

**Table 8. Land in Farms, Harvested Cropland, and Irrigated Land, by Size of Farm: 1997 and 1992**

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

All farms	Farms		Land in farms (acres)		Harvested cropland (acres)		Irrigated land (acres)	
	1997	1992	1997	1992	1997	1992	1997	1992
Land in farms .....	68 591	70 711	14 103 085	14 247 969	9 900 570	9 790 327	33 997	29 479
Farms by size:								
1 to 9 acres .....	5 271	5 417	23 582	22 637	7 768	7 848	836	834
10 to 49 acres .....	15 811	15 295	432 636	421 916	190 820	202 898	2 568	2 374
50 to 69 acres .....	5 639	5 719	328 059	333 951	148 533	167 234	639	1 091
70 to 99 acres .....	7 990	8 269	662 981	686 889	323 208	364 986	1 184	1 771
100 to 139 acres .....	7 707	8 196	896 672	953 500	451 969	494 489	1 383	1 873
140 to 179 acres .....	5 322	5 684	2 390 343	895 183	436 920	498 210	1 256	1 428
180 to 219 acres .....	3 710	3 997	734 224	789 062	414 391	452 653	967	497
220 to 259 acres .....	2 611	2 913	621 286	693 909	367 953	424 972	765	1 077
260 to 499 acres .....	7 697	8 373	2 731 893	2 969 512	1 881 011	2 018 044	4 541	4 211
500 to 999 acres .....	4 587	4 793	3 137 706	3 251 170	2 520 899	2 546 501	8 240	7 411
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....	1 792	1 719	2 390 620	2 277 583	2 058 328	1 875 993	6 859	5 138
2,000 acres or more .....	454	336	1 307 083	952 657	1 098 770	736 499	4 759	1 774
5,000 acres or more .....	30	16	198 225	103 656	143 845	66 117	(D)	-
Farms with harvested cropland .....	58 048	62 535	13 477 773	13 868 427	9 900 570	9 790 327	33 886	29 178
Farms by size:								
1 to 9 acres .....	2 500	2 574	12 268	12 179	7 768	7 848	809	834
10 to 49 acres .....	11 791	12 054	332 824	345 404	190 820	202 898	2 490	2 344
50 to 69 acres .....	4 704	5 130	274 088	299 971	148 533	167 234	635	1 091
70 to 99 acres .....	7 030	7 790	583 826	647 426	323 208	364 986	1 184	1 770
100 to 139 acres .....	6 947	7 764	808 961	904 039	451 969	494 489	1 381	1 753
140 to 179 acres .....	4 931	5 490	775 197	864 722	436 920	498 210	1 256	1 428
180 to 219 acres .....	3 461	3 861	685 265	762 074	414 391	452 653	967	497
220 to 259 acres .....	2 475	2 843	589 083	677 256	367 953	424 972	765	1 077
260 to 499 acres .....	7 444	8 223	2 646 049	2 917 932	1 881 011	2 018 044	4 541	4 061
500 to 999 acres .....	4 536	4 762	3 103 897	3 229 733	2 520 899	2 546 501	8 240	7 411
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....	1 777	1 711	2 371 233	2 268 804	2 058 328	1 875 993	6 859	5 138
2,000 acres or more .....	452	333	1 295 082	938 887	1 098 770	736 499	4 759	1 774
5,000 acres or more .....	29	15	188 225	96 656	143 845	66 117	(D)	-
Farms with irrigated land .....	1 778	1 755	219 916	200 747	145 138	130 100	33 997	29 479
Farms by size:								
1 to 9 acres .....	562	553	2 210	2 024	1 021	994	836	834
10 to 49 acres .....	582	535	14 438	12 484	5 466	4 689	2 568	2 374
50 to 69 acres .....	86	100	5 022	5 764	1 521	2 172	639	1 091
70 to 99 acres .....	136	123	11 344	10 238	4 669	4 559	1 184	1 771
100 to 139 acres .....	90	112	10 356	13 108	4 250	5 644	1 383	1 873
140 to 179 acres .....	61	67	9 621	10 464	4 707	5 038	1 256	1 428
180 to 219 acres .....	44	42	8 583	8 305	3 779	3 458	967	497
220 to 259 acres .....	28	41	6 697	9 680	3 904	5 543	765	1 077
260 to 499 acres .....	81	86	29 472	29 237	19 985	18 323	4 541	4 211
500 to 999 acres .....	69	60	46 874	39 384	36 012	31 065	8 240	7 411
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....	28	28	38 551	38 034	31 771	28 596	6 859	5 138
2,000 acres or more .....	11	8	36 748	22 025	28 053	20 019	4 759	1 774
5,000 acres or more .....	2	-	(D)	-	(D)	-	(D)	-

**Table 9. Irrigation: 1997, 1992, and 1987**

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

Farms with irrigation	1997	1992	1987	Farms with irrigation	1997	1992	1987
Farms .....	1 778	1 755	1 562	Irrigated land—Con.			
Proportion of farms .....	2.6	2.5	2.0	Acres irrigated—Con.			
				200 to 499 acres .....	farms... 24	22	20
				500 to 999 acres .....	acres.. 6 992	6 548	5 472
Irrigated land .....	33 997	29 479	32 472	1,000 acres or more .....	farms... 7	5	6
Average per farm .....	19	17	21		acres.. 4 811	3 725	4 622
					farms... 4	2	3
					acres.. 7 064	(D)	3 755
Acres irrigated:				Irrigated land use:			
1 to 9 acres .....	farms... 1 449	1 376	1 140	Harvested cropland .....	farms... 1 739	1 714	1 516
10 to 49 acres .....	acres.. 3 190	(D)	2 857	Pastureland and other land .....	acres.. 33 506	28 423	31 247
50 to 69 acres .....	farms... 218	260	292		farms... 57	81	81
70 to 99 acres .....	acres.. 4 570	5 424	6 072		acres.. 491	1 056	1 225
100 to 199 acres .....	farms... 46	59	57	Land in irrigated farms .....	acres.. 219 916	200 747	190 177
	acres.. 3 249	3 945	3 969	Cropland .....	acres.. 166 438	157 351	149 915
	farms... 30	31	44	Harvested cropland .....	acres.. 145 138	130 100	117 858
	acres.. 4 121	4 114	5 725				