

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

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

All farms	1997	Percent of total in 1997	1992	1987
Farms	2 829	100.0	2 890	3 027
Land in farms	6 409 288	100.0	9 263 684	9 988 520
Total cropland	2 188	77.3	2 255	2 317
Harvested cropland	846 752	13.2	840 364	802 604
Farms by acres harvested:	1 765	62.4	1 753	1 884
1 to 9 acres	526 338	8.2	408 568	526 067
10 to 19 acres	760	26.9	760	757
20 to 29 acres	223	7.9	221	214
30 to 49 acres	210	7.4	185	188
50 to 99 acres	119	4.2	147	125
100 to 199 acres	208	7.4	207	230
200 to 499 acres	211	7.5	261	236
500 to 999 acres	224	7.9	243	291
1,000 acres or more	302	10.7	292	344
1,000 to 1,999 acres	154	5.4	122	158
2,000 acres or more	114	4.0	75	98
1,000 to 1,999 acres	66	2.3	48	61
2,000 acres or more	48	1.7	27	37
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing	1 132	40.0	1 128	1 172
Other cropland	259 875	4.1	264 041	208 556
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured	434	15.3	898	519
Cropland on which all crops failed	60 539	.9	167 755	67 981
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow	62	2.2	66	63
Cropland idle	7 447	.1	11 489	5 634
Woodland pastured	43	1.5	228	60
Woodland not pastured	2 161	(Z)	66 299	7 510
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured	55	1.9	79	82
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc.	6 309	.1	8 974	5 171
Land under Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs ¹	342	12.1	674	417
Land in Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs ¹	44 622	.7	80 993	49 666
Total woodland	61	2.2	84	90
Woodland pastured	13 288	.2	18 275	22 368
Woodland not pastured	26	.9	56	53
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured	10 523	.2	13 210	9 218
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc.	37	1.3	34	51
Land under Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs ¹	2 765	(Z)	5 065	13 150
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured	1 027	36.3	1 024	1 034
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc.	5 232 909	81.6	8 105 815	8 684 697
Land under Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs ¹	1 775	62.7	1 731	1 970
Land in Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs ¹	316 339	4.9	299 230	478 851
Land under Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs ¹	52	(X)	34	8
Land in Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs ¹	(D)	(X)	6 855	230

¹Data for 1987 are for Conservation Reserve Program only.