

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

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

Item	All farms	\$1,000,000 or more	\$500,000 to \$999,999	\$250,000 to \$499,999	\$100,000 to \$249,999	\$50,000 to \$99,999
<b>FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS</b>						
Farms .....	735	10	9	23	55	65
number ..						
percent ..	100.0	1.4	1.2	3.1	7.5	8.8
Land in farms .....	55 256	3 343	(D)	4 778	(D)	5 286
acres ..						
Average size of farm .....	75	334	(D)	208	(D)	81
acres ..						
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD</b>						
Total sales (see text) .....	735	10	9	23	55	65
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	48 200	16 470	5 494	7 797	8 356	4 750
Average per farm .....	65 578	1 647 040	610 453	338 995	151 920	73 083
dollars ..						
Farms by value of sales:						
Less than \$1,000 (see text) .....	117	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000 to \$2,499 .....	93	—	—	—	—	—
\$2,500 to \$4,999 .....	91	—	—	—	—	—
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	91	—	—	—	—	—
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....	78	—	—	—	—	—
\$20,000 to \$24,999 .....	31	—	—	—	—	—
\$25,000 to \$39,999 .....	53	—	—	—	—	—
\$40,000 to \$49,999 .....	20	—	—	—	—	1
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	64	—	—	—	—	64
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....	55	—	—	—	55	—
\$250,000 to \$499,999 .....	23	—	—	23	—	—
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....	9	—	9	—	—	—
\$1,000,000 to \$2,499,999 .....	9	9	—	—	—	—
\$2,500,000 to \$4,999,999 .....	1	1	—	—	—	—
\$5,000,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Grains .....	10	—	1	1	1	1
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	19	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Corn for grain .....	5	—	—	—	—	1
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	10	—	—	—	—	(D)
Wheat .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Soybeans .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sorghum for grain .....	1	—	—	—	1	—
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	(D)	—	—	—	(D)	—
Barley .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Oats .....	2	—	1	—	—	—
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	(D)	—	(D)	—	—	—
Other grains .....	4	—	1	1	—	—
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	7	—	(D)	(D)	—	—
Cotton and cottonseed .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hay, silage, and field seeds .....	149	—	1	1	13	8
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	1 175	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	4	—	—	—	1	3
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	330	—	—	—	(D)	(D)
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons .....	126	1	3	2	15	17
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	3 873	(D)	114	(D)	884	633
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	18	1	1	2	8	6
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	2 385	(D)	(D)	(D)	738	359
Fruits, nuts, and berries .....	75	—	1	2	8	9
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	1 889	—	(D)	(D)	322	346
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	9	—	1	2	2	4
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	1 292	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	280
Nursery and greenhouse crops .....	276	10	5	17	28	32
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	30 962	(D)	2 776	5 383	(D)	1 931
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	81	10	5	17	25	24
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	28 697	(D)	2 776	5 383	3 307	(D)
Other crops .....	23	—	1	—	5	3
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	1 504	—	(D)	—	644	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	5	—	1	—	3	1
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	1 376	—	(D)	—	(D)	(D)
Poultry and poultry products .....	67	—	1	3	9	4
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	2 002	—	(D)	(D)	606	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	8	—	1	2	4	1
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	600	(D)
Dairy products .....	32	—	1	4	12	14
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	4 704	—	(D)	1 392	1 693	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	29	—	1	4	12	12
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	(D)	—	(D)	1 392	1 693	(D)
Cattle and calves .....	158	—	2	4	15	17
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	675	—	(D)	40	121	94
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—

See footnotes at end of table.

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

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

Item	\$25,000 to \$49,999	\$10,000 to \$24,999	\$5,000 to \$9,999	\$2,500 to \$4,999	\$1,000 to \$2,499	Less than \$1,000
<b>FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS</b>						
Farms ..... number ..	72	109	92	90	93	117
..... percent ..	9.8	14.8	12.5	12.2	12.7	15.9
Land in farms ..... acres ..	6 216	7 800	4 178	5 321	4 012	4 979
Average size of farm ..... acres ..	86	72	45	59	43	43
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD</b>						
Total sales (see text) ..... farms ..	72	109	92	90	93	117
..... \$1,000 ..	2 485	1 732	623	321	149	23
Average per farm ..... dollars ..	34 518	15 890	6 767	3 569	1 600	195
Farms by value of sales:						
Less than \$1,000 (see text) .....	—	—	—	—	—	117
\$1,000 to \$2,499 .....	—	—	—	—	93	—
\$2,500 to \$4,999 .....	—	—	1	90	—	—
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	—	—	91	—	—	—
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....	—	78	—	—	—	—
\$20,000 to \$24,999 .....	—	31	—	—	—	—
\$25,000 to \$39,999 .....	53	—	—	—	—	—
\$40,000 to \$49,999 .....	19	—	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$250,000 to \$499,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000,000 to \$2,499,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$2,500,000 to \$4,999,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$5,000,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Grains ..... farms ..	1	1	—	2	2	—
..... \$1,000 ..	(D)	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	—
Sales of \$50,000 or more ..... farms ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Corn for grain ..... farms ..	—	1	—	2	1	—
..... \$1,000 ..	—	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	—
Wheat ..... farms ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Soybeans ..... farms ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sorghum for grain ..... farms ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Barley ..... farms ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Oats ..... farms ..	—	—	—	1	—	—
..... \$1,000 ..	—	—	—	(D)	—	—
Other grains ..... farms ..	1	—	—	—	1	—
..... \$1,000 ..	(D)	—	—	—	(D)	—
Cotton and cottonseed ..... farms ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sales of \$50,000 or more ..... farms ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco ..... farms ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sales of \$50,000 or more ..... farms ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hay, silage, and field seeds ..... farms ..	18	29	23	32	18	6
..... \$1,000 ..	(D)	(D)	111	75	(D)	4
Sales of \$50,000 or more ..... farms ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons ..... farms ..	30	24	12	14	7	1
..... \$1,000 ..	609	(D)	61	48	7	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more ..... farms ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Fruits, nuts, and berries ..... farms ..	12	13	17	8	2	3
..... \$1,000 ..	187	139	73	21	(D)	2
Sales of \$50,000 or more ..... farms ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Nursery and greenhouse crops ..... farms ..	43	47	30	18	30	16
..... \$1,000 ..	1 093	654	184	42	39	4
Sales of \$50,000 or more ..... farms ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other crops ..... farms ..	3	3	1	1	4	2
..... \$1,000 ..	59	(D)	(D)	(D)	5	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more ..... farms ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Poultry and poultry products ..... farms ..	5	6	12	7	11	9
..... \$1,000 ..	(D)	11	(D)	3	(D)	3
Sales of \$50,000 or more ..... farms ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Dairy products ..... farms ..	—	1	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000 ..	—	(D)	—	—	—	—
Sales of \$50,000 or more ..... farms ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cattle and calves ..... farms ..	7	26	21	28	28	10
..... \$1,000 ..	90	144	68	74	37	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more ..... farms ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—

See footnotes at end of table.

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

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Item	All farms	\$1,000,000 or more	\$500,000 to \$999,999	\$250,000 to \$499,999	\$100,000 to \$249,999	\$50,000 to \$99,999
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD—Con.</b>						
Total sales (see text)—Con.						
Hogs and pigs . . . . . farms..	45	—	1	—	2	1
\$1,000..	493	—	(D)	—	(D)	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more . . . . . farms..	2	—	—	—	1	1
\$1,000..	(D)	—	—	—	(D)	(D)
Sheep, lambs, and wool . . . . . farms..	54	—	—	1	1	1
\$1,000..	58	—	—	(D)	(D)	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more . . . . . farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other livestock and livestock products (see text) . . . . . farms..	69	—	—	—	4	7
\$1,000..	846	—	—	—	(D)	312
Sales of \$50,000 or more . . . . . farms..	6	—	—	—	2	4
\$1,000..	581	—	—	—	(D)	(D)
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text) . . . . . farms..	135	—	1	3	15	14
\$1,000..	2 323	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	330
<b>FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES<sup>1</sup></b>						
Total farm production expenses . . . . . farms..	735	10	9	23	55	65
\$1,000..	35 350	11 494	3 939	4 594	5 989	3 001
Average per farm . . . . . dollars..	48 096	1 149 421	437 691	199 750	108 894	46 164
Livestock and poultry purchased . . . . . farms..	161	—	2	5	14	19
\$1,000..	848	—	(D)	160	266	93
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	122	—	1	1	6	10
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	29	—	—	1	4	9
\$25,000 to \$99,999 . . . . .	9	—	1	3	3	—
\$100,000 to \$249,999 . . . . .	1	—	—	—	1	—
\$250,000 or more . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
Feed for livestock and poultry . . . . . farms..	271	—	3	7	21	23
\$1,000..	2 924	—	(D)	735	949	441
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	211	—	1	1	6	7
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	30	—	—	—	—	9
\$25,000 to \$99,999 . . . . .	22	—	1	1	13	7
\$100,000 to \$249,999 . . . . .	7	—	—	5	2	—
\$250,000 or more . . . . .	1	—	1	—	—	—
Commercially mixed formula feeds . . . . . farms..	179	—	3	6	19	19
\$1,000..	2 219	—	(D)	600	752	293
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	137	—	1	1	5	6
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	18	—	—	—	1	9
\$25,000 to \$99,999 . . . . .	17	—	1	1	11	4
\$100,000 or more . . . . .	7	—	1	4	2	—
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees . . . . . farms..	383	8	7	17	40	44
\$1,000..	2 027	(D)	(D)	173	277	191
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999 . . . . .	213	—	1	2	10	9
\$1,000 to \$4,999 . . . . .	107	—	1	5	15	22
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	50	2	2	9	12	13
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	7	2	1	1	3	—
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	6	4	2	—	—	—
Commercial fertilizer . . . . . farms..	493	10	8	20	47	48
\$1,000..	1 528	(D)	194	225	256	116
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	439	1	—	9	32	42
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	40	2	5	8	14	6
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	10	4	2	3	1	—
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	4	3	1	—	—	—
Agricultural chemicals . . . . . farms..	347	10	8	21	37	38
\$1,000..	824	(D)	109	92	142	93
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	309	3	4	14	25	33
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	32	4	2	7	12	5
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	5	2	2	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	1	1	—	—	—	—
Petroleum products . . . . . farms..	694	10	9	23	55	62
\$1,000..	1 642	341	165	234	336	137
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	628	1	1	8	30	56
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	54	3	5	12	25	6
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	10	4	3	3	—	—
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	2	2	—	—	—	—
Gasoline and gasohol . . . . . farms..	602	10	9	19	50	49
\$1,000..	594	(D)	50	70	110	(D)
Diesel fuel . . . . . farms..	380	10	8	20	40	45
\$1,000..	596	(D)	69	101	94	41
Natural gas . . . . . farms..	30	1	—	3	6	5
\$1,000..	48	(D)	—	(D)	15	(D)
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc. . . . . farms..	485	10	9	22	52	52
\$1,000..	404	56	47	(D)	117	37

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

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Item	\$25,000 to \$49,999	\$10,000 to \$24,999	\$5,000 to \$9,999	\$2,500 to \$4,999	\$1,000 to \$2,499	Less than \$1,000
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD—Con.</b>						
Total sales (see text)—Con.						
Hogs and pigs . . . . . farms..	6	12	10	7	5	1
\$1,000..	94	88	44	13	(D)	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more . . . . . farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sheep, lambs, and wool . . . . . farms..	1	4	12	12	12	10
\$1,000..	(D)	(D)	31	13	5	4
Sales of \$50,000 or more . . . . . farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other livestock and livestock products (see text) . . . . . farms..	4	14	13	10	10	7
\$1,000..	57	95	33	27	11	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more . . . . . farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text) . . . . . farms..	20	30	19	20	9	4
\$1,000..	332	264	54	48	13	2
<b>FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES<sup>1</sup></b>						
Total farm production expenses . . . . . farms..	72	109	92	90	93	117
\$1,000..	1 686	1 425	823	844	525	1 030
Average per farm . . . . . dollars..	23 419	13 071	8 948	9 375	5 649	8 800
Livestock and poultry purchased . . . . . farms..	12	20	24	25	20	20
\$1,000..	70	75	36	49	(D)	14
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	10	14	22	22	17	19
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	—	6	2	3	3	1
\$25,000 to \$99,999 . . . . .	2	—	—	—	—	—
\$100,000 to \$249,999 . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$250,000 or more . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
Feed for livestock and poultry . . . . . farms..	14	36	36	45	36	50
\$1,000..	61	105	71	71	(D)	87
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	11	29	34	42	35	45
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	3	7	2	3	1	5
\$25,000 to \$99,999 . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$100,000 to \$249,999 . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$250,000 or more . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
Commercially mixed formula feeds . . . . . farms..	12	19	19	32	18	32
\$1,000..	42	39	(D)	50	13	43
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	10	18	19	30	17	30
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	2	1	—	2	1	2
\$25,000 to \$99,999 . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$100,000 or more . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees . . . . . farms..	56	69	43	45	31	23
\$1,000..	132	85	18	9	7	3
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999 . . . . .	19	38	37	44	30	23
\$1,000 to \$4,999 . . . . .	29	27	6	1	1	—
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	8	4	—	—	—	—
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
Commercial fertilizer . . . . . farms..	60	84	62	59	52	43
\$1,000..	89	80	38	46	24	(D)
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	57	84	62	57	52	43
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	3	—	—	2	—	—
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
Agricultural chemicals . . . . . farms..	54	56	34	29	31	29
\$1,000..	59	64	22	(D)	6	(D)
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	53	55	33	29	31	29
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	1	—	1	—	—	—
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	—	1	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
Petroleum products . . . . . farms..	69	107	89	87	87	96
\$1,000..	125	104	73	52	26	48
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	66	107	89	87	87	96
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	3	—	—	—	—	—
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
Gasoline and gasohol . . . . . farms..	57	96	80	73	78	81
\$1,000..	48	55	34	28	16	(D)
Diesel fuel . . . . . farms..	45	56	49	45	24	38
\$1,000..	(D)	25	(D)	17	(D)	12
Natural gas . . . . . farms..	1	—	4	3	2	5
\$1,000..	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	1
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc. . . . . farms..	64	74	59	55	39	49
\$1,000..	45	25	15	(D)	5	(D)

See footnotes at end of table.

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

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

Item	All farms	\$1,000,000 or more	\$500,000 to \$999,999	\$250,000 to \$499,999	\$100,000 to \$249,999	\$50,000 to \$99,999
<b>FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES<sup>1</sup></b>						
—Con.						
Total farm production expenses—Con.						
Electricity . . . . . farms . . . . .	505	10	8	20	52	57
\$1,000 . . . . .	743	103	(D)	105	171	114
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999 . . . . .	347	1	—	6	12	18
\$1,000 to \$4,999 . . . . .	121	1	3	3	29	36
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	37	8	5	8	11	3
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hired farm labor . . . . . farms . . . . .	277	10	9	22	51	43
\$1,000 . . . . .	10 755	5 243	1 373	1 430	1 678	516
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	128	—	—	—	1	12
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	75	—	2	2	22	25
\$25,000 to \$99,999 . . . . .	51	1	—	16	25	6
\$100,000 to \$249,999 . . . . .	13	—	6	4	3	—
\$250,000 or more . . . . .	10	9	1	—	—	—
Workers by days worked:						
150 days or more . . . . . farms . . . . .	158	10	9	21	46	30
workers . . . . .	657	206	85	134	111	54
Less than 150 days . . . . . farms . . . . .	229	5	6	12	37	34
workers . . . . .	768	52	(D)	64	143	109
Contract labor . . . . . farms . . . . .	83	3	5	3	14	13
\$1,000 . . . . .	725	395	158	42	30	33
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999 . . . . .	32	—	—	—	4	3
\$1,000 to \$4,999 . . . . .	38	—	2	—	9	9
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	8	—	1	3	1	1
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	1	—	1	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	4	3	1	—	—	—
Repair and maintenance . . . . . farms . . . . .	605	10	9	20	50	61
\$1,000 . . . . .	2 655	674	229	359	366	248
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	489	—	—	4	22	43
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	98	3	5	11	27	17
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	11	2	2	5	1	1
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	7	5	2	—	—	—
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment . . . . . farms . . . . .	122	4	7	11	16	8
\$1,000 . . . . .	289	(D)	(D)	42	56	17
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999 . . . . .	65	—	—	1	4	3
\$1,000 to \$4,999 . . . . .	41	—	2	8	8	4
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	16	4	5	2	4	1
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
Interest . . . . . farms . . . . .	218	10	8	12	35	33
\$1,000 . . . . .	1 744	703	92	168	249	198
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	143	1	2	4	21	18
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	61	1	5	6	11	15
\$25,000 to \$99,999 . . . . .	12	6	1	2	3	—
\$100,000 or more . . . . .	2	2	—	—	—	—
Secured by real estate . . . . . farms . . . . .	152	6	6	8	23	22
\$1,000 . . . . .	1 092	(D)	79	105	167	152
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999 . . . . .	29	—	—	—	2	4
\$1,000 to \$4,999 . . . . .	66	—	1	2	12	6
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	49	—	5	5	8	12
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	5	3	—	1	1	—
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	3	3	—	—	—	—
Not secured by real estate . . . . . farms . . . . .	105	6	3	8	17	18
\$1,000 . . . . .	652	(D)	13	64	83	46
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999 . . . . .	41	—	—	2	3	4
\$1,000 to \$4,999 . . . . .	41	1	1	2	7	10
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	18	1	2	4	6	4
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	3	2	—	—	1	—
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	2	2	—	—	—	—
Cash rent . . . . . farms . . . . .	135	7	4	11	26	24
\$1,000 . . . . .	1 021	(D)	(D)	123	126	91
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	104	—	2	3	19	17
\$5,000 to \$9,999 . . . . .	14	1	—	2	5	6
\$10,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	10	1	1	6	1	1
\$25,000 or more . . . . .	7	5	1	—	1	—
Property taxes . . . . . farms . . . . .	681	9	8	23	51	62
\$1,000 . . . . .	2 640	(D)	(D)	176	267	203
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	529	2	1	10	29	50
\$5,000 to \$9,999 . . . . .	108	1	1	7	16	9
\$10,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	37	5	4	5	6	3
\$25,000 or more . . . . .	7	1	2	1	—	—
All other farm production expenses . . . . . farms . . . . .	663	10	9	23	55	65
\$1,000 . . . . .	4 985	1 671	689	529	819	510
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	514	—	1	5	13	27
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	112	2	2	8	30	37
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	20	2	1	7	3	1
\$50,000 to \$99,999 . . . . .	8	1	1	3	—	—
\$100,000 or more . . . . .	9	5	4	—	—	—

See footnotes at end of table.

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

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

Item	\$25,000 to \$49,999	\$10,000 to \$24,999	\$5,000 to \$9,999	\$2,500 to \$4,999	\$1,000 to \$2,499	Less than \$1,000
<b>FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES<sup>1</sup></b>						
—Con.						
Total farm production expenses—Con.						
Electricity . . . . . farms . . . . .	57	74	60	53	44	70
Electricity . . . . . \$1,000 . . . . .	52	39	21	22	11	(D)
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999 . . . . .	38	65	53	49	43	62
\$1,000 to \$4,999 . . . . .	18	9	7	4	1	7
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	1	—	—	—	—	1
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hired farm labor . . . . . farms . . . . .	33	35	26	19	13	16
Hired farm labor . . . . . \$1,000 . . . . .	265	95	21	28	10	96
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	14	30	26	17	13	15
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	17	5	—	2	—	—
\$25,000 to \$99,999 . . . . .	2	—	—	—	—	1
\$100,000 to \$249,999 . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$250,000 or more . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
Workers by days worked:						
150 days or more . . . . . farms . . . . .	18	5	5	3	4	7
150 days or more . . . . . workers . . . . .	35	(D)	(D)	(D)	5	9
Less than 150 days . . . . . farms . . . . .	28	35	26	19	13	14
Less than 150 days . . . . . workers . . . . .	119	75	62	42	(D)	21
Contract labor . . . . . farms . . . . .	8	14	7	9	4	3
Contract labor . . . . . \$1,000 . . . . .	28	18	9	4	1	6
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999 . . . . .	2	5	5	8	4	1
\$1,000 to \$4,999 . . . . .	4	9	2	1	—	2
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	2	—	—	—	—	—
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
Repair and maintenance . . . . . farms . . . . .	63	97	78	76	59	82
Repair and maintenance . . . . . \$1,000 . . . . .	145	178	112	123	73	147
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	57	91	71	71	56	74
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	6	6	7	5	3	8
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment . . . . . farms . . . . .	6	9	19	14	15	13
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment . . . . . \$1,000 . . . . .	4	8	11	(D)	(D)	6
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999 . . . . .	4	5	14	9	13	12
\$1,000 to \$4,999 . . . . .	2	4	5	5	2	1
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
Interest . . . . . farms . . . . .	38	24	16	14	10	18
Interest . . . . . \$1,000 . . . . .	123	75	21	53	15	48
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	30	17	16	11	10	13
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	8	7	—	3	—	5
\$25,000 to \$99,999 . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$100,000 or more . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
Secured by real estate . . . . . farms . . . . .	28	15	9	10	8	17
Secured by real estate . . . . . \$1,000 . . . . .	94	56	18	45	(D)	(D)
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999 . . . . .	7	1	3	3	1	8
\$1,000 to \$4,999 . . . . .	15	9	6	4	7	4
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	6	5	—	3	—	5
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
Not secured by real estate . . . . . farms . . . . .	21	14	7	6	3	2
Not secured by real estate . . . . . \$1,000 . . . . .	29	19	2	8	(D)	(D)
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999 . . . . .	11	8	7	2	2	2
\$1,000 to \$4,999 . . . . .	9	6	—	4	1	—
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	1	—	—	—	—	—
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cash rent . . . . . farms . . . . .	19	17	11	9	5	2
Cash rent . . . . . \$1,000 . . . . .	28	13	6	4	1	(D)
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	19	17	11	9	5	2
\$5,000 to \$9,999 . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$10,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$25,000 or more . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
Property taxes . . . . . farms . . . . .	65	98	82	83	87	113
Property taxes . . . . . \$1,000 . . . . .	249	295	254	264	244	431
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	52	83	66	70	80	86
\$5,000 to \$9,999 . . . . .	9	13	12	12	5	23
\$10,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	3	1	4	1	2	3
\$25,000 or more . . . . .	1	1	—	—	—	1
All other farm production expenses . . . . . farms . . . . .	72	108	81	75	73	92
All other farm production expenses . . . . . \$1,000 . . . . .	255	191	110	91	48	72
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	50	101	80	74	72	91
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	22	7	1	1	1	1
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 to \$99,999 . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$100,000 or more . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—

See footnotes at end of table.

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

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

Item	All farms	\$1,000,000 or more	\$500,000 to \$999,999	\$250,000 to \$499,999	\$100,000 to \$249,999	\$50,000 to \$99,999
<b>NET CASH RETURN FROM AGRICULTURAL SALES AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS FOR THE FARM UNIT (SEE TEXT)<sup>1</sup></b>						
All farms..... number..	735	10	9	23	55	65
..... \$1,000..	12 972	4 991	1 556	3 218	2 391	1 793
..... dollars..	17 649	499 083	172 907	139 930	43 472	27 587
Farms with net gains <sup>2</sup> ..... number..	356	10	9	21	47	60
..... Average net gain..... dollars..	45 042	499 083	172 907	(D)	54 986	31 090
Gain of—						
Less than \$1,000.....	35	—	—	—	—	3
\$1,000 to \$9,999.....	129	—	—	2	3	6
\$10,000 to \$49,999.....	118	—	1	3	18	37
\$50,000 or more.....	74	10	8	16	26	14
Farms with net losses..... number..	379	—	—	2	8	5
..... Average net loss..... dollars..	8 082	—	—	(D)	24 172	14 447
Loss of—						
Less than \$1,000.....	40	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000 to \$9,999.....	251	—	—	—	1	2
\$10,000 to \$49,999.....	85	—	—	1	7	3
\$50,000 or more.....	3	—	—	1	—	—
<b>GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS AND OTHER FARM-RELATED INCOME</b>						
Government payments..... farms..	46	2	1	2	8	15
..... \$1,000..	122	(D)	(D)	(D)	25	43
Other farm-related income <sup>1</sup> ..... farms..	128	—	1	6	18	11
..... \$1,000..	792	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	88
Customwork and other agricultural services..... farms..	43	—	—	3	4	5
..... \$1,000..	511	—	—	(D)	(D)	(D)
Gross cash rent or share payments..... farms..	26	—	—	—	2	2
..... \$1,000..	85	—	—	—	(D)	(D)
Forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products..... farms..	41	—	—	1	3	1
..... \$1,000..	79	—	—	(D)	(D)	(D)
Other farm-related income sources..... farms..	43	—	1	2	12	6
..... \$1,000..	117	—	(D)	(D)	26	8
<b>COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS</b>						
Total..... farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Corn..... farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wheat..... farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Soybeans..... farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sorghum, barley, and oats..... farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton..... farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sunflower seed, flaxseed, safflower, canola, other rapeseed, and mustard seed..... farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Peanuts, rice, and tobacco..... farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—
<b>LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE</b>						
Total cropland..... farms..	661	10	8	22	51	59
..... acres..	25 611	(D)	(D)	2 927	3 293	2 668
Harvested cropland..... farms..	606	10	8	22	49	56
..... acres..	19 019	(D)	(D)	2 547	2 857	2 247
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 49 acres.....	494	1	2	9	26	41
50 to 99 acres.....	68	1	1	5	14	9
100 to 199 acres.....	28	3	4	4	8	2
200 to 499 acres.....	14	4	1	3	1	4
500 to 999 acres.....	2	1	—	1	—	—
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	—	—	—	—	—	—
2,000 acres or more.....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cropland:						
Pasture or grazing only..... farms..	224	2	2	3	12	14
..... acres..	4 730	(D)	(D)	108	(D)	(D)
In cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured..... farms..	45	2	1	2	3	5
..... acres..	617	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
On which all crops failed..... farms..	16	—	1	—	2	—
..... acres..	93	—	(D)	—	(D)	—
In cultivated summer fallow..... farms..	8	—	—	1	—	—
..... acres..	203	—	—	(D)	—	—
Idle..... farms..	74	2	2	2	8	5
..... acres..	949	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	72
Total woodland..... farms..	350	3	6	9	24	30
..... acres..	18 802	277	2 146	1 157	942	1 895
Woodland pastured..... farms..	95	1	—	3	7	3
..... acres..	1 769	(D)	—	99	98	(D)
Woodland not pastured..... farms..	311	3	6	7	22	28
..... acres..	17 033	(D)	2 146	1 058	844	(D)

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

Item	\$25,000 to \$49,999	\$10,000 to \$24,999	\$5,000 to \$9,999	\$2,500 to \$4,999	\$1,000 to \$2,499	Less than \$1,000
<b>NET CASH RETURN FROM AGRICULTURAL SALES AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS FOR THE FARM UNIT (SEE TEXT)<sup>1</sup></b>						
All farms..... number..	72	109	92	90	93	117
..... \$1,000..	811	310	-194	-522	-376	-1 007
Average per farm..... dollars..	11 267	2 841	-2 105	-5 801	-4 047	-8 604
Farms with net gains <sup>2</sup> ..... number..	62	77	40	13	15	2
Average net gain..... dollars..	15 532	7 880	3 044	1 596	662	(D)
Gain of—						
Less than \$1,000.....	1	4	7	5	13	2
\$1,000 to \$9,999.....	22	53	33	8	2	—
\$10,000 to \$49,999.....	39	20	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more.....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Farms with net losses..... number..	10	32	52	77	78	115
Average net loss..... dollars..	15 181	9 283	6 065	7 049	4 953	(D)
Loss of—						
Less than \$1,000.....	1	5	6	8	9	11
\$1,000 to \$9,999.....	2	19	37	51	62	77
\$10,000 to \$49,999.....	7	8	9	17	7	26
\$50,000 or more.....	—	—	—	1	—	1
<b>GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS AND OTHER FARM-RELATED INCOME</b>						
Government payments..... farms..	2	7	3	3	2	1
..... \$1,000..	(D)	2	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Other farm-related income <sup>1</sup> ..... farms..	11	11	18	20	16	16
..... \$1,000..	36	44	69	72	53	59
Customwork and other agricultural services..... farms..	2	5	9	7	4	4
..... \$1,000..	(D)	(D)	(D)	15	(D)	13
Gross cash rent or share payments..... farms..	2	4	6	4	3	3
..... \$1,000..	(D)	(D)	12	21	(D)	14
Forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products..... farms..	6	3	8	6	7	6
..... \$1,000..	23	3	15	(D)	10	10
Other farm-related income sources..... farms..	3	2	2	7	4	4
..... \$1,000..	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	22
<b>COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS</b>						
Total..... farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Corn..... farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wheat..... farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Soybeans..... farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sorghum, barley, and oats..... farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton..... farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sunflower seed, flaxseed, safflower, canola, other rapeseed, and mustard seed..... farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Peanuts, rice, and tobacco..... farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—
<b>LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE</b>						
Total cropland..... farms..	70	103	85	85	79	89
..... acres..	2 326	3 676	1 705	2 306	1 099	1 327
Harvested cropland..... farms..	70	101	81	78	65	66
..... acres..	1 772	2 304	1 025	1 268	697	546
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 49 acres.....	58	82	77	70	62	66
50 to 99 acres.....	9	15	4	7	3	—
100 to 199 acres.....	3	3	—	1	—	—
200 to 499 acres.....	—	1	—	—	—	—
500 to 999 acres.....	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	—	—	—	—	—	—
2,000 acres or more.....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cropland:						
Pasture or grazing only..... farms..	14	26	28	39	32	52
..... acres..	(D)	1 163	556	896	331	765
In cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured..... farms..	7	8	6	1	7	3
..... acres..	(D)	118	44	(D)	(D)	(D)
On which all crops failed..... farms..	5	3	3	—	2	—
..... acres..	29	(D)	(D)	—	(D)	—
In cultivated summer fallow..... farms..	1	2	1	2	—	1
..... acres..	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	(D)
Idle..... farms..	13	12	11	5	9	5
..... acres..	173	81	75	(D)	31	11
Total woodland..... farms..	35	50	44	44	51	54
..... acres..	2 803	2 420	1 646	1 632	1 810	2 074
Woodland pastured..... farms..	10	11	16	15	14	15
..... acres..	390	258	358	103	186	127
Woodland not pastured..... farms..	31	46	35	37	48	48
..... acres..	2 413	2 162	1 288	1 529	1 624	1 947

See footnotes at end of table.



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

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

Item	All farms	\$1,000,000 or more	\$500,000 to \$999,999	\$250,000 to \$499,999	\$100,000 to \$249,999	\$50,000 to \$99,999
<b>LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE—Con.</b>						
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured..... farms..	130	1	2	7	11	10
acres..	2 661	(D)	(D)	359	(D)	(D)
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. .... farms..	515	5	8	16	34	48
acres..	8 182	53	620	335	588	(D)
Irrigated land ..... farms..	180	10	3	13	22	28
acres..	3 265	1 464	(D)	(D)	(D)	150
Harvested cropland irrigated ..... farms..	177	10	3	13	22	28
acres..	3 176	1 464	(D)	656	(D)	150
Pasture and other land irrigated ..... farms..	7	—	1	1	—	—
acres..	89	—	(D)	(D)	—	—
Land under Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs ..... farms..	5	1	—	—	—	—
acres..	(D)	(D)	—	—	—	—
<b>VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS<sup>1</sup></b>						
Estimated market value of land and buildings ..... farms..	735	10	9	23	55	65
\$1,000..	325 166	(D)	(D)	21 505	33 958	31 938
Average per farm ..... dollars..	442 402	(D)	(D)	934 985	617 421	491 351
Average per acre ..... dollars..	5 885	(D)	(D)	4 501	6 534	6 042
Farms by value group:						
\$1 to \$39,999 .....	48	—	—	—	3	4
\$40,000 to \$69,999 .....	39	—	—	—	—	2
\$70,000 to \$99,999 .....	24	—	—	—	—	2
\$100,000 to \$149,999 .....	64	—	1	—	6	4
\$150,000 to \$199,999 .....	67	—	1	2	3	5
\$200,000 to \$499,999 .....	289	—	1	4	15	27
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....	126	—	3	7	15	10
\$1,000,000 to \$1,999,999 .....	63	5	3	8	11	10
\$2,000,000 to \$4,999,999 .....	12	3	—	2	2	1
\$5,000,000 or more .....	3	2	—	—	—	—
<b>VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup></b>						
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ..... farms..	735	10	9	23	55	65
\$1,000..	28 517	3 219	2 276	3 144	4 251	2 515
Farms by value group:						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	90	—	—	—	—	2
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	112	—	1	2	1	7
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....	169	1	1	2	9	14
\$20,000 to \$49,999 .....	220	—	—	3	14	24
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	84	2	2	6	18	11
\$100,000 to \$199,999 .....	40	2	1	4	10	7
\$200,000 to \$499,999 .....	14	3	3	5	1	—
\$500,000 or more .....	6	2	1	1	2	—
<b>SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup></b>						
Motortrucks, including pickups ..... farms..	637	10	9	23	55	62
number..	1 397	(D)	(D)	109	185	141
Wheel tractors ..... farms..	630	9	8	23	46	58
number..	1 539	(D)	(D)	108	172	139
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms..	442	9	5	18	36	28
number..	755	(D)	(D)	(D)	75	50
40 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms..	413	9	6	21	32	45
number..	784	(D)	(D)	(D)	97	89
40 to 99 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms..	398	9	6	18	32	43
number..	688	(D)	23	(D)	81	82
100 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms..	68	7	2	10	10	6
number..	96	9	(D)	20	16	7
Grain and bean combines ..... farms..	12	—	1	2	4	—
number..	16	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	—
Cotton pickers and strippers ..... farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
number..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Mower conditioners ..... farms..	166	1	2	5	16	9
number..	189	(D)	(D)	(D)	19	9
Pickup balers ..... farms..	170	—	2	5	16	11
number..	189	—	(D)	8	(D)	14
<b>AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS<sup>1</sup></b>						
Commercial fertilizer ..... farms..	480	10	8	20	47	47
acres on which used..	15 580	(D)	(D)	2 052	2 439	1 870
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—						
Insects on hay and other crops ..... farms..	199	10	7	8	21	24
acres on which used..	5 973	(D)	(D)	(D)	880	(D)
Nematodes in crops ..... farms..	14	1	—	—	2	—
acres on which used..	(D)	(D)	—	—	(D)	—
Diseases in crops and orchards ..... farms..	118	6	3	6	14	15
acres on which used..	2 351	381	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture ..... farms..	175	9	6	15	28	20
acres on which used..	8 557	(D)	(D)	1 645	1 852	782
Chemicals used on crops to control growth, thin fruit, or defoliate ..... farms..	19	—	1	—	4	2
acres on which used..	265	—	(D)	—	(D)	(D)

See footnotes at end of table.

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

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

Item	\$25,000 to \$49,999	\$10,000 to \$24,999	\$5,000 to \$9,999	\$2,500 to \$4,999	\$1,000 to \$2,499	Less than \$1,000
<b>LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE—Con.</b>						
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured..... farms..	9	18	17	16	9	30
acres..	130	482	(D)	(D)	(D)	421
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. .... farms..	51	70	66	58	67	92
acres..	957	1 222	(D)	(D)	(D)	1 157
Irrigated land ..... farms..	34	24	21	11	11	3
acres..	262	104	37	(D)	16	10
Harvested cropland irrigated ..... farms..	33	23	21	11	11	2
acres..	254	(D)	37	(D)	16	(D)
Pasture and other land irrigated ..... farms..	3	1	—	—	—	1
acres..	8	(D)	—	—	—	(D)
Land under Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs ..... farms..	—	2	—	—	2	—
acres..	—	(D)	—	—	(D)	—
<b>VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS<sup>1</sup></b>						
Estimated market value of land and buildings ..... farms..	72	109	92	90	93	117
\$1,000..	31 548	42 866	31 979	32 982	23 870	35 322
Average per farm ..... dollars..	438 162	393 270	347 602	366 472	256 669	301 899
Average per acre ..... dollars..	5 075	5 496	7 654	6 199	5 950	7 094
Farms by value group:						
\$1 to \$39,999 .....	5	9	5	7	7	8
\$40,000 to \$69,999 .....	2	10	8	4	4	9
\$70,000 to \$99,999 .....	2	6	4	1	5	4
\$100,000 to \$149,999 .....	5	5	11	9	15	8
\$150,000 to \$199,999 .....	6	10	11	8	11	10
\$200,000 to \$499,999 .....	29	39	31	48	39	56
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....	16	20	15	9	11	20
\$1,000,000 to \$1,999,999 .....	6	8	6	3	1	2
\$2,000,000 to \$4,999,999 .....	1	2	1	—	—	—
\$5,000,000 or more .....	—	—	—	1	—	—
<b>VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup></b>						
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ..... farms..	72	109	92	90	93	117
\$1,000..	2 203	2 781	2 160	1 875	1 834	2 261
Farms by value group:						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	7	9	17	12	18	25
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	8	20	16	16	17	24
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....	17	27	20	26	23	29
\$20,000 to \$49,999 .....	24	39	31	28	26	31
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	13	11	3	7	8	3
\$100,000 to \$199,999 .....	3	2	4	1	1	5
\$200,000 to \$499,999 .....	—	1	1	—	—	—
\$500,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
<b>SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup></b>						
Motortrucks, including pickups ..... farms..	59	87	76	72	81	103
number..	114	151	133	124	109	164
Wheel tractors ..... farms..	68	93	74	74	76	101
number..	155	192	161	157	130	187
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms..	53	66	50	49	54	74
number..	84	104	79	83	72	107
40 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms..	47	54	50	51	36	62
number..	71	88	82	74	58	80
40 to 99 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms..	46	54	49	48	34	59
number..	65	(D)	72	66	50	74
100 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms..	6	2	7	6	6	6
number..	6	(D)	10	8	8	6
Grain and bean combines ..... farms..	1	1	1	1	1	—
number..	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—
Cotton pickers and strippers ..... farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
number..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Mower conditioners ..... farms..	15	25	31	26	16	20
number..	19	26	36	28	23	21
Pickup balers ..... farms..	16	27	25	31	17	20
number..	17	31	28	(D)	19	21
<b>AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS<sup>1</sup></b>						
Commercial fertilizer ..... farms..	60	79	59	59	50	41
acres on which used..	1 231	1 944	817	876	433	376
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—						
Insects on hay and other crops ..... farms..	37	33	18	15	17	9
acres on which used..	391	529	126	93	85	(D)
Nematodes in crops ..... farms..	2	4	1	2	1	1
acres on which used..	(D)	34	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Diseases in crops and orchards ..... farms..	23	14	14	10	9	4
acres on which used..	153	302	108	40	47	8
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture ..... farms..	21	29	18	15	7	7
acres on which used..	374	504	188	559	30	44
Chemicals used on crops to control growth, thin fruit, or defoliate ..... farms..	4	3	1	3	1	—
acres on which used..	(D)	(D)	(D)	8	(D)	—

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

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

Item	All farms	\$1,000,000 or more	\$500,000 to \$999,999	\$250,000 to \$499,999	\$100,000 to \$249,999	\$50,000 to \$99,999
<b>TENURE AND RACE OF OPERATOR</b>						
All operators .....	735	10	9	23	55	65
Full owners .....	506	2	5	8	27	35
Part owners .....	167	6	3	12	23	24
Tenants .....	62	2	1	3	5	6
White .....	732	10	9	23	55	65
Full owners .....	503	2	5	8	27	35
Part owners .....	167	6	3	12	23	24
Tenants .....	62	2	1	3	5	6
Black and other races .....	3	—	—	—	—	—
Full owners .....	3	—	—	—	—	—
Part owners .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tenants .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
<b>OWNED AND RENTED LAND</b>						
Land owned .....	farms.. 673	8	8	20	50	59
acres..	42 430	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	3 420
Owned land in farms .....	farms.. 673	8	8	20	50	59
acres..	41 526	1 710	3 800	2 757	(D)	3 359
Land rented or leased from others .....	farms.. 229	8	4	15	28	30
acres..	13 800	(D)	(D)	(D)	2 153	(D)
landlords..	564	(D)	(D)	65	91	95
Rented or leased land in farms .....	farms.. 229	8	4	15	28	30
acres..	13 730	1 633	(D)	2 021	2 153	1 927
Land rented or leased to others .....	farms.. 41	—	1	—	2	2
acres..	974	—	(D)	—	(D)	(D)
<b>OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS</b>						
Operators by place of residence:						
On farm operated .....	527	5	7	13	38	35
Not on farm operated .....	125	5	1	9	16	22
Not reported .....	83	—	1	1	1	8
Operators by principal occupation:						
Farming .....	370	10	9	19	48	48
Other .....	365	—	—	4	7	17
Operators by days worked off farm:						
None .....	328	9	8	15	42	35
Any .....	381	1	—	5	12	25
1 to 99 days .....	50	1	—	—	7	4
100 to 199 days .....	71	—	—	3	—	9
200 days or more .....	260	—	—	2	5	12
Not reported .....	26	—	1	3	1	5
Operators by years on present farm:						
2 years or less .....	30	—	—	1	1	3
3 or 4 years .....	34	—	—	—	2	4
5 to 9 years .....	70	—	—	—	3	6
10 years or more .....	447	10	7	17	44	43
Average years on present farm .....	20.4	30.4	27.1	29.3	24.8	20.5
Not reported .....	154	—	2	5	5	9
Operators by age group:						
Under 25 years .....	6	—	—	—	1	2
25 to 34 years .....	37	—	—	1	2	4
35 to 44 years .....	153	2	2	4	11	14
45 to 49 years .....	92	2	2	3	6	10
50 to 54 years .....	102	2	1	4	6	9
55 to 59 years .....	95	—	1	4	10	6
60 to 64 years .....	79	1	2	2	8	6
65 to 69 years .....	57	2	—	3	6	5
70 years and over .....	114	1	1	2	5	9
Average age .....	54.1	55.2	54.7	53.1	54.5	51.6
Operators by sex:						
Male .....	620	10	8	22	51	57
Female .....	115	—	1	1	4	8
Operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin (see text) .....						
	7	—	—	—	—	1
<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION</b>						
Individual or family (sole proprietorship) .....	farms.. 573	1	2	7	37	49
acres..	36 304	(D)	(D)	(D)	3 697	4 220
Partnership .....	farms.. 54	1	—	2	8	5
acres..	(D)	(D)	—	(D)	668	(D)
Corporation:						
Family held .....	farms.. 92	8	6	13	9	9
acres..	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
More than 10 stockholders .....	farms.. 1	—	1	—	—	—
10 or less stockholders .....	farms.. 91	8	5	13	9	9
Other than family held .....	farms.. 6	—	1	1	1	1
acres..	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
More than 10 stockholders .....	farms.. 1	—	—	—	—	—
10 or less stockholders .....	farms.. 5	—	1	1	—	1
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. ....						
farms..	10	—	—	—	—	1
acres..	(D)	—	—	—	—	(D)

See footnotes at end of table.

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

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

Item	\$25,000 to \$49,999	\$10,000 to \$24,999	\$5,000 to \$9,999	\$2,500 to \$4,999	\$1,000 to \$2,499	Less than \$1,000
<b>TENURE AND RACE OF OPERATOR</b>						
All operators .....	72	109	92	90	93	117
Full owners .....	43	73	67	66	78	102
Part owners .....	20	23	15	19	12	10
Tenants .....	9	13	10	5	3	5
White .....	71	109	92	90	92	116
Full owners .....	42	73	67	66	77	101
Part owners .....	20	23	15	19	12	10
Tenants .....	9	13	10	5	3	5
Black and other races .....	1	—	—	—	1	1
Full owners .....	1	—	—	—	1	1
Part owners .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tenants .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
<b>OWNED AND RENTED LAND</b>						
Land owned .....	63	96	82	85	90	112
farms .....	63	96	82	85	90	112
acres .....	5 207	5 791	3 462	4 883	3 442	(D)
Owned land in farms .....	63	96	82	85	90	112
farms .....	63	96	82	85	90	112
acres .....	5 039	5 723	3 356	4 747	(D)	(D)
Land rented or leased from others .....	29	36	25	24	15	15
farms .....	29	36	25	24	15	15
acres .....	(D)	2 077	822	(D)	(D)	231
landlords .....	47	79	44	49	24	26
Rented or leased land in farms .....	29	36	25	24	15	15
farms .....	29	36	25	24	15	15
acres .....	1 177	2 077	822	574	(D)	(D)
Land rented or leased to others .....	6	6	6	5	6	7
farms .....	6	6	6	5	6	7
acres .....	(D)	68	106	(D)	(D)	(D)
<b>OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS</b>						
Operators by place of residence:						
On farm operated .....	47	77	71	73	66	95
Not on farm operated .....	17	13	12	8	12	10
Not reported .....	8	19	9	9	15	12
Operators by principal occupation:						
Farming .....	47	62	33	28	27	39
Other .....	25	47	59	62	66	78
Operators by days worked off farm:						
None .....	41	54	32	27	23	42
Any .....	30	51	58	61	65	73
1 to 99 days .....	5	6	4	6	9	8
100 to 199 days .....	8	3	12	12	15	9
200 days or more .....	17	42	42	43	41	56
Not reported .....	1	4	2	2	5	2
Operators by years on present farm:						
2 years or less .....	3	3	7	4	2	6
3 or 4 years .....	3	7	3	6	1	8
5 to 9 years .....	11	11	6	12	11	10
10 years or more .....	43	59	59	51	48	66
Average years on present farm .....	18.1	20.2	18.3	18.0	20.4	19.9
Not reported .....	12	29	17	17	31	27
Operators by age group:						
Under 25 years .....	2	—	—	1	—	—
25 to 34 years .....	5	6	7	4	4	4
35 to 44 years .....	18	25	22	26	15	14
45 to 49 years .....	8	10	11	12	11	17
50 to 54 years .....	11	13	12	12	16	16
55 to 59 years .....	6	15	12	6	12	23
60 to 64 years .....	6	8	13	10	9	14
65 to 69 years .....	3	12	5	6	7	8
70 years and over .....	13	20	10	13	19	21
Average age .....	52.0	55.0	52.5	52.5	56.5	56.6
Operators by sex:						
Male .....	65	86	75	76	77	93
Female .....	7	23	17	14	16	24
Operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin (see text) .....						
	1	2	3	—	—	—
<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION</b>						
Individual or family (sole proprietorship) .....	50	87	77	76	82	105
farms .....	50	87	77	76	82	105
acres .....	3 546	6 777	3 805	4 412	3 249	4 152
Partnership .....	9	7	9	7	3	3
farms .....	9	7	9	7	3	3
acres .....	(D)	(D)	241	441	(D)	164
Corporation:						
Family held .....	13	12	6	4	6	6
farms .....	13	12	6	4	6	6
acres .....	(D)	60	132	(D)	617	(D)
More than 10 stockholders .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
10 or less stockholders .....	13	12	6	4	6	6
Other than family held .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
acres .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
More than 10 stockholders .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
10 or less stockholders .....	—	—	—	—	1	1
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. ....						
farms .....	—	3	—	3	1	2
acres .....	—	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	(D)

See footnotes at end of table.

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

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

Item	All farms	\$1,000,000 or more	\$500,000 to \$999,999	\$250,000 to \$499,999	\$100,000 to \$249,999	\$50,000 to \$99,999
<b>INJURIES AND DEATHS</b>						
Farm-related injuries:						
Operator and family members . . . . . farms ..	4	—	—	—	—	—
number ..	5	—	—	—	—	—
Hired workers . . . . . farms ..	11	4	—	—	1	1
number ..	34	(D)	—	—	(D)	(D)
Farm-related deaths:						
Operator and family members . . . . . farms ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
number ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hired workers . . . . . farms ..	1	—	—	—	1	—
number ..	(D)	—	—	—	(D)	—
<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>						
1 to 9 acres . . . . .	181	—	—	2	10	18
10 to 49 acres . . . . .	257	—	2	4	11	19
50 to 69 acres . . . . .	77	—	1	2	5	5
70 to 99 acres . . . . .	60	—	—	5	5	3
100 to 139 acres . . . . .	53	2	1	2	9	8
140 to 179 acres . . . . .	31	1	—	—	7	1
180 to 219 acres . . . . .	22	1	1	—	4	2
220 to 259 acres . . . . .	12	—	—	1	2	4
260 to 499 acres . . . . .	27	3	1	2	2	4
500 to 999 acres . . . . .	13	3	2	5	—	1
1,000 to 1,999 acres . . . . .	1	—	—	—	—	—
2,000 acres or more . . . . .	1	—	1	—	—	—
<b>FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM</b>						
Oilseed and grain farming (1111) . . . . .	10	—	—	—	1	2
Vegetable and melon farming (1112) . . . . .	89	1	1	—	10	9
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113) . . . . .	48	—	1	—	2	4
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114) . . . . .	230	9	5	16	22	26
Other crop farming (1119) . . . . .	96	—	—	1	1	3
Tobacco farming (11191) . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton farming (11192) . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199) . . . . .	96	—	—	1	1	3
Beef cattle ranching and farming (11211) . . . . .	67	—	—	—	—	—
Cattle feedlots (11212) . . . . .	18	—	—	—	—	—
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212) . . . . .	32	—	1	4	12	14
Hog and pig farming (1122) . . . . .	22	—	—	—	1	1
Poultry and egg production (1123) . . . . .	21	—	1	2	4	1
Sheep and goat farming (1124) . . . . .	24	—	—	—	—	1
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129) . . . . .	78	—	—	—	2	4
<b>LIVESTOCK</b>						
Cattle and calves inventory . . . . . farms ..	200	—	2	5	15	16
number ..	5 749	—	(D)	861	1 516	(D)
Farms with—						
1 to 9 . . . . .	82	—	—	1	1	—
10 to 49 . . . . .	84	—	1	—	3	6
50 to 99 . . . . .	18	—	—	—	2	10
100 to 199 . . . . .	13	—	1	2	8	—
200 to 499 . . . . .	3	—	—	2	1	—
500 or more . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cows and heifers that had calved . . . . . farms ..	162	—	2	4	13	16
number ..	3 301	—	(D)	679	886	546
Beef cows . . . . . farms ..	129	—	1	2	1	5
number ..	1 062	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	28
Farms with—						
1 to 9 . . . . .	92	—	—	2	—	4
10 to 49 . . . . .	36	—	1	—	1	1
50 to 99 . . . . .	1	—	—	—	—	—
100 to 199 . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
200 to 499 . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
500 or more . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
Milk cows . . . . . farms ..	45	—	1	4	12	13
number ..	2 239	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	518
Farms with—						
1 to 4 . . . . .	13	—	—	—	—	—
5 to 9 . . . . .	1	—	—	—	2	9
10 to 49 . . . . .	12	—	—	—	9	4
50 to 99 . . . . .	14	—	—	1	1	—
100 to 199 . . . . .	4	—	1	2	—	—
200 to 499 . . . . .	1	—	—	1	—	—
500 or more . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
Heifers and heifer calves . . . . . farms ..	125	—	—	4	12	14
number ..	1 701	—	—	169	604	(D)
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves . . . . . farms ..	140	—	1	4	6	15
number ..	747	—	(D)	13	26	(D)

See footnotes at end of table.

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

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

Item	\$25,000 to \$49,999	\$10,000 to \$24,999	\$5,000 to \$9,999	\$2,500 to \$4,999	\$1,000 to \$2,499	Less than \$1,000
<b>INJURIES AND DEATHS</b>						
Farm-related injuries:						
Operator and family members .. farms .. number ..	—	2	—	1	—	1
Hired workers .. farms .. number ..	2	(D)	—	(D)	—	(D)
Farm-related deaths:						
Operator and family members .. farms .. number ..	(D)	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	—
Hired workers .. farms .. number ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>						
1 to 9 acres ..	16	31	27	21	30	26
10 to 49 acres ..	25	39	35	33	36	53
50 to 99 acres ..	9	6	12	10	11	16
100 to 139 acres ..	6	5	6	11	10	9
140 to 179 acres ..	6	9	5	4	—	7
180 to 219 acres ..	3	4	4	5	3	3
220 to 259 acres ..	2	8	2	2	—	—
260 to 499 acres ..	—	1	—	—	—	1
500 to 999 acres ..	4	4	1	2	2	2
1,000 to 1,999 acres ..	—	2	—	—	—	—
2,000 acres or more ..	1	—	—	—	—	—
<b>FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM</b>						
Oilseed and grain farming (1111) ..	1	2	—	1	3	—
Vegetable and melon farming (1112) ..	21	18	9	14	6	—
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113) ..	7	8	9	5	1	11
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114) ..	31	40	29	12	27	13
Other crop farming (1119) ..	5	21	19	23	17	6
Tobacco farming (11191) ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton farming (11192) ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199) ..	5	21	19	23	17	6
Beef cattle ranching and farming (11211) ..	1	7	8	13	16	22
Cattle feedlots (11212) ..	1	1	—	8	8	—
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212) ..	—	1	—	—	—	—
Hog and pig farming (1122) ..	2	4	6	3	2	3
Poultry and egg production (1123) ..	1	—	1	—	4	7
Sheep and goat farming (1124) ..	—	—	6	4	3	10
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129) ..	2	7	5	7	6	45
<b>LIVESTOCK</b>						
Cattle and calves inventory .. farms .. number ..	7	28	23	31	31	42
Farms with—	180	614	410	496	413	237
1 to 9 ..	2	8	7	11	16	36
10 to 49 ..	3	18	15	19	13	6
50 to 99 ..	2	1	—	1	2	—
100 to 199 ..	—	1	1	—	—	—
200 to 499 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
500 or more ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cows and heifers that had calved .. farms .. number ..	4	20	18	28	26	31
Beef cows .. farms .. number ..	70	270	164	(D)	207	114
Milk cows .. farms .. number ..	4	18	18	28	23	29
	70	(D)	(D)	211	195	109
Farms with—						
1 to 9 ..	1	7	11	21	18	28
10 to 49 ..	3	11	7	7	4	1
50 to 99 ..	—	—	—	—	1	—
100 to 199 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
200 to 499 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
500 or more ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Milk cows .. farms .. number ..	—	2	2	2	5	4
	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	12	5
Farms with—						
1 to 4 ..	—	1	2	2	4	4
5 to 9 ..	—	—	—	—	1	—
10 to 49 ..	—	1	—	—	—	—
50 to 99 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
100 to 199 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
200 to 499 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
500 or more ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Heifers and heifer calves .. farms .. number ..	3	20	16	16	17	23
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves .. farms .. number ..	29	218	103	121	129	(D)
	6	22	16	23	22	25
	81	126	143	(D)	77	(D)

See footnotes at end of table.

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

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

Item	All farms	\$1,000,000 or more	\$500,000 to \$999,999	\$250,000 to \$499,999	\$100,000 to \$249,999	\$50,000 to \$99,999
<b>LIVESTOCK—Con.</b>						
Cattle and calves sold .....	farms .. 158	—	2	4	15	17
	number .. 2 315	—	(D)	283	639	392
	\$1,000 .. 675	—	(D)	40	121	94
Calves .....	farms .. 79	—	1	4	13	16
	number .. 1 156	—	(D)	185	446	278
	\$1,000 .. 86	—	(D)	(D)	16	32
Cattle .....	farms .. 134	—	2	4	12	11
	number .. 1 159	—	(D)	98	193	114
	\$1,000 .. 589	—	(D)	(D)	105	62
Fattened on grain and concentrates .....	farms .. 27	—	—	—	—	1
	number .. (D)	—	—	—	—	(D)
	\$1,000 .. (D)	—	—	—	—	(D)
Hogs and pigs inventory .....	farms .. 60	—	1	—	2	2
	number .. 2 764	—	(D)	—	(D)	(D)
Farms with—						
1 to 24 .....	41	—	1	—	—	1
25 to 49 .....	4	—	—	—	—	—
50 to 99 .....	3	—	—	—	—	—
100 to 199 .....	7	—	—	—	2	—
200 to 499 .....	5	—	—	—	—	1
500 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Used or to be used for breeding .....	farms .. 31	—	—	—	2	1
	number .. (D)	—	—	—	(D)	(D)
Other .....	farms .. 56	—	1	—	2	2
	number .. (D)	—	(D)	—	(D)	(D)
Hogs and pigs sold .....	farms .. 45	—	1	—	2	1
	number .. 4 951	—	(D)	—	(D)	(D)
	\$1,000 .. 493	—	(D)	—	(D)	(D)
Feeder pigs .....	farms .. 13	—	—	—	2	—
	number .. (D)	—	—	—	(D)	—
	\$1,000 .. (D)	—	—	—	(D)	—
Litters of pigs farrowed between—						
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30 .....	farms .. 31	—	—	—	2	1
	number .. 737	—	—	—	(D)	(D)
Dec. 1 and May 31 .....	farms .. 28	—	—	—	2	1
	number .. 342	—	—	—	(D)	(D)
June 1 and Nov. 30 .....	farms .. 27	—	—	—	2	1
	number .. 395	—	—	—	(D)	(D)
Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory .....	farms .. 69	—	1	1	2	3
	number .. 1 064	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Ewes 1 year old or older .....	farms .. 50	—	1	1	1	2
	number .. (D)	—	—	(D)	(D)	(D)
Sheep and lambs sold .....	farms .. 44	—	—	1	1	1
	number .. 726	—	—	(D)	(D)	(D)
Sheep and lambs shorn .....	farms .. 49	—	—	—	1	1
	number .. 852	—	—	—	(D)	(D)
	pounds of wool .. 5 547	—	—	—	(D)	(D)
Horses and ponies inventory .....	farms .. 163	—	—	2	2	12
	number .. 1 117	—	—	(D)	(D)	85
Horses and ponies sold .....	farms .. 32	—	—	—	1	5
	number .. 79	—	—	—	(D)	10
Goats inventory .....	farms .. 36	—	1	1	1	2
	number .. 298	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Goats sold .....	farms .. 12	—	—	—	—	1
	number .. 131	—	—	—	—	(D)
<b>POULTRY</b>						
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text) .....	farms .. 93	—	2	1	7	5
	number .. 58 042	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Farms with—						
1 to 399 .....	88	—	1	—	5	5
400 to 3,199 .....	1	—	—	—	—	—
3,200 to 9,999 .....	2	—	—	1	1	—
10,000 to 19,999 .....	1	—	—	—	1	—
20,000 to 49,999 .....	1	—	1	—	—	—
50,000 to 99,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Layers 20 weeks old and older .....	farms .. 92	—	2	1	7	5
	number .. 57 722	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Pullets 13 weeks old and older but less than 20 weeks old .....	farms .. 13	—	—	—	2	1
	number .. 320	—	—	—	(D)	(D)
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold (see text) .....	farms .. 19	—	1	2	4	1
	number .. (D)	—	(D)	(D)	23 540	(D)
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold .....	farms .. 5	—	—	1	—	—
	number .. (D)	—	—	(D)	—	—
Farms with—						
1 to 1,999 .....	4	—	—	—	—	—
2,000 to 59,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
60,000 to 99,999 .....	1	—	—	1	—	—
100,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Turkey hens kept for breeding .....	farms .. 5	—	—	—	1	—
	number .. (D)	—	—	—	(D)	—
Turkeys sold .....	farms .. 11	—	—	1	2	1
	number .. (D)	—	—	(D)	(D)	(D)

See footnotes at end of table.

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

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

Item	\$25,000 to \$49,999	\$10,000 to \$24,999	\$5,000 to \$9,999	\$2,500 to \$4,999	\$1,000 to \$2,499	Less than \$1,000
<b>LIVESTOCK—Con.</b>						
Cattle and calves sold .....	farms .. 7	26	21	28	28	10
	number .. 143	366	149	152	98	(D)
	\$1,000 .. 90	144	68	74	37	(D)
Calves .....	farms .. 3	12	8	7	8	7
	number .. 5	90	23	28	38	(D)
	\$1,000 .. 1	15	3	5	6	(D)
Cattle .....	farms .. 6	24	20	26	23	6
	number .. 138	276	126	124	60	(D)
	\$1,000 .. 89	129	65	69	32	3
Fattened on grain and concentrates .....	farms .. 2	4	3	9	8	-
	number .. (D)	29	(D)	30	15	-
	\$1,000 .. (D)	20	(D)	26	11	-
Hogs and pigs inventory .....	farms .. 5	12	13	10	5	10
	number .. 923	568	363	64	24	(D)
Farms with—						
1 to 24 .....	1	5	9	10	5	9
25 to 49 .....	-	2	2	-	-	-
50 to 99 .....	-	2	1	-	-	-
100 to 199 .....	1	3	1	-	-	-
200 to 499 .....	3	-	-	-	-	1
500 or more .....	-	-	-	-	-	-
Used or to be used for breeding .....	farms .. 5	8	9	2	2	2
	number .. (D)	83	68	(D)	(D)	(D)
Other .....	farms .. 5	12	11	10	4	9
	number .. (D)	485	295	(D)	(D)	(D)
Hogs and pigs sold .....	farms .. 6	12	10	7	5	1
	number .. 931	688	634	81	39	(D)
	\$1,000 .. 94	88	44	13	(D)	(D)
Feeder pigs .....	farms .. 1	4	6	-	-	-
	number .. (D)	190	448	-	-	-
	\$1,000 .. (D)	5	18	-	-	-
Litters of pigs farrowed between—						
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30 .....	farms .. 5	8	9	2	2	2
	number .. (D)	94	77	(D)	(D)	(D)
Dec. 1 and May 31 .....	farms .. 4	8	8	1	2	2
	number .. (D)	(D)	50	(D)	(D)	(D)
June 1 and Nov. 30 .....	farms .. 4	7	7	2	2	2
	number .. 76	(D)	27	(D)	(D)	(D)
Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory .....	farms .. 2	4	15	13	15	13
	number .. (D)	(D)	373	222	174	120
Ewes 1 year old or older .....	farms .. 2	3	10	10	13	8
	number .. (D)	47	237	168	129	59
Sheep and lambs sold .....	farms .. 1	3	11	10	9	7
	number .. (D)	(D)	283	154	113	70
Sheep and lambs shorn .....	farms .. 1	4	11	9	12	10
	number .. (D)	72	371	(D)	141	73
	pounds of wool .. (D)	589	2 352	1 132	658	461
Horses and ponies inventory .....	farms .. 4	18	18	26	17	64
	number .. 19	134	98	120	57	584
Horses and ponies sold .....	farms .. 2	7	5	5	5	2
	number .. (D)	28	11	(D)	6	(D)
Goats inventory .....	farms .. 4	4	7	6	4	9
	number .. (D)	(D)	(D)	47	33	81
Goats sold .....	farms .. -	2	2	1	4	2
	number .. -	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
<b>POULTRY</b>						
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text) .....	farms .. 5	9	12	19	12	21
	number .. 247	797	(D)	(D)	(D)	372
Farms with—						
1 to 399 .....	5	8	12	19	12	21
400 to 3,199 .....	-	1	-	-	-	-
3,200 to 9,999 .....	-	-	-	-	-	-
10,000 to 19,999 .....	-	-	-	-	-	-
20,000 to 49,999 .....	-	-	-	-	-	-
50,000 to 99,999 .....	-	-	-	-	-	-
100,000 or more .....	-	-	-	-	-	-
Layers 20 weeks old and older .....	farms .. 5	9	12	19	12	20
	number .. 247	797	732	295	432	363
Pullets 13 weeks old and older but less than 20 weeks old .....	farms .. -	-	3	2	2	3
	number .. -	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	9
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold (see text) .....	farms .. 2	1	4	-	2	2
	number .. (D)	(D)	104	-	(D)	(D)
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold .....	farms .. -	-	2	1	1	-
	number .. -	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	-
Farms with—						
1 to 1,999 .....	-	-	2	1	1	-
2,000 to 59,999 .....	-	-	-	-	-	-
60,000 to 99,999 .....	-	-	-	-	-	-
100,000 or more .....	-	-	-	-	-	-
Turkey hens kept for breeding .....	farms .. -	1	1	-	2	-
	number .. -	(D)	(D)	-	(D)	-
Turkeys sold .....	farms .. -	-	2	2	3	-
	number .. -	-	(D)	(D)	31	-

See footnotes at end of table.



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

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

Item	All farms	\$1,000,000 or more	\$500,000 to \$999,999	\$250,000 to \$499,999	\$100,000 to \$249,999	\$50,000 to \$99,999
<b>SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED</b>						
Corn for silage or green chop .....	farms .. 53	—	2	4	13	11
	acres .. (D)	—	(D)	930	652	738
	tons, green .. (D)	—	(D)	12 850	12 688	11 936
Irrigated .....	farms .. —	—	—	—	—	—
	acres .. —	—	—	—	—	—
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres .....	20	—	1	—	3	1
25 to 99 acres .....	25	—	1	—	9	7
100 to 249 acres .....	6	—	—	2	1	3
250 to 499 acres .....	2	—	—	2	—	—
500 acres or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Potatoes, excluding sweetpotatoes .....	farms .. 16	—	1	—	5	2
	acres .. 788	—	(D)	—	322	(D)
	cwt. .. (D)	—	(D)	—	95 410	(D)
Irrigated .....	farms .. 4	—	—	—	1	—
	acres .. (D)	—	—	—	(D)	—
Farms by acres harvested:						
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....	7	—	—	—	1	—
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....	3	—	—	—	1	1
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....	3	—	—	—	1	1
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....	2	—	—	—	2	—
250.0 acres or more .....	1	—	1	—	—	—
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) ...	farms .. 255	—	1	5	19	16
	acres .. 8 189	—	(D)	487	1 033	1 006
	tons, dry .. 16 680	—	(D)	1 541	2 615	2 346
Irrigated .....	farms .. 5	—	—	—	—	—
	acres .. (D)	—	—	—	—	—
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres .....	142	—	1	—	7	5
25 to 99 acres .....	101	—	1	2	11	7
100 to 249 acres .....	10	—	—	2	—	3
250 to 499 acres .....	2	—	—	—	1	1
500 acres or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tame hay other than alfalfa, small grain, and wild hay (see text) .....	farms .. 176	—	—	2	13	14
	acres .. (D)	—	—	(D)	544	747
	tons, dry .. (D)	—	—	(D)	1 363	1 528
Irrigated .....	farms .. 3	—	—	—	—	—
	acres .. (D)	—	—	—	—	—
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text) ....	farms .. 126	1	3	2	15	17
	acres .. 1 907	(D)	69	(D)	485	366
Irrigated .....	farms .. 44	1	—	1	6	7
	acres .. 450	(D)	—	(D)	168	66
Farms by acres harvested:						
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....	58	—	—	—	2	3
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....	49	—	2	1	7	8
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....	17	—	1	1	5	6
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....	1	—	—	—	1	—
250.0 acres or more .....	1	1	—	—	—	—
Land in orchards .....	farms .. 54	—	—	1	6	9
	acres .. 389	—	—	(D)	90	86
Irrigated .....	farms .. 11	—	—	—	—	1
	acres .. 25	—	—	—	—	(D)
Farms by bearing and nonbearing acres:						
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....	30	—	—	1	2	4
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....	22	—	—	—	3	4
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....	2	—	—	—	1	1
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
250.0 acres or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—

See footnotes at end of table.

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

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

Item	\$25,000 to \$49,999	\$10,000 to \$24,999	\$5,000 to \$9,999	\$2,500 to \$4,999	\$1,000 to \$2,499	Less than \$1,000
<b>SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED</b>						
Corn for silage or green chop .....	farms.. 5	7	2	4	4	1
	acres.. 125	162	(D)	65	84	(D)
	tons, green.. 2 280	2 490	(D)	1 365	1 620	(D)
Irrigated .....	farms.. —	—	—	—	—	—
	acres.. —	—	—	—	—	—
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres .....	2	5	1	3	3	1
25 to 99 acres .....	3	2	1	1	1	—
100 to 249 acres .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
250 to 499 acres .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
500 acres or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Potatoes, excluding sweetpotatoes .....	farms.. 2	4	—	1	1	—
	acres.. (D)	3	—	(D)	(D)	—
	cwt.. (D)	729	—	(D)	(D)	—
Irrigated .....	farms.. 1	1	—	1	—	—
	acres.. (D)	(D)	—	(D)	—	—
Farms by acres harvested:						
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....	—	4	—	1	1	—
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....	1	—	—	—	—	—
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....	1	—	—	—	—	—
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
250.0 acres or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) ...	farms.. 22	38	32	52	30	40
	acres.. 892	1 855	825	1 106	510	(D)
	tons, dry.. 1 973	3 743	1 504	1 669	691	(D)
Irrigated .....	farms.. 2	1	—	1	1	—
	acres.. (D)	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	—
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres .....	6	10	16	37	23	37
25 to 99 acres .....	15	25	16	14	7	3
100 to 249 acres .....	1	3	—	1	—	—
250 to 499 acres .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
500 acres or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tame hay other than alfalfa, small grain, and wild hay (see text) .....	farms.. 15	29	24	38	15	26
	acres.. 420	1 254	536	761	(D)	316
	tons, dry.. 882	2 415	1 027	1 062	(D)	409
Irrigated .....	farms.. 2	—	—	1	—	—
	acres.. (D)	—	—	(D)	—	—
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text) .....	farms.. 30	24	12	14	7	1
	acres.. 330	144	47	22	13	(D)
Irrigated .....	farms.. 12	6	3	3	5	—
	acres.. 65	35	6	(D)	8	—
Farms by acres harvested:						
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....	12	11	9	14	6	1
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....	14	13	3	—	1	—
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....	4	—	—	—	—	—
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
250.0 acres or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Land in orchards .....	farms.. 6	6	11	6	3	6
	acres.. 72	53	38	16	(D)	30
Irrigated .....	farms.. 2	1	4	2	1	—
	acres.. (D)	(D)	5	(D)	(D)	—
Farms by bearing and nonbearing acres:						
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....	1	3	8	4	3	4
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....	5	3	3	2	—	2
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
250.0 acres or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—

<sup>1</sup>Data are based on a sample of farms.

<sup>2</sup>Farms with total production expenses equal to government payments and market value of agricultural products sold are included as farms with gains of less than \$1,000.