acres, 1997..	5 665	221	(D)	375	10
1992..	2 376	76	1 362	239	(D)
1997 farms by acres harvested:					
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....	367	18	30	40	12
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....	164	13	11	18	2
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....	71	6	31	5	—
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....	7	—	5	—	—
250.0 to 499.9 acres .....	—	—	—	—	—
500.0 acres or more .....	2	—	2	—	—

**Table 13. Selected Crops Harvested: 1997 and 1992—Con.**

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

Crop	Hancock	Kennebec	Knox	Lincoln	Oxford	Penobscot
Harvested cropland .....						
farms, 1997..	275	380	171	169	279	458
1992..	280	427	189	174	283	454
acres, 1997..	6 459	34 425	7 173	7 541	15 794	40 029
1992..	7 344	35 886	7 305	7 162	15 169	40 717
Irrigated .....						
farms, 1997..	40	39	24	26	43	65
1992..	31	41	18	13	32	49
acres, 1997..	195	(D)	102	(D)	1 086	1 592
1992..	(D)	(D)	(D)	70	(D)	(D)
Corn for silage or green chop .....						
farms, 1997..	6	47	5	7	13	55
1992..	3	60	6	7	22	72
acres, 1997..	(D)	4 238	136	180	744	7 206
1992..	(D)	4 021	91	249	1 297	6 664
tons, green, 1997..	(D)	66 926	1 990	3 324	12 322	110 923
1992..	(D)	67 015	1 449	4 720	18 728	101 650
Irrigated .....						
farms, 1997..	1	1	—	1	—	1
1992..	—	—	—	—	1	—
acres, 1997..	(D)	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	(D)
1992..	—	—	—	—	—	—
1997 farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres .....	5	15	2	5	3	12
25 to 99 acres .....	—	19	3	1	8	17
100 to 249 acres .....	1	9	—	1	2	15
250 to 499 acres .....	—	3	—	—	—	11
500 acres or more .....	—	1	—	—	—	—
Oats for grain .....						
farms, 1997..	6	6	1	1	3	11
1992..	4	6	—	—	2	15
acres, 1997..	16	140	(D)	(D)	(D)	1 057
1992..	12	(D)	—	—	(D)	1 261
bushels, 1997..	425	6 282	(D)	(D)	(D)	67 494
1992..	460	(D)	—	—	(D)	104 280
Irrigated .....						
farms, 1997..	1	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—	—
acres, 1997..	(D)	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—	—
1997 farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres .....	6	4	1	1	2	5
25 to 99 acres .....	—	2	—	—	—	2
100 to 249 acres .....	—	—	—	—	1	2
250 to 499 acres .....	—	—	—	—	—	2
500 acres or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Potatoes, excluding sweetpotatoes .....						
farms, 1997..	12	14	4	8	18	34
1992..	12	9	8	4	17	41
acres, 1997..	11	9	(D)	7	1 919	4 007
1992..	6	15	65	(D)	1 712	4 086
cwt, 1997..	1 590	1 406	(D)	1 425	545 626	1 035 188
1992..	1 010	1 386	11 259	(D)	509 146	1 022 004
Irrigated .....						
farms, 1997..	2	3	1	2	8	13
1992..	3	—	1	1	5	4
acres, 1997..	(D)	3	(D)	(D)	467	1 347
1992..	1	—	(D)	(D)	460	650
1997 farms by acres harvested:						
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....	12	14	3	8	11	13
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....	—	—	—	—	1	7
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....	—	—	1	—	—	1
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....	—	—	—	—	3	7
250.0 to 499.9 acres .....	—	—	—	—	2	4
500.0 acres or more .....	—	—	—	—	1	2
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) .....						
farms, 1997..	76	282	87	103	193	293
1992..	80	338	105	128	200	313
acres, 1997..	2 122	30 484	5 150	6 409	9 964	25 283
1992..	2 907	31 546	5 732	6 362	9 276	28 199
tons, dry, 1997..	2 530	43 024	5 848	10 672	15 204	41 288
1992..	3 218	55 323	9 361	8 951	14 196	37 331
Irrigated .....						
farms, 1997..	3	3	2	—	—	3
1992..	2	3	—	1	—	—
acres, 1997..	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	(D)
1992..	6	—	—	—	—	—
1997 farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres .....	49	83	32	50	62	94
25 to 99 acres .....	21	107	40	33	100	117
100 to 249 acres .....	6	57	10	13	29	55
250 to 499 acres .....	—	30	5	7	2	23
500 acres or more .....	—	5	—	—	—	4
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text) .....						
farms, 1997..	32	59	21	28	37	61
1992..	27	48	22	27	38	52
acres, 1997..	99	339	208	318	315	530
1992..	92	321	294	177	237	364
Irrigated .....						
farms, 1997..	16	9	4	14	16	20
1992..	5	4	2	7	12	8
acres, 1997..	30	24	9	30	168	76
1992..	8	13	(D)	19	32	25
1997 farms by acres harvested:						
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....	29	32	13	21	22	36
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....	2	26	6	5	11	20
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....	1	1	2	1	4	5
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....	—	—	—	1	—	—
250.0 to 499.9 acres .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
500.0 acres or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—

**Table 13. Selected Crops Harvested: 1997 and 1992—Con.**

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

Crop	Piscataquis	Sagadahoc	Somerset	Waldo	Washington	York
Harvested cropland .....						
farms, 1997..	115	96	327	278	369	411
1992..	125	102	360	309	351	421
acres, 1997..	8 179	5 530	27 191	21 460	20 235	18 561
1992..	8 603	5 512	32 415	21 300	17 558	18 181
Irrigated .....						
farms, 1997..	9	13	22	26	38	95
1992..	11	14	24	28	21	68
acres, 1997..	(D)	66	73	(D)	3 760	(D)
1992..	181	173	(D)	(D)	(D)	959
Corn for silage or green chop .....						
farms, 1997..	11	4	47	30	1	16
1992..	14	6	62	42	3	24
acres, 1997..	1 315	167	4 173	2 641	(D)	654
1992..	1 254	250	4 485	2 415	(D)	881
tons, green, 1997..	26 021	3 550	68 372	41 361	(D)	8 757
1992..	20 400	4 780	71 804	40 521	(D)	12 076
Irrigated .....						
farms, 1997..	—	—	—	—	1	1
1992..	—	—	—	—	2	—
acres, 1997..	—	—	—	—	(D)	(D)
1992..	—	—	—	—	(D)	—
1997 farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres .....	1	1	14	10	1	7
25 to 99 acres .....	4	3	19	12	—	—
100 to 249 acres .....	5	—	10	5	—	1
250 to 499 acres .....	1	—	4	3	—	—
500 acres or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Oats for grain .....						
farms, 1997..	4	2	4	2	—	3
1992..	3	2	11	4	—	4
acres, 1997..	(D)	(D)	52	(D)	—	13
1992..	200	(D)	222	19	—	14
bushels, 1997..	(D)	(D)	1 970	(D)	—	(D)
1992..	(D)	(D)	7 880	396	—	504
Irrigated .....						
farms, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—	—
acres, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—	—
1997 farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres .....	2	2	3	2	—	3
25 to 99 acres .....	2	—	1	—	—	—
100 to 249 acres .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
250 to 499 acres .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
500 acres or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Potatoes, excluding sweetpotatoes .....						
farms, 1997..	12	3	4	9	11	15
1992..	13	2	5	8	8	17
acres, 1997..	444	(D)	(D)	16	28	(D)
1992..	608	(D)	12	40	11	(D)
cwt, 1997..	99 574	(D)	(D)	3 304	6 998	(D)
1992..	132 830	(D)	1 885	7 150	1 726	(D)
Irrigated .....						
farms, 1997..	4	1	—	—	4	8
1992..	2	(D)	—	3	1	3
acres, 1997..	(D)	(D)	—	(D)	4	(D)
1992..	(D)	—	—	—	(D)	(D)
1997 farms by acres harvested:						
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....	6	1	3	7	9	14
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....	3	2	—	2	2	—
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....	3	—	1	—	—	—
250.0 to 499.9 acres .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
500.0 acres or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	1
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) .....						
farms, 1997..	69	69	275	197	69	266
1992..	98	74	305	223	83	295
acres, 1997..	5 681	5 526	24 018	18 784	2 899	15 174
1992..	6 437	5 110	28 785	17 658	2 762	14 352
tons, dry, 1997..	9 576	10 236	37 808	30 336	3 184	23 515
1992..	11 443	8 732	39 545	30 191	3 423	22 652
Irrigated .....						
farms, 1997..	—	—	3	—	1	4
1992..	—	1	1	2	—	5
acres, 1997..	—	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	55
1992..	—	—	—	—	—	9
1997 farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres .....	15	21	83	51	34	111
25 to 99 acres .....	33	33	115	85	27	111
100 to 249 acres .....	15	10	57	40	7	36
250 to 499 acres .....	6	4	18	20	1	5
500 acres or more .....	—	1	2	1	—	3
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text) .....						
farms, 1997..	12	15	28	28	26	71
1992..	12	15	37	19	22	82
acres, 1997..	68	76	201	128	87	922
1992..	39	199	190	125	86	924
Irrigated .....						
farms, 1997..	2	5	9	6	11	36
1992..	3	5	7	3	5	25
acres, 1997..	(D)	47	27	18	41	354
1992..	4	(D)	17	8	15	334
1997 farms by acres harvested:						
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....	10	9	17	20	19	39
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....	1	6	9	7	7	20
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....	1	—	2	1	—	11
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....	—	—	—	—	—	1
250.0 to 499.9 acres .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
500.0 acres or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—

**Table 13. Selected Crops Harvested: 1997 and 1992—Con.**

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

Crop	Maine	Androscoggin	Aroostook	Cumberland	Franklin	
Land in orchards..... farms, 1997..	334	34	19	19	16	
1992..	396	37	21	23	20	
acres, 1997..	5 170	1 492	62	292	222	
1992..	6 463	1 478	55	346	348	
Irrigated .....	farms, 1997..	37	5	3	—	
1992..	26	2	—	3	—	
acres, 1997..	325	(D)	1	72	—	
1992..	84	(D)	—	4	—	
1997 farms by bearing and nonbearing acres:						
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....	193	14	15	8	6	
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....	93	8	4	8	—	
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....	40	10	—	2	3	
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....	6	1	—	1	—	
250.0 to 499.9 acres .....	1	—	—	—	—	
500.0 acres or more .....	1	1	—	—	—	
Crop	Hancock	Kennebec	Knox	Lincoln	Oxford	
Land in orchards..... farms, 1997..	22	18	23	14	36	
1992..	19	27	18	14	47	
acres, 1997..	101	665	145	117	47	
1992..	156	836	85	86	296	
Irrigated .....	farms, 1997..	1	—	2	1	
1992..	2	—	—	—	4	
acres, 1997..	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	7	
1992..	(D)	—	—	—	7	
1997 farms by bearing and nonbearing acres:						
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....	18	12	13	8	20	
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....	3	3	9	5	7	
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....	1	2	1	1	7	
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....	—	—	—	—	3	
250.0 to 499.9 acres .....	—	1	—	—	—	
500.0 acres or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	
Crop	Piscataquis	Sagadahoc	Somerset	Waldo	Washington	York
Land in orchards..... farms, 1997..	6	10	18	14	13	36
1992..	11	13	25	27	18	37
acres, 1997..	9	42	152	102	54	728
1992..	19	40	167	276	67	1 145
Irrigated .....	farms, 1997..	—	4	2	—	3
1992..	—	2	2	1	2	4
acres, 1997..	—	7	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
1992..	—	(D)	(D)	—	(D)	(D)
1997 farms by bearing and nonbearing acres:						
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....	6	6	13	10	8	16
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....	—	4	3	2	5	12
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....	—	—	2	2	—	6
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....	—	—	—	—	—	2
250.0 to 499.9 acres .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
500.0 acres or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—

**Table 14. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1997 and 1992**

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

Item	Maine	Androscoggin	Aroostook	Cumberland	Franklin
<b>INVENTORY</b>					
Cattle and calves .....					
farms, 1997..	1 921	142	210	151	114
1992..	2 110	160	187	181	113
number, 1997..	101 695	10 026	9 755	5 906	5 134
1992..	104 511	10 644	7 313	6 569	5 456
Farms by inventory:					
1 to 9 .....	616	39	58	51	41
farms, 1997..	616	39	58	51	41
1992..	656	44	49	66	31
number, 1997..	3 005	189	(D)	241	198
1992..	3 095	237	205	308	146
10 to 19 .....	326	21	41	24	12
farms, 1997..	326	21	41	24	12
1992..	388	28	33	35	23
number, 1997..	4 443	269	577	313	149
1992..	5 296	393	(D)	484	333
20 to 49 .....	408	28	57	42	18
farms, 1997..	408	28	57	42	18
1992..	423	27	51	45	20
number, 1997..	12 286	844	1 714	1 272	550
1992..	12 751	876	1 446	1 314	671
50 to 99 .....	271	20	27	15	25
farms, 1997..	271	20	27	15	25
1992..	329	26	34	14	23
number, 1997..	19 302	(D)	2 047	1 015	(D)
1992..	22 922	1 993	2 151	957	1 583
100 to 199 .....	201	20	18	16	16
farms, 1997..	201	20	18	16	16
1992..	218	18	18	14	13
number, 1997..	26 823	2 837	2 386	2 047	2 093
1992..	28 694	2 425	2 370	1 753	1 580
200 to 499 .....	83	12	8	3	2
farms, 1997..	83	12	8	3	2
1992..	89	17	2	7	2
number, 1997..	24 274	3 448	2 265	1 018	(D)
1992..	25 940	4 720	(D)	1 753	(D)
500 or more .....	16	2	1	—	—
farms, 1997..	16	2	1	—	—
1992..	7	—	(D)	—	1
number, 1997..	11 562	(D)	(D)	—	—
1992..	5 813	—	—	—	(D)
Cows and heifers that had calved .....					
farms, 1997..	1 588	116	176	131	86
1992..	1 779	145	155	152	93
number, 1997..	52 531	4 600	4 360	3 165	2 217
1992..	54 149	5 111	3 827	3 420	2 888
Beef cows .....					
farms, 1997..	1 035	58	147	100	52
1992..	1 098	75	122	111	51
number, 1997..	11 782	511	2 895	1 432	448
1992..	11 412	558	2 219	1 299	531
1997 farms by inventory:					
1 to 9 .....	667	40	75	63	37
farms..	667	40	75	63	37
number..	2 684	141	364	268	115
10 to 19 .....	200	9	26	18	9
farms..	200	9	26	18	9
number..	2 521	112	362	227	(D)
20 to 49 .....	141	9	31	15	5
farms..	141	9	31	15	5
number..	3 939	258	864	409	177
50 to 99 .....	20	—	12	3	1
farms..	20	—	12	3	1
number..	1 339	—	847	(D)	(D)
100 to 199 .....	5	—	2	—	—
farms..	5	—	2	—	—
number..	(D)	—	(D)	—	—
200 to 499 .....	2	—	1	1	—
farms..	2	—	1	1	—
number..	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	—
500 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—
farms..	—	—	—	—	—
number..	—	—	—	—	—
Milk cows .....					
farms, 1997..	685	67	47	42	44
1992..	836	87	51	46	49
number, 1997..	40 749	4 089	1 465	1 733	1 769
1992..	42 737	4 553	1 608	2 121	2 357
1997 farms by inventory:					
1 to 9 .....	156	16	27	14	10
farms..	156	16	27	14	10
number..	387	50	41	43	(D)
10 to 19 .....	36	4	—	—	1
farms..	36	4	—	—	1
number..	495	(D)	—	—	(D)
20 to 49 .....	193	13	5	12	18
farms..	193	13	5	12	18
number..	6 602	444	194	404	610
50 to 99 .....	202	21	12	13	14
farms..	202	21	12	13	14
number..	13 599	1 410	805	844	968
100 to 199 .....	68	11	3	2	1
farms..	68	11	3	2	1
number..	9 272	1 508	425	(D)	(D)
200 to 499 .....	26	2	—	1	—
farms..	26	2	—	1	—
number..	7 464	(D)	—	(D)	—
500 or more .....	4	—	—	—	—
farms..	4	—	—	—	—
number..	2 930	—	—	—	—
Heifers and heifer calves.....					
farms, 1997..	1 432	107	150	111	87
1992..	1 662	132	136	130	82
number, 1997..	39 222	4 217	2 873	1 979	2 549
1992..	41 354	4 917	2 197	2 227	2 159
1997 farms by inventory:					
1 to 9 .....	680	36	80	60	35
farms..	680	36	80	60	35
number..	(D)	136	(D)	(D)	(D)
10 to 19 .....	208	13	24	24	14
farms..	208	13	24	24	14
number..	2 790	199	306	319	186
20 to 49 .....	303	31	30	14	19
farms..	303	31	30	14	19
number..	9 390	976	896	414	535
50 to 99 .....	161	18	11	11	15
farms..	161	18	11	11	15
number..	11 001	1 311	686	730	1 088
100 to 199 .....	59	5	4	2	3
farms..	59	5	4	2	3
number..	7 880	675	437	(D)	395
200 to 499 .....	19	4	1	—	1
farms..	19	4	1	—	(D)
number..	4 345	920	(D)	—	—
500 or more .....	2	—	—	—	—
farms..	2	—	—	—	—
number..	(D)	—	—	—	—

**Table 14. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1997 and 1992—Con.**

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

Item	Hancock	Kennebec	Knox	Lincoln	Oxford	Penobscot
<b>INVENTORY</b>						
Cattle and calves .....						
farms, 1997..	40	208	44	77	133	175
1992..	40	241	65	81	156	193
number, 1997..	353	15 699	1 499	2 642	4 176	14 741
1992..	518	16 444	2 126	2 488	4 665	14 103
Farms by inventory:						
1 to 9 .....	29	60	17	33	45	47
farms, 1997..	29	60	17	33	45	47
1992..	24	54	23	28	67	52
number, 1997..	133	321	98	172	219	(D)
1992..	103	252	130	125	328	235
10 to 19 .....	6	33	5	14	31	21
farms, 1997..	6	33	5	14	31	21
1992..	7	47	8	21	27	27
number, 1997..	87	463	61	212	422	275
1992..	(D)	634	(D)	276	351	(D)
20 to 49 .....	5	42	9	15	35	30
farms, 1997..	5	42	9	15	31	29
1992..	8	41	17	19	98	925
number, 1997..	133	1 321	261	484	998	925
1992..	212	1 256	526	502	945	989
50 to 99 .....	—	28	10	7	11	24
farms, 1997..	—	40	15	8	21	34
1992..	—	2 072	724	(D)	(D)	1 614
number, 1997..	—	2 844	1 117	546	1 491	2 450
100 to 199 .....	—	30	3	6	9	28
farms, 1997..	—	42	2	3	9	36
1992..	1	3 961	355	750	1 168	3 769
number, 1997..	—	5 279	(D)	(D)	(D)	4 957
200 to 499 .....	—	11	—	2	2	23
farms, 1997..	—	16	—	2	1	14
1992..	—	3 216	—	(D)	(D)	6 831
number, 1997..	—	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	4 598
500 or more .....	—	4	—	—	—	2
farms, 1997..	—	1	—	—	—	1
1992..	—	4 345	(D)	—	—	(D)
number, 1997..	—	(D)	—	—	—	(D)
Cows and heifers that had calved .....						
farms, 1997..	35	169	39	59	116	153
1992..	37	214	54	65	118	170
number, 1997..	161	8 954	775	1 214	2 088	8 278
1992..	273	8 936	1 058	1 184	2 301	7 351
Beef cows .....						
farms, 1997..	34	103	31	39	90	73
1992..	32	115	35	49	81	73
number, 1997..	(D)	1 104	424	364	713	697
1992..	(D)	1 091	396	386	568	527
1997 farms by inventory:						
1 to 9 .....	farms..	31	69	16	22	57
number..		115	301	62	82	211
10 to 19 .....	farms..	2	20	4	13	23
number..		(D)	(D)	47	155	270
20 to 49 .....	farms..	1	12	11	4	10
number..		(D)	354	315	127	232
50 to 99 .....	farms..	—	1	—	—	1
number..		(D)	(D)	—	—	(D)
100 to 199 .....	farms..	—	1	—	—	—
number..		(D)	(D)	—	—	—
200 to 499 .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
number..		(D)	—	—	—	—
500 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
number..		(D)	—	—	—	—
Milk cows .....						
farms, 1997..	2	84	12	21	37	91
1992..	9	118	22	20	46	103
number, 1997..	(D)	7 850	351	850	1 375	7 581
1992..	(D)	7 845	662	798	1 733	6 824
1997 farms by inventory:						
1 to 9 .....	farms..	2	10	5	11	11
number..		(D)	15	15	(D)	27
10 to 19 .....	farms..	—	2	1	—	5
number..		(D)	(D)	—	—	4
20 to 49 .....	farms..	—	20	3	3	61
number..		(D)	628	120	126	25
50 to 99 .....	farms..	—	34	2	5	10
number..		(D)	2 294	(D)	375	26
100 to 199 .....	farms..	—	12	1	2	676
number..		(D)	1 658	(D)	(D)	1 928
200 to 499 .....	farms..	—	4	—	—	1 874
number..		(D)	1 298	—	—	11
500 or more .....	farms..	—	2	—	—	2 788
number..		(D)	—	—	—	—
Heifers and heifer calves.....						
farms, 1997..	24	159	28	56	98	136
1992..	28	203	56	61	124	160
number, 1997..	100	5 936	509	1 012	1 607	5 787
1992..	128	6 615	807	869	1 916	6 176
1997 farms by inventory:						
1 to 9 .....	farms..	22	63	13	36	58
number..		(D)	249	48	144	241
10 to 19 .....	farms..	1	24	4	7	18
number..		(D)	338	48	99	199
20 to 49 .....	farms..	1	40	7	7	237
number..		(D)	1 296	213	194	512
50 to 99 .....	farms..	—	19	4	3	906
number..		(D)	1 273	200	200	528
100 to 199 .....	farms..	—	9	—	3	3
number..		(D)	1 110	—	375	1 935
200 to 499 .....	farms..	—	2	—	—	2 158
number..		(D)	(D)	—	—	(D)
500 or more .....	farms..	—	2	—	—	—
number..		(D)	—	—	—	—

**Table 14. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1997 and 1992—Con.**

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

Item	Piscataquis	Sagadahoc	Somerset	Waldo	Washington	York
<b>INVENTORY</b>						
Cattle and calves .....						
farms, 1997..	51	43	182	142	31	178
1992..	56	52	211	159	37	178
number, 1997..	3 396	1 876	12 502	9 303	390	4 297
1992..	3 082	1 766	13 659	10 208	544	4 926
Farms by inventory:						
1 to 9 .....	12	15	42	22	20	85
farms, 1997..	12	15	42	22	20	85
1992..	21	22	40	28	24	83
number, 1997..	(D)	58	229	103	(D)	408
1992..	101	76	199	148	94	408
10 to 19 .....	8	7	31	27	7	38
farms, 1997..	8	7	31	27	7	38
1992..	101	101	430	390	102	491
number, 1997..	115	169	515	466	(D)	481
1992..	12	8	40	31	3	33
20 to 49 .....	414	235	1 158	954	103	920
farms, 1997..	414	235	1 158	954	103	920
1992..	220	125	1 499	1 052	166	952
50 to 99 .....	10	8	37	37	1	11
farms, 1997..	11	8	45	36	—	14
1992..	681	(D)	2 770	2 526	(D)	(D)
number, 1997..	756	523	3 123	2 462	—	926
100 to 199 .....	5	3	20	17	2	10
farms, 1997..	5	5	26	17	2	7
1992..	721	447	2 731	2 305	—	1 253
number, 1997..	687	(D)	3 394	2 354	(D)	934
200 to 499 .....	3	2	8	6	—	1
farms, 1997..	3	2	10	13	—	2
1992..	725	(D)	2 364	(D)	—	(D)
number, 1997..	(D)	(D)	(D)	3 726	—	(D)
500 or more .....	1	—	4	2	—	—
farms, 1997..	1	—	2	—	—	1
1992..	(D)	—	2 820	(D)	—	(D)
number, 1997..	(D)	—	(D)	—	—	—
Cows and heifers that had calved .....						
farms, 1997..	47	36	147	118	24	136
1992..	47	37	180	133	32	147
number, 1997..	1 892	966	6 567	5 092	205	1 997
1992..	1 716	914	7 159	5 227	293	2 491
Beef cows .....						
farms, 1997..	24	27	73	52	22	110
1992..	26	27	96	60	27	118
number, 1997..	385	425	838	492	(D)	768
1992..	223	363	1 038	707	(D)	1 123
1997 farms by inventory:						
1 to 9 .....	farms..	14	14	50	32	18
number..		47	47	255	118	82
10 to 19 .....	farms..	5	6	13	12	4
number..		74	(D)	(D)	152	(D)
20 to 49 .....	farms..	4	5	9	8	4
number..		(D)	160	279	222	105
50 to 99 .....	farms..	—	2	—	—	—
number..		(D)	(D)	—	—	—
100 to 199 .....	farms..	1	—	1	—	—
number..		(D)	—	(D)	—	—
200 to 499 .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
number..		—	—	—	—	—
500 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
number..		—	—	—	—	—
Milk cows .....						
farms, 1997..	31	15	81	76	4	31
1992..	25	16	105	85	7	47
number, 1997..	1 507	541	5 729	4 600	(D)	1 229
1992..	1 493	551	6 121	4 520	(D)	1 368
1997 farms by inventory:						
1 to 9 .....	farms..	8	4	11	6	3
number..		(D)	(D)	27	21	13
10 to 19 .....	farms..	3	2	3	8	—
number..		39	(D)	40	119	40
20 to 49 .....	farms..	11	5	27	31	9
number..		329	159	924	1 038	345
50 to 99 .....	farms..	4	3	28	20	1
number..		240	198	1 818	1 295	579
100 to 199 .....	farms..	4	1	8	7	—
number..		475	(D)	1 128	1 023	—
200 to 499 .....	farms..	1	—	2	4	1
number..		(D)	—	(D)	1 104	(D)
500 or more .....	farms..	—	—	2	—	—
number..		—	—	(D)	—	—
Heifers and heifer calves.....						
farms, 1997..	39	36	147	122	16	116
1992..	47	39	182	134	24	124
number, 1997..	1 332	660	5 324	3 665	86	1 586
1992..	1 185	656	5 590	4 273	136	1 503
1997 farms by inventory:						
1 to 9 .....	farms..	15	21	60	42	13
number..		58	70	256	175	36
10 to 19 .....	farms..	7	3	11	23	2
number..		89	48	157	306	(D)
20 to 49 .....	farms..	10	8	45	37	9
number..		(D)	276	1 393	1 145	(D)
50 to 99 .....	farms..	3	4	19	14	7
number..		239	266	1 323	965	—
100 to 199 .....	farms..	3	—	8	3	1
number..		370	—	1 189	440	(D)
200 to 499 .....	farms..	1	—	4	3	1
number..		(D)	—	1 006	634	(D)
500 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
number..		—	—	—	—	—

**Table 14. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1997 and 1992—Con.**

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

Item	Maine	Androscoggin	Aroostook	Cumberland	Franklin
<b>INVENTORY—Con.</b>					
Cattle and calves—Con.					
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves .....	farms, 1997..	1 320	89	170	111
1992..	number, 1997..	1 398	108	137	115
9 942	1992..	9 008	616	2 522	762
1997 farms by inventory:					
1 to 9 .....	farms..	1 088	68	120	90
number..	3 662	193	464	304	238
10 to 19 .....	farms..	139	14	29	13
number..	1 739	171	399	(D)	(D)
20 to 49 .....	farms..	73	3	11	7
number..	2 016	70	356	209	(D)
50 to 99 .....	farms..	13	1	7	—
number..	872	(D)	467	—	—
100 to 199 .....	farms..	4	1	2	1
number..	561	(D)	(D)	(D)	—
200 to 499 .....	farms..	2	2	—	—
number..	(D)	(D)	—	—	—
500 or more .....	farms..	1	—	1	—
number..	(D)	—	(D)	—	—
<b>SALES</b>					
Dairy products sold .....	farms, 1997..	565	56	22	31
1992..	694	72	30	44	38
\$1,000, 1997..	95 420	10 236	3 013	3 964	3 267
1992..	89 975	10 154	3 359	3 715	4 496
Cattle and calves sold .....	farms, 1997..	1 631	130	187	118
1992..	1 831	138	169	162	91
number, 1997..	37 889	4 077	3 542	2 025	96
1992..	40 873	3 842	2 756	3 163	1 691
\$1,000, 1997..	10 222	1 579	1 320	720	2 157
1992..	14 273	1 726	1 255	1 580	441
500 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	569
number..	(D)	—	—	—	—
1997 farms by number sold:					
1 to 9 .....	farms..	808	57	102	55
number..	(D)	247	404	(D)	39
10 to 19 .....	farms..	302	18	30	21
number..	4 044	(D)	391	345	272
20 to 49 .....	farms..	331	29	38	21
number..	10 014	919	1 059	924	601
50 to 99 .....	farms..	128	19	13	9
number..	8 490	1 292	948	428	585
100 to 199 .....	farms..	48	5	2	1
number..	6 346	824	(D)	(D)	(D)
200 to 499 .....	farms..	13	2	2	—
number..	3 750	(D)	(D)	—	—
500 or more .....	farms..	1	—	—	—
number..	(D)	—	—	—	—
Calves sold .....	farms, 1997..	991	74	98	63
1992..	1 153	97	79	89	67
number, 1997..	19 721	1 665	1 446	904	945
1992..	20 346	2 054	1 073	1 201	1 321
\$1,000, 1997..	1 284	90	229	100	86
1992..	2 233	227	240	227	110
1997 farms by number sold:					
1 to 9 .....	farms..	468	28	55	23
number..	1 822	(D)	196	(D)	37
10 to 19 .....	farms..	203	16	12	140
number..	2 627	201	151	242	10
20 to 49 .....	farms..	242	22	24	137
number..	6 894	641	610	508	17
50 to 99 .....	farms..	59	7	7	493
number..	3 764	456	489	1	3
100 to 199 .....	farms..	13	—	—	225
number..	1 537	—	—	—	—
200 to 499 .....	farms..	5	1	—	—
number..	(D)	(D)	—	—	—
500 or more .....	farms..	1	—	—	—
number..	(D)	—	—	—	—
Cattle sold .....	farms, 1997..	1 358	117	137	101
1992..	1 616	111	147	140	69
number, 1997..	18 168	2 412	2 096	1 121	90
1992..	20 527	1 788	1 683	1 962	696
\$1,000, 1997..	8 938	1 489	1 091	620	836
1992..	12 040	1 499	1 015	1 353	355
1997 farms by number sold:					
1 to 9 .....	farms..	861	63	91	58
number..	3 297	247	361	(D)	42
10 to 19 .....	farms..	255	18	23	(D)
number..	3 282	240	285	25	19
20 to 49 .....	farms..	172	24	14	334
number..	4 817	694	405	16	246
50 to 99 .....	farms..	44	9	6	6
number..	2 914	621	405	1	142
100 to 199 .....	farms..	21	2	1	(D)
number..	2 693	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
200 to 499 .....	farms..	5	1	2	(D)
number..	1 165	(D)	(D)	—	—
500 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—
number..	—	—	—	—	—

**Table 14. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1997 and 1992—Con.**

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

Item	Hancock	Kennebec	Knox	Lincoln	Oxford	Penobscot
<b>INVENTORY—Con.</b>						
Cattle and calves—Con.						
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves .....	farms, 1997..	26	139	29	56	89
1992..	number, 1997..	31	151	46	68	108
1992..	1992..	92	809	215	416	481
		117	893	261	435	448
1997 farms by inventory:						
1 to 9 .....	farms..	25	119	24	42	78
	number..	(D)	404	73	145	276
10 to 19 .....	farms..	1	9	2	9	5
	number..	(D)	103	(D)	121	64
20 to 49 .....	farms..	—	11	2	4	6
	number..	—	302	(D)	(D)	141
50 to 99 .....	farms..	—	—	1	1	—
	number..	—	—	(D)	(D)	—
100 to 199 .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
	number..	—	—	—	—	—
200 to 499 .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
	number..	—	—	—	—	—
500 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
	number..	—	—	—	—	—
<b>SALES</b>						
Dairy products sold .....	farms, 1997..	1	77	7	11	31
1992..		5	104	16	14	37
\$1,000, 1997..		(D)	19 644	654	1 725	3 451
1992..		(D)	16 770	1 432	1 626	3 861
Cattle and calves sold .....	farms, 1997..	24	183	33	62	110
1992..	number, 1997..	26	232	51	69	134
1992..	1992..	103	5 279	500	927	1 468
\$1,000, 1997..		189	5 506	787	815	2 535
1992..		59	1 259	178	230	403
		91	1 576	329	289	901
1997 farms by number sold:						
1 to 9 .....	farms..	22	82	16	35	60
	number..	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	242
10 to 19 .....	farms..	2	32	6	13	25
	number..	(D)	443	76	176	323
20 to 49 .....	farms..	—	38	10	10	19
	number..	—	1 155	295	279	567
50 to 99 .....	farms..	—	18	1	3	6
	number..	—	1 095	(D)	198	336
100 to 199 .....	farms..	—	11	—	1	—
	number..	—	1 441	—	(D)	—
200 to 499 .....	farms..	—	2	—	—	1
	number..	—	(D)	—	—	(D)
500 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
	number..	—	—	—	—	—
Calves sold .....	farms, 1997..	6	121	23	38	66
1992..	number, 1997..	15	155	29	34	78
1992..	1992..	17	2 708	281	507	688
\$1,000, 1997..		52	2 919	256	355	1 299
1992..		4	148	25	48	63
		7	273	30	45	217
1997 farms by number sold:						
1 to 9 .....	farms..	6	49	12	23	41
	number..	17	172	(D)	(D)	137
10 to 19 .....	farms..	—	25	6	7	10
	number..	—	310	71	95	124
20 to 49 .....	farms..	—	35	4	6	15
	number..	—	1 006	112	178	427
50 to 99 .....	farms..	—	8	1	1	—
	number..	—	542	(D)	(D)	—
100 to 199 .....	farms..	—	3	—	(D)	—
	number..	—	(D)	—	—	959
200 to 499 .....	farms..	—	1	—	—	—
	number..	—	(D)	—	—	—
500 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
	number..	—	—	—	—	—
Cattle sold .....	farms, 1997..	23	157	21	51	94
1992..	number, 1997..	24	205	45	61	124
1992..	1992..	86	2 571	219	420	780
\$1,000, 1997..		137	2 587	531	460	1 236
1992..		55	1 111	153	182	340
		84	1 304	300	245	684
1997 farms by number sold:						
1 to 9 .....	farms..	22	88	11	38	64
	number..	(D)	308	38	144	271
10 to 19 .....	farms..	1	33	7	7	20
	number..	(D)	417	93	(D)	256
20 to 49 .....	farms..	—	26	3	5	10
	number..	—	712	88	124	253
50 to 99 .....	farms..	—	4	—	1	—
	number..	—	(D)	—	(D)	—
100 to 199 .....	farms..	—	5	—	—	531
	number..	—	658	—	—	2
200 to 499 .....	farms..	—	1	—	—	(D)
	number..	—	(D)	—	—	—
500 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
	number..	—	—	—	—	—

**Table 14. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1997 and 1992—Con.**

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

Item	Piscataquis	Sagadahoc	Somerset	Waldo	Washington	York
<b>INVENTORY—Con.</b>						
Cattle and calves—Con.						
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves .... farms, 1997..	34	35	117	97	23	130
1992..	38	33	134	95	28	131
number, 1997..	172	250	611	546	99	714
1992..	181	196	910	708	115	932
1997 farms by inventory:						
1 to 9 ..... farms..	29	26	100	82	20	116
number..	87	(D)	339	247	65	423
10 to 19 ..... farms..	3	6	12	10	3	10
number..	(D)	71	143	133	34	108
20 to 49 ..... farms..	2	2	5	4	—	3
number..	(D)	(D)	129	(D)	—	(D)
50 to 99 ..... farms..	—	1	—	1	—	1
number..	—	(D)	—	(D)	—	(D)
100 to 199 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
number..	—	—	—	—	—	—
200 to 499 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
number..	—	—	—	—	—	—
500 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
number..	—	—	—	—	—	—
<b>SALES</b>						
Dairy products sold .... farms, 1997..	25	12	73	72	2	23
1992..	21	11	95	77	3	27
\$1,000, 1997..	3 525	1 222	15 180	9 654	(D)	2 595
1992..	3 366	1 205	12 732	9 309	(D)	2 804
Cattle and calves sold .... farms, 1997..	44	37	170	134	26	121
1992..	49	41	193	144	22	132
number, 1997..	1 218	661	6 195	3 001	111	1 782
1992..	1 315	589	5 442	3 933	193	1 814
\$1,000, 1997..	229	160	1 009	678	29	676
1992..	408	233	1 643	1 244	66	784
1997 farms by number sold:						
1 to 9 ..... farms..	25	17	75	64	22	75
number..	94	(D)	(D)	317	55	297
10 to 19 ..... farms..	5	10	36	21	3	26
number..	71	136	472	289	(D)	350
20 to 49 ..... farms..	7	8	40	32	1	16
number..	(D)	284	1 289	1 000	(D)	491
50 to 99 ..... farms..	5	2	10	11	—	1
number..	339	(D)	727	704	—	(D)
100 to 199 .....	1	—	5	6	—	1
number..	(D)	—	581	691	—	(D)
200 to 499 .....	1	—	3	—	—	2
number..	(D)	—	870	—	—	(D)
500 or more .....	—	—	1	—	—	—
number..	—	—	(D)	—	—	—
Calves sold .... farms, 1997..	25	20	107	103	14	60
1992..	30	23	135	97	14	79
number, 1997..	691	359	4 071	1 694	67	598
1992..	640	248	2 842	1 972	66	718
\$1,000, 1997..	38	33	107	96	9	68
1992..	51	30	222	171	10	99
1997 farms by number sold:						
1 to 9 ..... farms..	11	8	42	47	11	38
number..	(D)	(D)	171	225	32	(D)
10 to 19 ..... farms..	3	7	25	25	3	14
number..	37	87	327	355	35	174
20 to 49 ..... farms..	7	3	31	23	—	6
number..	217	89	886	686	—	136
50 to 99 ..... farms..	3	2	5	8	—	2
number..	183	(D)	260	428	—	(D)
100 to 199 .....	—	—	1	—	—	—
number..	—	—	(D)	—	—	—
200 to 499 .....	1	—	2	—	—	—
number..	(D)	—	(D)	—	—	—
500 or more .....	—	—	1	—	—	—
number..	—	—	(D)	—	—	—
Cattle sold .... farms, 1997..	34	34	141	112	21	104
1992..	42	36	174	130	16	114
number, 1997..	527	302	2 124	1 307	44	1 184
1992..	675	341	2 600	1 961	127	1 096
\$1,000, 1997..	191	127	902	582	20	609
1992..	357	203	1 421	1 073	56	685
1997 farms by number sold:						
1 to 9 ..... farms..	24	22	85	80	21	78
number..	(D)	69	366	303	44	296
10 to 19 ..... farms..	5	8	31	17	—	13
number..	(D)	98	387	(D)	—	160
20 to 49 ..... farms..	3	4	13	8	—	10
number..	78	135	409	224	—	285
50 to 99 ..... farms..	—	—	9	5	—	—
number..	—	—	602	301	—	—
100 to 199 .....	2	—	3	2	—	2
number..	(D)	—	360	(D)	—	(D)
200 to 499 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
number..	—	—	—	—	—	—
500 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
number..	—	—	—	—	—	—

**Table 14. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1997 and 1992—Con.**

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

Item	Maine	Androscoggin	Aroostook	Cumberland	Franklin	
<b>SALES—Con.</b>						
Cattle and calves sold—Con.						
Cattle fattened on grain and concentrates sold	256 1992.. number, 1997.. 1992.. \$1,000, 1997.. 1992..	13 15 311 133 216 86	44 55 1 070 410 643 249	34 49 222 638 161 543	17 22 47 105 38 65	
1997 farms by number sold:						
1 to 9	farms.. number..	209 649	9 38	32 134	30 88	
10 to 19	farms.. number..	27 334	1 (D)	5 61	3 (D)	
20 to 49	farms.. number..	10 (D)	1 (D)	2 (D)	— (D)	
50 to 99	farms.. number..	4 293	1 (D)	2 (D)	— (D)	
100 to 199	farms.. number..	3 (D)	1 (D)	1 (D)	— (D)	
200 to 499	farms.. number..	3 715	— (D)	2 (D)	— (D)	
500 or more	farms.. number..	— —	— (D)	— (D)	— (D)	
Item						
	Hancock	Kennebec	Knox	Lincoln	Oxford	Penobscot
<b>SALES—Con.</b>						
Cattle and calves sold—Con.						
Cattle fattened on grain and concentrates sold	11 1992.. number, 1997.. 1992.. \$1,000, 1997.. 1992..	22 36 148 261 91 143	5 (D) 109 21 65	13 22 77 99 45 64	15 35 105 212 65 151	13 20 92 252 64 144
1997 farms by number sold:						
1 to 9	farms.. number..	11 29	19 48	2 (D)	9 32	12 44
10 to 19	farms.. number..	— —	1 (D)	3 (D)	4 45	2 (D)
20 to 49	farms.. number..	— —	1 (D)	— —	— —	1 (D)
50 to 99	farms.. number..	— —	1 (D)	— —	— —	— (D)
100 to 199	farms.. number..	— —	— —	— —	— —	— (D)
200 to 499	farms.. number..	— —	— —	— —	— —	— (D)
500 or more	farms.. number..	— —	— —	— —	— —	— —
Item						
	Piscataquis	Sagadahoc	Somerset	Waldo	Washington	York
<b>SALES—Con.</b>						
Cattle and calves sold—Con.						
Cattle fattened on grain and concentrates sold	1 1992.. number, 1997.. 1992.. \$1,000, 1997.. 1992..	10 9 55 89 31 48	15 22 51 149 32 91	8 13 79 225 39 137	6 2 9 (D) (D) (D)	29 32 350 452 271 289
1997 farms by number sold:						
1 to 9	farms.. number..	— —	9 (D)	14 (D)	6 (D)	6 9
10 to 19	farms.. number..	1 (D)	— (D)	1 (D)	1 (D)	— (D)
20 to 49	farms.. number..	— —	1 (D)	— —	1 (D)	— (D)
50 to 99	farms.. number..	— —	— —	— —	— —	— (D)
100 to 199	farms.. number..	— —	— —	— —	— —	— (D)
200 to 499	farms.. number..	— —	— —	— —	— —	— (D)
500 or more	farms.. number..	— —	— —	— —	— —	— —

**Table 15. Hogs and Pigs—Inventory, Litters, and Sales: 1997 and 1992**

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

Item	Maine	Androscoggin	Aroostook	Cumberland	Franklin
<b>INVENTORY</b>					
Hogs and pigs..... farms, 1997..	341	29	39	27	6
1992..	377	28	27	27	15
number, 1997..	5 977	291	1 499	1 243	12
1992..	4 768	285	997	478	36
Farms by inventory:					
1 to 24 .....	310	24	34	25	6
farms, 1997..	310	24	34	25	6
1992..	344	26	22	21	15
number, 1997..	1 451	97	192	(D)	12
1992..	1 670	(D)	140	118	36
25 to 49 .....	8	3	—	—	—
farms, 1997..	8	3	—	—	—
1992..	14	1	2	3	—
number, 1997..	266	(D)	—	—	—
1992..	467	(D)	(D)	100	—
50 to 99 .....	12	2	3	—	—
farms, 1997..	12	2	3	—	—
1992..	9	1	1	2	—
number, 1997..	751	(D)	(D)	(D)	—
1992..	582	(D)	(D)	(D)	—
100 to 199 .....	7	—	1	—	—
farms, 1997..	7	—	1	—	—
1992..	7	—	—	1	—
number, 1997..	921	—	(D)	—	—
1992..	880	—	(D)	(D)	—
200 to 499 .....	2	—	—	1	—
farms, 1997..	2	—	—	1	—
1992..	(D)	—	—	(D)	—
number, 1997..	(D)	—	—	—	—
1992..	(D)	—	—	(D)	—
500 to 999 .....	1	—	—	1	—
farms, 1997..	1	—	—	1	—
1992..	1	—	—	—	—
number, 1997..	(D)	—	—	(D)	—
1992..	(D)	—	(D)	—	—
1,000 or more .....	1	—	1	—	—
farms, 1997..	1	—	1	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—
number, 1997..	(D)	—	(D)	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding..... farms, 1997..	137	14	18	12	1
1992..	153	11	13	13	3
number, 1997..	(D)	43	213	231	(D)
1992..	1 037	74	121	82	11
1997 farms by inventory:					
1 to 24 .....	124	14	17	10	1
farms, 1997..	124	14	17	10	1
25 to 49 .....	8	—	—	—	—
50 to 99 .....	2	—	—	1	—
100 or more .....	3	—	1	1	—
Other hogs and pigs..... farms, 1997..	302	27	36	24	5
1992..	345	25	23	26	12
number, 1997..	(D)	248	1 286	1 012	(D)
1992..	3 731	211	876	396	25
<b>LITTERS</b>					
Litters of pigs farrowed between—					
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30 .....	farms, 1997..	153	14	18	13
1992..	167	13	14	14	3
number, 1997..	(D)	36	259	(D)	(D)
1992..	1 207	42	103	90	11
Dec. 1 of preceding year and May 31 .....	farms, 1997..	133	14	16	11
1992..	149	9	13	13	3
number, 1997..	980	31	123	(D)	(D)
1992..	683	19	58	63	—
June 1 and Nov. 30 .....	farms, 1997..	92	5	11	9
1992..	102	11	10	11	2
number, 1997..	(D)	5	136	(D)	—
1992..	524	23	45	27	(D)
<b>SALES</b>					
Hogs and pigs sold..... farms, 1997..	261	18	31	22	6
1992..	258	16	20	26	5
number, 1997..	9 226	402	1 619	1 474	42
1992..	9 308	295	1 277	713	(D)
\$1,000, 1997..	1 360	(D)	146	(D)	7
1992..	787	28	135	101	15
1997 farms by number sold:					
1 to 24 .....	farms..	209	12	23	17
number..	1 392	60	133	102	42
25 to 49 .....	farms..	19	3	3	1
number..	(D)	126	(D)	(D)	—
50 to 99 .....	farms..	14	2	3	1
number..	915	(D)	201	(D)	—
100 to 199 .....	farms..	7	1	1	1
number..	957	(D)	(D)	(D)	—
200 to 499 .....	farms..	8	—	—	—
number..	2 305	—	—	1	—
500 to 999 .....	farms..	3	—	—	—
number..	1 947	—	—	(D)	—
1,000 or more .....	farms..	1	—	1	—
number..	(D)	—	(D)	—	—
Feeder pigs sold..... farms, 1997..	53	3	6	5	—
1992..	72	5	5	8	—
number, 1997..	(D)	(D)	350	312	—
1992..	5 941	174	(D)	358	—
\$1,000, 1997..	(D)	(D)	14	15	—
1992..	194	8	(D)	21	—
Hogs and pigs other than feeder pigs sold .....	farms, 1997..	245	18	29	22
1992..	229	12	19	24	6
number, 1997..	(D)	(D)	(D)	355	42
1992..	3 367	121	(D)	131	(D)
\$1,000, 1997..	(D)	(D)	21	80	7
1992..	593	21	(D)	80	15

**Table 15. Hogs and Pigs—Inventory, Litters, and Sales: 1997 and 1992—Con.**

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

Item	Hancock	Kennebec	Knox	Lincoln	Oxford	Penobscot
<b>INVENTORY</b>						
Hogs and pigs..... farms, 1997..	15	26	7	14	31	27
1992..	14	26	14	21	40	32
number, 1997..	156	393	19	87	700	389
1992..	70	198	65	137	192	322
Farms by inventory:						
1 to 24 .....	farms, 1997..	14	24	7	14	29
1992..	14	25	14	21	40	29
number, 1997..	(D)	(D)	19	87	(D)	102
1992..	70	(D)	65	137	192	141
25 to 49 .....	farms, 1997..	—	—	—	—	3
1992..	—	—	—	—	—	2
number, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	(D)
1992..	—	—	—	—	—	(D)
50 to 99 .....	farms, 1997..	1	—	—	—	1
1992..	—	1	—	—	(D)	—
number, 1997..	(D)	—	(D)	—	—	(D)
1992..	—	—	—	—	—	—
100 to 199 .....	farms, 1997..	—	2	—	—	1
1992..	—	—	—	—	—	1
number, 1997..	—	(D)	—	—	—	(D)
1992..	—	—	—	—	—	(D)
200 to 499 .....	farms, 1997..	—	—	—	—	1
1992..	—	—	—	—	(D)	—
number, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—	—
500 to 999 .....	farms, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—	—
number, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,000 or more .....	farms, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—	—
number, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding..... farms, 1997..	3	11	1	2	10	13
1992..	4	13	4	7	17	17
number, 1997..	(D)	70	(D)	(D)	82	144
1992..	8	77	(D)	40	34	129
1997 farms by inventory:						
1 to 24 .....	—	2	11	1	2	9
25 to 49 .....	—	1	—	—	1	1
50 to 99 .....	—	—	—	—	—	1
100 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other hogs and pigs .....	farms, 1997..	14	24	7	14	28
1992..	13	23	13	19	39	30
number, 1997..	(D)	323	(D)	(D)	618	245
1992..	62	121	(D)	97	158	193
<b>LITTERS</b>						
Litters of pigs farrowed between—						
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30 .....	farms, 1997..	3	13	1	3	14
1992..	5	15	4	7	20	17
number, 1997..	(D)	61	61	6	114	142
1992..	11	61	8	34	44	205
Dec. 1 of preceding year and May 31 .....	farms, 1997..	3	11	1	2	13
1992..	3	14	4	5	17	16
number, 1997..	(D)	30	(D)	(D)	67	66
1992..	6	47	(D)	17	27	113
June 1 and Nov. 30 .....	farms, 1997..	2	9	—	2	9
1992..	5	5	1	4	11	10
number, 1997..	(D)	31	—	(D)	47	76
1992..	5	14	(D)	17	17	92
<b>SALES</b>						
Hogs and pigs sold..... farms, 1997..	15	20	6	16	25	20
1992..	19	25	7	13	27	22
number, 1997..	478	767	32	154	734	1 096
1992..	121	381	72	213	310	1 208
\$1,000, 1997..	95	57	5	(D)	74	84
1992..	17	39	15	32	35	59
1997 farms by number sold:						
1 to 24 .....	farms..	14	17	6	15	18
number..	(D)	139	32	(D)	137	100
25 to 49 .....	farms..	—	—	—	1	—
number..	—	—	—	(D)	(D)	—
50 to 99 .....	farms..	—	2	—	—	3
number..	—	(D)	—	—	—	1
100 to 199 .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
number..	—	—	—	—	—	(D)
200 to 499 .....	farms..	1	—	—	—	1
number..	(D)	—	—	—	(D)	(D)
500 to 999 .....	farms..	—	1	—	—	—
number..	—	(D)	—	—	—	(D)
1,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
number..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Feeder pigs sold..... farms, 1997..	2	6	—	1	7	6
1992..	2	8	—	3	7	7
number, 1997..	(D)	118	—	(D)	369	798
1992..	(D)	120	—	(D)	151	1 073
\$1,000, 1997..	(D)	6	—	(D)	15	31
1992..	(D)	5	—	(D)	4	36
Hogs and pigs other than feeder pigs sold .....	farms, 1997..	14	17	6	15	18
1992..	19	20	7	13	22	19
number, 1997..	(D)	649	32	(D)	365	298
1992..	(D)	261	72	(D)	159	135
\$1,000, 1997..	(D)	51	5	21	59	53
1992..	(D)	33	15	(D)	31	24

**Table 15. Hogs and Pigs—Inventory, Litters, and Sales: 1997 and 1992—Con.**

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

Item	Piscataquis	Sagadahoc	Somerset	Waldo	Washington	York
<b>INVENTORY</b>						
Hogs and pigs..... farms, 1997..	6	14	21	20	14	45
1992..	12	11	32	22	8	48
number, 1997..	28	106	351	170	40	493
1992..	54	142	544	319	177	752
Farms by inventory:						
1 to 24 .....	farms, 1997..	6	13	18	14	42
1992..	12	9	28	19	7	42
number, 1997..	28	(D)	79	(D)	40	193
1992..	54	(D)	116	80	(D)	187
25 to 49 .....	farms, 1997..	—	—	2	—	—
1992..	—	1	3	1	—	1
number, 1997..	—	—	(D)	(D)	—	(D)
1992..	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	(D)
50 to 99 .....	farms, 1997..	—	1	2	—	1
1992..	—	1	—	1	—	2
number, 1997..	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	(D)
1992..	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	(D)
100 to 199 .....	farms, 1997..	—	—	1	—	2
1992..	—	—	—	1	1	2
number, 1997..	—	—	(D)	(D)	—	(D)
1992..	—	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
200 to 499 .....	farms, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	1	—	—	1
number, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	(D)	(D)	—	(D)
500 to 999 .....	farms, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—	—
number, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,000 or more .....	farms, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—	—
number, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding..... farms, 1997..	1	3	10	12	2	24
1992..	3	6	11	11	3	17
number, 1997..	(D)	15	155	81	(D)	94
1992..	18	24	157	73	(D)	171
1997 farms by inventory:						
1 to 24 .....	—	1	3	8	10	22
25 to 49 .....	—	—	1	2	—	2
50 to 99 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
100 or more .....	—	—	1	—	—	—
Other hogs and pigs .....	farms, 1997..	6	14	15	15	38
1992..	12	10	30	17	8	45
number, 1997..	(D)	91	196	89	(D)	399
1992..	36	118	387	246	(D)	581
<b>LITTERS</b>						
Litters of pigs farrowed between—						
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30 .....	farms, 1997..	4	3	13	12	2
1992..	3	6	12	11	4	19
number, 1997..	11	(D)	132	67	(D)	93
1992..	(D)	37	(D)	76	11	166
Dec. 1 of preceding year and May 31 .....	farms, 1997..	2	3	13	10	2
1992..	2	6	12	11	3	18
number, 1997..	(D)	15	98	36	(D)	47
1992..	(D)	20	157	50	(D)	84
June 1 and Nov. 30 .....	farms, 1997..	2	2	7	7	2
1992..	2	4	5	5	2	15
number, 1997..	(D)	(D)	34	31	(D)	46
1992..	(D)	17	(D)	26	(D)	82
<b>SALES</b>						
Hogs and pigs sold..... farms, 1997..	4	11	15	12	9	31
1992..	4	9	14	12	7	32
number, 1997..	62	213	1 055	515	23	560
1992..	28	133	(D)	382	249	1 022
\$1,000, 1997..	3	29	61	32	4	60
1992..	2	14	146	49	31	68
1997 farms by number sold:						
1 to 24 .....	farms..	2	9	10	9	26
number..	(D)	(D)	133	83	23	151
25 to 49 .....	farms..	2	—	2	1	3
number..	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	—	(D)
50 to 99 .....	farms..	—	1	1	—	—
number..	—	(D)	(D)	—	—	—
100 to 199 .....	farms..	—	1	—	—	2
number..	—	(D)	—	—	—	(D)
200 to 499 .....	farms..	—	—	2	2	—
number..	—	—	(D)	(D)	—	—
500 to 999 .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
number..	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
number..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Feeder pigs sold..... farms, 1997..	1	1	5	5	—	5
1992..	1	2	4	6	4	10
number, 1997..	(D)	(D)	(D)	348	—	126
1992..	(D)	(D)	19	229	(D)	760
\$1,000, 1997..	(D)	(D)	(D)	14	8	8
1992..	(D)	(D)	(D)	10	3	29
Hogs and pigs other than feeder pigs sold .....	farms, 1997..	3	11	14	9	30
1992..	4	8	12	10	6	29
number, 1997..	(D)	(D)	(D)	167	23	434
1992..	(D)	(D)	320	153	(D)	262
\$1,000, 1997..	(D)	(D)	41	18	4	52
1992..	(D)	(D)	(D)	39	28	39

**Table 16. Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1997 and 1992**

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

Item	Maine	Androscoggin	Aroostook	Cumberland	Franklin
<b>INVENTORY</b>					
Any poultry..... farms, 1997..	667	40	45	61	20
1992..	658	42	40	59	25
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older (see text) .....	554	32	33	47	18
farms, 1997..	562	39	35	45	22
number, 1997..	6 134 383	(D)	1 052	1 431	(D)
1992..	5 200 911	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Layers 20 weeks old and older .....	532	28	33	47	18
farms, 1997..	545	37	35	44	22
number, 1997..	5 019 263	(D)	879	1 320	(D)
1992..	4 410 202	(D)	(D)	4 893	(D)
1997 farms by inventory:					
1 to 49 .....	436	24	26	39	16
50 to 99 .....	51	2	6	4	1
100 to 399 .....	19	—	1	4	—
400 to 3,199 .....	4	—	—	—	—
3,200 to 9,999 .....	1	—	—	—	—
10,000 to 19,999 .....	5	—	—	—	1
20,000 to 49,999 .....	12	1	—	—	—
50,000 to 99,999 .....	1	—	—	—	—
100,000 or more .....	3	1	—	—	—
Pullets 13 weeks old and older but less than 20 weeks old .....	109	10	7	8	—
farms, 1997..	99	8	4	9	—
number, 1997..	1 115 120	870 897	173	111	(D)
1992..	790 709	268 046	44	(D)	(D)
Pullet chicks and pullets less than 13 weeks old .....	28	3	1	—	—
farms, 1997..	32	5	1	6	—
number, 1997..	940 959	(D)	(D)	—	—
1992..	821 019	(D)	(D)	(D)	—
Broilers and other meat-type chickens .....	114	3	11	6	1
farms, 1997..	96	5	10	8	3
number, 1997..	42 370	160	620	171	(D)
1992..	52 576	280	350	470	(D)
Turkeys .....	109	4	9	9	1
farms, 1997..	113	9	13	9	5
number, 1997..	2 049	45	53	130	(D)
1992..	2 530	139	90	233	71
Turkey hens kept for breeding .....	25	—	6	3	1
farms, 1997..	18	2	3	—	1
number, 1997..	170	—	28	(D)	(D)
1992..	93	(D)	9	—	(D)
Ducks, geese, and other poultry .....	183	5	16	30	6
farms, 1997..	160	9	10	14	4
<b>SALES</b>					
Any poultry sold .....	396	26	21	34	14
farms, 1997..	397	24	13	34	15
\$1,000, 1997..	73 299	(D)	37	345	(D)
1992..	88 576	(D)	(D)	182	(D)
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold (see text) .....	98	12	2	4	4
farms, 1997..	110	6	3	4	2
number, 1997..	6 977 638	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
1992..	5 883 572	(D)	(D)	39 200	(D)
Layers 20 weeks old and older sold .....	73	5	2	2	4
farms, 1997..	82	3	3	2	2
number, 1997..	5 057 931	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
1992..	3 837 857	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Pullet chicks and pullets less than 20 weeks old sold .....	29	8	—	2	—
farms, 1997..	32	3	—	2	1
number, 1997..	1 919 707	737 050	—	(D)	(D)
1992..	2 045 715	285 000	—	(D)	(D)
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold .....	73	3	4	4	4
farms, 1997..	74	5	1	5	3
number, 1997..	199 416	(D)	(D)	(D)	272
1992..	638 163	190	(D)	327	77
1997 farms by number sold:					
1 to 1,999 .....	68	3	4	4	4
2,000 to 59,999 .....	3	—	—	—	—
60,000 to 99,999 .....	2	—	—	—	—
100,000 to 199,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—
200,000 to 499,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—
500,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—
Turkeys sold .....	99	4	3	10	3
farms, 1997..	83	6	2	8	3
number, 1997..	9 364	65	(D)	162	(D)
1992..	7 218	184	(D)	371	(D)
Turkeys for slaughter sold .....	96	4	2	10	3
farms, 1997..	83	6	2	8	3
number, 1997..	9 351	65	(D)	162	(D)
1992..	(D)	184	(D)	371	(D)
Ducks, geese, and other poultry sold .....	39	1	4	5	2
farms, 1997..	31	1	1	5	1

**Table 16. Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1997 and 1992—Con.**

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

Item	Hancock	Kennebec	Knox	Lincoln	Oxford	Penobscot
<b>INVENTORY</b>						
Any poultry..... farms, 1997..	55	57	20	41	58	44
1992..	36	55	31	46	42	55
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older (see text) .....	46	48	16	33	55	40
..... farms, 1997..	34	47	28	39	38	45
1992..	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	1 339
number, 1997..	(D)	487 026	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
1992..						
Layers 20 weeks old and older .....	42	46	16	33	49	38
..... farms, 1997..	33	45	26	39	38	45
1992..	1 373	515 874	67 742	(D)	(D)	1 162
number, 1997..	772	303 588	106 130	(D)	(D)	(D)
1992..						
1997 farms by inventory:						
1 to 49 .....	36	33	11	29	36	33
50 to 99 .....	3	3	1	2	11	3
100 to 399 .....	3	2	—	—	1	2
400 to 3,199 .....	—	1	1	—	—	—
3,200 to 9,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
10,000 to 19,999 .....	—	1	1	—	—	—
20,000 to 49,999 .....	—	5	2	2	—	—
50,000 to 99,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 or more .....	—	1	—	—	1	—
Pullets 13 weeks old and older but less than 20 weeks old .....	21	9	2	4	8	8
..... farms, 1997..	7	9	6	3	9	4
1992..	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	177
number, 1997..	(D)	183 438	(D)	(D)	(D)	128
1992..						
Pullet chicks and pullets less than 13 weeks old .....	4	4	1	2	2	—
..... farms, 1997..	—	8	—	2	2	1
1992..	214	128 443	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
number, 1997..	—	293 928	—	(D)	(D)	(D)
1992..						
Broilers and other meat-type chickens .....	12	14	5	11	9	6
..... farms, 1997..	8	6	8	11	6	3
1992..	(D)	431	(D)	1 072	345	166
number, 1997..	214	119	(D)	969	288	85
1992..						
Turkeys .....	17	12	3	9	3	4
..... farms, 1997..	5	8	4	11	4	11
1992..	743	152	(D)	301	32	48
number, 1997..	44	190	(D)	126	34	148
1992..						
Turkey hens kept for breeding .....	2	1	—	—	—	3
..... farms, 1997..	1	2	—	1	2	3
1992..	(D)	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	(D)
number, 1997..	(D)	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	(D)
1992..						
Ducks, geese, and other poultry .....	11	12	6	6	10	11
..... farms, 1997..	9	7	4	15	9	16
1992..						
<b>SALES</b>						
Any poultry sold .....	39	36	12	25	40	24
..... farms, 1997..	29	50	22	25	25	34
1992..	313	17 464	1 281	(D)	(D)	142
\$1,000, 1997..	49	12 308	1 839	(D)	(D)	1 767
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold (see text) .....	5	17	5	5	9	4
..... farms, 1997..	4	24	9	8	5	10
1992..	(D)	876 643	(D)	(D)	276 210	(D)
number, 1997..	(D)	627 157	(D)	(D)	(D)	234 831
1992..						
Layers 20 weeks old and older sold .....	3	13	5	5	6	2
..... farms, 1997..	3	16	8	8	4	8
1992..	48	549 330	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
number, 1997..	27	242 503	116 324	(D)	(D)	(D)
1992..						
Pullet chicks and pullets less than 20 weeks old sold .....	2	4	—	—	3	2
..... farms, 1997..	1	8	1	—	2	4
1992..	(D)	327 313	(D)	—	(D)	(D)
number, 1997..	(D)	384 654	(D)	—	(D)	(D)
1992..						
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold .....	11	7	2	8	2	4
..... farms, 1997..	9	8	4	8	6	5
1992..	(D)	171	(D)	1 660	(D)	186
number, 1997..	621	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	390
1992..						
1997 farms by number sold:						
1 to 1,999 .....	9	7	1	8	2	4
2,000 to 59,999 .....	1	—	1	—	—	—
60,000 to 99,999 .....	1	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 to 199,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
200,000 to 499,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
500,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Turkeys sold .....	16	7	2	10	7	3
..... farms, 1997..	9	13	2	1	4	10
1992..	1 127	145	(D)	358	169	126
number, 1997..	235	405	(D)	(D)	86	235
1992..						
Turkeys for slaughter sold .....	16	7	2	10	7	3
..... farms, 1997..	9	13	2	1	4	10
1992..	1 127	145	(D)	358	169	126
number, 1997..	235	405	(D)	(D)	86	235
1992..						
Ducks, geese, and other poultry sold .....	5	1	3	2	4	—
..... farms, 1997..	—	—	1	3	2	3
1992..						

**Table 16. Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1997 and 1992—Con.**

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

Item	Piscataquis	Sagadahoc	Somerset	Waldo	Washington	York
<b>INVENTORY</b>						
Any poultry..... farms, 1997..	16	25	27	39	39	80
1992..	16	16	50	35	30	80
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older (see text) .....	15	21	22	31	35	62
..... farms, 1997..	15	21	22	31	35	62
1992..	16	13	46	24	28	63
number, 1997..	531	(D)	(D)	(D)	1 010	(D)
1992..	(D)	401	251 451	(D)	1 203	(D)
Layers 20 weeks old and older .....	15	21	22	28	35	61
..... farms, 1997..	15	21	22	28	35	61
1992..	14	13	42	21	28	63
number, 1997..	393	698	96 098	(D)	832	(D)
1992..	308	288	106 433	82 659	1 009	70 470
1997 farms by inventory:						
1 to 49 .....	12	18	17	24	29	53
50 to 99 .....	3	1	1	3	5	2
100 to 399 .....	—	2	—	—	1	3
400 to 3,199 .....	—	—	—	—	—	2
3,200 to 9,999 .....	—	—	1	—	—	—
10,000 to 19,999 .....	—	—	1	1	—	—
20,000 to 49,999 .....	—	—	1	—	—	1
50,000 to 99,999 .....	—	—	1	—	—	—
100,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pullets 13 weeks old and older but less than 20 weeks old .....	7	2	4	6	7	6
..... farms, 1997..	7	2	4	6	8	6
1992..	3	5	8	(D)	178	(D)
number, 1997..	138	(D)	113	145 018	194	(D)
1992..	(D)			(D)		(D)
Pullet chicks and pullets less than 13 weeks old .....	—	1	1	6	1	2
..... farms, 1997..	—	1	1	6	1	2
1992..	—	—	2	(D)	(D)	(D)
number, 1997..	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	(D)
1992..	—	—	(D)	(D)	—	(D)
Broilers and other meat-type chickens .....	1	3	5	10	6	11
..... farms, 1997..	1	3	5	10	6	11
1992..	3	3	4	7	3	8
number, 1997..	(D)	65	90	276	390	(D)
1992..	(D)	201	74	(D)	80	715
Turkeys .....	6	7	1	4	4	16
..... farms, 1997..	6	7	1	4	3	17
1992..	2	1	7	(D)	36	278
number, 1997..	79	115	(D)	146	35	412
1992..	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	—
Turkey hens kept for breeding .....	2	—	—	2	3	2
..... farms, 1997..	2	—	1	(D)	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	(D)	8	(D)
number, 1997..	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	—	(D)
1992..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Ducks, geese, and other poultry .....	3	4	9	12	13	29
..... farms, 1997..	3	4	9	12	8	21
1992..	2	7	18	7	—	—
<b>SALES</b>						
Any poultry sold .....	12	13	16	19	21	44
..... farms, 1997..	12	13	19	19	18	49
1992..	8	8	24	1 708	10	1 255
\$1,000, 1997..	4	3	1 746	3 645	13	2 461
1992..	4	1	2 556	—	—	—
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold (see text) .....	5	1	7	5	6	7
..... farms, 1997..	5	1	9	9	7	9
1992..	—	—	285 690	816 878	(D)	(D)
number, 1997..	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	94	(D)
1992..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Layers 20 weeks old and older sold .....	5	1	7	2	5	6
..... farms, 1997..	5	1	6	4	7	8
1992..	—	—	90 292	(D)	138	(D)
number, 1997..	62	(D)	(D)	(D)	94	61 476
1992..	—	—	105 690	74 878	—	—
Pullet chicks and pullets less than 20 weeks old sold .....	1	—	—	3	1	3
..... farms, 1997..	1	—	4	5	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	180 000	536 000	(D)
number, 1997..	(D)	—	(D)	742 000	—	(D)
1992..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold .....	—	1	2	4	6	11
..... farms, 1997..	—	2	1	5	4	6
1992..	2	2	(D)	(D)	252 085	216
number, 1997..	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	(D)
1992..	(D)				165	(D)
1997 farms by number sold:						
1 to 1,999 .....	—	1	2	3	6	10
2,000 to 59,999 .....	—	—	—	1	—	—
60,000 to 99,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	1
100,000 to 199,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
200,000 to 499,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
500,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Turkeys sold .....	3	5	4	4	1	17
..... farms, 1997..	3	5	4	4	2	13
1992..	1	—	7	2	(D)	464
number, 1997..	(D)	43	(D)	(D)	(D)	337
1992..	(D)				—	—
Turkeys for slaughter sold .....	3	5	4	4	2	16
..... farms, 1997..	3	5	7	2	2	13
1992..	1	—	—	—	(D)	(D)
number, 1997..	(D)	43	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
1992..	(D)	—	2 084	(D)	(D)	(D)
Ducks, geese, and other poultry sold .....	1	2	1	1	2	5
..... farms, 1997..	1	2	4	1	1	5
1992..	1	2	4	1	1	5

**Table 17. Sheep and Lambs—Inventory, Shorn, and Sales: 1997 and 1992**

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

Item	Maine	Androscoggin	Aroostook	Cumberland	Franklin	
Sheep and lambs inventory .....						
farms, 1997..	426	22	33	46	25	
1992..	457	30	25	44	24	
number, 1997..	10 603	365	727	1 141	656	
1992..	12 541	509	566	977	1 062	
1997 farms by inventory:						
1 to 24 .....	farms..	304	19	23	31	
	number..	2 664	172	163	257	
25 to 99 .....	farms..	108	3	9	13	
	number..	5 125	193	(D)	(D)	
100 to 299 .....	farms..	13	—	1	2	
	number..	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	
300 to 999 .....	farms..	1	—	—	—	
	number..	(D)	—	—	—	
1,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	
	number..	—	—	—	—	
Ewes 1 year old or older .....	farms, 1997..	379	18	32	40	
	1992..	407	27	21	42	
	number, 1997..	6 488	266	458	777	
	1992..	7 742	289	341	604	
Sheep and lambs shorn .....	farms, 1997..	352	14	26	37	
	1992..	390	23	20	40	
	number, 1997..	8 572	291	640	1 081	
	1992..	10 748	373	425	480	
	pounds of wool, 1997..	65 654	2 465	3 879	842	
	1992..	81 478	3 367	3 311	916	
Sheep and lambs sold .....	farms, 1997..	355	13	25	37	
	1992..	387	25	21	43	
	number, 1997..	7 970	261	650	782	
	1992..	10 334	383	378	805	
Sheep, lambs, and wool sold .....	farms, 1997..	407	18	30	42	
	1992..	436	27	26	43	
	\$1,000, 1997..	578	20	34	71	
	1992..	720	19	20	62	
					26	
					22	
					401	
					643	
Item	Hancock	Kennebec	Knox	Lincoln	Oxford	Penobscot
Sheep and lambs inventory .....						
farms, 1997..	30	31	17	29	29	30
1992..	27	31	29	38	26	40
number, 1997..	500	740	667	1 425	409	431
1992..	437	751	1 398	968	476	723
1997 farms by inventory:						
1 to 24 .....	farms..	23	18	11	18	25
	number..	243	133	84	180	226
25 to 99 .....	farms..	7	13	3	10	4
	number..	257	607	199	(D)	183
100 to 299 .....	farms..	—	—	3	—	—
	number..	—	—	384	—	—
300 to 999 .....	farms..	—	—	—	1	—
	number..	—	—	—	(D)	—
1,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
	number..	—	—	—	—	—
Ewes 1 year old or older .....	farms, 1997..	29	25	17	25	25
	1992..	25	28	27	34	33
	number, 1997..	300	454	465	887	254
	1992..	305	497	825	720	279
Sheep and lambs shorn .....	farms, 1997..	28	22	18	24	23
	1992..	24	27	26	30	35
	number, 1997..	361	726	657	948	350
	1992..	388	653	995	1 118	347
	pounds of wool, 1997..	2 105	4 428	4 459	8 277	382
	1992..	3 201	4 610	6 986	8 394	2 478
Sheep and lambs sold .....	farms, 1997..	23	28	13	22	26
	1992..	23	29	25	29	24
	number, 1997..	470	742	410	661	349
	1992..	337	702	755	1 551	390
Sheep, lambs, and wool sold .....	farms, 1997..	29	29	18	26	27
	1992..	26	29	29	35	38
	\$1,000, 1997..	36	36	31	75	26
	1992..	26	36	61	128	22
					17	29
					17	38
					22	29
					17	45

**Table 17. Sheep and Lambs—Inventory, Shorn, and Sales: 1997 and 1992—Con.**

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

Item	Piscataquis	Sagadahoc	Somerset	Waldo	Washington	York
Sheep and lambs inventory .....						
farms, 1997..	14	12	28	21	22	37
1992..	16	13	28	23	17	46
number, 1997..	651	333	778	527	472	781
1992..	1 194	379	459	1 191	436	1 015
1997 farms by inventory:						
1 to 24 .....	farms..	7	8	16	15	24
number..		78	104	129	102	175
25 to 99 .....	farms..	5	3	12	5	13
number..		(D)	(D)	649	(D)	(D)
100 to 299 .....	farms..	2	1	—	1	—
number..		(D)	(D)	—	(D)	(D)
300 to 999 .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
number..		—	—	—	—	—
1,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
number..		—	—	—	—	—
Ewes 1 year old or older .....	farms, 1997..	13	12	26	20	16
1992..	16	12	24	21	16	41
number, 1997..	437	272	380	174	283	400
1992..	547	289	272	729	319	659
Sheep and lambs shorn .....	farms, 1997..	13	11	24	18	17
1992..	13	11	25	21	15	37
number, 1997..	483	321	630	278	384	595
1992..	796	315	379	840	472	1 209
pounds of wool, 1997..	3 986	2 221	5 558	1 921	2 396	4 985
1992..	3 717	2 710	2 953	6 265	3 859	9 107
Sheep and lambs sold .....	farms, 1997..	13	13	28	15	18
1992..	11	13	18	23	15	38
number, 1997..	519	298	620	413	325	654
1992..	512	384	442	1 121	382	931
Sheep, lambs, and wool sold .....	farms, 1997..	13	14	28	20	21
1992..	14	13	26	24	16	42
\$1,000, 1997..	33	26	40	32	21	42
1992..	42	32	17	57	20	59

**Table 18. Horses and Ponies—Inventory and Sales: 1997 and 1992**

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

Geographic area	Inventory		Sales			Sales (\$1,000)
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number		
<b>STATE TOTAL</b>						
Maine .....	1997..	1 014	5 750	214	810	1 411
	1992..	1 046	5 745	233	819	901
<b>COUNTIES, 1997</b>						
Androscoggin .....		66	281	13	29	59
Aroostook .....		80	337	11	14	25
Cumberland .....		107	678	20	46	113
Franklin .....		46	207	8	21	23
Hancock .....		34	153	6	21	66
Kennebec .....		85	805	31	301	244
Knox .....		28	119	4	7	6
Lincoln .....		41	184	10	29	115
Oxford .....		76	327	17	46	108
Penobscot .....		107	594	20	34	42
Piscataquis .....		27	124	5	9	29
Sagadahoc .....		30	215	7	14	29
Somerset .....		68	305	14	27	48
Waldo .....		67	374	11	23	34
Washington .....		34	121	5	8	32
York .....		118	926	32	181	437

**Table 19. Milk Goats—Inventory and Sales: 1997 and 1992**

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

Geographic area	Inventory		Sales						Total sales (\$1,000)
			Milk goats		Goat milk				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Gallons			
<b>STATE TOTAL</b>									
Maine .....	1997..	83	846	29	232	17	54 512	35	173
	1992..	75	554	27	223	30	37 380	44	183
<b>COUNTIES, 1997</b>									
Aroostook .....		9	49	2	(D)	1	(D)	2	(D)
Franklin .....		3	85	2	(D)	3	(D)	3	(D)
Hancock .....		13	197	6	34	3	(D)	7	(D)
Lincoln .....		3	30	2	(D)	1	(D)	2	(D)
Oxford .....		9	(D)	4	(D)	1	(D)	5	1
Penobscot .....		4	(D)	2	(D)	1	(D)	2	(D)
Somerset .....		9	188	3	60	2	(D)	5	21
Waldo .....		9	82	3	21	3	(D)	4	(D)
Washington .....		5	40	2	(D)	—	—	2	(D)
York .....		8	23	—	—	—	—	—	—
All other counties .....		11	86	3	51	2	(D)	3	3

**Table 20. Angora Goats—Inventory and Sales: 1997 and 1992**

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

Geographic area	Inventory		Sales						Total sales (\$1,000)
			Angora goats		Mohair				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Pounds			
<b>STATE TOTAL</b>									
Maine .....	1997..	26	(NA)	137 (NA)	5 (NA)	(D) (NA)	12 (NA)	649 (NA)	14 (NA)
	1992..								5 (NA)
<b>COUNTIES, 1997</b>									
Aroostook .....		3	11	—	—	—	1	(D)	1
Cumberland .....		4	10	—	—	—	1	(D)	1
Oxford .....		3	(D)	2	(D)	—	2	(D)	2
Washington .....		4	14	1	(D)	—	3	81	4
York .....		4	5	—	(D)	5	—	—	1
All other counties .....		8	(D)	2	(D)	5	—	274	6

**Table 21. Mink and Their Pelts—Inventory and Sales: 1997 and 1992**

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

Geographic area	Inventory		Sales		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Sales (\$1,000)
<b>STATE TOTAL</b>					
Maine .....	1997.. 1992..	2 (NA)	..... (D) (NA)	1 (NA)	..... (D) (NA)
<b>COUNTIES, 1997</b>					
Oxford .....	.....	1 1	..... (D) (D)	− 1	..... (D) (D)
Penobscot .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	..... − (D)

**Table 22. Colonies of Bees and Honey—Inventory and Sales: 1997 and 1992**

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

Geographic area	Inventory		Sales					
			Colonies of bees		Honey		Farms	Total sales (\$1,000)
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Pounds		
<b>STATE TOTAL</b>								
Maine .....	1997.. 1992..	176 218	5 510 4 411	6 10	515 (D)	55 61	166 177 197 515	60 64
<b>COUNTIES, 1997</b>								
Androscoggin .....	.....	11	161	−	..... (D)	3	..... (D)	3 (D)
Aroostook .....	.....	4	..... (D)	1	..... (D)	3	..... (D)	4 (D)
Cumberland .....	.....	19	204	−	..... (D)	5	4 800	5 (D)
Franklin .....	.....	8	57	−	..... (D)	2	..... (D)	2 (D)
Hancock .....	.....	13	138	−	..... (D)	1	..... (D)	1 (D)
Kennebec .....	.....	11	272	−	..... (D)	6	8 556	6 9
Knox .....	.....	15	..... (D)	2	..... (D)	3	..... (D)	5 40
Lincoln .....	.....	2	..... (D)	−	..... (D)	−	..... (D)	−
Oxford .....	.....	8	..... (D)	−	..... (D)	3	..... (D)	3 (D)
Penobscot .....	.....	28	1 389	2	..... (D)	13	..... (D)	14 43
Piscataquis .....	.....	5	15	−	..... (D)	−	..... (D)	− (D)
Sagadahoc .....	.....	6	22	1	..... (D)	1	..... (D)	2 (D)
Somerset .....	.....	6	..... (D)	−	..... (D)	3	..... (D)	3 (D)
Waldo .....	.....	7	28	−	..... (D)	−	..... (D)	− (D)
Washington .....	.....	17	240	−	..... (D)	6	2 210	6 3
York .....	.....	16	61	−	..... (D)	6	594	6 1

**Table 23. Fish Sales: 1997 and 1992**

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

Geographic area	Farms	Pounds (1,000)	Farms	Number (1,000)	Farms	Sales (\$1,000)
<b>TROUT</b>						
<b>State Total</b>						
Maine .....	1997.. 1992..	3 3	..... (D) (D)	10 5	672 (D)	12 7
<b>Counties, 1997</b>						
Aroostook .....	.....	1	..... (D) (D)	3	..... (D) (D)	4 8
All other counties .....	.....	2	..... (D) (D)	7	..... (D) (D)	745 (D)
<b>OTHER FISH (SEE TEXT)</b>						
<b>State Total</b>						
Maine .....	1997.. 1992..	8 6	6 001 2 276	11 3	1 630 78	18 9
<b>Counties, 1997</b>						
Washington .....	.....	4	4 498 1 503	5	567 1 063	8 10
All other counties .....	.....	4	..... (D) (D)	6	..... (D) (D)	16 506 4 484

**Table 23. Fish Sales: 1997 and 1992—Con.**

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

Geographic area	Farms	Pounds (1,000)	Farms	Number (1,000)	Farms	Sales (\$1,000)
<b>OTHER AQUACULTURE PRODUCTS (SEE TEXT)</b>						
<b>State Total</b>						
Maine .....	1997..	—	8	(X)	8	(D)
	1992..	2	(X)	(X)	4	(D)
<b>Counties, 1997</b>						
Lincoln .....	—	(X)	3	(X)	3	(D)
All other counties .....	—	(X)	5	(X)	5	22

**Table 24. Miscellaneous Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1997 and 1992**

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

Geographic area	Inventory		Sales	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
<b>DUCKS</b>				
<b>State Total</b>				
Maine .....	1997..	106	1 735	25
	1992..	97	1 087	17
				3 235
				19 326
<b>Counties, 1997</b>				
Androscoggin .....	—	1	(D)	1
Aroostook .....	9	89	2	(D)
Cumberland .....	15	108	1	(D)
Franklin .....	4	100	2	(D)
Hancock .....	8	81	4	(D)
Kennebec .....	7	17	—	—
Knox .....	4	(D)	3	(D)
Lincoln .....	3	36	1	(D)
Oxford .....	7	22	2	(D)
Penobscot .....	6	46	—	—
Piscataquis .....	3	50	1	(D)
Sagadahoc .....	1	(D)	—	—
Somerset .....	6	42	1	(D)
Waldo .....	7	65	1	(D)
Washington .....	7	62	1	(D)
York .....	18	792	5	134
<b>GEES</b>				
<b>State Total</b>				
Maine .....	1997..	87	653	12
	1992..	77	587	13
				133
				625
<b>Counties, 1997</b>				
Androscoggin .....	—	3	14	—
Aroostook .....	8	54	—	—
Cumberland .....	17	133	2	(D)
Hancock .....	6	66	2	(D)
Kennebec .....	5	14	1	(D)
Oxford .....	5	17	2	(D)
Penobscot .....	7	28	—	—
Somerset .....	4	36	—	—
Waldo .....	5	79	—	—
Washington .....	6	54	—	—
York .....	14	121	—	—
All other counties .....	7	37	5	96
<b>PIGEONS OR SQUAB</b>				
<b>State Total</b>				
Maine .....	1997..	6	(D)	3
	1992..	10	205	2
				(D)
<b>PHEASANTS</b>				
<b>State Total</b>				
Maine .....	1997..	21	1 351	3
	1992..	11	319	6
				4 750
				(D)
<b>Counties, 1997</b>				
Cumberland .....	—	5	345	2
Kennebec .....	3	(D)	—	(D)
All other counties .....	—	13	(D)	1

**Table 24. Miscellaneous Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1997 and 1992—Con.**

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

Geographic area	Inventory		Sales		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	
<b>QUAIL</b>					
<b>State Total</b>					
Maine .....	1997.. 1992..	5 7	(D) (D)	4 4	6 802 1 196
<b>OTHER POULTRY</b>					
<b>State Total</b>					
Maine .....	1997.. 1992..	28 15	3 147 302	8 1	(D) (D)
<b>Counties, 1997</b>					
Cumberland.....		4	20	—	—
York .....		6	55	1	(D)
All other counties .....		18	3 072	7	20 365
<b>POULTRY HATCHED (SEE TEXT)</b>					
<b>State Total</b>					
Maine .....	1997.. 1992..	33 34	(D) (D)	69 57	(D) (D)
<b>Counties, 1997</b>					
Androscoggin .....		2	(D)	4	(D)
Aroostook .....		2	(D)	3	(D)
Cumberland .....		3	(D)	7	(D)
Hancock .....		1	(D)	6	80
Kennebec .....		4	(D)	6	(D)
Oxford .....		2	(D)	3	199
Penobscot .....		4	142	6	179
Piscataquis .....		1	(D)	3	40
Waldo .....		3	124	6	106
Washington .....		3	366	7	345
York .....		4	1 910	12	2 636
All other counties .....		4	154	6	140

**Table 25. Miscellaneous Livestock and Animal Specialties—Inventory and Sales: 1997 and 1992**

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

Geographic area	Inventory		Sales		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Sales (\$1,000)
<b>MULES, BURROS, AND DONKEYS</b>					
<b>State Total</b>					
Maine .....	1997.. 1992..	67 60	110 105	8 3	25 4
<b>Counties, 1997</b>					
Aroostook .....		3	7	—	—
Cumberland .....		5	5	—	—
Franklin .....		3	4	—	—
Kennebec .....		9	12	1	(D)
Lincoln .....		4	17	1	(D)
Oxford .....		7	9	—	—
Penobscot .....		5	7	—	—
Piscataquis .....		3	4	1	(D)
Somerset .....		5	7	—	—
Waldo .....		5	9	1	(D)
Washington .....		3	4	—	—
York .....		8	13	1	(D)
All other counties .....		7	12	3	(D)

**Table 25. Miscellaneous Livestock and Animal Specialties—Inventory and Sales: 1997 and 1992—Con.**

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

Geographic area	Inventory		Sales		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Sales (\$1,000)
<b>GOATS, TOTAL</b>					
<b>State Total</b>					
Maine .....	1997..	214	2 214	66	657
	1992..	173	1 220	47	416
<b>Counties, 1997</b>					
Androscoggin .....		12	93	2	(D)
Aroostook .....		15	83	5	19
Cumberland .....		20	(D)	1	(D)
Franklin .....		9	149	5	33
Hancock .....		20	216	10	58
Kennebec .....		11	58	3	17
Knox .....		7	163	5	75
Lincoln .....		11	63	3	(D)
Oxford .....		22	156	8	82
Penobscot .....		7	35	4	19
Piscataquis .....		3	(D)	—	(NA)
Sagadahoc .....		8	35	1	(D)
Somerset .....		16	296	7	153
Waldo .....		14	106	3	21
Washington .....		11	87	3	(D)
York .....		28	133	6	64
<b>GOATS, EXCEPT ANGORA AND MILK</b>					
<b>State Total</b>					
Maine .....	1997..	143	1 231	37	(D)
	1992..	109	537	19	124
<b>Counties, 1997</b>					
Androscoggin .....		10	(D)	2	(D)
Aroostook .....		6	23	3	(D)
Cumberland .....		16	(D)	1	(D)
Franklin .....		6	64	3	1
Hancock .....		8	(D)	5	24
Kennebec .....		8	21	2	(D)
Knox .....		5	106	3	(D)
Lincoln .....		9	33	1	(D)
Oxford .....		12	64	4	54
Penobscot .....		7	18	2	(D)
Piscataquis .....		2	(D)	—	—
Sagadahoc .....		6	19	—	—
Somerset .....		11	108	4	93
Waldo .....		9	24	—	2
Washington .....		8	33	1	(D)
York .....		20	105	6	64
<b>RABBITS AND THEIR PELTS</b>					
<b>State Total</b>					
Maine .....	1997..	97	3 400	41	16 979
	1992..	126	7 093	59	35 410
<b>Counties, 1997</b>					
Androscoggin .....		5	13	1	(D)
Aroostook .....		6	146	1	(D)
Cumberland .....		7	288	2	(D)
Franklin .....		6	222	4	648
Hancock .....		4	93	4	(D)
Kennebec .....		8	1 091	4	(D)
Knox .....		3	(D)	1	(D)
Lincoln .....		5	6	—	(D)
Oxford .....		11	187	5	1 156
Penobscot .....		10	232	6	312
Piscataquis .....		2	(D)	2	(D)
Sagadahoc .....		4	187	3	112
Somerset .....		5	46	—	(Z)
Waldo .....		3	(D)	—	—
Washington .....		5	72	1	(D)
York .....		13	598	7	600
<b>OTHER LIVESTOCK AND LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS</b>					
<b>State Total</b>					
Maine .....	1997..	73	(X)	47	(X)
	1992..	30	(X)	25	(D)

**Table 25. Miscellaneous Livestock and Animal Specialties—Inventory and Sales: 1997 and 1992—Con.**

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

Geographic area	Inventory		Sales		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Sales (\$1,000)
<b>OTHER LIVESTOCK AND LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS—Con.</b>					
<b>Counties, 1997</b>					
Androscoggin .....	3	(X)	—	(X)	—
Aroostook.....	5	(X)	4	(X)	278
Cumberland.....	4	(X)	—	(X)	—
Hancock .....	6	(X)	5	(X)	(D)
Kennebec.....	3	(X)	2	(X)	(D)
Knox .....	3	(X)	1	(X)	(D)
Lincoln .....	8	(X)	5	(X)	59
Oxford .....	8	(X)	6	(X)	15
Penobscot .....	6	(X)	7	(X)	(D)
Sagadahoc .....	3	(X)	1	(X)	(D)
Somerset .....	7	(X)	3	(X)	31
York .....	12	(X)	6	(X)	(D)
All other counties .....	5	(X)	7	(X)	97

**Table 26. Grains—Corn, Sorghum, Wheat, and Other Small Grains: 1997 and 1992**

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

Geographic area	1997				1992					
	Harvested			Irrigated	Harvested			Irrigated		
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Quantity		
<b>CORN FOR GRAIN OR SEED (BUSHELS)</b>										
<b>State Total</b>										
Maine .....	49	3 604	(D)	8	(D)	46	2 739	266 755	1 (D)	
<b>Counties</b>										
Androscoggin .....	5	(D)	(D)	1	(D)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	
Hancock .....	3	3	70	2	(D)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	
Kennebec.....	11	542	41 705	2	(D)	7	202	(D)	1 (D)	
Lincoln .....	4	22	1 450	—	—	3	(D)	—	—	
Oxford .....	8	959	119 448	—	—	4	942	115 726	—	
Penobscot .....	5	915	85 265	1	(D)	7	979	79 792	—	
Somerset .....	3	475	55 000	—	—	5	136	(D)	—	
Waldo .....	3	(D)	(D)	—	—	1	(D)	(D)	—	
All other counties .....	7	218	25 506	2	(D)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	
<b>WHEAT FOR GRAIN, TOTAL (SEE TEXT) (BUSHELS)</b>										
<b>State Total</b>										
Maine .....	15	551	32 881	—	—	14	415	13 913	—	
<b>Counties</b>										
Aroostook.....	10	535	32 331	—	—	4	(D)	13 440	—	
All other counties .....	5	16	550	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	
<b>BARLEY FOR GRAIN (BUSHELS)</b>										
<b>State Total</b>										
Maine .....	195	28 163	1 769 992	—	—	136	12 687	994 445	—	
<b>Counties</b>										
Aroostook.....	175	26 766	1 701 510	—	—	121	11 975	949 994	—	
Penobscot .....	9	1 154	60 455	—	—	7	461	30 785	(NA)	
Piscataquis .....	4	99	(D)	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	
Somerset .....	3	92	2 312	—	—	—	—	—	—	
All other counties .....	4	52	(D)	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	
<b>BUCKWHEAT (BUSHELS)</b>										
<b>State Total</b>										
Maine .....	1	(D)	(D)	—	—	3	(D)	(D)	—	
<b>Counties</b>										
Aroostook.....	1	(D)	(D)	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	

**Table 26. Grains—Corn, Sorghum, Wheat, and Other Small Grains: 1997 and 1992—Con.**

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

Geographic area	1997					1992				
	Harvested			Irrigated		Harvested			Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres
<b>CANOLA (POUNDS)</b>										
<b>State Total</b>										
Maine .....	1	(D)	(D)	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
<b>Counties</b>										
Aroostook.....	1	(D)	(D)	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
<b>OATS FOR GRAIN (BUSHELS)</b>										
<b>State Total</b>										
Maine .....	272	22 364	1 643 127	1	(D)	320	24 277	2 014 920	1	(D)
<b>Counties</b>										
Androscoggin .....	3	(D)	(D)	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Aroostook.....	220	20 644	1 538 268	—	—	264	22 259	1 880 330	1	(D)
Cumberland.....	3	26	1 192	—	—	4	18	430	—	—
Franklin.....	3	(D)	624	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hancock.....	6	16	425	1	(D)	4	12	460	—	—
Kennebec.....	6	140	6 282	—	—	6	(D)	(D)	—	—
Oxford.....	3	(D)	(D)	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Penobscot .....	11	1 057	67 494	—	—	15	1 261	104 280	—	—
Piscataquis.....	4	(D)	(D)	—	—	3	200	(D)	—	—
Somerset.....	4	52	1 970	—	—	11	222	7 880	—	—
York .....	3	13	(D)	—	—	4	14	504	—	—
All other counties .....	6	36	1 575	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
<b>RYE FOR GRAIN (BUSHELS)</b>										
<b>State Total</b>										
Maine .....	15	849	23 937	—	—	18	340	11 533	—	—
<b>Counties</b>										
Aroostook.....	3	84	(D)	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Penobscot .....	3	(D)	347	—	—	6	241	7 937	(NA)	(NA)
York .....	5	(D)	(D)	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
All other counties .....	4	21	874	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
<b>SUNFLOWER SEED (POUNDS)</b>										
<b>State Total</b>										
Maine .....	3	15	13 500	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

**Table 27. Cotton, Tobacco, Soybeans, Dry Beans and Peas, Potatoes, Sugar Crops, and Peanuts: 1997 and 1992**

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

Geographic area	1997					1992				
	Harvested			Irrigated		Harvested			Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres
<b>SOYBEANS FOR BEANS (BUSHELS)</b>										
<b>State Total</b>										
Maine .....	18	804	20 993	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
<b>Counties</b>										
Aroostook.....	14	668	16 533	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
All other counties .....	4	136	4 460	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

**Table 27. Cotton, Tobacco, Soybeans, Dry Beans and Peas, Potatoes, Sugar Crops, and Peanuts: 1997 and 1992—Con.**

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

Geographic area	1997					1992				
	Harvested			Irrigated		Harvested			Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres
<b>DRY EDIBLE BEANS, EXCLUDING DRY LIMAS (CWT)</b>										
<b>State Total</b>										
Maine .....	61	984	9 839	6	6	85	1 220	15 693	3	(D)
<b>Counties</b>										
Franklin .....	5	(D)	(D)	—	—	3	(D)	(D)	—	—
Hancock .....	7	12	111	3	3	8	11	52	1	(D)
Knox .....	3	(D)	(D)	—	—	7	13	56	—	—
Lincoln .....	3	3	6	—	—	3	4	8	—	—
Oxford .....	8	657	(D)	—	—	3	(D)	(D)	—	—
Penobscot .....	13	180	1 737	—	—	24	299	4 009	1	(D)
Piscataquis .....	4	(D)	42	—	—	6	33	318	—	—
Somerset .....	3	5	34	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Waldo .....	8	31	200	—	—	9	42	306	—	—
York .....	3	7	81	2	(D)	6	(D)	(D)	1	(D)
All other counties .....	4	4	19	1	(D)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
<b>POTATOES, EXCLUDING SWEETPOTATOES (CWT)</b>										
<b>State Total</b>										
Maine .....	586	73 085	19 490 474	100	8 634	770	87 650	25 008 230	59	5 562
<b>Counties</b>										
Androscoggin .....	12	196	50 070	4	144	19	194	56 300	7	(D)
Aroostook .....	416	65 454	17 468 682	45	6 052	591	79 938	23 029 776	26	3 466
Cumberland .....	9	(D)	(D)	4	14	7	(D)	22 160	3	(D)
Franklin .....	5	22	(D)	1	(D)	9	59	6 933	—	—
Hancock .....	12	11	1 590	2	(D)	12	6	1 010	3	1
Kennebec .....	14	9	1 406	3	3	9	15	1 386	—	—
Knox .....	4	(D)	(D)	1	(D)	8	65	11 259	1	(D)
Lincoln .....	8	7	1 425	2	(D)	4	(D)	(D)	1	(D)
Oxford .....	18	1 919	545 626	8	467	17	1 712	509 146	5	460
Penobscot .....	34	4 007	1 035 188	13	1 347	41	4 086	1 022 004	4	650
Piscataquis .....	12	444	99 574	4	(D)	13	608	132 830	2	(D)
Sagadahoc .....	3	(D)	(D)	1	(D)	2	(D)	(D)	—	—
Somerset .....	4	(D)	(D)	—	—	5	12	1 885	—	—
Waldo .....	9	16	3 304	—	—	8	40	7 150	3	(D)
Washington .....	11	28	6 998	4	4	8	11	1 726	1	(D)
York .....	15	(D)	(D)	8	(D)	17	(D)	(D)	3	(D)

**Table 28. Field Seeds, Grass Seeds, Hay, Forage, and Silage: 1997 and 1992**

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

Geographic area	1997					1992				
	Harvested			Irrigated		Harvested			Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres
<b>FIELD SEED AND GRASS SEED CROPS</b>										
<b>State Total</b>										
Maine .....	4	(D)	(X)	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)
<b>RYEGRASS SEED (POUNDS)</b>										
<b>State Total</b>										
Maine .....	3	9	(D)	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
<b>TIMOTHY SEED (POUNDS)</b>										
<b>State Total</b>										
Maine .....	1	(D)	(D)	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
<b>Counties</b>										
Aroostook .....	1	(D)	(D)	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

**Table 28. Field Seeds, Grass Seeds, Hay, Forage, and Silage: 1997 and 1992—Con.**

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

Geographic area	1997					1992				
	Harvested			Irrigated		Harvested			Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres
<b>HAY—ALFALFA, OTHER TAME, SMALL GRAIN, WILD, GRASS SILAGE, GREEN CHOP, ETC. (SEE TEXT) (TONS, DRY)</b>										
<b>State Total</b>										
Maine .....	2 810	214 005	332 039	26	958	3 119	214 129	332 197	18	160
<b>Counties</b>										
Androscoggin .....	172	13 759	24 589	—	—	213	14 949	26 464	3	44
Aroostook .....	270	21 795	32 927	3	(D)	279	16 302	22 528	—	—
Cumberland .....	248	17 075	24 976	4	30	242	14 524	24 631	—	—
Franklin .....	141	9 882	16 326	—	—	143	9 228	14 208	—	—
Hancock .....	76	2 122	2 530	3	6	80	2 907	3 218	2	(D)
Kennebec .....	282	30 484	43 024	3	(D)	338	31 546	55 323	3	(D)
Knox .....	87	5 150	5 848	2	(D)	105	5 732	9 361	—	—
Lincoln .....	103	6 409	10 672	—	—	128	6 362	8 951	1	(D)
Oxford .....	193	9 964	15 204	—	—	200	9 276	14 196	—	—
Penobscot .....	293	25 283	41 288	3	(D)	313	28 199	37 331	—	—
Piscataquis .....	69	5 681	9 576	—	—	98	6 437	11 443	—	—
Sagadahoc .....	69	5 526	10 236	—	—	74	5 110	8 732	1	(D)
Somerset .....	275	24 018	37 808	3	(D)	305	28 785	39 545	1	(D)
Waldo .....	197	18 784	30 336	—	—	223	17 658	30 191	2	(D)
Washington .....	69	2 899	3 184	1	(D)	83	2 762	3 423	—	—
York .....	266	15 174	23 515	4	55	295	14 352	22 652	5	9
<b>ALFALFA HAY (TONS, DRY)</b>										
<b>State Total</b>										
Maine .....	243	10 459	20 116	4	(D)	774	34 582	57 802	5	19
<b>Counties</b>										
Androscoggin .....	12	(D)	(D)	—	—	63	2 098	3 800	1	(D)
Aroostook .....	16	2 010	2 938	1	(D)	56	2 103	3 165	—	—
Cumberland .....	24	(D)	(D)	—	—	61	2 825	5 956	—	—
Franklin .....	9	(D)	(D)	—	—	41	1 622	2 384	—	—
Hancock .....	12	(D)	(D)	1	(D)	25	(D)	651	—	—
Kennebec .....	25	1 354	2 053	—	—	81	5 308	8 454	1	(D)
Knox .....	3	(D)	(D)	—	—	24	580	1 175	—	—
Lincoln .....	11	271	841	—	—	26	548	974	—	—
Oxford .....	11	(D)	(D)	—	—	47	1 674	2 328	—	—
Penobscot .....	28	1 050	3 058	—	—	73	4 373	6 042	—	—
Piscataquis .....	8	(D)	(D)	—	—	26	1 414	(D)	—	—
Sagadahoc .....	4	(D)	(D)	—	—	19	547	723	—	—
Somerset .....	28	897	1 903	—	—	81	4 609	7 425	—	—
Waldo .....	16	1 058	2 778	—	—	57	3 831	7 819	1	(D)
Washington .....	4	39	82	1	(D)	16	(D)	(D)	—	—
York .....	32	938	1 637	1	(D)	78	2 140	3 124	2	(D)
<b>SMALL GRAIN HAY (TONS, DRY)</b>										
<b>State Total</b>										
Maine .....	85	3 886	5 334	1	(D)	87	1 993	3 317	1	(D)
<b>Counties</b>										
Androscoggin .....	4	(D)	(D)	—	—	7	73	133	—	—
Aroostook .....	16	1 614	2 112	—	—	23	507	601	—	—
Kennebec .....	7	206	132	1	(D)	7	340	600	—	—
Lincoln .....	5	202	349	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Penobscot .....	7	157	153	—	—	7	192	253	—	—
Piscataquis .....	3	(D)	(D)	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Somerset .....	6	133	251	—	—	8	284	783	—	—
Waldo .....	6	87	145	—	—	6	68	112	1	(D)
York .....	20	578	878	—	—	11	122	135	—	—
All other counties .....	11	624	786	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
<b>TAME HAY OTHER THAN ALFALFA, SMALL GRAIN, AND WILD HAY (SEE TEXT) (TONS, DRY)</b>										
<b>State Total</b>										
Maine .....	2 005	119 468	187 105	12	177	1 940	117 143	177 301	7	73

**Table 28. Field Seeds, Grass Seeds, Hay, Forage, and Silage: 1997 and 1992—Con.**

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

Geographic area	1997					1992				
	Harvested			Irrigated		Harvested			Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres
<b>TAME HAY OTHER THAN ALFALFA, SMALL GRAIN, AND WILD HAY (SEE TEXT) (TONS, DRY)—Con.</b>										
<b>Counties</b>										
Androscoggin .....	125	8 189	14 188	—	—	129	8 045	13 531	1	(D)
Aroostook .....	204	12 975	20 645	2	(D)	183	9 752	13 649	—	—
Cumberland .....	187	11 370	16 802	2	(D)	160	8 486	13 532	—	—
Franklin .....	105	5 905	9 990	—	—	97	5 880	9 085	—	—
Hancock .....	44	1 255	1 474	—	—	40	1 575	2 027	—	—
Kennebec .....	200	14 609	19 541	2	(D)	209	14 898	24 590	1	(D)
Knox .....	54	2 592	2 870	1	(D)	58	2 905	5 334	—	—
Lincoln .....	68	3 083	4 761	—	—	78	3 785	5 474	1	(D)
Oxford .....	148	7 259	11 828	—	—	112	5 412	8 699	—	—
Penobscot .....	207	12 355	18 141	2	(D)	196	14 608	19 815	—	—
Piscataquis .....	49	2 377	3 509	—	—	58	2 726	3 943	—	—
Sagadahoc .....	55	3 841	7 883	—	—	53	3 587	5 878	1	(D)
Somerset .....	178	11 976	19 991	—	—	187	15 155	18 861	1	(D)
Waldo .....	145	10 501	17 871	—	—	136	9 248	15 341	1	(D)
Washington .....	39	1 926	2 175	—	—	49	1 646	2 136	—	—
York .....	197	9 255	15 436	3	(D)	195	9 435	15 406	1	(D)
<b>WILD HAY (TONS, DRY)</b>										
<b>State Total</b>										
Maine .....	667	28 934	33 129	10	45	593	21 166	24 293	3	(D)
<b>Counties</b>										
Androscoggin .....	35	940	1 230	—	—	39	1 064	1 112	—	—
Aroostook .....	42	1 889	2 561	—	—	43	1 591	1 841	—	—
Cumberland .....	65	2 143	2 967	2	(D)	42	1 604	2 308	—	—
Franklin .....	27	1 015	1 372	—	—	17	418	446	—	—
Hancock .....	27	555	638	2	(D)	23	715	401	2	(D)
Kennebec .....	72	5 696	5 895	—	—	70	3 085	3 502	1	(D)
Knox .....	33	1 537	1 822	1	(D)	40	1 409	1 803	—	—
Lincoln .....	39	2 103	2 734	—	—	37	1 337	1 309	—	—
Oxford .....	37	1 123	1 120	—	—	44	1 132	1 308	—	—
Penobscot .....	60	2 399	2 705	1	(D)	57	1 991	2 238	—	—
Piscataquis .....	13	493	533	—	—	16	1 110	1 848	—	—
Sagadahoc .....	17	525	699	—	—	9	306	399	—	—
Somerset .....	77	3 919	4 498	3	(D)	47	2 212	2 431	—	—
Waldo .....	38	1 828	1 545	—	—	39	1 366	1 312	—	—
Washington .....	28	826	786	—	—	18	499	629	—	—
York .....	57	1 943	2 024	1	(D)	52	1 327	1 406	—	—
<b>GRASS SILAGE, HAYLAGE, AND GREEN CHOP HAY (TONS, GREEN)</b>										
<b>State Total</b>										
Maine .....	482	51 258	259 069	1	(D)	430	39 245	208 447	3	14
<b>Counties</b>										
Androscoggin .....	40	3 962	24 015	—	—	41	3 669	23 661	1	(D)
Aroostook .....	31	3 307	14 010	—	—	35	2 349	9 822	—	—
Cumberland .....	40	2 952	12 095	—	—	23	(D)	(D)	—	—
Franklin .....	29	2 304	11 883	—	—	19	(D)	(D)	—	—
Kennebec .....	57	8 619	46 218	1	(D)	63	7 915	54 528	—	—
Knox .....	13	968	3 282	—	—	13	835	3 138	—	—
Lincoln .....	13	750	5 960	—	—	12	692	3 582	—	—
Oxford .....	19	1 205	5 945	—	—	16	1 018	5 477	—	—
Penobscot .....	70	9 322	51 690	—	—	54	7 035	26 941	—	—
Piscataquis .....	13	1 815	10 766	—	—	11	(D)	6 774	—	—
Sagadahoc .....	12	1 083	4 677	—	—	10	(D)	(D)	—	—
Somerset .....	71	7 093	33 491	—	—	69	6 525	30 128	—	—
Waldo .....	39	5 310	23 996	—	—	35	3 145	16 822	—	—
Washington .....	6	108	424	—	—	4	(D)	(D)	—	—
York .....	29	2 460	10 617	—	—	22	1 328	7 741	2	(D)
<b>CORN FOR SILAGE OR GREEN CHOP (TONS, GREEN)</b>										
<b>State Total</b>										
Maine .....	332	27 537	447 405	6	(D)	438	28 254	454 228	3	8

**Table 28. Field Seeds, Grass Seeds, Hay, Forage, and Silage: 1997 and 1992—Con.**

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

Geographic area	1997					1992				
	Harvested			Irrigated		Harvested			Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres
<b>CORN FOR SILAGE OR GREEN CHOP (TONS, GREEN)—Con.</b>										
<b>Counties</b>										
Androscoggin .....	41	3 333	62 692	—	—	54	3 321	57 175	—	—
Aroostook .....	17	827	12 068	—	—	17	1 016	15 295	—	—
Cumberland .....	13	820	11 735	—	—	22	995	17 694	—	—
Franklin .....	19	938	15 426	—	—	24	1 284	20 449	—	—
Hancock .....	6	(D)	(D)	1	(D)	3	(D)	(D)	—	—
Kennebec .....	47	4 238	66 926	1	(D)	60	4 021	67 015	—	—
Knox .....	5	136	1 990	—	—	6	91	1 449	—	—
Lincoln .....	7	180	3 324	1	(D)	7	249	4 720	—	—
Oxford .....	13	744	12 322	—	—	22	1 297	18 728	1	(D)
Penobscot .....	55	7 206	110 923	1	(D)	72	6 664	101 650	—	—
Piscataquis .....	11	1 315	26 021	—	—	14	1 254	20 400	—	—
Sagadahoc .....	4	167	3 550	—	—	6	250	4 780	—	—
Somerset .....	47	4 173	68 372	—	—	62	4 485	71 804	—	—
Waldo .....	30	2 641	41 361	—	—	42	2 415	40 521	—	—
Washington .....	1	(D)	(D)	1	(D)	3	(D)	(D)	2	(D)
York .....	16	654	8 757	1	(D)	24	881	12 076	—	—
<b>SORGHUM CUT FOR DRY FORAGE OR HAY (TONS, DRY)</b>										
<b>State Total</b>										
Maine .....	1	(D)	(D)	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
<b>Counties</b>										
Lincoln .....	1	(D)	(D)	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
<b>SORGHUM FOR SILAGE OR GREEN CHOP (TONS, GREEN)</b>										
<b>State Total</b>										
Maine .....	8	146	967	—	—	10	185	1 130	—	—
<b>Counties</b>										
Aroostook .....	3	66	(D)	—	—	4	136	960	—	—
All other counties.....	5	80	(D)	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

**Table 29. Vegetables, Sweet Corn, and Melons Harvested for Sale: 1997 and 1992**

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

Geographic area	1997					1992				
	Harvested		Irrigated			Harvested		Irrigated		
	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	
<b>LAND USED FOR VEGETABLES (SEE TEXT)</b>										
<b>State Total</b>										
Maine .....	611	11 701	212	5 624	582	10 135	139	2 283		
<b>Counties</b>										
Androscoggin .....	37	468	17	223	43	440	14	76		
Aroostook .....	79	7 356	10	(D)	56	5 897	10	1 363		
Cumberland .....	63	574	34	372	66	814	27	238		
Franklin .....	14	50	3	9	16	48	2	(D)		
Hancock .....	32	96	16	25	27	82	5	7		
Kennebec .....	59	334	9	25	48	321	4	13		
Knox .....	21	207	4	9	22	291	2	(D)		
Lincoln .....	28	318	14	29	27	180	7	20		
Oxford .....	37	313	16	168	38	235	12	30		
Penobscot .....	61	532	20	79	52	362	8	25		
Piscataquis .....	12	68	2	(D)	12	40	3	5		
Sagadahoc .....	15	74	5	44	15	191	5	(D)		
Somerset .....	28	204	9	28	37	191	7	17		
Waldo .....	28	129	6	18	19	124	3	8		
Washington .....	26	83	11	36	22	82	5	15		
York .....	71	896	36	324	82	836	25	245		

**Table 29. Vegetables, Sweet Corn, and Melons Harvested for Sale: 1997 and 1992—Con.**

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

Geographic area	1997				1992			
	Harvested		Irrigated		Harvested		Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres
<b>VEGETABLES HARVESTED (SEE TEXT)</b>								
<b>State Total</b>								
Maine .....	611	11 745	212	5 665	582	10 251	139	2 376
<b>Counties</b>								
Androscoggin .....	37	465	17	221	43	442	14	76
Aroostook .....	79	7 360	10	(D)	56	5 903	10	1 362
Cumberland .....	63	578	34	375	66	816	27	239
Franklin .....	14	52	3	10	16	46	2	(D)
Hancock .....	32	99	16	30	27	92	5	8
Kennebec .....	59	339	9	24	48	321	4	13
Knox .....	21	208	4	9	22	294	2	(D)
Lincoln .....	28	318	14	30	27	177	7	19
Oxford .....	37	315	16	168	38	237	12	32
Penobscot .....	61	530	20	76	52	364	8	25
Piscataquis .....	12	68	2	(D)	12	39	3	4
Sagadahoc .....	15	76	5	47	15	199	5	(D)
Somerset .....	28	201	9	27	37	190	7	17
Waldo .....	28	128	6	18	19	125	3	8
Washington .....	26	87	11	41	22	86	5	15
York .....	71	922	36	354	82	924	25	334
<b>ASPARAGUS</b>								
<b>State Total</b>								
Maine .....	30	15	7	4	32	27	11	5
<b>Counties</b>								
Androscoggin .....	3	(D)	—	—	4	1	1	(D)
Cumberland .....	3	1	2	(D)	3	(D)	2	(D)
Hancock .....	3	(D)	1	(D)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Oxford .....	3	2	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Waldo .....	3	(Z)	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
York .....	6	3	2	(D)	6	4	3	1
All other counties .....	9	4	2	(D)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
<b>SNAP BEANS</b>								
<b>State Total</b>								
Maine .....	130	109	35	56	171	148	35	42
<b>Counties</b>								
Androscoggin .....	7	8	2	(D)	14	12	6	6
Aroostook .....	16	6	1	(D)	10	6	—	—
Cumberland .....	17	15	11	12	27	23	7	5
Franklin .....	4	(D)	2	(D)	4	1	—	—
Hancock .....	7	2	3	1	8	3	1	(D)
Kennebec .....	18	11	1	(D)	19	17	1	(D)
Knox .....	6	2	—	—	5	2	1	(D)
Lincoln .....	8	5	1	(D)	7	1	3	1
Oxford .....	6	2	2	(D)	12	3	5	1
Penobscot .....	13	11	3	(D)	19	8	1	(D)
Piscataquis .....	3	1	1	(D)	—	—	—	—
Sagadahoc .....	5	1	3	1	5	(D)	2	(D)
Somerset .....	3	2	—	—	11	6	2	(D)
Waldo .....	4	(D)	—	—	2	(D)	—	—
Washington .....	5	4	2	(D)	9	2	4	1
York .....	8	36	3	(D)	19	38	2	(D)
<b>BEETS</b>								
<b>State Total</b>								
Maine .....	67	20	24	9	76	53	17	19
<b>Counties</b>								
Cumberland .....	11	4	8	3	10	11	6	5
Hancock .....	3	(Z)	—	—	8	3	2	(D)
Kennebec .....	13	4	2	(D)	11	4	—	—
Knox .....	3	(Z)	—	—	3	1	—	—
Oxford .....	5	1	1	(D)	4	1	—	—
Penobscot .....	15	4	3	1	6	(D)	—	—
Washington .....	5	3	3	(D)	7	2	2	(D)
All other counties .....	12	4	7	3	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

**Table 29. Vegetables, Sweet Corn, and Melons Harvested for Sale: 1997 and 1992—Con.**

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Geographic area	1997				1992			
	Harvested		Irrigated		Harvested		Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres
<b>BROCCOLI</b>								
<b>State Total</b>								
Maine .....	50	(D)	24	(D)	81	3 219	27	1 361
<b>Counties</b>								
Androscoggin .....	3	4	3	4	5	3	1	(D)
Aroostook .....	7	(D)	3	(D)	11	184	5	(D)
Cumberland .....	4	6	4	4	5	(D)	5	(D)
Hancock .....	6	1	4	1	7	4	2	(D)
Kennebec .....	5	—	—	—	5	1	1	(D)
Penobscot .....	7	2	3	1	6	3	—	—
Sagadahoc .....	3	(Z)	1	(D)	4	3	2	(D)
All other counties.....	12	82	4	81	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
<b>BRUSSELS SPROUTS</b>								
<b>State Total</b>								
Maine .....	7	1	2	(D)	13	2	3	(Z)
<b>CHINESE CABBAGE</b>								
<b>State Total</b>								
Maine .....	6	7	2	(D)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
<b>HEAD CABBAGE</b>								
<b>State Total</b>								
Maine .....	56	54	25	24	80	151	23	50
<b>Counties</b>								
Androscoggin .....	5	24	4	9	10	60	3	6
Aroostook .....	7	6	1	(D)	8	11	1	(D)
Cumberland .....	9	12	8	11	7	19	6	18
Kennebec .....	7	4	—	—	7	2	1	(D)
Knox .....	3	(D)	—	—	7	15	—	—
Penobscot .....	5	2	2	(D)	4	1	—	—
Sagadahoc .....	4	1	2	(D)	5	(D)	2	(D)
Washington .....	5	2	2	(D)	7	1	4	1
All other counties.....	11	(D)	6	3	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
<b>CANTALOUPS</b>								
<b>State Total</b>								
Maine .....	40	23	18	9	35	17	14	8
<b>Counties</b>								
Androscoggin .....	3	(D)	2	(D)	3	1	3	1
Hancock .....	3	1	2	(D)	—	—	—	—
Kennebec .....	8	2	2	(D)	4	1	—	—
Oxford .....	6	(D)	4	1	3	2	—	—
Penobscot .....	4	2	2	(D)	4	3	2	(D)
Sagadahoc .....	3	1	3	1	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
York .....	6	5	3	(D)	7	6	5	4
All other counties.....	7	2	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
<b>CARROTS</b>								
<b>State Total</b>								
Maine .....	72	30	34	19	96	34	25	10
<b>Counties</b>								
Androscoggin .....	7	7	3	5	8	4	5	3
Aroostook .....	6	3	1	(D)	9	4	2	(D)
Cumberland .....	7	5	6	3	12	9	5	4
Hancock .....	9	2	5	1	10	2	2	(D)
Kennebec .....	6	1	1	(D)	8	2	—	—
Oxford .....	5	1	1	(D)	7	4	1	(D)
Penobscot .....	10	4	6	3	8	3	—	(D)
Washington .....	12	5	7	5	3	1	2	(D)
All other counties.....	10	2	4	1	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

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Geographic area	1997				1992			
	Harvested		Irrigated		Harvested		Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres
<b>CAULIFLOWER</b>								
<b>State Total</b>								
Maine .....	21	11	9	4	40	27	10	6
<b>Counties</b>								
Cumberland .....	4	2	4	2	5	6	3	(D)
Kennebec .....	5	1	—	—	3	1	—	(NA)
All other counties.....	12	8	5	2	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
<b>CELERY</b>								
<b>State Total</b>								
Maine .....	1	(D)	—	—	5	1	1	(D)
<b>Counties</b>								
Androscoggin .....	1	(D)	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
<b>CHINESE PEAS</b>								
<b>State Total</b>								
Maine .....	1	(D)	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
<b>Counties</b>								
Penobscot .....	1	(D)	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
<b>CUCUMBERS AND PICKLES</b>								
<b>State Total</b>								
Maine .....	185	162	74	76	171	121	41	40
<b>Counties</b>								
Androscoggin .....	12	14	7	9	20	25	6	5
Aroostook .....	15	3	2	(D)	11	6	6	3
Cumberland .....	23	20	14	10	22	12	8	5
Franklin .....	4	2	2	(D)	5	1	—	—
Hancock .....	8	2	6	2	4	2	—	—
Kennebec .....	20	14	4	2	19	12	—	—
Knox .....	6	(D)	—	—	8	13	1	(D)
Lincoln .....	7	2	2	(D)	5	2	1	(D)
Oxford .....	13	5	6	2	9	3	3	(Z)
Penobscot .....	18	23	4	(D)	16	8	1	(D)
Piscataquis .....	3	(D)	1	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)
Sagadahoc .....	3	1	3	1	3	(D)	1	(D)
Somerset .....	8	3	2	(D)	8	8	2	(D)
Waldo .....	8	9	2	(D)	6	7	1	(D)
Washington .....	9	7	5	4	9	2	1	(D)
York .....	28	44	14	27	24	18	8	6
<b>EGGPLANT</b>								
<b>State Total</b>								
Maine .....	12	5	8	5	13	(D)	6	1
<b>Counties</b>								
Cumberland .....	5	4	5	4	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
All other counties.....	7	1	3	1	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
<b>GARLIC</b>								
<b>State Total</b>								
Maine .....	31	8	15	3	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
<b>Counties</b>								
Aroostook .....	3	(Z)	3	(Z)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Cumberland .....	3	(Z)	1	(D)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Hancock .....	4	1	3	1	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Kennebec .....	3	(Z)	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Lincoln .....	4	(D)	2	(D)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Waldo .....	5	2	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
York .....	3	1	3	1	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
All other counties.....	6	(D)	3	1	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

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Geographic area	1997				1992			
	Harvested		Irrigated		Harvested		Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres
<b>HERBS, FRESH CUT (SEE TEXT)</b>								
<b>State Total</b>								
Maine .....	38	9	20	6	44	11	16	(D)
<b>Counties</b>								
Androscoggin .....	5	2	3	2	5	(D)	2	(D)
Cumberland .....	8	2	5	1	8	(Z)	2	(D)
Hancock .....	6	1	3	1	3	(NA)	1	(NA)
Kennebec .....	3	1	1	(D)	(NA)	(D)	(NA)	(D)
Lincoln .....	3	1	2	(D)	3	(D)	2	(D)
Oxford .....	4	1	2	(D)	6	(D)	3	(Z)
York .....	5	1	1	(D)	3	(D)	1	(D)
All other counties.....	4	1	3	(Z)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
<b>HONEYDEW MELONS</b>								
<b>State Total</b>								
Maine .....	3	(Z)	3	(Z)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
<b>KALE</b>								
<b>State Total</b>								
Maine .....	4	(Z)	1	(D)	9	11	3	(D)
<b>Counties</b>								
Franklin .....	1	(D)	—	(D)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Hancock .....	3	(D)	—	(D)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
<b>LETTUCE AND ROMAINE</b>								
<b>State Total</b>								
Maine .....	73	62	42	38	80	72	31	54
<b>Counties</b>								
Androscoggin .....	3	3	2	(D)	6	2	4	1
Cumberland .....	9	17	7	17	13	16	9	14
Hancock .....	17	21	11	5	11	6	3	—
Kennebec .....	6	1	1	(D)	4	1	—	—
Knox .....	4	4	1	(D)	5	1	1	(D)
Lincoln .....	5	2	4	2	7	1	4	(Z)
Oxford .....	4	1	3	1	4	3	1	(D)
Somerset .....	4	(Z)	3	(Z)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Washington .....	4	(D)	1	(D)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
York .....	10	8	7	7	7	1	1	(D)
All other counties.....	7	(D)	2	(D)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
<b>MUSTARD GREENS</b>								
<b>State Total</b>								
Maine .....	1	(D)	—	—	5	12	—	—
<b>Counties</b>								
Kennebec .....	1	(D)	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
<b>DRY ONIONS</b>								
<b>State Total</b>								
Maine .....	42	18	16	4	38	6	9	1
<b>Counties</b>								
Cumberland .....	4	1	2	(D)	8	1	2	(D)
Hancock .....	4	(Z)	3	(Z)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Kennebec .....	8	2	1	(D)	8	2	—	—
Knox .....	5	8	—	—	3	(Z)	1	(D)
Somerset .....	3	1	2	(D)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Waldo .....	3	(D)	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Washington .....	3	(Z)	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
All other counties.....	12	(D)	8	3	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

**Table 29. Vegetables, Sweet Corn, and Melons Harvested for Sale: 1997 and 1992—Con.**

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

Geographic area	1997				1992			
	Harvested		Irrigated		Harvested		Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres
<b>GREEN ONIONS</b>								
<b>State Total</b>								
Maine .....	15	3	2	(D)	29	4	6	1
<b>Counties</b>								
Kennebec .....	3	1	—	—	(NA) 3	(NA) 1	(NA) —	(NA) —
All other counties.....	12	2	2	(D)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
<b>PARSLEY</b>								
<b>State Total</b>								
Maine .....	6	1	4	(Z)	12	4	4	(D)
<b>GREEN PEAS, EXCLUDING GREEN COWPEAS</b>								
<b>State Total</b>								
Maine .....	151	2 057	30	50	159	2 753	33	35
<b>Counties</b>								
Androscoggin .....	9	6	1	(D)	15	8	7	6
Aroostook .....	49	1 927	1	(D)	39	2 588	1	(D)
Cumberland .....	11	14	7	11	12	28	6	12
Franklin .....	3	(D)	1	(D)	3	(D)	—	—
Hancock .....	7	2	3	(Z)	6	6	1	(D)
Kennebec .....	16	17	2	(D)	13	16	—	—
Knox .....	6	(D)	—	—	5	24	—	—
Lincoln .....	5	2	1	(D)	5	1	2	(D)
Oxford .....	3	(D)	3	(D)	10	6	4	1
Penobscot .....	17	26	1	(D)	19	10	3	3
Piscataquis .....	5	9	1	(D)	4	7	—	—
Sagadahoc .....	2	(D)	2	(D)	3	(D)	3	(D)
Somerset .....	8	4	2	(D)	8	4	2	(D)
Waldo .....	3	(D)	1	(D)	2	(D)	—	—
Washington .....	3	(D)	2	(D)	5	(D)	4	1
York .....	4	11	2	(D)	10	16	—	—
<b>HOT PEPPERS</b>								
<b>State Total</b>								
Maine .....	14	3	5	2	12	2	4	1
<b>Counties</b>								
Cumberland .....	4	2	3	(D)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Kennebec .....	4	(Z)	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
All other counties.....	6	1	2	(D)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
<b>SWEET PEPPERS</b>								
<b>State Total</b>								
Maine .....	66	22	29	10	70	31	23	10
<b>Counties</b>								
Androscoggin .....	3	(D)	2	(D)	8	4	3	(D)
Cumberland .....	11	4	8	4	14	12	6	4
Hancock .....	7	2	5	1	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Kennebec .....	8	1	—	—	10	3	1	(D)
Lincoln .....	5	1	3	1	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Penobscot .....	4	2	2	(D)	3	(Z)	—	—
Somerset .....	4	1	2	(D)	4	2	1	(D)
Washington .....	3	(Z)	2	(D)	3	(Z)	3	(Z)
York .....	13	7	3	1	13	6	3	(Z)
All other counties.....	8	(D)	2	(D)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

**Table 29. Vegetables, Sweet Corn, and Melons Harvested for Sale: 1997 and 1992—Con.**

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

Geographic area	1997				1992			
	Harvested		Irrigated		Harvested		Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres
<b>PUMPKINS</b>								
<b>State Total</b>								
Maine .....	220	505	55	122	207	400	34	141
<b>Counties</b>								
Androscoggin .....	17	55	3	17	19	26	1	(D)
Aroostook .....	9	20	1	(D)	9	12	1	(D)
Cumberland .....	24	58	10	29	28	54	8	10
Franklin .....	5	4	1	(D)	5	(D)	—	—
Hancock .....	11	12	5	(D)	10	10	3	1
Kennebec .....	26	35	2	(D)	25	26	2	(D)
Knox .....	6	6	2	(D)	9	30	—	—
Lincoln .....	7	19	—	—	5	8	1	(D)
Oxford .....	16	22	5	5	15	12	4	2
Penobscot .....	24	57	2	(D)	17	32	2	(D)
Piscataquis .....	1	(D)	1	(D)	3	(D)	2	(D)
Sagadahoc .....	6	(D)	2	(D)	6	6	1	(D)
Somerset .....	12	30	—	—	9	8	3	(D)
Waldo .....	8	13	1	(D)	6	9	—	—
Washington .....	5	7	2	(D)	12	12	1	(D)
York .....	43	165	18	46	29	152	5	(D)
<b>RADISHES</b>								
<b>State Total</b>								
Maine .....	12	(D)	5	(D)	25	44	8	(D)
<b>Counties</b>								
Hancock .....	3	(D)	2	(D)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
All other counties.....	9	(D)	3	12	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
<b>RHUBARB</b>								
<b>State Total</b>								
Maine .....	11	2	5	1	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
<b>Counties</b>								
Cumberland .....	4	1	3	(D)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
All other counties.....	7	1	2	(D)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
<b>SPINACH</b>								
<b>State Total</b>								
Maine .....	21	(D)	7	37	34	7	9	2
<b>Counties</b>								
Aroostook .....	4	(D)	2	(D)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Cumberland .....	4	(D)	3	(D)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Kennebec .....	4	1	—	—	7	2	—	—
Knox .....	3	1	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
All other counties.....	6	2	2	(D)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
<b>SQUASH</b>								
<b>State Total</b>								
Maine .....	213	383	71	125	233	441	46	71
<b>Counties</b>								
Androscoggin .....	13	23	6	4	23	44	4	2
Aroostook .....	8	8	1	(D)	13	15	1	(D)
Cumberland .....	20	76	11	64	34	130	9	39
Franklin .....	7	4	2	(D)	8	3	—	—
Hancock .....	8	(D)	4	(Z)	8	9	3	1
Kennebec .....	16	14	1	(D)	20	18	—	—
Knox .....	6	17	2	(D)	12	34	1	(D)
Lincoln .....	10	(D)	2	(D)	6	(D)	1	(D)
Oxford .....	19	20	8	5	16	14	6	1
Penobscot .....	28	50	8	9	26	48	2	(D)
Piscataquis .....	4	4	1	(D)	2	(D)	—	—
Sagadahoc .....	7	7	2	(D)	4	6	1	(D)
Somerset .....	11	20	4	2	14	8	3	1
Waldo .....	11	18	1	(D)	7	34	1	(D)
Washington .....	11	10	5	5	10	5	2	(D)
York .....	34	71	13	28	30	47	12	14

**Table 29. Vegetables, Sweet Corn, and Melons Harvested for Sale: 1997 and 1992—Con.**

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

Geographic area	1997				1992			
	Harvested		Irrigated		Harvested		Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres
<b>SWEET CORN</b>								
<b>State Total</b>								
Maine .....	303	2 366	91	671	337	2 400	55	401
<b>Counties</b>								
Androscoggin .....	18	255	8	140	26	206	6	33
Aroostook .....	24	44	2	(D)	18	48	2	(D)
Cumberland .....	32	289	17	177	39	429	8	88
Franklin .....	9	29	2	(D)	6	23	—	—
Hancock .....	13	26	6	4	21	32	2	(D)
Kennebec .....	37	203	6	13	35	191	4	8
Knox .....	12	110	1	(D)	13	148	2	(D)
Lincoln .....	11	191	3	(D)	12	119	2	(D)
Oxford .....	25	142	9	51	21	168	5	19
Penobscot .....	35	284	8	10	30	205	—	—
Piscataquis .....	7	43	1	(D)	5	(D)	2	(D)
Sagadahoc .....	7	32	4	11	8	(D)	2	(D)
Somerset .....	16	127	2	(D)	29	143	3	(D)
Waldo .....	9	62	2	(D)	9	55	—	—
Washington .....	16	17	7	6	15	35	3	1
York .....	32	512	13	172	50	575	14	177
<b>TOMATOES</b>								
<b>State Total</b>								
Maine .....	194	115	81	47	188	88	61	28
<b>Counties</b>								
Androscoggin .....	16	16	8	12	18	10	6	4
Aroostook .....	6	1	2	(D)	7	2	1	(D)
Cumberland .....	22	12	11	4	26	13	10	5
Hancock .....	13	8	8	2	11	4	1	(D)
Kennebec .....	21	13	4	2	19	7	1	(D)
Knox .....	6	5	—	—	3	1	—	—
Lincoln .....	13	3	6	1	10	1	6	1
Oxford .....	11	3	5	1	16	6	11	3
Penobscot .....	18	14	4	2	13	7	5	4
Sagadahoc .....	7	2	3	1	6	1	2	(D)
Somerset .....	8	4	4	2	13	4	3	(D)
Waldo .....	6	1	—	—	3	(D)	—	—
Washington .....	9	4	6	4	4	1	2	(D)
York .....	35	27	19	17	35	28	11	8
All other counties .....	3	(Z)	1	(D)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
<b>TURNIPS</b>								
<b>State Total</b>								
Maine .....	8	1	3	(Z)	21	21	3	(D)
<b>Counties</b>								
Kennebec .....	4	1	—	(Z)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
All other counties .....	4	(Z)	3	(Z)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
<b>TURNIP GREENS</b>								
<b>State Total</b>								
Maine .....	1	(D)	1	(D)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
<b>Counties</b>								
York .....	1	(D)	1	(D)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
<b>MIXED VEGETABLES</b>								
<b>State Total</b>								
Maine .....	64	201	21	50	45	88	8	15
<b>Counties</b>								
Androscoggin .....	7	17	4	6	4	13	1	(D)
Cumberland .....	3	6	1	(D)	4	9	3	8
Franklin .....	5	4	—	(D)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Hancock .....	3	4	2	(D)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Kennebec .....	4	(D)	1	(D)	3	10	—	—
Knox .....	5	21	—	—	—	—	—	—
Lincoln .....	5	(D)	3	(D)	5	3	1	(D)
Oxford .....	7	19	4	15	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Penobscot .....	6	16	2	(D)	4	17	—	—
Waldo .....	4	15	1	(D)	4	6	—	—
Washington .....	5	18	2	(D)	—	—	—	(D)
York .....	5	15	1	(D)	13	13	2	(D)
All other counties .....	5	18	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

**Table 29. Vegetables, Sweet Corn, and Melons Harvested for Sale: 1997 and 1992—Con.**

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

Geographic area	1997				1992			
	Harvested		Irrigated		Harvested		Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres
<b>WATERMELONS</b>								
<b>State Total</b>								
Maine .....	6	(D)	2	(D)	11	4	4	1
<b>OTHER VEGETABLES</b>								
<b>State Total</b>								
Maine .....	62	100	24	41	30	49	10	19
<b>Counties</b>								
Androscoggin.....	8	13	2	(D)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Cumberland.....	7	24	4	8	5	10	3	1
Hancock .....	4	6	1	(D)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Kennebec.....	11	4	2	(D)	4	4	—	—
Knox .....	4	4	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Lincoln.....	4	7	1	(D)	—	—	—	—
Oxford .....	4	3	2	(D)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Washington .....	4	(D)	2	(D)	—	—	—	—
York.....	6	11	6	8	5	2	2	(D)
All other counties.....	10	(D)	4	13	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

**Table 30. Land in Orchards: 1997 and 1992**

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

Geographic area	1997				1992			
	Total		Irrigated		Total		Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres
<b>LAND IN ORCHARDS</b>								
<b>State Total</b>								
Maine .....	334	5 170	37	325	396	6 463	26	84
<b>Counties</b>								
Androscoggin.....	34	1 492	5	(D)	37	1 478	2	(D)
Aroostook.....	19	62	3	1	21	55	—	—
Cumberland.....	19	292	6	72	23	346	3	4
Franklin .....	16	222	—	—	20	348	—	—
Hancock .....	22	101	1	(D)	19	156	2	(D)
Kennebec .....	18	665	—	—	27	836	—	—
Knox .....	23	145	2	(D)	18	85	—	—
Lincoln .....	14	117	1	(D)	14	86	—	—
Oxford .....	36	690	4	7	47	1 060	7	17
Penobscot .....	36	296	3	11	39	300	3	5
Piscataquis.....	6	9	—	—	11	19	—	—
Sagadahoc.....	10	42	4	7	13	40	2	(D)
Somerset .....	18	152	2	(D)	25	167	2	(D)
Waldo .....	14	102	1	(D)	27	276	—	—
Washington .....	13	54	2	(D)	18	67	1	(D)
York.....	36	728	3	(D)	37	1 145	4	(D)

**Table 31. Fruits and Nuts: 1997 and 1992**

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

Geographic area	Total			Trees or vines of nonbearing age		Trees or vines of bearing age		Harvested	
	Farms	Acres	Trees or vines	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Pounds
<b>APPLES</b>									
<b>State Total</b>									
Maine ..... 1997..	332	5 117	563 333	204	42 033	303	521 300	248	61 128 647
1992..	388	6 341	531 926	225	68 672	353	463 254	276	75 181 308
<b>Counties, 1997</b>									
Androscoggin .....	34	1 488	221 052	13	5 850	30	215 202	23	21 854 632
Aroostook.....	19	(D)	4 655	16	1 523	15	3 132	10	70 819
Cumberland.....	19	291	41 444	11	2 699	18	38 745	13	2 399 892
Franklin.....	16	(D)	12 944	9	1 173	16	11 771	12	2 077 590
Hancock.....	22	98	7 196	16	1 294	20	5 902	17	515 102
Kennebec.....	18	663	51 142	10	2 406	15	48 736	14	9 730 763
Knox.....	23	142	17 994	9	1 941	23	16 053	19	1 371 526
Lincoln.....	14	116	5 354	10	421	12	4 933	9	456 670
Oxford.....	36	677	67 601	19	3 806	35	63 795	27	9 633 732
Penobscot .....	36	295	27 809	32	5 018	34	22 791	28	2 077 040
Piscataquis .....	6	9	260	3	70	6	190	6	12 475
Sagadahoc .....	9	33	2 354	5	281	9	2 073	7	104 900
Somerset .....	18	148	16 156	14	6 356	16	9 800	15	1 185 449
Waldo .....	14	101	6 361	7	584	13	5 777	12	343 470
Washington .....	13	52	2 730	11	552	11	2 178	10	209 209
York .....	35	724	78 281	19	8 059	30	70 222	26	9 085 378
<b>CHERRIES, TOTAL (SEE TEXT)</b>									
<b>State Total</b>									
Maine ..... 1997..	26	6	283	16	120	16	163	12	1 433
1992..	35	23	1 121	20	141	27	980	8	6 690
<b>Counties, 1997</b>									
Androscoggin .....	3	1	23	3	(D)	1	(D)	—	—
Knox .....	4	1	25	—	—	4	25	3	110
Oxford .....	4	1	(D)	2	(D)	3	(D)	3	(D)
All other counties .....	15	3	(D)	11	(D)	8	35	6	(D)
<b>SWEET CHERRIES</b>									
<b>State Total</b>									
Maine ..... 1997..	17	(NA)	3 (NA)	102 (NA)	11 (NA)	48 (NA)	9 (NA)	54 (NA)	5 (NA)
1992..									91 (NA)
<b>Counties, 1997</b>									
Oxford .....	4	(D)	41	2	(D)	3	(D)	2	(D)
All other counties .....	13	(D)	61	9	(D)	6	(D)	3	(D)
<b>TART CHERRIES</b>									
<b>State Total</b>									
Maine ..... 1997..	21	(NA)	3 (NA)	181 (NA)	9 (NA)	72 (NA)	14 (NA)	109 (NA)	11 (NA)
1992..									1 342 (NA)
<b>Counties, 1997</b>									
Androscoggin .....	3	(D)	(D)	2	(D)	1	(D)	—	—
Knox .....	4	(D)	(D)	—	—	4	(D)	3	(D)
All other counties .....	14	2	(D)	7	(D)	9	89	8	(D)
<b>GRAPES (SEE TEXT) (FRESH WEIGHT)</b>									
<b>State Total</b>									
Maine ..... 1997..	33	10	3 955	20	2 255	28	1 700	17	1 235
1992..	43	15	8 017	36	840	38	7 177	16	1 217
<b>Counties, 1997</b>									
Cumberland.....	3	(D)	(D)	3	(D)	3	(D)	2	(D)
Knox .....	5	1	133	2	(D)	5	(D)	3	320
Oxford .....	3	(Z)	14	1	(D)	2	(D)	1	(D)
Somerset .....	4	1	(D)	2	(D)	4	(D)	1	(D)
York .....	4	1	(D)	3	50	3	(D)	2	(D)
All other counties .....	14	(D)	2 518	9	2 089	11	429	8	782

**Table 31. Fruits and Nuts: 1997 and 1992—Con.**

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

Geographic area	Total			Trees or vines of nonbearing age		Trees or vines of bearing age		Harvested	
	Farms	Acres	Trees or vines	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Pounds
<b>PEACHES</b>									
<b>State Total</b>									
Maine .....1997..	20	16	1 125	17	357	15	768	11	3 215
1992..	32	27	1 663	16	279	25	1 384	17	11 762
<b>Counties, 1997</b>									
Lincoln .....	3	1	21	3	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)
York .....	4	(D)	61	3	14	4	47	3	250
All other counties .....	13	(D)	1 043	11	(D)	9	(D)	6	(D)
<b>PEARS</b>									
<b>State Total</b>									
Maine .....1997..	25	(D)	549	20	181	16	368	11	19 040
1992..	51	37	2 170	31	979	40	1 191	26	66 404
<b>Counties, 1997</b>									
Hancock .....	3	(Z)	20	2	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
Knox .....	3	1	(D)	2	(D)	3	(D)	3	(D)
Oxford .....	4	(Z)	204	3	(D)	4	(D)	4	(D)
York .....	3	3	14	3	(D)	2	(D)	1	(D)
All other counties .....	12	3	(D)	10	(D)	6	106	2	(D)
<b>PLUMS AND PRUNES (SEE TEXT) (FRESH WEIGHT)</b>									
<b>State Total</b>									
Maine .....1997..	19	9	495	14	125	18	370	14	8 791
1992..	27	10	601	13	359	17	242	12	2 656
<b>Counties, 1997</b>									
Lincoln .....	3	1	30	2	(D)	3	(D)	3	50
Oxford .....	3	(D)	270	2	(D)	3	(D)	3	(D)
All other counties .....	13	(D)	195	10	43	12	152	8	(D)
<b>FILBERTS AND HAZELNUTS (IN SHELL)</b>									
<b>State Total</b>									
Maine .....1997..	1	(NA)	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	—	(NA)
1992..	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
<b>Counties, 1997</b>									
York .....	1	(D)	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	—	—

**Table 32. Berries Harvested for Sale: 1997 and 1992**

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

Geographic area	1997					1992				
	Harvested			Irrigated		Harvested			Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres
<b>BERRIES</b>										
<b>State Total</b>										
Maine .....	820	(D)	(X)	143	(D)	870	23 658	(X)	112	1 298
<b>Counties</b>										
Androscoggin.....	19	70	(X)	10	(D)	20	49	(X)	4	17
Aroostook.....	19	(D)	(X)	7	31	10	31	(X)	3	(D)
Cumberland.....	39	(D)	(X)	23	111	39	(D)	(X)	19	90
Franklin.....	14	104	(X)	2	(D)	15	(D)	(X)	3	1
Hancock.....	156	3 541	(X)	8	134	174	(D)	(X)	6	(D)
Kennebec.....	29	135	(X)	7	25	45	(D)	(X)	12	46
Knox.....	68	(D)	(X)	7	19	79	(D)	(X)	6	(D)
Lincoln.....	30	380	(X)	6	11	31	598	(X)	2	(D)
Oxford.....	28	(D)	(X)	6	(D)	24	292	(X)	4	(D)
Penobscot.....	30	199	(X)	10	28	32	244	(X)	7	13
Piscataquis.....	16	195	(X)	2	(D)	10	95	(X)	4	14
Sagadahoc.....	3	(D)	(X)	2	(D)	5	29	(X)	3	(D)
Somerset.....	8	(D)	(X)	4	5	10	13	(X)	5	4
Waldo.....	39	(D)	(X)	2	(D)	59	1 318	(X)	4	(D)
Washington.....	288	17 195	(X)	24	3 690	282	14 663	(X)	14	(D)
York.....	34	(D)	(X)	23	72	35	97	(X)	16	60
<b>BLACKBERRIES (POUNDS)</b>										
<b>State Total</b>										
Maine .....	9	7	7 813	1	(D)	18	20	14 851	5	1
<b>TAME BLUEBERRIES (POUNDS)</b>										
<b>State Total</b>										
Maine .....	68	319	605 675	24	43	97	882	1 564 462	14	75
<b>Counties</b>										
Androscoggin.....	7	8	11 249	4	7	7	(D)	6 675	—	—
Aroostook.....	3	1	(D)	2	(D)	1	(D)	(D)	—	—
Cumberland.....	8	7	10 900	4	2	10	61	61 978	4	(D)
Franklin.....	5	12	(D)	—	—	5	13	10 750	2	(D)
Hancock.....	11	185	406 636	—	—	11	189	351 984	—	—
Oxford.....	5	5	4 500	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)	—	—
Washington.....	5	22	15 420	2	(D)	21	284	794 110	—	—
York.....	18	46	56 381	10	26	18	56	78 442	7	24
All other counties.....	6	34	83 375	1	(D)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
<b>WILD BLUEBERRIES (POUNDS)</b>										
<b>State Total</b>										
Maine .....	569	23 693	70 253 178	23	3 874	589	22 234	71 843 383	22	1 005
<b>Counties</b>										
Cumberland.....	9	210	329 295	3	(D)	10	182	274 980	2	(D)
Franklin.....	4	86	(D)	—	—	3	35	(D)	—	—
Hancock.....	137	3 349	6 844 452	5	133	155	3 969	7 364 402	3	(D)
Kennebec.....	6	89	190 432	—	—	10	143	237 252	2	(D)
Knox.....	55	1 519	3 810 752	1	(D)	60	1 229	2 468 843	2	(D)
Lincoln.....	19	312	850 566	1	(D)	20	507	1 265 076	—	—
Oxford.....	12	209	551 842	—	—	11	258	184 084	—	—
Penobscot.....	10	129	272 246	—	—	13	199	332 118	1	(D)
Piscataquis.....	12	189	340 574	—	—	6	81	216 747	—	—
Waldo.....	30	442	1 188 021	—	—	44	1 253	2 892 325	—	—
Washington.....	272	17 131	55 796 129	13	3 655	254 (NA)	14 371 (NA)	56 566 262 (NA)	12 (NA)	(D) (NA)
All other counties.....	3	27	(D)	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
<b>CRANBERRIES (CWT)</b>										
<b>State Total</b>										
Maine .....	14	40	2 481	13	40	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
<b>Counties</b>										
Washington.....	8	28	2 002	8	28	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
All other counties.....	6	12	479	5	—	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

**Table 32. Berries Harvested for Sale: 1997 and 1992—Con.**

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

Geographic area	1997					1992				
	Harvested			Irrigated		Harvested			Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres
<b>RASPBERRIES (POUNDS)</b>										
<b>State Total</b>										
Maine .....	80	68	69 575	32	31	107	116	101 052	30	31
<b>Counties</b>										
Androscoggin .....	5	8	13 469	4	7	11	7	6 305	—	—
Aroostook .....	9	6	4 889	4	2	4	(D)	3 830	1	(D)
Cumberland .....	5	4	4 025	4	4	8	4	3 435	6	3
Hancock .....	4	(D)	(D)	1	(D)	7	7	6 505	2	(D)
Kennebec .....	7	5	2 270	2	(D)	15	19	8 416	4	2
Knox .....	8	5	9 474	2	(D)	9	19	(D)	—	—
Lincoln .....	4	(D)	(D)	1	(D)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Oxford .....	5	3	2 095	1	(D)	6	2	2 440	1	(D)
Penobscot .....	11	12	6 477	4	2	14	12	7 456	4	4
Waldo .....	6	4	3 245	1	(D)	10	6	4 579	3	1
Washington .....	4	(D)	(D)	1	(D)	3	1	(D)	—	—
York .....	7	7	6 680	5	(D)	12	12	14 000	4	9
All other counties.....	5	5	8 301	2	(D)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
<b>STRAWBERRIES (POUNDS)</b>										
<b>State Total</b>										
Maine .....	142	425	1 623 304	75	225	123	406	1 508 695	51	186
<b>Counties</b>										
Androscoggin .....	13	26	146 300	7	24	11	37	106 567	4	17
Aroostook .....	13	51	73 706	5	(D)	8	25	18 200	3	(D)
Cumberland .....	17	39	198 733	13	28	15	44	240 447	8	30
Franklin .....	4	6	(D)	1	(D)	5	9	(D)	—	—
Hancock .....	4	(D)	2 850	1	(D)	9	13	51 953	2	(D)
Kennebec .....	15	38	179 596	4	(D)	13	45	160 060	5	20
Knox .....	8	43	132 350	4	7	10	53	153 620	4	20
Lincoln .....	8	40	115 305	4	(D)	5	41	189 972	1	(D)
Oxford .....	8	16	72 640	5	15	7	14	(D)	3	(D)
Penobscot .....	10	58	269 053	6	26	7	34	139 300	3	(D)
Piscataquis .....	3	(D)	(D)	2	(D)	4	14	84 246	4	14
Sagadahoc .....	2	(D)	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)	1	(D)
Somerset .....	7	10	31 513	4	5	4	(D)	(D)	2	(D)
Waldo .....	4	20	94 300	1	(D)	4	22	(D)	1	(D)
Washington .....	7	10	15 835	3	(D)	7	8	18 720	2	(D)
York .....	19	49	149 810	13	40	12	28	56 620	8	27
<b>OTHER BERRIES (POUNDS)</b>										
<b>State Total</b>										
Maine .....	1	(D)	(D)	1	(D)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
<b>Counties</b>										
Androscoggin .....	1	(D)	(D)	1	(D)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

**Table 33. Nursery and Greenhouse Crops, Cut Christmas Trees Harvested, Mushrooms, and Sod Grown for Sale: 1997 and 1992**

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

Geographic area	1997				1992			
	Farms	Sq. ft. under glass or other protection	Acres in the open	Sales (\$1,000)	Farms	Sq. ft. under glass or other protection	Acres in the open	Sales (\$1,000)
<b>NURSERY AND GREENHOUSE CROPS (SEE TEXT)</b>								
<b>State Total</b>								
Maine .....	926	3 152 467	7 116	29 852	568	2 729 865	1 597	20 823
<b>Counties</b>								
Androscoggin .....	41	141 176	123	1 014	37	109 074	81	1 079
Aroostook .....	86	167 345	1 713	1 886	22	136 614	42	405
Cumberland .....	115	722 032	637	7 981	83	734 312	202	6 287
Franklin .....	28	61 170	143	267	15	29 132	41	259
Hancock .....	71	184 727	476	1 508	40	190 800	31	1 199
Kennebec .....	68	206 927	369	2 480	51	280 989	37	1 611
Knox .....	30	171 524	63	769	20	78 034	19	573
Lincoln .....	41	92 010	224	808	27	70 869	98	699
Oxford .....	60	378 013	616	2 801	35	147 329	336	2 834
Penobscot .....	93	290 584	865	2 391	64	249 642	122	1 338
Piscataquis .....	25	12 150	346	326	12	30 984	(D)	105
Sagadahoc .....	27	85 974	70	761	16	68 314	54	506
Somerset .....	45	121 138	224	907	32	115 288	(D)	445
Waldo .....	48	141 693	338	1 211	27	127 801	42	541
Washington .....	36	54 436	141	349	18	46 572	7	240
York .....	112	321 568	769	4 395	69	314 111	344	2 703
<b>NURSERY, FLORICULTURE, VEGETABLE AND FLOWER SEED CROPS, SOD, ETC., GROWN IN THE OPEN, IRRIGATED (SEE TEXT)</b>								
<b>State Total</b>								
Maine .....	173	(X)	1 350	(X)	112	(X)	419	(X)
<b>Counties</b>								
Androscoggin .....	4	(X)	(D)	(X)	9	(X)	29	(X)
Aroostook .....	10	(X)	25	(X)	—	(X)	—	(X)
Cumberland .....	40	(X)	259	(X)	23	(X)	104	(X)
Hancock .....	12	(X)	10	(X)	9	(X)	3	(X)
Kennebec .....	12	(X)	31	(X)	7	(X)	15	(X)
Knox .....	5	(X)	5	(X)	4	(X)	10	(X)
Lincoln .....	12	(X)	36	(X)	5	(X)	5	(X)
Oxford .....	7	(X)	(D)	(X)	3	(X)	(D)	(X)
Penobscot .....	14	(X)	64	(X)	14	(X)	16	(X)
Sagadahoc .....	4	(X)	3	(X)	(NA)	(X)	(NA)	(X)
Waldo .....	10	(X)	21	(X)	7	(X)	13	(X)
Washington .....	7	(X)	8	(X)	(NA)	(X)	(NA)	(X)
York .....	32	(X)	465	(X)	20	(X)	55	(X)
All other counties .....	4	(X)	14	(X)	(NA)	(X)	(NA)	(X)
<b>FLORICULTURE CROPS—BEDDING/GARDEN PLANTS, FOLIAGE, POTTED FLOWERING PLANTS, AND CUT FLOWERS, TOTAL</b>								
<b>State Total</b>								
Maine .....	504	2 618 133	246	18 000	447	2 335 667	241	13 835
<b>Counties</b>								
Androscoggin .....	21	118 000	(D)	596	28	101 512	(D)	419
Aroostook .....	22	137 462	(D)	520	16	126 154	(D)	336
Cumberland .....	79	691 589	54	5 538	69	641 440	42	5 169
Franklin .....	14	(D)	(D)	214	13	(D)	(D)	(D)
Hancock .....	41	165 337	14	1 190	31	177 106	(D)	1 109
Kennebec .....	35	192 247	25	1 914	39	180 532	14	1 110
Knox .....	17	147 768	6	550	15	59 234	4	279
Lincoln .....	19	82 657	11	585	21	66 506	11	552
Oxford .....	34	101 677	5	492	25	109 760	16	487
Penobscot .....	56	222 768	11	1 283	57	206 843	(D)	1 089
Piscataquis .....	7	(D)	4	56	9	27 932	(D)	(D)
Sagadahoc .....	16	81 382	(D)	666	10	(D)	5	453
Somerset .....	21	(D)	4	636	25	83 208	1	301
Waldo .....	29	131 121	17	827	19	118 510	(D)	433
Washington .....	23	(D)	(D)	320	16	(D)	(D)	227
York .....	70	305 308	24	2 612	54	301 658	28	1 656

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Geographic area	1997				1992			
	Farms	Sq. ft. under glass or other protection	Acres in the open	Sales (\$1,000)	Farms	Sq. ft. under glass or other protection	Acres in the open	Sales (\$1,000)
<b>BEDDING/GARDEN PLANTS</b>								
<b>State Total</b>								
Maine .....	442	2 088 135	170	13 918	364	1 700 872	104	9 446
<b>Counties</b>								
Androscoggin .....	18	108 490	7	520	20	69 644	(D)	276
Aroostook .....	19	115 302	(D)	430	15	100 474	(D)	248
Cumberland .....	64	524 329	40	3 986	54	437 073	17	3 239
Franklin .....	13	(D)	(D)	(D)	10	(D)	(D)	99
Hancock .....	36	132 439	11	1 023	27	124 820	5	801
Kennebec .....	29	141 719	20	1 185	25	101 568	4	481
Knox .....	17	117 436	4	427	14	53 754	2	252
Lincoln .....	14	57 741	6	443	19	48 906	3	421
Oxford .....	33	89 131	2	423	19	71 430	(D)	310
Penobscot .....	53	199 314	(D)	1 145	54	198 803	41	1 052
Piscataquis .....	7	(D)	(D)	(D)	8	(D)	—	(D)
Sagadahoc .....	13	54 932	3	538	8	57 894	(D)	(D)
Somerset .....	19	105 838	3	571	24	73 656	(D)	252
Waldo .....	25	116 081	15	774	17	89 360	6	306
Washington .....	22	51 153	5	313	14	35 400	3	187
York .....	60	226 676	16	1 918	36	185 526	(D)	1 009
<b>CUT FLOWERS AND CUT FLORIST GREENS</b>								
<b>State Total</b>								
Maine .....	84	90 653	57	728	92	58 128	75	682
<b>Counties</b>								
Aroostook .....	4	7 500	(D)	40	3	(D)	(D)	(D)
Cumberland .....	19	(D)	(D)	(D)	18	(D)	21	288
Franklin .....	3	—	2	4	3	(D)	(D)	13
Hancock .....	9	(D)	(D)	(D)	4	(D)	(D)	(D)
Kennebec .....	3	(D)	(D)	(D)	10	(D)	7	(D)
Knox .....	3	—	2	(D)	3	(D)	(D)	(D)
Lincoln .....	8	(D)	(D)	(D)	8	2 000	8	16
Oxford .....	3	(D)	—	(D)	6	3 250	7	(D)
Penobscot .....	3	(D)	(D)	(D)	3	—	2	(D)
Sagadahoc .....	5	(D)	(D)	87	3	(D)	5	(D)
Waldo .....	5	(D)	2	(D)	4	(D)	2	(D)
York .....	15	(D)	3	(D)	14	(D)	9	171
All other counties .....	4	8 160	2	35	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
<b>FOLIAGE PLANTS</b>								
<b>State Total</b>								
Maine .....	28	61 916	(D)	389	37	95 088	29	730
<b>Counties</b>								
Aroostook .....	3	5 700	—	15	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Cumberland .....	4	(D)	—	(D)	10	(D)	(D)	324
Hancock .....	3	13 200	—	(D)	3	(D)	—	(D)
Oxford .....	3	(D)	—	(D)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
York .....	4	(D)	—	(D)	5	(D)	(D)	132
All other counties .....	11	9 899	(D)	118	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
<b>POTTED FLOWERING PLANTS</b>								
<b>State Total</b>								
Maine .....	104	377 429	(D)	2 965	100	481 579	33	2 977
<b>Counties</b>								
Androscoggin .....	4	(D)	—	(D)	8	(D)	(D)	126
Aroostook .....	4	8 960	—	36	3	(D)	—	(D)
Cumberland .....	17	145 468	(D)	1 374	14	166 350	(D)	1 317
Franklin .....	4	21 908	(D)	(D)	3	(D)	(D)	(D)
Hancock .....	7	(D)	(D)	58	9	38 601	(D)	228
Kennebec .....	4	(D)	(D)	(D)	8	70 364	4	547
Knox .....	5	(D)	—	95	4	(D)	(D)	19
Lincoln .....	7	23 296	(D)	98	5	11 600	(D)	71
Oxford .....	11	9 358	2	55	9	35 080	(D)	133
Penobscot .....	10	14 921	(D)	95	8	(D)	(D)	28
Sagadahoc .....	6	(D)	1	41	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Somerset .....	4	(D)	(D)	21	6	(D)	(D)	37
York .....	17	40 786	5	290	14	79 030	11	344
All other counties .....	4	6 566	1	30	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

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Geographic area	1997				1992			
	Farms	Sq. ft. under glass or other protection	Acres in the open	Sales (\$1,000)	Farms	Sq. ft. under glass or other protection	Acres in the open	Sales (\$1,000)
<b>BULBS, CORMS, RHIZOMES, AND TUBERS (DRY)</b>								
<b>State Total</b>								
Maine .....	12	(D)	11	39	5	—	3	5
<b>CUT CHRISTMAS TREES HARVESTED (SEE TEXT)</b>								
<b>State Total</b>								
Maine .....	208	(X)	167	2 888	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
<b>Counties</b>								
Androscoggin .....	3	(X)	(D)	1 (D)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Aroostook .....	36	(X)	64	1 162	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Cumberland .....	17	(X)	7	121	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Franklin .....	7	(X)	2	41	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Hancock .....	12	(X)	7	122	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Kennebec .....	19	(X)	14	212	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Knox .....	3	(X)	(Z)	9	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Lincoln .....	14	(X)	6	93	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Oxford .....	13	(X)	4	82	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Penobscot .....	21	(X)	21	359	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Piscataquis .....	10	(X)	14	248	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Sagadahoc .....	4	(X)	(Z)	8	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Somerset .....	16	(X)	4	63	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Waldo .....	10	(X)	(D)	(D)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Washington .....	6	(X)	1	17	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
York .....	17	(X)	7	110	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
<b>MUSHROOMS</b>								
<b>State Total</b>								
Maine .....	6	7 560	(X)	80	(NA)	(NA)	(X)	(NA)
<b>NURSERY CROPS</b>								
<b>State Total</b>								
Maine .....	96	291 575	830	4 749	131	165 829	899	5 323
<b>Counties</b>								
Androscoggin .....	3	(D)	(D)	(D)	7	—	73	(D)
Aroostook .....	14	(D)	(D)	90	6	—	6	(D)
Cumberland .....	10	—	56	(D)	17	2 544	153	987
Hancock .....	5	—	7	35	7	16 236	16	55
Kennebec .....	7	(D)	11	(D)	14	(D)	(D)	342
Knox .....	4	(D)	(D)	35	10	(D)	15	131
Lincoln .....	4	(D)	96	75	6	(D)	(D)	141
Oxford .....	7	(D)	(D)	(D)	6	(D)	(D)	(D)
Penobscot .....	6	(D)	60	(D)	16	(D)	73	204
Somerset .....	6	—	(D)	190	8	(D)	(D)	125
Waldo .....	8	(D)	47	140	7	(D)	30	88
York .....	15	(D)	91	1 018	17	(D)	91	593
All other counties .....	7	1 567	28	27	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
<b>SOD HARVESTED</b>								
<b>State Total</b>								
Maine .....	6	(X)	790	2 136	(NA)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)
<b>VEGETABLE AND FLOWER SEEDS</b>								
<b>State Total</b>								
Maine .....	29	(D)	35	158	46	117 162	25	292
<b>Counties</b>								
Cumberland .....	7	8 825	1 (D)	13	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Kennebec .....	3	(D)	—	(D)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Penobscot .....	4	(D)	(D)	(D)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
York .....	4	7 300	(D)	12	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
All other counties .....	11	9 530	24	24	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

**Table 33. Nursery and Greenhouse Crops, Cut Christmas Trees Harvested, Mushrooms, and Sod Grown for Sale: 1997 and 1992—Con.**

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

Geographic area	1997				1992			
	Farms	Sq. ft. under glass or other protection	Acres in the open	Sales (\$1,000)	Farms	Sq. ft. under glass or other protection	Acres in the open	Sales (\$1,000)
<b>GREENHOUSE VEGETABLES</b>								
<b>State Total</b>								
Maine .....	65	147 481	(X)	515	52	107 271	(X)	326
<b>Counties</b>								
Androscoggin .....	6	17 360	(X)	33	4	4 532	(X)	9
Aroostook .....	6	17 880	(X)	51	5	(D)	(X)	23
Cumberland .....	3	(D)	(X)	(D)	(NA)	(NA)	(X)	(NA)
Hancock .....	9	(D)	(X)	50	5	10 664	(X)	30
Knox .....	4	21 816	(X)	(D)	5	16 900	(X)	(D)
Oxford .....	13	15 540	(X)	33	4	5 916	(X)	16
Penobscot .....	6	15 292	(X)	93	8	22 261	(X)	(D)
Waldo .....	4	6 600	(X)	8	4	6 715	(X)	16
York .....	4	(D)	(X)	12	5	4 437	(X)	9
All other counties.....	10	12 310	(X)	13	(NA)	(NA)	(X)	(NA)
<b>OTHER NURSERY AND GREENHOUSE CROPS</b>								
<b>State Total</b>								
Maine .....	334	48 093	5 037	1 288	9	(D)	(D)	118
<b>Counties</b>								
Androscoggin .....	13	(D)	63	(D)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Aroostook .....	58	(D)	1 584	52	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Cumberland .....	37	(D)	266	672	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Franklin .....	12	—	115	(D)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Hancock .....	21	—	447	(D)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Kennebec .....	27	(D)	306	(D)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Knox .....	7	—	35	(D)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Lincoln .....	17	—	112	(D)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Oxford .....	17	—	155	(D)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Penobscot .....	29	(D)	774	(D)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Piscataquis .....	14	—	321	(D)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Sagadahoc .....	8	(D)	61	(D)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Somerset .....	20	—	149	(Z)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Waldo .....	11	—	261	(D)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Washington .....	13	—	132	(D)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
York .....	30	—	255	(D)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

**Table 34. Other Crops: 1997 and 1992**

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

Geographic area	1997						1992					
	Harvested			Irrigated			Harvested			Irrigated		
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	
<b>HERBS, TOTAL (SEE TEXT) (POUNDS)</b>												
<b>State Total</b>												
Maine .....	39	(D)	(X)	20	6	45	(D)	(X)	16	(D)		
<b>Counties</b>												
Androscoggin .....	5	2	(X)	3	2	(NA)	(NA)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Cumberland .....	8	2	(X)	5	1	(NA)	(NA)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Hancock .....	6	1	(X)	3	1	(NA)	(NA)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Kennebec .....	3	1	(X)	1	(D)	(NA)	(NA)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Lincoln .....	3	1	(X)	2	(D)	(NA)	(NA)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Oxford .....	4	1	(X)	2	(D)	(NA)	(NA)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
York .....	5	1	(X)	1	(D)	(NA)	(NA)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
All other counties.....	5	(D)	(X)	3	(Z)	(NA)	(NA)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
<b>HERBS, DRIED (POUNDS)</b>												
<b>State Total</b>												
Maine .....	1	(D)	(D)	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
<b>Counties</b>												
Somerset .....	1	(D)	(D)	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

**Table 34. Other Crops: 1997 and 1992—Con.**

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

Geographic area	1997					1992				
	Harvested			Irrigated		Harvested			Irrigated	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres
<b>MAPLE TREES TAPPED (SEE TEXT) (NUMBER OF TAPS)</b>										
<b>State Total</b>										
Maine .....	263	10 197	787 142	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
<b>Counties</b>										
Androscoggin.....	8	11	2 525	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Aroostook.....	14	134	8 948	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Cumberland.....	11	43	3 839	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Franklin.....	26	(D)	9 935	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Hancock.....	4	10	274	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Kennebec.....	19	19	4 364	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Knox.....	4	(D)	(D)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Lincoln.....	11	15	2 018	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Oxford.....	24	26	10 509	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Penobscot.....	21	183	9 114	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Piscataquis.....	9	18	4 760	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Sagadahoc.....	5	5	455	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Somerset.....	61	7 551	710 794	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Waldo.....	11	17	4 450	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Washington.....	3	4	(D)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
York.....	32	894	12 777	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
<b>OTHER</b>										
<b>State Total</b>										
Maine .....	10	427	(X)	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)
<b>Counties</b>										
Aroostook.....	3	(D)	(X)	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)
All other counties.....	7	(D)	(X)	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)

**Table 35. Farms Operated by Black and Other Races by Value of Sales and Occupation: 1997 and 1992**

[For classification of social and ethnic groups, see text. For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Geographic area	Land in farms		Harvested cropland		Market value of agricultural products sold (\$1,000)	Farms by value of sales					
						Occupation farming			Occupation other than farming		
	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres		Less than \$2,500	\$2,500 to \$9,999	\$10,000 or more	Less than \$2,500	\$2,500 to \$9,999	\$10,000 or more
<b>STATE TOTAL</b>											
Maine ..... 1997..	20	8 691	19	1 830	1 440	1	5	6	2	2	4
1992..	9	(D)	7	(D)	(D)	1	2	2	1	3	—
<b>COUNTIES, 1997</b>											
Penobscot .....	6	393	5	91	14	1	2	—	2	1	—
Washington .....	4	(D)	4	(D)	(D)	—	1	1	—	—	1
All other counties .....	10	(D)	10	(D)	(D)	—	1	5	—	1	3

**Table 36. Farms Operated by Black and Other Races by Tenure: 1997 and 1992**

[For classification of social and ethnic groups, see text. For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Geographic area	Full owners			Part owners			Tenants		
	Number	Land in farms	Harvested cropland	Number	Land in farms	Harvested cropland	Number	Land in farms	Harvested cropland
<b>STATE TOTAL</b>									
Maine ..... 1997..	16	7 927	1 588	4	764	242	—	(NA)	(NA)
1992..	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
<b>COUNTIES, 1997</b>									
Penobscot .....	6	393	91	—	—	—	—	—	—
All other counties .....	10	7 534	1 497	4	764	242	—	—	—

**Table 37. Operators by Selected Racial Groups: 1997 and 1992**

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

Geographic area	All farms		Farms with sales of \$10,000 or more		
	Farms	Land in farms	Farms	Land in farms	
<b>BLACK</b>					
<b>State Total</b>					
Maine .....	1997.. 1992..	2 1	(D) (D)	1 -	(D) -
<b>Counties, 1997</b>					
Penobscot .....		1	(D) (D)	-	(D) -
Sagadahoc .....		1	(D) (D)	1	(D) -
<b>AMERICAN INDIAN</b>					
<b>State Total</b>					
Maine .....	1997.. 1992..	10 6	7 707 (D)	4 2	(D) (D)
<b>Counties, 1997</b>					
Penobscot .....		3	(D) (D)	-	(D) -
Washington .....		4	(D) (D)	2	(D) -
All other counties .....		3	317	2	(D) -
<b>ASIAN OR PACIFIC ISLANDER</b>					
<b>State Total</b>					
Maine .....	1997.. 1992..	6 1	(D) (D)	4 -	(D) -
<b>OTHER RACES (SEE TEXT)</b>					
<b>State Total</b>					
Maine .....	1997.. 1992..	2 1	(D) (D)	1 -	(D) -
<b>Counties, 1997</b>					
Lincoln .....		1	(D) (D)	1	(D) -
Penobscot .....		1	(D) (D)	-	(D) -

**Table 38. Operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin: 1997 and 1992**

[For classification of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin, see text. For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Geographic area	All farms		Farms with sales of \$10,000 or more		
	Farms	Land in farms	Farms	Land in farms	
<b>STATE TOTAL</b>					
Maine .....	1997.. 1992..	36 9	7 740 706	14 4	(D) 134
<b>COUNTIES, 1997</b>					
Franklin .....		3	270	1	(D)
Lincoln .....		5	200	2	(D)
Penobscot .....		4	(D)	-	(D)
Sagadahoc .....		3	316	2	(D)
Somerset .....		5	939	3	(D)
Waldo .....		4	736	2	(D)
All other counties .....		12	(D)	4	1 269

**Table 39. Farms With Grazing Permits: 1997 and 1992**

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

Geographic area	Land in farms		Farms by land in farms						Source of permits			
	Farms	Acres	Less than 100 acres	100 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 to 1,999 acres	2,000 acres or more	Forest service	Taylor grazing	Indian land	Other
<b>F FARMS WITH GRAZING PERMITS</b>												
<b>State Total</b>												
Maine.....1997..	1	4 587	6	7	2	1	1	—	—	—	1	1
1992..	17	(D)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	13