

Table 10. Agricultural Chemicals Used, Including Fertilizer: 1997 and 1992

[Data are based on a sample of farms. For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Chemicals used	New Hampshire		Belknap		Carroll		Cheshire		Coos	
	1997..	1992..	1997..	1992..	1997..	1992..	1997..	1992..	1997..	1992..
Commercial fertilizer	1 334	1 259	72	68	84	76	109	96	92	82
farms, 1997..										
acres on which used, 1997..	60 475	65 110	1 824	2 285	2 327	2 813	6 164	5 517	7 127	7 257
acres on which used, 1992..										
Cropland fertilized, except pastureland	1 268	1 193	71	65	80	69	108	75	86	79
farms, 1997..										
acres on which used, 1997..	56 024	58 791	1 720	2 050	2 246	2 489	5 787	4 766	6 526	6 276
acres on which used, 1992..										
Pastureland and rangeland fertilized.....	256	226	7	11	16	15	25	31	19	17
farms, 1997..										
acres on which used, 1997..	4 451	6 319	104	235	81	324	377	751	601	981
acres on which used, 1992..										
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—										
Insects on hay and other crops	434	427	23	29	29	36	33	31	22	18
farms, 1997..										
acres on which used, 1997..	8 991	8 622	486	316	223	299	376	266	469	716
acres on which used, 1992..										
Nematodes in crops	20	48	—	5	1	2	4	1	—	—
farms, 1997..										
acres on which used, 1997..	738	903	—	74	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	—
acres on which used, 1992..										
Diseases in crops and orchards.....	266	268	10	20	15	22	23	36	8	10
farms, 1997..										
acres on which used, 1997..	4 029	4 173	83	118	90	200	189	145	(D)	(D)
acres on which used, 1992..										
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture	459	518	22	33	9	24	36	33	35	27
farms, 1997..										
acres on which used, 1997..	22 158	20 654	651	505	415	665	2 162	2 173	2 485	2 013
acres on which used, 1992..										
Chemicals used on crops to control growth, thin fruit, or defoliate	92	84	9	7	5	8	1	11	1	—
farms, 1997..										
acres on which used, 1997..	2 441	2 023	45	51	131	101	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
acres on which used, 1992..										

Chemicals used	Grafton		Hillsborough		Merrimack		Rockingham		Strafford		Sullivan	
	1997..	1992..	1997..	1992..	1997..	1992..	1997..	1992..	1997..	1992..	1997..	1992..
Commercial fertilizer	188	198	201	193	179	195	165	153	133	116	111	82
farms, 1997..												
acres on which used, 1997..	10 520	12 594	7 907	10 042	8 800	9 831	4 202	4 695	4 009	3 420	7 595	6 656
acres on which used, 1992..												
Cropland fertilized, except pastureland	186	197	175	192	177	184	155	136	128	114	102	82
farms, 1997..												
acres on which used, 1997..	9 547	11 406	7 101	8 658	8 420	9 179	3 726	4 476	3 850	3 334	7 101	6 157
acres on which used, 1992..												
Pastureland and rangeland fertilized.....	40	51	56	23	23	30	29	19	16	18	25	11
farms, 1997..												
acres on which used, 1997..	973	1 188	806	1 384	380	652	476	219	159	86	494	499
acres on which used, 1992..												
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—												
Insects on hay and other crops	21	30	70	79	64	50	87	78	49	51	36	25
farms, 1997..												
acres on which used, 1997..	432	440	2 317	2 572	1 011	1 283	1 754	1 400	961	719	962	611
acres on which used, 1992..												
Nematodes in crops	—	2	1	3	5	13	5	11	4	4	—	7
farms, 1997..												
acres on which used, 1997..	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
acres on which used, 1992..												
Diseases in crops and orchards.....	5	16	53	63	36	19	51	31	36	29	29	22
farms, 1997..												
acres on which used, 1997..	(D)	132	1 634	1 699	357	334	991	881	370	134	210	189
acres on which used, 1992..												
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture	63	83	59	65	60	72	86	92	50	53	39	36
farms, 1997..												
acres on which used, 1997..	3 841	4 011	2 024	2 903	3 635	3 103	2 257	1 860	1 508	1 282	3 180	2 139
acres on which used, 1992..												
Chemicals used on crops to control growth, thin fruit, or defoliate	11	9	23	8	6	5	11	19	19	8	6	9
farms, 1997..												
acres on which used, 1997..	159	71	1 123	755	110	130	593	821	236	19	(D)	(D)
acres on which used, 1992..												