

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	Minnesota	Aitkin	Anoka	Becker	Beltrami	Benton	Big Stone	Blue Earth
NET CASH RETURN¹								
Net cash return from agricultural sales for the farm unit (see text)								
farms, 1997..	73 375	587	473	1 086	656	833	420	1 038
1992..	75 075	563	508	1 038	647	865	460	1 092
\$1,000, 1997..	1 835 509	1 392	6 126	25 762	3 573	22 550	12 374	70 067
1992..	1 216 890	2 999	3 635	13 131	3 240	16 175	12 542	21 600
Average per farm	dollars, 1997..	25 015	2 371	12 950	23 722	5 447	27 071	29 463
1992..	16 209	5 327	7 155	12 650	5 008	18 699	27 264	19 780
Farms with net gains ²	number, 1997..	41 752	237	191	534	314	448	276
1992..	45 772	308	196	546	351	485	316	759
\$1,000, 1997..	2 146 543	3 119	7 980	30 073	5 318	25 741	13 495	72 472
1992..	1 471 149	4 046	5 336	16 040	4 901	18 229	13 497	25 245
Average per farm	dollars, 1997..	51 412	13 159	41 779	56 316	16 935	57 458	48 895
1992..	32 141	13 135	27 223	29 377	13 962	37 585	42 713	32 283
Farms with net losses	number, 1997..	31 623	350	282	552	342	385	144
1992..	29 303	255	312	492	296	380	144	310
\$1,000, 1997..	311 034	1 727	1 854	4 311	1 745	3 191	1 121	2 404
1992..	254 258	1 047	1 701	2 909	1 660	2 054	956	3 645
Average per farm	dollars, 1997..	9 836	4 934	6 575	7 809	5 101	8 288	7 783
1992..	8 677	4 104	5 452	5 912	5 610	5 406	6 637	11 759
GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS								
Total received	farms, 1997..	46 977	107	106	540	191	458	350
1992..	38 514	58	96	347	132	333	339	789
\$1,000, 1997..	318 419	265	297	2 803	679	1 687	2 802	6 242
1992..	285 405	152	281	2 597	551	1 314	2 552	5 314
Average per farm	dollars, 1997..	6 778	2 477	2 803	5 190	3 553	3 683	8 007
1992..	7 410	2 615	2 931	7 485	4 172	3 947	7 528	8 064
Amount from Conservation Reserve and Wetlands Reserve Programs	farms, 1997..	14 524	27	26	255	70	70	121
1992..	10 400	7	6	162	40	56	106	164
\$1,000, 1997..	66 411	161	60	943	344	154	548	135
1992..	47 845	43	11	656	171	96	428	536
Average per farm	dollars, 1997..	4 573	5 981	2 297	3 697	4 909	2 201	4 527
1992..	4 601	6 205	1 844	4 047	4 264	1 721	4 035	3 270
OTHER FARM-RELATED INCOME¹								
Gross before taxes and expenses	farms, 1997..	36 817	169	105	484	258	375	241
1992..	30 393	147	127	372	191	265	237	509
\$1,000, 1997..	168 674	382	253	2 745	324	580	1 102	469
1992..	122 947	240	605	1 009	321	445	1 458	3 135
Average per farm	dollars, 1997..	4 581	2 263	2 405	5 671	1 257	4 547	1 699
1992..	4 045	1 632	4 767	2 712	1 681	1 681	6 154	6 160
Customwork and other agricultural services	farms, 1997..	6 627	24	20	48	9	33	64
1992..	7 525	14	31	76	36	31	80	111
\$1,000, 1997..	46 972	29	44	1 157	(D)	106	242	179
1992..	43 349	61	61	424	45	(D)	654	(D)
Rental of farmland	farms, 1997..	8 853	50	48	132	54	109	766
1992..	8 215	60	76	91	30	116	56	111
\$1,000, 1997..	69 609	42	73	871	(D)	209	61	84
1992..	50 439	40	475	249	53	174	320	1 643
Sales of forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products ³	farms, 1997..	1 431	77	11	66	36	7	—
1992..	1 118	63	16	51	27	4	6	1
\$1,000, 1997..	5 305	253	8	239	148	10	—	(D)
1992..	3 732	93	50	48	57	(D)	2	(D)
Other farm-related income sources	farms, 1997..	29 868	86	55	362	210	264	218
1992..	21 347	59	36	263	139	164	177	469
\$1,000, 1997..	46 789	59	129	477	(D)	255	540	345
1992..	25 427	46	20	288	167	135	276	821
DIRECT SALES								
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text)	farms, 1997..	3 145	35	57	44	41	54	11
1992..	2 771	31	58	42	25	45	8	49
\$1,000, 1997..	14 198	69	255	101	67	192	77	281
1992..	9 434	65	172	80	31	72	34	68
Average per farm	dollars, 1997..	4 515	1 967	4 468	2 290	1 635	3 556	7 040
1992..	3 404	2 110	2 968	1 897	1 227	1 598	4 217	5 743
COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS								
Total	farms, 1997..	9 618	—	11	46	2	65	104
1992..	12 032	2	6	56	14	60	138	260
\$1,000, 1997..	426 691	—	238	2 053	(D)	1 513	3 935	327
1992..	396 050	(D)	37	2 215	211	993	4 324	15 990
Corn	farms, 1997..	7 589	—	10	13	—	56	238
1992..	9 051	1	5	10	2	53	84	295
\$1,000, 1997..	236 512	—	191	114	—	1 017	1 798	9 731
1992..	221 177	(D)	(D)	61	(D)	812	1 360	10 181
Wheat	farms, 1997..	1 295	—	—	35	2	—	—
1992..	2 021	—	—	41	8	2	25	—
\$1,000, 1997..	34 966	—	—	1 028	(D)	—	67	1
1992..	49 710	—	—	1 126	158	(D)	264	—
Soybeans	farms, 1997..	4 797	—	4	18	—	16	156
1992..	4 790	—	1	13	—	—	18	125
\$1,000, 1997..	149 912	—	47	842	—	495	1 872	156
1992..	113 259	—	(D)	482	—	179	1 981	125

See footnotes at end of table.

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.

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Item	Brown	Carlton	Carver	Cass	Chippewa	Chisago	Clay	Clearwater
NET CASH RETURN¹								
Net cash return from agricultural sales for the farm unit (see text)								
..... farms, 1997..	1 053	527	779	598	618	761	889	570
..... 1992..	1 190	510	901	596	689	778	874	583
..... \$1,000, 1997..	50 937	500	11 618	4 602	19 558	7 523	25 170	3 523
..... 1992..	25 885	2 447	18 745	3 111	13 735	3 505	22 660	6 152
Average per farm	48 373	949	14 914	7 695	31 647	9 885	28 313	6 181
..... 1992..	21 752	4 797	20 805	5 220	19 934	4 505	25 927	10 552
Farms with net gains ²								
..... number, 1997..	797	177	370	293	462	301	492	296
..... 1992..	940	198	574	322	445	311	581	378
..... \$1,000, 1997..	55 536	2 210	15 138	6 635	21 487	10 104	30 893	5 354
..... 1992..	28 600	3 451	21 240	4 193	16 586	6 179	26 759	7 309
Average per farm	69 682	12 488	40 912	22 646	46 508	33 568	62 792	18 087
..... 1992..	30 426	17 429	37 004	13 020	37 272	19 867	46 057	19 336
Farms with net losses								
..... number, 1997..	256	350	409	305	156	460	397	274
..... 1992..	250	312	327	274	244	467	293	205
..... \$1,000, 1997..	4 599	1 710	3 519	2 034	1 929	2 581	5 723	1 831
..... 1992..	2 715	1 004	2 495	1 081	2 851	2 674	4 099	1 157
Average per farm	17 965	4 886	8 604	6 668	12 362	5 611	14 416	6 681
..... 1992..	10 859	3 219	7 629	3 946	11 686	5 725	13 991	5 645
GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS								
Total received								
..... farms, 1997..	818	57	474	130	498	299	653	203
..... 1992..	783	40	381	97	431	284	538	127
..... \$1,000, 1997..	4 912	103	1 970	277	4 174	918	6 941	553
..... 1992..	3 871	111	1 563	211	3 141	880	7 085	381
Average per farm	6 005	1 812	4 156	2 131	8 381	3 069	10 630	2 723
..... 1992..	4 944	2 770	4 102	2 174	7 287	3 098	13 170	3 003
Amount from Conservation Reserve and Wetlands Reserve Programs								
..... farms, 1997..	134	13	77	30	115	66	247	57
..... 1992..	111	5	61	18	101	49	148	35
..... \$1,000, 1997..	452	(D)	146	75	351	102	1 683	235
..... 1992..	262	15	159	31	330	78	1 023	102
Average per farm	3 375	(D)	1 891	2 498	3 053	1 543	6 815	4 127
..... 1992..	2 359	3 022	2 604	1 732	3 270	1 593	6 910	2 903
OTHER FARM-RELATED INCOME¹								
Gross before taxes and expenses								
..... farms, 1997..	638	134	463	192	316	256	465	242
..... 1992..	542	148	335	91	334	185	382	208
..... \$1,000, 1997..	2 593	196	1 901	219	2 624	568	2 240	547
..... 1992..	2 616	118	1 119	563	2 553	436	2 408	452
Average per farm	4 065	1 462	4 105	1 138	8 304	2 217	4 818	2 260
..... 1992..	4 826	800	3 340	6 189	7 645	2 356	6 304	2 173
Customwork and other agricultural services								
..... farms, 1997..	112	44	77	28	39	50	120	33
..... 1992..	159	45	81	48	106	47	110	45
..... \$1,000, 1997..	693	53	410	52	(D)	255	(D)	101
..... 1992..	1 320	36	(D)	498	1 205	104	754	41
Rental of farmland								
..... farms, 1997..	82	29	95	73	50	116	143	54
..... 1992..	62	22	138	14	106	107	133	44
..... \$1,000, 1997..	745	11	366	63	1 210	149	1 041	300
..... 1992..	633	4	437	(D)	768	269	1 120	51
Sales of forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products ³								
..... farms, 1997..	10	40	10	31	1	38	1	38
..... 1992..	—	25	2	2	—	17	6	63
..... \$1,000, 1997..	3	92	5	54	(D)	50	(D)	111
..... 1992..	—	39	(D)	(D)	—	29	3	311
Other farm-related income sources								
..... farms, 1997..	606	54	399	85	293	137	354	175
..... 1992..	479	76	223	41	240	80	250	120
..... \$1,000, 1997..	1 153	40	1 121	50	1 032	114	692	35
..... 1992..	663	40	348	(D)	581	34	531	49
DIRECT SALES								
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text)								
..... farms, 1997..	15	47	46	33	32	65	26	27
..... 1992..	20	34	41	40	27	59	23	18
..... \$1,000, 1997..	33	174	207	37	143	139	333	51
..... 1992..	28	98	218	46	131	102	59	33
Average per farm	2 176	3 696	4 494	1 111	4 479	2 137	12 808	1 881
..... 1992..	1 403	2 883	5 321	1 162	4 867	1 724	2 577	1 812
COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS								
Total								
..... farms, 1997..	178	1	59	8	126	50	87	7
..... 1992..	250	1	86	5	192	55	115	14
..... \$1,000, 1997..	5 501	(D)	2 267	103	4 907	1 060	4 060	27
..... 1992..	5 290	(D)	1 810	36	5 885	1 054	3 665	128
Corn								
..... farms, 1997..	153	1	52	8	109	42	17	4
..... 1992..	216	—	75	4	162	48	28	4
..... \$1,000, 1997..	3 399	(D)	1 367	103	2 800	698	418	19
..... 1992..	3 840	—	1 124	(D)	3 768	724	268	5
Wheat								
..... farms, 1997..	3	—	1	—	2	—	63	3
..... 1992..	1	—	2	—	22	—	87	13
..... \$1,000, 1997..	(D)	—	(D)	—	(D)	—	2 236	6
..... 1992..	(D)	—	(D)	—	(D)	—	2 387	100
Soybeans								
..... farms, 1997..	105	—	32	—	68	19	34	—
..... 1992..	99	—	34	1	97	22	30	1
..... \$1,000, 1997..	2 093	—	900	—	2 105	(D)	1 272	—
..... 1992..	1 448	—	680	(D)	2 048	289	715	(D)

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Item	Cook	Cottonwood	Crow Wing	Dakota	Dodge	Douglas	Faribault	Fillmore
NET CASH RETURN¹								
Net cash return from agricultural sales for the farm unit (see text)								
farms, 1997..	11	784	593	889	674	1 041	878	1 546
1992..	7	876	508	870	739	957	1 016	1 618
\$1,000, 1997..	18	38 831	875	18 888	26 310	10 694	46 432	35 388
1992..	11	22 977	2 281	15 228	8 961	10 757	21 317	20 894
Average per farm	1 593	49 530	1 475	21 247	39 036	10 273	52 884	22 890
1992..	1 629	26 229	4 490	17 503	12 126	11 241	20 982	12 913
Farms with net gains ²								
number, 1997..	4	597	219	461	397	488	699	983
1992..	4	674	250	478	402	546	718	936
\$1,000, 1997..	46	42 589	3 318	23 621	29 111	14 380	48 885	39 448
1992..	18	25 733	3 553	19 138	12 604	12 993	25 506	26 267
Average per farm	11 601	71 339	15 150	51 240	73 328	29 468	69 936	40 130
1992..	4 607	38 179	14 212	40 037	31 354	23 797	35 524	28 063
Farms with net losses								
number, 1997..	7	187	374	428	277	553	179	563
1992..	3	202	258	392	337	411	298	682
\$1,000, 1997..	29	3 758	2 443	4 733	2 801	3 687	2 453	4 060
1992..	7	2 756	1 272	3 910	3 643	2 236	4 189	5 373
Average per farm	4 126	20 097	6 532	11 059	10 112	6 667	13 706	7 211
1992..	2 342	13 642	4 930	9 975	10 811	5 440	14 057	7 879
GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS								
Total received								
farms, 1997..	1	650	169	454	456	759	682	1 040
1992..	—	664	104	388	462	410	664	951
\$1,000, 1997..	(D)	5 656	387	2 880	3 780	2 887	7 089	6 430
1992..	—	5 306	272	3 114	3 811	1 977	6 088	6 626
Average per farm	(D)	8 702	2 291	6 343	8 290	3 803	10 394	6 182
1992..	—	7 991	2 616	8 025	8 248	4 822	9 169	6 967
Amount from Conservation Reserve and Wetlands Reserve Programs								
farms, 1997..	—	206	51	130	101	376	80	373
1992..	—	189	25	106	90	205	93	318
\$1,000, 1997..	—	773	111	423	312	1 412	173	1 780
1992..	—	631	77	381	307	816	202	1 882
Average per farm	—	3 754	2 170	3 255	3 092	3 755	2 164	4 771
1992..	—	3 336	3 097	3 596	3 416	3 981	2 174	5 918
OTHER FARM-RELATED INCOME¹								
Gross before taxes and expenses								
farms, 1997..	2	500	184	389	309	525	371	723
1992..	4	432	134	282	260	497	424	653
\$1,000, 1997..	(D)	3 930	342	2 409	1 598	1 364	2 258	4 098
1992..	24	2 417	224	1 704	1 658	1 101	1 766	2 458
Average per farm	(D)	7 859	1 856	6 193	5 170	2 598	6 087	5 668
1992..	5 900	5 595	1 673	6 042	6 377	2 215	4 166	3 765
Customwork and other agricultural services								
farms, 1997..	—	112	27	97	80	48	98	148
1992..	2	116	52	80	85	142	138	216
\$1,000, 1997..	—	732	43	903	676	265	841	2 104
1992..	(D)	711	138	1 022	1 135	345	729	1 090
Rental of farmland								
farms, 1997..	—	87	41	86	88	134	117	194
1992..	—	123	41	95	59	94	83	236
\$1,000, 1997..	—	2 009	63	980	411	634	1 146	1 151
1992..	—	1 298	34	471	416	428	784	781
Sales of forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products ³								
farms, 1997..	2	6	39	—	10	11	—	39
1992..	2	—	3	10	—	10	—	25
\$1,000, 1997..	(D)	17	132	—	19	3	—	271
1992..	(D)	—	12	30	—	2	—	202
Other farm-related income sources								
farms, 1997..	—	439	94	268	199	446	245	509
1992..	—	289	50	148	154	401	309	331
\$1,000, 1997..	—	1 172	103	526	492	462	271	572
1992..	—	409	40	181	108	327	254	385
DIRECT SALES								
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text)								
farms, 1997..	3	12	35	111	17	32	22	46
1992..	1	13	30	78	21	44	24	40
\$1,000, 1997..	(D)	13	102	553	78	150	16	115
1992..	(D)	29	141	528	21	123	32	129
Average per farm	(D)	1 062	2 911	4 986	4 589	4 696	717	2 509
1992..	(D)	2 209	4 710	6 769	1 008	2 791	1 331	3 223
COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS								
Total								
farms, 1997..	—	240	5	97	130	63	226	190
1992..	—	338	5	140	169	65	288	243
\$1,000, 1997..	—	11 640	31	4 850	8 240	977	16 406	6 747
1992..	—	12 538	23	5 100	6 579	843	12 119	6 194
Corn								
farms, 1997..	—	195	5	94	118	44	200	179
1992..	—	274	3	124	154	36	266	221
\$1,000, 1997..	—	6 740	(D)	3 512	5 618	465	11 036	4 998
1992..	—	7 344	(D)	3 770	4 266	305	8 752	4 923
Wheat								
farms, 1997..	—	—	—	3	—	1	—	1
1992..	—	5	—	8	—	26	—	1
\$1,000, 1997..	—	—	—	(D)	(D)	97	—	(D)
1992..	—	(D)	—	16	—	197	—	(D)
Soybeans								
farms, 1997..	—	155	—	45	67	22	121	76
1992..	—	195	—	62	80	27	108	81
\$1,000, 1997..	—	(D)	—	(D)	2 622	398	(D)	1 747
1992..	—	5 181	—	1 276	2 309	306	(D)	1 193

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Item	Freeborn	Goodhue	Grant	Hennepin	Houston	Hubbard	Isanti	Itasca
NET CASH RETURN¹								
Net cash return from agricultural sales for the farm unit (see text)								
..... farms, 1997..	1 151	1 488	468	573	955	431	745	415
..... 1992..	1 154	1 540	471	683	973	389	679	421
..... \$1,000, 1997..	39 978	34 945	17 089	8 556	18 086	2 609	2 569	753
..... 1992..	16 320	24 886	9 719	6 507	15 469	3 099	1 539	1 168
Average per farm	34 733	23 484	36 514	14 932	18 938	6 053	3 448	1 815
..... dollars, 1997..								
..... 1992..	14 142	16 159	20 634	9 527	15 899	7 965	2 267	2 774
Farms with net gains ²								
..... number, 1997..	775	871	279	237	564	186	308	194
..... 1992..	684	895	362	282	596	140	229	212
..... \$1,000, 1997..	44 227	40 926	18 696	11 809	21 468	3 653	5 823	1 763
..... 1992..	21 548	30 719	10 871	9 368	18 434	4 002	4 349	2 186
Average per farm	57 067	46 988	67 010	49 829	38 063	19 642	18 907	9 087
..... dollars, 1997..								
..... 1992..	31 504	34 323	30 031	33 221	30 930	28 585	18 992	10 309
Farms with net losses								
..... number, 1997..	376	617	189	336	391	245	437	221
..... 1992..	470	645	109	401	377	249	450	209
..... \$1,000, 1997..	4 249	5 982	1 607	3 253	3 382	1 044	3 255	1 010
..... 1992..	5 228	5 834	1 153	2 861	2 965	903	2 810	1 018
Average per farm	11 301	9 695	8 503	9 683	8 650	4 263	7 448	4 568
..... dollars, 1997..								
..... 1992..	11 124	9 045	10 577	7 135	7 864	3 628	6 244	4 870
GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS								
Total received								
..... farms, 1997..	854	927	405	165	653	137	325	35
..... 1992..	773	779	339	137	516	95	240	23
..... \$1,000, 1997..	7 157	5 064	3 582	640	3 391	506	1 290	68
..... 1992..	6 453	4 786	3 041	422	2 604	350	1 122	31
Average per farm	8 380	5 463	8 843	3 880	5 193	3 692	3 969	1 938
..... dollars, 1997..								
..... 1992..	8 348	6 144	8 972	3 083	5 047	3 681	4 675	1 348
Amount from Conservation Reserve and Wetlands Reserve Programs								
..... farms, 1997..	239	304	183	30	253	66	83	9
..... 1992..	199	233	94	23	158	31	43	3
..... \$1,000, 1997..	861	843	834	46	1 096	251	156	28
..... 1992..	746	739	405	24	636	66	105	(D)
Average per farm	3 600	2 772	4 559	1 522	4 332	3 804	1 879	3 109
..... dollars, 1997..								
..... 1992..	3 747	3 172	4 306	1 056	4 026	2 132	2 446	(D)
OTHER FARM-RELATED INCOME¹								
Gross before taxes and expenses								
..... farms, 1997..	619	877	299	305	444	172	314	158
..... 1992..	541	732	279	285	377	115	194	129
..... \$1,000, 1997..	1 974	3 707	1 812	928	1 881	496	454	275
..... 1992..	2 603	3 155	2 028	639	1 383	335	482	420
Average per farm	3 190	4 227	6 061	3 044	4 236	2 885	1 446	1 741
..... dollars, 1997..								
..... 1992..	4 811	4 310	7 270	2 243	3 669	2 911	2 483	3 258
Customwork and other agricultural services								
..... farms, 1997..	103	166	22	49	47	26	62	13
..... 1992..	136	194	80	64	103	21	62	15
..... \$1,000, 1997..	529	1 261	118	216	594	140	173	11
..... 1992..	868	1 321	442	169	294	66	180	12
Rental of farmland								
..... farms, 1997..	145	219	103	146	107	42	82	17
..... 1992..	153	194	104	135	139	20	82	38
..... \$1,000, 1997..	971	1 616	1 065	606	555	67	166	6
..... 1992..	1 501	1 229	1 247	227	643	25	203	134
Sales of forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products ³								
..... farms, 1997..	—	1	—	16	67	53	6	55
..... 1992..	—	10	—	1	38	50	25	75
..... \$1,000, 1997..	—	(D)	—	9	405	266	2	233
..... 1992..	—	32	(D)	(D)	302	189	57	243
Other farm-related income sources								
..... farms, 1997..	521	738	235	159	337	84	221	111
..... 1992..	376	565	252	112	235	73	72	32
..... \$1,000, 1997..	474	(D)	629	97	326	24	113	24
..... 1992..	234	573	(D)	(D)	144	54	41	32
DIRECT SALES								
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text)								
..... farms, 1997..	35	95	10	90	28	33	80	53
..... 1992..	36	71	13	69	37	35	68	33
..... \$1,000, 1997..	84	204	11	726	164	47	233	146
..... 1992..	57	186	8	790	277	107	169	73
Average per farm	2 397	2 147	1 098	8 071	5 855	1 432	2 910	2 758
..... dollars, 1997..								
..... 1992..	1 578	2 625	644	11 446	7 485	3 062	2 485	2 219
COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS								
Total								
..... farms, 1997..	251	200	70	21	82	5	40	3
..... 1992..	318	213	122	19	103	5	53	1
..... \$1,000, 1997..	12 201	7 709	2 618	474	1 919	48	2 418	5
..... 1992..	12 975	6 039	4 056	421	1 444	163	1 242	(D)
Corn								
..... farms, 1997..	229	181	34	19	80	5	36	2
..... 1992..	294	203	44	12	102	4	44	—
..... \$1,000, 1997..	7 907	6 069	684	284	1 570	48	1 713	(D)
..... 1992..	9 889	4 567	879	(D)	1 392	(D)	923	(D)
Wheat								
..... farms, 1997..	—	1	37	1	—	—	—	—
..... 1992..	—	1	72	1	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000, 1997..	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	—	—	—
..... 1992..	—	(D)	1 315	(D)	—	—	—	(D)
Soybeans								
..... farms, 1997..	129	67	45	6	19	—	25	2
..... 1992..	126	88	64	7	7	—	17	—
..... \$1,000, 1997..	(D)	1 636	1 299	(D)	(D)	—	706	(D)
..... 1992..	3 086	1 467	1 725	260	(D)	—	(D)	—

See footnotes at end of table.

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	Jackson	Kanabec	Kandiyohi	Kittson	Koochiching	Lac qui Parle	Lake	Lake of the Woods
NET CASH RETURN¹								
Net cash return from agricultural sales for the farm unit (see text)								
farms, 1997..	963	625	1 134	559	213	790	37	196
1992..	1 028	649	1 113	522	189	867	35	177
\$1,000, 1997..	43 595	1 664	30 581	3 331	291	31 661	-47	824
1992..	22 954	3 294	27 416	12 212	799	14 160	-76	20
Average per farm	45 270	2 663	26 967	5 959	1 367	40 077	-1 262	4 204
1992..	22 329	5 075	24 632	23 396	4 228	16 333	-2 170	112
Farms with net gains ²								
number, 1997..	701	210	591	194	86	575	9	79
1992..	713	268	704	346	85	565	13	61
\$1,000, 1997..	46 563	4 289	43 552	9 046	1 108	33 810	32	1 799
1992..	27 070	4 647	31 869	14 887	1 361	17 599	20	981
Average per farm	66 423	20 423	73 692	46 628	12 879	58 799	3 507	22 775
1992..	37 966	17 338	45 268	43 026	16 010	31 149	1 570	16 083
Farms with net losses								
number, 1997..	262	415	543	365	127	215	28	117
1992..	315	381	409	176	104	302	22	116
\$1,000, 1997..	2 967	2 625	12 972	5 715	817	2 149	78	975
1992..	4 116	1 353	4 453	2 675	562	3 439	96	961
Average per farm	11 325	6 324	23 889	15 657	6 429	9 994	2 795	8 335
1992..	13 067	3 551	10 888	15 197	5 403	11 386	4 381	8 286
GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS								
Total received								
farms, 1997..	749	177	856	466	42	656	2	108
1992..	727	149	663	403	27	641	2	89
\$1,000, 1997..	5 523	452	6 348	7 394	220	5 340	(D)	603
1992..	6 014	424	4 682	7 827	86	5 395	(D)	678
Average per farm	7 373	2 551	7 416	15 867	5 245	8 141	(D)	5 580
1992..	8 273	2 848	7 062	19 422	3 180	8 417	(D)	7 621
Amount from Conservation Reserve and Wetlands Reserve Programs								
farms, 1997..	149	36	368	262	10	283	-	40
1992..	122	28	238	157	2	252	-	19
\$1,000, 1997..	497	56	1 479	2 765	126	1 583	-	235
1992..	413	29	943	1 553	(D)	1 457	-	60
Average per farm	3 338	1 558	4 018	10 554	12 557	5 593	-	5 865
1992..	3 388	1 040	3 961	9 893	(D)	5 783	-	3 163
OTHER FARM-RELATED INCOME¹								
Gross before taxes and expenses								
farms, 1997..	622	340	543	254	85	495	4	95
1992..	483	252	475	254	62	377	12	99
\$1,000, 1997..	3 984	505	3 357	1 773	239	2 900	6	322
1992..	2 769	304	1 998	1 457	59	1 522	18	224
Average per farm	6 405	1 487	6 183	6 979	2 813	5 859	1 398	3 387
1992..	5 732	1 207	4 207	5 735	954	4 036	1 519	2 268
Customwork and other agricultural services								
farms, 1997..	115	56	115	40	12	85	2	9
1992..	105	33	120	68	6	74	5	23
\$1,000, 1997..	826	192	999	714	29	475	(D)	13
1992..	1 086	80	673	884	2	555	(D)	86
Rental of farmland								
farms, 1997..	128	85	132	105	21	117	1	22
1992..	116	91	111	88	19	89	2	20
\$1,000, 1997..	2 234	162	1 556	753	34	1 672	(D)	138
1992..	1 183	113	941	352	17	513	(D)	11
Sales of forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products ³								
farms, 1997..	-	21	-	15	32	-	2	20
1992..	-	39	-	-	32	-	5	40
\$1,000, 1997..	-	32	-	43	156	-	(D)	142
1992..	-	29	-	-	39	-	7	102
Other farm-related income sources								
farms, 1997..	580	238	477	207	49	447	1	74
1992..	373	180	328	190	21	301	1	77
\$1,000, 1997..	925	119	802	263	20	753	(D)	29
1992..	500	82	384	221	2	454	(D)	25
DIRECT SALES								
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text)								
farms, 1997..	16	37	39	11	7	7	7	7
1992..	17	26	49	4	8	12	5	6
\$1,000, 1997..	57	188	123	21	31	12	8	(D)
1992..	23	75	98	(D)	20	24	5	3
Average per farm	3 534	5 090	3 162	1 873	4 385	1 750	1 139	(D)
1992..	1 382	2 894	2 005	(D)	2 551	2 021	967	552
COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS								
Total								
farms, 1997..	248	14	196	108	1	186	-	6
1992..	280	19	242	142	1	272	-	15
\$1,000, 1997..	11 010	382	8 130	5 447	(D)	7 113	-	417
1992..	9 574	163	7 325	6 087	(D)	8 116	-	197
Corn								
farms, 1997..	210	12	164	2	1	147	-	-
1992..	245	14	209	-	-	207	-	-
\$1,000, 1997..	6 055	245	5 359	(D)	(D)	3 715	-	-
1992..	6 644	108	5 485	-	-	4 226	-	-
Wheat								
farms, 1997..	1	-	8	103	1	24	-	6
1992..	-	-	19	134	-	72	-	13
\$1,000, 1997..	(D)	-	30	4 528	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
1992..	-	-	54	5 654	-	557	-	150
Soybeans								
farms, 1997..	164	8	96	8	-	132	-	-
1992..	118	6	94	-	-	135	-	-
\$1,000, 1997..	(D)	137	2 742	(D)	-	3 275	-	-
1992..	2 929	(D)	1 699	-	-	3 261	-	-

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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	Le Sueur	Lincoln	Lyon	McLeod	Mahnomen	Marshall	Martin	Meeker
NET CASH RETURN¹								
Net cash return from agricultural sales for the farm unit (see text)								
..... farms, 1997..	878	724	930	1 008	341	1 146	987	1 016
..... 1992..	844	695	947	1 114	368	1 012	1 122	1 075
..... \$1,000, 1997..	15 506	15 097	32 309	19 331	155	8 213	78 074	24 842
..... 1992..	10 286	8 318	21 066	14 514	3 244	23 958	24 523	13 725
Average per farm	17 661	20 852	34 741	19 177	453	7 166	79 102	24 451
..... dollars, 1997..	12 187	11 968	22 245	13 028	8 815	23 674	21 856	12 768
..... 1992..								
Farms with net gains ²								
..... number, 1997..	434	393	607	609	113	437	777	543
..... 1992..	466	418	624	22 749	199	718	764	679
..... \$1,000, 1997..	19 092	17 702	37 526	22 083	2 732	18 320	80 879	27 752
..... 1992..	13 136	11 963	24 585	17 116	4 881	27 320	29 154	17 596
Average per farm	43 991	45 044	61 822	36 261	24 181	41 922	104 092	51 108
..... dollars, 1997..	28 190	28 619	39 400	22 852	24 527	38 050	38 160	25 914
..... 1992..								
Farms with net losses								
..... number, 1997..	444	331	323	399	228	709	210	473
..... 1992..	378	277	323	365	169	294	358	396
..... \$1,000, 1997..	3 586	2 606	5 217	2 752	2 578	10 107	2 806	2 910
..... 1992..	2 851	3 645	3 519	2 602	1 637	3 362	4 632	3 871
Average per farm	8 076	7 872	16 152	6 898	11 307	14 256	13 360	6 152
..... dollars, 1997..	7 541	13 159	10 895	7 130	9 687	11 435	12 938	9 774
..... 1992..								
GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS								
Total received								
..... farms, 1997..	649	589	754	681	256	978	757	739
..... 1992..	495	491	630	467	198	754	765	569
..... \$1,000, 1997..	3 855	4 800	5 559	3 219	1 969	11 928	6 986	3 893
..... 1992..	2 971	3 844	4 678	2 482	1 822	12 490	6 241	3 456
Average per farm	5 940	8 150	7 373	4 727	7 693	12 197	9 228	5 268
..... dollars, 1997..	6 003	7 828	7 425	5 314	9 204	16 564	8 158	6 074
..... 1992..								
Amount from Conservation Reserve and Wetlands Reserve Programs								
..... farms, 1997..	311	331	251	117	65	545	61	268
..... 1992..	208	224	189	110	59	310	75	202
..... \$1,000, 1997..	1 133	2 364	1 031	244	403	5 321	121	863
..... 1992..	780	1 804	918	205	282	3 095	226	647
Average per farm	3 643	7 142	4 106	2 081	6 201	9 763	1 983	3 220
..... dollars, 1997..	3 751	8 053	4 859	1 863	4 779	9 983	3 009	3 201
..... 1992..								
OTHER FARM-RELATED INCOME¹								
Gross before taxes and expenses								
..... farms, 1997..	487	385	519	596	217	515	538	464
..... 1992..	347	263	373	556	173	407	517	436
..... \$1,000, 1997..	2 417	2 226	2 773	2 156	973	2 418	2 869	1 604
..... 1992..	1 747	1 335	1 443	1 670	1 333	2 765	2 774	1 905
Average per farm	4 964	5 782	5 342	3 617	4 482	4 696	5 333	3 456
..... dollars, 1997..	5 034	5 078	3 870	3 004	7 704	6 794	5 365	4 370
..... 1992..								
Customwork and other agricultural services								
..... farms, 1997..	109	71	93	84	27	84	116	80
..... 1992..	102	77	94	119	47	130	124	160
..... \$1,000, 1997..	768	323	1 184	582	485	492	812	445
..... 1992..	1 005	400	316	392	(D)	1 080	930	1 150
Rental of farmland								
..... farms, 1997..	121	137	128	123	47	175	93	121
..... 1992..	64	121	96	108	49	123	124	58
..... \$1,000, 1997..	1 101	1 476	893	862	(D)	1 187	1 316	637
..... 1992..	391	761	678	800	532	1 280	1 520	(D)
Sales of forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products ³								
..... farms, 1997..	5	—	—	18	1	19	—	13
..... 1992..	—	—	—	13	2	1	—	1
..... \$1,000, 1997..	1	—	—	29	(D)	44	—	38
..... 1992..	—	—	—	12	(D)	(D)	—	(D)
Other farm-related income sources								
..... farms, 1997..	402	308	467	522	182	400	439	366
..... 1992..	285	162	286	432	121	267	361	345
..... \$1,000, 1997..	547	427	696	683	363	696	741	483
..... 1992..	350	174	450	466	501	(D)	324	457
DIRECT SALES								
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text)								
..... farms, 1997..	38	12	22	50	14	17	28	57
..... 1992..	31	13	24	38	13	11	20	44
..... \$1,000, 1997..	60	11	19	141	17	24	47	155
..... 1992..	48	15	17	85	29	7	48	101
Average per farm	1 578	929	860	2 823	1 231	1 425	1 676	2 711
..... dollars, 1997..	1 554	1 179	693	2 230	2 227	610	2 391	2 291
..... 1992..								
COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS								
Total								
..... farms, 1997..	135	150	187	114	51	161	322	136
..... 1992..	169	143	267	139	58	229	406	172
..... \$1,000, 1997..	7 238	4 081	9 353	4 091	1 625	6 540	19 371	4 909
..... 1992..	6 520	2 795	8 634	4 573	1 717	10 404	18 094	4 928
Corn								
..... farms, 1997..	120	126	157	90	6	7	293	113
..... 1992..	145	113	225	112	8	—	363	139
..... \$1,000, 1997..	4 466	2 147	5 067	2 254	40	124	12 387	2 689
..... 1992..	4 037	1 809	4 937	2 616	(D)	—	12 049	3 247
Wheat								
..... farms, 1997..	3	14	8	5	47	152	1	8
..... 1992..	7	17	12	8	38	210	1	6
..... \$1,000, 1997..	(D)	68	10	(D)	976	5 329	(D)	6
..... 1992..	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	853	8 977	(D)	29
Soybeans								
..... farms, 1997..	91	89	122	77	19	12	175	83
..... 1992..	86	63	134	81	5	4	226	92
..... \$1,000, 1997..	(D)	1 865	4 276	1 832	464	274	(D)	2 234
..... 1992..	2 464	941	3 507	1 939	137	(D)	6 031	1 631

See footnotes at end of table.

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	Mille Lacs	Morrison	Mower	Murray	Nicollet	Nobles	Norman	Olmsted
NET CASH RETURN¹								
Net cash return from agricultural sales for the farm unit (see text)								
..... farms, 1997..	710	1 808	1 124	836	723	1 021	672	1 316
..... 1992..	738	1 806	1 214	903	786	1 198	581	1 270
..... \$1,000, 1997..	3 747	29 333	46 891	25 973	46 567	31 967	7 148	28 499
..... 1992..	5 279	23 260	19 823	19 059	21 137	26 717	17 110	12 531
Average per farm	5 278	16 224	41 718	31 068	64 408	31 310	10 636	21 656
..... 1992..	7 153	12 879	16 329	21 106	26 892	22 301	29 449	9 867
Farms with net gains ²								
..... number, 1997..	323	1 024	783	600	531	743	307	768
..... 1992..	400	919	849	650	587	875	407	635
..... \$1,000, 1997..	6 012	34 930	49 311	29 502	48 349	36 818	14 348	32 274
..... 1992..	7 064	29 986	24 169	22 076	23 158	30 214	19 051	18 494
Average per farm	18 611	34 111	62 977	49 170	91 052	49 553	46 737	42 023
..... 1992..	17 660	32 629	28 467	33 963	39 452	34 530	46 808	29 125
Farms with net losses								
..... number, 1997..	387	784	341	236	192	278	365	548
..... 1992..	338	887	365	253	199	323	174	635
..... \$1,000, 1997..	2 264	5 597	2 420	3 529	1 782	4 851	7 201	3 775
..... 1992..	1 785	6 726	4 345	3 017	2 021	3 497	1 941	5 964
Average per farm	5 851	7 139	7 096	14 954	9 279	17 448	19 728	6 888
..... 1992..	5 281	7 583	11 904	11 926	10 157	10 826	11 156	9 392
GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS								
Total received								
..... farms, 1997..	285	967	807	662	556	812	543	881
..... 1992..	190	640	792	657	445	857	421	708
..... \$1,000, 1997..	726	2 683	6 598	4 718	4 191	5 103	6 582	5 132
..... 1992..	489	1 876	6 492	4 711	2 877	5 120	7 218	4 811
Average per farm	2 547	2 775	8 176	7 127	7 538	6 284	12 121	5 825
..... 1992..	2 572	2 932	8 197	7 171	6 465	5 975	17 146	6 795
Amount from Conservation Reserve and Wetlands Reserve Programs								
..... farms, 1997..	14	224	136	143	45	98	226	401
..... 1992..	12	160	152	144	46	98	147	275
..... \$1,000, 1997..	31	538	446	530	119	194	2 089	1 561
..... 1992..	6	477	820	747	60	301	1 468	1 350
Average per farm	2 189	2 400	3 280	3 704	2 636	1 984	9 245	3 894
..... 1992..	470	2 982	5 395	5 186	1 312	3 070	9 988	4 910
OTHER FARM-RELATED INCOME¹								
Gross before taxes and expenses								
..... farms, 1997..	350	846	613	503	430	605	345	648
..... 1992..	329	680	519	357	327	539	274	455
..... \$1,000, 1997..	792	1 776	3 703	3 427	2 204	3 434	2 818	2 883
..... 1992..	458	1 215	1 918	1 718	1 158	2 038	1 575	1 449
Average per farm	2 261	2 099	6 040	6 813	5 125	5 676	8 168	4 450
..... 1992..	1 393	1 787	3 697	4 813	3 542	3 781	5 747	3 184
Customwork and other agricultural services								
..... farms, 1997..	49	103	150	140	57	181	71	130
..... 1992..	57	74	156	148	85	106	76	142
..... \$1,000, 1997..	380	333	1 993	911	449	1 192	273	428
..... 1992..	209	457	841	754	405	(D)	453	652
Rental of farmland								
..... farms, 1997..	69	187	90	111	95	107	104	154
..... 1992..	50	215	134	64	57	88	83	147
..... \$1,000, 1997..	95	391	1 032	1 896	920	1 634	1 803	1 415
..... 1992..	35	355	719	715	336	968	711	484
Sales of forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products ³								
..... farms, 1997..	36	67	1	7	7	-	8	-
..... 1992..	31	58	1	1	10	1	-	2
..... \$1,000, 1997..	214	242	(D)	14	37	-	8	-
..... 1992..	53	102	(D)	(D)	15	(D)	-	(D)
Other farm-related income sources								
..... farms, 1997..	272	668	501	396	366	547	276	575
..... 1992..	231	418	357	221	286	446	216	300
..... \$1,000, 1997..	103	810	(D)	606	798	609	733	1 040
..... 1992..	160	301	(D)	(D)	403	670	411	(D)
DIRECT SALES								
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text)								
..... farms, 1997..	45	64	32	11	14	20	11	43
..... 1992..	35	42	41	11	10	19	17	62
..... \$1,000, 1997..	82	149	85	13	65	107	27	276
..... 1992..	46	74	71	22	13	20	27	252
Average per farm	1 819	2 321	2 658	1 162	4 658	5 364	2 417	6 409
..... 1992..	1 326	1 755	1 727	1 990	1 320	1 077	1 560	4 061
COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS								
Total								
..... farms, 1997..	22	79	260	209	213	214	101	122
..... 1992..	42	75	279	250	206	302	166	141
..... \$1,000, 1997..	327	751	14 307	8 901	9 917	8 463	3 975	5 144
..... 1992..	458	640	9 750	7 349	8 575	9 232	8 228	4 157
Corn								
..... farms, 1997..	19	74	231	175	194	184	16	116
..... 1992..	31	67	248	208	183	260	13	131
..... \$1,000, 1997..	247	656	8 563	4 611	6 057	4 844	248	4 068
..... 1992..	306	594	6 844	4 017	5 457	6 171	126	3 608
Wheat								
..... farms, 1997..	-	1	-	1	3	-	81	-
..... 1992..	-	-	-	6	4	1	125	(D)
..... \$1,000, 1997..	-	(D)	-	(D)	(D)	-	2 502	(D)
..... 1992..	-	-	-	8	(D)	-	4 842	-
Soybeans								
..... farms, 1997..	11	7	147	126	135	125	39	49
..... 1992..	8	5	104	143	110	140	37	36
..... \$1,000, 1997..	80	(D)	(D)	(D)	3 847	(D)	841	1 071
..... 1992..	72	38	2 892	3 320	3 050	3 055	1 084	546

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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	Otter Tail	Pennington	Pine	Pipestone	Polk	Pope	Ramsey	Red Lake
NET CASH RETURN¹								
Net cash return from agricultural sales for the farm unit (see text)								
..... farms, 1997..	2 647	529	949	690	1 368	826	59	377
..... farms, 1992..	2 509	480	978	778	1 333	816	44	352
..... \$1,000, 1997..	47 601	26	5 227	32 389	24 697	18 207	2 137	2 664
..... \$1,000, 1992..	37 668	6 729	6 003	10 620	38 374	10 857	1 351	4 560
Average per farm	17 983	49	5 508	46 941	18 054	22 042	36 217	7 066
..... dollars, 1997..								
..... dollars, 1992..	15 013	14 018	6 138	13 650	28 788	13 305	30 707	12 956
Farms with net gains ²								
..... number, 1997..	1 376	178	356	388	634	515	43	175
..... number, 1992..	1 611	314	432	475	823	475	26	192
..... \$1,000, 1997..	56 047	4 067	8 581	36 271	38 919	20 485	2 244	4 408
..... \$1,000, 1992..	44 149	8 072	9 150	13 137	45 124	13 656	1 448	5 701
Average per farm	40 732	22 849	24 105	93 481	61 386	39 777	52 176	25 188
..... dollars, 1997..								
..... dollars, 1992..	27 405	25 708	21 181	27 657	54 828	28 750	55 680	29 694
Farms with net losses								
..... number, 1997..	1 271	351	593	302	734	311	16	202
..... number, 1992..	898	166	546	303	510	341	18	160
..... \$1,000, 1997..	8 446	4 041	3 354	3 881	14 222	2 279	107	1 744
..... \$1,000, 1992..	6 481	1 344	3 148	2 518	6 750	2 799	97	1 141
Average per farm	6 645	11 513	5 656	12 852	19 375	7 327	6 673	8 633
..... dollars, 1997..								
..... dollars, 1992..	7 217	8 095	5 765	8 309	13 235	8 208	5 365	7 130
GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS								
Total received								
..... farms, 1997..	1 816	430	295	524	1 062	620	5	307
..... farms, 1992..	1 080	325	256	484	920	528	3	234
..... \$1,000, 1997..	7 734	4 844	644	3 430	12 893	4 033	25	2 872
..... \$1,000, 1992..	5 208	4 066	712	2 494	3 794	3 794	(D)	2 554
Average per farm	4 259	11 266	2 183	6 545	12 140	6 505	5 043	9 354
..... dollars, 1997..								
..... dollars, 1992..	4 822	12 512	2 781	5 153	16 577	7 185	(D)	10 915
Amount from Conservation Reserve and Wetlands Reserve Programs								
..... farms, 1997..	802	275	31	128	375	245	2	194
..... farms, 1992..	433	177	16	133	220	209	—	118
..... \$1,000, 1997..	2 821	2 532	74	426	3 080	1 126	(D)	1 562
..... \$1,000, 1992..	1 773	1 538	20	409	1 908	1 157	—	782
Average per farm	3 517	9 207	2 389	3 324	8 213	4 598	(D)	8 050
..... dollars, 1997..								
..... dollars, 1992..	4 094	8 691	1 227	3 072	8 673	5 537	—	6 624
OTHER FARM-RELATED INCOME¹								
Gross before taxes and expenses								
..... farms, 1997..	1 321	279	409	319	798	481	1	167
..... farms, 1992..	1 161	171	366	327	683	358	4	202
..... \$1,000, 1997..	5 420	1 624	997	1 869	5 971	3 145	(D)	684
..... \$1,000, 1992..	3 534	460	604	1 690	4 181	1 158	22	689
Average per farm	4 103	5 819	2 438	5 858	7 483	6 538	(D)	4 098
..... dollars, 1997..								
..... dollars, 1992..	3 044	2 691	1 652	5 169	6 122	3 234	5 600	3 411
Customwork and other agricultural services								
..... farms, 1997..	161	31	50	126	139	109	—	37
..... farms, 1992..	208	17	66	116	159	80	2	77
..... \$1,000, 1997..	1 719	426	207	498	1 583	1 064	—	207
..... \$1,000, 1992..	816	144	95	455	1 194	361	(D)	222
Rental of farmland								
..... farms, 1997..	396	72	69	85	274	116	—	50
..... farms, 1992..	320	61	52	175	213	58	—	85
..... \$1,000, 1997..	2 135	1 018	203	1 181	2 726	1 288	—	290
..... \$1,000, 1992..	1 941	238	69	1 166	2 024	550	—	381
Sales of forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products ³								
..... farms, 1997..	47	25	88	—	29	8	—	9
..... farms, 1992..	35	—	24	—	1	13	2	1
..... \$1,000, 1997..	181	35	348	—	25	57	—	9
..... \$1,000, 1992..	48	—	178	—	(D)	26	(D)	(D)
Other farm-related income sources								
..... farms, 1997..	1 102	234	318	241	680	400	1	144
..... farms, 1992..	898	129	259	163	508	309	—	118
..... \$1,000, 1997..	1 386	145	239	190	1 637	735	(D)	178
..... \$1,000, 1992..	729	78	263	70	(D)	221	—	(D)
DIRECT SALES								
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text)								
..... farms, 1997..	94	6	59	15	19	14	15	7
..... farms, 1992..	94	11	43	12	21	24	9	8
..... \$1,000, 1997..	198	17	195	9	161	33	119	19
..... \$1,000, 1992..	267	14	120	20	85	43	50	15
Average per farm	2 109	2 852	3 300	597	8 496	2 388	7 933	2 643
..... dollars, 1997..								
..... dollars, 1992..	2 844	1 269	2 788	1 655	4 041	1 806	5 536	1 919
COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS								
Total								
..... farms, 1997..	106	57	32	118	239	116	—	50
..... farms, 1992..	155	82	35	108	313	133	—	68
..... \$1,000, 1997..	3 849	2 010	642	3 098	10 299	6 074	—	1 401
..... \$1,000, 1992..	2 489	2 373	296	1 886	13 804	3 684	—	1 715
Corn								
..... farms, 1997..	90	3	31	103	33	93	—	10
..... farms, 1992..	94	—	26	89	19	108	—	10
..... \$1,000, 1997..	2 666	(D)	553	1 800	435	3 663	—	86
..... \$1,000, 1992..	1 170	—	197	1 093	(D)	2 509	—	78
Wheat								
..... farms, 1997..	39	51	—	1	210	18	—	40
..... farms, 1992..	50	78	—	4	282	35	—	51
..... \$1,000, 1997..	356	1 485	—	(D)	7 502	(D)	—	808
..... \$1,000, 1992..	480	1 892	—	5	10 614	190	—	1 106
Soybeans								
..... farms, 1997..	30	2	7	59	48	75	—	9
..... farms, 1992..	44	—	13	48	13	56	—	2
..... \$1,000, 1997..	787	(D)	89	1 294	1 175	2 275	—	199
..... \$1,000, 1992..	666	—	90	758	179	812	—	(D)

See footnotes at end of table.

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	Redwood	Renville	Rice	Rock	Roseau	St. Louis	Scott	Sherburne
NET CASH RETURN¹								
Net cash return from agricultural sales for the farm unit (see text)								
..... farms, 1997..	1 168	1 113	1 190	704	1 052	713	805	511
..... 1992..	1 260	1 302	1 099	791	891	676	837	531
..... \$1,000, 1997..	54 760	63 493	17 152	28 884	3 632	1 622	9 408	8 737
..... 1992..	29 923	35 165	11 842	14 797	9 488	-221	10 068	6 766
Average per farm	46 884	57 047	14 414	41 028	3 453	2 274	11 687	17 098
..... dollars, 1997..								
..... 1992..	23 748	27 008	10 775	18 706	10 649	-327	12 029	12 743
Farms with net gains ²								
..... number, 1997..	941	833	544	520	366	292	358	215
..... 1992..	920	954	575	504	450	316	414	230
..... \$1,000, 1997..	58 811	69 546	22 711	32 088	10 044	3 379	12 881	12 869
..... 1992..	34 299	39 701	16 335	18 075	13 096	2 697	12 681	8 470
Average per farm	62 499	83 488	41 748	61 708	27 443	11 572	35 981	59 857
..... dollars, 1997..								
..... 1992..	37 282	41 615	28 408	35 864	29 103	8 536	30 632	36 826
Farms with net losses								
..... number, 1997..	227	280	646	184	686	421	447	296
..... 1992..	340	348	524	287	441	360	423	301
..... \$1,000, 1997..	4 051	6 053	5 559	3 205	6 412	1 757	3 473	4 132
..... 1992..	4 376	4 536	4 493	3 279	3 608	2 918	2 613	1 704
Average per farm	17 845	21 617	8 605	17 416	9 347	4 174	7 770	13 961
..... dollars, 1997..								
..... 1992..	12 872	13 035	8 574	11 424	8 181	8 107	6 178	5 660
GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS								
Total received								
..... farms, 1997..	954	882	801	526	782	57	304	184
..... 1992..	880	790	568	501	534	48	254	184
..... \$1,000, 1997..	6 896	8 287	4 417	3 415	7 089	150	1 158	1 075
..... 1992..	6 021	5 653	3 777	3 222	5 817	52	1 073	843
Average per farm	7 228	9 396	5 515	6 493	9 066	2 636	3 809	5 842
..... dollars, 1997..								
..... 1992..	6 842	7 156	6 649	6 431	10 894	1 082	4 226	4 581
Amount from Conservation Reserve and Wetlands Reserve Programs								
..... farms, 1997..	222	111	417	54	474	19	63	32
..... 1992..	223	108	282	50	227	6	76	14
..... \$1,000, 1997..	769	414	1 393	109	3 830	67	102	73
..... 1992..	806	367	1 199	143	1 824	5	103	25
Average per farm	3 464	3 730	3 340	2 021	8 080	3 501	1 614	2 286
..... dollars, 1997..								
..... 1992..	3 614	3 396	4 250	2 858	8 035	890	1 353	1 762
OTHER FARM-RELATED INCOME¹								
Gross before taxes and expenses								
..... farms, 1997..	732	718	575	428	538	108	297	162
..... 1992..	575	631	490	299	329	105	295	199
..... \$1,000, 1997..	3 980	5 121	2 374	1 815	2 064	516	748	349
..... 1992..	2 725	4 226	1 296	1 590	797	213	820	543
Average per farm	5 438	7 133	4 129	4 240	3 837	4 776	2 518	2 154
..... dollars, 1997..								
..... 1992..	4 738	6 698	2 644	5 318	2 423	2 028	2 780	2 727
Customwork and other agricultural services								
..... farms, 1997..	160	144	98	79	102	25	52	27
..... 1992..	111	122	116	91	64	19	54	42
..... \$1,000, 1997..	640	(D)	905	644	627	113	(D)	43
..... 1992..	(D)	947	648	496	517	24	169	147
Rental of farmland								
..... farms, 1997..	118	95	154	66	157	18	79	70
..... 1992..	146	94	106	90	22	26	142	123
..... \$1,000, 1997..	1 621	1 631	721	801	771	70	257	257
..... 1992..	1 164	1 981	351	938	77	48	460	317
Sales of forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products ³								
..... farms, 1997..	8	1	-	-	8	44	1	10
..... 1992..	1	10	2	-	18	26	11	31
..... \$1,000, 1997..	5	(D)	-	-	167	287	(D)	7
..... 1992..	(D)	1	(D)	-	18	60	20	38
Other farm-related income sources								
..... farms, 1997..	679	677	468	381	465	37	226	83
..... 1992..	473	550	371	234	295	58	159	68
..... \$1,000, 1997..	1 714	2 254	748	370	499	47	321	43
..... 1992..	897	1 297	(D)	157	185	81	171	41
DIRECT SALES								
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text)								
..... farms, 1997..	22	32	68	10	27	98	63	60
..... 1992..	21	33	63	16	14	81	49	50
..... \$1,000, 1997..	45	276	297	10	42	297	805	356
..... 1992..	41	64	208	23	28	234	994	263
Average per farm	2 045	8 614	4 366	996	1 560	3 028	12 782	5 931
..... dollars, 1997..								
..... 1992..	1 937	1 936	3 309	1 426	2 022	2 883	20 289	5 255
COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS								
Total								
..... farms, 1997..	299	257	111	159	103	1	53	31
..... 1992..	362	372	127	149	91	1	63	21
..... \$1,000, 1997..	12 617	16 340	4 473	5 639	3 792	(D)	1 769	1 514
..... 1992..	12 537	15 114	3 250	3 319	2 294	(D)	1 107	1 053
Corn								
..... farms, 1997..	263	229	100	145	4	-	45	26
..... 1992..	312	312	111	138	3	-	53	20
..... \$1,000, 1997..	7 659	9 860	2 911	3 626	(D)	-	1 042	1 315
..... 1992..	7 960	8 997	2 546	2 445	(D)	-	762	808
Wheat								
..... farms, 1997..	5	8	1	-	82	-	1	-
..... 1992..	7	24	6	-	82	-	3	-
..... \$1,000, 1997..	(D)	49	(D)	-	2 800	-	(D)	-
..... 1992..	(D)	(D)	28	-	1 642	(D)	3	-
Soybeans								
..... farms, 1997..	173	162	63	69	2	-	24	13
..... 1992..	177	214	50	40	3	-	25	5
..... \$1,000, 1997..	4 922	6 430	(D)	2 012	(D)	-	726	(D)
..... 1992..	4 550	6 037	675	(D)	104	-	342	245

See footnotes at end of table.

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	Sibley	Stearns	Steele	Stevens	Swift	Todd	Traverse	Wabasha
NET CASH RETURN¹								
Net cash return from agricultural sales for the farm unit (see text)								
..... farms, 1997..	958	2 984	774	498	741	1 740	384	962
..... 1992..	1 059	2 973	819	538	760	1 767	385	928
..... \$1,000, 1997..	27 153	67 476	24 589	26 522	24 670	20 548	17 315	20 277
..... 1992..	22 991	61 438	14 794	13 293	10 741	20 689	15 474	13 343
Average per farm	28 343	22 612	31 769	53 256	33 293	11 809	45 091	21 078
..... 1992..	21 710	20 665	18 064	24 709	14 133	11 709	40 191	14 379
Farms with net gains ²								
..... number, 1997..	606	1 940	487	359	491	877	301	581
..... 1992..	764	2 100	493	405	472	1 044	314	555
..... \$1,000, 1997..	31 571	78 273	27 604	28 645	29 454	25 824	18 603	23 669
..... 1992..	25 656	68 937	17 481	15 135	15 109	24 525	16 503	17 350
Average per farm	52 097	40 347	56 682	79 792	59 988	29 446	61 802	40 739
..... 1992..	33 582	32 827	35 459	37 370	32 011	23 492	52 556	31 261
Farms with net losses								
..... number, 1997..	352	1 044	287	139	250	863	83	381
..... 1992..	295	873	326	133	288	723	71	373
..... \$1,000, 1997..	4 418	10 797	3 015	2 124	4 784	5 276	1 288	3 392
..... 1992..	2 666	7 499	2 687	1 841	4 368	3 836	1 029	4 007
Average per farm	12 552	10 342	10 506	15 279	19 135	6 113	15 515	8 904
..... 1992..	9 036	8 590	8 242	13 844	15 166	5 306	14 493	10 741
GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS								
Total received								
..... farms, 1997..	671	1 947	560	390	597	1 051	324	643
..... 1992..	565	1 280	548	362	523	607	274	453
..... \$1,000, 1997..	4 588	7 103	4 078	3 803	5 369	2 816	3 314	3 119
..... 1992..	3 058	4 841	4 019	3 953	4 401	1 724	3 263	2 423
Average per farm	6 838	3 648	7 283	9 751	8 993	2 680	10 227	4 850
..... 1992..	5 412	3 782	7 334	10 920	8 414	2 840	11 908	5 349
Amount from Conservation Reserve and Wetlands Reserve Programs								
..... farms, 1997..	70	558	198	118	170	288	75	223
..... 1992..	90	343	201	77	114	194	42	153
..... \$1,000, 1997..	193	1 675	647	552	837	855	239	774
..... 1992..	171	906	734	412	588	443	182	655
Average per farm	2 757	3 002	3 266	4 677	4 923	2 968	3 187	3 470
..... 1992..	1 898	2 643	3 652	5 349	5 159	2 285	4 336	4 284
OTHER FARM-RELATED INCOME¹								
Gross before taxes and expenses								
..... farms, 1997..	677	1 374	343	282	501	732	263	508
..... 1992..	495	1 017	308	258	407	466	222	386
..... \$1,000, 1997..	2 692	3 960	1 736	2 052	3 431	1 223	1 475	2 035
..... 1992..	2 131	2 529	1 187	1 918	1 716	810	1 448	1 605
Average per farm	3 976	2 882	5 061	7 278	6 848	1 671	5 600	4 007
..... 1992..	4 306	2 487	3 852	7 432	4 215	1 738	6 524	4 158
Customwork and other agricultural services								
..... farms, 1997..	112	185	26	60	92	138	53	69
..... 1992..	97	267	46	73	130	76	35	108
..... \$1,000, 1997..	338	1 903	203	447	700	318	571	494
..... 1992..	512	1 161	262	1 213	443	122	251	487
Rental of farmland								
..... farms, 1997..	131	262	107	86	75	191	28	132
..... 1992..	151	193	106	37	102	116	67	112
..... \$1,000, 1997..	1 447	772	1 156	881	1 461	391	231	727
..... 1992..	1 107	679	750	250	872	415	783	539
Sales of forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products ³								
..... farms, 1997..	—	16	—	—	—	63	—	25
..... 1992..	8	9	1	—	—	—	—	41
..... \$1,000, 1997..	—	13	—	—	—	95	—	165
..... 1992..	(Z)	9	(D)	—	—	—	—	290
Other farm-related income sources								
..... farms, 1997..	634	1 147	267	231	480	569	249	425
..... 1992..	370	774	227	211	279	343	187	275
..... \$1,000, 1997..	908	1 273	377	724	1 269	420	671	650
..... 1992..	512	681	(D)	455	401	273	415	289
DIRECT SALES								
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text)								
..... farms, 1997..	26	89	28	12	12	67	7	59
..... 1992..	26	74	32	14	7	36	4	47
..... \$1,000, 1997..	78	779	150	47	30	196	7	512
..... 1992..	33	218	87	18	30	58	12	320
Average per farm	2 989	8 755	5 344	3 897	2 497	2 923	949	8 674
..... 1992..	1 278	2 950	2 729	1 296	4 278	1 612	3 017	6 813
COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS								
Total								
..... farms, 1997..	180	221	164	104	186	101	56	98
..... 1992..	226	233	197	164	263	60	115	86
..... \$1,000, 1997..	9 653	4 138	10 157	6 713	11 198	1 505	3 868	2 595
..... 1992..	7 470	3 129	7 939	5 795	9 680	604	5 615	1 505
Corn								
..... farms, 1997..	154	212	150	82	162	98	24	97
..... 1992..	176	203	185	115	224	46	52	73
..... \$1,000, 1997..	5 120	3 079	5 765	4 067	6 774	1 187	1 610	2 122
..... 1992..	4 023	2 315	5 646	3 388	5 941	413	942	1 236
Wheat								
..... farms, 1997..	8	4	3	36	13	1	29	—
..... 1992..	7	5	2	78	80	3	87	—
..... \$1,000, 1997..	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—
..... 1992..	20	(D)	(D)	867	619	8	2 321	—
Soybeans								
..... farms, 1997..	116	48	116	54	122	16	35	33
..... 1992..	134	53	99	65	125	15	54	25
..... \$1,000, 1997..	4 531	1 033	(D)	2 104	4 313	309	1 726	(D)
..... 1992..	3 414	637	2 280	1 497	3 121	146	2 105	254

See footnotes at end of table.

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	Wadena	Waseca	Washington	Watonswan	Wilkin	Winona	Wright	Yellow Medicine
NET CASH RETURN¹								
Net cash return from agricultural sales for the farm unit (see text)								
..... farms, 1997..	626	709	653	576	442	1 043	1 421	876
..... 1992..	601	759	646	663	455	1 091	1 583	923
..... \$1,000, 1997..	5 526	27 952	14 163	38 023	25 985	30 159	20 047	31 621
..... 1992..	5 570	12 583	11 680	11 967	17 850	19 416	17 703	17 347
Average per farm	8 828	39 425	21 689	66 013	58 790	28 916	14 108	36 097
..... dollars, 1997..	9 268	16 578	18 080	18 050	39 231	17 796	11 183	18 794
..... 1992..								
Farms with net gains ²								
..... number, 1997..	294	513	274	448	339	609	682	571
..... 1992..	390	540	263	420	356	671	801	638
..... \$1,000, 1997..	8 602	30 232	17 016	39 102	27 342	33 731	25 975	34 401
..... 1992..	6 473	15 192	14 431	15 476	19 758	23 228	22 362	20 440
Average per farm	29 259	58 932	62 102	87 281	80 656	55 388	38 087	60 247
..... dollars, 1997..	16 598	28 134	54 871	36 847	55 501	34 617	27 918	32 037
..... 1992..								
Farms with net losses								
..... number, 1997..	332	196	379	128	103	434	739	305
..... 1992..	211	219	383	243	99	420	782	285
..... \$1,000, 1997..	3 076	2 280	2 853	1 079	1 357	3 572	5 928	2 780
..... 1992..	903	2 609	2 751	3 508	1 908	3 813	4 659	3 093
Average per farm	9 266	11 631	7 527	8 426	13 175	8 231	8 022	9 114
..... dollars, 1997..	4 281	11 916	7 183	14 438	19 275	9 078	5 958	10 852
..... 1992..								
GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS								
Total received								
..... farms, 1997..	298	541	227	450	367	610	683	712
..... 1992..	222	526	186	476	340	465	476	652
..... \$1,000, 1997..	925	4 375	902	3 950	4 636	3 086	2 698	5 441
..... 1992..	729	4 387	968	4 046	4 563	2 704	1 743	5 353
Average per farm	3 105	8 086	3 975	8 778	12 631	5 058	3 950	7 642
..... dollars, 1997..	3 285	8 341	5 205	8 500	13 421	5 814	3 661	8 210
..... 1992..								
Amount from Conservation Reserve and Wetlands Reserve Programs								
..... farms, 1997..	87	118	54	80	90	188	166	257
..... 1992..	65	105	32	64	76	146	90	237
..... \$1,000, 1997..	203	332	115	212	646	553	359	1 198
..... 1992..	139	383	55	180	545	460	228	1 200
Average per farm	2 330	2 811	2 125	2 645	7 176	2 941	2 165	4 663
..... dollars, 1997..	2 133	3 643	1 704	2 807	7 172	3 151	2 529	5 065
..... 1992..								
OTHER FARM-RELATED INCOME¹								
Gross before taxes and expenses								
..... farms, 1997..	318	347	216	353	279	612	643	499
..... 1992..	262	292	161	384	190	447	613	353
..... \$1,000, 1997..	616	2 052	817	2 512	2 081	2 884	1 670	2 268
..... 1992..	965	1 220	336	2 374	2 257	2 150	1 170	1 288
Average per farm	1 938	5 913	3 782	7 115	7 460	4 712	2 598	4 545
..... dollars, 1997..	3 683	4 177	2 088	6 182	11 878	4 809	1 908	3 650
..... 1992..								
Customwork and other agricultural services								
..... farms, 1997..	71	73	72	69	33	141	103	101
..... 1992..	44	82	64	112	49	98	125	50
..... \$1,000, 1997..	66	637	376	(D)	603	1 264	(D)	411
..... 1992..	566	281	143	845	495	851	375	432
Rental of farmland								
..... farms, 1997..	71	91	48	60	74	80	208	107
..... 1992..	79	117	36	85	69	106	179	90
..... \$1,000, 1997..	183	925	217	1 047	808	533	894	1 110
..... 1992..	307	777	(D)	1 072	1 146	384	500	512
Sales of forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products ³								
..... farms, 1997..	41	-	7	1	-	54	2	-
..... 1992..	4	1	7	2	-	92	8	-
..... \$1,000, 1997..	190	-	36	(D)	-	322	(D)	-
..... 1992..	15	(D)	(D)	(D)	-	591	4	-
Other farm-related income sources								
..... farms, 1997..	241	283	120	325	229	507	469	423
..... 1992..	154	173	76	294	138	258	420	280
..... \$1,000, 1997..	178	490	187	884	670	765	391	747
..... 1992..	76	(D)	64	(D)	615	323	290	344
DIRECT SALES								
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text)								
..... farms, 1997..	37	22	122	8	6	48	86	14
..... 1992..	26	23	92	10	6	40	97	17
..... \$1,000, 1997..	106	53	1 206	48	35	483	1 056	10
..... 1992..	43	19	480	9	10	158	370	46
Average per farm	2 874	2 416	9 883	6 001	5 854	10 071	12 280	711
..... dollars, 1997..	1 636	812	5 213	950	1 699	3 953	3 810	2 724
..... 1992..								
COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS								
Total								
..... farms, 1997..	10	201	32	179	79	109	103	201
..... 1992..	15	246	43	258	97	123	137	271
..... \$1,000, 1997..	115	12 332	1 513	10 798	3 292	2 773	4 083	8 689
..... 1992..	128	10 449	1 416	11 741	3 754	2 557	2 611	9 883
Corn								
..... farms, 1997..	9	183	29	163	27	108	91	172
..... 1992..	15	226	41	232	21	121	103	234
..... \$1,000, 1997..	114	7 970	1 009	6 152	462	2 058	2 270	4 800
..... 1992..	128	7 833	1 037	7 399	261	2 420	1 463	5 961
Wheat								
..... farms, 1997..	1	-	-	1	67	-	2	15
..... 1992..	-	2	-	-	79	-	1	22
..... \$1,000, 1997..	(D)	-	-	(D)	1 985	-	(D)	(D)
..... 1992..	-	(D)	-	-	2 018	-	(D)	133
Soybeans								
..... farms, 1997..	1	127	15	122	32	27	54	131
..... 1992..	-	115	15	150	29	16	64	138
..... \$1,000, 1997..	(D)	4 362	504	(D)	771	(D)	1 810	3 815
..... 1992..	-	2 613	(D)	(D)	1 267	(D)	1 138	3 729

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Item	Minnesota	Aitkin	Anoka	Becker	Beltrami	Benton	Big Stone	Blue Earth
COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS—Con.								
Total—Con.								
Sorghum, barley, and oats farms, 1997..	471	—	—	5	—	3	—	2
1992..	829	1	—	28	4	3	3	1
\$1,000, 1997..	3 723	—	—	69	—	1	—	(D)
1992..	8 445	(D)	—	508	23	(D)	(D)	(D)
Cotton..... farms, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sunflower seed, flaxseed, safflower, canola, other rapeseed, and mustard seed farms, 1997..	71	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	132	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000, 1997..	1 578	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	1 514	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Peanuts, rice, and tobacco ⁴ farms, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	105	1	1	3	2	1	1	3
\$1,000, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	1 945	(D)	(D)	37	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Item	Brown	Carlton	Carver	Cass	Chippewa	Chisago	Clay	Clearwater
COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS—Con.								
Total—Con.								
Sorghum, barley, and oats farms, 1997..	2	1	2	—	1	2	15	5
1992..	2	1	8	—	1	2	30	5
\$1,000, 1997..	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	2
1992..	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	236	18
Cotton..... farms, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sunflower seed, flaxseed, safflower, canola, other rapeseed, and mustard seed farms, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	1
\$1,000, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—	(D)	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—	—	(D)	(D)
Peanuts, rice, and tobacco ⁴ farms, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	1	—	1	1	1
\$1,000, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	(D)
Item	Cook	Cottonwood	Crow Wing	Dakota	Dodge	Douglas	Faribault	Fillmore
COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS—Con.								
Total—Con.								
Sorghum, barley, and oats farms, 1997..	—	1	1	—	2	11	1	3
1992..	—	1	1	—	7	4	1	7
\$1,000, 1997..	—	(D)	(D)	1	(D)	16	(D)	(D)
1992..	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	4	(D)	(D)	(D)
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 ⁴ farms, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	1	3	—	2	—	1
\$1,000, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	(D)	(D)	—	(D)	—	(D)

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Item	Freeborn	Goodhue	Grant	Hennepin	Houston	Hubbard	Isanti	Itasca
COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS—Con.								
Total—Con.								
Sorghum, barley, and oats farms, 1997..	2	9	2	—	3	—	—	1
1992..	—	8	16	—	1	1	—	—
\$1,000, 1997..	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	(D)	—	—	(D)
1992..	—	(D)	127	—	(D)	(D)	—	—
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 ⁴ farms, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	3	1	—	—	3	—
\$1,000, 1997..	—	—	—	(D)	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	10	—	—	—	(D)	—
Item	Jackson	Kanabec	Kandiyohi	Kittson	Koochiching	Lac qui Parle	Lake	Lake of the Woods
COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS—Con.								
Total—Con.								
Sorghum, barley, and oats farms, 1997..	—	—	—	25	1	1	—	1
1992..	—	—	4	31	—	3	—	4
\$1,000, 1997..	—	—	—	295	(D)	(D)	—	(D)
1992..	—	—	3	271	—	(D)	—	(D)
Cotton..... farms, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sunflower seed, flaxseed, safflower, canola, other rapeseed, and mustard seed farms, 1997..	—	—	—	15	—	—	—	1
1992..	—	—	—	16	1	—	—	—
\$1,000, 1997..	—	—	—	370	—	—	—	(D)
1992..	—	—	—	163	(D)	—	—	—
Peanuts, rice, and tobacco ⁴ farms, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	1	3	—	—	1	—	1
\$1,000, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	(D)	84	—	—	(D)	—	(D)
Item	Le Sueur	Lincoln	Lyon	McLeod	Mahnomen	Marshall	Martin	Meeker
COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS—Con.								
Total—Con.								
Sorghum, barley, and oats farms, 1997..	—	3	—	2	19	57	1	—
1992..	2	3	—	1	33	85	3	—
\$1,000, 1997..	—	1	—	(D)	145	564	(D)	—
1992..	(D)	(D)	—	(D)	560	1 019	(D)	(D)
Cotton..... farms, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sunflower seed, flaxseed, safflower, canola, other rapeseed, and mustard seed farms, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	16	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	4	30	—	—
\$1,000, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	250	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	89	282	—	—
Peanuts, rice, and tobacco ⁴ farms, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	1	—	2	—	3	1	2	2
\$1,000, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	(D)	—	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)

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Item	Mille Lacs	Morrison	Mower	Murray	Nicollet	Nobles	Norman	Olmsted
COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS—Con.								
Total—Con.								
Sorghum, barley, and oats farms, 1997..	—	—	1	1	3	2	32	2
1992..	2	11	5	3	—	2	109	2
\$1,000, 1997..	—	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	337	(D)
1992..	(D)	6	(D)	4	—	(D)	1 881	(D)
Cotton..... farms, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sunflower seed, flaxseed, safflower, canola, other rapeseed, and mustard seed farms, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—	—	12	—
\$1,000, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—	47	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—	—	159	—
Peanuts, rice, and tobacco ⁴ farms, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	4	3	1	—	1	—	4	2
\$1,000, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	(D)	2	(D)	—	(D)	—	135	(D)

Item	Otter Tail	Pennington	Pine	Pipestone	Polk	Pope	Ramsey	Red Lake
COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS—Con.								
Total—Con.								
Sorghum, barley, and oats farms, 1997..	12	25	—	4	80	1	—	23
1992..	30	34	2	5	136	2	—	32
\$1,000, 1997..	(D)	417	—	(D)	995	(D)	—	169
1992..	(D)	418	(D)	(D)	2 216	(D)	—	375
Cotton..... farms, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sunflower seed, flaxseed, safflower, canola, other rapeseed, and mustard seed farms, 1997..	1	3	—	—	10	—	—	6
1992..	1	11	—	—	24	—	—	10
\$1,000, 1997..	(D)	49	—	—	193	—	—	139
1992..	(D)	—	—	—	424	(D)	—	133
Peanuts, rice, and tobacco ⁴ farms, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	10	2	1	1	4	1	—	4
\$1,000, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	85	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	(D)

Item	Redwood	Renville	Rice	Rock	Roseau	St. Louis	Scott	Sherburne
COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS—Con.								
Total—Con.								
Sorghum, barley, and oats farms, 1997..	2	—	—	—	38	1	3	2
1992..	4	1	3	2	17	—	—	—
\$1,000, 1997..	(D)	—	—	—	385	(D)	(D)	(D)
1992..	(D)	(D)	1	(D)	84	—	—	—
Cotton..... farms, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sunflower seed, flaxseed, safflower, canola, other rapeseed, and mustard seed farms, 1997..	—	—	—	—	15	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	11	—	—	—
\$1,000, 1997..	—	—	—	—	441	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	154	—	—	—
Peanuts, rice, and tobacco ⁴ farms, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	1	—	—	2	—	—	—
\$1,000, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	(D)	—	—	(D)	—	—	—

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Item	Sibley	Stearns	Steele	Stevens	Swift	Todd	Traverse	Wabasha
COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS—Con.								
Total—Con.								
Sorghum, barley, and oats farms, 1997..	1	22	—	1	1	9	1	4
1992..	6	26	4	10	—	13	21	7
\$1,000, 1997..	(D)	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
1992..	(D)	28	(D)	(D)	—	24	197	(D)
Cotton..... farms, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sunflower seed, flaxseed, safflower, canola, other rapeseed, and mustard seed farms, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	1	—	—	3	—
\$1,000, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	(D)	—	—	(D)	—
Peanuts, rice, and tobacco ⁴ farms, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	1	2	—	—	—	5	2	1
\$1,000, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	(D)	(D)	—	—	—	13	(D)	(D)

Item	Wadena	Waseca	Washington	Watonwan	Wilkin	Winona	Wright	Yellow Medicine
COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS—Con.								
Total—Con.								
Sorghum, barley, and oats farms, 1997..	1	—	—	1	8	3	2	1
1992..	—	1	—	1	22	3	4	1
\$1,000, 1997..	(D)	—	—	(D)	73	(D)	(D)	(D)
1992..	—	(D)	—	(D)	203	(D)	1	(D)
Cotton..... farms, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sunflower seed, flaxseed, safflower, canola, other rapeseed, and mustard seed farms, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	—
\$1,000, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	—	—	5	—	—	—
Peanuts, rice, and tobacco ⁴ farms, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	2	—	—	—	2	2
\$1,000, 1997..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1992..	—	—	(D)	—	—	—	(D)	(D)

¹Data are based on a sample of farms.

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

³Data for 1992 include Christmas trees and maple products.

⁴Data for 1992 include CCC loans for rye and honey.