

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 number ..	30 504	545	1 420	434	785	758
..... percent ..	100.0	1.8	4.7	1.4	2.6	2.5
Land in farms acres ..	39 359 346	1 431	39 502	25 155	64 582	87 674
Average size of farm acres ..	1 290	3	28	58	82	116
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD						
Total sales (see text) farms ..	30 504	545	1 420	434	785	758
..... \$1,000 ..	2 869 322	19 673	31 469	6 765	6 468	12 655
Average per farm dollars ..	94 064	36 098	22 161	15 588	8 239	16 696
Farms by value of sales:						
Less than \$1,000 (see text) ..	3 218	85	416	123	222	214
\$1,000 to \$2,499 ..	946	91	306	59	94	54
\$2,500 to \$4,999 ..	1 313	76	260	79	150	108
\$5,000 to \$9,999 ..	2 104	71	202	81	173	160
\$10,000 to \$19,999 ..	3 144	79	107	43	95	119
\$20,000 to \$24,999 ..	1 221	25	10	9	5	24
\$25,000 to \$39,999 ..	3 008	28	39	23	15	25
\$40,000 to \$49,999 ..	1 550	13	12	8	13	14
\$50,000 to \$99,999 ..	5 341	40	28	3	17	25
\$100,000 to \$249,999 ..	6 011	22	23	3	-	14
\$250,000 to \$499,999 ..	1 950	5	11	-	-	-
\$500,000 to \$999,999 ..	566	9	4	1	1	-
\$1,000,000 to \$2,499,999 ..	109	1	1	2	-	-
\$2,500,000 to \$4,999,999 ..	18	-	-	-	-	1
\$5,000,000 or more ..	5	-	1	-	-	-
Grains farms ..	20 606	3	141	69	193	204
..... \$1,000 ..	1 848 448	2	402	332	1 090	1 669
Sales of \$50,000 or more farms ..	10 009	-	-	-	-	-
..... \$1,000 ..	1 643 340	-	-	-	-	-
Corn for grain farms ..	2 328	-	10	8	12	8
..... \$1,000 ..	111 176	-	20	45	77	53
Wheat farms ..	19 479	3	90	40	158	167
..... \$1,000 ..	982 012	2	167	124	624	975
Soybeans farms ..	3 404	-	26	8	20	33
..... \$1,000 ..	185 215	-	94	75	161	296
Sorghum for grain farms ..	11	-	-	-	-	-
..... \$1,000 ..	98	-	-	-	-	-
Barley farms ..	8 465	-	14	9	37	33
..... \$1,000 ..	183 407	-	29	24	109	122
Oats farms ..	2 240	-	9	3	8	19
..... \$1,000 ..	12 332	-	9	2	7	40
Other grains farms ..	8 443	-	16	14	25	31
..... \$1,000 ..	374 208	-	83	63	112	183
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 ..	5 051	1	180	66	108	112
..... \$1,000 ..	42 364	(D)	299	(D)	250	369
Sales of \$50,000 or more farms ..	101	-	-	-	-	-
..... \$1,000 ..	9 379	-	-	-	-	-
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons farms ..	123	9	40	1	2	3
..... \$1,000 ..	1 291	33	347	(D)	(D)	14
Sales of \$50,000 or more farms ..	4	-	-	-	-	-
..... \$1,000 ..	466	-	-	-	-	-
Fruits, nuts, and berries farms ..	36	10	6	-	-	-
..... \$1,000 ..	86	14	23	-	-	-
Sales of \$50,000 or more farms ..	-	-	-	-	-	-
..... \$1,000 ..	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nursery and greenhouse crops farms ..	123	34	42	6	1	4
..... \$1,000 ..	8 673	2 948	4 038	140	(D)	322
Sales of \$50,000 or more farms ..	33	12	16	1	-	3
..... \$1,000 ..	7 863	2 633	3 828	(D)	-	(D)
Other crops farms ..	1 261	4	37	21	23	29
..... \$1,000 ..	292 811	(D)	(D)	612	1 082	1 788
Sales of \$50,000 or more farms ..	918	-	-	-	11	18
..... \$1,000 ..	285 157	-	-	-	(D)	1 493
Poultry and poultry products farms ..	310	28	48	4	7	10
..... \$1,000 ..	27 356	3 313	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more farms ..	21	4	3	1	1	-
..... \$1,000 ..	26 870	3 291	(D)	(D)	(D)	-
Dairy products farms ..	1 051	11	13	4	15	18
..... \$1,000 ..	80 588	384	919	99	430	821
Sales of \$50,000 or more farms ..	556	1	6	-	4	6
..... \$1,000 ..	67 855	(D)	843	-	(D)	513
Cattle and calves farms ..	14 426	272	546	179	294	274
..... \$1,000 ..	497 884	3 747	5 711	3 177	2 140	2 846
Sales of \$50,000 or more farms ..	2 535	17	16	5	-	6
..... \$1,000 ..	304 124	1 385	2 719	1 939	-	451

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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
FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS							
Farms	1 596	654	668	4 137	5 867	7 499	6 141
number ..							
percent ..	5.2	2.1	2.2	13.6	19.2	24.6	20.1
Land in farms	251 869	129 605	158 696	1 542 627	4 339 595	10 710 512	22 008 098
acres ..							
Average size of farm	158	198	238	373	740	1 428	3 584
acres ..							
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD							
Total sales (see text)	1 596	654	668	4 137	5 867	7 499	6 141
farms ..							
\$1,000 ..	18 043	11 879	10 730	99 146	307 997	812 654	1 531 844
dollars ..	11 305	18 163	16 062	23 966	52 496	108 368	249 445
Farms by value of sales:							
Less than \$1,000 (see text)	477	130	143	726	475	174	33
\$1,000 to \$2,499	100	32	14	115	52	24	5
\$2,500 to \$4,999	164	76	59	204	106	24	7
\$5,000 to \$9,999	310	129	118	482	263	85	30
\$10,000 to \$19,999	337	155	163	956	780	256	54
\$20,000 to \$24,999	64	38	44	332	417	207	46
\$25,000 to \$39,999	65	49	80	662	1 079	772	171
\$40,000 to \$49,999	14	9	15	208	570	526	148
\$50,000 to \$99,999	41	17	21	350	1 377	2 364	1 038
\$100,000 to \$249,999	23	15	10	86	669	2 537	2 609
\$250,000 to \$499,999	1	3	1	11	69	447	1 402
\$500,000 to \$999,999	—	—	—	4	58	—	485
\$1,000,000 to \$2,499,999	—	1	—	1	5	3	95
\$2,500,000 to \$4,999,999	—	—	—	—	1	2	14
\$5,000,000 or more	—	—	—	—	—	—	4
Grains	612	238	309	2 310	4 366	6 639	5 522
farms ..							
\$1,000 ..	6 817	2 644	4 643	51 938	184 205	566 258	1 028 449
Sales of \$50,000 or more	2	1	4	199	1 456	4 047	4 300
farms ..							
\$1,000 ..	(D)	(D)	249	13 506	121 797	507 629	999 940
Sales of \$50,000 or more	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..							
\$1,000 ..	33	15	24	186	418	797	817
Corn for grain							
farms ..	389	144	306	3 079	10 725	35 169	61 169
\$1,000 ..	511	209	264	2 074	4 128	6 441	5 394
Wheat							
farms ..	3 714	1 570	2 655	27 900	98 864	294 714	550 704
\$1,000 ..	92	33	48	352	723	1 149	920
Soybeans							
farms ..	1 008	254	757	7 227	23 161	62 996	89 187
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	2	4	2	3
Sorghum for grain							
farms ..	137	48	68	697	1 637	3 062	2 723
\$1,000 ..	544	209	335	4 831	18 804	57 284	101 114
Barley							
farms ..	27	21	17	210	495	761	670
\$1,000 ..	82	86	24	(D)	(D)	(D)	5 885
Oats							
farms ..	122	42	58	664	1 539	3 070	2 862
\$1,000 ..	1 080	380	567	8 289	30 787	112 296	220 369
Other grains							
farms ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
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	216	120	85	674	1 085	1 314	1 090
farms ..							
\$1,000 ..	894	490	425	3 519	8 445	12 395	15 124
Sales of \$50,000 or more	—	—	—	3	16	30	52
farms ..							
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	194	1 451	3 036	4 698
Sales of \$50,000 or more	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..							
\$1,000 ..	11	2	—	14	10	13	18
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons							
farms ..	91	(D)	—	198	75	210	277
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	1	—	1	2
Sales of \$50,000 or more	—	—	—	(D)	—	(D)	(D)
farms ..							
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Fruits, nuts, and berries	1	1	—	4	3	7	4
farms ..							
\$1,000 ..	(D)	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	20	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..							
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Nursery and greenhouse crops	9	—	—	8	11	5	3
farms ..							
\$1,000 ..	(D)	—	—	(D)	(D)	48	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more	—	—	—	—	1	—	—
farms ..							
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	(D)	—	—
Other crops	24	12	17	84	214	366	430
farms ..							
\$1,000 ..	1 870	1 387	1 412	9 146	31 568	67 620	175 817
Sales of \$50,000 or more	18	10	9	54	153	286	359
farms ..							
\$1,000 ..	1 721	(D)	1 181	8 484	30 065	65 798	174 364
Sales of \$50,000 or more	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..							
\$1,000 ..	17	8	7	32	55	59	35
Poultry and poultry products							
farms ..	100	435	3	346	(D)	1 939	5 219
\$1,000 ..	1	1	—	1	1	4	4
Sales of \$50,000 or more	(D)	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	1 882	5 191
farms ..							
\$1,000 ..	16	18	13	108	255	399	181
Dairy products							
farms ..	965	1 864	552	6 437	17 411	30 319	20 386
\$1,000 ..	8	6	3	42	130	232	118
Sales of \$50,000 or more	792	1 634	328	4 945	14 274	25 436	18 598
farms ..							
\$1,000 ..	455	305	265	1 614	2 724	3 912	3 586
Cattle and calves							
farms ..	5 407	4 482	3 101	23 909	54 879	118 577	269 908
\$1,000 ..	21	16	5	60	185	574	1 630
Sales of \$50,000 or more	1 622	1 960	405	6 034	16 760	51 455	219 394
farms ..							
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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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..	814	51	63	14	8	18
..... \$1,000..	34 271	1 403	2 521	(D)	51	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more..... farms..	130	7	7	2	—	1
..... \$1,000..	27 172	1 050	2 034	(D)	—	(D)
Sheep, lambs, and wool..... farms..	1 133	36	139	43	45	40
..... \$1,000..	9 544	163	735	163	178	181
Sales of \$50,000 or more..... farms..	19	—	2	—	—	—
..... \$1,000..	2 078	—	(D)	—	—	—
Other livestock and livestock products (see text)..... farms..	1 273	116	197	40	52	54
..... \$1,000..	26 007	7 660	3 409	161	279	528
Sales of \$50,000 or more..... farms..	120	35	17	—	1	3
..... \$1,000..	19 816	6 937	2 679	—	(D)	282
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text)..... farms..	470	47	69	8	12	15
..... \$1,000..	1 453	80	202	56	36	22
FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES¹						
Total farm production expenses..... farms..	30 494	612	1 563	303	842	756
..... \$1,000..	2 453 342	15 008	36 447	4 741	7 290	10 866
Average per farm..... dollars..	80 453	24 523	23 318	15 648	8 658	14 373
Livestock and poultry purchased..... farms..	8 030	170	537	102	155	138
..... \$1,000..	106 412	1 828	4 395	1 087	849	691
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999.....	4 564	99	428	75	99	100
\$5,000 to \$24,999.....	2 673	55	97	17	55	37
\$25,000 to \$99,999.....	636	13	6	8	—	1
\$100,000 to \$249,999.....	123	3	4	2	1	—
\$250,000 or more.....	34	—	2	—	—	—
Feed for livestock and poultry..... farms..	12 996	356	778	177	318	285
..... \$1,000..	125 867	3 661	17 210	1 252	1 444	2 854
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999.....	8 441	297	638	159	286	249
\$5,000 to \$24,999.....	3 775	41	121	8	31	34
\$25,000 to \$99,999.....	687	13	9	7	—	1
\$100,000 to \$249,999.....	61	2	7	—	—	—
\$250,000 or more.....	32	3	3	1	1	1
Commercially mixed formula feeds..... farms..	7 024	206	360	64	167	156
..... \$1,000..	55 082	2 645	(D)	(D)	1 044	2 442
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999.....	5 629	177	333	62	154	147
\$5,000 to \$24,999.....	1 190	24	21	—	12	8
\$25,000 to \$99,999.....	169	—	2	—	—	—
\$100,000 or more.....	36	5	4	2	1	1
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees..... farms..	18 246	62	347	19	219	178
..... \$1,000..	150 703	246	523	35	248	132
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999.....	3 654	51	280	11	105	147
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	6 890	—	58	8	114	24
\$5,000 to \$24,999.....	6 354	10	—	—	—	7
\$25,000 to \$49,999.....	1 017	—	7	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more.....	331	1	2	—	—	—
Commercial fertilizer..... farms..	19 438	46	301	41	261	165
..... \$1,000..	306 933	18	165	36	289	244
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999.....	6 835	46	300	41	261	158
\$5,000 to \$24,999.....	8 619	—	—	—	—	7
\$25,000 to \$49,999.....	2 829	—	1	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more.....	1 155	—	—	—	—	—
Agricultural chemicals..... farms..	18 376	116	406	53	303	219
..... \$1,000..	217 605	59	216	21	273	267
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999.....	8 945	116	406	53	303	212
\$5,000 to \$24,999.....	6 986	—	—	—	—	7
\$25,000 to \$49,999.....	1 742	—	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more.....	703	—	—	—	—	—
Petroleum products..... farms..	28 177	537	1 293	292	718	547
..... \$1,000..	186 278	1 130	1 595	299	637	827
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999.....	15 234	498	1 255	289	717	521
\$5,000 to \$24,999.....	12 058	35	33	1	1	25
\$25,000 to \$49,999.....	756	2	3	1	—	—
\$50,000 or more.....	129	2	2	1	—	1
Gasoline and gasohol..... farms..	25 777	469	1 151	246	618	490
..... \$1,000..	59 529	467	658	131	342	379
Diesel fuel..... farms..	24 469	272	660	158	453	385
..... \$1,000..	103 773	473	478	112	190	(D)
Natural gas..... farms..	677	9	23	—	—	17
..... \$1,000..	1 207	16	198	—	—	(D)
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc..... farms..	25 252	365	795	163	551	371
..... \$1,000..	21 770	174	262	57	105	224

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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
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD—Con.							
Total sales (see text)—Con.							
Hogs and pigs..... farms..	20	16	16	79	163	231	135
.....\$1,000..	692	106	103	1 643	5 492	8 073	8 885
.....farms..	2	—	—	7	26	41	37
.....\$1,000..	(D)	—	—	894	4 117	5 790	7 732
Sheep, lambs, and wool..... farms..	46	32	20	126	170	236	200
.....\$1,000..	165	148	62	727	1 603	2 534	2 887
.....farms..	—	—	—	—	1	8	8
.....\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	(D)	560	756
Other livestock and livestock products (see text)..... farms..	64	39	30	126	160	193	202
.....\$1,000..	979	312	428	1 245	1 469	4 661	4 876
.....farms..	10	1	1	6	10	16	20
.....\$1,000..	639	(D)	(D)	585	775	3 637	3 837
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text)..... farms..	31	13	8	49	78	90	50
.....\$1,000..	69	11	8	140	167	239	423
FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES¹							
Total farm production expenses..... farms..	1 585	515	562	3 995	6 369	7 479	5 913
.....\$1,000..	15 201	8 846	9 715	86 093	302 440	715 115	1 241 580
Average per farm.....dollars..	9 590	17 177	17 287	21 550	47 486	95 616	209 975
Livestock and poultry purchased..... farms..	189	136	83	604	1 342	2 158	2 416
.....\$1,000..	1 352	1 256	461	4 203	11 516	25 446	53 329
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999.....	133	89	58	386	895	1 161	1 041
\$5,000 to \$24,999.....	45	37	25	176	375	715	1 039
\$25,000 to \$99,999.....	11	9	—	40	50	253	245
\$100,000 to \$249,999.....	—	—	—	2	20	27	64
\$250,000 or more.....	—	1	—	—	2	2	27
Feed for livestock and poultry..... farms..	359	231	165	1 187	2 504	3 360	3 276
.....\$1,000..	1 189	1 519	342	5 606	14 951	25 195	50 644
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999.....	304	218	131	931	1 864	2 042	1 322
\$5,000 to \$24,999.....	39	9	34	234	550	1 139	1 535
\$25,000 to \$99,999.....	16	2	—	19	85	164	371
\$100,000 to \$249,999.....	—	—	—	1	4	10	35
\$250,000 or more.....	—	2	—	2	1	5	13
Commercially mixed formula feeds..... farms..	137	131	79	617	1 416	1 900	1 791
.....\$1,000..	358	733	69	1 818	4 804	9 088	17 564
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999.....	124	127	78	554	1 236	1 501	1 136
\$5,000 to \$24,999.....	6	2	1	58	168	350	540
\$25,000 to \$99,999.....	7	—	—	4	11	43	102
\$100,000 or more.....	—	2	—	1	1	6	13
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees..... farms..	454	156	269	1 828	3 874	5 760	5 080
.....\$1,000..	547	164	512	4 728	18 264	45 310	79 994
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999.....	228	94	113	548	861	793	423
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	218	60	133	1 041	1 699	2 125	1 410
\$5,000 to \$24,999.....	8	2	23	237	1 275	2 539	2 253
\$25,000 to \$49,999.....	—	—	—	—	33	283	694
\$50,000 or more.....	—	—	—	2	6	20	300
Commercial fertilizer..... farms..	576	179	239	1 942	4 237	6 168	5 283
.....\$1,000..	1 007	443	643	8 229	35 244	96 836	163 779
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999.....	563	158	209	1 298	1 734	1 369	698
\$5,000 to \$24,999.....	13	21	30	641	2 346	3 545	2 016
\$25,000 to \$49,999.....	—	—	—	3	147	1 138	1 540
\$50,000 or more.....	—	—	—	—	10	116	1 029
Agricultural chemicals..... farms..	613	196	243	2 122	4 066	5 677	4 362
.....\$1,000..	825	281	670	7 088	27 124	69 758	111 023
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999.....	591	188	207	1 690	2 317	1 816	1 046
\$5,000 to \$24,999.....	22	8	36	421	1 623	3 107	1 762
\$25,000 to \$49,999.....	—	—	—	9	111	650	972
\$50,000 or more.....	—	—	—	2	15	104	582
Petroleum products..... farms..	1 160	464	485	3 454	5 986	7 363	5 878
.....\$1,000..	1 474	725	942	7 800	27 853	57 577	85 418
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999.....	1 127	454	461	3 207	3 783	2 332	590
\$5,000 to \$24,999.....	33	9	24	247	2 184	4 924	4 542
\$25,000 to \$49,999.....	—	—	—	—	17	94	639
\$50,000 or more.....	—	1	—	—	2	13	107
Gasoline and gasohol..... farms..	930	413	368	3 065	5 505	6 902	5 620
.....\$1,000..	626	341	354	3 278	10 044	18 229	24 681
Diesel fuel..... farms..	802	302	408	2 850	5 396	7 059	5 724
.....\$1,000..	640	(D)	493	3 519	14 541	32 545	50 289
Natural gas..... farms..	27	2	7	—	190	186	216
.....\$1,000..	19	(D)	2	—	221	281	468
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc..... farms..	824	340	395	2 958	5 557	7 160	5 773
.....\$1,000..	189	112	93	1 004	3 047	6 523	9 981

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
FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES¹						
—Con.						
Total farm production expenses—Con.						
Electricity..... farms..	23 774	424	980	205	527	409
..... \$1,000..	37 336	524	875	117	212	337
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999.....	12 044	328	845	181	494	348
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	10 705	85	124	21	32	60
\$5,000 to \$24,999.....	977	10	9	3	1	—
\$25,000 to \$49,999.....	32	—	1	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more.....	16	1	1	—	—	1
Hired farm labor..... farms..	11 758	86	221	36	143	83
..... \$1,000..	122 283	1 958	2 297	183	105	1 482
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999.....	6 822	52	197	26	142	74
\$5,000 to \$24,999.....	3 778	5	6	7	1	8
\$25,000 to \$99,999.....	1 039	23	15	3	—	—
\$100,000 to \$249,999.....	98	5	1	—	—	—
\$250,000 or more.....	21	1	2	—	—	1
Workers by days worked:						
150 days or more..... farms..	4 802	61	74	3	23	25
..... workers..	8 266	216	264	16	23	51
Less than 150 days..... farms..	10 450	84	219	36	142	82
..... workers..	27 457	364	657	96	172	292
Contract labor..... farms..	2 904	34	65	26	45	20
..... \$1,000..	13 477	148	42	18	21	7
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999.....	1 065	18	55	25	36	20
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	1 210	11	9	—	9	—
\$5,000 to \$24,999.....	524	4	1	1	—	—
\$25,000 to \$49,999.....	89	1	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more.....	16	—	—	—	—	—
Repair and maintenance..... farms..	26 382	411	1 180	228	582	479
..... \$1,000..	207 276	1 292	2 381	510	639	927
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999.....	13 820	357	1 087	209	580	427
\$5,000 to \$24,999.....	11 065	46	86	17	2	51
\$25,000 to \$49,999.....	1 211	5	5	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more.....	286	3	2	2	—	1
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment..... farms..	13 278	66	311	50	220	92
..... \$1,000..	77 589	215	259	115	193	107
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999.....	3 485	44	237	31	150	50
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	5 708	13	69	16	70	42
\$5,000 to \$24,999.....	3 551	7	4	1	—	—
\$25,000 to \$49,999.....	413	1	2	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more.....	121	1	—	—	—	—
Interest..... farms..	20 104	255	580	80	357	329
..... \$1,000..	234 100	1 064	1 674	315	762	1 238
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999.....	8 558	216	505	48	326	270
\$5,000 to \$24,999.....	9 148	25	68	30	31	58
\$25,000 to \$99,999.....	2 292	14	6	2	—	—
\$100,000 or more.....	106	—	1	—	—	1
Secured by real estate..... farms..	13 205	156	360	49	198	187
..... \$1,000..	114 135	314	750	125	465	643
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999.....	1 259	96	138	6	72	32
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	4 907	46	196	40	118	132
\$5,000 to \$24,999.....	6 179	14	25	3	8	22
\$25,000 to \$49,999.....	735	—	1	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more.....	125	—	—	—	—	1
Not secured by real estate..... farms..	14 480	160	320	61	198	212
..... \$1,000..	119 965	750	924	190	297	595
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999.....	2 438	54	148	11	101	129
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	5 513	79	130	47	85	71
\$5,000 to \$24,999.....	5 585	16	36	2	12	11
\$25,000 to \$49,999.....	685	10	3	1	—	—
\$50,000 or more.....	259	1	3	—	—	1
Cash rent..... farms..	15 782	28	173	68	172	207
..... \$1,000..	335 526	220	330	34	229	275
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999.....	5 072	26	157	68	172	207
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	2 536	—	14	—	—	—
\$10,000 to \$24,999.....	3 986	—	—	—	—	—
\$25,000 or more.....	4 188	2	2	—	—	—
Property taxes..... farms..	27 026	521	1 368	271	692	627
..... \$1,000..	70 097	437	1 029	232	630	641
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999.....	23 647	514	1 352	258	681	625
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	2 552	2	14	13	11	1
\$10,000 to \$24,999.....	741	5	2	—	—	—
\$25,000 or more.....	86	—	—	—	—	1
All other farm production expenses..... farms..	28 714	523	1 273	235	655	591
..... \$1,000..	261 859	2 209	3 453	489	760	836
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999.....	15 741	420	1 166	224	645	550
\$5,000 to \$24,999.....	10 276	85	87	8	10	39
\$25,000 to \$49,999.....	2 033	11	13	—	—	1
\$50,000 to \$99,999.....	540	3	5	3	—	1
\$100,000 or more.....	124	4	2	—	—	—

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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	726	379	346	2 641	4 722	6 763	5 652
Electricity \$1,000	488	281	187	2 102	5 361	10 522	16 329
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999	589	308	325	1 955	2 793	2 653	1 225
\$1,000 to \$4,999	128	68	20	674	1 860	3 892	3 741
\$5,000 to \$24,999	9	2	1	11	64	215	652
\$25,000 to \$49,999	—	1	—	—	4	3	22
\$50,000 or more	—	—	—	—	1	—	12
Hired farm labor farms	236	58	129	835	1 983	3 708	4 240
Hired farm labor \$1,000	505	214	215	1 803	10 168	28 328	75 024
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999	211	48	119	748	1 467	2 201	1 537
\$5,000 to \$24,999	24	9	10	80	453	1 279	1 896
\$25,000 to \$99,999	—	—	—	6	56	220	716
\$100,000 to \$249,999	1	1	—	1	6	7	76
\$250,000 or more	—	—	—	—	1	1	15
Workers by days worked:							
150 days or more farms	80	14	51	193	625	1 322	2 331
150 days or more workers	90	15	51	219	847	1 901	4 573
Less than 150 days farms	213	58	129	793	1 792	3 337	3 565
Less than 150 days workers	365	89	242	1 614	4 246	7 835	11 485
Contract labor farms	54	38	54	233	458	882	995
Contract labor \$1,000	37	35	33	317	1 804	3 654	7 360
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999	45	17	44	163	190	244	208
\$1,000 to \$4,999	9	21	10	68	197	439	437
\$5,000 to \$24,999	—	—	—	1	50	175	292
\$25,000 to \$49,999	—	—	—	—	20	24	44
\$50,000 or more	—	—	—	1	1	—	14
Repair and maintenance farms	953	413	391	3 155	5 590	7 173	5 827
Repair and maintenance \$1,000	1 634	966	1 066	8 750	29 524	64 607	94 980
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999	882	374	323	2 657	3 422	2 420	1 082
\$5,000 to \$24,999	71	38	68	492	2 101	4 410	3 683
\$25,000 to \$49,999	—	—	—	5	50	313	833
\$50,000 or more	—	1	—	1	17	30	229
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment farms	317	112	193	1 371	2 473	4 004	4 069
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment \$1,000	382	122	300	3 033	10 906	20 073	41 884
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999	160	63	95	650	718	828	459
\$1,000 to \$4,999	155	48	93	541	1 132	1 944	1 585
\$5,000 to \$24,999	2	1	5	172	577	1 113	1 669
\$25,000 to \$49,999	—	—	—	8	40	112	249
\$50,000 or more	—	—	—	—	6	7	107
Interest farms	475	268	237	1 983	4 189	6 125	5 226
Interest \$1,000	1 426	835	874	7 804	28 471	69 501	120 137
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999	369	196	173	1 457	2 195	1 994	809
\$5,000 to \$24,999	106	70	64	504	1 859	3 570	2 763
\$25,000 to \$99,999	—	1	—	22	132	557	1 558
\$100,000 or more	—	1	—	—	3	4	96
Secured by real estate farms	303	161	128	1 048	2 475	4 270	3 870
Secured by real estate \$1,000	932	438	558	4 331	14 255	36 559	54 764
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999	55	49	19	170	244	226	152
\$1,000 to \$4,999	200	68	63	584	1 140	1 504	816
\$5,000 to \$24,999	48	44	46	283	1 048	2 333	2 305
\$25,000 to \$49,999	—	—	—	11	39	192	492
\$50,000 or more	—	—	—	—	4	15	105
Not secured by real estate farms	249	160	144	1 454	3 021	4 431	4 070
Not secured by real estate \$1,000	493	396	316	3 473	14 216	32 941	65 373
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999	111	92	73	536	564	394	225
\$1,000 to \$4,999	112	55	60	724	1 472	1 817	861
\$5,000 to \$24,999	26	11	11	192	924	2 068	2 276
\$25,000 to \$49,999	—	—	—	2	58	125	486
\$50,000 or more	—	2	—	—	3	27	222
Cash rent farms	277	189	201	1 406	2 999	5 124	4 938
Cash rent \$1,000	848	549	1 432	8 945	35 656	99 610	187 399
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999	229	160	124	763	1 206	1 323	637
\$5,000 to \$9,999	42	21	44	299	537	951	628
\$10,000 to \$24,999	6	6	12	322	882	1 452	1 306
\$25,000 or more	—	2	21	22	374	1 398	2 367
Property taxes farms	1 395	410	453	3 243	5 593	6 861	5 592
Property taxes \$1,000	1 431	489	622	4 762	11 817	20 723	27 285
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999	1 371	400	447	3 166	5 233	5 886	3 714
\$5,000 to \$9,999	24	8	6	73	305	811	1 284
\$10,000 to \$24,999	—	1	—	3	54	145	531
\$25,000 or more	—	1	—	1	1	19	63
All other farm production expenses farms	1 298	466	488	3 713	6 161	7 406	5 905
All other farm production expenses \$1,000	2 055	967	1 415	10 924	33 781	77 975	126 995
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999	1 237	438	436	3 139	3 897	2 599	990
\$5,000 to \$24,999	54	25	43	541	2 089	4 034	3 261
\$25,000 to \$49,999	6	—	9	29	163	676	1 124
\$50,000 to \$99,999	—	1	—	2	9	89	427
\$100,000 or more	1	1	—	2	3	8	103

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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..	30 494	612	1 563	303	842	756
..... \$1,000..	399 832	5 476	-1 624	1 522	-665	-1 242
Average per farm..... dollars..	13 112	8 948	-1 039	5 022	-789	-1 642
Farms with net gains ² number..	16 653	379	660	132	299	214
Average net gain..... dollars..	37 144	16 662	10 557	15 718	6 080	5 917
Gain of—						
Less than \$1,000.....	950	85	246	30	76	37
\$1,000 to \$9,999.....	5 090	151	296	86	184	139
\$10,000 to \$49,999.....	7 297	130	75	14	39	38
\$50,000 or more.....	3 316	13	43	2	-	-
Farms with net losses..... number..	13 841	233	903	171	543	542
Average net loss..... dollars..	15 802	3 600	9 514	3 234	4 572	4 627
Loss of—						
Less than \$1,000.....	1 624	66	161	66	112	153
\$1,000 to \$9,999.....	6 916	162	653	91	374	346
\$10,000 to \$49,999.....	4 265	4	87	14	56	42
\$50,000 or more.....	1 036	1	2	-	1	1
GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS AND OTHER FARM-RELATED INCOME						
Government payments..... farms..	24 185	132	378	161	409	440
..... \$1,000..	265 533	459	1 510	315	954	1 257
Other farm-related income ¹ farms..	16 130	234	449	53	258	315
..... \$1,000..	82 048	1 796	2 462	403	1 048	1 773
Customwork and other agricultural services..... farms..	3 082	15	83	13	64	57
..... \$1,000..	21 297	245	276	84	215	246
Gross cash rent or share payments..... farms..	4 834	169	215	40	122	213
..... \$1,000..	41 766	1 544	2 167	317	816	1 507
Forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products..... farms..	10	-	-	-	-	-
..... \$1,000..	4	-	-	-	-	-
Other farm-related income sources..... farms..	13 335	76	233	11	144	127
..... \$1,000..	18 981	7	19	2	17	19
COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS						
Total..... farms..	3 875	1	8	1	9	20
..... \$1,000..	120 795	(D)	(D)	(D)	23	50
Corn..... farms..	356	-	-	-	1	-
..... \$1,000..	13 161	-	-	-	(D)	-
Wheat..... farms..	3 466	1	8	-	9	17
..... \$1,000..	80 202	(D)	(D)	-	17	48
Soybeans..... farms..	259	-	-	-	1	-
..... \$1,000..	7 576	-	-	-	(D)	-
Sorghum, barley, and oats..... farms..	1 030	-	1	1	-	2
..... \$1,000..	10 889	-	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
Cotton..... farms..	-	-	-	-	-	-
..... \$1,000..	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sunflower seed, flaxseed, safflower, canola, other rapeseed, and mustard seed..... farms..	359	-	-	-	1	3
..... \$1,000..	8 967	-	-	-	(D)	(D)
Peanuts, rice, and tobacco..... farms..	-	-	-	-	-	-
..... \$1,000..	-	-	-	-	-	-
LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE						
Total cropland..... farms..	27 994	107	845	315	578	599
..... acres..	27 024 895	335	18 942	14 902	38 088	54 505
Harvested cropland..... farms..	25 153	85	649	231	413	428
..... acres..	20 438 149	(D)	11 930	(D)	21 140	31 046
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 49 acres.....	1 921	85	649	138	184	148
50 to 99 acres.....	1 557	-	-	93	229	113
100 to 199 acres.....	2 718	-	-	-	-	167
200 to 499 acres.....	5 822	-	-	-	-	-
500 to 999 acres.....	5 958	-	-	-	-	-
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	4 877	-	-	-	-	-
2,000 acres or more.....	2 300	-	-	-	-	-
Cropland:						
Pasture or grazing only..... farms..	6 398	25	241	52	102	103
..... acres..	1 433 612	103	3 842	1 701	4 345	5 601
In cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured..... farms..	3 361	-	39	24	40	62
..... acres..	758 515	-	1 037	1 212	2 511	4 329
On which all crops failed..... farms..	3 801	2	20	11	20	25
..... acres..	657 976	(D)	411	(D)	964	1 071
In cultivated summer fallow..... farms..	9 526	4	35	23	47	50
..... acres..	2 004 961	10	445	549	2 014	1 867
Idle..... farms..	7 997	1	74	48	119	145
..... acres..	1 731 682	(D)	1 277	(D)	7 114	10 591
Total woodland..... farms..	2 641	15	125	52	52	71
..... acres..	275 512	35	1 427	1 461	1 853	2 866
Woodland pastured..... farms..	1 056	6	56	24	32	28
..... acres..	138 486	14	583	740	1 022	1 385
Woodland not pastured..... farms..	1 962	9	80	34	33	53
..... acres..	137 026	21	844	721	831	1 481

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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
NET CASH RETURN FROM AGRICULTURAL SALES FOR THE FARM UNIT (SEE TEXT)¹							
All farms..... number..	1 585	515	562	3 995	6 369	7 479	5 913
..... \$1,000..	2 976	-1 081	1 822	9 029	30 947	116 509	236 163
Average per farm..... dollars..	1 878	-2 098	3 242	2 260	4 859	15 578	39 940
Farms with net gains ² number..	618	164	210	1 924	3 331	4 756	3 966
Average net gain..... dollars..	9 985	6 383	18 491	12 775	20 608	38 050	79 379
Gain of—							
Less than \$1,000.....	78	12	21	133	103	76	53
\$1,000 to \$9,999.....	410	131	88	1 027	1 224	920	434
\$10,000 to \$49,999.....	102	19	86	712	1 744	2 665	1 673
\$50,000 or more.....	28	2	15	52	260	1 095	1 806
Farms with net losses..... number..	967	351	352	2 071	3 038	2 723	1 947
Average net loss..... dollars..	3 303	6 061	5 855	7 509	12 409	23 672	40 399
Loss of—							
Less than \$1,000.....	296	65	49	273	265	87	31
\$1,000 to \$9,999.....	600	232	236	1 324	1 535	889	474
\$10,000 to \$49,999.....	71	53	66	464	1 120	1 355	933
\$50,000 or more.....	-	1	1	10	118	392	509
GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS AND OTHER FARM-RELATED INCOME							
Government payments..... farms..	1 165	410	475	3 294	5 062	6 777	5 482
..... \$1,000..	3 816	1 653	1 958	18 416	41 324	80 182	113 689
Other farm-related income ¹ farms..	666	198	287	1 984	3 678	4 767	3 241
..... \$1,000..	4 482	878	1 413	9 747	14 958	19 908	23 180
Customwork and other agricultural services..... farms..	95	11	30	273	655	878	908
..... \$1,000..	402	20	38	1 304	3 632	5 249	9 585
Gross cash rent or share payments..... farms..	371	90	169	813	1 205	899	528
..... \$1,000..	3 923	787	1 271	7 657	8 932	7 678	5 166
Forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products..... farms..	-	-	-	8	1	-	1
..... \$1,000..	-	-	-	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
Other farm-related income sources..... farms..	451	178	157	1 493	3 138	4 387	2 940
..... \$1,000..	157	71	104	(D)	(D)	6 980	(D)
COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS							
Total..... farms..	41	26	32	289	754	1 457	1 237
..... \$1,000..	156	69	188	2 645	11 456	38 698	67 496
Corn..... farms..	4	-	3	23	62	143	120
..... \$1,000..	38	-	(D)	294	1 013	4 048	7 744
Wheat..... farms..	34	20	27	247	681	1 301	1 121
..... \$1,000..	75	46	108	1 737	7 657	25 971	44 531
Soybeans..... farms..	3	1	5	23	55	92	79
..... \$1,000..	30	(D)	(D)	316	886	2 740	3 557
Sorghum, barley, and oats..... farms..	7	5	6	62	197	415	334
..... \$1,000..	9	10	11	168	1 055	3 608	6 024
Cotton..... farms..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
..... \$1,000..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sunflower seed, flaxseed, safflower, canola, other rapeseed, and mustard seed..... farms..	4	2	3	15	63	119	149
..... \$1,000..	4	(D)	3	130	845	2 331	5 639
Peanuts, rice, and tobacco..... farms..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
..... \$1,000..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE							
Total cropland..... farms..	1 362	550	588	3 843	5 682	7 432	6 093
..... acres..	174 444	84 167	111 633	1 113 891	3 314 678	8 217 885	13 881 425
Harvested cropland..... farms..	923	435	445	3 112	5 145	7 247	6 040
..... acres..	91 064	49 240	63 859	666 472	2 236 718	6 223 391	11 034 359
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 49 acres.....	159	79	55	248	126	40	10
50 to 99 acres.....	294	115	74	335	206	62	36
100 to 199 acres.....	470	185	170	827	588	231	80
200 to 499 acres.....	-	56	146	1 702	2 138	1 375	405
500 to 999 acres.....	-	-	-	-	2 087	2 800	1 071
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	-	-	-	-	-	2 739	2 138
2,000 acres or more.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	2 300
Cropland:							
Pasture or grazing only..... farms..	185	137	99	801	1 428	1 962	1 263
..... acres..	14 739	12 674	10 669	97 386	268 408	510 530	503 614
In cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured..... farms..	183	65	76	491	748	883	750
..... acres..	20 456	6 688	11 615	83 999	170 406	208 845	247 417
On which all crops failed..... farms..	77	48	30	339	773	1 335	1 121
..... acres..	2 916	3 761	2 318	28 965	94 493	218 906	303 669
In cultivated summer fallow..... farms..	185	60	126	1 007	1 991	3 225	2 773
..... acres..	9 220	2 448	7 669	88 823	259 747	606 685	1 025 484
Idle..... farms..	391	106	137	1 069	1 590	2 213	2 104
..... acres..	36 049	9 356	15 503	148 246	284 906	449 528	766 882
Total woodland..... farms..	136	56	77	425	540	671	421
..... acres..	7 523	3 428	4 089	28 455	45 225	73 204	105 946
Woodland pastured..... farms..	65	26	32	161	206	244	176
..... acres..	3 921	2 096	2 377	14 384	21 054	34 687	56 223
Woodland not pastured..... farms..	89	34	50	328	407	527	318
..... acres..	3 602	1 332	1 712	14 071	24 171	38 517	49 723

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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
LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE—Con.						
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured..... farms..	14 541	53	576	163	310	301
acres..	10 375 089	152	12 227	6 971	19 132	22 746
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. farms..	18 443	444	774	149	333	336
acres..	1 683 850	909	6 906	1 821	5 509	7 557
Irrigated land farms..	710	14	45	11	3	5
acres..	180 362	22	305	305	(D)	237
Harvested cropland irrigated farms..	688	14	41	10	3	5
acres..	176 259	22	(D)	(D)	(D)	237
Pasture and other land irrigated farms..	44	—	4	2	—	—
acres..	4 103	—	(D)	(D)	—	—
Land under Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs farms..	10 079	29	155	95	217	239
acres..	2 538 335	53	4 120	4 597	14 806	20 583
VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS¹						
Estimated market value of land and buildings..... farms..	30 494	612	1 563	303	842	756
\$1,000... dollars..	15 635 319	67 827	151 498	29 901	107 340	73 095
Average per farm dollars..	512 734	110 829	96 928	98 685	127 482	96 686
Average per acre dollars..	401	49 365	3 387	1 737	1 565	845
Farms by value group:						
\$1 to \$39,999	2 360	377	654	135	277	202
\$40,000 to \$69,999	2 253	93	298	71	175	241
\$70,000 to \$99,999	1 987	35	240	34	151	67
\$100,000 to \$149,999	2 801	26	191	21	99	106
\$150,000 to \$199,999	2 332	20	34	7	28	83
\$200,000 to \$499,999	8 968	50	120	28	79	38
\$500,000 to \$999,999	5 996	2	9	7	22	18
\$1,000,000 to \$1,999,999	2 703	1	10	—	7	1
\$2,000,000 to \$4,999,999	985	8	7	—	4	—
\$5,000,000 or more	109	—	—	—	—	—
VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT¹						
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment farms..	30 494	612	1 563	303	842	756
\$1,000... dollars..	3 415 776	25 883	50 215	10 591	35 291	25 022
Farms by value group:						
\$1 to \$4,999	1 240	82	250	44	101	110
\$5,000 to \$9,999	1 872	131	304	63	93	115
\$10,000 to \$19,999	3 302	79	293	68	171	159
\$20,000 to \$49,999	6 997	153	458	74	281	209
\$50,000 to \$99,999	6 021	108	172	34	90	104
\$100,000 to \$199,999	5 508	16	44	8	77	51
\$200,000 to \$499,999	4 556	41	40	12	29	8
\$500,000 or more	998	2	2	—	—	—
SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT¹						
Motortrucks, including pickups farms..	29 499	585	1 400	277	765	692
number..	100 114	1 276	2 784	669	1 618	1 371
Wheel tractors farms..	28 093	502	1 369	282	729	619
number..	93 097	1 099	2 728	551	1 755	1 319
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) farms..	12 308	216	698	110	341	291
number..	20 113	305	1 033	187	611	416
40 horsepower (PTO) or more farms..	26 508	439	1 007	231	631	514
number..	72 984	794	1 695	364	1 144	903
40 to 99 horsepower (PTO) farms..	19 901	323	862	206	534	428
number..	33 960	512	1 131	294	783	612
100 horsepower (PTO) or more farms..	19 944	220	455	63	300	230
number..	39 024	282	564	70	361	291
Grain and bean combines farms..	17 258	54	139	11	160	145
number..	22 922	55	172	11	177	167
Cotton pickers and strippers farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
number..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Mower conditioners farms..	6 955	31	223	38	149	115
number..	7 653	38	234	38	149	121
Pickup balers farms..	12 099	97	378	115	256	195
number..	14 883	118	405	134	295	227
AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS¹						
Commercial fertilizer farms..	19 428	37	300	41	261	165
acres on which used..	16 139 260	80	6 266	1 610	14 993	10 190
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—						
Insects on hay and other crops farms..	4 434	3	83	8	43	38
acres on which used..	1 509 158	(D)	1 399	388	1 975	1 260
Nematodes in crops farms..	233	—	19	—	—	—
acres on which used..	113 699	—	590	—	—	—
Diseases in crops and orchards farms..	1 712	—	64	1	9	31
acres on which used..	886 542	—	1 769	(D)	(D)	1 654
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture farms..	15 774	6	271	31	238	163
acres on which used..	13 089 342	42	4 980	986	14 396	11 493
Chemicals used on crops to control growth, thin fruit, or defoliate farms..	621	—	18	—	—	—
acres on which used..	244 977	—	477	—	—	—

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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
LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE—Con.							
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured..... farms..	515	281	246	1 720	2 715	3 915	3 746
acres..	50 430	32 053	32 110	290 106	729 054	1 943 090	7 237 018
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. farms..	792	305	308	2 372	3 634	4 911	4 085
acres..	19 472	9 957	10 864	110 175	250 638	476 333	783 709
Irrigated land farms..	12	3	6	64	115	161	271
acres..	660	(D)	957	13 067	26 783	34 926	102 821
Harvested cropland irrigated farms..	10	3	6	63	111	160	262
acres..	(D)	(D)	957	12 797	26 100	34 361	100 397
Pasture and other land irrigated farms..	4	—	—	5	8	7	14
acres..	(D)	—	—	270	683	565	2 424
Land under Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs farms..	603	202	222	1 440	1 969	2 382	2 526
acres..	69 726	25 156	32 420	297 578	535 024	640 769	893 503
VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS¹							
Estimated market value of land and buildings farms..	1 585	515	562	3 995	6 369	7 479	5 913
\$1,000..	175 629	58 424	85 752	665 217	2 029 219	4 395 941	7 795 475
Average per farm dollars..	110 807	113 445	152 583	166 512	318 609	587 771	1 318 362
Average per acre dollars..	700	574	638	443	431	410	365
Farms by value group:							
\$1 to \$39,999	359	83	42	133	65	32	1
\$40,000 to \$69,999	447	128	112	546	121	2	19
\$70,000 to \$99,999	293	116	93	620	310	19	9
\$100,000 to \$149,999	191	84	131	1 008	809	117	18
\$150,000 to \$199,999	125	36	65	633	1 033	259	9
\$200,000 to \$499,999	114	58	103	959	3 083	3 480	856
\$500,000 to \$999,999	49	7	16	87	780	2 740	2 259
\$1,000,000 to \$1,999,999	7	2	—	9	132	690	1 844
\$2,000,000 to \$4,999,999	—	1	—	—	35	136	794
\$5,000,000 or more	—	—	—	—	1	4	104
VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT¹							
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment farms..	1 585	515	562	3 995	6 369	7 479	5 913
\$1,000..	62 617	17 700	29 679	204 220	483 690	1 032 967	1 437 900
Farms by value group:							
\$1 to \$4,999	175	58	47	192	133	33	15
\$5,000 to \$9,999	215	55	76	342	338	115	25
\$10,000 to \$19,999	312	97	125	718	774	354	152
\$20,000 to \$49,999	550	199	132	1 494	1 833	1 189	425
\$50,000 to \$99,999	203	79	103	718	1 721	1 856	833
\$100,000 to \$199,999	83	22	30	350	1 021	2 126	1 680
\$200,000 to \$499,999	42	4	49	165	503	1 598	2 065
\$500,000 or more	5	1	—	16	46	208	718
SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT¹							
Motortrucks, including pickups farms..	1 491	487	551	3 815	6 154	7 371	5 911
number..	3 086	945	1 333	9 764	18 789	28 924	29 555
Wheel tractors farms..	1 390	465	490	3 639	5 785	7 226	5 617
number..	3 212	1 018	1 228	9 790	18 298	27 674	24 425
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) farms..	632	205	244	1 566	2 474	3 200	2 331
number..	1 007	288	385	2 481	3 952	5 476	3 972
40 horsepower (PTO) or more farms..	1 222	405	454	3 363	5 607	7 104	5 531
number..	2 205	730	843	7 309	14 346	22 198	20 453
40 to 99 horsepower (PTO) farms..	990	302	324	2 743	4 115	5 122	3 952
number..	1 430	466	505	4 401	6 802	9 129	7 895
100 horsepower (PTO) or more farms..	622	212	234	2 064	4 510	6 307	4 727
number..	775	264	338	2 908	7 544	13 069	12 558
Grain and bean combines farms..	397	127	226	1 626	3 689	5 866	4 818
number..	472	142	247	1 970	4 656	7 834	7 019
Cotton pickers and strippers farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
number..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Mower conditioners farms..	184	106	86	627	1 321	2 037	2 038
number..	190	107	104	651	1 433	2 198	2 390
Pickup balers farms..	282	256	155	1 161	2 628	3 443	3 133
number..	319	318	185	1 406	3 140	4 243	4 093
AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS¹							
Commercial fertilizer farms..	576	179	239	1 942	4 237	6 168	5 283
acres on which used..	58 346	19 934	37 101	421 965	1 765 382	5 072 879	8 730 514
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—							
Insects on hay and other crops farms..	111	3	50	309	845	1 585	1 356
acres on which used..	6 687	(D)	7 748	45 131	176 347	482 822	785 136
Nematodes in crops farms..	—	—	—	18	49	69	78
acres on which used..	—	—	—	2 176	15 673	22 120	73 140
Diseases in crops and orchards farms..	22	1	19	146	366	570	483
acres on which used..	1 909	(D)	3 953	27 511	109 178	273 239	466 992
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture farms..	439	173	147	1 761	3 480	5 163	3 902
acres on which used..	44 715	19 772	20 984	391 557	1 488 815	4 369 577	6 722 025
Chemicals used on crops to control growth, thin fruit, or defoliate farms..	39	6	1	28	158	188	183
acres on which used..	4 193	(D)	(D)	3 385	45 308	75 501	115 865

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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
TENURE AND RACE OF OPERATOR						
All operators	30 504	545	1 420	434	785	758
Full owners	10 760	487	1 078	282	526	468
Part owners	15 064	7	111	49	87	106
Tenants	4 680	51	231	103	172	184
White	30 305	540	1 411	431	780	751
Full owners	10 700	482	1 072	281	523	463
Part owners	14 965	7	110	49	87	105
Tenants	4 640	51	229	101	170	183
Black and other races	199	5	9	3	5	7
Full owners	60	5	6	1	3	5
Part owners	99	—	1	—	—	1
Tenants	40	—	2	2	2	1
OWNED AND RENTED LAND						
Land owned	26 241 farms..	500	1 202	336	625	588
Owned land in farms	22 349 594 acres..	159 864	152 031	67 859	163 055	208 149
farms	25 824	494	1 189	331	613	574
acres	19 296 970	1 226	30 802	17 652	45 792	59 389
Land rented or leased from others	19 944 farms..	70	352	155	270	296
landlords	20 354 890 acres..	4 547	14 167	8 378	21 110	32 336
Rented or leased land in farms	61 710 landlords..	103	511	211	322	444
farms	19 744	58	342	152	259	290
acres	20 062 376	205	8 700	7 503	18 790	28 285
Land rented or leased to others	7 227 farms..	267	333	142	270	339
acres	3 345 138	162 980	126 696	51 082	119 583	152 811
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS						
Operators by place of residence:						
On farm operated	20 071	295	968	260	409	409
Not on farm operated	7 238	176	316	128	296	284
Not reported	3 195	74	136	46	80	65
Operators by principal occupation:						
Farming	22 677	234	443	145	297	342
Other	7 827	311	977	289	488	416
Operators by days worked off farm:						
None	15 176	173	344	116	221	236
Any	12 837	302	995	294	505	465
1 to 99 days	4 075	43	99	35	68	77
100 to 199 days	2 627	38	137	38	57	92
200 days or more	6 135	221	759	221	380	296
Not reported	2 491	70	81	24	59	57
Operators by years on present farm:						
2 years or less	1 160	45	114	40	72	65
3 or 4 years	1 271	44	111	32	59	52
5 to 9 years	2 846	89	288	68	101	105
10 years or more	19 512	202	627	186	379	391
Average years on present farm	23.4	16.2	15.0	16.8	17.8	19.4
Not reported	5 715	165	280	108	174	145
Operators by age group:						
Under 25 years	659	22	54	22	32	21
25 to 34 years	2 976	62	159	58	86	84
35 to 44 years	7 290	124	392	103	178	177
45 to 49 years	3 858	63	167	47	78	85
50 to 54 years	3 344	45	173	40	73	73
55 to 59 years	2 955	51	121	41	63	55
60 to 64 years	2 903	42	92	35	82	71
65 to 69 years	2 581	54	108	37	81	75
70 years and over	3 938	82	154	51	112	117
Average age	51.4	51.4	49.2	49.5	51.4	51.7
Operators by sex:						
Male	29 168	482	1 290	392	738	705
Female	1 336	63	130	42	47	53
Operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin (see text)						
	145	6	3	2	9	6
FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION						
Individual or family (sole proprietorship)	26 660 farms..	466	1 285	385	713	660
acres	31 485 262	1 298	35 773	22 237	58 613	76 290
Partnership	3 075 farms..	56	106	44	66	82
acres	5 298 054	80	2 923	2 631	5 494	9 541
Corporation:						
Family held	522 farms..	11	18	2	3	—
acres	1 103 448	26	482	(D)	240	—
More than 10 stockholders	2 farms..	—	1	—	—	—
10 or less stockholders	520 farms..	11	17	2	3	—
Other than family held	29 farms..	2	2	1	—	2
acres	26 902	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	(D)
More than 10 stockholders	3 farms..	—	1	—	—	—
10 or less stockholders	26 farms..	2	1	—	—	2
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc.						
farms	218	10	9	2	3	14
acres	1 445 680	(D)	(D)	(D)	235	(D)

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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
TENURE AND RACE OF OPERATOR							
All operators	1 596	654	668	4 137	5 867	7 499	6 141
Full owners	1 097	348	363	2 190	2 124	1 226	571
Part owners	139	157	144	1 064	2 758	5 365	5 077
Tenants	360	149	161	883	985	908	493
White	1 584	642	665	4 104	5 829	7 470	6 098
Full owners	1 094	343	362	2 177	2 119	1 218	566
Part owners	135	155	142	1 050	2 735	5 349	5 041
Tenants	355	144	161	877	975	903	491
Black and other races	12	12	3	33	38	29	43
Full owners	3	5	1	13	5	8	5
Part owners	4	2	2	14	23	16	36
Tenants	5	5	—	6	10	5	2
OWNED AND RENTED LAND							
Land owned	1 308	515	530	3 357	4 963	6 646	5 671
farms..	419 594	204 884	211 543	1 609 558	3 126 722	5 782 164	10 244 171
acres..	1 236	505	507	3 254	4 882	6 591	5 648
Owned land in farms	181 020	82 099	100 378	1 000 877	2 559 950	5 317 744	9 900 041
acres..							
Land rented or leased from others	512	318	311	1 997	3 780	6 302	5 581
farms..	78 882	52 985	62 806	579 663	1 839 309	5 464 481	12 196 226
acres..	704	534	508	3 693	8 534	19 971	26 175
landlords..	499	306	305	1 947	3 743	6 273	5 570
Rented or leased land in farms	70 849	47 506	58 318	541 750	1 779 645	5 392 768	12 108 057
acres..							
Land rented or leased to others	495	242	280	1 409	1 429	1 270	751
farms..	246 607	128 264	115 653	646 594	626 436	536 133	432 299
acres..							
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS							
Operators by place of residence:							
On farm operated	667	392	342	2 323	3 926	5 678	4 402
Not on farm operated	786	198	264	1 475	1 490	1 168	657
Not reported	143	64	62	339	451	653	1 082
Operators by principal occupation:							
Farming	706	288	363	2 445	4 564	6 920	5 930
Other	890	366	305	1 692	1 303	579	211
Operators by days worked off farm:							
None	569	190	255	1 671	2 917	4 506	3 978
Any	934	405	362	2 187	2 542	2 456	1 390
1 to 99 days	136	78	72	466	850	1 262	889
100 to 199 days	155	65	57	464	632	618	274
200 days or more	643	262	233	1 257	1 060	576	227
Not reported	93	59	51	279	408	537	773
Operators by years on present farm:							
2 years or less	104	40	48	250	203	122	57
3 or 4 years	125	63	41	222	260	170	92
5 to 9 years	174	79	105	458	574	552	253
10 years or more	848	346	355	2 494	3 932	5 549	4 203
Average years on present farm	21.3	19.1	21.1	23.5	24.9	24.9	25.4
Not reported	345	126	119	713	898	1 106	1 536
Operators by age group:							
Under 25 years	70	25	22	130	131	88	42
25 to 34 years	152	82	72	418	644	674	485
35 to 44 years	280	145	130	764	1 286	1 954	1 757
45 to 49 years	170	80	80	429	588	1 048	1 023
50 to 54 years	128	57	57	394	537	892	875
55 to 59 years	156	55	50	361	503	834	665
60 to 64 years	123	50	55	359	588	815	591
65 to 69 years	162	63	62	473	600	535	331
70 years and over	355	97	140	809	990	659	372
Average age	54.1	50.9	53.3	53.8	52.7	50.5	49.5
Operators by sex:							
Male	1 452	607	622	3 892	5 620	7 310	6 058
Female	144	47	46	245	247	189	83
Operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin (see text)	8	3	3	12	27	37	29
FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION							
Individual or family (sole proprietorship)	1 447	582	614	3 731	5 242	6 630	4 905
farms..	228 282	115 165	145 957	1 390 387	3 879 530	9 472 768	16 058 962
acres..	123	65	51	326	523	679	954
Partnership	19 434	13 063	12 049	121 355	384 965	963 160	3 763 359
acres..							
Corporation:							
Family held	4	1	1	33	63	148	238
farms..	645	(D)	(D)	13 323	46 273	218 896	823 021
acres..	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
More than 10 stockholders	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
10 or less stockholders	4	1	1	33	63	148	237
Other than family held	4	2	—	5	2	3	6
farms..	635	(D)	—	1 818	(D)	3 528	18 589
acres..	1	—	—	1	—	—	—
More than 10 stockholders	3	2	—	4	2	3	6
10 or less stockholders							
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc.	18	4	2	42	37	39	38
farms..	2 873	772	(D)	15 744	(D)	52 160	1 344 167
acres..							

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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
INJURIES AND DEATHS						
Farm-related injuries:						
Operator and family members farms	485	7	22	4	1	9
Operator and family members number	547	7	23	6	(D)	9
Hired workers farms	86	1	5	2	—	2
Hired workers number	110	(D)	6	(D)	—	(D)
Farm-related deaths:						
Operator and family members farms	14	—	—	—	—	—
Operator and family members number	15	—	—	—	—	—
Hired workers farms	3	—	—	—	—	—
Hired workers number	3	—	—	—	—	—
FARMS BY SIZE						
1 to 9 acres	545	545	—	—	—	—
10 to 49 acres	1 420	—	1 420	—	—	—
50 to 69 acres	434	—	—	434	—	—
70 to 99 acres	785	—	—	—	785	—
100 to 139 acres	758	—	—	—	—	758
140 to 179 acres	1 596	—	—	—	—	—
180 to 219 acres	654	—	—	—	—	—
220 to 259 acres	688	—	—	—	—	—
260 to 499 acres	4 137	—	—	—	—	—
500 to 999 acres	5 867	—	—	—	—	—
1,000 to 1,999 acres	7 499	—	—	—	—	—
2,000 acres or more	6 141	—	—	—	—	—
FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM						
Oilseed and grain farming (1111)	17 999	4	215	121	330	325
Vegetable and melon farming (1112)	191	9	30	2	2	4
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113)	11	6	3	—	1	—
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114)	82	34	34	4	—	4
Other crop farming (1119)	2 093	8	173	66	92	88
Tobacco farming (11191)	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton farming (11192)	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199)	2 093	8	173	66	92	88
Beef cattle ranching and farming (11211)	7 600	235	490	138	248	223
Cattle feedlots (11212)	378	15	39	18	13	11
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212)	662	11	12	4	11	15
Hog and pig farming (1122)	207	48	42	8	2	8
Poultry and egg production (1123)	72	16	19	4	2	3
Sheep and goat farming (1124)	338	28	107	25	38	23
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129)	871	131	256	44	46	54
LIVESTOCK						
Cattle and calves inventory farms	14 232	265	576	174	287	267
Cattle and calves inventory number	1 810 409	14 425	14 804	5 321	8 054	10 783
Farms with—						
1 to 9	786	53	220	33	50	29
10 to 49	4 080	119	289	115	204	181
50 to 99	3 402	55	40	18	26	40
100 to 199	3 334	24	20	4	7	12
200 to 499	2 175	13	4	4	—	4
500 or more	455	1	3	—	—	1
Cows and heifers that had calved farms						
Cows and heifers that had calved number	13 236	227	422	144	238	239
Beef cows farms						
Beef cows number	974 583	7 999	6 672	2 337	4 011	5 627
Beef cows farms						
Beef cows number	12 744	221	404	138	226	230
Beef cows number	920 559	7 708	6 123	2 250	3 736	5 191
Farms with—						
1 to 9	1 183	62	238	52	84	55
10 to 49	5 264	110	139	79	134	152
50 to 99	3 308	33	22	5	6	17
100 to 199	2 093	14	3	2	2	6
200 to 499	832	2	2	—	—	—
500 or more	64	—	—	—	—	—
Milk cows farms						
Milk cows number	1 170	13	25	9	15	22
Milk cows number	54 024	291	549	87	275	436
Farms with—						
1 to 4	152	5	12	4	2	4
5 to 9	50	1	3	1	4	4
10 to 49	525	5	5	4	8	13
50 to 99	352	1	4	—	1	1
100 to 199	80	1	1	—	—	—
200 to 499	7	—	—	—	—	—
500 or more	4	—	—	—	—	—
Heifers and heifer calves farms						
Heifers and heifer calves number	11 335	173	388	132	218	189
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves farms						
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves number	404 540	2 360	4 034	1 428	1 939	2 117
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves farms						
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves number	12 567	200	442	126	224	213
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves number	431 286	4 066	4 098	1 556	2 104	3 039

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
INJURIES AND DEATHS							
Farm-related injuries:							
Operator and family members farms ..	13	5	14	55	67	157	131
..... number ..	13	(D)	17	60	74	176	156
Hired workers farms ..	—	2	—	2	5	19	48
..... number ..	—	(D)	—	(D)	6	20	59
Farm-related deaths:							
Operator and family members farms ..	—	—	—	3	2	3	6
..... number ..	—	—	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Hired workers farms ..	—	—	—	—	—	1	2
..... number ..	—	—	—	—	—	(D)	(D)
FARMS BY SIZE							
1 to 9 acres	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
10 to 49 acres	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
50 to 69 acres	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
70 to 99 acres	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100 to 139 acres	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
140 to 179 acres	1 596	—	—	—	—	—	—
180 to 219 acres	—	654	—	—	—	—	—
220 to 259 acres	—	—	668	—	—	—	—
260 to 499 acres	—	—	—	4 137	—	—	—
500 to 999 acres	—	—	—	—	5 867	—	—
1,000 to 1,999 acres	—	—	—	—	—	7 499	—
2,000 acres or more	—	—	—	—	—	—	6 141
FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM							
Oilseed and grain farming (1111)	961	273	374	2 471	3 743	5 114	4 068
Vegetable and melon farming (1112)	7	2	1	12	24	35	63
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113)	—	—	—	—	—	1	—
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114)	3	—	—	1	1	1	—
Other crop farming (1119)	145	75	49	344	403	394	256
Tobacco farming (11191)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton farming (11192)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199)	145	75	49	344	403	394	256
Beef cattle ranching and farming (11211)	355	219	200	1 025	1 361	1 550	1 556
Cattle feedlots (11212)	18	13	4	48	56	66	77
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212)	13	16	11	86	170	242	71
Hog and pig farming (1122)	6	3	4	24	29	25	8
Poultry and egg production (1123)	8	4	—	5	5	4	2
Sheep and goat farming (1124)	25	9	5	27	20	17	14
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129)	55	40	20	94	55	50	26
LIVESTOCK							
Cattle and calves inventory farms ..	437	302	257	1 568	2 658	3 881	3 560
..... number ..	18 091	14 754	11 790	86 998	218 142	470 293	936 954
Farms with—							
1 to 9	64	29	20	94	88	73	33
10 to 49	266	188	137	807	878	655	241
50 to 99	75	59	82	468	963	1 134	442
100 to 199	21	15	17	159	594	1 449	1 012
200 to 499	11	9	1	36	125	536	1 432
500 or more	—	2	—	4	10	34	400
Cows and heifers that had calved farms ..	388	254	230	1 442	2 507	3 723	3 422
..... number ..	10 272	7 056	5 966	47 470	119 799	259 143	498 231
Beef cows farms ..	377	242	216	1 368	2 362	3 581	3 379
..... number ..	9 636	6 034	5 515	43 154	108 611	237 462	485 139
Farms with—							
1 to 9	91	41	44	190	172	118	36
10 to 49	250	177	153	931	1 344	1 318	477
50 to 99	25	17	14	199	677	1 448	845
100 to 199	7	5	5	44	146	623	1 236
200 to 499	4	2	—	4	20	73	725
500 or more	—	—	—	—	3	1	60
Milk cows farms ..	17	19	20	127	270	425	208
..... number ..	636	1 022	451	4 316	11 188	21 681	13 092
Farms with—							
1 to 4	3	1	5	23	31	33	29
5 to 9	1	3	3	5	11	8	6
10 to 49	8	9	11	75	138	180	69
50 to 99	5	5	1	18	74	176	66
100 to 199	—	—	—	5	15	26	32
200 to 499	—	—	—	—	1	1	4
500 or more	—	1	—	—	—	1	2
Heifers and heifer calves farms ..	323	234	202	1 163	2 060	3 207	3 046
..... number ..	3 967	3 686	3 112	19 893	47 146	101 573	213 285
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves farms ..	361	257	213	1 339	2 312	3 539	3 341
..... number ..	3 852	4 012	2 712	19 635	51 197	109 577	225 438

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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
LIVESTOCK—Con.						
Cattle and calves sold						
farms ..	14 426	272	546	179	294	274
number ..	1 055 343	8 553	11 181	7 096	5 065	6 427
\$1,000 ..	497 884	3 747	5 711	3 177	2 140	2 846
farms ..	5 544	109	232	66	138	115
number ..	212 820	2 502	2 676	645	1 883	1 475
\$1,000 ..	66 940	722	747	156	584	447
Cattle						
farms ..	12 359	209	435	153	228	225
number ..	842 523	6 051	8 505	6 451	3 182	4 952
\$1,000 ..	430 943	3 025	4 964	3 021	1 556	2 400
Fattened on grain and concentrates						
farms ..	1 156	21	52	27	21	21
number ..	82 831	421	2 498	388	210	260
\$1,000 ..	54 806	294	1 859	228	135	155
Hogs and pigs inventory						
farms ..	797	53	68	15	5	17
number ..	197 372	8 312	14 992	(D)	(D)	(D)
Farms with—						
1 to 24 ..	293	26	34	5	4	10
25 to 49 ..	110	6	7	3	—	2
50 to 99 ..	107	2	11	2	—	2
100 to 199 ..	104	9	5	1	—	2
200 to 499 ..	107	6	5	2	1	—
500 or more ..	76	4	6	2	—	1
Used or to be used for breeding						
farms ..	461	27	39	6	4	10
number ..	23 790	1 366	2 005	(D)	14	(D)
Other						
farms ..	740	48	60	15	4	17
number ..	173 582	6 946	12 987	(D)	(D)	(D)
Hogs and pigs sold						
farms ..	814	51	63	14	8	18
number ..	374 733	20 474	28 045	9 945	470	(D)
\$1,000 ..	34 271	1 403	2 521	(D)	51	(D)
Feeder pigs						
farms ..	129	9	13	3	—	2
number ..	117 630	3 588	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
\$1,000 ..	3 938	141	297	(D)	—	(D)
Litters of pigs farrowed between—						
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30						
farms ..	511	28	44	8	4	12
number ..	40 695	1 898	3 481	(D)	10	(D)
Dec. 1 and May 31						
farms ..	439	27	33	6	3	9
number ..	20 719	990	1 795	(D)	(D)	(D)
June 1 and Nov. 30						
farms ..	407	20	32	6	2	8
number ..	19 976	908	1 686	(D)	(D)	(D)
Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory						
farms ..	1 101	36	141	39	40	36
number ..	130 892	1 996	8 677	2 468	2 236	3 183
Ewes 1 year old or older						
farms ..	962	30	123	35	39	34
number ..	71 928	1 021	5 796	1 451	1 235	1 944
Sheep and lambs sold						
farms ..	1 121	32	138	43	45	40
number ..	111 149	1 938	8 082	2 053	2 170	2 278
Sheep and lambs shorn						
farms ..	982	32	126	33	43	34
number ..	88 930	1 145	8 573	1 601	1 826	2 159
pounds of wool ..	770 319	11 470	61 602	12 743	16 041	19 054
Horses and ponies inventory						
farms ..	4 699	109	429	100	140	158
number ..	35 103	648	2 734	601	1 580	996
Horses and ponies sold						
farms ..	919	32	137	33	48	36
number ..	6 009	75	441	98	260	174
Goats inventory						
farms ..	233	9	57	3	11	16
number ..	6 315	136	1 128	(D)	79	478
Goats sold						
farms ..	62	3	12	3	2	6
number ..	3 814	5	241	(D)	(D)	61
POULTRY						
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text)						
farms ..	549	31	63	14	12	12
number ..	201 684	1 465	2 797	449	(D)	254
Farms with—						
1 to 399 ..	542	31	63	14	11	12
400 to 3,199 ..	4	—	—	—	—	—
3,200 to 9,999 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
10,000 to 19,999 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
20,000 to 49,999 ..	1	—	—	—	—	—
50,000 to 99,999 ..	2	—	—	—	1	—
100,000 or more ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Layers 20 weeks old and older						
farms ..	537	30	61	14	12	12
number ..	199 319	1 225	2 504	417	(D)	254
Pullets 13 weeks old and older but less than 20 weeks old						
farms ..	84	5	11	3	—	—
number ..	2 365	240	293	32	—	—
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold (see text)						
farms ..	27	2	7	1	1	—
number ..	(D)	(D)	495	(D)	(D)	—
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold						
farms ..	83	10	11	1	2	2
number ..	193 401	(D)	2 447	(D)	(D)	(D)
Farms with—						
1 to 1,999 ..	77	9	11	1	2	2
2,000 to 59,999 ..	5	—	—	—	—	—
60,000 to 99,999 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 or more ..	1	1	—	—	—	—
Turkey hens kept for breeding						
farms ..	41	5	6	—	—	1
number ..	199	11	40	—	—	(D)
Turkeys sold						
farms ..	29	6	4	2	—	1
number ..	2 624 037	303 936	(D)	(D)	—	(D)

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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
LIVESTOCK—Con.							
Cattle and calves sold	farms.. 455	305	265	1 614	2 724	3 912	3 586
	number.. 11 741	10 097	6 893	53 806	124 781	261 984	547 719
	\$1,000.. 5 407	4 482	3 101	23 909	54 879	118 577	269 908
Calves	farms.. 217	119	112	679	1 150	1 442	1 165
	number.. 3 432	2 148	2 184	14 974	32 814	58 475	89 612
	\$1,000.. 1 152	652	675	4 501	9 971	17 476	29 859
Cattle	farms.. 375	244	201	1 353	2 280	3 421	3 235
	number.. 8 309	7 949	4 709	38 832	91 967	203 509	458 107
	\$1,000.. 4 255	3 830	2 426	19 409	44 907	101 101	240 049
Fattened on grain and concentrates	farms.. 36	25	20	113	210	302	308
	number.. 903	434	345	3 375	6 462	14 318	53 217
	\$1,000.. 515	313	243	2 126	4 061	9 349	35 528
Hogs and pigs inventory	farms.. 21	20	20	72	148	222	136
	number.. 3 540	565	1 193	7 772	29 822	39 520	51 528
Farms with—							
1 to 24	12	9	13	29	53	71	27
25 to 49	3	6	2	13	25	25	18
50 to 99	3	5	2	9	19	31	21
100 to 199	—	—	1	8	18	38	22
200 to 499	2	—	1	10	23	35	22
500 or more	1	—	1	3	10	22	26
Used or to be used for breeding	farms.. 9	11	9	44	92	124	86
	number.. (D)	108	80	1 340	3 690	3 521	5 458
Other	farms.. 19	19	18	63	142	201	134
	number.. (D)	457	1 113	6 432	26 132	35 999	46 070
Hogs and pigs sold	farms.. 20	16	16	79	163	231	135
	number.. (D)	997	844	14 725	51 630	71 781	83 187
	\$1,000.. 692	106	103	1 643	5 492	8 073	8 885
Feeder pigs	farms.. 1	1	—	14	23	43	20
	number.. (D)	(D)	—	2 921	8 316	5 479	12 756
	\$1,000.. (D)	(D)	—	120	377	239	516
Litters of pigs farrowed between—							
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30	farms.. 9	13	12	51	104	136	90
	number.. (D)	117	125	1 628	5 585	5 939	9 027
Dec. 1 and May 31	farms.. 8	10	5	45	89	122	82
	number.. (D)	67	67	884	2 885	3 189	4 734
June 1 and Nov. 30	farms.. 9	11	10	39	85	109	76
	number.. (D)	50	58	744	2 700	2 750	4 293
Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory	farms.. 42	26	20	119	167	238	197
	number.. 3 129	1 523	1 007	10 490	24 233	34 428	37 522
Ewes 1 year old or older	farms.. 39	21	17	113	151	195	165
	number.. 1 791	817	481	6 413	11 726	18 209	21 044
Sheep and lambs sold	farms.. 46	31	20	126	168	233	199
	number.. 2 016	1 737	803	8 872	18 877	29 855	32 468
Sheep and lambs shorn	farms.. 41	26	18	114	152	195	168
	number.. 2 074	1 100	754	8 039	15 072	21 346	25 241
	pounds of wool.. 17 315	10 436	5 629	68 285	130 791	193 014	223 939
Horses and ponies inventory	farms.. 172	116	85	485	680	980	1 245
	number.. 1 338	978	921	3 808	4 377	6 833	10 289
Horses and ponies sold	farms.. 42	33	28	98	123	142	167
	number.. 301	177	203	706	674	1 116	1 784
Goats inventory	farms.. 8	7	9	27	19	34	33
	number.. 199	(D)	85	516	237	245	2 896
Goats sold	farms.. 3	1	—	9	4	9	10
	number.. 48	(D)	—	245	(D)	139	2 657
POULTRY							
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text)	farms.. 26	13	13	51	98	135	81
	number.. 1 050	344	(D)	1 473	6 559	46 947	(D)
Farms with—							
1 to 399	26	13	13	51	97	133	78
400 to 3,199	—	—	—	—	1	1	2
3,200 to 9,999	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
10,000 to 19,999	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
20,000 to 49,999	—	—	—	—	—	1	—
50,000 to 99,999	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
100,000 or more	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Layers 20 weeks old and older	farms.. 26	13	13	51	95	132	78
	number.. 1 020	344	412	1 419	6 016	46 333	(D)
Pullets 13 weeks old and older but less than 20 weeks old	farms.. 6	—	2	3	20	18	16
	number.. 30	—	(D)	54	543	614	(D)
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold (see text)	farms.. 2	—	—	—	8	5	1
	number.. (D)	—	—	—	290	548	(D)
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold	farms.. 6	—	2	12	13	15	9
	number.. 2 344	—	(D)	2 976	(D)	1 326	46 940
Farms with—							
1 to 1,999	6	—	2	11	12	15	6
2,000 to 59,999	—	—	—	1	1	—	3
60,000 to 99,999	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 or more	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Turkey hens kept for breeding	farms.. 7	1	1	4	8	6	2
	number.. 34	(D)	(D)	12	47	36	(D)
Turkeys sold	farms.. 1	1	—	4	4	4	4
	number.. (D)	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	182 015	412 014

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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
SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED						
Corn for grain or seed						
farms ..	2 812	—	13	8	14	9
acres ..	578 953	—	146	246	545	391
bushels ..	54 996 430	—	9 282	20 263	34 174	34 785
farms ..	206	—	—	—	—	—
acres ..	46 654	—	—	—	—	—
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres	205	—	12	4	6	—
25 to 99 acres	1 007	—	1	4	8	9
100 to 249 acres	912	—	—	—	—	—
250 to 499 acres	403	—	—	—	—	—
500 acres or more	285	—	—	—	—	—
Corn for silage or green chop						
farms ..	2 024	—	2	2	9	3
acres ..	164 276	—	(D)	(D)	338	120
tons, green ..	1 162 005	—	(D)	(D)	3 900	785
farms ..	82	—	—	—	—	1
acres ..	9 262	—	—	—	—	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres	259	—	2	1	3	1
25 to 99 acres	1 215	—	—	1	6	2
100 to 249 acres	489	—	—	—	—	—
250 to 499 acres	47	—	—	—	—	—
500 acres or more	14	—	—	—	—	—
Wheat for grain						
farms ..	19 488	3	91	41	158	167
acres ..	10 874 126	22	1 905	1 473	7 341	11 818
bushels ..	260 522 260	590	44 727	36 762	183 231	262 735
farms ..	161	—	1	—	2	—
acres ..	27 675	—	(D)	—	(D)	—
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres	314	3	58	15	20	11
25 to 99 acres	2 164	—	33	26	138	110
100 to 249 acres	4 426	—	—	—	—	46
250 to 499 acres	4 717	—	—	—	—	—
500 acres or more	7 867	—	—	—	—	—
Barley for grain						
farms ..	9 565	1	16	12	39	35
acres ..	2 178 700	(D)	309	(D)	1 316	1 815
bushels ..	98 641 946	(D)	14 075	(D)	60 609	64 145
farms ..	33	—	—	1	—	—
acres ..	3 338	—	—	(D)	—	—
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres	370	1	12	8	14	6
25 to 99 acres	2 613	—	4	4	25	24
100 to 249 acres	3 543	—	—	—	—	5
250 to 499 acres	2 000	—	—	—	—	—
500 acres or more	1 039	—	—	—	—	—
Oats for grain						
farms ..	4 937	—	14	7	10	32
acres ..	423 877	—	234	62	171	930
bushels ..	18 616 546	—	8 310	3 204	8 220	41 604
farms ..	26	—	1	—	—	—
acres ..	2 268	—	(D)	—	—	—
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres	794	—	11	7	8	16
25 to 99 acres	2 612	—	3	—	2	16
100 to 249 acres	1 302	—	—	—	—	—
250 to 499 acres	186	—	—	—	—	—
500 acres or more	43	—	—	—	—	—
Flaxseed						
farms ..	916	—	1	4	5	3
acres ..	120 921	—	(D)	181	128	(D)
bushels ..	1 961 254	—	(D)	2 443	1 732	(D)
farms ..	2	—	—	—	—	—
acres ..	(D)	—	—	—	—	—
Sunflower seed						
farms ..	5 069	—	6	3	10	17
acres ..	1 347 376	—	119	67	478	993
pounds ..	1 678 505 673	—	310 081	63 422	547 426	1 061 660
farms ..	14	—	—	—	—	—
acres ..	2 330	—	—	—	—	—
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres	110	—	3	2	2	4
25 to 99 acres	1 051	—	3	1	8	10
100 to 249 acres	1 924	—	—	—	—	3
250 to 499 acres	1 296	—	—	—	—	—
500 acres or more	688	—	—	—	—	—
Soybeans for beans						
farms ..	3 405	—	26	8	20	33
acres ..	1 062 624	—	563	377	969	1 914
bushels ..	31 069 124	—	17 848	11 967	29 603	50 924
farms ..	34	—	—	—	—	—
acres ..	3 862	—	—	—	—	—
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres	96	—	16	1	2	3
25 to 99 acres	798	—	10	7	18	26
100 to 249 acres	1 103	—	—	—	—	4
250 to 499 acres	743	—	—	—	—	—
500 acres or more	665	—	—	—	—	—

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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 .. 38	15	24	210	491	954	1 036
	acres .. 2 217	643	2 005	17 002	59 071	177 515	319 172
	bushels .. 218 218	70 032	178 935	1 594 613	5 532 952	17 185 496	30 117 680
Irrigated	farms .. —	—	—	8	31	63	104
	acres .. —	—	—	663	3 952	10 855	31 184
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres	9	4	4	33	42	60	31
25 to 99 acres	21	10	14	112	208	338	282
100 to 249 acres	8	1	6	62	178	301	356
250 to 499 acres	—	—	—	3	61	179	160
500 acres or more	—	—	—	—	2	76	207
Corn for silage or green chop	farms .. 12	9	4	92	340	729	822
	acres .. 430	328	225	3 774	17 222	48 585	93 196
	tons, green .. 3 870	1 800	1 530	27 333	122 832	310 254	689 383
Irrigated	farms .. —	—	—	1	12	13	55
	acres .. —	—	—	(D)	(D)	819	7 676
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres	5	3	—	35	91	77	41
25 to 99 acres	6	6	4	50	215	514	411
100 to 249 acres	1	—	—	5	34	130	319
250 to 499 acres	—	—	—	2	7	37	38
500 acres or more	—	—	—	—	—	1	13
Wheat for grain	farms .. 511	209	264	2 077	4 128	6 444	5 395
	acres .. 42 930	20 319	31 273	325 781	1 162 808	3 293 666	5 974 790
	bushels .. 991 160	452 526	745 973	7 483 912	26 835 571	78 263 983	145 221 090
Irrigated	farms .. 4	1	3	26	36	33	55
	acres .. 316	(D)	338	3 372	6 340	4 797	12 260
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres	19	12	8	66	53	33	16
25 to 99 acres	331	104	99	484	417	306	116
100 to 249 acres	161	93	151	1 200	1 401	1 000	374
250 to 499 acres	—	—	6	327	1 818	1 948	618
500 acres or more	—	—	—	—	439	3 157	4 271
Barley for grain	farms .. 140	60	73	765	1 802	3 465	3 157
	acres .. 7 121	3 183	4 391	62 630	239 618	697 228	1 160 792
	bushels .. 288 727	123 132	182 108	2 539 032	10 194 942	31 277 803	53 884 563
Irrigated	farms .. —	—	—	1	4	13	14
	acres .. —	—	—	(D)	(D)	1 118	1 836
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres	26	11	9	66	83	90	44
25 to 99 acres	100	40	52	461	648	801	454
100 to 249 acres	14	9	12	226	878	1 501	898
250 to 499 acres	—	—	—	12	179	901	908
500 acres or more	—	—	—	—	14	172	853
Oats for grain	farms .. 39	32	32	370	953	1 756	1 692
	acres .. 1 610	1 429	878	16 792	57 595	135 087	209 089
	bushels .. 66 577	72 456	39 464	694 417	2 365 424	5 755 394	9 561 476
Irrigated	farms .. —	—	—	7	2	5	11
	acres .. —	—	—	406	(D)	301	1 520
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres	15	16	25	115	216	246	119
25 to 99 acres	19	11	5	220	546	1 034	756
100 to 249 acres	5	5	2	35	181	425	649
250 to 499 acres	—	—	—	—	9	44	133
500 acres or more	—	—	—	—	1	7	35
Flaxseed	farms .. 11	3	12	79	168	356	274
	acres .. 166	124	523	5 541	14 515	44 333	55 330
	bushels .. 1 659	(D)	9 085	83 207	224 999	722 657	913 481
Irrigated	farms .. —	—	—	—	2	—	—
	acres .. —	—	—	—	(D)	—	—
Sunflower seed	farms .. 60	21	25	366	858	1 892	1 811
	acres .. 4 165	1 661	1 877	33 775	114 449	414 094	775 698
	pounds .. 5 585 837	2 002 470	2 201 793	38 593 534	135 712 855	512 621 285	979 805 310
Irrigated	farms .. —	—	—	2	2	3	7
	acres .. —	—	—	(D)	(D)	213	1 775
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres	—	4	2	21	30	27	15
25 to 99 acres	46	10	18	214	320	314	107
100 to 249 acres	14	7	4	117	416	901	462
250 to 499 acres	—	—	1	14	84	537	660
500 acres or more	—	—	—	—	8	113	567
Soybeans for beans	farms .. 92	33	48	352	723	1 149	921
	acres .. 5 792	1 771	4 508	44 261	134 695	359 530	508 244
	bushels .. 166 808	47 987	127 621	1 260 437	3 890 203	10 471 766	14 993 960
Irrigated	farms .. —	—	—	1	4	11	18
	acres .. —	—	—	(D)	(D)	1 400	2 078
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres	10	6	1	11	15	21	10
25 to 99 acres	71	23	22	135	177	206	103
100 to 249 acres	11	4	25	180	327	329	223
250 to 499 acres	—	—	—	26	191	327	199
500 acres or more	—	—	—	—	13	266	386

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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.						
Dry edible beans, excluding dry limas farms..	2 043	—	7	7	5	7
acres..	565 407	—	191	281	151	372
cwt..	7 105 599	—	2 568	3 652	2 432	3 044
Irrigated farms..	59	—	1	1	—	—
acres..	12 833	—	(D)	(D)	—	—
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres	42	—	2	1	2	—
25 to 99 acres	450	—	5	6	3	6
100 to 249 acres	774	—	—	—	—	1
250 to 499 acres	472	—	—	—	—	—
500 acres or more	305	—	—	—	—	—
Potatoes, excluding sweetpotatoes farms..	280	4	11	2	2	4
acres..	109 777	3	41	(D)	(D)	(D)
cwt..	22 057 457	551	4 730	(D)	(D)	(D)
Irrigated farms..	56	1	3	1	1	1
acres..	28 568	(D)	7	(D)	(D)	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:						
0.1 to 4.9 acres	32	4	8	1	1	2
5.0 to 24.9 acres	12	—	3	—	—	—
25.0 to 99.9 acres	32	—	—	1	1	2
100.0 to 249.9 acres	57	—	—	—	—	—
250.0 acres or more	147	—	—	—	—	—
Sugar beets for sugar farms..	873	1	26	19	21	25
acres..	235 121	(D)	(D)	968	1 733	2 496
tons..	4 191 298	(D)	(D)	15 693	26 292	42 637
Irrigated farms..	76	—	1	2	—	1
acres..	15 656	—	(D)	(D)	—	(D)
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) . . . farms..	14 707	29	448	158	221	247
acres..	2 702 807	104	7 592	4 871	8 327	11 153
tons, dry..	3 765 662	136	11 689	6 759	9 948	16 974
Irrigated farms..	267	—	1	4	—	3
acres..	22 856	—	(D)	86	—	140
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres	1 896	29	332	74	78	79
25 to 99 acres	4 567	—	116	82	141	140
100 to 249 acres	4 613	—	—	2	2	28
250 to 499 acres	2 520	—	—	—	—	—
500 acres or more	1 111	—	—	—	—	—
Alfalfa hay farms..	11 212	17	299	104	145	160
acres..	1 305 211	61	4 602	2 606	3 994	5 082
tons, dry..	2 031 875	92	7 956	3 844	5 568	8 456
Irrigated farms..	210	—	1	4	—	1
acres..	15 151	—	(D)	86	—	(D)

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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
SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED—							
Con.							
Dry edible beans, excluding dry limas farms..	29	12	11	137	366	736	726
acres..	1 686	565	1 062	11 094	51 922	174 250	323 833
cwt..	20 620	4 597	13 334	142 872	599 760	2 132 043	4 180 677
Irrigated farms..	—	—	—	4	6	18	29
acres..	—	—	—	789	(D)	2 753	8 788
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres	3	4	—	15	5	6	4
25 to 99 acres	22	7	7	83	130	121	60
100 to 249 acres	4	1	4	36	194	337	197
250 to 499 acres	—	—	—	3	33	218	218
500 acres or more	—	—	—	—	4	54	247
Potatoes, excluding sweetpotatoes farms..	1	3	2	9	54	72	116
acres..	(D)	(D)	(D)	2 105	10 669	20 421	75 947
cwt..	(D)	(D)	(D)	598 535	2 341 701	3 951 953	15 049 536
Irrigated farms..	—	—	1	5	11	8	24
acres..	—	—	(D)	1 321	4 919	5 229	16 857
Farms by acres harvested:							
0.1 to 4.9 acres	—	2	—	1	8	4	1
5.0 to 24.9 acres	—	—	—	1	2	5	1
25.0 to 99.9 acres	1	1	1	—	12	7	6
100.0 to 249.9 acres	—	—	1	1	21	18	16
250.0 acres or more	—	—	—	6	11	38	92
Sugar beets for sugar farms..	21	9	14	70	158	249	260
acres..	2 568	1 751	1 902	10 717	27 200	63 742	121 310
tons..	44 667	34 155	32 564	171 174	488 464	1 129 987	2 192 473
Irrigated farms..	2	—	3	26	25	6	10
acres..	(D)	—	260	4 352	6 146	1 560	3 001
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) . . . farms..	433	272	214	1 662	2 899	4 241	3 883
acres..	22 725	18 285	15 687	139 799	363 965	805 921	1 304 378
tons, dry..	30 912	23 185	21 989	185 467	516 127	1 112 012	1 830 464
Irrigated farms..	3	2	3	30	38	64	119
acres..	70	(D)	46	1 700	2 284	4 839	13 631
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres	135	53	44	281	345	290	156
25 to 99 acres	240	151	109	809	1 105	1 085	589
100 to 249 acres	58	68	58	521	1 098	1 659	1 119
250 to 499 acres	—	—	3	51	315	988	1 163
500 acres or more	—	—	—	—	36	219	856
Alfalfa hay farms..	246	185	148	1 195	2 127	3 350	3 236
acres..	10 828	9 134	7 112	72 578	176 485	379 323	633 406
tons, dry..	16 104	12 940	11 141	108 952	293 311	590 492	973 019
Irrigated farms..	1	2	2	24	33	50	92
acres..	(D)	(D)	(D)	1 121	1 840	3 599	8 378

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.