

Table 49. Summary by Size of Farm: 1997

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

Item	Total	1 to 9 acres	10 to 49 acres	50 to 69 acres	70 to 99 acres	100 to 139 acres
FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS						
Farms	9 101	2 249	3 807	589	606	446
number ..	100.0	24.7	41.8	6.5	6.7	4.9
percent ..	832 600	13 205	84 239	34 243	50 325	51 354
Land in farms	91	6	22	58	83	115
acres ..						
Average size of farm						
acres ..						
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD						
Total sales (see text)	9 101	2 249	3 807	589	606	446
farms ..	697 380	52 899	112 547	50 335	41 978	29 255
\$1,000..	76 627	23 521	29 563	85 458	69 271	65 594
dollars..						
Farms by value of sales:						
Less than \$1,000 (see text)	1 608	498	881	86	65	37
\$1,000 to \$2,499	1 744	599	897	77	72	34
\$2,500 to \$4,999	1 105	264	568	101	99	43
\$5,000 to \$9,999	1 097	269	474	97	103	76
\$10,000 to \$19,999	899	224	351	55	88	73
\$20,000 to \$24,999	296	90	89	17	19	32
\$25,000 to \$39,999	505	96	177	40	32	51
\$40,000 to \$49,999	184	29	64	9	3	1
\$50,000 to \$99,999	502	74	145	41	35	31
\$100,000 to \$249,999	571	68	86	42	48	33
\$250,000 to \$499,999	303	22	37	16	28	25
\$500,000 to \$999,999	172	11	22	4	9	9
\$1,000,000 to \$2,499,999	87	5	11	1	4	1
\$2,500,000 to \$4,999,999	16	-	4	-	-	-
\$5,000,000 or more	12	-	1	2	1	-
Grains	1 598	66	375	128	143	143
farms ..	\$1,000..	64	970	694	1 100	1 532
Sales of \$50,000 or more	285	-	-	-	-	-
farms ..	\$1,000..	42 866	-	-	-	-
\$1,000..						
Corn for grain	891	40	177	61	67	74
farms ..	\$1,000..	30	424	253	365	506
Sales of \$50,000 or more	24 340	7	47	22	33	35
farms ..	\$1,000..	5	101	59	138	205
\$1,000..	6 829	20	158	61	75	80
Wheat	888	23	416	337	574	787
farms ..	\$1,000..	-	1	-	-	-
Sales of \$50,000 or more	16	-	(D)	-	-	-
farms ..	\$1,000..	179	8	7	1	5
\$1,000..	77	1	8	7	1	5
Barley	527	(D)	10	14	(D)	10
farms ..	\$1,000..	-	7	6	4	4
Sales of \$50,000 or more	75	-	7	6	4	4
farms ..	\$1,000..	-	(D)	9	(D)	3
\$1,000..	130	5	14	9	11	11
Oats	141	(D)	15	23	16	21
farms ..	\$1,000..	490	-	-	-	-
Sales of \$50,000 or more	-	-	-	-	-	-
farms ..	\$1,000..	-	-	-	-	-
\$1,000..	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	-	-
farms ..	\$1,000..	-	-	-	-	-
Sales of \$50,000 or more	-	-	-	-	-	-
farms ..	\$1,000..	-	-	-	-	-
\$1,000..	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	-	-
farms ..	\$1,000..	-	-	-	-	-
Sales of \$50,000 or more	-	-	-	-	-	-
farms ..	\$1,000..	-	-	-	-	-
\$1,000..	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hay, silage, and field seeds	2 117	178	908	173	211	184
farms ..	\$1,000..	179	1 727	537	967	1 314
Sales of \$50,000 or more	12 295	-	-	-	-	1
farms ..	\$1,000..	30	-	-	-	(D)
\$1,000..	2 642	-	-	-	-	-
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons	1 577	323	599	124	118	88
farms ..	\$1,000..	2 356	13 440	7 992	14 947	12 809
Sales of \$50,000 or more	150 508	1	59	40	66	45
farms ..	\$1,000..	(D)	7 006	(D)	14 249	12 133
\$1,000..	136 999	-	-	-	-	-
Fruits, nuts, and berries	752	149	286	55	47	45
farms ..	\$1,000..	(D)	3 130	2 761	2 386	2 416
Sales of \$50,000 or more	89 768	1	16	14	13	13
farms ..	\$1,000..	(D)	1 506	2 351	2 064	2 045
\$1,000..	161	-	-	-	-	-
85 603	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nursery and greenhouse crops	2 826	1 063	1 185	153	122	75
farms ..	\$1,000..	44 518	83 583	19 760	19 528	8 922
Sales of \$50,000 or more	277 957	162	193	47	36	31
farms ..	\$1,000..	36 536	74 835	18 822	18 738	8 418
\$1,000..	576	-	-	-	-	-
257 365	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other crops	187	26	42	12	12	17
farms ..	\$1,000..	(D)	133	35	96	275
Sales of \$50,000 or more	6 386	-	-	-	-	-
farms ..	\$1,000..	-	-	-	-	-
\$1,000..	22	-	-	-	-	-
4 971	-	-	-	-	-	-
Poultry and poultry products	679	229	301	27	34	23
farms ..	\$1,000..	557	1 978	(D)	1 130	31
Sales of \$50,000 or more	35 519	3	3	3	4	-
farms ..	\$1,000..	204	(D)	(D)	1 090	-
\$1,000..	24	-	-	-	-	-
34 255	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dairy products	231	3	14	3	10	10
farms ..	\$1,000..	(D)	336	(D)	594	751
Sales of \$50,000 or more	37 603	1	2	1	4	7
farms ..	\$1,000..	(D)	(D)	(D)	463	716
\$1,000..	194	-	-	-	-	-
36 912	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cattle and calves	1 506	223	489	81	140	113
farms ..	\$1,000..	416	1 132	230	614	482
Sales of \$50,000 or more	8 941	-	-	-	1	-
farms ..	\$1,000..	-	-	-	(D)	-
\$1,000..	22	-	-	-	-	-
2 455	-	-	-	-	-	-

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 49. Summary by Size of Farm: 1997—Con.

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

Item	140 to 179 acres	180 to 219 acres	220 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 to 1,999 acres	2,000 acres or more
FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS							
Farms number ..	286	194	172	402	238	90	22
..... percent ..	3.1	2.1	1.9	4.4	2.6	1.0	.2
Land in farms acres ..	45 223	38 413	40 844	143 401	159 862	115 819	55 672
Average size of farm acres ..	158	198	237	357	672	1 287	2 531
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD							
Total sales (see text) farms ..	286	194	172	402	238	90	22
..... \$1,000 ..	49 146	26 972	31 451	108 801	98 298	59 132	36 567
Average per farm dollars ..	171 839	139 032	182 856	270 648	413 015	657 019	1 662 126
Farms by value of sales:							
Less than \$1,000 (see text)	13	10	6	10	2	—	—
\$1,000 to \$2,499	23	17	9	10	4	2	—
\$2,500 to \$4,999	8	11	4	6	1	—	—
\$5,000 to \$9,999	25	15	18	16	4	—	—
\$10,000 to \$19,999	43	16	18	28	2	1	—
\$20,000 to \$24,999	21	11	6	9	2	—	—
\$25,000 to \$39,999	34	23	19	24	9	—	—
\$40,000 to \$49,999	21	11	12	25	7	2	—
\$50,000 to \$99,999	29	18	21	70	32	4	2
\$100,000 to \$249,999	28	27	29	92	97	18	3
\$250,000 to \$499,999	19	18	16	55	30	34	3
\$500,000 to \$999,999	15	13	13	34	23	12	7
\$1,000,000 to \$2,499,999	3	4	—	21	20	14	3
\$2,500,000 to \$4,999,999	2	—	—	1	4	2	2
\$5,000,000 or more	2	—	1	1	1	1	2
Grains farms ..	108	78	82	220	166	73	16
..... \$1,000 ..	1 704	1 603	2 021	8 696	15 930	15 298	6 187
Sales of \$50,000 or more farms ..	1	6	11	75	115	63	14
..... \$1,000 ..	(D)	373	652	5 678	14 853	15 070	(D)
Corn for grain farms ..	57	43	48	138	125	52	9
..... \$1,000 ..	550	766	839	3 997	7 813	6 617	2 181
Wheat farms ..	41	30	31	106	111	55	12
..... \$1,000 ..	199	175	205	1 072	1 839	2 179	651
Soybeans farms ..	64	45	50	140	124	57	14
..... \$1,000 ..	908	641	923	3 502	5 928	6 162	3 101
Sorghum for grain farms ..	1	1	—	3	6	4	—
..... \$1,000 ..	(D)	(D)	—	9	123	43	—
Barley farms ..	3	3	3	13	16	12	5
..... \$1,000 ..	4	(D)	27	58	96	192	108
Oats farms ..	5	10	6	17	7	8	1
..... \$1,000 ..	(D)	6	8	18	24	29	(D)
Other grains farms ..	12	3	8	21	28	16	3
..... \$1,000 ..	37	5	20	40	106	77	(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 farms ..	101	49	58	131	84	34	6
..... \$1,000 ..	974	553	598	1 853	1 852	1 398	345
Sales of \$50,000 or more farms ..	—	1	1	6	9	10	2
..... \$1,000 ..	—	(D)	(D)	437	762	924	(D)
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons farms ..	74	41	36	96	50	22	6
..... \$1,000 ..	11 643	10 089	8 391	30 162	18 092	13 191	7 396
Sales of \$50,000 or more farms ..	37	29	28	66	30	19	6
..... \$1,000 ..	10 991	9 837	8 227	29 549	17 817	13 144	7 396
Fruits, nuts, and berries farms ..	27	25	27	48	30	11	2
..... \$1,000 ..	4 110	3 687	4 714	14 531	29 920	12 998	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more farms ..	13	12	19	28	22	8	2
..... \$1,000 ..	3 843	3 516	4 618	14 188	29 770	12 928	(D)
Nursery and greenhouse crops farms ..	54	33	30	64	32	13	2
..... \$1,000 ..	23 635	7 528	(D)	20 009	14 696	11 611	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more farms ..	24	18	9	27	17	10	2
..... \$1,000 ..	23 325	(D)	10 651	19 496	14 410	11 585	(D)
Other crops farms ..	17	8	11	23	16	3	—
..... \$1,000 ..	155	356	266	1 237	3 116	(D)	—
Sales of \$50,000 or more farms ..	1	2	1	6	10	2	—
..... \$1,000 ..	(D)	(D)	(D)	931	2 976	(D)	—
Poultry and poultry products farms ..	15	12	4	22	9	2	1
..... \$1,000 ..	191	226	(D)	(D)	271	(D)	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more farms ..	2	2	1	4	1	1	—
..... \$1,000 ..	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—
Dairy products farms ..	19	16	19	78	47	9	3
..... \$1,000 ..	2 631	1 954	2 562	13 100	11 654	2 920	435
Sales of \$50,000 or more farms ..	17	14	16	75	45	9	3
..... \$1,000 ..	(D)	(D)	2 502	13 020	(D)	2 920	435
Cattle and calves farms ..	73	60	64	146	88	23	6
..... \$1,000 ..	415	418	557	2 284	1 460	743	191
Sales of \$50,000 or more farms ..	—	1	1	6	6	5	2
..... \$1,000 ..	—	(D)	(D)	958	522	502	(D)

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Table 49. Summary by Size of Farm: 1997—Con.

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Item	Total	1 to 9 acres	10 to 49 acres	50 to 69 acres	70 to 99 acres	100 to 139 acres
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD—Con.						
Total sales (see text)—Con.						
Hogs and pigs						
farms	350	91	130	20	20	20
\$1,000	4 223	407	531	(D)	42	290
Sales of \$50,000 or more	13	3	1	2	—	1
farms	3 184	189	(D)	(D)	—	(D)
\$1,000						
Sheep, lambs, and wool	653	175	312	35	44	34
\$1,000	941	146	292	46	94	50
Sales of \$50,000 or more	1	—	—	—	—	—
farms	(D)	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000						
Other livestock and livestock products (see text)	1 025	344	461	70	42	29
farms	17 440	3 256	5 295	830	480	384
\$1,000	61	10	22	2	3	3
Sales of \$50,000 or more	12 665	1 944	3 037	(D)	307	255
farms	1 636	467	686	113	105	83
\$1,000	17 993	765	3 084	1 458	1 977	1 911
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text)						
farms						
\$1,000						
FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES¹						
Total farm production expenses						
farms	9 094	2 256	3 884	533	606	438
\$1,000	513 326	32 285	76 493	38 769	30 203	24 010
Average per farm	56 447	14 311	19 694	72 737	49 841	54 818
dollars						
Livestock and poultry purchased	1 671	399	717	80	108	72
farms	10 339	830	2 150	(D)	264	382
\$1,000						
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999	1 443	375	642	75	103	66
\$5,000 to \$24,999	179	22	67	2	3	5
\$25,000 to \$99,999	34	1	5	1	2	—
\$100,000 to \$249,999	9	1	3	—	—	—
\$250,000 or more	6	—	—	2	—	1
Feed for livestock and poultry	3 290	837	1 326	186	236	175
farms	38 309	1 773	3 792	(D)	1 064	887
\$1,000						
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999	2 743	765	1 217	173	213	125
\$5,000 to \$24,999	362	69	101	8	18	46
\$25,000 to \$99,999	145	2	6	2	3	4
\$100,000 to \$249,999	29	—	1	2	2	—
\$250,000 or more	11	1	1	1	—	—
Commercially mixed formula feeds	1 944	472	751	104	125	110
farms	30 393	921	2 548	(D)	620	540
\$1,000						
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999	1 563	448	672	99	118	72
\$5,000 to \$24,999	247	22	74	1	3	35
\$25,000 to \$99,999	108	1	3	3	2	3
\$100,000 or more	26	1	2	1	2	—
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees	4 633	973	1 684	285	318	264
farms	37 270	3 240	7 030	2 638	2 445	1 496
\$1,000						
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999	2 642	764	1 298	151	118	116
\$1,000 to \$4,999	1 021	110	243	88	126	85
\$5,000 to \$24,999	655	63	87	33	54	49
\$25,000 to \$49,999	164	21	22	8	11	10
\$50,000 or more	151	15	34	5	9	4
Commercial fertilizer	4 981	1 031	1 818	341	349	287
farms	28 256	413	1 513	795	1 705	1 289
\$1,000						
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999	3 986	1 017	1 775	306	260	223
\$5,000 to \$24,999	675	14	43	33	76	56
\$25,000 to \$49,999	205	—	—	1	12	7
\$50,000 or more	115	—	—	1	1	1
Agricultural chemicals	3 632	674	1 157	240	306	207
farms	20 487	200	1 050	476	1 087	972
\$1,000						
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999	2 912	674	1 129	215	243	147
\$5,000 to \$24,999	492	—	26	25	56	53
\$25,000 to \$49,999	139	—	—	—	6	6
\$50,000 or more	89	—	2	—	1	1
Petroleum products	8 513	1 981	3 652	520	586	418
farms	25 935	2 475	4 675	1 436	1 966	1 254
\$1,000						
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999	7 526	1 901	3 541	473	522	363
\$5,000 to \$24,999	787	66	85	38	58	50
\$25,000 to \$49,999	137	10	16	6	3	4
\$50,000 or more	63	4	10	3	3	1
Gasoline and gasohol	7 160	1 659	3 016	404	522	344
farms	8 707	773	1 548	416	521	502
\$1,000						
Diesel fuel	4 902	777	1 902	359	340	326
farms	8 384	268	1 087	400	426	372
\$1,000						
Natural gas	430	93	149	33	29	23
farms	2 789	675	746	282	611	61
\$1,000						
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc.	5 236	988	1 877	367	412	333
farms	6 056	759	1 294	339	408	318
\$1,000						

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MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD—Con.							
Total sales (see text)—Con.							
Hogs and pigs..... farms..	13	14	13	15	12	1	1
\$1,000..	140	52	361	235	852	(D)	(D)
farms..	1	—	2	1	2	—	—
\$1,000..	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	—
Sheep, lambs, and wool..... farms..	14	10	6	13	4	6	—
\$1,000..	(D)	16	(D)	(D)	(D)	13	—
farms..	—	—	1	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	(D)	—	—	—	—
Other livestock and livestock products (see text)..... farms..	23	17	10	18	6	4	1
\$1,000..	(D)	489	282	2 401	(D)	7	(D)
farms..	5	3	2	8	2	—	1
\$1,000..	(D)	402	(D)	2 323	(D)	—	(D)
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text)..... farms..	45	25	21	53	27	9	2
\$1,000..	1 066	1 284	1 197	3 348	1 524	(D)	(D)
FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES¹							
Total farm production expenses..... farms..	306	183	187	362	227	90	22
\$1,000..	39 724	21 314	28 351	79 857	73 645	41 337	27 337
Average per farm..... dollars..	129 816	116 472	151 608	220 601	324 427	459 302	1 242 586
Livestock and poultry purchased..... farms..	39	35	39	96	68	14	4
\$1,000..	938	307	(D)	2 174	1 070	165	(D)
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999.....	24	31	30	47	46	3	1
\$5,000 to \$24,999.....	13	3	6	34	11	10	3
\$25,000 to \$99,999.....	1	—	2	11	10	1	—
\$100,000 to \$249,999.....	—	1	1	3	—	—	—
\$250,000 or more.....	1	—	—	1	1	—	—
Feed for livestock and poultry..... farms..	101	72	74	160	94	23	6
\$1,000..	2 294	1 147	1 318	9 706	3 589	1 088	(D)
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999.....	64	44	55	38	41	8	—
\$5,000 to \$24,999.....	21	10	6	59	17	5	2
\$25,000 to \$99,999.....	13	16	9	52	26	8	4
\$100,000 to \$249,999.....	1	1	3	9	10	—	—
\$250,000 or more.....	2	1	1	2	—	2	—
Commercially mixed formula feeds..... farms..	66	54	38	129	73	19	3
\$1,000..	1 820	737	716	8 065	2 598	694	(D)
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999.....	32	30	22	36	27	7	—
\$5,000 to \$24,999.....	20	9	10	51	18	4	—
\$25,000 to \$99,999.....	12	14	5	35	21	6	3
\$100,000 or more.....	2	1	1	7	7	2	—
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees..... farms..	193	127	160	321	211	78	19
\$1,000..	3 747	1 190	2 500	3 976	4 669	2 833	1 506
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999.....	49	36	38	53	18	1	—
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	89	47	71	116	39	6	1
\$5,000 to \$24,999.....	36	30	40	105	121	32	5
\$25,000 to \$49,999.....	6	8	4	31	18	21	4
\$50,000 or more.....	13	6	7	16	15	18	9
Commercial fertilizer..... farms..	217	158	142	317	213	87	21
\$1,000..	1 301	1 419	1 468	5 729	6 222	4 862	1 538
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999.....	162	88	48	71	31	4	1
\$5,000 to \$24,999.....	43	56	82	175	79	16	2
\$25,000 to \$49,999.....	10	9	7	51	72	29	7
\$50,000 or more.....	2	5	5	20	31	38	11
Agricultural chemicals..... farms..	212	123	135	287	191	81	19
\$1,000..	1 276	1 207	1 146	4 086	4 498	2 980	1 510
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999.....	159	63	82	148	39	10	3
\$5,000 to \$24,999.....	40	41	36	88	102	22	3
\$25,000 to \$49,999.....	10	15	15	27	29	29	2
\$50,000 or more.....	3	4	2	24	21	20	11
Petroleum products..... farms..	297	182	177	361	227	90	22
\$1,000..	1 781	1 173	1 231	3 286	3 625	2 010	1 023
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999.....	236	136	111	165	64	13	1
\$5,000 to \$24,999.....	51	37	60	164	122	48	8
\$25,000 to \$49,999.....	6	7	5	25	25	21	9
\$50,000 or more.....	4	2	1	7	16	8	4
Gasoline and gasohol..... farms..	264	142	168	328	207	84	22
\$1,000..	658	410	439	1 229	1 217	542	453
Diesel fuel..... farms..	253	166	160	310	205	82	22
\$1,000..	564	405	499	1 375	1 585	1 017	385
Natural gas..... farms..	24	12	7	31	19	8	2
\$1,000..	34	50	(D)	117	139	41	(D)
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc..... farms..	277	152	165	331	224	88	22
\$1,000..	524	307	(D)	565	684	409	(D)

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Table 49. Summary by Size of Farm: 1997—Con.

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

Item	Total	1 to 9 acres	10 to 49 acres	50 to 69 acres	70 to 99 acres	100 to 139 acres
FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES¹						
—Con.						
Total farm production expenses—Con.						
Electricity farms	5 734	1 257	2 193	351	441	321
Electricity \$1,000	11 500	1 087	2 004	940	820	613
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999	3 841	998	1 727	260	307	194
\$1,000 to \$4,999	1 373	226	412	65	89	94
\$5,000 to \$24,999	470	31	50	23	44	32
\$25,000 to \$49,999	34	1	3	1	—	1
\$50,000 or more	16	1	1	2	—	—
Hired farm labor farms	2 980	497	957	195	284	211
Hired farm labor \$1,000	142 869	8 266	18 563	9 939	9 253	6 543
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999	1 618	366	659	106	173	118
\$5,000 to \$24,999	584	70	176	34	46	41
\$25,000 to \$99,999	432	35	81	44	43	28
\$100,000 to \$249,999	228	20	26	7	17	19
\$250,000 or more	118	6	15	4	5	5
Workers by days worked:						
150 days or more farms	1 450	189	345	86	117	112
150 days or more workers	8 137	666	1 301	431	591	524
Less than 150 days farms	2 587	455	874	174	248	192
Less than 150 days workers	15 125	1 163	2 639	980	1 161	1 175
Contract labor farms	787	126	312	49	65	69
Contract labor \$1,000	12 809	274	1 688	791	494	875
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999	345	98	154	30	24	21
\$1,000 to \$4,999	256	17	123	13	26	23
\$5,000 to \$24,999	116	9	27	4	11	14
\$25,000 to \$49,999	29	1	2	—	1	7
\$50,000 or more	41	1	6	2	3	4
Repair and maintenance farms	7 266	1 705	3 009	442	481	385
Repair and maintenance \$1,000	34 489	2 810	5 885	1 890	2 310	1 759
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999	5 819	1 589	2 758	386	343	266
\$5,000 to \$24,999	1 176	108	233	47	126	114
\$25,000 to \$49,999	176	6	10	3	9	4
\$50,000 or more	95	2	8	6	3	1
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment farms	1 594	217	527	103	131	100
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment \$1,000	5 767	212	589	155	252	247
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999	830	156	425	56	59	35
\$1,000 to \$4,999	557	53	82	45	62	54
\$5,000 to \$24,999	164	8	17	2	9	11
\$25,000 to \$49,999	31	—	3	—	1	—
\$50,000 or more	12	—	—	—	—	—
Interest farms	1 981	315	610	127	134	121
Interest \$1,000	21 483	1 653	3 789	1 114	881	825
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999	1 078	204	380	94	84	59
\$5,000 to \$24,999	753	107	210	28	43	55
\$25,000 to \$99,999	128	4	17	3	7	7
\$100,000 or more	22	—	3	2	—	—
Secured by real estate farms	1 480	252	488	97	93	88
Secured by real estate \$1,000	13 847	1 257	2 662	975	644	669
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999	218	56	85	17	18	13
\$1,000 to \$4,999	570	107	215	53	41	20
\$5,000 to \$24,999	598	88	174	24	28	51
\$25,000 to \$49,999	56	—	11	1	5	4
\$50,000 or more	38	1	3	2	1	—
Not secured by real estate farms	840	97	228	41	65	54
Not secured by real estate \$1,000	7 636	396	1 128	140	237	156
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999	238	30	99	13	15	23
\$1,000 to \$4,999	361	46	96	21	31	20
\$5,000 to \$24,999	197	19	26	6	18	10
\$25,000 to \$49,999	25	1	5	1	1	1
\$50,000 or more	19	1	2	—	—	—
Cash rent farms	1 400	88	267	77	132	97
Cash rent \$1,000	13 641	239	643	193	442	320
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999	929	81	257	70	105	82
\$5,000 to \$9,999	168	2	4	5	15	6
\$10,000 to \$24,999	182	3	—	1	7	7
\$25,000 or more	121	2	6	1	—	2
Property taxes farms	8 460	2 111	3 674	503	546	415
Property taxes \$1,000	30 619	4 328	9 685	1 519	2 416	2 157
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999	6 548	1 851	3 117	420	340	265
\$5,000 to \$9,999	1 354	240	446	75	165	83
\$10,000 to \$24,999	456	16	96	7	40	56
\$25,000 or more	102	4	15	1	1	11
All other farm production expenses farms	7 929	1 889	3 263	457	559	421
All other farm production expenses \$1,000	79 552	4 485	13 436	3 855	4 804	4 393
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999	6 297	1 721	2 956	378	414	304
\$5,000 to \$24,999	1 042	138	228	52	104	74
\$25,000 to \$49,999	238	16	37	10	16	19
\$50,000 to \$99,999	188	8	21	7	18	15
\$100,000 or more	164	6	21	10	7	9

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Table 49. Summary by Size of Farm: 1997—Con.

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

Item	140 to 179 acres	180 to 219 acres	220 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 to 1,999 acres	2,000 acres or more
FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES¹							
—Con.							
Total farm production expenses—Con.							
Electricity	farms.. 258	138	127	330	211	85	22
	\$1,000.. 701	550	488	1 718	1 466	694	420
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999	146	46	42	70	43	7	1
\$1,000 to \$4,999	83	62	54	154	88	37	9
\$5,000 to \$24,999	24	26	29	100	67	35	9
\$25,000 to \$49,999	4	4	1	4	10	5	—
\$50,000 or more	1	—	1	2	3	1	3
Hired farm labor	farms.. 154	87	103	249	146	77	20
	\$1,000.. 11 373	6 598	8 201	21 094	21 160	12 448	9 430
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999	57	24	38	52	17	7	1
\$5,000 to \$24,999	46	18	12	69	47	19	6
\$25,000 to \$99,999	23	23	29	58	40	23	5
\$100,000 to \$249,999	23	15	20	44	22	13	2
\$250,000 or more	5	7	4	26	20	15	6
Workers by days worked:							
150 days or more	farms.. 89	58	68	180	120	67	19
	workers.. 566	463	439	1 438	899	443	376
Less than 150 days	farms.. 123	65	82	185	116	58	15
	workers.. 956	644	808	1 664	1 980	1 153	802
Contract labor	farms.. 39	26	9	51	27	11	3
	\$1,000.. 1 457	629	(D)	2 057	1 035	226	(D)
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999	4	7	—	3	1	3	—
\$1,000 to \$4,999	16	6	2	21	5	4	—
\$5,000 to \$24,999	11	4	5	17	13	1	—
\$25,000 to \$49,999	4	6	—	2	3	2	1
\$50,000 or more	4	3	2	8	5	1	2
Repair and maintenance	farms.. 258	160	162	333	222	87	22
	\$1,000.. 2 540	1 317	1 655	4 815	4 906	3 174	1 427
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999	161	94	78	88	44	11	1
\$5,000 to \$24,999	76	51	70	194	117	32	8
\$25,000 to \$49,999	11	12	12	39	40	27	3
\$50,000 or more	10	3	2	12	21	17	10
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment	farms.. 114	62	53	152	81	39	15
	\$1,000.. 529	254	377	947	1 146	442	618
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999	16	28	16	27	8	4	—
\$1,000 to \$4,999	86	19	23	78	30	19	6
\$5,000 to \$24,999	10	12	12	37	32	9	5
\$25,000 to \$49,999	1	3	1	9	6	6	1
\$50,000 or more	1	—	1	1	5	1	3
Interest	farms.. 135	64	65	185	149	61	15
	\$1,000.. 1 113	546	623	4 280	3 005	1 719	1 936
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999	86	26	38	57	40	9	1
\$5,000 to \$24,999	39	34	23	104	78	29	3
\$25,000 to \$99,999	8	4	3	23	23	22	7
\$100,000 or more	2	—	1	1	8	1	4
Secured by real estate	farms.. 85	40	42	132	108	44	11
	\$1,000.. 703	437	445	2 042	2 232	1 051	729
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999	9	—	10	2	8	—	—
\$1,000 to \$4,999	40	9	13	38	23	10	1
\$5,000 to \$24,999	28	27	17	77	57	23	4
\$25,000 to \$49,999	7	3	1	8	9	5	2
\$50,000 or more	1	1	1	7	11	6	4
Not secured by real estate	farms.. 66	29	29	103	82	37	9
	\$1,000.. 409	108	177	2 237	773	668	1 207
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999	13	11	5	23	4	1	1
\$1,000 to \$4,999	36	8	15	44	35	9	—
\$5,000 to \$24,999	14	10	8	28	38	19	1
\$25,000 to \$49,999	2	—	—	3	3	4	4
\$50,000 or more	1	—	1	5	2	4	3
Cash rent	farms.. 118	86	67	217	172	65	14
	\$1,000.. 922	422	545	2 763	3 465	2 629	1 058
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999	73	65	37	104	51	4	—
\$5,000 to \$9,999	30	13	12	45	31	5	—
\$10,000 to \$24,999	8	7	14	56	54	18	2
\$25,000 or more	7	1	4	12	36	38	12
Property taxes	farms.. 269	162	170	314	196	80	20
	\$1,000.. 1 883	964	910	2 580	2 150	1 199	830
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999	163	86	85	118	76	24	3
\$5,000 to \$9,999	47	48	66	114	50	19	1
\$10,000 to \$24,999	55	26	16	69	46	25	4
\$25,000 or more	4	2	3	13	24	12	12
All other farm production expenses	farms.. 304	167	169	362	227	89	22
	\$1,000.. 7 870	3 593	6 227	10 646	11 640	4 868	3 736
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999	198	86	84	106	40	10	—
\$5,000 to \$24,999	63	50	44	150	107	25	7
\$25,000 to \$49,999	12	5	15	48	27	27	6
\$50,000 to \$99,999	10	16	14	33	26	14	3
\$100,000 or more	21	10	12	25	27	13	6

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Table 49. Summary by Size of Farm: 1997—Con.

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

Item	Total	1 to 9 acres	10 to 49 acres	50 to 69 acres	70 to 99 acres	100 to 139 acres
NET CASH RETURN FROM AGRICULTURAL SALES FOR THE FARM UNIT (SEE TEXT)¹						
All farms..... number..	9 094	2 256	3 884	533	606	438
..... \$1,000..	175 896	17 998	35 708	9 060	11 791	5 737
Average per farm..... dollars..	19 342	7 978	9 194	16 998	19 457	13 098
Farms with net gains ² number..	4 099	1 033	1 554	214	268	183
Average net gain..... dollars..	54 237	23 751	33 544	54 975	55 746	46 928
Gain of—						
Less than \$1,000.....	601	222	291	26	27	6
\$1,000 to \$9,999.....	1 506	441	644	67	115	74
\$10,000 to \$49,999.....	1 211	273	456	66	62	63
\$50,000 or more.....	781	97	163	55	64	40
Farms with net losses..... number..	4 995	1 223	2 330	319	338	255
Average net loss..... dollars..	9 294	5 345	7 047	8 478	9 317	11 180
Loss of—						
Less than \$1,000.....	714	220	353	38	38	34
\$1,000 to \$9,999.....	3 202	839	1 569	227	218	126
\$10,000 to \$49,999.....	984	161	393	52	73	91
\$50,000 or more.....	95	3	15	2	9	4
GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS AND OTHER FARM-RELATED INCOME						
Government payments..... farms..	629	24	96	39	49	38
..... \$1,000..	2 942	121	145	76	119	88
Other farm-related income ¹ farms..	2 178	331	875	137	154	142
..... \$1,000..	6 735	546	1 651	181	467	732
Customwork and other agricultural services..... farms..	442	66	150	16	13	33
..... \$1,000..	2 523	115	631	14	40	463
Gross cash rent or share payments..... farms..	584	102	247	49	51	31
..... \$1,000..	1 612	293	454	96	249	112
Forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products..... farms..	1 009	150	485	72	80	51
..... \$1,000..	1 160	70	292	45	131	34
Other farm-related income sources..... farms..	435	32	68	35	33	44
..... \$1,000..	1 440	68	274	25	48	122
COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS						
Total..... farms..	68	1	—	1	2	2
..... \$1,000..	2 603	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	(D)
Corn..... farms..	56	1	—	—	2	1
..... \$1,000..	1 587	(D)	—	—	(D)	(D)
Wheat..... farms..	16	—	—	1	2	1
..... \$1,000..	(D)	—	—	(D)	(D)	(D)
Soybeans..... farms..	21	—	—	1	2	—
..... \$1,000..	868	—	—	(D)	(D)	—
Sorghum, barley, and oats..... farms..	2	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000..	(D)	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton..... farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sunflower seed, flaxseed, safflower, canola, other rapeseed, and mustard seed..... farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Peanuts, rice, and tobacco..... farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—
LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE						
Total cropland..... farms..	8 322	1 869	3 493	555	577	438
..... acres..	594 928	8 175	52 467	21 519	32 108	34 694
Harvested cropland..... farms..	7 396	1 619	2 976	500	538	415
..... acres..	485 187	5 818	34 171	14 851	22 767	25 404
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 49 acres.....	5 651	1 619	2 976	404	329	158
50 to 99 acres.....	664	—	—	96	209	175
100 to 199 acres.....	477	—	—	—	—	82
200 to 499 acres.....	397	—	—	—	—	—
500 to 999 acres.....	140	—	—	—	—	—
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	60	—	—	—	—	—
2,000 acres or more.....	7	—	—	—	—	—
Cropland:						
Pasture or grazing only..... farms..	2 971	464	1 347	210	241	199
..... acres..	64 364	1 779	13 215	4 333	5 739	6 541
In cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured..... farms..	629	69	225	60	58	37
..... acres..	13 471	161	1 262	772	1 046	478
On which all crops failed..... farms..	329	30	122	18	23	29
..... acres..	5 722	47	591	200	275	256
In cultivated summer fallow..... farms..	134	13	46	14	11	14
..... acres..	2 296	24	185	168	190	183
Idle..... farms..	1 116	142	436	88	97	86
..... acres..	23 888	346	3 043	1 195	2 091	1 832
Total woodland..... farms..	3 991	397	1 692	351	376	284
..... acres..	134 374	933	14 600	7 358	11 740	10 603
Woodland pastured..... farms..	785	75	376	50	65	59
..... acres..	14 123	(D)	2 529	693	1 046	1 515
Woodland not pastured..... farms..	3 501	339	1 429	321	344	250
..... acres..	120 251	(D)	12 071	6 665	10 694	9 088

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Table 49. Summary by Size of Farm: 1997—Con.

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Item	140 to 179 acres	180 to 219 acres	220 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 to 1,999 acres	2,000 acres or more
NET CASH RETURN FROM AGRICULTURAL SALES FOR THE FARM UNIT (SEE TEXT)¹							
All farms..... number..	306	183	187	362	227	90	22
..... \$1,000..	9 320	4 687	3 134	27 450	23 988	17 795	9 230
Average per farm..... dollars..	30 456	25 615	16 757	75 829	105 673	197 718	419 540
Farms with net gains ² number..	174	91	88	241	165	71	17
Average net gain..... dollars..	67 984	68 527	59 112	130 723	161 245	275 479	554 530
Gain of—							
Less than \$1,000.....	16	11	—	—	1	1	—
\$1,000 to \$9,999.....	58	21	25	40	14	7	—
\$10,000 to \$49,999.....	60	26	37	93	56	15	4
\$50,000 or more.....	40	33	26	108	94	48	13
Farms with net losses..... number..	132	92	99	121	62	19	5
Average net loss..... dollars..	19 013	16 831	20 892	33 507	42 221	92 863	39 426
Loss of—							
Less than \$1,000.....	4	19	4	1	2	1	—
\$1,000 to \$9,999.....	67	37	65	42	11	—	1
\$10,000 to \$49,999.....	50	32	26	66	30	8	2
\$50,000 or more.....	11	4	4	12	19	10	2
GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS AND OTHER FARM-RELATED INCOME							
Government payments..... farms..	31	36	34	133	92	47	10
..... \$1,000..	95	100	118	503	644	688	245
Other farm-related income ¹ farms..	129	70	65	152	77	34	12
..... \$1,000..	334	442	307	643	762	491	180
Customwork and other agricultural services..... farms..	21	10	24	41	41	20	7
..... \$1,000..	51	160	18	138	387	370	138
Gross cash rent or share payments..... farms..	47	18	3	23	6	4	3
..... \$1,000..	112	36	(D)	137	72	16	(D)
Forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products..... farms..	44	31	37	43	8	6	2
..... \$1,000..	65	87	(D)	149	63	22	(D)
Other farm-related income sources..... farms..	55	29	18	63	35	17	6
..... \$1,000..	106	159	75	219	240	83	20
COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS							
Total..... farms..	4	3	—	16	20	14	5
..... \$1,000..	4	(D)	—	254	667	1 037	625
Corn..... farms..	4	2	—	13	17	13	3
..... \$1,000..	4	(D)	—	170	427	818	(D)
Wheat..... farms..	—	—	—	4	2	4	2
..... \$1,000..	—	—	—	(D)	(D)	58	(D)
Soybeans..... farms..	—	1	—	3	7	4	3
..... \$1,000..	—	(D)	—	68	(D)	161	404
Sorghum, barley, and oats..... farms..	—	—	—	1	—	—	1
..... \$1,000..	—	—	—	(D)	—	—	(D)
Cotton..... farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sunflower seed, flaxseed, safflower, canola, other rapeseed, and mustard seed..... farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Peanuts, rice, and tobacco..... farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE							
Total cropland..... farms..	283	193	169	397	238	89	21
..... acres..	30 660	28 132	28 443	105 725	124 038	90 382	38 585
Harvested cropland..... farms..	271	182	165	388	232	89	21
..... acres..	24 437	20 820	23 130	88 639	108 781	82 829	33 540
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 49 acres.....	63	36	20	33	10	3	—
50 to 99 acres.....	80	37	29	29	7	2	—
100 to 199 acres.....	128	91	69	89	13	5	—
200 to 499 acres.....	—	18	47	237	84	7	4
500 to 999 acres.....	—	—	—	—	118	20	2
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	—	—	—	—	—	52	8
2,000 acres or more.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	7
Cropland:							
Pasture or grazing only..... farms..	108	75	67	158	76	21	5
..... acres..	3 724	3 509	3 123	9 840	7 529	2 860	2 172
In cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured..... farms..	36	29	28	43	30	8	6
..... acres..	927	1 489	809	1 616	2 471	727	1 713
On which all crops failed..... farms..	13	9	14	31	32	5	3
..... acres..	208	137	349	1 240	1 692	(D)	(D)
In cultivated summer fallow..... farms..	7	4	3	11	8	2	1
..... acres..	102	158	41	533	256	(D)	(D)
Idle..... farms..	50	47	22	69	54	23	2
..... acres..	1 262	2 019	991	3 857	3 309	(D)	(D)
Total woodland..... farms..	190	117	122	253	144	52	13
..... acres..	8 499	5 927	8 453	21 994	20 693	15 431	8 143
Woodland pastured..... farms..	34	22	17	52	20	11	4
..... acres..	870	671	383	2 471	1 412	1 077	(D)
Woodland not pastured..... farms..	170	105	117	234	134	46	12
..... acres..	7 629	5 256	8 070	19 523	19 281	14 354	(D)

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 49. Summary by Size of Farm: 1997—Con.

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

Item	Total	1 to 9 acres	10 to 49 acres	50 to 69 acres	70 to 99 acres	100 to 139 acres
LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE—Con.						
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured..... farms..	1 400	270	575	92	93	82
acres..	34 506	1 157	5 963	1 774	1 988	2 033
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. farms..	6 509	1 438	2 810	429	447	349
acres..	68 792	2 940	11 209	3 592	4 489	4 024
Irrigated land farms..	2 089	603	723	127	123	91
acres..	92 965	1 493	5 318	3 158	4 666	4 636
Harvested cropland irrigated farms..	2 043	591	699	121	123	90
acres..	92 108	1 433	5 083	3 067	4 532	(D)
Pasture and other land irrigated farms..	96	27	39	6	8	4
acres..	857	60	235	91	134	(D)
Land under Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs farms..	107	6	42	8	9	7
acres..	2 425	9	389	132	321	126
VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS¹						
Estimated market value of land and buildings..... farms..	9 093	2 256	3 884	533	605	438
\$1,000..	5 403 116	417 784	1 231 324	213 782	376 684	319 486
Average per farm dollars..	594 206	185 188	317 025	401 092	622 619	729 421
Average per acre dollars..	6 642	31 053	14 258	6 881	7 451	6 412
Farms by value group:						
\$1 to \$39,999	710	391	271	21	19	8
\$40,000 to \$69,999	412	211	150	29	6	6
\$70,000 to \$99,999	421	202	173	15	18	3
\$100,000 to \$149,999	763	245	425	53	19	15
\$150,000 to \$199,999	791	277	454	27	17	12
\$200,000 to \$499,999	3 398	843	1 742	240	237	101
\$500,000 to \$999,999	1 377	67	492	131	153	191
\$1,000,000 to \$1,999,999	812	19	158	11	127	82
\$2,000,000 to \$4,999,999	303	1	18	3	8	19
\$5,000,000 or more	106	—	1	3	1	1
VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT¹						
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment farms..	9 094	2 256	3 884	533	606	438
\$1,000..	436 613	52 365	104 141	25 524	26 337	25 095
Farms by value group:						
\$1 to \$4,999	1 033	425	468	30	77	6
\$5,000 to \$9,999	1 455	492	699	68	63	56
\$10,000 to \$19,999	2 004	553	1 040	139	113	49
\$20,000 to \$49,999	2 402	528	1 111	150	185	187
\$50,000 to \$99,999	1 143	196	389	86	106	61
\$100,000 to \$199,999	610	44	144	44	45	51
\$200,000 to \$499,999	360	12	27	14	13	27
\$500,000 or more	87	6	6	2	4	1
SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT¹						
Motortrucks, including pickups farms..	7 375	1 722	3 005	441	519	368
number..	16 208	2 554	4 895	863	1 057	990
Wheel tractors farms..	8 250	1 864	3 552	518	579	433
number..	20 270	3 287	7 238	1 408	1 391	1 249
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) farms..	6 135	1 511	2 613	404	411	329
number..	11 130	2 278	4 370	820	754	701
40 horsepower (PTO) or more farms..	4 795	763	1 971	332	366	297
number..	9 140	1 009	2 868	588	637	548
40 to 99 horsepower (PTO) farms..	4 371	676	1 813	311	350	265
number..	7 216	835	2 536	491	547	420
100 horsepower (PTO) or more farms..	1 260	141	284	72	79	109
number..	1 924	174	332	97	90	128
Grain and bean combines..... farms..	666	14	90	44	62	41
number..	786	14	102	44	63	42
Cotton pickers and strippers..... farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
number..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Mower conditioners farms..	2 455	378	890	162	189	172
number..	2 949	461	1 052	185	215	215
Pickup balers..... farms..	1 835	77	596	150	173	166
number..	2 101	77	626	160	179	187
AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS¹						
Commercial fertilizer farms..	4 933	994	1 809	340	348	287
acres on which used..	373 626	3 098	18 150	9 508	14 633	16 561
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—						
Insects on hay and other crops farms..	1 906	320	628	113	161	128
acres on which used..	125 943	790	5 851	2 813	5 954	6 524
Nematodes in crops farms..	225	22	53	21	27	19
acres on which used..	10 729	72	583	574	729	504
Diseases in crops and orchards..... farms..	1 178	189	382	80	123	93
acres on which used..	65 675	455	3 169	1 673	3 446	3 295
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture farms..	2 376	261	646	159	242	165
acres on which used..	264 225	856	7 348	5 519	9 998	8 947
Chemicals used on crops to control growth, thin fruit, or defoliate farms..	186	25	48	13	18	10
acres on which used..	8 349	(D)	361	285	239	206

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Table 49. Summary by Size of Farm: 1997—Con.

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

Item	140 to 179 acres	180 to 219 acres	220 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 to 1,999 acres	2,000 acres or more
LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE—Con.							
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured..... farms..	58	33	29	100	49	16	3
acres..	1 977	1 688	(D)	6 901	5 971	2 739	(D)
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. farms..	227	136	124	300	167	62	20
acres..	4 087	2 666	(D)	8 781	9 160	7 267	(D)
Irrigated land farms..	84	58	51	115	67	37	10
acres..	5 134	5 162	5 168	18 205	17 452	14 660	7 913
Harvested cropland irrigated farms..	82	58	51	115	67	36	10
acres..	(D)	5 095	5 168	(D)	(D)	14 484	7 913
Pasture and other land irrigated farms..	3	3	—	1	1	4	—
acres..	(D)	67	—	(D)	(D)	176	—
Land under Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs farms..	4	4	3	8	9	6	1
acres..	36	196	(D)	210	346	607	(D)
VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS¹							
Estimated market value of land and buildings..... farms..	306	183	187	362	227	90	22
\$1,000..	237 313	166 539	220 209	529 861	813 624	668 649	207 860
Average per farm dollars..	775 532	910 049	1 177 588	1 463 704	3 584 247	7 429 439	9 448 191
Average per acre dollars..	4 928	4 635	4 877	4 065	5 383	5 773	3 734
Farms by value group:							
\$1 to \$39,999	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$40,000 to \$69,999	10	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$70,000 to \$99,999	1	8	—	—	1	—	—
\$100,000 to \$149,999	2	—	—	3	1	—	—
\$150,000 to \$199,999	2	2	—	—	—	—	—
\$200,000 to \$499,999	105	50	34	35	7	3	1
\$500,000 to \$999,999	106	67	63	93	12	1	1
\$1,000,000 to \$1,999,999	70	43	67	166	56	13	—
\$2,000,000 to \$4,999,999	9	11	21	58	117	35	3
\$5,000,000 or more	1	2	2	7	33	38	17
VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT¹							
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment farms..	306	183	187	362	227	90	22
\$1,000..	21 407	16 919	21 377	49 752	44 872	30 321	18 504
Farms by value group:							
\$1 to \$4,999	11	1	—	4	9	2	—
\$5,000 to \$9,999	46	11	6	—	14	—	—
\$10,000 to \$19,999	19	24	24	28	12	3	—
\$20,000 to \$49,999	80	67	35	36	17	5	1
\$50,000 to \$99,999	79	41	42	109	23	10	1
\$100,000 to \$199,999	49	21	39	88	68	16	1
\$200,000 to \$499,999	20	13	38	66	84	39	7
\$500,000 or more	2	5	3	17	14	15	12
SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT¹							
Motortrucks, including pickups farms..	279	169	182	355	224	90	21
number..	851	507	647	1 582	1 244	606	412
Wheel tractors farms..	296	171	171	335	221	89	21
number..	994	598	638	1 474	1 119	611	263
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) farms..	211	118	103	239	124	56	16
number..	506	265	263	628	297	189	59
40 horsepower (PTO) or more farms..	229	145	135	273	186	77	21
number..	488	333	375	846	822	422	204
40 to 99 horsepower (PTO) farms..	196	138	125	245	166	67	19
number..	368	268	281	603	505	234	128
100 horsepower (PTO) or more farms..	87	44	68	155	141	62	18
number..	120	65	94	243	317	188	76
Grain and bean combines farms..	34	27	48	122	115	55	14
number..	43	32	65	144	144	70	23
Cotton pickers and strippers farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
number..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Mower conditioners farms..	132	81	86	191	131	33	10
number..	146	96	119	239	160	45	16
Pickup balers farms..	150	75	94	184	128	32	10
number..	171	96	151	229	163	47	15
AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS¹							
Commercial fertilizer farms..	217	158	142	317	213	87	21
acres on which used..	14 500	16 278	19 963	67 921	90 483	73 098	29 433
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—							
Insects on hay and other crops farms..	80	75	60	164	108	54	15
acres on which used..	4 208	7 404	7 148	25 545	26 564	21 376	11 766
Nematodes in crops farms..	12	18	9	24	13	4	3
acres on which used..	372	1 490	807	2 388	2 009	701	500
Diseases in crops and orchards farms..	63	44	35	90	46	24	9
acres on which used..	3 435	4 967	4 021	14 046	9 899	11 231	6 038
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture farms..	181	110	121	247	160	72	12
acres on which used..	11 448	11 748	13 594	51 119	68 828	58 281	16 539
Chemicals used on crops to control growth, thin fruit, or defoliate farms..	28	7	6	17	8	5	1
acres on which used..	785	458	272	1 414	1 705	2 423	(D)

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Table 49. Summary by Size of Farm: 1997—Con.

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

Item	Total	1 to 9 acres	10 to 49 acres	50 to 69 acres	70 to 99 acres	100 to 139 acres
TENURE AND RACE OF OPERATOR						
All operators	9 101	2 249	3 807	589	606	446
Full owners	6 857	2 055	3 253	417	409	278
Part owners	1 600	67	375	112	142	134
Tenants	644	127	179	60	55	34
White	8 963	2 216	3 731	584	599	439
Full owners	6 751	2 024	3 190	414	403	277
Part owners	1 581	66	365	112	142	130
Tenants	631	126	176	58	54	32
Black and other races	138	33	76	5	7	7
Full owners	106	31	63	3	6	1
Part owners	19	1	10	—	—	4
Tenants	13	1	3	2	1	2
OWNED AND RENTED LAND						
Land owned	8 467	2 124	3 631	529	551	412
farms	8 467	2 124	3 631	529	551	412
acres	522 834	15 851	84 886	30 365	43 444	40 793
Owned land in farms	8 457	2 122	3 628	529	551	412
farms	8 457	2 122	3 628	529	551	412
acres	490 830	12 455	75 035	27 573	39 662	39 107
Land rented or leased from others	2 257	198	558	172	199	169
farms	2 257	198	558	172	199	169
acres	346 239	1 159	9 558	7 197	11 359	12 675
landlords	7 449	248	983	368	441	437
Rented or leased land in farms	2 244	194	554	172	197	168
farms	2 244	194	554	172	197	168
acres	341 770	750	9 204	6 670	10 663	12 247
Land rented or leased to others	795	161	334	65	75	36
farms	795	161	334	65	75	36
acres	36 473	3 805	10 205	3 319	4 478	2 114
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS						
Operators by place of residence:						
On farm operated	7 119	1 787	3 091	424	470	323
Not on farm operated	1 397	326	490	120	98	92
Not reported	585	136	226	45	38	31
Operators by principal occupation:						
Farming	3 920	676	1 318	285	305	267
Other	5 181	1 573	2 489	304	301	179
Operators by days worked off farm:						
None	3 503	660	1 260	267	251	208
Any	5 188	1 513	2 391	306	316	215
1 to 99 days	681	173	268	62	36	33
100 to 199 days	1 029	301	456	62	76	40
200 days or more	3 478	1 039	1 667	182	204	142
Not reported	410	76	156	16	39	23
Operators by years on present farm:						
2 years or less	271	76	129	13	13	12
3 or 4 years	448	141	201	21	20	17
5 to 9 years	1 153	333	509	75	62	49
10 years or more	5 720	1 357	2 351	381	401	304
Average years on present farm	19.6	16.1	18.4	22.5	23.0	23.7
Not reported	1 509	342	617	99	110	64
Operators by age group:						
Under 25 years	47	8	14	2	4	3
25 to 34 years	399	123	143	33	28	8
35 to 44 years	1 640	480	678	81	84	71
45 to 49 years	1 133	316	437	57	75	47
50 to 54 years	1 316	352	563	79	81	50
55 to 59 years	1 145	293	501	68	64	59
60 to 64 years	1 025	230	434	87	62	56
65 to 69 years	852	174	373	59	66	49
70 years and over	1 544	273	664	123	142	103
Average age	55.4	53.3	55.9	57.2	57.6	58.5
Operators by sex:						
Male	7 745	1 798	3 198	502	529	400
Female	1 356	451	609	87	77	46
Operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin (see text)						
	112	29	49	9	11	2
FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION						
Individual or family (sole proprietorship)	7 604	1 984	3 386	480	517	322
farms	7 604	1 984	3 386	480	517	322
acres	531 363	11 864	74 074	27 986	42 912	37 072
Partnership	635	96	177	45	37	67
farms	635	96	177	45	37	67
acres	129 055	518	4 227	2 559	3 060	7 794
Corporation:						
Family held	702	151	206	51	34	47
farms	702	151	206	51	34	47
acres	133 718	757	4 871	2 941	2 831	5 372
More than 10 stockholders	9	—	1	1	1	—
10 or less stockholders	693	151	205	50	33	47
Other than family held	81	11	21	3	13	8
farms	81	11	21	3	13	8
acres	15 223	40	617	162	1 100	(D)
More than 10 stockholders	8	—	—	—	1	1
10 or less stockholders	73	11	21	3	12	7
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc.						
farms	79	7	17	10	5	2
acres	23 241	26	450	595	422	(D)

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Table 49. Summary by Size of Farm: 1997—Con.

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

Item	140 to 179 acres	180 to 219 acres	220 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 to 1,999 acres	2,000 acres or more
TENURE AND RACE OF OPERATOR							
All operators	286	194	172	402	238	90	22
Full owners	134	73	60	104	51	16	7
Part owners	116	92	93	241	152	64	12
Tenants	36	29	19	57	35	10	3
White	284	191	172	399	236	90	22
Full owners	134	72	60	103	51	16	7
Part owners	115	91	93	241	150	64	12
Tenants	35	28	19	55	35	10	3
Black and other races	2	3	—	3	2	—	—
Full owners	—	1	—	1	—	—	—
Part owners	1	1	—	—	2	—	—
Tenants	1	1	—	2	—	—	—
OWNED AND RENTED LAND							
Land owned	250	168	153	345	204	81	19
acres	33 276	24 663	25 756	81 001	72 155	43 041	27 603
Owned land in farms	250	165	153	345	203	80	19
acres	31 299	23 617	24 774	77 137	69 744	42 862	27 565
Land rented or leased from others	152	121	113	299	187	74	15
acres	13 994	14 883	16 220	67 702	90 368	72 957	28 167
landlords	386	364	325	1 267	1 396	917	317
Rented or leased land in farms	152	121	112	298	187	74	15
acres	13 924	14 796	16 070	66 264	90 118	72 957	28 107
Land rented or leased to others	32	18	9	41	17	4	3
acres	2 047	1 133	1 132	5 302	2 661	179	98
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS							
Operators by place of residence:							
On farm operated	208	141	138	296	163	60	18
Not on farm operated	61	40	28	74	45	20	3
Not reported	17	13	6	32	30	10	1
Operators by principal occupation:							
Farming	182	134	115	316	216	85	21
Other	104	60	57	86	22	5	1
Operators by days worked off farm:							
None	159	113	91	248	162	67	17
Any	113	69	73	124	49	16	3
1 to 99 days	14	14	15	34	23	6	3
100 to 199 days	23	14	17	33	5	2	—
200 days or more	76	41	41	57	21	8	—
Not reported	14	12	8	30	27	7	2
Operators by years on present farm:							
2 years or less	8	5	4	6	4	1	—
3 or 4 years	11	10	5	11	11	—	—
5 to 9 years	33	25	13	37	12	5	—
10 years or more	188	122	122	268	147	60	19
Average years on present farm	23.0	22.3	25.1	26.1	25.4	28.5	30.3
Not reported	46	32	28	80	64	24	3
Operators by age group:							
Under 25 years	4	2	—	5	3	2	—
25 to 34 years	13	9	8	18	10	6	—
35 to 44 years	61	40	19	52	56	12	6
45 to 49 years	34	17	32	62	31	22	3
50 to 54 years	42	24	21	53	30	17	4
55 to 59 years	24	21	29	53	23	9	1
60 to 64 years	27	25	19	50	26	8	1
65 to 69 years	19	17	17	46	25	6	1
70 years and over	62	39	27	63	34	8	6
Average age	55.0	55.5	55.5	55.7	53.6	51.7	56.0
Operators by sex:							
Male	264	180	160	376	230	87	21
Female	22	14	12	26	8	3	1
Operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin (see text)	6	—	—	4	2	—	—
FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION							
Individual or family (sole proprietorship)	209	129	116	266	152	41	2
acres	33 110	25 481	(D)	93 942	100 771	52 165	(D)
Partnership	36	26	28	56	35	23	9
acres	5 704	5 205	6 635	20 138	23 688	28 139	21 388
Corporation:							
Family held	31	30	26	59	37	23	7
acres	4 899	5 970	6 028	21 448	26 111	32 175	20 315
More than 10 stockholders	2	1	—	1	—	2	—
10 or less stockholders	29	29	26	58	37	21	7
Other than family held	3	3	1	10	6	1	1
acres	429	576	(D)	3 528	4 092	(D)	(D)
More than 10 stockholders	2	—	—	1	3	—	—
10 or less stockholders	1	3	1	9	3	1	1
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc.	7	6	1	11	8	2	3
acres	1 081	1 181	(D)	4 345	5 200	(D)	7 364

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Table 49. Summary by Size of Farm: 1997—Con.

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Item	Total	1 to 9 acres	10 to 49 acres	50 to 69 acres	70 to 99 acres	100 to 139 acres
LIVESTOCK—Con.						
Cattle and calves sold						
farms ..	1 506	223	489	81	140	113
number ..	23 362	959	2 319	512	1 529	1 109
\$1,000 ..	8 941	416	1 132	230	614	482
Calves ..						
farms ..	733	68	197	24	76	57
number ..	11 458	413	950	188	769	511
\$1,000 ..	1 933	78	215	45	149	108
Cattle ..						
farms ..	1 134	169	369	67	95	86
number ..	11 904	546	1 369	324	760	598
\$1,000 ..	7 008	338	917	185	465	375
Fattened on grain and concentrates ..						
farms ..	352	77	136	19	24	23
number ..	2 497	219	477	65	216	88
\$1,000 ..	1 827	161	358	51	142	67
Hogs and pigs inventory						
farms ..	431	113	164	26	25	29
number ..	23 189	2 848	5 425	(D)	377	2 215
Farms with—						
1 to 24 ..	360	100	147	18	21	23
25 to 49 ..	25	4	6	2	2	3
50 to 99 ..	17	3	2	5	1	—
100 to 199 ..	10	2	5	—	1	—
200 to 499 ..	11	2	3	—	—	2
500 or more ..	8	2	1	1	—	1
Used or to be used for breeding ..						
farms ..	147	29	52	12	8	8
number ..	2 368	262	190	114	138	49
Other ..						
farms ..	395	105	153	26	23	26
number ..	20 821	2 586	5 235	(D)	239	2 166
Hogs and pigs sold						
farms ..	350	91	130	20	20	20
number ..	40 396	4 610	4 645	(D)	267	2 838
\$1,000 ..	4 223	407	531	(D)	42	290
Feeder pigs ..						
farms ..	32	6	11	1	1	2
number ..	4 729	(D)	383	(D)	(D)	(D)
\$1,000 ..	142	(D)	12	(D)	(D)	(D)
Litters of pigs farrowed between—						
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30 ..						
farms ..	151	31	53	12	8	8
number ..	2 644	344	229	117	52	45
Dec. 1 and May 31 ..						
farms ..	132	28	45	8	8	8
number ..	1 253	182	118	55	27	26
June 1 and Nov. 30 ..						
farms ..	107	21	34	9	6	5
number ..	1 391	162	111	62	25	19
Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory						
farms ..	690	176	328	42	47	39
number ..	13 149	2 404	5 222	807	1 424	875
Ewes 1 year old or older ..						
farms ..	526	136	250	34	36	31
number ..	7 163	1 347	2 798	422	871	464
Sheep and lambs sold						
farms ..	584	155	276	32	41	29
number ..	11 630	1 742	3 945	599	1 045	668
Sheep and lambs shorn						
farms ..	510	131	242	28	37	31
number ..	8 824	1 686	3 425	484	961	586
pounds of wool ..	62 909	11 555	25 736	3 139	7 117	3 436
Horses and ponies inventory						
farms ..	2 305	578	1 088	150	150	102
number ..	22 617	3 402	8 983	2 031	1 751	1 353
Horses and ponies sold						
farms ..	641	215	285	47	29	16
number ..	2 355	606	858	134	101	49
Goats inventory						
farms ..	504	155	250	19	27	20
number ..	4 040	1 218	1 949	112	185	161
Goats sold						
farms ..	185	71	85	5	8	5
number ..	3 561	683	864	25	24	32
POULTRY						
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text)						
farms ..	827	254	389	37	46	39
number ..	(D)	23 225	100 242	(D)	2 488	(D)
Farms with—						
1 to 399 ..	803	244	385	36	46	37
400 to 3,199 ..	18	10	3	—	—	2
3,200 to 9,999 ..	1	—	—	—	—	—
10,000 to 19,999 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
20,000 to 49,999 ..	2	—	—	—	—	—
50,000 to 99,999 ..	1	—	1	—	—	—
100,000 or more ..	2	—	—	1	—	—
Layers 20 weeks old and older ..						
farms ..	813	249	383	36	44	39
number ..	2 086 908	20 798	98 905	(D)	2 148	2 011
Pullets 13 weeks old and older but less than 20 weeks old ..						
farms ..	132	45	59	9	9	3
number ..	(D)	2 427	1 337	331	340	(D)
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold (see text)						
farms ..	198	62	85	9	15	4
number ..	(D)	9 192	(D)	(D)	(D)	84
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold						
farms ..	79	26	37	—	5	4
number ..	40 712	825	18 436	—	(D)	(D)
Farms with—						
1 to 1,999 ..	74	26	35	—	4	4
2,000 to 59,999 ..	5	—	2	—	1	—
60,000 to 99,999 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 or more ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Turkey hens kept for breeding						
farms ..	56	17	30	1	1	4
number ..	193	63	96	(D)	(D)	7
Turkeys sold						
farms ..	59	21	24	3	6	1
number ..	69 263	4 525	1 823	(D)	(D)	(D)

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Table 49. Summary by Size of Farm: 1997—Con.

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

Item	140 to 179 acres	180 to 219 acres	220 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 to 1,999 acres	2,000 acres or more
LIVESTOCK—Con.							
Cattle and calves sold	farms.. 73	60	64	146	88	23	6
	number.. 1 387	1 159	1 586	6 038	4 572	1 656	536
	\$1,000.. 415	418	557	2 284	1 460	743	191
Calves	farms.. 52	33	38	107	64	12	5
	number.. 825	609	766	2 980	2 698	483	266
	\$1,000.. 147	115	108	426	412	92	39
Cattle	farms.. 47	48	51	113	64	21	4
	number.. 562	550	820	3 058	1 874	1 173	270
	\$1,000.. 268	303	449	1 858	1 048	652	152
Fattened on grain and concentrates	farms.. 12	14	8	21	14	3	1
	number.. 74	185	202	425	396	(D)	(D)
	\$1,000.. 50	126	160	307	277	(D)	(D)
Hogs and pigs inventory	farms.. 14	16	14	14	14	2	—
	number.. 220	727	1 005	627	4 167	(D)	—
Farms with—							
1 to 24	11	13	8	7	10	2	—
25 to 49	2	—	3	3	—	—	—
50 to 99	1	2	—	3	—	—	—
100 to 199	—	—	2	—	—	—	—
200 to 499	—	—	1	1	2	—	—
500 or more	—	1	—	—	2	—	—
Used or to be used for breeding	farms.. 6	12	6	7	5	2	—
	number.. 71	180	197	133	(D)	(D)	—
Other	farms.. 11	9	14	14	14	—	—
	number.. 149	547	808	494	(D)	—	—
Hogs and pigs sold	farms.. 13	14	13	15	12	1	1
	number.. 1 163	526	3 500	2 160	(D)	(D)	(D)
	\$1,000.. 140	52	361	235	852	(D)	(D)
Feeder pigs	farms.. 3	3	—	3	2	—	—
	number.. 286	73	—	(D)	(D)	—	—
	\$1,000.. 11	3	—	(D)	(D)	—	—
Litters of pigs farrowed between—							
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30	farms.. 7	12	6	7	5	1	1
	number.. 112	181	201	235	(D)	(D)	(D)
Dec. 1 and May 31	farms.. 6	11	6	6	5	1	—
	number.. (D)	(D)	107	126	(D)	(D)	—
June 1 and Nov. 30	farms.. 5	10	5	7	3	1	1
	number.. (D)	(D)	94	109	(D)	(D)	(D)
Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory	farms.. 14	13	7	13	5	6	—
	number.. 547	340	184	1 038	(D)	(D)	—
Ewes 1 year old or older	farms.. 9	8	6	8	3	5	—
	number.. 266	140	131	560	(D)	(D)	—
Sheep and lambs sold	farms.. 14	9	6	12	4	6	—
	number.. 337	266	(D)	557	(D)	134	—
Sheep and lambs shorn	farms.. 11	6	5	10	4	5	—
	number.. 360	161	106	889	55	111	—
	pounds of wool.. 2 320	1 136	954	6 421	(D)	(D)	—
Horses and ponies inventory	farms.. 57	42	30	62	29	12	5
	number.. 1 466	719	397	1 265	960	170	120
Horses and ponies sold	farms.. 12	11	8	12	3	2	1
	number.. 107	68	72	150	(D)	(D)	(D)
Goats inventory	farms.. 16	1	3	5	4	4	—
	number.. 189	(D)	(D)	67	47	32	—
Goats sold	farms.. 5	—	1	3	—	2	—
	number.. 53	—	(D)	(D)	—	(D)	—
POULTRY							
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text)	farms.. 15	13	7	18	7	2	—
	number.. (D)	418	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—
Farms with—							
1 to 399	14	13	6	14	6	2	—
400 to 3,199	—	—	—	2	1	—	—
3,200 to 9,999	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
10,000 to 19,999	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
20,000 to 49,999	—	—	1	1	—	—	—
50,000 to 99,999	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 or more	—	—	—	1	—	—	—
Layers 20 weeks old and older	farms.. 15	13	7	18	7	2	—
	number.. 4 112	418	(D)	(D)	1 089	(D)	—
Pullets 13 weeks old and older but less than 20 weeks old	farms.. 3	—	1	2	1	—	—
	number.. (D)	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	—
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold (see text)	farms.. 7	5	2	8	—	—	1
	number.. 448	146	(D)	(D)	—	—	(D)
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold	farms.. 2	1	—	2	2	—	—
	number.. (D)	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	—	—
Farms with—							
1 to 1,999	2	1	—	1	1	—	—
2,000 to 59,999	—	—	—	1	1	—	—
60,000 to 99,999	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 or more	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Turkey hens kept for breeding	farms.. 2	—	—	—	—	1	—
	number.. (D)	—	—	—	—	(D)	—
Turkeys sold	farms.. —	2	—	1	1	—	—
	number.. —	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	—	—

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Table 49. Summary by Size of Farm: 1997—Con.

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

Item	Total	1 to 9 acres	10 to 49 acres	50 to 69 acres	70 to 99 acres	100 to 139 acres
SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED						
Corn for grain or seed						
farms ..	1 110	70	223	76	82	87
acres ..	89 252	225	2 141	1 265	1 901	2 634
bushels ..	9 572 100	15 966	174 261	104 816	163 334	242 941
Irrigated ..	89	10	20	8	3	3
farms ..	5 006	29	101	114	(D)	45
acres ..						
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres ..	522	70	202	62	55	38
25 to 99 acres ..	331	—	21	14	27	48
100 to 249 acres ..	164	—	—	—	—	1
250 to 499 acres ..	59	—	—	—	—	—
500 acres or more ..	34	—	—	—	—	—
Corn for silage or green chop						
farms ..	367	8	35	12	23	21
acres ..	20 564	21	237	136	319	362
tons, green ..	300 696	249	2 957	1 941	4 074	5 123
Irrigated ..	11	3	4	2	—	—
farms ..	146	3	17	(D)	—	—
acres ..						
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres ..	146	8	34	10	19	17
25 to 99 acres ..	162	—	1	2	4	4
100 to 249 acres ..	46	—	—	—	—	—
250 to 499 acres ..	13	—	—	—	—	—
500 acres or more ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wheat for grain						
farms ..	541	8	52	22	35	36
acres ..	38 104	51	822	428	784	1 193
bushels ..	2 191 141	1 733	35 078	19 208	39 237	63 889
Irrigated ..	29	—	1	—	—	—
farms ..	2 699	—	(D)	(D)	—	(D)
acres ..						
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres ..	189	8	44	15	23	14
25 to 99 acres ..	234	—	8	7	12	21
100 to 249 acres ..	86	—	—	—	—	1
250 to 499 acres ..	26	—	—	—	—	—
500 acres or more ..	6	—	—	—	—	—
Soybeans for beans						
farms ..	914	27	172	61	76	82
acres ..	116 557	118	2 586	1 909	3 075	4 399
bushels ..	3 599 073	4 282	64 575	54 811	88 411	123 833
Irrigated ..	68	5	1	1	1	5
farms ..	6 999	9	(D)	(D)	(D)	275
acres ..						
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres ..	261	27	139	24	25	14
25 to 99 acres ..	342	—	33	37	51	59
100 to 249 acres ..	186	—	—	—	—	9
250 to 499 acres ..	70	—	—	—	—	—
500 acres or more ..	55	—	—	—	—	—
Potatoes, excluding sweetpotatoes						
farms ..	89	7	28	6	4	7
acres ..	2 506	(D)	30	20	20	59
cwt ..	641 612	579	3 587	3 205	2 940	11 530
Irrigated ..	49	1	13	4	4	4
farms ..	1 909	(D)	13	15	20	13
acres ..						
Sweetpotatoes						
farms ..	76	6	13	5	5	10
acres ..	877	12	44	(D)	49	74
bushels ..	179 958	2 655	7 800	(D)	10 320	14 513
Irrigated ..	53	3	6	3	5	5
farms ..	761	5	27	6	49	46
acres ..						
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text)						
farms ..	3 022	276	1 245	229	295	238
acres ..	114 523	1 163	15 042	5 236	9 374	9 803
tons, dry ..	224 259	2 064	23 244	7 913	16 017	17 880
Irrigated ..	60	11	28	4	5	1
farms ..	1 021	34	180	53	120	(D)
acres ..						
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres ..	1 846	276	1 131	132	120	74
25 to 99 acres ..	889	—	114	97	174	154
100 to 249 acres ..	236	—	—	—	1	10
250 to 499 acres ..	42	—	—	—	—	—
500 acres or more ..	9	—	—	—	—	—
Alfalfa hay						
farms ..	967	90	281	67	75	63
acres ..	24 891	364	2 631	1 090	1 642	1 666
tons, dry ..	66 048	827	5 430	1 978	3 643	4 371
Irrigated ..	19	2	8	1	2	1
farms ..	275	(D)	38	(D)	(D)	(D)
acres ..						

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Table 49. Summary by Size of Farm: 1997—Con.

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

Item	140 to 179 acres	180 to 219 acres	220 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 to 1,999 acres	2,000 acres or more
SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED							
Corn for grain or seed							
farms ..	74	52	60	175	147	54	10
acres ..	2 278	3 060	3 711	17 404	27 943	20 951	5 739
bushels ..	215 006	318 855	383 280	1 847 002	3 025 265	2 426 302	655 072
Irrigated farms ..	3	5	3	9	14	9	2
acres ..	34	184	49	355	1 720	1 636	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres ..	34	15	19	19	7	1	—
25 to 99 acres ..	38	28	29	85	33	6	2
100 to 249 acres ..	2	9	12	59	67	14	—
250 to 499 acres ..	—	—	—	12	32	14	1
500 acres or more ..	—	—	—	—	8	19	7
Corn for silage or green chop							
farms ..	38	18	27	91	70	20	4
acres ..	1 168	741	1 498	6 918	6 521	2 233	410
tons, green ..	14 995	9 155	22 752	101 037	104 123	28 290	6 000
Irrigated farms ..	1	—	—	1	—	—	—
acres ..	(D)	—	—	(D)	—	—	—
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres ..	18	8	6	12	7	6	1
25 to 99 acres ..	20	9	17	56	40	8	1
100 to 249 acres ..	—	1	4	19	18	2	2
250 to 499 acres ..	—	—	—	4	5	4	—
500 acres or more ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wheat for grain							
farms ..	41	30	31	107	111	56	12
acres ..	1 280	1 067	1 316	6 131	9 783	11 533	3 716
bushels ..	68 709	54 365	75 533	347 177	575 493	691 514	219 205
Irrigated farms ..	—	3	4	9	5	4	1
acres ..	—	145	95	411	505	1 325	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres ..	20	13	11	30	8	3	—
25 to 99 acres ..	21	17	16	59	66	7	—
100 to 249 acres ..	—	—	4	16	32	28	5
250 to 499 acres ..	—	—	—	2	5	14	5
500 acres or more ..	—	—	—	—	—	4	2
Soybeans for beans							
farms ..	64	45	50	142	124	57	14
acres ..	4 633	3 327	4 324	17 093	29 816	30 110	15 167
bushels ..	141 727	97 510	144 136	524 159	921 133	970 799	463 697
Irrigated farms ..	2	5	6	15	15	10	2
acres ..	(D)	257	312	913	2 162	2 539	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres ..	7	7	5	10	3	—	—
25 to 99 acres ..	37	24	26	52	19	4	—
100 to 249 acres ..	20	14	19	65	50	8	1
250 to 499 acres ..	—	—	—	15	41	13	1
500 acres or more ..	—	—	—	—	11	32	12
Potatoes, excluding sweetpotatoes							
farms ..	10	1	4	11	10	1	—
acres ..	22	(D)	17	364	1 555	(D)	—
cwt ..	4 410	(D)	(D)	93 327	402 564	(D)	—
Irrigated farms ..	5	1	1	8	7	1	—
acres ..	13	(D)	(D)	352	1 060	(D)	—
Sweetpotatoes							
farms ..	6	6	6	14	4	1	—
acres ..	53	117	100	221	164	(D)	—
bushels ..	8 816	21 746	21 260	56 758	28 600	(D)	—
Irrigated farms ..	5	5	5	12	3	1	—
acres ..	52	115	70	196	(D)	(D)	—
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text)							
farms ..	145	93	93	220	137	43	8
acres ..	8 375	6 066	6 254	20 925	18 494	10 693	3 098
tons, dry ..	14 805	12 391	13 032	44 229	40 722	24 681	7 281
Irrigated farms ..	2	3	1	2	1	2	—
acres ..	(D)	93	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres ..	35	15	25	26	8	4	—
25 to 99 acres ..	79	59	45	103	54	10	—
100 to 249 acres ..	31	19	21	80	59	11	4
250 to 499 acres ..	—	—	2	11	13	14	2
500 acres or more ..	—	—	—	—	3	4	2
Alfalfa hay							
farms ..	63	39	41	129	91	22	6
acres ..	1 859	1 178	1 359	5 549	5 122	2 060	371
tons, dry ..	4 297	3 242	4 020	15 713	15 311	5 653	1 563
Irrigated farms ..	1	1	1	1	1	—	—
acres ..	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	—

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Table 49. Summary by Size of Farm: 1997—Con.

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

Item	Total	1 to 9 acres	10 to 49 acres	50 to 69 acres	70 to 99 acres	100 to 139 acres
SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED—						
Con.						
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text) farms..	1 577	323	599	124	118	88
acres..	63 414	957	5 001	2 820	4 798	4 761
Irrigated farms..	793	115	250	66	70	54
acres..	48 336	295	2 265	1 852	3 548	3 461
Farms by acres harvested:						
0.1 to 4.9 acres	608	232	276	38	19	18
5.0 to 24.9 acres	523	91	280	41	34	16
25.0 to 99.9 acres	275	—	43	44	58	36
100.0 to 249.9 acres	114	—	—	1	7	18
250.0 acres or more	57	—	—	—	—	—
Sweet corn harvested for sale farms..	702	135	250	59	51	38
acres..	12 837	(D)	1 107	793	836	1 179
Irrigated farms..	295	41	81	27	23	17
acres..	8 723	(D)	287	337	467	755
Tomatoes harvested for sale farms..	748	166	284	57	57	42
acres..	4 266	129	459	166	289	256
Irrigated farms..	399	64	131	29	35	25
acres..	3 421	45	208	103	201	172
Land in orchards farms..	577	151	225	44	27	33
acres..	13 459	(D)	1 034	540	462	680
Irrigated farms..	140	28	41	8	7	7
acres..	7 060	(D)	196	141	79	313
Farms by bearing and nonbearing acres:						
0.1 to 4.9 acres	347	137	154	18	6	12
5.0 to 24.9 acres	142	14	65	19	16	13
25.0 to 99.9 acres	49	—	6	7	5	6
100.0 to 249.9 acres	29	—	—	—	—	2
250.0 acres or more	10	—	—	—	—	—
Apples farms..	439	111	178	35	22	23
Bearing and nonbearing..acres..	3 750	166	537	254	224	(D)
pounds..	37 593 837	245 203	1 698 011	1 419 626	1 699 891	1 284 968
Peaches farms..	255	51	79	15	15	25
Bearing and nonbearing..acres..	8 378	(D)	222	142	178	477
pounds..	61 815 287	(D)	524 569	1 405 755	933 200	2 622 578
Berries harvested for sale farms..	539	96	214	36	36	33
acres..	11 951	(D)	997	465	606	698
Irrigated farms..	282	32	94	22	20	16
acres..	9 823	(D)	510	382	398	367

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Item	140 to 179 acres	180 to 219 acres	220 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 to 1,999 acres	2,000 acres or more
SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED—							
Con.							
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text) farms..	74	41	36	96	50	22	6
acres..	4 247	3 810	3 843	12 849	7 691	7 166	5 472
Irrigated farms..	46	36	32	72	30	17	5
acres..	3 367	3 119	3 324	10 812	5 802	5 429	5 062
Farms by acres harvested:							
0.1 to 4.9 acres	14	2	2	2	5	—	—
5.0 to 24.9 acres	18	5	4	20	12	2	—
25.0 to 99.9 acres	23	20	12	25	10	3	1
100.0 to 249.9 acres	18	12	16	24	13	5	—
250.0 acres or more	1	2	2	25	10	12	5
Sweet corn harvested for sale farms..	32	17	17	57	30	13	3
acres..	585	508	662	3 176	1 259	1 033	(D)
Irrigated farms..	12	13	12	40	16	10	3
acres..	253	389	423	2 512	869	916	(D)
Tomatoes harvested for sale farms..	26	23	17	43	19	11	3
acres..	197	167	166	700	450	843	446
Irrigated farms..	17	21	14	38	13	9	3
acres..	156	157	122	631	420	760	446
Land in orchards farms..	12	12	15	37	19	2	—
acres..	813	993	1 292	3 734	3 576	(D)	—
Irrigated farms..	5	6	10	17	10	1	—
acres..	544	459	836	1 737	2 701	(D)	—
Farms by bearing and nonbearing acres:							
0.1 to 4.9 acres	1	2	2	9	6	—	—
5.0 to 24.9 acres	2	2	1	6	2	2	—
25.0 to 99.9 acres	5	2	5	9	4	—	—
100.0 to 249.9 acres	4	6	7	8	2	—	—
250.0 acres or more	—	—	—	5	5	—	—
Apples farms..	9	10	14	24	12	1	—
Bearing and nonbearing acres..	232	544	458	775	409	(D)	—
pounds..	1 221 900	7 196 863	6 277 649	9 067 394	7 482 332	—	—
Peaches farms..	11	6	12	29	11	1	—
Bearing and nonbearing acres..	547	406	772	2 691	2 888	(D)	—
pounds..	2 981 391	3 098 516	3 292 674	24 369 820	22 303 860	(D)	—
Berries harvested for sale farms..	22	16	21	32	20	11	2
acres..	526	442	685	1 376	2 754	2 038	(D)
Irrigated farms..	16	11	17	26	16	10	2
acres..	437	340	620	859	2 590	2 036	(D)

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.