

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

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

Item	All farms	\$1,000,000 or more	\$500,000 to \$999,999	\$250,000 to \$499,999	\$100,000 to \$249,999	\$50,000 to \$99,999
<b>FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS</b>						
Farms .....	2 937	14	31	73	162	138
number ..						
percent ..	100.0	5	1.1	2.5	5.5	4.7
Land in farms .....	415 031	12 042	14 641	22 076	46 576	28 807
acres ..						
Average size of farm .....	141	860	472	302	288	209
acres ..						
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD</b>						
Total sales (see text) .....	2 937	14	31	73	162	138
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	149 467	51 315	21 261	25 015	24 642	9 796
Average per farm .....	50 891	3 665 357	685 825	342 664	152 113	70 983
dollars ..						
Farms by value of sales:						
Less than \$1,000 (see text) .....	580	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000 to \$2,499 .....	541	—	—	—	—	—
\$2,500 to \$4,999 .....	460	—	—	—	—	—
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	388	—	—	—	—	—
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....	306	—	—	—	—	—
\$20,000 to \$24,999 .....	57	—	—	—	—	—
\$25,000 to \$39,999 .....	126	—	—	—	—	—
\$40,000 to \$49,999 .....	61	—	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	143	—	—	—	5	138
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....	157	—	—	—	157	—
\$250,000 to \$499,999 .....	73	—	—	73	—	—
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....	31	—	31	—	—	—
\$1,000,000 to \$2,499,999 .....	9	9	—	—	—	—
\$2,500,000 to \$4,999,999 .....	2	2	—	—	—	—
\$5,000,000 or more .....	3	3	—	—	—	—
Grains .....	25	—	—	2	3	1
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	202	—	—	(D)	(D)	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	2	—	—	—	2	—
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	(D)	—	—	—	(D)	—
Corn for grain .....	13	—	—	—	3	1
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	172	—	—	—	(D)	(D)
Wheat .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Soybeans .....	3	—	—	2	—	1
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	(D)	—	—	(D)	—	(D)
Sorghum for grain .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Barley .....	1	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	(D)	—	—	—	—	—
Oats .....	2	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	(D)	—	—	—	—	—
Other grains .....	9	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	(D)	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton and cottonseed .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hay, silage, and field seeds .....	865	2	11	22	38	26
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	6 949	(D)	383	394	822	734
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	17	1	3	1	6	6
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	1 738	(D)	(D)	(D)	492	375
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons .....	339	3	7	24	26	28
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	8 614	(D)	1 169	3 096	1 298	820
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	40	2	5	16	10	7
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	6 131	(D)	(D)	3 005	1 072	436
Fruits, nuts, and berries .....	315	5	5	19	12	24
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	10 760	3 964	1 656	1 435	1 112	971
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	31	4	3	7	6	11
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	8 576	(D)	(D)	1 230	1 054	686
Nursery and greenhouse crops .....	619	7	10	24	42	56
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	44 957	23 853	3 705	5 683	4 975	3 257
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	115	7	7	20	36	45
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	41 010	23 853	3 643	5 614	4 855	3 045
Other crops .....	427	1	3	11	17	12
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	2 246	(D)	(D)	64	114	259
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	4	—	1	—	—	3
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	452	—	(D)	—	—	(D)
Poultry and poultry products .....	266	3	2	8	13	7
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	19 224	(D)	(D)	1 187	271	162
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	11	1	2	4	2	2
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	18 782	(D)	(D)	1 169	(D)	(D)
Dairy products .....	239	4	18	40	102	40
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	46 974	6 277	11 020	11 906	14 211	2 802
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	195	4	18	40	99	34
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	45 884	6 277	11 020	11 906	14 120	2 560
Cattle and calves .....	760	5	18	44	111	51
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	4 720	370	756	592	1 116	300
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	8	3	3	—	2	—
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	872	(D)	370	—	(D)	—

See footnotes at end of table.

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

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

Item	\$25,000 to \$49,999	\$10,000 to \$24,999	\$5,000 to \$9,999	\$2,500 to \$4,999	\$1,000 to \$2,499	Less than \$1,000
<b>FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS</b>						
Farms .....	189	364	397	466	546	557
number ..						
percent ..	6.4	12.4	13.5	15.9	18.6	19.0
Land in farms .....	34 509	57 224	51 277	50 924	49 455	47 500
acres ..						
Average size of farm .....	183	157	129	109	91	85
acres ..						
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD</b>						
Total sales (see text) .....	189	364	397	466	546	557
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	6 675	5 475	2 692	1 617	848	132
Average per farm .....	35 317	15 041	6 780	3 471	1 553	238
dollars ..						
Farms by value of sales:						
Less than \$1,000 (see text) .....	—	1	—	8	14	557
\$1,000 to \$2,499 .....	1	—	2	6	532	—
\$2,500 to \$4,999 .....	—	—	8	452	—	—
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	—	1	387	—	—	—
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....	—	306	—	—	—	—
\$20,000 to \$24,999 .....	1	56	—	—	—	—
\$25,000 to \$39,999 .....	126	—	—	—	—	—
\$40,000 to \$49,999 .....	61	—	—	—	—	—
\$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 .....	3	9	2	2	2	1
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	(D)	15	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Corn for grain .....	1	3	2	2	1	—
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—
Wheat .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Soybeans .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sorghum for grain .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Barley .....	1	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	(D)	—	—	—	—	—
Oats .....	—	2	—	—	—	—
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	—	(D)	—	—	—	—
Other grains .....	1	6	—	—	1	1
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	(D)	8	—	—	(D)	(D)
Cotton and cottonseed .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hay, silage, and field seeds .....	73	155	176	150	156	56
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	1 309	1 268	877	433	210	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons .....	42	82	49	41	28	9
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	630	712	259	95	24	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Fruits, nuts, and berries .....	41	53	45	40	45	26
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	800	519	157	87	50	8
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Nursery and greenhouse crops .....	61	102	73	63	112	69
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	1 609	1 183	380	166	129	18
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other crops .....	34	65	75	91	91	27
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	367	457	307	232	112	14
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Poultry and poultry products .....	19	35	28	58	57	36
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	129	102	50	44	22	8
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Dairy products .....	23	4	3	2	2	1
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	689	64	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cattle and calves .....	54	87	103	120	105	62
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	338	458	337	286	135	31
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—

See footnotes at end of table.

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

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Item	All farms	\$1,000,000 or more	\$500,000 to \$999,999	\$250,000 to \$499,999	\$100,000 to \$249,999	\$50,000 to \$99,999
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD—Con.</b>						
Total sales (see text)—Con.						
Hogs and pigs . . . . . farms..	137	—	—	2	5	1
\$1,000..	1 264	—	—	(D)	(D)	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more . . . . . farms..	3	—	—	2	1	—
\$1,000..	873	—	—	(D)	(D)	—
Sheep, lambs, and wool . . . . . farms..	312	1	1	2	6	5
\$1,000..	384	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more . . . . . farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other livestock and livestock products (see text) . . . . . farms..	310	2	2	1	7	10
\$1,000..	3 174	(D)	(D)	(D)	332	455
Sales of \$50,000 or more . . . . . farms..	11	1	1	—	3	6
\$1,000..	1 623	(D)	(D)	—	(D)	448
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text) . . . . . farms..	690	5	8	21	31	37
\$1,000..	8 653	272	1 863	2 612	706	863
<b>FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES<sup>1</sup></b>						
Total farm production expenses . . . . . farms..	2 921	14	31	73	158	160
\$1,000..	126 098	34 152	17 174	20 735	19 861	8 731
Average per farm . . . . . dollars..	43 169	2 439 430	554 008	284 044	125 703	54 568
Livestock and poultry purchased . . . . . farms..	706	5	12	27	52	29
\$1,000..	3 031	294	491	273	561	207
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	583	2	3	16	23	17
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	97	—	3	6	23	11
\$25,000 to \$99,999 . . . . .	21	2	4	5	6	—
\$100,000 to \$249,999 . . . . .	5	1	2	—	—	1
\$250,000 or more . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
Feed for livestock and poultry . . . . . farms..	1 415	6	21	48	115	72
\$1,000..	22 257	3 182	4 664	5 445	5 637	1 398
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	1 113	1	—	3	4	22
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	107	—	—	—	20	18
\$25,000 to \$99,999 . . . . .	139	—	3	19	84	32
\$100,000 to \$249,999 . . . . .	40	—	10	23	7	—
\$250,000 or more . . . . .	16	5	8	3	—	—
Commercially mixed formula feeds . . . . . farms..	1 023	6	20	47	111	66
\$1,000..	17 869	2 851	3 453	4 469	4 692	1 269
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	756	1	—	2	9	18
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	87	—	1	2	19	18
\$25,000 to \$99,999 . . . . .	143	—	7	25	81	30
\$100,000 or more . . . . .	37	5	12	18	2	—
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees . . . . . farms..	970	13	28	62	123	106
\$1,000..	6 287	2 991	733	925	697	517
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999 . . . . .	610	—	—	6	40	28
\$1,000 to \$4,999 . . . . .	233	1	13	34	43	49
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	93	4	9	12	32	27
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	13	1	2	2	6	2
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	21	7	4	8	2	—
Commercial fertilizer . . . . . farms..	1 400	13	29	63	137	104
\$1,000..	2 931	463	389	528	535	255
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	1 275	1	5	25	105	91
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	110	5	19	37	30	13
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	12	4	5	1	2	—
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	3	3	—	—	—	—
Agricultural chemicals . . . . . farms..	829	13	28	61	114	97
\$1,000..	1 717	496	254	364	237	131
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	769	4	12	44	102	93
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	47	3	13	14	11	4
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	9	2	3	3	1	—
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	4	4	—	—	—	—
Petroleum products . . . . . farms..	2 686	13	31	73	155	159
\$1,000..	5 148	1 168	533	723	781	480
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	2 498	—	3	18	92	131
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	165	2	23	49	62	28
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	16	5	4	6	1	—
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	7	6	1	—	—	—
Gasoline and gasohol . . . . . farms..	2 204	12	29	66	141	146
\$1,000..	1 615	(D)	122	(D)	275	(D)
Diesel fuel . . . . . farms..	1 673	13	26	61	144	114
\$1,000..	1 532	270	218	253	299	101
Natural gas . . . . . farms..	42	1	—	1	5	1
\$1,000..	99	(D)	—	(D)	20	(D)
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc. . . . . farms..	1 809	13	31	73	153	140
\$1,000..	1 902	702	193	297	187	182

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

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Item	\$25,000 to \$49,999	\$10,000 to \$24,999	\$5,000 to \$9,999	\$2,500 to \$4,999	\$1,000 to \$2,499	Less than \$1,000
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD—Con.</b>						
Total sales (see text)—Con.						
Hogs and pigs . . . . . farms..	11	29	21	32	27	9
\$1,000..	94	127	76	52	24	3
Sales of \$50,000 or more . . . . . farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sheep, lambs, and wool . . . . . farms..	18	34	42	56	78	69
\$1,000..	(D)	41	60	83	67	18
Sales of \$50,000 or more . . . . . farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other livestock and livestock products (see text) . . . . . farms..	31	55	53	68	65	16
\$1,000..	613	529	178	137	75	7
Sales of \$50,000 or more . . . . . farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text) . . . . . farms..	71	126	100	120	127	44
\$1,000..	963	728	327	197	110	13
<b>FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES<sup>1</sup></b>						
Total farm production expenses . . . . . farms..	174	369	344	457	612	529
\$1,000..	4 681	5 484	3 622	3 451	4 094	4 113
Average per farm . . . . . dollars..	26 903	14 863	10 528	7 552	6 689	7 774
Livestock and poultry purchased . . . . . farms..	51	98	91	122	148	71
\$1,000..	198	312	237	238	111	108
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	37	79	85	114	143	64
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	13	19	3	7	5	7
\$25,000 to \$99,999 . . . . .	1	—	3	—	—	—
\$100,000 to \$249,999 . . . . .	—	—	—	1	—	—
\$250,000 or more . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
Feed for livestock and poultry . . . . . farms..	73	174	157	236	284	229
\$1,000..	361	460	256	289	262	304
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	51	154	148	231	275	224
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	22	20	9	5	9	4
\$25,000 to \$99,999 . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	1
\$100,000 to \$249,999 . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$250,000 or more . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
Commercially mixed formula feeds . . . . . farms..	50	100	119	156	214	134
\$1,000..	248	272	205	136	171	103
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	29	84	110	156	214	133
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	21	16	9	—	—	1
\$25,000 to \$99,999 . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$100,000 or more . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees . . . . . farms..	108	146	100	130	84	70
\$1,000..	167	147	35	44	12	19
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999 . . . . .	65	101	94	126	84	66
\$1,000 to \$4,999 . . . . .	37	42	6	4	—	4
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	6	3	—	—	—	—
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
Commercial fertilizer . . . . . farms..	124	213	173	171	226	147
\$1,000..	204	200	120	79	90	69
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	119	212	173	171	226	147
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	5	1	—	—	—	—
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
Agricultural chemicals . . . . . farms..	91	94	72	95	100	64
\$1,000..	87	65	26	18	19	20
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	90	93	72	95	100	64
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	1	1	—	—	—	—
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
Petroleum products . . . . . farms..	173	349	342	409	557	425
\$1,000..	288	320	246	215	215	179
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	172	349	342	409	557	425
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	1	—	—	—	—	—
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
Gasoline and gasohol . . . . . farms..	138	297	290	317	460	308
\$1,000..	110	154	130	98	(D)	(D)
Diesel fuel . . . . . farms..	114	206	234	258	300	203
\$1,000..	86	82	70	55	46	52
Natural gas . . . . . farms..	3	18	7	4	1	1
\$1,000..	4	12	3	(Z)	(D)	(D)
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc. . . . . farms..	150	246	228	257	284	234
\$1,000..	87	73	43	61	32	45

See footnotes at end of table.

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

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

Item	All farms	\$1,000,000 or more	\$500,000 to \$999,999	\$250,000 to \$499,999	\$100,000 to \$249,999	\$50,000 to \$99,999
<b>FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES<sup>1</sup></b>						
—Con.						
Total farm production expenses—Con.						
Electricity . . . . . farms . . . . .	2 015	14	30	73	157	140
Electricity . . . . . \$1,000 . . . . .	3 772	897	449	711	675	332
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999 . . . . .	1 476	—	—	2	13	41
\$1,000 to \$4,999 . . . . .	371	—	2	16	88	84
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	153	4	26	52	56	15
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	9	5	2	2	—	—
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	6	5	—	1	—	—
Hired farm labor . . . . . farms . . . . .	907	14	31	68	123	112
Hired farm labor . . . . . \$1,000 . . . . .	30 438	15 784	3 858	4 805	3 218	1 512
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	542	—	—	1	12	44
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	191	—	4	9	57	48
\$25,000 to \$99,999 . . . . .	124	—	9	42	52	20
\$100,000 to \$249,999 . . . . .	34	1	15	16	2	—
\$250,000 or more . . . . .	16	13	3	—	—	—
Workers by days worked:						
150 days or more . . . . . farms . . . . .	379	14	30	63	90	63
150 days or more . . . . . workers . . . . .	1 386	492	194	263	180	98
Less than 150 days . . . . . farms . . . . .	836	13	26	58	90	100
Less than 150 days . . . . . workers . . . . .	3 696	633	248	571	438	434
Contract labor . . . . . farms . . . . .	279	6	8	17	29	23
Contract labor . . . . . \$1,000 . . . . .	1 350	495	87	250	198	82
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999 . . . . .	146	—	3	—	5	7
\$1,000 to \$4,999 . . . . .	87	—	1	8	14	10
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	37	3	2	6	9	6
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	5	1	2	2	—	—
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	4	2	—	1	—	—
Repair and maintenance . . . . . farms . . . . .	2 392	13	31	72	155	150
Repair and maintenance . . . . . \$1,000 . . . . .	9 340	1 581	1 173	1 232	1 283	691
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	1 975	—	1	6	50	86
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	347	1	5	49	99	64
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	49	2	17	16	6	—
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	21	10	8	1	—	—
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment . . . . . farms . . . . .	456	9	22	22	64	42
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment . . . . . \$1,000 . . . . .	1 202	300	230	155	186	93
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999 . . . . .	289	—	2	7	33	12
\$1,000 to \$4,999 . . . . .	116	3	7	5	17	24
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	42	3	10	8	13	6
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	7	1	3	2	1	—
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	2	2	—	—	—	—
Interest . . . . . farms . . . . .	855	13	31	59	118	106
Interest . . . . . \$1,000 . . . . .	6 115	856	726	927	1 040	764
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	526	2	5	15	41	57
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	290	2	14	34	72	46
\$25,000 to \$99,999 . . . . .	34	5	12	9	5	3
\$100,000 or more . . . . .	5	4	—	1	—	—
Secured by real estate . . . . . farms . . . . .	627	10	25	39	80	76
Secured by real estate . . . . . \$1,000 . . . . .	4 576	513	553	638	727	592
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999 . . . . .	72	—	1	2	3	17
\$1,000 to \$4,999 . . . . .	303	1	5	7	30	11
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	225	3	9	23	44	47
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	17	—	8	6	2	1
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	10	6	2	1	1	—
Not secured by real estate . . . . . farms . . . . .	409	9	16	39	73	52
Not secured by real estate . . . . . \$1,000 . . . . .	1 539	343	173	289	313	172
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999 . . . . .	173	—	1	4	13	8
\$1,000 to \$4,999 . . . . .	163	3	6	14	35	39
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	64	2	7	20	24	4
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	4	—	2	—	1	1
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	5	4	—	1	—	—
Cash rent . . . . . farms . . . . .	388	9	22	44	81	37
Cash rent . . . . . \$1,000 . . . . .	1 400	441	241	199	247	75
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	327	1	10	31	66	32
\$5,000 to \$9,999 . . . . .	27	1	4	7	9	4
\$10,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	25	2	5	6	5	1
\$25,000 or more . . . . .	9	5	3	—	1	—
Property taxes . . . . . farms . . . . .	2 748	14	31	66	148	133
Property taxes . . . . . \$1,000 . . . . .	11 942	501	416	783	903	666
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	1 909	1	7	17	60	75
\$5,000 to \$9,999 . . . . .	635	1	4	14	68	44
\$10,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	172	3	16	28	20	13
\$25,000 or more . . . . .	32	9	4	7	—	1
All other farm production expenses . . . . . farms . . . . .	2 575	14	31	73	158	155
All other farm production expenses . . . . . \$1,000 . . . . .	19 166	4 702	2 930	3 415	3 663	1 527
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	2 072	—	1	2	15	51
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	343	—	2	16	85	99
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	84	—	6	25	48	5
\$50,000 to \$99,999 . . . . .	41	—	7	25	9	—
\$100,000 or more . . . . .	35	14	15	5	1	—

See footnotes at end of table.

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

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

Item	\$25,000 to \$49,999	\$10,000 to \$24,999	\$5,000 to \$9,999	\$2,500 to \$4,999	\$1,000 to \$2,499	Less than \$1,000
<b>FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES<sup>1</sup></b>						
—Con.						
Total farm production expenses—Con.						
Electricity . . . . . farms . . . . .	157	293	259	263	365	264
\$1,000 . . . . .	152	155	89	76	106	129
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999 . . . . .	107	261	237	248	334	233
\$1,000 to \$4,999 . . . . .	50	32	22	15	31	31
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hired farm labor . . . . . farms . . . . .	108	103	95	62	91	100
\$1,000 . . . . .	640	272	138	90	33	89
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	54	89	91	61	91	99
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	54	14	3	1	—	1
\$25,000 to \$99,999 . . . . .	—	—	1	—	—	—
\$100,000 to \$249,999 . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$250,000 or more . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
Workers by days worked:						
150 days or more . . . . . farms . . . . .	39	26	17	5	9	23
workers . . . . .	53	38	6	6	10	24
Less than 150 days . . . . . farms . . . . .	104	99	94	61	91	100
workers . . . . .	372	262	193	184	154	207
Contract labor . . . . . farms . . . . .	26	42	37	36	37	18
\$1,000 . . . . .	69	75	25	24	18	29
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999 . . . . .	6	14	32	32	31	16
\$1,000 to \$4,999 . . . . .	13	25	5	4	6	1
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	7	3	—	—	—	1
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
Repair and maintenance . . . . . farms . . . . .	161	331	287	355	457	380
\$1,000 . . . . .	596	719	476	333	528	729
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	128	303	261	351	441	348
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	30	28	26	4	16	25
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	1	—	—	—	—	7
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	2	—	—	—	—	—
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment . . . . . farms . . . . .	50	64	51	48	57	27
\$1,000 . . . . .	63	68	29	31	29	18
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999 . . . . .	30	48	44	40	52	21
\$1,000 to \$4,999 . . . . .	20	14	7	8	5	6
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	—	2	—	—	—	—
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
Interest . . . . . farms . . . . .	82	125	59	59	122	81
\$1,000 . . . . .	438	451	166	124	348	275
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	51	95	47	54	96	63
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	31	30	12	5	26	18
\$25,000 to \$99,999 . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$100,000 or more . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
Secured by real estate . . . . . farms . . . . .	65	84	45	38	99	66
\$1,000 . . . . .	366	380	133	113	323	237
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999 . . . . .	2	15	4	6	13	9
\$1,000 to \$4,999 . . . . .	38	48	37	27	60	39
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	25	21	4	5	26	18
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
Not secured by real estate . . . . . farms . . . . .	39	64	25	29	38	25
\$1,000 . . . . .	72	71	33	12	25	38
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999 . . . . .	28	38	14	29	23	15
\$1,000 to \$4,999 . . . . .	6	24	11	—	15	10
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	5	2	—	—	—	—
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cash rent . . . . . farms . . . . .	38	59	33	24	28	13
\$1,000 . . . . .	39	106	14	11	18	8
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	37	52	33	24	28	13
\$5,000 to \$9,999 . . . . .	1	—	—	—	—	—
\$10,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	—	6	—	—	—	—
\$25,000 or more . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
Property taxes . . . . . farms . . . . .	170	334	331	441	567	513
\$1,000 . . . . .	725	1 288	1 380	1 538	1 882	1 859
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	114	227	238	342	437	391
\$5,000 to \$9,999 . . . . .	47	99	69	73	119	97
\$10,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	6	7	22	26	11	20
\$25,000 or more . . . . .	3	1	2	—	—	5
All other farm production expenses . . . . . farms . . . . .	174	369	290	402	486	423
\$1,000 . . . . .	655	847	387	340	423	276
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	115	314	274	399	479	422
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	59	55	16	3	7	1
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 to \$99,999 . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$100,000 or more . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—

See footnotes at end of table.

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

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

Item	All farms	\$1,000,000 or more	\$500,000 to \$999,999	\$250,000 to \$499,999	\$100,000 to \$249,999	\$50,000 to \$99,999
<b>NET CASH RETURN FROM AGRICULTURAL SALES AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS FOR THE FARM UNIT (SEE TEXT)<sup>1</sup></b>						
All farms .....	2 921	14	31	73	158	160
number .....						
\$1,000 .....	24 533	17 213	4 181	4 439	4 444	3 064
dollars .....	8 399	1 229 490	134 877	60 801	28 128	19 149
Farms with net gains <sup>2</sup> .....	1 007	13	29	61	125	125
number .....						
Average net gain .....	39 432	(D)	(D)	82 689	41 265	29 803
dollars .....						
Gain of—						
Less than \$1,000 .....	117	—	—	1	1	1
\$1,000 to \$9,999 .....	423	—	1	4	10	19
\$10,000 to \$49,999 .....	345	1	4	17	79	93
\$50,000 or more .....	122	12	24	39	35	12
Farms with net losses .....	1 914	1	2	12	33	35
number .....						
Average net loss .....	7 928	(D)	(D)	50 461	21 633	18 901
dollars .....						
Loss of—						
Less than \$1,000 .....	230	—	—	1	1	6
\$1,000 to \$9,999 .....	1 261	—	—	3	13	8
\$10,000 to \$49,999 .....	402	—	—	7	15	20
\$50,000 or more .....	21	1	2	1	4	1
<b>GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS AND OTHER FARM-RELATED INCOME</b>						
Government payments .....	310	3	13	34	79	31
farms .....						
\$1,000 .....	809	50	95	159	198	76
Other farm-related income <sup>1</sup> .....	715	8	14	30	63	52
farms .....						
\$1,000 .....	4 170	132	58	234	842	371
dollars .....						
Customwork and other agricultural services .....	239	2	3	11	23	16
farms .....						
\$1,000 .....	1 285	(D)	(D)	59	577	124
dollars .....						
Gross cash rent or share payments .....	107	1	2	3	—	2
farms .....						
\$1,000 .....	314	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	(D)
dollars .....						
Forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products .....	361	4	3	12	19	23
farms .....						
\$1,000 .....	2 234	86	18	125	161	197
dollars .....						
Other farm-related income sources .....	186	4	8	14	43	30
farms .....						
\$1,000 .....	338	41	32	(D)	104	(D)
dollars .....						
<b>COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS</b>						
Total .....	4	—	1	1	1	—
farms .....						
\$1,000 .....	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	—
dollars .....						
Corn .....	4	—	1	1	1	—
farms .....						
\$1,000 .....	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	—
dollars .....						
Wheat .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms .....						
\$1,000 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
dollars .....						
Soybeans .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms .....						
\$1,000 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
dollars .....						
Sorghum, barley, and oats .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms .....						
\$1,000 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
dollars .....						
Cotton .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms .....						
\$1,000 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
dollars .....						
Sunflower seed, flaxseed, safflower, canola, other rapeseed, and mustard seed .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms .....						
\$1,000 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
dollars .....						
Peanuts, rice, and tobacco .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms .....						
\$1,000 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
dollars .....						
<b>LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE</b>						
Total cropland .....	2 489	13	29	71	156	132
farms .....						
acres .....	132 619	6 797	8 598	12 447	21 962	12 110
Harvested cropland .....	2 256	13	29	68	152	129
farms .....						
acres .....	101 753	6 396	8 064	10 989	18 282	9 141
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 49 acres .....	1 708	5	7	17	43	74
50 to 99 acres .....	263	—	—	11	21	22
100 to 199 acres .....	172	1	2	14	59	18
200 to 499 acres .....	102	2	16	25	28	15
500 to 999 acres .....	9	3	4	1	1	—
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....	1	1	—	—	—	—
2,000 acres or more .....	1	1	—	—	—	—
Cropland:						
Pasture or grazing only .....	1 038	1	13	26	74	46
farms .....						
acres .....	21 932	(D)	(D)	1 127	3 257	2 166
In cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured .....	139	—	—	3	11	11
farms .....						
acres .....	2 074	—	—	14	141	611
On which all crops failed .....	56	2	1	1	2	—
farms .....						
acres .....	348	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—
In cultivated summer fallow .....	34	—	—	—	2	4
farms .....						
acres .....	304	—	—	—	(D)	29
Idle .....	340	3	—	7	17	15
farms .....						
acres .....	6 208	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	163
Total woodland .....	2 137	11	19	49	122	87
farms .....						
acres .....	240 744	3 615	4 434	7 736	21 522	14 165
Woodland pastured .....	494	—	4	10	42	24
farms .....						
acres .....	19 766	—	210	534	2 500	1 855
Woodland not pastured .....	1 976	11	19	43	114	77
farms .....						
acres .....	220 978	3 615	4 224	7 202	19 022	12 310

See footnotes at end of table.

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

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

Item	\$25,000 to \$49,999	\$10,000 to \$24,999	\$5,000 to \$9,999	\$2,500 to \$4,999	\$1,000 to \$2,499	Less than \$1,000
<b>NET CASH RETURN FROM AGRICULTURAL SALES AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS FOR THE FARM UNIT (SEE TEXT)<sup>1</sup></b>						
All farms .....	174	369	344	457	612	529
number .....						
\$1,000 .....	1 300	112	-1 293	-1 822	-3 116	-3 988
dollars .....	7 472	303	-3 758	-3 988	-5 091	-7 539
Farms with net gains <sup>2</sup> .....	129	206	147	89	79	4
number .....						
Average net gain .....	15 194	7 442	2 838	1 661	757	223
dollars .....						
Gain of—						
Less than \$1,000 .....	2	5	23	23	57	4
\$1,000 to \$9,999 .....	38	139	124	66	22	—
\$10,000 to \$49,999 .....	89	62	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Farms with net losses .....	45	163	197	368	533	525
number .....						
Average net loss .....	14 665	8 720	8 680	5 354	5 958	7 598
dollars .....						
Loss of—						
Less than \$1,000 .....	1	24	37	71	32	57
\$1,000 to \$9,999 .....	21	96	95	239	421	365
\$10,000 to \$49,999 .....	21	43	64	57	80	95
\$50,000 or more .....	2	—	1	1	—	8
<b>GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS AND OTHER FARM-RELATED INCOME</b>						
Government payments .....	28	33	28	34	23	4
farms .....						
\$1,000 .....	66	68	33	44	17	2
dollars .....	43	104	94	85	128	94
Other farm-related income <sup>1</sup> .....	259	562	414	329	516	454
farms .....						
\$1,000 .....	16	59	26	33	29	21
dollars .....	40	141	55	138	112	27
Gross cash rent or share payments .....	5	17	21	22	17	17
farms .....						
\$1,000 .....	(D)	45	(D)	45	19	118
Forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products .....	24	42	68	33	82	51
farms .....						
\$1,000 .....	204	359	290	141	354	299
dollars .....	6	11	21	14	26	9
Other farm-related income sources .....	(D)	17	(D)	5	31	10
\$1,000 .....						
<b>COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS</b>						
Total .....	—	—	1	—	—	—
farms .....						
\$1,000 .....	—	—	(D)	—	—	—
dollars .....	—	—	1	—	—	—
Corn .....	—	—	(D)	—	—	—
farms .....						
\$1,000 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
dollars .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wheat .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms .....						
\$1,000 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
dollars .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Soybeans .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms .....						
\$1,000 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
dollars .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sorghum, barley, and oats .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms .....						
\$1,000 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
dollars .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms .....						
\$1,000 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
dollars .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sunflower seed, flaxseed, safflower, canola, other rapeseed, and mustard seed .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms .....						
\$1,000 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
dollars .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Peanuts, rice, and tobacco .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms .....						
\$1,000 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
dollars .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
<b>LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE</b>						
Total cropland .....	173	331	349	376	425	434
farms .....						
acres .....	12 679	14 863	13 201	11 470	9 881	8 611
Harvested cropland .....	165	315	325	332	373	355
farms .....						
acres .....	10 280	10 837	9 441	7 134	6 283	4 906
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 49 acres .....	92	227	255	297	350	341
50 to 99 acres .....	28	63	59	29	17	13
100 to 199 acres .....	35	22	11	5	4	1
200 to 499 acres .....	10	3	—	1	2	—
500 to 999 acres .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
2,000 acres or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cropland:						
Pasture or grazing only .....	61	123	148	144	177	225
farms .....						
acres .....	1 565	2 244	2 715	2 887	2 319	3 069
In cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured .....	19	15	22	22	24	12
farms .....						
acres .....	170	248	312	264	230	84
On which all crops failed .....	15	6	11	6	6	6
farms .....						
acres .....	89	(D)	(D)	26	(D)	(D)
In cultivated summer fallow .....	6	2	4	10	5	1
farms .....						
acres .....	63	(D)	(D)	72	(D)	(D)
Idle .....	30	52	51	57	63	45
farms .....						
acres .....	512	1 434	674	1 087	982	529
Total woodland .....	118	262	321	347	401	400
farms .....						
acres .....	18 765	37 355	32 950	33 442	33 598	33 162
Woodland pastured .....	30	62	54	90	86	92
farms .....						
acres .....	1 829	2 376	2 189	2 203	2 534	3 536
Woodland not pastured .....	111	243	325	325	371	360
farms .....						
acres .....	16 936	34 979	30 761	31 239	31 064	29 626

See footnotes at end of table.



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

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

Item	All farms	\$1,000,000 or more	\$500,000 to \$999,999	\$250,000 to \$499,999	\$100,000 to \$249,999	\$50,000 to \$99,999
<b>LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE—Con.</b>						
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured..... farms..	524	3	8	19	33	18
acres..	14 341	(D)	710	(D)	1 369	1 099
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. .... farms..	1 907	14	22	45	106	82
acres..	27 327	(D)	899	(D)	1 723	1 433
Irrigated land ..... farms..	429	8	11	25	40	55
acres..	2 691	459	313	712	210	246
Harvested cropland irrigated ..... farms..	416	8	11	25	40	53
acres..	2 475	(D)	313	712	(D)	238
Pasture and other land irrigated ..... farms..	19	2	—	—	1	3
acres..	216	(D)	—	—	(D)	8
Land under Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs ..... farms..	59	1	—	1	4	4
acres..	2 737	(D)	—	(D)	258	(D)
<b>VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS<sup>1</sup></b>						
Estimated market value of land and buildings ..... farms..	2 921	14	31	73	158	160
\$1,000..	945 010	28 536	40 380	50 112	83 963	64 142
Average per farm ..... dollars..	323 523	2 038 293	1 302 586	686 467	531 410	400 885
Average per acre ..... dollars..	2 250	2 370	2 758	2 270	1 745	2 016
Farms by value group:						
\$1 to \$39,999 .....	237	—	1	—	1	7
\$40,000 to \$69,999 .....	124	—	—	—	1	8
\$70,000 to \$99,999 .....	167	—	—	—	2	14
\$100,000 to \$149,999 .....	391	—	1	2	18	16
\$150,000 to \$199,999 .....	433	—	2	4	10	13
\$200,000 to \$499,999 .....	1 095	—	4	26	70	71
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....	304	3	4	24	36	17
\$1,000,000 to \$1,999,999 .....	138	7	14	14	17	10
\$2,000,000 to \$4,999,999 .....	30	3	4	3	3	4
\$5,000,000 or more .....	2	1	1	—	—	—
<b>VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup></b>						
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ..... farms..	2 921	14	31	73	158	160
\$1,000..	110 872	8 156	6 604	9 609	13 948	8 891
Farms by value group:						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	407	—	—	—	4	1
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	426	—	—	—	1	16
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....	584	—	—	3	6	33
\$20,000 to \$49,999 .....	867	—	2	9	39	45
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	380	2	7	17	50	46
\$100,000 to \$199,999 .....	177	1	7	27	46	12
\$200,000 to \$499,999 .....	71	7	12	17	12	5
\$500,000 or more .....	9	4	3	—	—	2
<b>SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup></b>						
Motortrucks, including pickups ..... farms..	2 485	14	31	73	157	153
number..	4 639	143	136	271	408	379
Wheel tractors ..... farms..	2 531	14	31	70	148	142
number..	5 401	135	171	252	371	339
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms..	1 970	12	22	56	111	108
number..	3 146	44	47	111	189	168
40 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms..	1 296	13	27	49	93	91
number..	2 255	91	124	141	182	171
40 to 99 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms..	1 256	13	27	49	91	90
number..	2 021	66	86	115	157	150
100 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms..	172	5	16	17	19	19
number..	234	25	38	26	25	21
Grain and bean combines ..... farms..	13	1	1	—	3	—
number..	17	(D)	(D)	—	4	—
Cotton pickers and strippers ..... farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
number..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Mower conditioners ..... farms..	862	3	15	38	105	65
number..	970	6	18	44	119	74
Pickup balers ..... farms..	997	3	15	39	103	55
number..	1 160	5	19	45	131	74
<b>AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS<sup>1</sup></b>						
Commercial fertilizer ..... farms..	1 334	13	28	63	132	94
acres on which used..	60 475	6 536	7 378	8 949	12 121	4 968
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—						
Insects on hay and other crops ..... farms..	434	11	16	29	42	58
acres on which used..	8 991	1 755	1 461	1 781	1 151	857
Nematodes in crops ..... farms..	20	—	2	10	4	—
acres on which used..	738	—	(D)	422	(D)	—
Diseases in crops and orchards ..... farms..	266	9	8	22	18	33
acres on which used..	4 029	1 349	537	669	414	225
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture ..... farms..	459	11	20	52	90	54
acres on which used..	22 158	3 412	3 860	5 065	4 427	2 251
Chemicals used on crops to control growth, thin fruit, or defoliate ..... farms..	92	6	5	9	10	17
acres on which used..	2 441	1 097	306	297	276	258

See footnotes at end of table.

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

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

Item	\$25,000 to \$49,999	\$10,000 to \$24,999	\$5,000 to \$9,999	\$2,500 to \$4,999	\$1,000 to \$2,499	Less than \$1,000
<b>LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE—Con.</b>						
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured..... farms..	39	60	56	72	98	118
acres..	1 360	1 064	1 450	1 915	2 643	1 735
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. .... farms..	137	227	247	314	343	370
acres..	1 705	3 942	3 676	4 097	3 333	3 992
Irrigated land ..... farms..	49	97	44	39	44	17
acres..	158	313	105	65	69	41
Harvested cropland irrigated ..... farms..	49	97	38	38	43	14
acres..	(D)	(D)	95	(D)	(D)	26
Pasture and other land irrigated ..... farms..	1	1	6	1	1	3
acres..	(D)	(D)	10	(D)	(D)	15
Land under Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs ..... farms..	2	9	9	16	10	3
acres..	(D)	788	346	606	181	26
<b>VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS<sup>1</sup></b>						
Estimated market value of land and buildings ..... farms..	174	369	344	457	612	529
\$1,000..	64 987	120 712	97 873	110 030	139 377	144 899
Average per farm ..... dollars..	373 486	327 133	284 515	240 765	227 740	273 911
Average per acre ..... dollars..	2 021	1 990	1 942	2 336	2 520	3 175
Farms by value group:						
\$1 to \$39,999 .....	3	45	14	56	62	48
\$40,000 to \$69,999 .....	—	16	5	31	46	17
\$70,000 to \$99,999 .....	12	15	22	20	41	41
\$100,000 to \$149,999 .....	20	25	54	98	62	95
\$150,000 to \$199,999 .....	9	58	53	57	153	74
\$200,000 to \$499,999 .....	95	126	161	152	195	195
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....	28	66	18	34	38	36
\$1,000,000 to \$1,999,999 .....	4	18	16	8	14	16
\$2,000,000 to \$4,999,999 .....	3	—	1	1	1	7
\$5,000,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
<b>VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup></b>						
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ..... farms..	174	369	344	457	612	529
\$1,000..	6 160	14 034	7 987	10 338	12 177	12 968
Farms by value group:						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	13	23	45	74	150	97
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	7	38	60	85	122	97
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....	43	66	68	108	120	137
\$20,000 to \$49,999 .....	71	159	130	137	142	133
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	28	41	38	43	62	46
\$100,000 to \$199,999 .....	10	40	3	10	16	5
\$200,000 to \$499,999 .....	2	2	—	—	—	14
\$500,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
<b>SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup></b>						
Motortrucks, including pickups ..... farms..	161	305	277	385	501	428
number..	277	550	463	577	821	614
Wheel tractors ..... farms..	158	345	316	375	496	436
number..	366	774	645	729	945	674
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms..	120	274	242	295	375	355
number..	191	440	400	448	610	498
40 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms..	98	194	163	192	234	142
number..	175	334	245	281	335	176
40 to 99 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms..	98	185	151	181	233	138
number..	164	314	225	255	320	169
100 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms..	10	19	20	26	15	6
number..	11	20	20	26	15	7
Grain and bean combines ..... farms..	4	3	—	—	1	—
number..	6	3	—	—	(D)	—
Cotton pickers and strippers ..... farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
number..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Mower conditioners ..... farms..	46	142	120	119	108	101
number..	53	149	155	132	114	106
Pickup balers ..... farms..	59	142	139	130	165	147
number..	74	156	164	160	180	152
<b>AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS<sup>1</sup></b>						
Commercial fertilizer ..... farms..	123	203	172	167	202	137
acres on which used..	4 168	6 685	3 441	2 221	2 172	1 836
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—						
Insects on hay and other crops ..... farms..	69	48	38	54	47	22
acres on which used..	901	269	325	221	148	122
Nematodes in crops ..... farms..	1	2	—	1	—	—
acres on which used..	(D)	(D)	—	(D)	—	—
Diseases in crops and orchards ..... farms..	47	37	23	27	29	13
acres on which used..	358	271	67	47	61	31
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture ..... farms..	64	39	37	50	29	13
acres on which used..	1 412	405	411	740	38	137
Chemicals used on crops to control growth, thin fruit, or defoliate ..... farms..	14	6	2	11	10	2
acres on which used..	70	104	(D)	12	11	(D)

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

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

Item	All farms	\$1,000,000 or more	\$500,000 to \$999,999	\$250,000 to \$499,999	\$100,000 to \$249,999	\$50,000 to \$99,999
<b>TENURE AND RACE OF OPERATOR</b>						
All operators .....	2 937	14	31	73	162	138
Full owners .....	1 971	5	7	24	54	69
Part owners .....	783	7	22	41	94	56
Tenants .....	183	2	2	8	14	13
White .....	2 931	14	31	73	162	138
Full owners .....	1 965	5	7	24	54	69
Part owners .....	783	7	22	41	94	56
Tenants .....	183	2	2	8	14	13
Black and other races .....	6	—	—	—	—	—
Full owners .....	6	—	—	—	—	—
Part owners .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tenants .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
<b>OWNED AND RENTED LAND</b>						
Land owned .....	farms.. 2 755	12	29	65	148	125
acres..	349 805	8 554	8 575	15 389	33 480	22 777
Owned land in farms .....	farms.. 2 754	12	29	65	148	125
acres..	343 952	8 408	8 558	15 279	32 834	22 472
Land rented or leased from others .....	farms.. 969	9	24	49	108	69
acres..	71 516	3 634	6 092	6 855	13 742	6 352
landlords..	2 905	81	159	232	490	251
Rented or leased land in farms .....	farms.. 966	9	24	49	108	69
acres..	71 079	3 634	6 083	6 797	13 742	6 335
Land rented or leased to others .....	farms.. 167	3	3	4	8	4
acres..	6 290	146	26	168	646	322
<b>OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS</b>						
Operators by place of residence:						
On farm operated .....	2 455	7	20	56	131	118
Not on farm operated .....	343	6	8	16	26	15
Not reported .....	139	1	3	1	5	5
Operators by principal occupation:						
Farming .....	1 260	12	30	66	151	117
Other .....	1 677	2	1	7	11	21
Operators by days worked off farm:						
None .....	1 028	12	27	58	117	84
Any .....	1 807	2	2	11	37	42
1 to 99 days .....	311	1	1	2	17	20
100 to 199 days .....	344	—	1	4	11	10
200 days or more .....	1 152	1	—	5	9	12
Not reported .....	102	—	2	4	8	12
Operators by years on present farm:						
2 years or less .....	117	—	2	4	5	4
3 or 4 years .....	166	—	—	4	8	6
5 to 9 years .....	406	—	4	7	21	21
10 years or more .....	1 872	13	23	51	113	93
Average years on present farm .....	19.4	28.4	22.9	21.0	20.4	21.7
Not reported .....	376	1	2	7	15	14
Operators by age group:						
Under 25 years .....	12	—	—	2	1	—
25 to 34 years .....	145	—	—	2	16	9
35 to 44 years .....	587	1	8	22	43	30
45 to 49 years .....	435	2	5	12	21	16
50 to 54 years .....	425	3	1	13	28	21
55 to 59 years .....	365	1	6	7	18	17
60 to 64 years .....	259	3	6	6	12	14
65 to 69 years .....	257	1	3	4	9	17
70 years and over .....	452	3	2	5	14	14
Average age .....	54.3	60.1	53.6	49.6	49.9	53.1
Operators by sex:						
Male .....	2 420	14	31	71	153	119
Female .....	517	—	—	2	9	19
Operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin (see text) .....						
	15	—	—	—	—	1
<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION</b>						
Individual or family (sole proprietorship) .....	farms.. 2 547	—	13	37	128	108
acres..	310 774	—	4 362	11 027	37 359	21 445
Partnership .....	farms.. 179	1	8	18	20	16
acres..	42 740	(D)	(D)	5 890	6 625	(D)
Corporation:						
Family held .....	farms.. 144	11	9	15	10	12
acres..	37 938	7 994	6 015	3 477	1 606	2 214
More than 10 stockholders .....	farms.. 1	—	—	—	—	—
10 or less stockholders .....	farms.. 143	11	8	15	10	12
Other than family held .....	farms.. 16	2	1	1	2	1
acres..	2 815	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
More than 10 stockholders .....	farms.. 1	—	—	—	—	—
10 or less stockholders .....	farms.. 15	2	1	—	2	1
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. ....						
farms..	51	—	—	2	2	1
acres..	20 764	—	—	(D)	(D)	(D)

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

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

Item	\$25,000 to \$49,999	\$10,000 to \$24,999	\$5,000 to \$9,999	\$2,500 to \$4,999	\$1,000 to \$2,499	Less than \$1,000
<b>TENURE AND RACE OF OPERATOR</b>						
All operators .....	189	364	397	466	546	557
Full owners .....	84	227	274	353	421	453
Part owners .....	92	105	99	94	91	82
Tenants .....	13	32	24	19	34	22
White .....	189	363	397	461	546	557
Full owners .....	84	226	274	348	421	453
Part owners .....	92	105	99	94	91	82
Tenants .....	13	32	24	19	34	22
Black and other races .....	—	1	—	5	—	—
Full owners .....	—	1	—	5	—	—
Part owners .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tenants .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
<b>OWNED AND RENTED LAND</b>						
Land owned .....	176	332	374	447	512	535
farms .....	176	332	374	447	512	535
acres .....	26 570	52 248	46 340	46 651	45 253	43 968
Owned land in farms .....	176	332	373	447	512	535
farms .....	176	332	373	447	512	535
acres .....	26 294	51 163	45 417	45 966	44 292	43 269
Land rented or leased from others .....	105	137	123	116	125	104
farms .....	105	137	123	116	125	104
acres .....	8 225	6 061	5 915	5 183	5 163	4 294
landlords .....	365	315	358	228	255	171
Rented or leased land in farms .....	105	137	123	113	125	104
farms .....	105	137	123	113	125	104
acres .....	8 215	6 061	5 860	4 958	5 163	4 231
Land rented or leased to others .....	11	25	27	26	26	30
farms .....	11	25	27	26	26	30
acres .....	286	1 085	978	910	961	762
<b>OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS</b>						
Operators by place of residence:						
On farm operated .....	163	298	322	401	451	488
Not on farm operated .....	21	50	62	41	53	45
Not reported .....	5	16	13	24	42	24
Operators by principal occupation:						
Farming .....	123	182	159	144	127	149
Other .....	66	182	238	322	419	408
Operators by days worked off farm:						
None .....	84	112	124	128	122	160
Any .....	101	236	261	321	412	382
1 to 99 days .....	32	59	38	36	51	54
100 to 199 days .....	24	54	52	59	74	55
200 days or more .....	45	123	171	226	287	273
Not reported .....	4	16	12	17	12	15
Operators by years on present farm:						
2 years or less .....	10	13	15	21	19	24
3 or 4 years .....	9	27	26	29	25	32
5 to 9 years .....	38	34	63	57	85	76
10 years or more .....	114	250	244	292	333	346
Average years on present farm .....	18.2	19.6	19.4	19.3	18.7	18.9
Not reported .....	18	40	49	67	84	79
Operators by age group:						
Under 25 years .....	1	2	1	1	2	2
25 to 34 years .....	9	14	15	19	28	33
35 to 44 years .....	51	89	66	79	91	107
45 to 49 years .....	37	49	60	79	73	81
50 to 54 years .....	22	40	54	57	93	93
55 to 59 years .....	23	48	54	66	63	62
60 to 64 years .....	10	33	35	36	60	44
65 to 69 years .....	17	38	41	48	35	44
70 years and over .....	19	51	71	81	101	91
Average age .....	52.1	53.6	56.0	55.7	55.2	54.3
Operators by sex:						
Male .....	162	306	341	384	425	414
Female .....	27	58	56	82	121	143
Operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin (see text) .....						
	2	1	3	2	4	2
<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION</b>						
Individual or family (sole proprietorship) .....	156	310	339	425	517	514
farms .....	156	310	339	425	517	514
acres .....	25 130	43 166	40 731	41 696	45 965	39 893
Partnership .....	16	21	26	22	14	17
farms .....	16	21	26	22	14	17
acres .....	3 212	4 808	3 555	5 167	1 484	(D)
Corporation:						
Family held .....	11	23	10	15	10	18
farms .....	11	23	10	15	10	18
acres .....	4 259	5 820	1 396	1 179	1 099	2 879
More than 10 stockholders .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
10 or less stockholders .....	11	23	10	15	10	18
Other than family held .....	1	—	4	1	—	3
farms .....	1	—	4	1	—	3
acres .....	(D)	—	1 171	(D)	—	101
More than 10 stockholders .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
10 or less stockholders .....	1	—	4	1	—	3
farms .....	1	—	4	1	—	3
acres .....	(D)	—	—	(D)	—	—
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. ....						
farms .....	5	10	18	3	5	5
acres .....	(D)	3 430	4 424	(D)	907	(D)

See footnotes at end of table.

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

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

Item	All farms	\$1,000,000 or more	\$500,000 to \$999,999	\$250,000 to \$499,999	\$100,000 to \$249,999	\$50,000 to \$99,999
<b>INJURIES AND DEATHS</b>						
Farm-related injuries:						
Operator and family members . . . . . farms ..	30	—	—	1	3	—
number ..	31	—	—	(D)	3	—
Hired workers . . . . . farms ..	49	9	3	10	6	2
number ..	89	36	3	17	8	(D)
Farm-related deaths:						
Operator and family members . . . . . farms ..	1	—	—	—	—	—
number ..	(D)	—	—	—	—	—
Hired workers . . . . . farms ..	1	1	—	—	—	—
number ..	(D)	(D)	—	—	—	—
<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>						
1 to 9 acres . . . . .	425	—	2	6	13	24
10 to 49 acres . . . . .	784	—	4	7	20	25
50 to 99 acres . . . . .	291	—	2	2	3	8
70 to 99 acres . . . . .	244	—	1	4	5	3
100 to 139 acres . . . . .	281	4	—	3	8	8
140 to 179 acres . . . . .	189	—	—	5	9	10
180 to 219 acres . . . . .	158	—	—	7	12	17
220 to 259 acres . . . . .	112	—	1	1	11	10
260 to 499 acres . . . . .	301	3	7	24	55	16
500 to 999 acres . . . . .	120	4	11	11	23	12
1,000 to 1,999 acres . . . . .	25	1	2	3	3	5
2,000 acres or more . . . . .	7	2	1	—	—	—
<b>FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM</b>						
Oilseed and grain farming (1111) . . . . .	36	—	—	—	2	3
Vegetable and melon farming (1112) . . . . .	190	—	1	7	7	12
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113) . . . . .	194	3	2	3	6	14
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114) . . . . .	482	6	6	15	33	47
Other crop farming (1119) . . . . .	841	—	1	4	7	15
Tobacco farming (11191) . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton farming (11192) . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199) . . . . .	841	—	1	4	7	15
Beef cattle ranching and farming (11211) . . . . .	324	—	—	—	4	1
Cattle feedlots (11212) . . . . .	32	—	—	—	—	—
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212) . . . . .	221	4	18	39	97	38
Hog and pig farming (1122) . . . . .	58	—	—	2	1	—
Poultry and egg production (1123) . . . . .	61	1	2	3	2	2
Sheep and goat farming (1124) . . . . .	168	—	—	—	—	—
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129) . . . . .	330	—	1	—	3	6
<b>LIVESTOCK</b>						
Cattle and calves inventory . . . . . farms ..	953	5	18	43	108	55
number ..	45 115	4 194	6 718	8 484	11 509	3 174
Farms with—						
1 to 9 . . . . .	373	—	—	—	2	6
10 to 49 . . . . .	342	1	—	4	9	12
50 to 99 . . . . .	99	—	—	—	31	32
100 to 199 . . . . .	92	—	—	16	64	5
200 to 499 . . . . .	38	—	14	22	2	—
500 or more . . . . .	9	4	4	1	—	—
Cows and heifers that had calved . . . . . farms ..	776	5	18	40	103	52
number ..	23 769	2 274	3 671	4 810	6 516	1 856
Beef cows . . . . . farms ..	540	1	3	12	23	13
number ..	4 206	(D)	(D)	79	135	249
Farms with—						
1 to 9 . . . . .	405	1	3	9	15	6
10 to 49 . . . . .	131	—	—	3	8	5
50 to 99 . . . . .	3	—	—	—	—	2
100 to 199 . . . . .	1	—	—	—	—	—
200 to 499 . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
500 or more . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
Milk cows . . . . . farms ..	329	5	18	39	98	42
number ..	19 563	(D)	(D)	4 731	6 381	1 607
Farms with—						
1 to 4 . . . . .	87	—	—	—	—	4
5 to 9 . . . . .	20	1	—	—	1	—
10 to 49 . . . . .	72	—	—	—	19	28
50 to 99 . . . . .	96	—	1	12	72	10
100 to 199 . . . . .	40	—	8	26	6	—
200 to 499 . . . . .	11	1	9	1	—	—
500 or more . . . . .	3	3	—	—	—	—
Heifers and heifer calves . . . . . farms ..	688	5	18	41	104	43
number ..	17 739	(D)	(D)	3 466	4 643	1 136
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves . . . . . farms ..	680	5	11	33	61	26
number ..	3 607	(D)	(D)	208	350	182

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

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

Item	\$25,000 to \$49,999	\$10,000 to \$24,999	\$5,000 to \$9,999	\$2,500 to \$4,999	\$1,000 to \$2,499	Less than \$1,000
<b>INJURIES AND DEATHS</b>						
Farm-related injuries:						
Operator and family members . . . . . farms ..	1	4	2	6	6	7
number ..	(D)	4	(D)	6	6	7
Hired workers . . . . . farms ..	7	5	1	2	2	2
number ..	10	5	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Farm-related deaths:						
Operator and family members . . . . . farms ..	—	—	—	1	—	—
number ..	—	—	—	(D)	—	—
Hired workers . . . . . farms ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
number ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>						
1 to 9 acres . . . . .	26	59	36	69	96	94
10 to 49 acres . . . . .	37	79	87	140	185	200
50 to 99 acres . . . . .	17	30	47	51	66	65
100 to 199 acres . . . . .	10	31	48	52	41	49
200 to 499 acres . . . . .	23	49	44	53	40	49
500 to 999 acres . . . . .	10	18	47	21	38	31
1,000 to 1,999 acres . . . . .	11	25	16	25	26	19
2,000 acres or more . . . . .	9	20	20	10	12	18
	33	33	44	29	31	26
	10	15	5	13	11	5
	3	3	3	2	—	—
	—	2	—	1	—	1
<b>FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM</b>						
Oilseed and grain farming (1111) . . . . .	3	7	7	6	3	5
Vegetable and melon farming (1112) . . . . .	17	56	39	29	17	5
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113) . . . . .	21	32	22	26	31	34
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114) . . . . .	43	71	59	49	88	65
Other crop farming (1119) . . . . .	52	117	166	198	201	80
Tobacco farming (11191) . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton farming (11192) . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199) . . . . .	52	117	166	198	201	80
Beef cattle ranching and farming (11211) . . . . .	7	20	38	65	81	108
Cattle feedlots (11212) . . . . .	—	4	11	7	9	1
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212) . . . . .	20	4	—	—	—	1
Hog and pig farming (1122) . . . . .	3	10	12	14	13	3
Poultry and egg production (1123) . . . . .	3	5	6	7	9	21
Sheep and goat farming (1124) . . . . .	8	7	13	31	52	57
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129) . . . . .	12	31	24	34	42	177
<b>LIVESTOCK</b>						
Cattle and calves inventory . . . . . farms ..	60	96	123	131	137	177
number ..	2 627	1 861	1 929	1 958	1 418	1 243
Farms with—						
1 to 9 . . . . .	12	34	46	55	77	141
10 to 49 . . . . .	26	52	73	73	57	35
50 to 99 . . . . .	17	10	3	2	3	1
100 to 199 . . . . .	5	—	1	1	—	—
200 to 499 . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
500 or more . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cows and heifers that had calved . . . . . farms ..	49	71	100	102	95	141
number ..	1 020	810	813	847	619	533
Beef cows . . . . . farms ..	28	63	95	88	90	124
number ..	414	742	764	748	581	479
Farms with—						
1 to 9 . . . . .	14	33	68	64	75	117
10 to 49 . . . . .	13	30	27	23	15	7
50 to 99 . . . . .	1	—	—	—	—	—
100 to 199 . . . . .	—	—	—	1	—	—
200 to 499 . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
500 or more . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
Milk cows . . . . . farms ..	27	12	14	25	18	31
number ..	606	68	49	99	38	54
Farms with—						
1 to 4 . . . . .	4	8	9	15	17	30
5 to 9 . . . . .	1	—	5	10	1	1
10 to 49 . . . . .	21	4	—	—	—	—
50 to 99 . . . . .	1	—	—	—	—	—
100 to 199 . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
200 to 499 . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
500 or more . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
Heifers and heifer calves . . . . . farms ..	51	66	85	87	85	103
number ..	1 159	573	696	610	357	391
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves . . . . . farms ..	43	77	93	98	105	128
number ..	448	478	420	501	442	319

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

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

Item	All farms	\$1,000,000 or more	\$500,000 to \$999,999	\$250,000 to \$499,999	\$100,000 to \$249,999	\$50,000 to \$99,999
<b>LIVESTOCK—Con.</b>						
Cattle and calves sold .....	farms .. 760	5	18	44	111	51
	number .. 16 053	1 263	2 582	3 093	4 231	1 170
	\$1,000 .. 4 720	370	756	592	1 116	300
Calves .....	farms .. 476	5	16	39	94	44
	number .. 8 868	506	1 360	1 948	2 737	807
	\$1,000 .. 855	17	49	79	337	85
Cattle .....	farms .. 572	5	18	38	87	35
	number .. 7 185	757	1 222	1 145	1 494	363
	\$1,000 .. 3 866	353	708	513	779	216
Fattened on grain and concentrates .....	farms .. 83	1	—	2	2	4
	number .. 458	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	17
	\$1,000 .. 315	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	14
Hogs and pigs inventory .....	farms .. 249	1	3	5	9	7
	number .. 4 373	(D)	15	(D)	(D)	31
Farms with—						
1 to 24 .....	224	1	3	3	6	7
25 to 49 .....	14	—	—	—	2	—
50 to 99 .....	3	—	—	—	—	—
100 to 199 .....	3	—	—	—	—	—
200 to 499 .....	3	—	—	1	—	—
500 or more .....	2	—	—	1	1	—
Used or to be used for breeding .....	farms .. 101	—	—	2	3	1
	number .. 813	—	—	(D)	12	(D)
Other .....	farms .. 224	1	3	5	8	7
	number .. 3 560	(D)	15	(D)	(D)	(D)
Hogs and pigs sold .....	farms .. 137	—	—	2	5	1
	number .. 13 454	—	—	(D)	(D)	(D)
	\$1,000 .. 1 264	—	—	(D)	(D)	(D)
Feeder pigs .....	farms .. 37	—	—	1	2	—
	number .. 7 385	—	—	(D)	(D)	—
	\$1,000 .. 232	—	—	(D)	(D)	—
Litters of pigs farrowed between—						
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30 .....	farms .. 106	1	—	2	3	1
	number .. 893	(D)	—	(D)	10	(D)
Dec. 1 and May 31 .....	farms .. 96	1	—	2	2	1
	number .. 517	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	(D)
June 1 and Nov. 30 .....	farms .. 67	—	—	2	2	1
	number .. 376	—	—	(D)	(D)	(D)
Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory .....	farms .. 344	1	1	3	6	8
	number .. 6 925	(D)	(D)	23	(D)	267
Ewes 1 year old or older .....	farms .. 292	—	1	3	4	4
	number .. 4 500	—	(D)	19	(D)	213
Sheep and lambs sold .....	farms .. 274	1	—	2	5	5
	number .. 5 265	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	316
Sheep and lambs shorn .....	farms .. 283	1	1	2	5	5
	number .. 5 633	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	246
	pounds of wool .. 39 959	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	1 785
Horses and ponies inventory .....	farms .. 734	2	3	6	28	15
	number .. 4 686	(D)	(D)	59	145	72
Horses and ponies sold .....	farms .. 132	—	1	—	3	2
	number .. 415	—	(D)	—	(D)	(D)
Goats inventory .....	farms .. 174	—	1	2	6	4
	number .. 2 368	—	(D)	(D)	11	18
Goats sold .....	farms .. 64	—	—	—	1	2
	number .. 1 303	—	—	—	(D)	(D)
<b>POULTRY</b>						
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text) .....	farms .. 405	3	3	5	12	14
	number .. 213 782	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Farms with—						
1 to 399 .....	391	2	1	3	10	11
400 to 3,199 .....	7	—	—	1	—	2
3,200 to 9,999 .....	3	—	—	—	2	1
10,000 to 19,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
20,000 to 49,999 .....	3	1	1	1	—	—
50,000 to 99,999 .....	1	—	1	—	—	—
100,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Layers 20 weeks old and older .....	farms .. 394	3	3	5	12	13
	number .. 184 333	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	4 536
Pullets 13 weeks old and older but less than 20 weeks old .....	farms .. 67	1	1	—	2	2
	number .. 29 449	(D)	(D)	—	(D)	(D)
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold (see text) .....	farms .. 53	2	2	2	3	4
	number .. 195 471	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold .....	farms .. 35	1	—	2	2	—
	number .. 472 718	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	—
Farms with—						
1 to 1,999 .....	31	—	—	—	1	—
2,000 to 59,999 .....	2	—	—	1	—	—
60,000 to 99,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 or more .....	2	1	—	1	—	—
Turkey hens kept for breeding .....	farms .. 9	—	—	1	—	—
	number .. (D)	—	—	(D)	—	—
Turkeys sold .....	farms .. 55	—	—	2	4	—
	number .. 14 320	—	—	(D)	84	—

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Item	\$25,000 to \$49,999	\$10,000 to \$24,999	\$5,000 to \$9,999	\$2,500 to \$4,999	\$1,000 to \$2,499	Less than \$1,000
<b>LIVESTOCK—Con.</b>						
Cattle and calves sold .....	farms .. 54	87	103	120	105	62
	number .. 759	1 034	709	688	389	135
	\$1,000 .. 338	458	337	286	135	31
Calves .....	farms .. 32	39	47	61	60	39
	number .. 354	346	246	269	187	108
	\$1,000 .. 60	65	47	60	39	16
Cattle .....	farms .. 43	70	83	91	77	25
	number .. 405	688	463	419	202	27
	\$1,000 .. 278	393	290	226	95	14
Fattened on grain and concentrates .....	farms .. 9	14	25	14	11	1
	number .. 54	84	97	39	24	(D)
	\$1,000 .. 39	60	71	27	12	(D)
Hogs and pigs inventory .....	farms .. 23	35	34	43	49	40
	number .. 744	777	419	280	224	102
Farms with—						
1 to 24 .....	18	27	29	41	49	40
25 to 49 .....	2	4	5	1	—	—
50 to 99 .....	1	1	—	1	—	—
100 to 199 .....	1	2	—	—	—	—
200 to 499 .....	1	1	—	—	—	—
500 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Used or to be used for breeding .....	farms .. 5	21	17	25	17	10
	number .. 93	175	128	85	46	26
Other .....	farms .. 22	28	31	38	44	37
	number .. 651	602	291	195	178	76
Hogs and pigs sold .....	farms .. 11	29	21	32	27	9
	number .. 1 035	1 170	752	509	207	29
	\$1,000 .. 94	127	76	52	24	3
Feeder pigs .....	farms .. 3	5	7	8	10	1
	number .. 501	273	311	195	94	(D)
	\$1,000 .. 24	14	11	9	5	(D)
Litters of pigs farrowed between—						
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30 .....	farms .. 5	21	17	27	18	11
	number .. 116	178	122	97	37	21
Dec. 1 and May 31 .....	farms .. 5	20	17	23	15	10
	number .. 60	111	74	53	25	15
June 1 and Nov. 30 .....	farms .. 5	14	12	16	9	6
	number .. 56	67	48	44	12	6
Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory .....	farms .. 23	33	43	63	87	76
	number .. 1 360	695	956	1 172	1 324	788
Ewes 1 year old or older .....	farms .. 18	31	37	58	75	61
	number .. 819	461	638	776	857	516
Sheep and lambs sold .....	farms .. 17	32	36	50	75	51
	number .. 898	585	856	946	1 060	365
Sheep and lambs shorn .....	farms .. 17	33	38	49	73	59
	number .. 1 052	625	726	1 044	1 153	546
	pounds of wool .. 8 366	4 139	5 148	7 216	7 681	3 848
Horses and ponies inventory .....	farms .. 34	73	89	90	123	271
	number .. 312	505	385	424	592	2 149
Horses and ponies sold .....	farms .. 11	28	34	24	24	5
	number .. 90	124	48	45	40	5
Goats inventory .....	farms .. 19	20	16	34	29	43
	number .. 558	670	207	427	272	181
Goats sold .....	farms .. 7	9	9	23	8	5
	number .. 342	360	122	301	106	56
<b>POULTRY</b>						
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text) .....	farms .. 30	46	42	76	86	88
	number .. 2 696	1 815	2 517	2 937	1 802	1 638
Farms with—						
1 to 399 .....	29	45	41	75	86	88
400 to 3,199 .....	1	1	1	1	—	—
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 .. 30	45	42	73	83	85
	number .. 2 630	1 699	2 299	2 625	1 658	1 285
Pullets 13 weeks old and older but less than 20 weeks old .....	farms .. 3	6	7	16	13	16
	number .. 66	116	218	312	144	353
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold (see text) .....	farms .. 2	3	3	17	11	4
	number .. (D)	195	97	1 332	304	104
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold .....	farms .. 1	3	2	10	9	5
	number .. (D)	(D)	(D)	318	695	190
Farms with—						
1 to 1,999 .....	1	3	2	10	9	5
2,000 to 59,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
60,000 to 99,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Turkey hens kept for breeding .....	farms .. 1	1	—	5	1	—
	number .. (D)	(D)	—	14	(D)	—
Turkeys sold .....	farms .. 7	10	2	12	10	8
	number .. (D)	2 327	(D)	328	168	94

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Item	All farms	\$1,000,000 or more	\$500,000 to \$999,999	\$250,000 to \$499,999	\$100,000 to \$249,999	\$50,000 to \$99,999
<b>SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED</b>						
Corn for silage or green chop.....	farms.. 231	4	17	36	65	27
	acres.. 15 957	2 600	3 333	3 718	3 658	1 147
	tons, green.. 307 296	59 950	68 475	70 401	63 012	21 590
Irrigated .....	farms.. 2	—	—	—	—	—
	acres.. (D)	—	—	—	—	—
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres .....	84	—	—	—	13	11
25 to 99 acres .....	98	—	1	19	43	14
100 to 249 acres .....	39	—	11	16	9	2
250 to 499 acres .....	8	2	5	1	—	—
500 acres or more .....	2	2	—	—	—	—
Potatoes, excluding sweetpotatoes .....	farms.. 50	—	3	7	4	5
	acres.. 87	—	(D)	18	2	4
	cwt.. 14 509	—	(D)	2 630	170	715
Irrigated .....	farms.. 17	—	1	2	3	3
	acres.. 24	—	(D)	(D)	1	1
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) ...	farms.. 1 462	4	20	43	107	60
	acres.. 78 832	2 282	3 970	7 020	14 447	7 108
	tons, dry.. 140 513	6 744	10 525	14 576	28 651	14 605
Irrigated .....	farms.. 13	—	1	—	1	—
	acres.. 82	—	(D)	—	(D)	—
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres .....	658	—	2	7	5	5
25 to 99 acres .....	562	—	—	7	33	26
100 to 249 acres .....	199	2	11	18	55	23
250 to 499 acres .....	39	—	6	10	14	6
500 acres or more .....	4	2	1	1	—	—
Tame hay other than alfalfa, small grain, and wild hay (see text) .....	farms.. 1 007	2	15	26	80	48
	acres.. 44 121	(D)	(D)	2 325	7 116	4 437
	tons, dry.. 77 439	(D)	2 454	6 117	13 995	10 033
Irrigated .....	farms.. 6	—	1	—	—	—
	acres.. 19	—	(D)	—	—	—
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text) ....	farms.. 339	3	7	24	26	28
	acres.. 3 490	(D)	502	1 240	385	355
Irrigated .....	farms.. 146	1	4	14	9	11
	acres.. 1 336	(D)	197	637	58	93
Farms by acres harvested:						
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....	232	1	—	5	9	9
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....	74	—	2	6	10	15
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....	26	1	3	9	7	4
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....	7	1	2	4	—	—
250.0 acres or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Land in orchards .....	farms.. 219	5	3	7	9	18
	acres.. 3 414	1 049	313	375	461	327
Irrigated .....	farms.. 35	2	1	—	2	6
	acres.. (D)	(D)	(D)	—	(D)	39
Farms by bearing and nonbearing acres:						
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....	131	—	—	—	1	3
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....	60	1	—	3	—	11
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....	20	1	1	2	7	4
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....	6	1	2	2	1	—
250.0 acres or more .....	2	2	—	—	—	—

See footnotes at end of table.

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

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

Item	\$25,000 to \$49,999	\$10,000 to \$24,999	\$5,000 to \$9,999	\$2,500 to \$4,999	\$1,000 to \$2,499	Less than \$1,000
<b>SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED</b>						
Corn for silage or green chop..... farms..	25	20	11	10	6	10
acres..	777	427	133	80	20	64
tons, green..	12 348	6 756	2 071	1 350	277	1 066
Irrigated..... farms..	—	1	—	1	—	—
acres..	—	(D)	—	(D)	—	—
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres.....	14	12	9	9	6	10
25 to 99 acres.....	10	8	2	1	—	—
100 to 249 acres.....	1	—	—	—	—	—
250 to 499 acres.....	—	—	—	—	—	—
500 acres or more.....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Potatoes, excluding sweetpotatoes..... farms..	9	8	3	5	3	3
acres..	16	9	(D)	(D)	3	(D)
cwt..	2 569	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	190
Irrigated..... farms..	2	3	—	2	1	—
acres..	(D)	(Z)	—	(D)	(D)	—
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) ... farms..	100	183	221	224	244	256
acres..	8 898	9 571	8 747	6 709	5 793	4 287
tons, dry..	16 928	16 701	12 981	8 408	6 300	4 094
Irrigated..... farms..	1	3	4	1	1	1
acres..	(D)	34	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres.....	16	53	77	120	169	204
25 to 99 acres.....	39	106	133	98	69	51
100 to 249 acres.....	44	22	11	6	6	1
250 to 499 acres.....	1	2	—	—	—	—
500 acres or more.....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tame hay other than alfalfa, small grain, and wild hay (see text) ..... farms..	75	131	170	150	167	143
acres..	5 985	6 520	6 836	4 044	3 262	2 365
tons, dry..	11 452	11 436	10 065	5 359	3 838	(D)
Irrigated..... farms..	—	2	1	—	1	1
acres..	—	(D)	(D)	—	(D)	(D)
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text) .... farms..	42	82	49	41	28	9
acres..	282	306	111	57	42	(D)
Irrigated..... farms..	17	44	17	15	11	3
acres..	58	135	34	25	13	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:						
0.1 to 4.9 acres.....	22	63	47	40	27	9
5.0 to 24.9 acres.....	18	19	2	1	1	—
25.0 to 99.9 acres.....	2	—	—	—	—	—
100.0 to 249.9 acres.....	—	—	—	—	—	—
250.0 acres or more.....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Land in orchards..... farms..	23	33	29	21	28	43
acres..	210	299	123	58	105	96
Irrigated..... farms..	2	6	5	2	3	6
acres..	(D)	14	12	(D)	(D)	10
Farms by bearing and nonbearing acres:						
0.1 to 4.9 acres.....	9	16	23	19	22	38
5.0 to 24.9 acres.....	13	15	4	2	6	5
25.0 to 99.9 acres.....	1	2	2	—	—	—
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 government payments and market value of agricultural products sold are included as farms with gains of less than \$1,000.