

**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>FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS</b>							
Farms .....	24 279	127	352	1 182	3 696	3 340	982
number ..	100.0	5	1.4	4.9	15.2	13.8	4.0
percent ..	58 607 778	3 456 776	4 801 010	9 532 490	17 862 917	9 205 078	1 881 026
Land in farms .....	2 414	27 219	13 639	8 065	4 833	2 756	1 916
acres ..							
Average size of farm .....							
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD</b>							
Total sales (see text) .....	24 279	127	352	1 182	3 696	3 340	982
farms ..	1 870 732	240 895	232 190	394 603	576 605	240 368	43 718
\$1,000..	77 051	1 896 808	659 632	333 843	156 008	71 966	44 519
dollars..							
Farms by value of sales:							
Less than \$1,000 (see text) .....	3 213	-	-	-	-	-	-
\$1,000 to \$2,499 .....	1 783	-	-	-	-	-	-
\$2,500 to \$4,999 .....	2 024	-	-	-	-	-	-
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	2 308	-	-	-	-	-	-
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....	2 502	-	-	-	-	-	-
\$20,000 to \$24,999 .....	913	-	-	-	-	-	-
\$25,000 to \$39,999 .....	1 857	-	-	-	-	-	-
\$40,000 to \$49,999 .....	982	-	-	-	-	-	982
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	3 340	-	-	-	-	3 340	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....	3 696	-	-	-	3 696	-	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999 .....	1 182	-	-	1 182	-	-	-
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....	352	-	352	-	-	-	-
\$1,000,000 to \$2,499,999 .....	112	112	-	-	-	-	-
\$2,500,000 to \$4,999,999 .....	11	11	-	-	-	-	-
\$5,000,000 or more .....	4	4	-	-	-	-	-
Grains .....	9 007	88	255	929	2 722	2 060	488
farms ..	\$1,000..	711 744	44 767	73 158	188 869	266 123	92 919
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	3 973	78	210	780	1 937	968
\$1,000..	\$1,000..	617 202	44 571	72 033	185 028	247 906	67 663
Corn for grain .....	farms..	134	1	12	19	55	26
\$1,000..	\$1,000..	3 101	(D)	408	516	1 406	484
Wheat .....	farms..	7 905	82	224	860	2 468	1 826
\$1,000..	\$1,000..	569 996	35 317	56 197	150 488	213 819	76 558
Soybeans .....	farms..	-	-	-	-	-	-
\$1,000..	\$1,000..	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sorghum for grain .....	farms..	-	-	-	-	-	-
\$1,000..	\$1,000..	-	-	-	-	-	-
Barley .....	farms..	3 678	50	148	500	1 313	779
\$1,000..	\$1,000..	124 151	8 475	15 145	33 452	45 361	14 477
Oats .....	farms..	475	4	5	45	131	109
\$1,000..	\$1,000..	2 001	(D)	57	393	608	470
Other grains .....	farms..	486	10	28	107	215	80
\$1,000..	\$1,000..	12 496	874	1 352	4 020	4 929	930
Cotton and cottonseed .....	farms..	-	-	-	-	-	-
\$1,000..	\$1,000..	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	-	-	-	-	-	-
\$1,000..	\$1,000..	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tobacco .....	farms..	-	-	-	-	-	-
\$1,000..	\$1,000..	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	-	-	-	-	-	-
\$1,000..	\$1,000..	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hay, silage, and field seeds .....	farms..	6 019	27	139	316	983	839
\$1,000..	\$1,000..	91 110	4 490	10 540	14 801	25 657	14 716
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	421	13	63	100	174	71
\$1,000..	\$1,000..	43 447	4 207	9 055	11 559	14 177	4 449
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons .....	farms..	125	17	5	7	8	5
\$1,000..	\$1,000..	1 546	171	95	(D)	281	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	9	-	1	3	3	2
\$1,000..	\$1,000..	911	-	(D)	500	254	(D)
Fruits, nuts, and berries .....	farms..	192	-	-	3	5	2
\$1,000..	\$1,000..	1 172	-	-	(D)	140	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	3	-	-	-	2	1
\$1,000..	\$1,000..	210	-	-	-	(D)	(D)
Nursery and greenhouse crops .....	farms..	362	3	9	11	25	31
\$1,000..	\$1,000..	20 173	4 491	4 395	3 638	3 401	1 778
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	69	3	8	10	22	26
\$1,000..	\$1,000..	17 572	4 491	(D)	(D)	3 374	1 688
Other crops .....	farms..	610	31	83	110	207	78
\$1,000..	\$1,000..	78 076	6 735	26 737	21 273	18 358	3 369
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	395	10	74	105	176	30
\$1,000..	\$1,000..	73 618	6 584	26 558	21 115	17 489	1 872
Poultry and poultry products .....	farms..	412	30	10	10	29	23
\$1,000..	\$1,000..	5 638	4 294	154	23	417	341
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	36	27	1	-	3	5
\$1,000..	\$1,000..	5 052	4 241	(D)	-	368	(D)
Dairy products .....	farms..	210	32	20	46	56	22
\$1,000..	\$1,000..	36 160	8 547	7 847	11 076	7 172	1 228
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	155	31	19	40	50	15
\$1,000..	\$1,000..	35 317	(D)	(D)	10 925	6 993	1 050
Cattle and calves .....	farms..	14 055	106	264	828	2 621	2 383
\$1,000..	\$1,000..	834 544	141 502	100 396	141 955	235 216	117 425
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	4 045	95	232	636	1 802	1 280
\$1,000..	\$1,000..	681 516	141 171	99 737	137 191	215 194	88 223

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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>FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS</b>							
Farms ..... number ..	1 857	913	2 502	2 308	2 024	1 783	3 213
..... percent ..	7.6	3.8	10.3	9.5	8.3	7.3	13.2
Land in farms ..... acres ..	2 906 900	949 173	1 715 368	874 586	705 910	311 830	4 404 714
Average size of farm ..... acres ..	1 565	1 040	686	379	349	175	1 371
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD</b>							
Total sales (see text) ..... farms ..	1 857	913	2 502	2 308	2 024	1 783	3 213
..... \$1,000 ..	59 096	20 242	35 723	16 568	7 284	3 003	438
Average per farm ..... dollars ..	31 823	22 171	14 278	7 178	3 599	1 684	136
Farms by value of sales:							
Less than \$1,000 (see text) ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	3 213
\$1,000 to \$2,499 ..	—	—	—	—	—	1 783	—
\$2,500 to \$4,999 ..	—	—	—	—	2 024	—	—
\$5,000 to \$9,999 ..	—	—	—	2 308	—	—	—
\$10,000 to \$19,999 ..	—	—	2 502	—	—	—	—
\$20,000 to \$24,999 ..	—	913	—	—	—	—	—
\$25,000 to \$39,999 ..	1 857	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$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 ..	869	346	660	317	161	87	25
..... \$1,000 ..	18 061	5 093	6 878	1 711	498	123	13
Sales of \$50,000 or more ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Corn for grain ..... farms ..	6	1	6	2	—	—	—
..... \$1,000 ..	69	(D)	53	(D)	—	—	—
Wheat ..... farms ..	760	287	540	241	126	59	13
..... \$1,000 ..	14 933	4 207	5 644	1 387	373	92	8
Soybeans ..... farms ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sorghum for grain ..... farms ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Barley ..... farms ..	269	109	185	76	46	19	6
..... \$1,000 ..	2 832	819	1 055	242	109	23	4
Oats ..... farms ..	33	21	48	28	8	9	5
..... \$1,000 ..	105	(D)	93	53	(D)	8	(D)
Other grains ..... farms ..	13	3	7	4	2	—	1
..... \$1,000 ..	122	17	32	(D)	(D)	—	(D)
Cotton and cottonseed ..... farms ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sales of \$50,000 or more ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco ..... farms ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sales of \$50,000 or more ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hay, silage, and field seeds ..... farms ..	478	262	628	643	574	611	280
..... \$1,000 ..	5 174	2 473	4 329	3 036	1 559	907	145
Sales of \$50,000 or more ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ..... farms ..	6	3	21	9	21	15	7
..... \$1,000 ..	74	(D)	145	(D)	36	12	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Fruits, nuts, and berries ..... farms ..	9	1	26	25	45	45	30
..... \$1,000 ..	243	(D)	286	145	114	60	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Nursery and greenhouse crops ..... farms ..	26	21	48	41	53	61	22
..... \$1,000 ..	717	354	468	237	129	73	11
Sales of \$50,000 or more ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other crops ..... farms ..	20	14	21	10	2	2	1
..... \$1,000 ..	335	142	116	51	(D)	(D)	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Poultry and poultry products ..... farms ..	24	11	39	47	77	66	41
..... \$1,000 ..	192	30	69	36	49	24	8
Sales of \$50,000 or more ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Dairy products ..... farms ..	4	2	6	2	8	6	1
..... \$1,000 ..	44	(D)	43	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cattle and calves ..... farms ..	1 306	621	1 714	1 467	1 103	679	256
..... \$1,000 ..	30 631	10 455	19 986	9 026	3 580	1 061	158
Sales of \$50,000 or more ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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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>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD—Con.</b>							
Total sales (see text)—Con.							
Hogs and pigs .. farms ..	595	30	14	32	81	90	25
\$1,000 ..	32 246	21 901	2 680	3 136	1 745	1 280	412
Sales of \$50,000 or more .. farms ..	76	29	9	18	11	9	—
\$1,000 ..	29 057	(D)	2 608	3 031	936	(D)	—
Sheep, lambs, and wool .. farms ..	2 033	12	22	103	353	288	80
\$1,000 ..	30 919	1 197	2 732	5 727	10 279	4 470	773
Sales of \$50,000 or more .. farms ..	151	10	13	36	72	20	—
\$1,000 ..	16 028	(D)	2 623	4 757	6 246	(D)	—
Other livestock and livestock products (see text) .. farms ..	2 289	21	51	93	262	210	72
\$1,000 ..	27 403	2 801	3 456	3 569	7 816	2 631	893
Sales of \$50,000 or more .. farms ..	95	4	6	14	47	24	—
\$1,000 ..	17 729	2 689	3 255	3 095	6 984	1 705	—
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text) .. farms ..	910	18	11	33	82	78	18
\$1,000 ..	1 942	241	93	235	168	213	52
<b>FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES<sup>1</sup></b>							
Total farm production expenses .. farms ..	24 274	127	352	1 081	3 755	3 335	992
\$1,000 ..	1 512 749	186 504	180 251	274 846	462 576	199 544	39 062
Average per farm .. dollars ..	62 320	1 468 535	512 076	254 251	123 189	59 833	39 377
Livestock and poultry purchased .. farms ..	8 433	97	221	571	1 879	1 498	403
\$1,000 ..	153 915	51 159	25 081	19 026	28 648	14 762	2 986
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 ..	4 679	4	22	100	693	645	228
\$5,000 to \$24,999 ..	2 773	12	49	262	867	686	151
\$25,000 to \$99,999 ..	763	27	72	161	288	161	24
\$100,000 to \$249,999 ..	140	13	45	44	31	6	—
\$250,000 or more ..	78	41	33	4	—	—	—
Feed for livestock and poultry .. farms ..	13 389	103	256	736	2 442	2 137	630
\$1,000 ..	153 271	32 931	18 513	24 542	36 692	19 114	3 368
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 ..	8 061	3	22	137	745	889	381
\$5,000 to \$24,999 ..	4 083	6	65	269	1 207	1 104	242
\$25,000 to \$99,999 ..	1 042	19	94	285	482	144	7
\$100,000 to \$249,999 ..	148	28	67	45	8	—	—
\$250,000 or more ..	55	47	8	—	—	—	—
Commercially mixed formula feeds .. farms ..	7 240	86	185	503	1 482	1 203	372
\$1,000 ..	49 728	12 498	6 455	8 788	11 591	5 565	1 008
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 ..	5 355	3	26	168	771	804	314
\$5,000 to \$24,999 ..	1 527	9	77	218	644	382	58
\$25,000 to \$99,999 ..	295	32	69	111	65	17	—
\$100,000 or more ..	63	42	13	6	2	—	—
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees .. farms ..	8 768	91	282	851	2 530	1 766	398
\$1,000 ..	34 059	2 849	4 303	7 499	11 853	4 314	704
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999 ..	3 518	4	14	77	484	685	191
\$1,000 to \$4,999 ..	3 230	16	67	285	1 169	790	183
\$5,000 to \$24,999 ..	1 865	41	149	441	852	291	24
\$25,000 to \$49,999 ..	121	15	41	41	24	—	—
\$50,000 or more ..	34	15	11	7	1	—	—
Commercial fertilizer .. farms ..	12 334	109	313	963	3 024	2 185	620
\$1,000 ..	123 302	9 078	14 722	27 356	45 364	16 400	2 892
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 ..	7 024	6	29	107	617	1 021	417
\$5,000 to \$24,999 ..	3 955	25	86	386	1 871	1 102	194
\$25,000 to \$49,999 ..	980	18	85	332	479	55	9
\$50,000 or more ..	375	60	113	138	57	7	—
Agricultural chemicals .. farms ..	11 866	98	266	856	2 887	2 266	570
\$1,000 ..	74 449	5 062	7 542	16 328	28 081	10 348	1 821
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 ..	8 235	23	62	201	1 178	1 571	450
\$5,000 to \$24,999 ..	2 890	26	88	396	1 433	659	117
\$25,000 to \$49,999 ..	594	16	69	209	263	35	—
\$50,000 or more ..	147	33	47	50	13	1	3
Petroleum products .. farms ..	22 336	127	348	1 077	3 731	3 296	987
\$1,000 ..	115 091	6 907	9 733	18 506	38 081	19 918	4 213
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 ..	14 830	5	5	36	478	1 355	645
\$5,000 to \$24,999 ..	6 990	23	173	869	3 183	1 937	342
\$25,000 to \$49,999 ..	401	38	132	156	70	4	—
\$50,000 or more ..	115	61	38	16	—	—	—
Gasoline and gasohol .. farms ..	20 546	126	338	1 055	3 657	3 135	936
\$1,000 ..	50 870	2 473	3 689	7 212	16 350	9 321	1 943
Diesel fuel .. farms ..	16 599	121	323	1 044	3 557	2 998	902
\$1,000 ..	49 232	2 958	4 665	8 934	17 187	8 209	1 682
Natural gas .. farms ..	895	22	47	100	243	141	67
\$1,000 ..	1 643	311	256	256	360	162	113
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc. .. farms ..	18 206	127	346	1 069	3 690	3 228	920
\$1,000 ..	13 346	1 166	1 123	2 105	4 183	2 226	475

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<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD—Con.</b>							
Total sales (see text)—Con.							
Hogs and pigs..... farms..	46	23	65	54	49	56	30
..... \$1,000..	350	155	317	154	66	40	10
..... farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sheep, lambs, and wool..... farms..	160	80	239	233	213	186	64
..... \$1,000..	1 790	815	1 495	908	466	243	25
..... farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other livestock and livestock products (see text)..... farms..	155	79	278	300	330	338	100
..... \$1,000..	1 486	639	1 593	1 228	780	458	54
..... farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text)..... farms..	51	18	107	141	128	144	81
..... \$1,000..	101	66	297	170	166	112	28
<b>FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES<sup>1</sup></b>							
Total farm production expenses..... farms..	1 749	1 150	2 459	2 163	2 068	1 763	3 280
..... \$1,000..	48 803	23 737	37 025	20 352	15 013	8 902	16 136
Average per farm..... dollars..	27 903	20 640	15 057	9 409	7 260	5 049	4 919
Livestock and poultry purchased..... farms..	564	408	804	650	595	401	342
..... \$1,000..	3 139	1 790	2 882	1 916	1 163	616	747
Farms with expenses of—							
..... \$1 to \$4,999.....	349	282	622	497	561	376	300
..... \$5,000 to \$24,999.....	209	121	164	153	33	25	41
..... \$25,000 to \$99,999.....	5	5	18	—	1	—	1
..... \$100,000 to \$249,999.....	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$250,000 or more.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Feed for livestock and poultry..... farms..	986	651	1 531	1 142	1 101	783	891
..... \$1,000..	4 723	2 930	4 579	2 282	1 743	921	933
Farms with expenses of—							
..... \$1 to \$4,999.....	585	402	1 189	1 032	1 056	761	859
..... \$5,000 to \$24,999.....	401	247	341	108	39	22	32
..... \$25,000 to \$99,999.....	—	2	1	2	6	—	—
..... \$100,000 to \$249,999.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$250,000 or more.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Commercially mixed formula feeds..... farms..	504	312	620	562	491	454	466
..... \$1,000..	1 231	472	888	512	281	177	263
Farms with expenses of—							
..... \$1 to \$4,999.....	432	289	597	552	491	453	455
..... \$5,000 to \$24,999.....	72	23	22	10	—	1	11
..... \$25,000 to \$99,999.....	—	—	1	—	—	—	—
..... \$100,000 or more.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees..... farms..	785	365	589	431	292	218	170
..... \$1,000..	1 189	420	470	254	113	51	41
Farms with expenses of—							
..... \$1 to \$999.....	430	224	423	356	262	210	158
..... \$1,000 to \$4,999.....	317	125	153	75	30	8	12
..... \$5,000 to \$24,999.....	38	16	13	—	—	—	—
..... \$25,000 to \$49,999.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$50,000 or more.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Commercial fertilizer..... farms..	973	574	1 006	825	671	539	532
..... \$1,000..	3 071	1 066	1 599	738	450	199	366
Farms with expenses of—							
..... \$1 to \$4,999.....	773	544	973	810	671	538	518
..... \$5,000 to \$24,999.....	198	30	33	15	—	1	14
..... \$25,000 to \$49,999.....	2	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$50,000 or more.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Agricultural chemicals..... farms..	1 014	586	866	682	589	506	680
..... \$1,000..	2 310	796	1 030	322	327	146	336
Farms with expenses of—							
..... \$1 to \$4,999.....	909	566	830	679	587	505	674
..... \$5,000 to \$24,999.....	104	20	36	3	2	1	5
..... \$25,000 to \$49,999.....	1	—	—	—	—	—	1
..... \$50,000 or more.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Petroleum products..... farms..	1 731	1 131	2 309	2 065	2 008	1 582	1 944
..... \$1,000..	5 368	2 664	3 988	2 122	1 526	769	1 297
Farms with expenses of—							
..... \$1 to \$4,999.....	1 456	1 049	2 233	2 042	2 007	1 579	1 940
..... \$5,000 to \$24,999.....	275	82	76	23	—	3	4
..... \$25,000 to \$49,999.....	—	—	—	—	1	—	—
..... \$50,000 or more.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Gasoline and gasohol..... farms..	1 578	999	2 074	1 801	1 822	1 332	1 693
..... \$1,000..	2 789	1 394	2 210	1 302	889	437	862
Diesel fuel..... farms..	1 482	876	1 624	1 197	992	613	870
..... \$1,000..	2 036	926	1 259	535	368	198	276
Natural gas..... farms..	21	27	36	70	18	56	47
..... \$1,000..	30	16	22	18	45	22	30
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc..... farms..	1 552	979	1 818	1 354	1 207	734	1 182
..... \$1,000..	513	328	496	266	224	111	129

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>FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES<sup>1</sup></b>							
—Con.							
Total farm production expenses—Con.							
Electricity . . . . . farms . . . . .	18 072	125	343	1 028	3 485	2 973	817
\$1,000 . . . . .	29 820	3 175	3 251	4 808	8 181	4 198	854
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999 . . . . .	10 620	3	25	146	901	1 382	473
\$1,000 to \$4,999 . . . . .	6 330	23	117	561	2 241	1 477	339
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	1 026	54	176	301	338	114	5
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	78	32	21	19	5	—	—
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	18	13	4	1	—	—	—
Hired farm labor . . . . . farms . . . . .	8 186	98	329	898	2 530	1 390	349
\$1,000 . . . . .	109 424	15 403	19 529	25 169	34 676	9 515	1 533
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	4 417	2	10	142	852	765	205
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	2 541	7	83	355	1 233	580	144
\$25,000 to \$99,999 . . . . .	1 097	37	178	384	441	45	—
\$100,000 to \$249,999 . . . . .	116	38	57	17	4	—	—
\$250,000 or more . . . . .	15	14	1	—	—	—	—
Workers by days worked:							
150 days or more . . . . . farms . . . . .	4 192	93	292	709	1 574	731	147
workers . . . . .	8 229	877	1 210	1 718	2 590	960	163
Less than 150 days . . . . . farms . . . . .	6 959	82	273	700	1 945	1 146	296
workers . . . . .	17 729	973	1 824	2 478	4 801	2 246	521
Contract labor . . . . . farms . . . . .	3 778	51	154	357	988	629	118
\$1,000 . . . . .	15 447	1 222	2 252	2 827	4 912	1 856	444
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999 . . . . .	1 383	6	14	37	175	210	42
\$1,000 to \$4,999 . . . . .	1 532	10	33	156	516	275	48
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	780	18	85	143	276	142	28
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	59	10	13	13	21	2	—
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	24	7	9	8	—	—	—
Repair and maintenance . . . . . farms . . . . .	20 478	122	350	1 062	3 695	3 164	924
\$1,000 . . . . .	124 799	10 752	11 313	20 385	38 444	18 719	3 876
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	13 156	4	7	89	798	1 548	621
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	6 520	23	149	694	2 709	1 585	299
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	597	20	133	229	176	24	4
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	205	75	61	50	12	7	—
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment . . . . . farms . . . . .	6 916	77	212	663	1 778	1 238	353
\$1,000 . . . . .	42 985	4 334	4 713	9 436	14 142	5 219	950
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999 . . . . .	2 109	2	11	54	227	282	104
\$1,000 to \$4,999 . . . . .	2 716	15	44	194	731	570	192
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	1 758	25	97	301	704	379	56
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	236	10	39	80	100	6	1
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	97	25	21	34	16	1	—
Interest . . . . . farms . . . . .	12 583	109	335	931	2 982	2 299	625
\$1,000 . . . . .	149 306	11 664	17 285	27 801	48 815	20 698	4 266
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	5 811	7	25	76	719	805	299
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	5 163	22	97	407	1 544	1 368	314
\$25,000 to \$99,999 . . . . .	1 490	36	167	424	714	126	12
\$100,000 or more . . . . .	119	44	46	24	5	—	—
Secured by real estate . . . . . farms . . . . .	8 630	82	229	672	2 184	1 533	367
\$1,000 . . . . .	99 056	7 063	10 357	18 019	32 289	14 141	3 003
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999 . . . . .	863	2	4	5	57	77	18
\$1,000 to \$4,999 . . . . .	2 863	4	21	69	514	426	101
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	3 856	12	64	312	1 152	950	241
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	768	12	60	184	417	79	7
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	280	52	80	102	44	1	—
Not secured by real estate . . . . . farms . . . . .	7 484	86	255	645	1 856	1 432	443
\$1,000 . . . . .	50 250	4 602	6 929	9 783	16 526	6 556	1 263
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999 . . . . .	1 792	3	9	22	156	251	132
\$1,000 to \$4,999 . . . . .	2 970	5	32	125	602	616	204
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	2 345	28	119	375	991	564	107
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	259	17	47	95	98	1	—
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	118	33	48	28	9	—	—
Cash rent . . . . . farms . . . . .	6 705	69	223	641	1 843	1 299	362
\$1,000 . . . . .	81 423	5 342	11 017	18 269	28 307	10 657	1 926
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	3 502	9	28	135	495	654	247
\$5,000 to \$9,999 . . . . .	1 004	3	20	98	381	232	39
\$10,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	1 314	16	55	146	577	359	75
\$25,000 or more . . . . .	885	41	120	262	390	54	1
Property taxes . . . . . farms . . . . .	22 916	122	345	1 045	3 644	3 167	945
\$1,000 . . . . .	89 911	4 914	6 200	12 595	26 825	13 538	3 185
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	17 388	11	48	196	1 263	2 100	776
\$5,000 to \$9,999 . . . . .	3 379	7	69	273	1 457	896	133
\$10,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	1 821	25	140	494	881	162	29
\$25,000 or more . . . . .	328	79	88	82	43	9	7
All other farm production expenses . . . . . farms . . . . .	22 406	127	351	1 080	3 755	3 328	992
\$1,000 . . . . .	215 547	21 710	24 796	40 298	69 553	30 289	6 045
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	13 846	1	7	51	429	1 179	519
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	6 394	10	69	373	2 388	1 970	473
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	1 414	17	70	407	741	177	—
\$50,000 to \$99,999 . . . . .	551	29	131	194	195	2	—
\$100,000 or more . . . . .	201	70	74	55	2	—	—

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>FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES<sup>1</sup></b>							
—Con.							
Total farm production expenses—Con.							
Electricity . . . . . farms . . . . .	1 354	919	1 808	1 450	1 264	1 058	1 448
\$1,000 . . . . .	1 327	669	1 105	810	555	324	562
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999 . . . . .	858	704	1 440	1 215	1 159	1 010	1 304
\$1,000 to \$4,999 . . . . .	486	205	362	225	104	48	142
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	10	10	6	10	—	—	2
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	—	—	—	—	1	—	—
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hired farm labor . . . . . farms . . . . .	512	218	490	386	369	212	405
\$1,000 . . . . .	1 315	464	673	384	172	398	191
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	441	189	466	370	369	206	400
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	69	29	22	16	—	—	3
\$25,000 to \$99,999 . . . . .	2	—	2	—	—	6	2
\$100,000 to \$249,999 . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$250,000 or more . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Workers by days worked:							
150 days or more . . . . . farms . . . . .	144	33	101	55	49	69	195
workers . . . . .	168	40	114	61	49	83	196
Less than 150 days . . . . . farms . . . . .	484	199	481	381	367	205	400
workers . . . . .	926	504	803	800	735	377	741
Contract labor . . . . . farms . . . . .	267	171	256	211	220	164	192
\$1,000 . . . . .	420	200	488	277	176	150	223
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999 . . . . .	144	93	130	121	171	108	132
\$1,000 to \$4,999 . . . . .	98	78	83	72	49	56	58
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	25	—	43	18	—	—	2
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Repair and maintenance . . . . . farms . . . . .	1 566	981	2 039	1 704	1 633	1 215	2 023
\$1,000 . . . . .	5 076	2 575	4 957	2 720	2 114	1 286	2 583
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	1 199	847	1 752	1 617	1 563	1 166	1 945
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	365	133	280	87	69	49	78
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	2	1	7	—	1	—	—
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment . . . . . farms . . . . .	523	330	504	342	304	307	285
\$1,000 . . . . .	1 541	710	846	468	279	157	190
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999 . . . . .	160	139	263	177	194	270	226
\$1,000 to \$4,999 . . . . .	253	161	207	146	110	37	56
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	110	30	34	19	—	—	3
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Interest . . . . . farms . . . . .	1 043	560	1 045	795	701	459	699
\$1,000 . . . . .	4 866	2 623	3 358	2 259	2 267	1 268	2 136
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	624	371	822	646	540	367	510
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	419	182	221	148	161	92	188
\$25,000 to \$99,999 . . . . .	—	7	2	1	—	—	1
\$100,000 or more . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Secured by real estate . . . . . farms . . . . .	631	338	609	517	519	385	564
\$1,000 . . . . .	3 212	1 924	2 200	1 752	2 043	1 177	1 874
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999 . . . . .	80	24	131	157	103	79	126
\$1,000 to \$4,999 . . . . .	255	154	296	233	264	223	303
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	296	153	181	126	152	83	134
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	—	7	1	—	—	—	1
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	—	—	—	1	—	—	—
Not secured by real estate . . . . . farms . . . . .	632	382	652	414	248	127	312
\$1,000 . . . . .	1 653	698	1 158	507	224	91	261
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999 . . . . .	182	187	182	193	160	100	215
\$1,000 to \$4,999 . . . . .	339	165	452	220	87	27	96
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	111	30	17	1	—	—	1
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	—	—	1	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cash rent . . . . . farms . . . . .	525	296	578	319	217	159	174
\$1,000 . . . . .	2 426	999	1 270	541	276	147	244
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	361	241	508	288	216	158	162
\$5,000 to \$9,999 . . . . .	111	34	55	30	—	—	1
\$10,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	39	19	14	1	1	1	11
\$25,000 or more . . . . .	14	2	1	—	—	—	—
Property taxes . . . . . farms . . . . .	1 585	1 066	2 271	2 040	1 972	1 603	3 111
\$1,000 . . . . .	4 617	2 445	4 490	2 759	2 248	1 620	4 476
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	1 349	959	2 174	2 008	1 931	1 591	2 982
\$5,000 to \$9,999 . . . . .	187	91	80	28	39	7	112
\$10,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	49	7	8	4	2	5	15
\$25,000 or more . . . . .	—	9	9	—	—	—	2
All other farm production expenses . . . . . farms . . . . .	1 744	1 150	2 459	1 872	1 755	1 383	2 410
\$1,000 . . . . .	7 417	3 385	5 292	2 500	1 603	851	1 809
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	1 189	905	2 222	1 839	1 741	1 383	2 381
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	555	245	237	33	14	—	27
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	2
\$50,000 to \$99,999 . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$100,000 or more . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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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>NET CASH RETURN FROM AGRICULTURAL SALES FOR THE FARM UNIT (SEE TEXT)<sup>1</sup></b>							
All farms..... number..	24 275	127	352	1 081	3 755	3 335	992
..... \$1,000..	334 834	54 391	51 940	90 830	120 529	39 102	4 792
Average per farm..... dollars..	13 793	428 273	147 556	84 024	32 098	11 725	4 831
Farms with net gains <sup>2</sup> ..... number..	12 462	114	292	929	2 837	2 321	655
Average net gain..... dollars..	36 946	499 000	194 522	107 160	51 480	25 852	15 358
Gain of—							
Less than \$1,000.....	1 122	—	—	3	23	37	41
\$1,000 to \$9,999.....	4 168	1	3	24	203	457	152
\$10,000 to \$49,999.....	4 536	6	28	160	1 309	1 603	462
\$50,000 or more.....	2 636	107	261	742	1 302	224	—
Farms with net losses..... number..	11 813	13	60	152	918	1 014	337
Average net loss..... dollars..	10 632	191 950	81 012	57 381	27 799	20 613	15 631
Loss of—							
Less than \$1,000.....	1 497	—	1	1	44	58	28
\$1,000 to \$9,999.....	6 968	—	7	22	257	318	107
\$10,000 to \$49,999.....	2 961	2	20	72	462	574	193
\$50,000 or more.....	387	11	32	57	155	64	9
<b>GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS AND OTHER FARM-RELATED INCOME</b>							
Government payments..... farms..	12 008	98	256	962	2 906	2 298	593
..... \$1,000..	177 138	3 488	9 075	25 606	52 161	27 634	6 326
Other farm-related income <sup>1</sup> ..... farms..	7 889	43	137	456	1 716	1 323	306
..... \$1,000..	54 104	1 340	3 377	6 049	14 184	6 466	1 845
Customwork and other agricultural services..... farms..	1 902	9	43	124	445	370	70
..... \$1,000..	15 979	161	863	2 710	5 535	2 647	572
Gross cash rent or share payments..... farms..	2 774	12	34	78	331	362	82
..... \$1,000..	23 598	(D)	745	1 348	4 513	2 239	879
Forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products..... farms..	517	5	12	14	67	86	15
..... \$1,000..	8 003	(D)	1 229	815	1 973	734	213
Other farm-related income sources..... farms..	4 812	33	103	394	1 433	923	211
..... \$1,000..	6 524	196	539	1 175	2 163	846	182
<b>COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS</b>							
Total..... farms..	1 825	17	61	255	701	433	85
..... \$1,000..	67 790	2 720	5 484	19 752	27 057	9 469	1 070
Corn..... farms..	11	—	1	2	6	—	—
..... \$1,000..	36	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	—
Wheat..... farms..	1 737	16	59	248	672	416	80
..... \$1,000..	63 052	2 585	(D)	18 269	24 954	9 061	1 004
Soybeans..... farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sorghum, barley, and oats..... farms..	319	4	15	48	129	63	16
..... \$1,000..	4 615	134	408	1 420	2 053	408	66
Cotton..... farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sunflower seed, flaxseed, safflower, canola, other rapeseed, and mustard seed..... farms..	5	—	—	2	3	—	—
..... \$1,000..	86	—	—	(D)	(D)	—	—
Peanuts, rice, and tobacco..... farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
<b>LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE</b>							
Total cropland..... farms..	20 669	120	338	1 161	3 598	3 181	903
..... acres..	17 629 001	713 677	1 168 944	3 185 697	5 855 261	3 041 557	580 128
Harvested cropland..... farms..	17 854	119	337	1 149	3 562	3 118	860
..... acres..	9 399 718	485 272	779 976	1 978 245	3 377 571	1 566 184	275 210
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 49 acres.....	4 502	1	5	12	41	89	50
50 to 99 acres.....	1 625	2	—	11	39	114	58
100 to 199 acres.....	2 362	—	10	19	183	421	213
200 to 499 acres.....	3 729	10	29	112	776	1 181	377
500 to 999 acres.....	2 749	12	66	201	1 094	1 022	142
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	1 941	17	78	353	1 176	269	19
2,000 acres or more.....	946	77	149	441	253	22	1
Cropland:							
Pasture or grazing only..... farms..	7 269	36	84	260	917	894	298
..... acres..	1 607 455	39 224	72 839	134 319	345 540	308 567	85 122
In cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured..... farms..	2 122	12	33	112	390	373	83
..... acres..	1 060 757	8 636	31 864	83 204	207 523	177 738	38 391
On which all crops failed..... farms..	676	7	12	54	150	159	34
..... acres..	105 095	1 828	1 771	15 359	24 347	30 223	4 574
In cultivated summer fallow..... farms..	6 853	61	149	671	2 027	1 522	383
..... acres..	4 334 219	164 577	246 085	855 245	1 637 243	770 466	128 608
Idle..... farms..	2 735	12	44	176	512	452	109
..... acres..	1 121 757	14 140	36 409	119 325	263 037	188 379	48 223
Total woodland..... farms..	3 443	23	49	102	421	420	124
..... acres..	2 059 427	103 903	89 611	200 915	511 770	274 680	49 577
Woodland pastured..... farms..	2 570	19	42	90	367	366	107
..... acres..	1 729 647	89 722	76 369	166 574	469 376	241 318	39 638
Woodland not pastured..... farms..	1 320	10	13	25	106	109	25
..... acres..	329 780	14 181	13 242	34 341	42 394	33 362	9 939

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>NET CASH RETURN FROM AGRICULTURAL SALES FOR THE FARM UNIT (SEE TEXT)<sup>1</sup></b>							
All farms..... number..	1 749	1 150	2 459	2 163	2 068	1 763	3 281
..... \$1,000..	7 065	1 704	-1 612	-4 876	-7 416	-5 938	-15 675
Average per farm..... dollars..	4 039	1 481	-656	-2 254	-3 586	-3 368	-4 778
Farms with net gains <sup>2</sup> ..... number..	1 177	721	1 361	1 030	626	335	64
Average net gain..... dollars..	11 560	8 724	5 298	2 735	1 398	775	258
Gain of—							
Less than \$1,000.....	66	40	103	242	258	245	64
\$1,000 to \$9,999.....	521	407	1 154	788	368	90	-
\$10,000 to \$49,999.....	590	274	104	-	-	-	-
\$50,000 or more.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Farms with net losses..... number..	572	429	1 098	1 133	1 442	1 428	3 217
Average net loss..... dollars..	11 437	10 690	8 035	6 790	5 750	4 340	4 878
Loss of—							
Less than \$1,000.....	37	28	149	157	160	299	535
\$1,000 to \$9,999.....	302	256	685	725	1 047	1 017	2 225
\$10,000 to \$49,999.....	227	137	255	238	231	105	445
\$50,000 or more.....	6	8	9	13	4	7	12
<b>GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS AND OTHER FARM-RELATED INCOME</b>							
Government payments..... farms..	1 027	455	927	596	370	224	1 296
..... \$1,000..	9 615	3 824	7 444	4 367	2 188	1 730	23 681
Other farm-related income <sup>1</sup> ..... farms..	680	394	756	575	414	300	789
..... \$1,000..	3 097	2 201	2 977	1 944	1 600	1 419	7 606
Customwork and other agricultural services..... farms..	160	90	160	116	100	107	108
..... \$1,000..	1 139	437	642	396	171	314	392
Gross cash rent or share payments..... farms..	153	181	320	320	259	90	552
..... \$1,000..	1 389	(D)	1 619	1 144	1 159	607	6 201
Forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products..... farms..	37	17	74	21	41	59	69
..... \$1,000..	316	(D)	474	277	241	340	476
Other farm-related income sources..... farms..	489	191	399	208	131	69	228
..... \$1,000..	253	77	242	127	29	158	536
<b>COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS</b>							
Total..... farms..	133	45	59	25	7	3	1
..... \$1,000..	1 314	328	483	102	7	(D)	(D)
Corn..... farms..	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
..... \$1,000..	(D)	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wheat..... farms..	117	39	58	21	7	3	1
..... \$1,000..	(D)	289	466	98	7	(D)	(D)
Soybeans..... farms..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
..... \$1,000..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sorghum, barley, and oats..... farms..	21	9	6	5	3	-	-
..... \$1,000..	65	39	17	4	(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..	1 687	797	2 054	1 786	1 465	1 294	2 285
..... acres..	893 252	334 922	602 720	318 431	153 348	102 562	678 502
Harvested cropland..... farms..	1 595	724	1 820	1 459	1 173	1 025	913
..... acres..	401 090	134 953	217 567	96 514	44 262	25 246	17 628
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 49 acres.....	155	115	558	793	911	916	856
50 to 99 acres.....	187	133	439	351	178	77	36
100 to 199 acres.....	462	216	505	230	65	25	13
200 to 499 acres.....	624	222	287	82	16	6	7
500 to 999 acres.....	145	35	25	2	3	1	1
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	21	1	6	1	-	-	-
2,000 acres or more.....	1	2	-	-	-	-	-
Cropland:							
Pasture or grazing only..... farms..	640	315	863	816	716	576	854
..... acres..	152 856	70 452	150 208	90 894	49 541	37 978	69 915
In cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured..... farms..	157	87	176	131	76	68	424
..... acres..	69 088	45 315	66 269	50 298	23 582	17 750	241 099
On which all crops failed..... farms..	69	19	58	33	19	22	40
..... acres..	8 776	2 656	5 508	1 116	812	1 469	6 656
In cultivated summer fallow..... farms..	610	252	482	256	126	64	250
..... acres..	180 443	60 710	115 291	41 489	20 783	7 686	105 593
Idle..... farms..	227	88	202	152	124	102	535
..... acres..	80 999	20 836	47 877	38 120	14 368	12 433	237 611
Total woodland..... farms..	274	123	358	363	363	336	487
..... acres..	201 640	31 405	78 341	59 769	130 142	30 996	296 678
Woodland pastured..... farms..	218	99	271	256	233	213	289
..... acres..	161 607	19 152	56 736	40 032	118 717	19 162	231 244
Woodland not pastured..... farms..	89	36	143	159	174	168	263
..... acres..	40 033	12 253	21 605	19 737	11 425	11 834	65 434

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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>LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE—Con.</b>							
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured..... farms..	13 941	110	259	851	2 629	2 362	636
acres..	37 974 463	2 620 997	3 503 582	6 013 375	11 239 673	5 734 120	1 201 069
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. .... farms..	13 662	96	242	787	2 254	1 919	530
acres..	944 887	18 199	38 873	132 503	256 213	154 721	50 252
Irrigated land ..... farms..	9 059	91	232	541	1 442	1 230	386
acres..	1 994 484	128 827	269 450	320 298	558 987	316 129	66 538
Harvested cropland irrigated ..... farms..	7 773	87	227	528	1 413	1 164	349
acres..	1 539 009	107 753	203 204	271 406	467 013	231 331	49 405
Pasture and other land irrigated ..... farms..	3 866	24	80	146	439	466	146
acres..	455 475	21 074	66 246	48 892	91 974	84 798	17 133
Land under Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs ..... farms..	4 899	27	87	340	993	785	206
acres..	2 635 081	39 551	85 540	233 116	545 962	390 311	104 286
<b>VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS<sup>1</sup></b>							
Estimated market value of land and buildings..... farms..	24 275	127	352	1 081	3 755	3 335	992
\$1,000..	16 969 895	716 798	1 182 050	2 373 885	4 800 937	2 479 619	584 120
Average per farm ..... dollars..	699 069	5 644 075	3 358 098	2 196 008	1 278 545	743 514	588 831
Average per acre ..... dollars..	294	207	246	260	270	277	315
Farms by value group:							
\$1 to \$39,999 .....	1 565	1	2	2	19	26	22
\$40,000 to \$69,999 .....	1 411	1	1	1	9	60	13
\$70,000 to \$99,999 .....	1 347	2	1	2	5	54	23
\$100,000 to \$149,999 .....	2 253	1	2	2	34	113	50
\$150,000 to \$199,999 .....	2 201	—	2	4	53	120	76
\$200,000 to \$499,999 .....	6 502	3	10	56	547	1 136	412
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....	4 509	6	42	158	1 439	1 119	242
\$1,000,000 to \$1,999,999 .....	2 811	16	89	441	1 143	543	121
\$2,000,000 to \$4,999,999 .....	1 366	41	140	347	427	154	30
\$5,000,000 or more .....	310	56	63	68	79	10	3
<b>VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup></b>							
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ..... farms..	24 258	127	352	1 081	3 755	3 335	992
\$1,000..	1 895 934	60 611	116 645	284 346	600 768	316 579	52 364
Farms by value group:							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	1 946	—	—	—	5	21	27
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	2 414	1	1	3	10	54	69
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....	3 478	2	3	11	62	164	111
\$20,000 to \$49,999 .....	6 070	5	14	37	364	804	384
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	4 162	6	23	89	783	1 072	261
\$100,000 to \$199,999 .....	3 442	31	68	295	1 380	826	114
\$200,000 to \$499,999 .....	2 354	45	164	511	1 048	368	26
\$500,000 or more .....	392	37	79	135	103	26	—
<b>SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup></b>							
Motortrucks, including pickups ..... farms..	23 086	127	352	1 081	3 754	3 262	966
number..	74 396	1 338	2 764	7 114	18 774	12 395	2 946
Wheel tractors ..... farms..	20 635	114	324	1 024	3 565	3 134	895
number..	51 181	713	1 506	4 006	11 352	8 861	2 158
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms..	9 588	54	126	423	1 464	1 229	385
number..	13 857	129	196	666	2 183	1 883	531
40 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms..	17 521	112	314	1 005	3 494	3 060	845
number..	37 324	584	1 310	3 340	9 169	6 978	1 627
40 to 99 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms..	13 662	93	243	740	2 438	2 254	641
number..	20 515	255	527	1 337	3 861	3 630	976
100 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms..	10 344	88	266	847	2 924	2 168	505
number..	16 809	329	783	2 003	5 308	3 348	651
Grain and bean combines ..... farms..	7 106	68	218	727	2 252	1 584	368
number..	8 854	159	352	1 036	2 834	1 910	422
Cotton pickers and strippers ..... farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
number..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Mower conditioners ..... farms..	8 475	81	224	583	1 874	1 646	422
number..	9 578	129	323	718	2 134	1 906	456
Pickup balers ..... farms..	10 162	95	241	677	2 219	1 932	501
number..	12 862	163	384	977	3 006	2 606	620
<b>AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS<sup>1</sup></b>							
Commercial fertilizer ..... farms..	12 284	109	313	963	3 023	2 177	620
acres on which used..	6 419 445	416 307	608 624	1 449 004	2 394 895	911 476	164 524
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—							
Insects on hay and other crops ..... farms..	1 626	35	87	185	539	270	68
acres on which used..	399 395	32 821	45 457	86 473	154 782	46 375	6 276
Nematodes in crops ..... farms..	168	1	18	18	61	33	12
acres on which used..	26 420	(D)	5 220	5 216	11 516	3 087	557
Diseases in crops and orchards ..... farms..	661	11	33	73	187	107	54
acres on which used..	358 148	18 459	29 122	94 242	156 247	44 809	5 865
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture ..... farms..	9 825	84	230	775	2 603	1 940	505
acres on which used..	5 407 461	262 134	417 098	1 179 242	2 112 388	867 711	148 698
Chemicals used on crops to control growth, thin fruit, or defoliate ..... farms..	252	7	17	30	62	65	6
acres on which used..	70 806	20 753	4 235	15 367	14 225	13 539	360

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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>LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE—Con.</b>							
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured..... farms..	1 139	530	1 345	1 120	855	700	1 405
acres..	1 756 243	563 542	990 132	467 900	401 619	159 836	3 322 375
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. .... farms..	1 019	500	1 318	1 171	1 107	1 018	1 701
acres..	55 765	19 304	44 175	28 486	20 801	18 436	107 159
Irrigated land ..... farms..	753	379	981	919	778	667	660
acres..	112 511	39 416	77 066	44 253	22 614	12 769	25 626
Harvested cropland irrigated ..... farms..	687	324	827	698	578	492	399
acres..	79 498	26 609	51 457	25 446	12 871	7 933	5 083
Pasture and other land irrigated ..... farms..	322	179	471	499	381	310	403
acres..	33 013	12 807	25 609	18 807	9 743	4 836	20 543
Land under Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs ..... farms..	373	159	348	240	134	87	1 120
acres..	181 491	78 428	153 908	103 701	54 223	40 290	624 274
<b>VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS<sup>1</sup></b>							
Estimated market value of land and buildings ..... farms..	1 749	1 150	2 459	2 163	2 068	1 763	3 281
\$1,000..	1 063 482	421 101	742 748	628 245	501 220	351 392	1 124 299
Average per farm ..... dollars..	608 052	366 175	302 053	290 451	242 370	199 315	342 670
Average per acre ..... dollars..	372	414	426	837	770	1 171	256
Farms by value group:							
\$1 to \$39,999 .....	25	106	167	205	239	303	448
\$40,000 to \$69,999 .....	50	62	187	219	193	182	433
\$70,000 to \$99,999 .....	52	31	205	226	252	184	310
\$100,000 to \$149,999 .....	129	156	294	268	380	281	543
\$150,000 to \$199,999 .....	189	139	394	252	243	279	450
\$200,000 to \$499,999 .....	759	412	861	633	544	404	725
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....	330	179	261	270	156	95	212
\$1,000,000 to \$1,999,999 .....	134	46	57	52	50	19	100
\$2,000,000 to \$4,999,999 .....	73	17	33	38	9	16	41
\$5,000,000 or more .....	8	2	—	—	2	—	19
<b>VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup></b>							
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ..... farms..	1 749	1 150	2 459	2 153	2 068	1 763	3 274
\$1,000..	75 171	51 379	80 737	65 763	43 291	39 945	108 336
Farms by value group:							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	67	80	287	227	442	328	462
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	114	77	258	444	405	356	622
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....	301	280	573	533	480	429	529
\$20,000 to \$49,999 .....	693	448	802	571	519	452	977
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	386	148	391	253	165	140	445
\$100,000 to \$199,999 .....	173	80	118	104	44	46	163
\$200,000 to \$499,999 .....	15	31	30	15	13	12	76
\$500,000 or more .....	—	6	—	6	—	—	—
<b>SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup></b>							
Motortrucks, including pickups ..... farms..	1 692	1 078	2 283	1 992	1 906	1 622	2 971
number..	4 644	2 724	5 183	4 174	3 433	2 820	6 087
Wheel tractors ..... farms..	1 523	1 001	1 980	1 659	1 529	1 353	2 534
number..	3 647	2 180	4 037	3 129	2 768	2 197	4 627
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms..	678	428	1 029	790	881	806	1 295
number..	1 001	558	1 504	1 209	1 202	1 000	1 795
40 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms..	1 397	850	1 582	1 256	1 041	795	1 770
number..	2 646	1 622	2 533	1 920	1 566	1 197	2 832
40 to 99 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms..	1 103	721	1 279	1 113	924	705	1 408
number..	1 695	1 054	1 746	1 429	1 260	907	1 838
100 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms..	770	437	658	380	269	230	802
number..	951	568	787	491	306	290	994
Grain and bean combines ..... farms..	564	316	434	235	93	80	167
number..	648	372	479	264	95	80	203
Cotton pickers and strippers ..... farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
number..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Mower conditioners ..... farms..	700	360	726	578	522	355	404
number..	761	370	791	631	560	369	430
Pickup balers ..... farms..	878	425	911	786	551	405	541
number..	1 056	519	1 023	894	601	430	583
<b>AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS<sup>1</sup></b>							
Commercial fertilizer ..... farms..	971	567	997	817	662	533	532
acres on which used..	200 020	76 534	103 220	39 040	22 990	11 214	21 597
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—							
Insects on hay and other crops ..... farms..	105	61	60	66	31	55	64
acres on which used..	13 075	5 770	5 346	995	864	423	738
Nematodes in crops ..... farms..	6	1	—	—	—	13	5
(D) acres on which used..	—	(D)	—	—	—	131	70
Diseases in crops and orchards ..... farms..	47	7	26	23	9	45	39
acres on which used..	5 209	308	3 176	142	21	252	296
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture ..... farms..	902	451	639	544	430	368	354
acres on which used..	209 559	63 896	76 723	25 776	20 832	6 436	16 968
Chemicals used on crops to control growth, thin fruit, or defoliate ..... farms..	9	9	15	9	1	15	7
acres on which used..	1 701	27	483	27	(D)	50	(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 .....	24 279	127	352	1 182	3 696	3 340	982
Full owners .....	12 569	39	80	254	888	1 076	403
Part owners .....	8 826	80	235	802	2 401	1 762	439
Tenants .....	2 884	8	37	126	407	502	140
White .....	23 608	126	349	1 165	3 630	3 261	958
Full owners .....	12 275	39	79	252	870	1 055	398
Part owners .....	8 563	79	233	790	2 359	1 720	425
Tenants .....	2 770	8	37	123	401	486	135
Black and other races .....	671	1	3	17	66	79	24
Full owners .....	294	—	1	2	18	21	5
Part owners .....	263	1	2	12	42	42	14
Tenants .....	114	—	—	3	6	16	5
<b>OWNED AND RENTED LAND</b>							
Land owned .....	farms.. 21 546	119	315	1 061	3 305	2 865	849
acres..	42 759 041	2 425 864	3 302 969	6 358 642	12 009 959	6 110 110	1 379 612
Owned land in farms .....	farms.. 21 395	119	315	1 056	3 289	2 838	842
acres..	38 365 208	2 413 397	3 217 798	6 230 609	11 285 166	5 780 295	1 285 709
Land rented or leased from others .....	farms.. 11 798	89	276	930	2 815	2 279	580
acres..	20 465 635	1 044 524	1 591 947	3 323 215	6 631 620	3 457 002	599 842
landlords..	25 992	236	960	3 097	7 628	4 781	1 086
Rented or leased land in farms .....	farms.. 11 710	88	272	928	2 808	2 264	579
acres..	20 242 570	1 043 379	1 583 212	3 301 881	6 577 751	3 424 783	595 317
Land rented or leased to others .....	farms.. 3 103	15	51	121	372	403	125
acres..	4 616 898	13 612	93 906	149 367	778 662	362 034	98 428
<b>OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS</b>							
Operators by place of residence:							
On farm operated .....	17 907	83	253	908	2 984	2 614	751
Not on farm operated .....	4 615	16	46	138	413	550	173
Not reported .....	1 757	28	53	136	299	176	58
Operators by principal occupation:							
Farming .....	15 703	117	335	1 132	3 519	2 987	813
Other .....	8 576	10	17	50	177	353	169
Operators by days worked off farm:							
None .....	11 320	85	255	835	2 582	1 975	516
Any .....	11 280	19	52	212	783	1 132	402
1 to 99 days .....	2 860	9	25	132	473	546	153
100 to 199 days .....	2 098	3	13	37	136	254	107
200 days or more .....	6 322	7	14	43	174	332	142
Not reported .....	1 679	23	45	135	331	233	64
Operators by years on present farm:							
2 years or less .....	1 200	4	5	36	72	150	44
3 or 4 years .....	1 533	5	6	27	107	182	45
5 to 9 years .....	3 502	12	35	89	361	411	110
10 years or more .....	14 304	66	228	791	2 593	2 207	645
Average years on present farm .....	20.5	20.1	23.8	24.3	23.7	22.6	22.9
Not reported .....	3 740	40	78	239	563	390	138
Operators by age group:							
Under 25 years .....	240	—	1	4	15	17	11
25 to 34 years .....	1 402	4	18	54	210	225	55
35 to 44 years .....	5 138	29	83	304	965	736	222
45 to 49 years .....	3 251	13	65	195	526	488	119
50 to 54 years .....	3 026	17	46	167	514	411	94
55 to 59 years .....	2 769	14	35	141	411	383	112
60 to 64 years .....	2 328	22	34	108	377	333	91
65 to 69 years .....	2 183	12	25	87	296	287	93
70 years and over .....	3 942	16	45	122	382	460	185
Average age .....	54.0	54.8	52.8	52.0	52.0	53.2	54.5
Operators by sex:							
Male .....	21 951	126	345	1 146	3 576	3 151	921
Female .....	2 328	1	7	36	120	189	61
Operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin (see text) .....							
	173	1	2	8	27	20	6
<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION</b>							
Individual or family (sole proprietorship) .....	farms.. 18 751	30	115	520	2 170	2 445	766
acres..	29 000 090	824 578	1 111 405	3 747 317	9 260 187	6 301 206	1 410 737
Partnership .....	farms.. 2 065	30	83	213	424	288	94
acres..	7 792 104	895 386	1 058 596	1 695 499	2 347 763	842 315	188 324
Corporation:							
Family held .....	farms.. 2 998	51	144	433	1 060	555	111
acres..	16 321 757	1 516 385	2 352 087	3 863 346	5 552 075	1 915 238	273 620
More than 10 stockholders .....	farms.. 55	9	8	14	9	7	2
10 or less stockholders .....	farms.. 2 943	42	136	419	1 051	548	109
Other than family held .....	farms.. 123	12	8	6	19	19	1
acres..	588 569	155 067	(D)	89 741	77 462	46 017	(D)
More than 10 stockholders .....	farms.. 12	6	—	—	—	2	—
10 or less stockholders .....	farms.. 111	6	8	6	19	17	1
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. ....							
farms..	342	4	2	10	23	33	10
acres..	4 905 258	65 360	(D)	136 587	625 430	100 302	(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>TENURE AND RACE OF OPERATOR</b>							
All operators .....	1 857	913	2 502	2 308	2 024	1 783	3 213
Full owners .....	861	488	1 498	1 521	1 476	1 401	2 584
Part owners .....	700	291	663	492	347	238	376
Tenants .....	296	134	341	295	201	144	253
White .....	1 814	886	2 390	2 237	1 968	1 737	3 087
Full owners .....	851	480	1 446	1 490	1 446	1 368	2 501
Part owners .....	675	277	629	459	331	232	354
Tenants .....	288	129	315	288	191	137	232
Black and other races .....	43	27	112	71	56	46	126
Full owners .....	10	8	52	31	30	33	83
Part owners .....	25	14	34	33	16	6	22
Tenants .....	8	5	26	7	10	7	21
<b>OWNED AND RENTED LAND</b>							
Land owned .....	1 573	782	2 188	2 026	1 836	1 643	2 984
farms .....	2 938 768	739 788	1 346 708	723 031	659 718	254 525	4 509 347
acres .....	1 561	779	2 161	2 013	1 823	1 639	2 960
Owned land in farms .....	1 990 677	625 843	1 141 112	569 230	559 796	206 907	3 058 669
acres .....							
Land rented or leased from others .....	1 005	428	1 017	797	553	384	645
farms .....	938 469	337 147	596 796	317 445	149 259	108 406	1 369 963
acres .....	1 875	762	1 726	1 380	849	606	1 006
landlords .....	996	425	1 004	787	548	382	629
Rented or leased land in farms .....	916 223	323 330	574 256	305 356	146 114	104 923	1 346 045
acres .....							
Land rented or leased to others .....	226	153	356	299	219	159	604
farms .....	970 337	127 762	228 136	165 890	103 067	51 101	1 474 596
acres .....							
<b>OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS</b>							
Operators by place of residence:							
On farm operated .....	1 365	653	1 823	1 707	1 529	1 376	1 861
Not on farm operated .....	394	218	550	465	354	281	1 017
Not reported .....	98	42	129	136	141	126	335
Operators by principal occupation:							
Farming .....	1 390	610	1 461	1 092	754	525	968
Other .....	467	303	1 041	1 216	1 270	1 258	2 245
Operators by days worked off farm:							
None .....	880	357	920	759	602	496	1 058
Any .....	855	496	1 413	1 420	1 310	1 215	1 971
1 to 99 days .....	244	126	275	282	188	149	258
100 to 199 days .....	210	112	266	258	249	187	266
200 days or more .....	401	258	872	880	873	879	1 447
Not reported .....	122	60	169	129	112	72	184
Operators by years on present farm:							
2 years or less .....	96	48	136	155	139	129	186
3 or 4 years .....	150	66	188	214	164	161	218
5 to 9 years .....	259	123	416	456	408	352	470
10 years or more .....	1 136	541	1 421	1 188	974	847	1 667
Average years on present farm .....	21.5	21.1	19.7	17.8	16.5	15.6	18.8
Not reported .....	216	135	341	295	339	294	672
Operators by age group:							
Under 25 years .....	14	13	31	41	39	29	25
25 to 34 years .....	156	74	168	131	113	84	110
35 to 44 years .....	326	197	456	460	427	389	544
45 to 49 years .....	227	97	326	308	264	241	382
50 to 54 years .....	214	102	293	302	249	225	392
55 to 59 years .....	211	82	308	237	213	218	404
60 to 64 years .....	187	87	213	199	188	155	334
65 to 69 years .....	181	85	227	224	194	163	309
70 years and over .....	341	176	480	406	337	279	713
Average age .....	54.7	54.2	54.9	54.3	54.1	53.8	57.0
Operators by sex:							
Male .....	1 712	832	2 247	2 019	1 764	1 511	2 601
Female .....	145	81	255	289	260	272	612
Operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin (see text) .....	13	7	19	16	13	15	26
<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION</b>							
Individual or family (sole proprietorship) .....	1 526	785	2 173	2 056	1 832	1 638	2 695
farms .....	1 911 583	765 868	1 375 863	702 643	358 287	248 314	982 102
acres .....	159	82	175	144	97	84	192
Partnership .....	208 833	93 996	151 040	81 572	34 181	22 157	172 442
acres .....							
Corporation:							
Family held .....	139	35	113	77	48	45	187
farms .....	294 947	58 761	154 092	74 930	40 045	39 470	186 761
acres .....	1	—	—	—	2	2	1
More than 10 stockholders .....	138	35	113	77	46	43	186
10 or less stockholders .....							
Other than family held .....	8	1	7	9	8	4	21
farms .....	(D)	(D)	4 165	8 189	(D)	(D)	42 594
acres .....	1	—	—	—	—	—	2
More than 10 stockholders .....	7	1	7	8	8	4	19
10 or less stockholders .....							
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. ....	25	10	34	22	39	12	118
farms .....	(D)	(D)	30 208	7 252	(D)	(D)	3 020 815
acres .....							

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<b>INJURIES AND DEATHS</b>							
Farm-related injuries:							
Operator and family members . . . . . farms . . . . .	29	5	35	21	19	21	17
Operator and family members . . . . . number . . . . .	31	5	42	22	19	22	17
Hired workers . . . . . farms . . . . .	11	1	4	6	5	—	8
Hired workers . . . . . number . . . . .	11	(D)	(D)	7	9	—	12
Farm-related deaths:							
Operator and family members . . . . . farms . . . . .	3	1	2	—	1	—	—
Operator and family members . . . . . number . . . . .	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	(D)	—	—
Hired workers . . . . . farms . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hired workers . . . . . number . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>							
1 to 9 acres . . . . .	27	13	57	100	151	221	238
10 to 49 acres . . . . .	53	37	253	500	754	873	1 018
50 to 99 acres . . . . .	31	14	97	175	205	145	120
100 to 139 acres . . . . .	32	46	169	219	197	113	134
140 to 179 acres . . . . .	48	45	175	213	116	50	152
180 to 219 acres . . . . .	77	52	183	179	120	82	196
220 to 259 acres . . . . .	51	39	115	96	63	40	87
260 to 499 acres . . . . .	61	34	99	72	49	30	69
500 to 999 acres . . . . .	252	165	432	291	159	106	372
1,000 to 1,999 acres . . . . .	398	167	446	229	108	59	377
2,000 acres or more . . . . .	455	174	300	139	63	37	273
	372	127	176	95	39	27	177
<b>FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM</b>							
Oilseed and grain farming (1111) . . . . .	569	228	464	226	134	71	1 092
Vegetable and melon farming (1112) . . . . .	2	3	9	4	11	6	6
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113) . . . . .	8	1	21	21	34	37	71
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114) . . . . .	24	15	32	36	37	57	21
Other crop farming (1119) . . . . .	182	124	340	428	445	538	316
Tobacco farming (11191) . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton farming (11192) . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199) . . . . .	182	124	340	428	445	538	316
Beef cattle ranching and farming (11211) . . . . .	951	466	1 403	1 241	946	574	592
Cattle feedlots (11212) . . . . .	15	6	12	26	47	44	15
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212) . . . . .	2	2	2	1	—	—	—
Hog and pig farming (1122) . . . . .	8	8	14	19	19	18	29
Poultry and egg production (1123) . . . . .	5	1	5	4	8	10	27
Sheep and goat farming (1124) . . . . .	52	32	91	121	127	152	59
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129) . . . . .	39	27	109	181	216	276	985
<b>LIVESTOCK</b>							
Cattle and calves inventory . . . . . farms . . . . .	1 284	607	1 687	1 424	1 110	707	556
Cattle and calves inventory . . . . . number . . . . .	123 071	43 857	84 166	41 448	19 150	9 628	5 867
Farms with—							
1 to 9 . . . . .	60	17	111	168	339	400	447
10 to 49 . . . . .	246	210	897	1 092	736	279	95
50 to 99 . . . . .	483	257	565	136	28	19	9
100 to 199 . . . . .	408	103	93	16	5	7	1
200 to 499 . . . . .	83	17	18	12	1	1	4
500 or more . . . . .	4	3	3	—	1	1	—
Cows and heifers that had calved . . . . . farms . . . . .	1 216	567	1 542	1 270	954	583	378
Cows and heifers that had calved . . . . . number . . . . .	78 774	27 393	54 174	25 062	10 922	5 307	2 987
Beef cows . . . . . farms . . . . .	1 208	565	1 533	1 254	934	565	350
Beef cows . . . . . number . . . . .	78 634	27 328	54 065	24 950	10 803	5 233	2 925
Farms with—							
1 to 9 . . . . .	64	37	142	259	487	430	296
10 to 49 . . . . .	369	295	1 103	939	433	121	49
50 to 99 . . . . .	562	194	254	39	11	10	1
100 to 199 . . . . .	192	33	27	12	2	3	2
200 to 499 . . . . .	21	6	5	5	—	1	2
500 or more . . . . .	—	—	2	—	1	—	—
Milk cows . . . . . farms . . . . .	55	21	50	66	66	47	41
Milk cows . . . . . number . . . . .	140	65	109	112	119	74	62
Farms with—							
1 to 4 . . . . .	52	17	43	62	61	46	41
5 to 9 . . . . .	1	2	5	4	5	1	—
10 to 49 . . . . .	2	2	2	—	—	—	—
50 to 99 . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100 to 199 . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
200 to 499 . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
500 or more . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Heifers and heifer calves . . . . . farms . . . . .	991	433	1 194	1 004	754	458	337
Heifers and heifer calves . . . . . number . . . . .	25 552	9 320	16 664	8 492	4 375	2 251	1 447
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves . . . . . farms . . . . .	1 115	521	1 372	1 135	808	505	386
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves . . . . . number . . . . .	18 745	7 144	13 328	7 894	3 853	2 070	1 433

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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>LIVESTOCK—Con.</b>							
Cattle and calves sold	farms.. 14 055	106	264	828	2 621	2 383	707
	number.. 1 654 014	224 954	178 898	277 760	487 020	257 958	52 103
	\$1,000.. 834 544	141 502	100 396	141 955	235 216	117 425	23 152
Calves	farms.. 4 474	23	61	207	641	700	225
	number.. 227 072	13 253	13 638	30 520	61 810	49 353	11 298
	\$1,000.. 82 590	5 304	5 262	11 296	23 568	18 000	3 889
Cattle	farms.. 12 561	102	254	793	2 513	2 193	636
	number.. 1 426 942	211 701	165 280	247 240	425 210	208 605	40 805
	\$1,000.. 751 954	136 198	95 135	130 659	211 648	99 426	19 263
Fattened on grain and concentrates	farms.. 715	26	30	60	105	94	22
	number.. 97 894	60 974	15 872	9 232	6 527	2 673	441
	\$1,000.. 71 623	45 120	11 910	6 705	4 387	1 813	299
Hogs and pigs inventory	farms.. 627	29	15	33	76	94	24
	number.. 177 740	117 159	14 542	17 442	9 430	7 155	2 647
Farms with—							
1 to 24	367	—	2	8	28	41	8
25 to 49	54	—	—	1	12	19	1
50 to 99	71	—	2	3	7	13	7
100 to 199	38	—	1	7	7	10	3
200 to 499	41	—	3	1	19	9	4
500 or more	56	29	7	13	3	2	1
Used or to be used for breeding	farms.. 350	29	11	19	53	55	18
	number.. 18 982	10 523	1 415	1 855	1 391	1 000	303
Other	farms.. 577	29	15	31	72	88	23
	number.. 158 758	106 636	13 127	15 587	8 039	6 155	2 344
Hogs and pigs sold	farms.. 595	30	14	32	81	90	25
	number.. 293 161	188 331	27 637	28 392	19 258	13 747	3 448
	\$1,000.. 32 246	21 901	2 680	3 136	1 745	1 280	412
Feeder pigs	farms.. 105	2	6	6	16	13	3
	number.. 23 996	(D)	(D)	(D)	4 753	4 284	95
	\$1,000.. 1 069	(D)	(D)	(D)	192	177	4
Litters of pigs farrowed between—							
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30	farms.. 379	29	11	24	58	60	19
	number.. 34 364	21 345	3 194	4 117	2 059	1 623	457
Dec. 1 and May 31	farms.. 339	29	11	24	54	50	17
	number.. 17 318	10 624	1 594	2 218	1 022	833	262
June 1 and Nov. 30	farms.. 314	29	11	18	50	53	15
	number.. 17 046	10 721	1 600	1 899	1 037	790	195
Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory	farms.. 1 981	11	21	102	352	278	73
	number.. 416 012	12 151	35 108	86 951	130 762	62 394	9 096
Ewes 1 year old or older	farms.. 1 880	11	21	101	344	266	69
	number.. 301 015	8 540	23 971	61 833	98 098	47 624	6 481
Sheep and lambs sold	farms.. 1 999	12	21	103	351	286	80
	number.. 337 280	11 356	27 131	58 979	109 809	51 690	8 857
Sheep and lambs shorn	farms.. 1 881	12	21	102	344	269	74
	number.. 365 542	10 096	29 736	76 418	122 045	53 875	7 795
	pounds of wool.. 3 409 988	111 837	278 369	714 557	1 139 960	492 940	70 654
Horses and ponies inventory	farms.. 10 152	78	183	533	1 580	1 365	388
	number.. 71 193	1 550	2 624	4 929	11 382	8 370	2 481
Horses and ponies sold	farms.. 1 884	16	42	78	205	167	62
	number.. 7 840	95	632	863	1 237	808	355
Goats inventory	farms.. 417	—	2	7	29	43	4
	number.. 4 909	—	(D)	66	562	409	(D)
Goats sold	farms.. 98	—	1	1	2	9	—
	number.. 1 586	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	62	—
<b>POULTRY</b>							
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text)	farms.. 1 017	30	11	22	95	101	31
	number.. 378 562	335 842	(D)	1 201	4 496	2 303	(D)
Farms with—							
1 to 399	984	2	9	22	94	101	31
400 to 3,199	4	—	1	—	1	—	—
3,200 to 9,999	7	—	—	—	—	—	—
10,000 to 19,999	21	20	—	—	—	—	—
20,000 to 49,999	1	1	—	—	—	—	—
50,000 to 99,999	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 or more	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Layers 20 weeks old and older	farms.. 1 001	30	11	22	93	101	29
	number.. 294 399	256 992	(D)	1 135	4 218	2 146	(D)
Pullets 13 weeks old and older but less than 20 weeks old	farms.. 159	20	1	4	11	10	6
	number.. 84 163	78 850	(D)	66	278	157	(D)
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold (see text)	farms.. 90	28	3	—	2	2	—
	number.. 298 658	195 248	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	—
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold	farms.. 61	18	1	5	2	—	1
	number.. 112 821	109 365	(D)	576	(D)	—	(D)
Farms with—							
1 to 1,999	49	6	1	5	2	—	1
2,000 to 59,999	12	12	—	—	—	—	—
60,000 to 99,999	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 or more	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Turkey hens kept for breeding	farms.. 75	3	—	—	12	2	—
	number.. 286	(D)	—	—	46	(D)	—
Turkeys sold	farms.. 46	15	—	—	1	1	—
	number.. 12 873	7 520	—	—	(D)	(D)	—

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<b>LIVESTOCK—Con.</b>							
Cattle and calves sold .....	farms.. 1 306	621	1 714	1 467	1 103	679	256
	number.. 70 073	25 173	46 804	21 362	8 572	2 761	576
	\$1,000.. 30 631	10 455	19 986	9 026	3 580	1 061	158
Calves .....	farms.. 453	218	624	525	425	271	101
	number.. 16 715	7 072	13 235	6 032	2 655	1 149	342
	\$1,000.. 5 865	2 076	4 279	1 860	827	311	52
Cattle .....	farms.. 1 138	548	1 494	1 261	932	525	172
	number.. 53 358	18 101	33 569	15 330	5 917	1 612	234
	\$1,000.. 24 765	8 379	15 706	7 166	2 753	750	105
Fattened on grain and concentrates .....	farms.. 47	19	67	82	93	55	15
	number.. 793	166	422	386	283	110	15
	\$1,000.. 474	133	280	241	182	69	10
Hogs and pigs inventory .....	farms.. 53	25	79	55	43	54	47
	number.. 2 217	1 258	2 653	1 072	451	347	1 367
Farms with—							
1 to 24 .....	37	12	50	44	39	52	46
25 to 49 .....	3	2	9	2	3	2	—
50 to 99 .....	8	7	15	8	1	—	—
100 to 199 .....	2	4	3	1	—	—	—
200 to 499 .....	3	—	2	—	—	—	—
500 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
Used or to be used for breeding .....	farms.. 35	16	38	33	14	20	9
	number.. 382	216	345	211	83	(D)	(D)
Other .....	farms.. 49	23	71	42	41	49	44
	number.. 1 835	1 042	2 308	861	368	(D)	(D)
Hogs and pigs sold .....	farms.. 46	23	65	54	49	56	30
	number.. 4 308	1 834	3 356	1 756	646	335	113
	\$1,000.. 350	155	317	154	66	40	10
Feeder pigs .....	farms.. 13	5	18	10	8	5	4
	number.. 1 616	748	1 011	670	116	36	51
	\$1,000.. 82	25	32	24	5	1	2
Litters of pigs farrowed between—							
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30 .....	farms.. 36	17	41	33	19	23	9
	number.. 466	269	453	239	67	55	20
Dec. 1 and May 31 .....	farms.. 28	13	38	31	15	22	7
	number.. 232	96	221	131	39	35	11
June 1 and Nov. 30 .....	farms.. 30	16	36	26	10	14	6
	number.. 234	173	232	108	28	20	9
Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory .....	farms.. 152	79	236	224	202	182	69
	number.. 22 476	10 972	21 533	13 672	6 571	3 530	796
Ewes 1 year old or older .....	farms.. 146	77	225	209	194	168	49
	number.. 15 264	7 823	14 652	9 377	4 571	2 360	421
Sheep and lambs sold .....	farms.. 159	79	234	230	206	181	57
	number.. 20 887	10 446	18 203	10 858	5 651	3 025	388
Sheep and lambs shorn .....	farms.. 152	75	218	209	192	159	54
	number.. 18 414	9 530	17 323	11 247	5 687	2 864	512
	pounds of wool.. 172 370	86 560	154 040	106 048	51 991	26 013	4 649
Horses and ponies inventory .....	farms.. 706	344	980	954	862	792	1 387
	number.. 4 828	2 442	6 663	6 250	5 093	4 457	10 124
Horses and ponies sold .....	farms.. 128	67	237	260	276	274	72
	number.. 592	378	899	819	606	462	94
Goats inventory .....	farms.. 34	12	46	53	58	56	73
	number.. 206	78	1 294	541	745	493	488
Goats sold .....	farms.. 6	2	10	13	18	19	17
	number.. 87	(D)	554	148	232	279	106
<b>POULTRY</b>							
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text) .....	farms.. 64	31	109	107	163	131	122
	number.. 1 727	2 414	2 375	2 236	3 188	2 863	1 953
Farms with—							
1 to 399 .....	64	29	109	107	163	131	122
400 to 3,199 .....	—	2	—	—	—	—	—
3,200 to 9,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
10,000 to 19,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
20,000 to 49,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
50,000 to 99,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Layers 20 weeks old and older .....	farms.. 64	31	108	105	161	129	117
	number.. 1 671	2 350	2 312	1 994	2 836	2 479	1 536
Pullets 13 weeks old and older but less than 20 weeks old .....	farms.. 8	8	6	13	22	28	22
	number.. 56	64	63	242	352	384	417
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold (see text) .....	farms.. 9	—	4	9	13	12	8
	number.. (D)	—	107	155	349	164	145
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold .....	farms.. —	1	3	6	7	11	6
	number.. —	(D)	420	323	855	439	211
Farms with—							
1 to 1,999 .....	—	1	3	6	7	11	6
2,000 to 59,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
60,000 to 99,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Turkey hens kept for breeding .....	farms.. 1	1	9	13	10	16	8
	number.. (D)	(D)	36	43	47	72	14
Turkeys sold .....	farms.. 4	—	3	6	7	5	4
	number.. (D)	—	97	42	56	70	23

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 grain or seed	farms.. 180	6	18	29	69	30	7
	acres.. 12 925	1 203	1 510	2 143	4 863	2 134	359
	bushels.. 1 616 456	176 630	211 104	273 479	620 424	220 825	36 012
Irrigated	farms.. 6	6	18	27	65	29	6
	acres.. 12 263	1 203	1 510	2 068	4 719	1 714	336
Corn for silage or green chop	farms.. 422	16	52	72	156	61	24
	acres.. 36 644	5 005	6 573	7 814	11 723	3 302	933
	tons, green.. 736 202	108 699	143 689	153 976	233 391	59 825	16 949
Irrigated	farms.. 400	16	51	66	150	57	21
	acres.. 34 884	5 005	6 223	7 326	11 200	3 169	789
Wheat for grain	farms.. 7 932	82	225	861	2 477	1 829	419
	acres.. 5 602 336	253 093	452 707	1 299 966	2 128 475	929 349	144 410
	bushels.. 172 214 482	9 950 332	16 698 275	43 209 319	64 821 242	24 464 097	3 703 811
Irrigated	farms.. 1 215	28	88	183	389	225	46
	acres.. 193 567	13 507	30 823	45 189	62 489	24 131	4 012
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres	249	1	1	4	10	24	10
25 to 99 acres	1 066	2	14	39	159	192	62
100 to 249 acres	1 492	2	17	62	279	346	104
250 to 499 acres	1 524	10	36	78	383	451	139
500 acres or more	3 601	67	157	678	1 646	816	104
Barley for grain	farms.. 4 423	71	185	588	1 567	956	215
	acres.. 1 093 414	111 725	111 883	256 204	395 032	142 333	23 059
	bushels.. 55 236 960	5 941 430	6 354 131	13 376 040	19 611 715	6 484 864	1 025 454
Irrigated	farms.. 1 426	26	102	185	454	284	55
	acres.. 211 635	12 438	29 606	42 836	75 931	30 406	4 450
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres	438	1	9	9	57	78	18
25 to 99 acres	1 418	8	31	87	383	390	109
100 to 249 acres	1 294	11	41	149	548	333	68
250 to 499 acres	689	2	39	146	352	113	18
500 acres or more	584	49	65	197	227	42	2
Oats for grain	farms.. 1 251	15	30	123	385	301	65
	acres.. 66 331	2 067	3 075	12 582	23 160	13 558	2 475
	bushels.. 3 501 669	143 603	185 999	714 494	1 190 273	683 240	139 241
Irrigated	farms.. 392	5	11	34	97	89	16
	acres.. 14 614	592	1 336	2 629	3 078	3 400	494
Dry edible beans, excluding dry limas	farms.. 98	—	9	22	39	17	5
	acres.. 7 528	—	667	2 486	3 218	863	176
	cwt.. 152 454	—	13 252	53 628	63 132	16 386	3 328
Irrigated	farms.. 98	—	9	22	39	17	5
	acres.. 7 528	—	667	2 486	3 218	863	176
Potatoes, excluding sweetpotatoes	farms.. 134	23	27	22	28	8	1
	acres.. 10 504	1 374	4 919	2 382	1 597	187	(D)
	cwt.. 3 382 085	416 670	1 725 665	732 000	439 224	56 880	(D)
Irrigated	farms.. 118	17	25	21	25	7	—
	acres.. 10 143	1 344	4 593	2 380	1 596	187	—
Farms by acres harvested:							
0.1 to 4.9 acres	42	9	2	2	5	1	1
5.0 to 24.9 acres	18	11	—	—	1	3	—
25.0 to 99.9 acres	29	—	4	5	16	4	—
100.0 to 249.9 acres	37	—	16	15	6	—	—
250.0 acres or more	8	3	5	—	—	—	—
Sugar beets for sugar	farms.. 415	7	49	76	161	67	21
	acres.. 59 345	3 972	13 026	16 626	19 820	4 158	906
	tons.. 1 243 622	89 873	287 121	357 521	395 137	81 180	17 809
Irrigated	farms.. 415	7	49	76	161	67	21
	acres.. 59 345	3 972	13 026	16 626	19 820	4 158	906
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text)	farms.. 13 536	96	266	820	2 580	2 243	626
	acres.. 2 528 517	106 732	188 741	370 578	792 073	486 306	103 855
	tons, dry.. 4 745 596	269 989	439 251	748 999	1 483 611	830 378	178 411
Irrigated	farms.. 6 624	65	186	423	1 202	1 003	304
	acres.. 989 238	67 264	114 852	146 280	284 564	164 234	38 585
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres	2 785	2	4	26	127	113	43
25 to 99 acres	4 181	9	33	120	465	529	172
100 to 249 acres	3 442	12	56	176	754	878	295
250 to 499 acres	1 879	23	48	190	722	541	97
500 acres or more	1 249	50	125	308	512	182	19
Alfalfa hay	farms.. 10 386	87	244	706	2 174	1 859	504
	acres.. 1 556 067	62 823	112 147	217 309	489 117	317 979	62 003
	tons, dry.. 3 323 933	186 714	307 130	515 360	1 048 244	594 005	120 712
Irrigated	farms.. 5 345	60	170	368	1 078	877	256
	acres.. 627 093	44 836	64 233	87 506	181 961	110 769	24 309

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**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 grain or seed .....							
farms ..	6	3	9	3	—	—	—
acres ..	383	(D)	(D)	24	—	—	—
bushels ..	47 710	(D)	(D)	1 881	—	—	—
Irrigated .....	6	3	9	3	—	—	—
farms ..	383	(D)	(D)	24	—	—	—
acres ..							
Corn for silage or green chop .....							
farms ..	17	5	8	6	4	—	1
acres ..	812	140	182	116	(D)	—	(D)
tons, green ..	11 683	2 526	2 974	1 940	(D)	—	(D)
Irrigated .....	17	5	8	6	2	—	1
farms ..	692	140	182	116	(D)	—	(D)
acres ..							
Wheat for grain .....							
farms ..	763	288	545	243	128	59	13
acres ..	213 943	62 382	85 272	23 930	6 662	1 915	232
bushels ..	5 133 717	1 497 304	2 039 487	519 375	137 662	35 789	4 072
Irrigated .....	99	44	71	20	13	9	—
farms ..	6 353	2 559	3 657	567	190	90	—
acres ..							
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres .....	32	9	46	29	40	32	11
25 to 99 acres .....	142	83	140	132	76	23	2
100 to 249 acres .....	221	113	263	70	11	4	—
250 to 499 acres .....	273	60	84	10	—	—	—
500 acres or more .....	95	23	12	2	1	—	—
Barley for grain .....							
farms ..	315	126	220	93	54	24	9
acres ..	26 977	8 656	12 391	2 845	1 606	567	136
bushels ..	1 303 562	390 613	550 066	110 599	62 370	22 531	3 585
Irrigated .....	120	51	81	36	21	7	4
farms ..	8 039	2 437	4 066	761	458	158	49
acres ..							
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres .....	50	34	70	57	28	18	9
25 to 99 acres .....	166	69	114	32	24	5	—
100 to 249 acres .....	86	19	32	4	2	1	—
250 to 499 acres .....	11	4	4	—	—	—	—
500 acres or more .....	2	—	—	—	—	—	—
Oats for grain .....							
farms ..	105	38	95	48	18	15	13
acres ..	3 829	1 252	2 762	767	301	222	281
bushels ..	183 167	57 690	127 563	46 659	12 924	9 496	7 320
Irrigated .....	45	17	34	28	7	4	5
farms ..	1 276	562	664	400	93	62	28
acres ..							
Dry edible beans, excluding dry limas .....							
farms ..	2	1	1	1	—	—	1
acres ..	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	—	(D)
cwt. ..	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	—	(D)
Irrigated .....	2	1	1	1	—	—	1
farms ..	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	—	(D)
acres ..							
Potatoes, excluding sweetpotatoes .....							
farms ..	2	5	7	3	1	1	6
acres ..	(D)	24	14	(D)	(D)	(D)	4
cwt. ..	(D)	5 320	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	577
Irrigated .....	2	4	6	3	1	1	6
farms ..	(D)	22	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	4
acres ..							
Farms by acres harvested:							
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....	2	3	6	3	1	1	6
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....	—	2	1	—	—	—	—
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
250.0 acres or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sugar beets for sugar .....							
farms ..	14	6	8	6	—	—	—
acres ..	422	253	110	52	—	—	—
tons ..	7 873	3 969	1 992	1 147	—	—	—
Irrigated .....	14	6	8	6	—	—	—
farms ..	422	253	110	52	—	—	—
acres ..							
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) .....							
farms ..	1 156	547	1 381	1 194	974	865	788
acres ..	157 523	63 468	116 462	68 851	35 649	21 535	16 744
tons, dry ..	274 933	106 505	205 142	106 840	50 896	29 703	20 938
Irrigated .....	604	278	713	621	493	416	316
farms ..	62 179	20 912	42 597	23 594	11 928	7 445	4 804
acres ..							
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres .....	90	66	231	390	484	582	627
25 to 99 acres .....	436	239	757	598	424	259	140
100 to 249 acres .....	479	182	332	183	59	21	15
250 to 499 acres .....	127	51	46	22	5	2	5
500 acres or more .....	24	9	15	1	2	1	1
Alfalfa hay .....							
farms ..	917	438	1 023	835	630	521	448
acres ..	99 619	43 315	74 030	40 284	18 611	10 766	8 064
tons, dry ..	193 529	79 124	146 024	72 913	31 264	16 883	12 031
Irrigated .....	505	235	560	459	329	258	190
farms ..	40 639	14 402	28 801	15 896	6 939	4 411	2 391
acres ..							

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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>SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED—</b>							
<b>Con.</b>							
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text) . . . . . farms..	125	17	5	7	8	5	1
acres..	756	83	63	243	162	39	(D)
Irrigated . . . . . farms..	125	17	5	7	8	5	1
acres..	756	83	63	243	162	39	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:							
0.1 to 4.9 acres . . . . .	92	7	1	4	4	3	—
5.0 to 24.9 acres . . . . .	28	10	4	1	1	2	1
25.0 to 99.9 acres . . . . .	3	—	—	—	3	—	—
100.0 to 249.9 acres . . . . .	2	—	—	2	—	—	—
250.0 acres or more . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Land in orchards . . . . . farms..	261	—	—	3	10	2	2
acres..	1 236	—	—	(D)	79	(D)	(D)
Irrigated . . . . . farms..	202	—	—	2	9	2	1
acres..	984	—	—	(D)	79	(D)	(D)
Farms by bearing and nonbearing acres:							
0.1 to 4.9 acres . . . . .	181	—	—	3	7	1	1
5.0 to 24.9 acres . . . . .	78	—	—	—	2	—	1
25.0 to 99.9 acres . . . . .	1	—	—	—	1	—	—
100.0 to 249.9 acres . . . . .	1	—	—	—	—	1	—
250.0 acres or more . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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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>SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED—</b>							
<b>Con.</b>							
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text) . . . . . farms..	6	3	21	9	21	15	7
acres..	31	(D)	50	16	21	18	13
Irrigated . . . . . farms..	6	3	21	9	21	15	7
acres..	31	(D)	50	16	21	18	13
Farms by acres harvested:							
0.1 to 4.9 acres . . . . .	2	3	19	8	21	14	6
5.0 to 24.9 acres . . . . .	4	—	2	1	—	1	1
25.0 to 99.9 acres . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100.0 to 249.9 acres . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
250.0 acres or more . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Land in orchards . . . . . farms..	12	3	26	24	44	52	83
acres..	125	13	179	142	137	173	247
Irrigated . . . . . farms..	9	2	20	21	34	39	63
acres..	101	(D)	130	128	104	101	192
Farms by bearing and nonbearing acres:							
0.1 to 4.9 acres . . . . .	4	2	8	10	37	44	64
5.0 to 24.9 acres . . . . .	8	1	18	14	7	8	19
25.0 to 99.9 acres . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100.0 to 249.9 acres . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
250.0 acres or more . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

<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.