

Table 47. Summary by Type of Organization: 1997

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FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS									
Farms.....number..	51 454	42 313	4 505	4 249	4 040	3 979	209	174	387
.....percent..	100.0	82.2	8.8	8.3	7.9	7.7	.4	.3	.8
Land in farms.....acres..	45 525 414	30 501 087	5 791 772	8 696 938	8 397 689	7 912 772	299 249	(D)	535 617
Average size of farm.....acres..	885	721	1 286	2 047	2 079	1 989	1 432	(D)	1 384
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD									
Total sales (see text).....farms..	51 454	42 313	4 505	4 249	4 040	3 979	209	174	387
.....\$1,000..	9 831 519	4 924 817	1 319 841	3 551 640	2 985 790	2 810 619	565 850	398 452	35 221
Average per farm.....dollars..	191 074	116 390	292 973	835 877	739 057	706 363	2 707 416	2 289 956	91 010
Farms by value of sales:									
Less than \$1,000 (see text).....	3 577	3 100	254	175	161	155	14	12	48
\$1,000 to \$2,499.....	2 081	1 903	111	51	43	43	8	6	16
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	2 394	2 221	115	36	34	34	2	2	22
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	3 497	3 134	236	89	77	77	12	11	38
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	4 804	4 245	377	133	121	119	12	10	49
\$20,000 to \$24,999.....	1 929	1 668	174	67	63	61	4	2	20
\$25,000 to \$39,999.....	4 567	4 020	360	159	152	148	7	6	28
\$40,000 to \$49,999.....	2 395	2 047	200	127	118	118	9	9	21
\$50,000 to \$99,999.....	8 005	6 783	688	473	451	445	22	20	61
\$100,000 to \$249,999.....	10 852	8 706	964	1 127	1 098	1 089	29	24	55
\$250,000 to \$499,999.....	4 851	3 310	565	959	938	928	21	20	17
\$500,000 to \$999,999.....	1 636	873	289	465	435	426	30	22	9
\$1,000,000 to \$2,499,999.....	533	209	116	206	193	190	13	11	2
\$2,500,000 to \$4,999,999.....	138	47	24	66	62	56	4	2	1
\$5,000,000 or more.....	195	47	32	116	94	90	22	17	-
Grains.....farms..	33 845	27 594	3 056	3 008	2 925	2 899	83	73	187
.....\$1,000..	3 534 220	2 511 798	434 967	574 881	565 667	558 551	9 215	7 808	12 573
Sales of \$50,000 or more.....farms..	18 015	13 827	1 748	2 373	2 333	2 311	40	36	67
.....\$1,000..	3 210 125	2 233 328	407 197	559 296	551 234	544 166	8 062	6 789	10 304
Corn for grain.....farms..	26 982	21 868	2 437	2 537	2 470	2 449	67	60	140
.....\$1,000..	2 322 029	1 617 842	298 954	397 595	391 652	386 901	5 943	4 958	7 638
Wheat.....farms..	9 775	7 897	909	895	877	865	18	18	74
.....\$1,000..	192 559	138 927	21 188	31 149	30 600	30 163	549	549	1 295
Soybeans.....farms..	21 041	17 296	1 908	1 744	1 696	1 679	48	39	93
.....\$1,000..	795 560	588 847	90 432	113 403	111 490	109 817	1 913	1 498	2 878
Sorghum for grain.....farms..	5 572	4 699	524	325	317	313	8	6	24
.....\$1,000..	114 504	92 738	12 973	8 535	(D)	8 233	(D)	(D)	258
Barley.....farms..	73	60	6	7	7	7	-	-	-
.....\$1,000..	509	421	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	-	-	-
Oats.....farms..	1 326	1 135	102	76	75	75	1	1	13
.....\$1,000..	4 239	3 370	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	38
Other grains.....farms..	2 457	1 815	212	413	405	400	8	8	17
.....\$1,000..	104 820	69 653	10 991	23 708	23 165	22 963	543	543	467
Cotton and cottonseed.....farms..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
.....\$1,000..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sales of \$50,000 or more.....farms..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
.....\$1,000..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tobacco.....farms..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
.....\$1,000..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sales of \$50,000 or more.....farms..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
.....\$1,000..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hay, silage, and field seeds.....farms..	11 459	9 383	992	1 001	960	948	41	30	83
.....\$1,000..	154 487	103 588	18 376	31 608	29 400	28 840	2 208	1 169	915
Sales of \$50,000 or more.....farms..	580	360	71	145	139	137	6	3	4
.....\$1,000..	65 962	34 660	9 557	21 384	19 582	(D)	1 801	881	362
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons.....farms..	264	222	15	25	25	25	-	-	2
.....\$1,000..	3 163	2 134	(D)	746	746	746	-	-	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more.....farms..	14	5	2	7	7	7	-	-	-
.....\$1,000..	1 598	(D)	(D)	654	654	654	-	-	-
Fruits, nuts, and berries.....farms..	65	55	2	8	6	6	2	2	-
.....\$1,000..	556	400	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	-
Sales of \$50,000 or more.....farms..	5	3	-	2	-	-	2	2	-
.....\$1,000..	303	(D)	-	(D)	-	-	(D)	(D)	-
Nursery and greenhouse crops.....farms..	346	264	17	64	59	59	5	5	1
.....\$1,000..	21 791	7 245	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more.....farms..	87	43	5	39	37	37	2	2	-
.....\$1,000..	19 143	5 134	675	13 334	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	-
Other crops.....farms..	481	323	52	104	102	98	2	-	2
.....\$1,000..	84 245	34 163	(D)	36 726	(D)	26 785	(D)	-	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more.....farms..	247	141	34	72	70	68	2	-	-
.....\$1,000..	79 443	30 542	12 995	35 906	(D)	(D)	(D)	-	-
Poultry and poultry products.....farms..	825	738	48	35	32	30	3	-	4
.....\$1,000..	149 495	9 056	(D)	123 892	(D)	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more.....farms..	43	17	9	16	13	11	3	-	1
.....\$1,000..	148 560	(D)	16 280	123 827	(D)	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
Dairy products.....farms..	1 031	814	119	95	92	92	3	3	3
.....\$1,000..	122 882	71 128	(D)	28 311	26 049	26 049	2 262	2 262	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more.....farms..	649	471	89	87	84	84	3	3	2
.....\$1,000..	113 175	62 496	(D)	28 098	25 835	25 835	2 262	2 262	(D)
Cattle and calves.....farms..	29 505	24 575	2 480	2 242	2 157	2 124	85	78	208
.....\$1,000..	4 953 935	1 793 545	617 074	2 524 937	2 106 562	1 948 627	418 376	362 267	18 380
Sales of \$50,000 or more.....farms..	7 213	5 012	890	1 246	1 202	1 178	44	38	65
.....\$1,000..	4 621 186	1 509 170	590 784	2 505 204	2 087 389	1 929 627	417 816	361 733	16 028

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				Total	Family held		Other than family held		
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MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD—Con.									
Total sales (see text)—Con.									
Hogs and pigs	farms.. 6 296	5 129	630	517	471	466	46	37	20
..... \$1,000..	782 163	376 277	192 230	211 371	176 091	172 346	35 279	23 986	2 285
Sales of \$50,000 or more	farms.. 2 799	2 024	364	401	356	351	45	36	10
..... \$1,000..	721 543	323 232	187 262	208 917	(D)	169 906	(D)	(D)	2 131
Sheep, lambs, and wool	farms.. 1 658	1 498	99	52	52	52	—	—	9
..... \$1,000..	8 371	6 858	585	675	675	675	—	—	253
Sales of \$50,000 or more	farms.. 12	8	2	1	1	1	—	—	1
..... \$1,000..	2 177	1 453	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	—	(D)
Other livestock and livestock products (see text)	farms.. 1 745	1 462	124	142	133	127	9	6	17
..... \$1,000..	16 210	8 626	2 844	4 700	(D)	4 336	(D)	(D)	40
Sales of \$50,000 or more	farms.. 53	32	10	11	9	9	2	2	—
..... \$1,000..	8 900	2 840	2 255	3 805	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text)	farms.. 966	838	65	61	58	56	3	3	2
..... \$1,000..	2 519	2 035	(D)	320	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES¹									
Total farm production expenses	farms.. 51 455	42 251	4 420	4 429	4 232	4 172	197	175	355
..... \$1,000..	7 596 196	3 643 375	996 821	2 928 115	2 443 416	2 282 945	484 699	330 010	27 886
Average per farm	dollars.. 147 628	86 232	225 525	661 123	577 367	547 206	2 460 401	1 885 774	78 552
Livestock and poultry purchased	farms.. 19 837	16 018	1 723	1 968	1 864	1 834	104	87	128
..... \$1,000..	2 405 077	714 308	301 176	1 385 097	1 151 526	1 051 278	233 571	199 682	4 496
Farms with expenses of—									
\$1 to \$4,999	8 748	7 563	635	493	489	481	4	3	57
\$5,000 to \$24,999	6 301	5 225	471	570	548	543	22	22	35
\$25,000 to \$99,999	3 163	2 377	378	381	352	350	29	25	27
\$100,000 to \$249,999	789	494	113	177	160	159	17	11	5
\$250,000 or more	836	359	126	347	315	301	32	26	4
Feed for livestock and poultry	farms.. 28 251	23 364	2 387	2 325	2 213	2 187	112	94	175
..... \$1,000..	1 408 802	471 235	231 417	701 553	511 039	477 602	190 514	88 641	4 597
Farms with expenses of—									
\$1 to \$4,999	14 800	13 063	1 070	569	561	560	8	8	98
\$5,000 to \$24,999	8 668	7 148	688	778	759	754	19	18	54
\$25,000 to \$99,999	3 417	2 543	400	458	439	433	19	16	16
\$100,000 to \$249,999	780	425	127	204	202	204	19	17	5
\$250,000 or more	586	185	102	297	250	238	47	35	2
Commercially mixed formula feeds	farms.. 15 870	12 921	1 358	1 486	1 416	1 398	70	54	105
..... \$1,000..	458 029	152 785	92 839	210 734	120 978	116 330	89 756	24 881	1 672
Farms with expenses of—									
\$1 to \$4,999	9 743	8 453	702	516	509	505	7	7	72
\$5,000 to \$24,999	4 120	3 308	351	438	425	423	13	11	23
\$25,000 to \$99,999	1 506	988	213	297	287	284	10	7	8
\$100,000 or more	501	172	92	235	195	186	40	29	2
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees	farms.. 35 961	29 130	3 281	3 378	3 290	3 243	88	81	172
..... \$1,000..	291 935	203 876	36 554	50 515	49 732	48 207	783	630	990
Farms with expenses of—									
\$1 to \$999	6 815	5 928	572	252	242	241	10	9	63
\$1,000 to \$4,999	12 383	10 621	960	755	709	701	46	46	47
\$5,000 to \$24,999	14 453	11 258	1 351	1 787	1 762	1 734	25	21	57
\$25,000 to \$49,999	1 852	1 112	288	450	448	445	2	2	2
\$50,000 or more	458	211	110	134	129	122	5	3	3
Commercial fertilizer	farms.. 35 657	28 927	3 191	3 364	3 291	3 241	73	66	175
..... \$1,000..	435 501	305 375	55 416	73 317	71 983	70 118	1 334	959	1 393
Farms with expenses of—									
\$1 to \$4,999	15 946	13 841	1 233	790	771	760	19	17	82
\$5,000 to \$24,999	15 106	12 176	1 283	1 563	1 524	1 510	39	37	84
\$25,000 to \$49,999	3 198	2 088	420	685	675	661	10	9	5
\$50,000 or more	1 407	822	255	326	321	310	5	3	4
Agricultural chemicals	farms.. 33 973	28 026	2 829	2 936	2 867	2 823	69	58	182
..... \$1,000..	274 565	199 553	30 235	43 647	42 471	40 901	1 176	505	1 129
Farms with expenses of—									
\$1 to \$4,999	19 130	16 523	1 450	1 059	1 023	1 014	36	30	98
\$5,000 to \$24,999	12 438	9 938	1 059	1 366	1 338	1 314	28	25	75
\$25,000 to \$49,999	1 856	1 263	224	363	362	358	1	1	6
\$50,000 or more	549	302	96	148	144	137	4	2	3
Petroleum products	farms.. 48 204	39 504	4 196	4 197	4 013	3 953	184	163	307
..... \$1,000..	320 080	215 259	37 406	66 032	61 653	60 077	4 379	2 512	1 383
Farms with expenses of—									
\$1 to \$4,999	30 574	26 516	2 380	1 451	1 371	1 361	80	78	227
\$5,000 to \$24,999	15 534	11 920	1 424	2 117	2 044	2 006	73	62	73
\$25,000 to \$49,999	1 685	901	306	471	458	455	13	12	7
\$50,000 or more	411	167	86	158	140	131	18	11	—
Gasoline and gasohol	farms.. 41 201	33 853	3 539	3 547	3 422	3 365	125	107	262
..... \$1,000..	88 949	61 956	10 616	15 883	15 105	14 722	778	533	495
Diesel fuel	farms.. 38 568	31 294	3 356	3 697	3 550	3 510	147	127	221
..... \$1,000..	152 538	102 869	17 467	31 629	30 070	29 467	1 560	1 276	573
Natural gas	farms.. 5 477	3 939	516	974	925	906	49	42	48
..... \$1,000..	29 654	17 724	3 202	8 596	7 802	7 479	795	258	131
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc.	farms.. 41 707	33 872	3 746	3 819	3 658	3 605	161	142	270
..... \$1,000..	48 939	32 710	6 121	9 924	8 677	8 409	1 247	444	185

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FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES¹									
—Con.									
Total farm production expenses—Con.									
Electricity farms..	41 140	33 522	3 506	3 852	3 683	3 639	169	147	260
..... \$1,000..	108 478	69 768	14 529	23 694	21 798	20 809	1 896	1 098	487
Farms with expenses of—									
\$1 to \$999	20 798	18 183	1 470	992	937	933	55	53	153
\$1,000 to \$4,999	15 912	12 562	1 450	1 805	1 759	1 750	46	45	95
\$5,000 to \$24,999	3 891	2 520	483	877	824	803	53	39	11
\$25,000 to \$49,999	385	193	71	120	111	107	9	7	1
\$50,000 or more	154	64	32	58	52	46	6	3	—
Hired farm labor farms..	21 469	16 298	2 004	3 032	2 910	2 859	122	102	135
..... \$1,000..	300 578	131 022	41 122	126 021	111 305	104 955	14 716	9 347	2 412
Farms with expenses of—									
\$1 to \$4,999	13 354	11 293	1 041	953	926	911	27	25	67
\$5,000 to \$24,999	5 334	3 718	572	1 002	979	967	23	20	42
\$25,000 to \$99,999	2 361	1 183	315	840	799	788	41	35	23
\$100,000 to \$249,999	306	88	53	163	149	144	14	11	2
\$250,000 or more	114	16	23	74	57	49	17	11	1
Workers by days worked:									
150 days or more farms..	8 637	5 620	909	2 033	1 944	1 906	89	71	75
..... workers..	18 771	8 914	2 516	7 178	6 410	6 121	768	572	163
Less than 150 days farms..	18 884	14 604	1 816	2 366	2 279	2 245	87	74	98
..... workers..	49 541	33 745	5 535	9 964	9 015	8 455	949	785	297
Contract labor farms..	6 038	4 392	673	925	880	868	45	36	48
..... \$1,000..	22 692	13 650	3 071	5 373	4 563	4 401	810	383	599
Farms with expenses of—									
\$1 to \$999	2 260	1 806	223	225	215	213	10	10	6
\$1,000 to \$4,999	2 510	1 818	258	417	397	394	20	16	17
\$5,000 to \$24,999	1 158	730	175	238	230	225	8	7	15
\$25,000 to \$49,999	81	28	10	33	32	31	1	—	10
\$50,000 or more	29	10	7	12	6	5	6	3	—
Repair and maintenance farms..	44 105	36 072	3 783	3 970	3 790	3 730	180	158	280
..... \$1,000..	387 111	258 897	43 411	83 122	77 629	75 416	5 493	4 455	1 681
Farms with expenses of—									
\$1 to \$4,999	24 332	20 893	1 870	1 384	1 301	1 275	83	81	185
\$5,000 to \$24,999	16 601	13 320	1 456	1 747	1 691	1 677	56	44	78
\$25,000 to \$49,999	2 450	1 550	326	559	543	535	16	15	15
\$50,000 or more	722	309	131	280	255	243	25	18	2
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment farms..	23 971	19 370	2 138	2 316	2 240	2 202	76	61	147
..... \$1,000..	127 826	81 120	16 340	29 566	27 600	26 807	1 966	1 631	800
Farms with expenses of—									
\$1 to \$999	7 172	6 281	490	344	342	337	2	—	57
\$1,000 to \$4,999	10 356	8 542	905	851	820	816	31	29	58
\$5,000 to \$24,999	5 654	4 152	608	866	839	825	27	20	28
\$25,000 to \$49,999	552	304	83	163	156	145	7	6	2
\$50,000 or more	237	91	52	92	83	79	9	6	2
Interest farms..	31 586	25 665	2 612	3 155	3 051	2 997	104	90	154
..... \$1,000..	413 076	276 061	47 356	88 217	83 399	81 470	4 818	4 273	1 443
Farms with expenses of—									
\$1 to \$4,999	14 114	12 175	985	882	860	841	22	21	72
\$5,000 to \$24,999	13 227	10 756	1 091	1 310	1 259	1 244	51	42	70
\$25,000 to \$99,999	3 925	2 605	475	834	811	796	23	20	11
\$100,000 or more	320	129	61	129	121	116	8	7	1
Secured by real estate farms..	20 745	17 014	1 614	1 993	1 930	1 898	63	53	124
..... \$1,000..	221 131	156 105	23 388	40 744	39 253	38 322	1 491	1 311	895
Farms with expenses of—									
\$1 to \$999	2 094	1 881	106	86	79	78	7	7	21
\$1,000 to \$4,999	7 232	6 266	479	436	421	410	15	14	51
\$5,000 to \$24,999	9 419	7 537	802	1 035	1 010	1 005	25	19	45
\$25,000 to \$49,999	1 485	1 047	146	288	279	270	9	8	4
\$50,000 or more	515	283	81	148	141	135	7	5	3
Not secured by real estate farms..	21 160	16 984	1 851	2 240	2 171	2 138	69	64	85
..... \$1,000..	191 945	119 956	23 968	47 473	44 146	43 148	3 327	2 963	548
Farms with expenses of—									
\$1 to \$999	4 191	3 698	286	189	188	180	1	1	18
\$1,000 to \$4,999	7 867	6 577	605	651	643	640	8	8	34
\$5,000 to \$24,999	7 620	5 878	728	983	942	929	41	37	31
\$25,000 to \$49,999	1 021	630	142	248	240	236	8	8	1
\$50,000 or more	461	201	90	169	158	153	11	10	1
Cash rent farms..	18 740	15 316	1 539	1 831	1 787	1 761	44	40	54
..... \$1,000..	330 922	226 162	40 499	63 281	60 991	59 544	2 290	758	979
Farms with expenses of—									
\$1 to \$4,999	6 404	5 583	436	351	341	337	10	10	34
\$5,000 to \$9,999	3 704	3 199	236	266	246	245	20	19	3
\$10,000 to \$24,999	4 781	3 906	410	464	461	455	3	3	1
\$25,000 or more	3 851	2 628	457	750	739	724	11	8	16
Property taxes farms..	46 913	38 578	3 943	4 083	3 914	3 862	169	147	309
..... \$1,000..	218 119	153 232	23 589	38 812	37 512	36 091	1 300	813	2 485
Farms with expenses of—									
\$1 to \$4,999	33 377	28 726	2 462	1 986	1 892	1 881	94	86	203
\$5,000 to \$9,999	8 181	6 417	819	884	842	829	42	36	61
\$10,000 to \$24,999	4 453	3 005	514	897	873	858	24	21	37
\$25,000 or more	902	430	148	316	307	294	9	4	8
All other farm production expenses farms..	48 752	39 892	4 279	4 275	4 085	4 025	190	168	306
..... \$1,000..	551 435	323 857	74 698	149 867	130 216	125 268	19 651	14 325	3 012
Farms with expenses of—									
\$1 to \$4,999	27 890	24 014	2 301	1 401	1 329	1 312	72	69	174
\$5,000 to \$24,999	16 166	13 049	1 322	1 698	1 643	1 626	55	51	97
\$25,000 to \$49,999	3 151	2 130	384	607	592	582	15	14	30
\$50,000 to \$99,999	1 019	532	151	334	309	303	25	19	2
\$100,000 or more	526	167	121	235	212	202	23	15	3

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NET CASH RETURN FROM AGRICULTURAL SALES FOR THE FARM UNIT (SEE TEXT)¹									
All farms..... number..	51 456	42 252	4 420	4 429	4 232	4 172	197	175	355
..... \$1,000..	2 095 114	1 189 730	305 176	591 741	513 191	497 480	78 551	66 496	8 467
..... dollars..	40 717	28 158	69 044	133 606	121 264	119 242	398 736	379 978	23 850
Farms with net gains ² number..	34 514	27 582	3 362	3 326	3 196	3 153	130	116	244
..... Average net gain..... dollars..	69 147	49 025	100 870	205 842	185 387	181 274	708 729	608 584	43 351
Gain of—									
Less than \$1,000.....	1 905	1 619	177	76	69	69	7	7	33
\$1,000 to \$9,999.....	8 620	7 495	613	425	408	402	17	16	87
\$10,000 to \$49,999.....	13 070	10 685	1 241	1 080	1 045	1 040	35	31	64
\$50,000 or more.....	10 919	7 783	1 331	1 745	1 674	1 674	71	62	60
Farms with net losses..... number..	16 942	14 670	1 058	1 103	1 036	1 019	67	59	111
..... Average net loss..... dollars..	17 201	11 075	32 089	84 216	76 551	72 697	202 743	69 483	19 015
Loss of—									
Less than \$1,000.....	2 274	2 034	132	100	91	91	9	9	8
\$1,000 to \$9,999.....	9 322	8 357	569	349	341	340	8	8	47
\$10,000 to \$49,999.....	4 701	3 913	271	468	430	413	38	36	49
\$50,000 or more.....	645	366	86	186	174	169	12	6	7
GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS AND OTHER FARM-RELATED INCOME									
Government payments..... farms..	35 367	28 894	3 063	3 167	3 063	3 023	104	89	243
..... \$1,000..	315 711	231 823	32 542	48 977	47 467	46 724	1 510	946	2 369
Other farm-related income ¹ farms..	21 986	18 648	1 482	1 717	1 655	1 623	62	55	139
..... \$1,000..	136 121	101 367	11 879	21 754	21 014	20 243	740	537	1 121
Customwork and other agricultural services..... farms..	5 292	4 414	357	477	472	467	5	4	44
..... \$1,000..	48 432	34 514	4 331	8 837	8 596	8 509	241	(D)	750
Gross cash rent or share payments..... farms..	7 343	6 305	463	489	457	450	32	26	86
..... \$1,000..	72 561	55 900	6 048	10 268	9 859	9 231	409	304	345
Forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products..... farms..	134	120	12	2	2	2	—	—	—
..... \$1,000..	606	437	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	—	—
Other farm-related income sources..... farms..	15 237	12 805	1 069	1 310	1 268	1 243	42	37	53
..... \$1,000..	14 522	10 516	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	91	(D)	26
COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS									
Total..... farms..	5 858	4 752	525	571	555	551	16	15	10
..... \$1,000..	218 522	152 263	29 049	37 077	36 337	35 994	740	(D)	132
Corn..... farms..	4 951	3 989	450	507	494	490	13	12	5
..... \$1,000..	176 017	120 181	24 238	31 514	30 808	30 479	705	(D)	84
Wheat..... farms..	836	678	78	75	74	73	1	1	5
..... \$1,000..	7 730	5 644	640	1 420	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	27
Soybeans..... farms..	1 412	1 169	129	112	108	108	4	4	2
..... \$1,000..	30 561	23 032	(D)	3 870	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Sorghum, barley, and oats..... farms..	529	447	59	22	21	21	1	1	1
..... \$1,000..	4 054	3 246	(D)	274	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Cotton..... farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sunflower seed, flaxseed, safflower, canola, other rapeseed, and mustard seed..... farms..	5	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000..	160	160	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Peanuts, rice, and tobacco..... farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE									
Total cropland..... farms..	45 191	37 127	3 929	3 816	3 669	3 615	147	125	319
..... acres..	22 092 954	16 061 119	2 605 962	3 272 352	3 196 211	3 130 607	76 141	52 474	153 521
Harvested cropland..... farms..	41 652	34 112	3 678	3 600	3 478	3 429	122	103	262
..... acres..	17 551 212	12 598 155	2 127 984	2 729 523	2 666 224	2 608 415	63 299	40 944	95 550
Farms by acres harvested:									
1 to 49 acres.....	5 880	5 314	327	189	165	161	24	20	50
50 to 99 acres.....	4 130	3 613	322	158	143	139	15	11	37
100 to 199 acres.....	7 139	6 158	647	287	264	259	23	21	47
200 to 499 acres.....	11 968	10 050	987	853	823	820	30	26	78
500 to 999 acres.....	8 677	6 645	794	1 207	1 193	1 181	14	13	31
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	3 157	1 985	429	730	721	706	9	9	13
2,000 acres or more.....	701	347	172	176	169	163	7	3	6
Cropland:									
Pasture or grazing only..... farms..	14 346	12 281	1 105	874	844	829	30	29	86
..... acres..	1 840 068	1 510 612	155 863	155 403	150 923	149 381	4 480	(D)	18 190
In cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured..... farms..	4 948	4 015	437	441	427	418	14	11	55
..... acres..	501 369	383 616	52 421	51 937	(D)	49 321	(D)	1 501	13 395
On which all crops failed..... farms..	1 424	1 153	129	130	128	125	2	2	12
..... acres..	132 845	98 107	17 790	16 581	(D)	16 461	(D)	(D)	367
In cultivated summer fallow..... farms..	5 629	4 493	496	596	581	575	15	15	44
..... acres..	1 396 401	1 001 560	160 730	223 299	218 891	217 673	4 408	4 408	10 812
Idle..... farms..	5 496	4 361	556	519	500	486	19	15	60
..... acres..	671 059	469 069	91 174	95 609	93 479	89 356	2 130	1 113	15 207
Total woodland..... farms..	6 303	5 325	513	405	386	379	19	18	60
..... acres..	426 490	325 118	55 091	38 151	36 596	36 156	1 555	(D)	8 130
Woodland pastured..... farms..	2 609	2 210	217	163	158	155	5	5	19
..... acres..	246 426	188 823	32 202	20 317	20 203	20 033	114	114	5 084
Woodland not pastured..... farms..	4 433	3 722	357	307	291	285	16	15	47
..... acres..	180 064	136 295	22 889	17 834	16 393	16 123	1 441	(D)	3 046

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LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE—Con.									
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured..... farms..	22 460	18 443	1 944	1 900	1 830	1 799	70	61	173
acres.....	21 876 974	13 304 273	2 988 639	5 221 719	5 014 792	4 599 560	206 927	74 127	362 343
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. farms..	31 019	25 634	2 596	2 566	2 421	2 380	145	126	223
acres.....	1 128 996	810 577	142 080	164 716	150 090	146 449	14 626	8 148	11 623
Irrigated land farms..	18 804	14 454	1 847	2 405	2 336	2 307	69	56	98
acres.....	6 939 036	4 629 609	907 790	1 371 506	1 348 377	1 323 872	23 129	16 817	30 131
Harvested cropland irrigated farms..	18 573	14 257	1 831	2 389	2 323	2 294	66	53	96
acres.....	6 832 815	4 564 936	900 391	1 337 827	1 315 823	1 291 318	22 004	15 692	29 661
Pasture and other land irrigated farms..	932	736	74	113	106	106	7	7	9
acres.....	106 221	64 673	7 399	33 679	32 554	32 554	1 125	1 125	470
Land under Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs farms..	9 402	7 739	785	762	732	712	30	26	116
acres.....	1 181 808	895 201	116 186	141 608	137 231	133 721	4 377	3 300	28 813
VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS¹									
Estimated market value of land and buildings..... farms..	51 456	42 252	4 420	4 429	4 232	4 172	197	175	355
\$1,000.....	29 199 610	20 726 328	3 528 473	4 759 130	4 605 743	4 489 508	153 387	105 781	185 680
Average per farm dollars..	567 468	490 541	798 297	1 074 538	1 088 313	1 076 105	778 617	604 466	523 041
Average per acre dollars..	645	677	630	560	562	583	496	711	350
Farms by value group:									
\$1 to \$39,999	4 829	4 135	460	179	158	157	21	21	55
\$40,000 to \$69,999	3 605	3 196	260	139	126	126	13	12	10
\$70,000 to \$99,999	3 504	2 981	266	221	207	206	14	11	36
\$100,000 to \$149,999	4 459	3 938	247	224	215	215	9	9	50
\$150,000 to \$199,999	3 731	3 188	311	206	203	203	3	3	26
\$200,000 to \$499,999	13 583	11 537	1 052	902	831	813	71	63	92
\$500,000 to \$999,999	9 558	7 779	818	920	890	878	30	27	41
\$1,000,000 to \$1,999,999	5 690	4 067	600	996	973	961	23	22	27
\$2,000,000 to \$4,999,999	2 212	1 313	323	563	554	543	9	6	13
\$5,000,000 or more	285	118	83	79	75	70	4	1	5
VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT¹									
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment farms..	51 445	42 251	4 410	4 429	4 232	4 172	197	175	355
\$1,000.....	4 348 888	3 098 193	476 663	749 850	715 478	696 914	34 372	18 726	24 182
Farms by value group:									
\$1 to \$4,999	3 126	2 778	218	74	58	52	16	16	56
\$5,000 to \$9,999	4 117	3 644	288	160	140	140	20	20	25
\$10,000 to \$19,999	7 300	6 307	575	369	336	336	33	33	49
\$20,000 to \$49,999	12 992	11 212	931	734	698	695	36	33	115
\$50,000 to \$99,999	9 407	7 840	777	746	733	711	13	12	44
\$100,000 to \$199,999	8 283	6 491	783	975	936	926	39	33	34
\$200,000 to \$499,999	5 467	3 594	723	1 122	1 095	1 086	27	21	28
\$500,000 or more	753	385	115	249	236	226	13	7	4
SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT¹									
Motortrucks, including pickups farms..	48 716	39 962	4 101	4 325	4 153	4 093	172	151	328
number.....	124 090	95 068	12 381	15 765	15 165	14 803	600	514	876
Wheel tractors farms..	46 322	38 168	3 961	3 876	3 712	3 665	164	147	317
number.....	133 450	107 050	12 414	13 227	12 803	12 583	424	355	759
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) farms..	19 404	16 186	1 635	1 431	1 385	1 373	46	41	152
number.....	31 989	26 393	2 780	2 602	2 526	2 478	76	63	214
40 horsepower (PTO) or more farms..	41 788	34 253	3 627	3 668	3 526	3 480	142	128	240
number.....	101 461	80 657	9 634	10 625	10 277	10 105	348	292	545
40 to 99 horsepower (PTO) farms..	32 440	26 894	2 867	2 504	2 414	2 398	90	81	175
number.....	56 928	46 198	5 414	5 016	4 838	4 784	178	153	300
100 horsepower (PTO) or more farms..	26 287	21 310	2 232	2 590	2 516	2 475	74	67	155
number.....	44 533	34 459	4 220	5 609	5 439	5 321	170	139	245
Grain and bean combines farms..	22 401	18 091	2 139	2 052	2 037	2 019	15	13	119
number.....	24 690	19 723	2 448	2 299	2 277	2 254	22	(D)	220
Cotton pickers and strippers farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
number.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Mower conditioners farms..	12 571	10 338	1 230	959	945	930	14	11	44
number.....	13 714	11 174	1 391	1 099	1 079	1 047	20	15	50
Pickup balers..... farms..	14 548	12 105	1 296	1 043	1 035	1 018	8	8	104
number.....	17 181	14 194	1 564	1 288	1 279	1 237	9	9	135
AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS¹									
Commercial fertilizer farms..	35 627	28 901	3 185	3 366	3 293	3 243	73	66	175
acres on which used.....	12 121 722	8 721 052	1 495 600	1 856 497	1 822 785	1 785 834	33 712	25 407	48 573
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—									
Insects on hay and other crops farms..	16 583	12 945	1 568	1 986	1 954	1 920	32	25	84
acres on which used.....	4 716 736	3 263 738	581 048	848 269	836 015	812 179	12 254	7 429	23 681
Nematodes in crops farms..	1 070	804	131	133	130	128	3	2	2
acres on which used.....	256 329	185 323	(D)	41 221	40 434	(D)	787	(D)	(D)
Diseases in crops and orchards..... farms..	843	637	57	127	125	123	2	1	22
acres on which used.....	172 761	116 228	16 034	35 087	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	5 412
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture farms..	27 140	22 583	2 108	2 291	2 230	2 200	61	52	158
acres on which used.....	9 893 409	7 484 132	1 039 709	1 315 303	1 282 545	1 261 875	32 758	26 868	54 265
Chemicals used on crops to control growth, thin fruit, or defoliate farms..	519	393	68	50	48	46	2	1	8
acres on which used.....	138 418	84 319	27 088	26 691	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	320

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TENURE AND RACE OF OPERATOR									
All operators	51 454	42 313	4 505	4 249	4 040	3 979	209	174	387
Full owners	22 606	18 449	2 129	1 758	1 615	1 585	143	118	270
Part owners	19 804	16 606	1 412	1 725	1 693	1 670	32	26	61
Tenants	9 044	7 258	964	766	732	724	34	30	56
White	51 265	42 181	4 478	4 226	4 017	3 956	209	174	380
Full owners	22 471	18 363	2 104	1 739	1 596	1 566	143	118	265
Part owners	19 772	16 579	1 411	1 722	1 690	1 667	32	26	60
Tenants	9 022	7 239	963	765	731	723	34	30	55
Black and other races	189	132	27	23	23	23	—	—	7
Full owners	135	86	25	19	19	19	—	—	5
Part owners	32	27	1	3	3	3	—	—	1
Tenants	22	19	1	1	1	1	—	—	1
OWNED AND RENTED LAND									
Land owned	43 092	35 663	3 582	3 510	3 333	3 279	177	146	337
farms	29 637 497	18 843 475	3 707 099	6 546 749	6 299 704	5 791 823	247 045	100 172	540 174
acres	42 410	35 055	3 541	3 483	3 308	3 255	175	144	331
Owned land in farms	25 905 014	16 253 084	3 355 210	5 857 032	5 626 061	5 189 608	230 971	86 163	439 688
Land rented or leased from others	29 086	24 047	2 396	2 522	2 454	2 421	68	58	121
farms	19 994 836	14 521 832	2 467 949	2 891 521	2 822 375	2 766 281	69 146	50 737	113 534
acres	72 322	57 928	6 662	7 489	7 254	7 165	235	137	243
landlords	28 848	23 864	2 376	2 491	2 425	2 394	66	56	117
Rented or leased land in farms	19 620 400	14 248 003	2 436 562	2 839 906	2 771 628	2 723 164	68 278	(D)	95 929
acres	10 414	8 579	848	851	809	783	42	34	136
Land rented or leased to others	4 106 919	2 864 220	383 276	741 332	724 390	645 332	16 942	(D)	118 091
acres									
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS									
Operators by place of residence:									
On farm operated	33 948	28 945	2 344	2 484	2 419	2 385	65	60	175
Not on farm operated	12 587	9 750	1 572	1 079	950	926	129	100	186
Not reported	4 919	3 618	589	686	671	668	15	14	26
Operators by principal occupation:									
Farming	35 742	28 706	3 236	3 578	3 447	3 396	131	112	222
Other	15 712	13 607	1 269	671	593	583	78	62	165
Operators by days worked off farm:									
None	25 017	19 755	2 360	2 693	2 571	2 532	122	101	209
Any	22 073	19 143	1 732	1 057	982	963	75	62	141
1 to 99 days	5 529	4 644	480	375	360	356	15	15	30
100 to 199 days	3 415	2 986	229	172	162	159	10	6	28
200 days or more	13 129	11 513	1 023	510	460	448	50	41	83
Not reported	4 364	3 415	413	499	487	484	12	11	37
Operators by years on present farm:									
2 years or less	2 232	1 862	221	119	107	102	12	11	30
3 or 4 years	2 601	2 155	275	145	135	133	10	7	26
5 to 9 years	5 514	4 601	499	368	330	324	38	31	46
10 years or more	31 837	26 554	2 486	2 601	2 486	2 444	115	93	196
Average years on present farm	22.5	22.5	21.6	23.7	24.1	24.2	16.6	17.2	22.3
Not reported	9 270	7 141	1 024	1 016	982	976	34	32	89
Operators by age group:									
Under 25 years	976	871	81	20	17	17	3	2	4
25 to 34 years	4 555	3 867	438	230	211	208	19	19	20
35 to 44 years	11 802	9 780	1 011	965	915	898	50	42	46
45 to 49 years	6 360	5 198	511	612	580	570	32	23	39
50 to 54 years	5 253	4 319	438	461	434	427	27	17	35
55 to 59 years	5 030	4 110	409	476	448	443	28	23	35
60 to 64 years	5 087	4 161	452	443	432	427	11	9	31
65 to 69 years	4 543	3 754	379	374	359	351	15	15	36
70 years and over	7 848	6 253	786	668	644	632	24	24	141
Average age	52.5	52.2	53.0	53.9	54.1	54.1	51.0	51.6	60.4
Operators by sex:									
Male	48 802	40 182	4 265	4 043	3 840	3 781	203	168	312
Female	2 652	2 131	240	206	200	198	6	6	75
Operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin (see text)	254	205	23	22	21	20	1	1	4
FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION									
Individual or family (sole proprietorship)	42 313	42 313	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms	30 501 087	30 501 087	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
acres	4 505	—	4 505	—	—	—	—	—	—
Partnership	5 791 772	—	5 791 772	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
acres	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Corporation:									
Family held	4 040	—	—	4 040	4 040	3 979	—	—	—
farms	8 397 689	—	—	8 397 689	8 397 689	7 912 772	—	—	—
acres	61	—	—	61	61	—	—	—	—
More than 10 stockholders	3 979	—	—	3 979	3 979	3 979	—	—	—
10 or less stockholders	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other than family held	209	—	—	209	—	—	209	174	—
farms	299 249	—	—	299 249	—	—	299 249	(D)	—
acres	35	—	—	35	—	—	35	—	—
More than 10 stockholders	174	—	—	174	—	—	174	174	—
10 or less stockholders	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc.	387	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	387
farms	535 617	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	535 617
acres									

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LIVESTOCK—Con.									
Cattle and calves sold	farms.. 29 505	24 575	2 480	2 242	2 157	2 124	85	78	208
	number.. 7 143 061	2 859 122	885 613	3 364 254	2 809 579	2 610 731	554 675	485 642	34 072
	\$1,000.. 4 953 935	1 793 545	617 074	2 524 937	2 106 562	1 948 627	418 376	362 267	18 380
Calves	farms.. 10 512	8 929	886	609	583	577	26	25	88
	number.. 484 565	359 659	54 911	62 025	59 925	59 010	2 100	(D)	7 970
	\$1,000.. 159 303	118 829	17 337	20 379	19 712	19 402	667	(D)	2 759
Cattle	farms.. 24 486	20 210	2 094	2 015	1 939	1 907	76	69	167
	number.. 6 658 496	2 499 463	830 702	3 302 229	2 749 654	2 551 721	552 575	(D)	26 102
	\$1,000.. 4 794 632	1 674 716	599 737	2 504 559	2 086 850	1 929 225	417 709	(D)	15 620
Fattened on grain and concentrates	farms.. 5 726	4 395	560	745	706	694	39	34	26
	number.. 4 851 246	1 337 079	550 280	2 955 225	2 428 671	2 253 377	526 554	465 080	8 662
	\$1,000.. 3 806 990	1 059 077	432 445	2 308 971	1 907 005	1 762 247	401 966	350 434	6 497
Hogs and pigs inventory	farms.. 6 017	4 879	613	507	462	456	45	36	18
	number.. 3 452 386	1 845 259	771 249	828 000	706 689	693 097	121 311	81 987	7 878
Farms with—									
1 to 24	730	662	41	24	22	21	2	2	3
25 to 49	389	338	29	18	18	18	—	—	4
50 to 99	634	556	61	16	16	16	—	—	1
100 to 199	903	804	69	25	23	22	2	2	5
200 to 499	1 690	1 406	168	114	113	111	1	1	2
500 or more	1 671	1 113	245	310	270	268	40	31	3
Used or to be used for breeding	farms.. 3 694	3 010	379	298	261	257	37	29	7
	number.. 411 884	189 654	104 380	115 890	85 234	83 501	30 656	21 711	1 960
Other	farms.. 5 804	4 698	598	492	449	443	43	34	16
	number.. 3 040 502	1 655 605	666 869	712 110	621 455	609 596	90 655	60 276	5 918
Hogs and pigs sold	farms.. 6 296	5 129	630	517	471	466	46	37	20
	number.. 7 602 587	3 505 725	1 830 029	2 246 960	1 685 619	1 648 360	561 341	391 435	19 873
	\$1,000.. 782 163	376 277	192 230	211 371	176 091	172 346	35 279	23 986	2 285
Feeder pigs	farms.. 886	689	94	100	68	66	32	24	3
	number.. 1 625 871	482 635	293 787	846 674	419 942	(D)	426 732	295 612	2 775
	\$1,000.. 69 704	19 810	(D)	36 817	17 776	(D)	19 042	12 603	(D)
Litters of pigs farrowed between—									
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30	farms.. 3 907	3 192	398	308	269	265	39	31	9
	number.. 685 006	302 107	172 793	208 491	147 654	145 442	60 837	42 733	1 615
Dec. 1 and May 31	farms.. 3 705	3 009	388	299	260	256	39	31	9
	number.. 342 019	152 997	85 789	102 345	71 708	70 688	30 637	21 817	888
June 1 and Nov. 30	farms.. 3 583	2 892	382	302	263	259	39	31	7
	number.. 342 987	149 110	87 004	106 146	75 946	74 754	30 200	20 916	727
Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory	farms.. 1 615	1 450	101	57	56	56	1	1	7
	number.. 98 773	77 170	(D)	8 053	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Ewes 1 year old or older	farms.. 1 378	1 251	88	32	32	32	—	—	7
	number.. 60 116	48 935	(D)	2 139	2 139	2 139	—	—	(D)
Sheep and lambs sold	farms.. 1 636	1 479	97	51	51	51	—	—	9
	number.. 95 783	76 632	(D)	7 982	7 982	7 982	—	—	(D)
Sheep and lambs shorn	farms.. 1 339	1 214	88	29	29	29	—	—	8
	number.. 86 894	67 492	(D)	6 381	6 381	6 381	—	—	(D)
	pounds of wool.. 681 606	503 015	(D)	54 053	54 053	54 053	—	—	(D)
Horses and ponies inventory	farms.. 8 112	6 710	638	700	669	649	31	27	64
	number.. 45 838	35 278	3 643	6 493	6 231	5 753	262	208	424
Horses and ponies sold	farms.. 1 311	1 120	83	98	93	87	5	4	10
	number.. 6 031	4 431	236	1 330	1 312	1 294	18	(D)	34
Goats inventory	farms.. 519	469	23	19	16	16	3	3	8
	number.. 5 185	4 275	188	459	440	440	19	19	263
Goats sold	farms.. 172	153	7	7	7	7	—	—	5
	number.. 2 731	2 268	65	334	334	334	—	—	64
POULTRY									
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text)	farms.. 1 506	1 356	92	51	47	46	4	1	7
	number.. 10 469 041	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Farms with—									
1 to 399	1 466	1 331	84	46	45	44	1	1	5
400 to 3,199	18	16	1	—	—	—	—	—	1
3,200 to 9,999	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
10,000 to 19,999	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
20,000 to 49,999	3	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
50,000 to 99,999	9	3	4	2	1	1	1	—	—
100,000 or more	9	2	3	3	1	1	2	—	1
Layers 20 weeks old and older	farms.. 1 476	1 330	90	49	46	45	3	1	7
	number.. 9 830 477	524 530	1 024 797	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Pullets 13 weeks old and older but less than 20 weeks old	farms.. 220	195	19	5	3	3	2	—	1
	number.. 638 564	(D)	(D)	380 386	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	(D)
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold (see text)	farms.. 114	91	12	10	7	5	3	—	1
	number.. 5 732 596	(D)	796 086	4 220 683	193 270	(D)	4 027 413	—	(D)
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold	farms.. 225	210	13	2	2	2	—	—	—
	number.. 725 964	711 424	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	—	—
Farms with—									
1 to 1,999	214	200	12	2	2	2	—	—	—
2,000 to 59,999	10	9	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
60,000 to 99,999	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 or more	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Turkey hens kept for breeding	farms.. 92	85	4	2	2	2	—	—	1
	number.. (D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	—	(D)
Turkeys sold	farms.. 61	45	5	11	11	11	—	—	—
	number.. (D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	—	—

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SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED									
Corn for grain or seed	farms.. 29 149	23 544	2 666	2 788	2 719	2 696	69	62	151
	acres.. 8 279 499	5 868 744	1 040 666	1 340 615	1 322 598	1 309 192	18 017	15 726	29 474
	bushels.. 1 055 193 186	732 997 214	136 190 312	182 505 691	179 958 112	178 000 976	2 547 579	2 163 879	3 499 969
Irrigated	farms.. 16 333	12 546	1 616	2 094	2 045	2 026	49	43	77
	acres.. 4 966 816	3 343 217	668 097	940 237	927 428	917 675	12 809	10 685	15 265
Farms by acres harvested:									
1 to 24 acres	1 709	1 541	109	41	38	38	3	3	18
25 to 99 acres	7 221	6 317	585	274	254	252	20	18	45
100 to 249 acres	8 863	7 485	724	599	573	571	26	22	55
250 to 499 acres	6 449	5 030	592	806	794	789	12	12	21
500 acres or more	4 907	3 171	656	1 068	1 060	1 046	8	7	12
Corn for silage or green chop	farms.. 4 058	3 008	459	567	555	549	12	9	24
	acres.. 209 587	123 493	27 685	54 757	52 773	50 593	1 984	1 461	3 652
	tons, green.. 3 282 555	1 800 405	464 109	944 255	913 280	879 180	30 975	23 385	73 786
Irrigated	farms.. 1 733	1 148	216	358	349	344	9	6	11
	acres.. 99 634	45 909	(D)	35 727	34 142	32 012	1 585	1 062	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:									
1 to 24 acres	1 803	1 481	158	154	152	151	2	1	10
25 to 99 acres	1 789	1 282	240	255	252	250	3	3	12
100 to 249 acres	355	201	48	105	101	101	4	3	1
250 to 499 acres	81	34	10	37	34	34	3	2	—
500 acres or more	30	10	3	16	16	13	—	—	1
Sorghum for grain or seed	farms.. 5 965	5 023	559	356	348	344	8	6	27
	acres.. 720 276	590 073	75 592	53 148	51 756	51 330	1 392	(D)	1 463
	bushels.. 56 264 473	45 643 445	6 105 801	4 403 676	4 297 434	4 264 521	106 242	(D)	111 551
Irrigated	farms.. 422	318	54	48	45	45	3	1	2
	acres.. 24 428	17 830	3 573	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:									
1 to 24 acres	760	653	63	37	35	35	2	—	7
25 to 99 acres	2 593	2 205	233	138	136	133	2	2	17
100 to 249 acres	1 924	1 626	181	114	111	110	3	3	3
250 to 499 acres	557	446	58	53	53	53	—	—	—
500 acres or more	131	93	24	14	13	13	1	1	—
Wheat for grain	farms.. 9 826	7 937	917	898	880	868	18	18	74
	acres.. 1 772 069	1 284 465	196 039	277 890	272 642	267 834	5 248	5 248	13 675
	bushels.. 61 578 806	44 353 038	6 915 293	9 880 474	9 689 731	9 550 268	190 743	190 743	430 001
Irrigated	farms.. 935	644	113	167	164	164	—	—	11
	acres.. 112 366	73 628	13 031	24 459	24 459	23 753	—	—	1 248
Farms by acres harvested:									
1 to 24 acres	1 741	1 497	146	90	86	82	4	4	8
25 to 99 acres	3 591	3 009	330	225	223	223	2	2	27
100 to 249 acres	2 348	1 879	218	232	227	222	5	5	19
250 to 499 acres	1 211	927	115	156	153	152	3	3	13
500 acres or more	935	625	108	195	191	189	4	4	7
Oats for grain	farms.. 2 612	2 208	237	149	145	145	4	4	18
	acres.. 86 955	68 825	10 039	7 444	7 273	7 273	171	171	647
	bushels.. 5 113 274	4 034 781	589 459	456 458	442 068	442 068	14 390	14 390	32 576
Irrigated	farms.. 106	80	11	13	13	13	—	—	2
	acres.. 4 326	3 031	(D)	662	662	662	—	—	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:									
1 to 24 acres	1 511	1 303	130	66	64	64	2	2	12
25 to 99 acres	962	803	88	67	66	66	1	1	4
100 to 249 acres	117	89	15	11	10	10	1	1	2
250 to 499 acres	16	10	2	4	4	4	—	—	—
500 acres or more	6	3	2	1	1	1	—	—	—
Soybeans for beans	farms.. 21 072	17 320	1 913	1 746	1 698	1 681	48	39	93
	acres.. 3 346 701	2 539 431	367 854	426 952	418 557	412 867	8 395	6 703	12 464
	bushels.. 131 017 170	97 254 548	14 728 350	18 552 787	18 181 079	17 928 372	371 708	302 607	481 485
Irrigated	farms.. 7 890	6 082	794	987	966	956	21	16	27
	acres.. 972 372	669 489	120 720	179 062	176 174	173 035	2 888	1 965	3 101
Farms by acres harvested:									
1 to 24 acres	2 124	1 859	170	79	75	74	4	3	16
25 to 99 acres	8 064	6 906	687	433	413	410	20	17	38
100 to 249 acres	6 726	5 488	597	616	598	595	18	15	25
250 to 499 acres	3 124	2 406	296	412	410	405	2	1	10
500 acres or more	1 034	661	163	206	202	197	4	3	4
Dry edible beans, excluding dry limas	farms.. 1 129	806	111	205	204	202	1	1	7
	acres.. 171 889	112 345	21 710	37 212	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	622
	cwt.. 3 483 866	2 236 571	428 595	806 780	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	11 920
Irrigated	farms.. 1 023	728	97	194	193	191	1	1	4
	acres.. 159 700	103 667	19 921	35 557	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	555
Farms by acres harvested:									
1 to 24 acres	87	78	5	3	3	3	—	—	1
25 to 99 acres	392	300	34	54	54	54	—	—	4
100 to 249 acres	462	316	44	101	100	98	1	1	1
250 to 499 acres	145	87	17	40	40	40	—	—	1
500 acres or more	43	25	11	7	7	7	—	—	—
Potatoes, excluding sweetpotatoes	farms.. 93	65	12	16	15	13	1	—	—
	acres.. 24 630	7 121	3 210	14 298	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—
	cwt.. 9 370 243	2 638 289	1 380 183	5 351 771	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—
Irrigated	farms.. 68	42	11	15	14	12	1	—	—
	acres.. 24 049	6 750	3 180	14 119	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—

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SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED—Con.									
Sugar beets for sugar..... farms..	367	247	39	80	79	78	1	—	1
acres..	60 429	39 409	(D)	13 060	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	(D)
tons..	1 032 584	676 204	(D)	219 598	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	(D)
Irrigated farms..	367	247	39	80	79	78	1	—	1
acres..	60 429	39 409	(D)	13 060	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	(D)
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text)..... farms..	25 215	20 809	2 201	2 040	1 981	1 953	59	49	165
acres..	2 932 880	2 016 556	387 196	496 538	472 044	443 096	24 494	8 837	32 590
tons, dry..	6 118 280	4 175 251	777 118	1 104 899	1 061 295	1 005 753	43 604	15 885	61 012
Irrigated farms..	4 755	3 562	507	652	641	633	11	7	34
acres..	390 066	251 367	46 513	86 223	84 664	78 606	1 559	1 007	5 963
Farms by acres harvested:									
1 to 24 acres	7 794	6 880	505	370	354	350	16	14	39
25 to 99 acres	10 509	8 814	860	770	753	746	17	14	65
100 to 249 acres	4 396	3 400	499	466	452	449	14	12	31
250 to 499 acres	1 476	1 073	165	219	214	213	5	5	19
500 acres or more	1 040	642	172	215	208	195	7	4	11
Alfalfa hay..... farms..	19 375	15 949	1 733	1 575	1 537	1 521	38	28	118
acres..	1 206 822	874 672	133 310	188 589	177 147	170 999	11 442	4 933	10 251
tons, dry..	3 759 981	2 649 765	421 354	661 042	630 024	608 320	31 018	11 890	27 820
Irrigated farms..	4 278	3 200	456	590	581	573	9	5	32
acres..	313 360	205 114	38 391	65 884	64 861	60 237	1 023	607	3 971
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)..... farms..	266	223	15	25	25	25	—	—	3
acres..	3 208	2 388	(D)	535	535	535	—	—	(D)
Irrigated farms..	127	94	11	21	21	21	—	—	1
acres..	1 344	819	(D)	339	339	339	—	—	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:									
0.1 to 4.9 acres	165	137	11	14	14	14	—	—	3
5.0 to 24.9 acres	69	63	2	4	4	4	—	—	—
25.0 to 99.9 acres	28	21	1	6	6	6	—	—	—
100.0 to 249.9 acres	3	1	1	1	1	1	—	—	—
250.0 acres or more	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

¹Data are based on a sample of farms.

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