

**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 .....	20 189	358	504	633	807	720
number ..						
percent ..	100.0	1.8	2.5	3.1	4.0	3.6
Land in farms .....	4 593 452	438 839	467 051	500 443	425 821	315 806
acres ..						
Average size of farm .....	228	1 226	927	791	528	439
acres ..						
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD</b>						
Total sales (see text) .....	20 189	358	504	633	807	720
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	1 588 173	728 787	350 673	223 989	129 977	49 430
Average per farm .....	78 665	2 035 718	695 780	353 852	161 062	68 653
dollars ..						
Farms by value of sales:						
Less than \$1,000 (see text) .....	4 718	—	—	—	—	2
\$1,000 to \$2,499 .....	3 437	—	—	—	—	—
\$2,500 to \$4,999 .....	3 060	—	—	—	—	—
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	2 714	—	—	—	—	—
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....	1 826	—	—	—	—	—
\$20,000 to \$24,999 .....	448	—	—	—	—	—
\$25,000 to \$39,999 .....	717	—	—	—	—	3
\$40,000 to \$49,999 .....	286	—	—	—	—	34
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	703	—	—	—	22	681
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....	802	—	—	17	785	—
\$250,000 to \$499,999 .....	630	—	14	616	—	—
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....	497	7	490	—	—	—
\$1,000,000 to \$2,499,999 .....	292	292	—	—	—	—
\$2,500,000 to \$4,999,999 .....	44	44	—	—	—	—
\$5,000,000 or more .....	15	15	—	—	—	—
Grains .....	4 648	149	281	401	531	424
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	190 461	43 409	45 583	41 065	28 109	12 164
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	879	108	204	273	203	91
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	150 967	42 733	44 062	37 746	20 433	5 992
Corn for grain .....	2 913	94	208	295	365	276
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	69 856	14 240	15 751	15 530	11 174	4 951
Wheat .....	2 103	122	282	211	336	224
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	44 498	11 822	10 938	9 474	6 034	2 290
Soybeans .....	3 004	125	238	347	435	320
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	73 699	17 042	18 355	15 739	10 551	4 578
Sorghum for grain .....	40	—	3	3	5	4
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	239	—	(D)	(D)	25	62
Barley .....	36	1	4	5	4	6
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	171	(D)	(D)	(D)	38	32
Oats .....	272	8	13	29	29	35
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	815	30	143	116	130	156
Other grains .....	183	17	21	25	22	24
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	1 184	(D)	365	82	156	95
Cotton and cottonseed .....	891	72	151	188	192	107
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	134 290	35 144	43 316	31 954	16 879	4 476
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	563	66	140	170	147	40
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	127 561	35 006	42 991	31 431	15 521	2 612
Tobacco .....	1 274	63	138	206	285	180
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	205 570	47 243	56 913	50 150	36 147	8 824
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	767	62	134	201	269	101
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	196 165	(D)	56 870	50 018	35 626	(D)
Hay, silage, and field seeds .....	2 753	47	55	51	80	99
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	14 308	754	1 464	592	1 471	1 648
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	30	4	2	2	9	14
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	3 498	(D)	1 071	(D)	988	832
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons .....	1 039	25	32	53	100	60
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	59 313	31 689	8 176	4 911	6 819	1 749
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	121	19	22	21	47	12
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	50 536	31 625	7 970	4 234	5 898	809
Fruits, nuts, and berries .....	614	17	18	26	33	32
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	33 037	19 250	3 006	4 465	3 002	1 100
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	72	12	9	17	22	12
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	30 300	19 200	2 943	4 388	2 970	799
Nursery and greenhouse crops .....	766	36	24	47	58	73
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	144 313	96 449	14 198	14 813	8 277	4 765
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	211	31	21	41	54	64
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	138 015	96 345	14 153	14 737	8 234	4 545
Other crops .....	288	9	24	38	17	26
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	9 812	1 876	3 541	2 915	416	503
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	51	7	17	22	3	2
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	8 190	(D)	3 379	2 624	187	(D)
Poultry and poultry products .....	882	197	199	117	68	32
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	587 774	391 974	139 412	42 977	10 873	1 843
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	601	197	199	115	65	25
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	586 864	391 974	139 412	(D)	10 846	(D)
Dairy products .....	201	17	35	49	35	21
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	54 535	14 624	18 425	14 286	5 198	1 387
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	151	17	32	48	35	19
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	53 761	14 624	18 332	(D)	5 198	(D)
Cattle and calves .....	9 287	119	184	179	230	253
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	76 008	8 034	4 289	5 556	6 606	7 503
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	176	22	17	27	37	73
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	22 038	6 699	2 145	3 694	4 581	4 919

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 .....	1 043	2 430	2 965	3 435	4 002	3 292
number ..						
percent ..	5.2	12.0	14.7	17.0	19.8	16.3
Land in farms .....	335 833	605 283	483 661	419 920	348 468	252 327
acres ..						
Average size of farm .....	322	249	163	122	87	77
acres ..						
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD</b>						
Total sales (see text) .....	1 043	2 430	2 965	3 435	4 002	3 292
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	34 799	34 882	18 769	10 520	5 419	928
Average per farm .....	33 364	14 355	6 330	3 063	1 354	282
dollars ..						
Farms by value of sales:						
Less than \$1,000 (see text) .....	9	88	195	392	740	3 292
\$1,000 to \$2,499 .....	—	4	32	139	3 262	—
\$2,500 to \$4,999 .....	—	19	137	2 904	—	—
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	6	107	2 601	—	—	—
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....	16	1 810	—	—	—	—
\$20,000 to \$24,999 .....	46	402	—	—	—	—
\$25,000 to \$39,999 .....	714	—	—	—	—	—
\$40,000 to \$49,999 .....	252	—	—	—	—	—
\$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 .....	484	755	612	453	378	180
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	8 857	6 702	2 792	1 178	496	104
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Corn for grain .....	300	440	346	277	211	101
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	3 329	2 841	1 144	599	243	54
Wheat .....	255	290	197	103	55	28
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	1 931	1 263	513	166	56	12
Soybeans .....	362	473	326	183	138	57
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	3 317	2 496	1 052	364	173	31
Sorghum for grain .....	7	3	9	3	2	1
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	30	(D)	12	(D)	(D)	(D)
Barley .....	4	3	3	4	—	2
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	16	(D)	12	5	—	(D)
Oats .....	44	35	27	26	17	9
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	110	44	41	31	10	4
Other grains .....	24	25	9	4	11	1
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	123	45	19	(D)	(D)	(D)
Cotton and cottonseed .....	87	57	21	9	6	1
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	1 654	707	119	32	(D)	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco .....	144	155	57	22	19	5
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	3 904	1 960	321	69	33	4
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hay, silage, and field seeds .....	160	406	532	574	522	227
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	1 783	2 501	1 990	1 312	692	102
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons .....	125	192	198	146	72	36
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	2 526	1 881	1 060	408	85	10
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Fruits, nuts, and berries .....	62	92	80	80	95	79
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	961	678	294	151	102	28
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Nursery and greenhouse crops .....	90	144	112	69	90	23
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	2 738	2 081	658	202	124	9
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other crops .....	27	33	40	23	34	17
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	261	127	107	22	37	7
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Poultry and poultry products .....	24	31	38	54	80	42
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	406	99	71	56	54	10
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Dairy products .....	13	26	—	2	1	2
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	250	362	—	(D)	(D)	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cattle and calves .....	429	1 329	1 711	1 946	2 047	860
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	9 034	15 263	9 899	6 084	3 218	522
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..	1 031	38	35	47	71	63
\$1,000..	64 550	36 059	11 349	7 489	4 545	1 933
Sales of \$50,000 or more . . . . . farms..	137	32	24	34	32	15
\$1,000..	59 661	36 004	11 249	7 291	4 027	1 090
Sheep, lambs, and wool . . . . . farms..	127	1	2	2	4	8
\$1,000..	119	(D)	(D)	(D)	2	8
Sales of \$50,000 or more . . . . . farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other livestock and livestock products (see text) . . . . . farms..	1 489	13	11	15	28	38
\$1,000..	14 083	(D)	(D)	(D)	1 632	1 527
Sales of \$50,000 or more . . . . . farms..	43	1	2	8	11	21
\$1,000..	8 974	(D)	(D)	2 721	1 582	1 429
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text) . . . . . farms..	966	13	17	27	37	43
\$1,000..	6 080	495	911	776	1 071	550
<b>FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES<sup>1</sup></b>						
Total farm production expenses . . . . . farms..	20 188	357	504	598	733	676
\$1,000..	1 233 736	540 011	278 286	166 111	89 849	34 733
Average per farm . . . . . dollars..	61 112	1 512 637	552 154	277 778	122 578	51 379
Livestock and poultry purchased . . . . . farms..	4 480	238	258	197	159	163
\$1,000..	88 949	53 069	16 686	7 352	2 712	1 814
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	3 282	3	21	38	56	68
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	572	13	20	39	72	68
\$25,000 to \$99,999 . . . . .	424	56	195	109	29	27
\$100,000 to \$249,999 . . . . .	154	122	20	10	—	—
\$250,000 or more . . . . .	48	44	2	1	—	—
Feed for livestock and poultry . . . . . farms..	9 768	244	296	253	259	268
\$1,000..	410 005	242 198	106 463	34 956	9 252	3 322
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	8 276	8	31	44	114	111
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	683	2	11	25	44	123
\$25,000 to \$99,999 . . . . .	163	9	9	49	63	32
\$100,000 to \$249,999 . . . . .	156	11	27	80	36	2
\$250,000 or more . . . . .	490	214	218	55	2	—
Commercially mixed formula feeds . . . . . farms..	5 930	230	271	211	172	152
\$1,000..	378 023	232 528	99 296	30 783	7 237	1 615
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	4 930	7	19	37	66	73
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	293	4	11	20	30	64
\$25,000 to \$99,999 . . . . .	122	6	19	39	43	14
\$100,000 or more . . . . .	585	213	222	115	33	1
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees . . . . . farms..	8 251	203	354	477	637	529
\$1,000..	36 777	11 949	7 519	6 567	4 523	1 788
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999 . . . . .	5 164	22	32	21	55	116
\$1,000 to \$4,999 . . . . .	1 782	29	58	105	267	312
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	1 025	62	162	293	286	100
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	180	37	76	41	25	1
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	100	53	26	17	4	—
Commercial fertilizer . . . . . farms..	13 351	213	361	511	674	573
\$1,000..	92 169	17 821	19 346	18 004	11 891	5 459
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	10 475	35	61	73	101	181
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	1 987	34	56	133	421	349
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	455	32	64	186	130	42
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	434	112	180	119	22	1
Agricultural chemicals . . . . . farms..	8 402	228	358	494	643	518
\$1,000..	76 319	21 738	20 236	16 460	9 455	2 748
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	6 712	61	89	99	186	309
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	930	38	42	127	335	197
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	339	21	57	151	98	10
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	421	108	170	117	24	2
Petroleum products . . . . . farms..	18 262	353	501	587	727	663
\$1,000..	59 101	15 249	12 538	10 500	7 459	2 948
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	16 210	49	75	92	235	407
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	1 493	133	235	352	438	256
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	380	79	126	124	51	—
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	179	92	65	19	3	—
Gasoline and gasohol . . . . . farms..	12 104	304	425	505	609	540
\$1,000..	13 872	2 827	2 270	2 107	1 819	962
Diesel fuel . . . . . farms..	14 628	331	471	555	668	597
\$1,000..	23 559	5 374	4 851	4 514	2 861	1 087
Natural gas . . . . . farms..	489	65	43	55	54	49
\$1,000..	2 935	1 556	415	355	274	124
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc. . . . . farms..	11 316	346	486	584	713	637
\$1,000..	18 735	5 493	5 002	3 524	2 505	775

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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..	75	150	184	152	146	70
\$1,000..	1 056	906	640	361	176	36
Sales of \$50,000 or more . . . . . farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sheep, lambs, and wool . . . . . farms..	4	13	14	25	29	25
\$1,000..	8	12	41	(D)	19	7
Sales of \$50,000 or more . . . . . farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other livestock and livestock products (see text) . . . . . farms..	67	189	227	313	350	238
\$1,000..	1 360	1 602	778	626	374	89
Sales of \$50,000 or more . . . . . farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text) . . . . . farms..	76	142	166	169	180	96
\$1,000..	844	610	405	239	150	28
<b>FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES<sup>1</sup></b>						
Total farm production expenses . . . . . farms..	1 046	2 426	3 020	3 405	4 102	3 321
\$1,000..	28 046	32 693	21 382	15 280	13 619	13 725
Average per farm . . . . . dollars..	26 813	13 476	7 080	4 488	3 320	4 133
Livestock and poultry purchased . . . . . farms..	244	670	598	750	621	582
\$1,000..	1 353	2 102	1 205	1 119	826	712
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	145	520	567	713	598	553
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	92	149	31	37	23	28
\$25,000 to \$99,999 . . . . .	7	1	—	—	—	—
\$100,000 to \$249,999 . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	1
\$250,000 or more . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
Feed for livestock and poultry . . . . . farms..	472	1 284	1 609	1 675	1 693	1 715
\$1,000..	2 461	3 219	2 184	1 795	1 338	2 817
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	298	1 082	1 562	1 660	1 684	1 682
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	173	202	47	15	9	32
\$25,000 to \$99,999 . . . . .	1	—	—	—	—	—
\$100,000 to \$249,999 . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$250,000 or more . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	1
Commercially mixed formula feeds . . . . . farms..	346	845	943	915	984	861
\$1,000..	979	1 496	897	742	588	1 861
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	296	787	932	906	977	830
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	49	58	11	9	7	30
\$25,000 to \$99,999 . . . . .	1	—	—	—	—	—
\$100,000 or more . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	1
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees . . . . . farms..	759	1 329	1 222	1 085	956	700
\$1,000..	1 814	1 236	639	348	250	143
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999 . . . . .	257	909	1 064	1 058	939	691
\$1,000 to \$4,999 . . . . .	398	403	157	27	17	9
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	104	17	1	—	—	—
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
Commercial fertilizer . . . . . farms..	892	2 023	2 218	2 096	2 072	1 718
\$1,000..	4 784	6 040	3 603	2 375	1 829	1 017
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	468	1 590	2 145	2 079	2 032	1 710
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	423	433	73	17	40	8
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	1	—	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
Agricultural chemicals . . . . . farms..	774	1 432	1 279	1 001	957	718
\$1,000..	2 273	1 682	894	354	280	200
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	632	1 385	1 277	1 001	956	717
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	140	47	2	—	1	1
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	2	—	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
Petroleum products . . . . . farms..	1 020	2 306	2 918	3 145	3 538	2 504
\$1,000..	2 167	2 734	1 853	1 543	1 198	911
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	956	2 293	2 917	3 144	3 538	2 504
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	64	13	1	1	—	—
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
Gasoline and gasohol . . . . . farms..	720	1 693	1 821	1 931	2 060	1 496
\$1,000..	658	1 028	701	637	467	397
Diesel fuel . . . . . farms..	873	1 890	2 386	2 485	2 572	1 800
\$1,000..	1 031	1 265	944	672	571	390
Natural gas . . . . . farms..	39	48	30	57	6	43
\$1,000..	82	54	13	53	(Z)	8
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc. . . . . farms..	893	1 817	1 613	1 613	1 496	1 205
\$1,000..	396	387	195	182	160	116

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 . . . . .	10 136	354	492	579	692	576
Electricity . . . . . \$1,000 . . . . .	19 540	7 615	3 768	2 901	1 909	768
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999 . . . . .	7 494	2	18	48	192	286
\$1,000 to \$4,999 . . . . .	1 675	66	200	265	383	275
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	893	226	264	262	117	15
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	46	36	7	3	—	—
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	28	24	3	1	—	—
Hired farm labor . . . . . farms . . . . .	5 826	314	440	554	602	404
Hired farm labor . . . . . \$1,000 . . . . .	129 512	63 879	26 618	19 917	11 222	3 021
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	3 771	26	74	37	77	191
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	1 046	71	66	197	373	200
\$25,000 to \$99,999 . . . . .	780	89	223	301	147	13
\$100,000 to \$249,999 . . . . .	150	64	64	17	5	—
\$250,000 or more . . . . .	79	64	13	2	—	—
Workers by days worked:						
150 days or more . . . . . farms . . . . .	2 373	271	347	443	380	189
150 days or more . . . . . workers . . . . .	8 500	3 524	1 515	1 474	820	297
Less than 150 days . . . . . farms . . . . .	5 304	236	349	440	505	382
Less than 150 days . . . . . workers . . . . .	23 890	5 730	3 261	3 104	3 054	1 419
Contract labor . . . . . farms . . . . .	1 785	91	150	176	163	146
Contract labor . . . . . \$1,000 . . . . .	18 063	7 942	3 424	2 448	1 704	1 064
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999 . . . . .	682	2	19	10	17	17
\$1,000 to \$4,999 . . . . .	651	31	48	42	64	90
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	331	31	47	94	63	30
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	53	4	16	22	11	—
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	68	23	20	8	8	9
Repair and maintenance . . . . . farms . . . . .	15 498	353	498	591	702	653
Repair and maintenance . . . . . \$1,000 . . . . .	70 769	19 603	12 734	10 840	7 035	3 293
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	12 947	53	107	113	222	408
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	1 965	140	194	316	429	238
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	357	56	108	135	48	7
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	229	104	89	27	3	—
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment . . . . . farms . . . . .	4 228	137	229	283	351	198
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment . . . . . \$1,000 . . . . .	13 788	3 103	2 436	2 815	1 775	612
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999 . . . . .	2 265	25	27	35	61	48
\$1,000 to \$4,999 . . . . .	1 410	30	92	114	178	119
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	460	54	81	107	104	30
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	66	16	23	19	8	—
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	27	12	6	8	—	1
Interest . . . . . farms . . . . .	5 581	331	473	495	516	351
Interest . . . . . \$1,000 . . . . .	47 350	14 644	10 029	7 433	4 799	1 697
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	3 560	37	78	96	202	228
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	1 568	133	233	315	276	117
\$25,000 to \$99,999 . . . . .	422	133	160	83	38	6
\$100,000 or more . . . . .	31	28	2	1	—	—
Secured by real estate . . . . . farms . . . . .	4 168	265	374	352	344	220
Secured by real estate . . . . . \$1,000 . . . . .	31 121	9 107	6 244	4 208	2 978	1 206
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999 . . . . .	883	2	13	13	28	20
\$1,000 to \$4,999 . . . . .	1 766	32	68	74	99	115
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	1 257	121	205	228	195	82
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	183	61	68	31	20	3
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	79	49	20	6	2	—
Not secured by real estate . . . . . farms . . . . .	2 534	160	243	309	323	205
Not secured by real estate . . . . . \$1,000 . . . . .	16 229	5 537	3 785	3 225	1 821	491
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999 . . . . .	919	5	24	19	40	39
\$1,000 to \$4,999 . . . . .	936	32	44	93	143	137
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	540	70	123	165	138	29
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	100	28	43	27	2	—
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	39	25	9	5	—	—
Cash rent . . . . . farms . . . . .	4 611	190	311	408	508	384
Cash rent . . . . . \$1,000 . . . . .	41 957	10 025	10 875	9 908	6 275	1 964
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	3 317	40	60	74	168	263
\$5,000 to \$9,999 . . . . .	344	22	20	59	100	58
\$10,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	432	27	68	102	162	60
\$25,000 or more . . . . .	518	101	163	173	78	3
Property taxes . . . . . farms . . . . .	19 162	349	490	579	698	657
Property taxes . . . . . \$1,000 . . . . .	19 179	2 578	2 023	1 801	1 626	1 089
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	18 608	214	371	491	638	626
\$5,000 to \$9,999 . . . . .	362	68	81	62	41	21
\$10,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	153	51	30	22	12	8
\$25,000 or more . . . . .	39	16	8	4	7	2
All other farm production expenses . . . . . farms . . . . .	16 220	357	504	598	732	676
All other farm production expenses . . . . . \$1,000 . . . . .	110 258	48 599	23 591	14 209	8 212	3 145
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	13 981	25	48	105	245	444
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	1 355	64	134	273	417	229
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	386	44	130	160	50	2
\$50,000 to \$99,999 . . . . .	295	79	143	52	20	—
\$100,000 or more . . . . .	203	145	49	8	—	1

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 . . . . .	725	1 459	1 391	1 327	1 423	1 118
Electricity . . . . . \$1,000 . . . . .	441	638	404	330	371	396
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999 . . . . .	608	1 345	1 337	1 263	1 356	1 039
\$1,000 to \$4,999 . . . . .	117	114	54	64	67	70
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	9
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hired farm labor . . . . . farms . . . . .	524	954	672	574	443	345
Hired farm labor . . . . . \$1,000 . . . . .	1 571	1 855	603	380	218	228
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	447	895	664	574	443	343
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	75	56	8	—	—	—
\$25,000 to \$99,999 . . . . .	2	3	—	—	—	2
\$100,000 to \$249,999 . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$250,000 or more . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
Workers by days worked:						
150 days or more . . . . . farms . . . . .	169	207	89	90	75	113
150 days or more . . . . . workers . . . . .	230	251	107	90	75	117
Less than 150 days . . . . . farms . . . . .	485	889	666	564	443	345
Less than 150 days . . . . . workers . . . . .	1 332	2 046	1 739	891	703	611
Contract labor . . . . . farms . . . . .	157	296	239	117	131	119
Contract labor . . . . . \$1,000 . . . . .	504	462	226	92	84	113
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999 . . . . .	46	142	158	89	109	73
\$1,000 to \$4,999 . . . . .	72	129	80	28	22	45
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	39	25	1	—	—	1
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
Repair and maintenance . . . . . farms . . . . .	927	2 125	2 402	2 539	2 570	2 138
Repair and maintenance . . . . . \$1,000 . . . . .	2 842	3 803	3 159	2 253	2 435	2 771
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	755	1 937	2 302	2 509	2 494	2 047
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	171	187	100	30	76	84
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	1	1	—	—	—	1
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	6
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment . . . . . farms . . . . .	315	700	640	538	490	347
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment . . . . . \$1,000 . . . . .	945	845	435	348	235	239
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999 . . . . .	110	372	470	428	412	277
\$1,000 to \$4,999 . . . . .	143	306	170	110	78	70
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	62	22	—	—	—	—
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
Interest . . . . . farms . . . . .	396	723	658	554	660	424
Interest . . . . . \$1,000 . . . . .	1 590	1 920	1 764	1 008	1 324	1 143
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	296	623	562	501	590	347
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	100	98	96	53	70	77
\$25,000 to \$99,999 . . . . .	—	2	—	—	—	—
\$100,000 or more . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
Secured by real estate . . . . . farms . . . . .	280	504	481	425	569	354
Secured by real estate . . . . . \$1,000 . . . . .	1 202	1 474	1 565	883	1 210	1 044
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999 . . . . .	55	176	115	191	187	83
\$1,000 to \$4,999 . . . . .	146	238	278	195	321	200
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	79	88	88	39	61	71
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	—	2	—	—	—	—
Not secured by real estate . . . . . farms . . . . .	199	350	272	185	173	115
Not secured by real estate . . . . . \$1,000 . . . . .	387	446	199	125	115	99
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999 . . . . .	62	161	206	151	128	84
\$1,000 to \$4,999 . . . . .	128	184	65	34	45	31
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	9	5	1	—	—	—
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cash rent . . . . . farms . . . . .	477	649	684	418	393	189
Cash rent . . . . . \$1,000 . . . . .	1 165	796	441	217	191	100
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	395	635	683	417	393	189
\$5,000 to \$9,999 . . . . .	71	13	1	—	—	—
\$10,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	11	1	—	1	—	—
\$25,000 or more . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
Property taxes . . . . . farms . . . . .	960	2 321	2 831	3 224	3 941	3 112
Property taxes . . . . . \$1,000 . . . . .	1 134	1 990	1 879	1 643	1 750	1 666
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	930	2 289	2 799	3 220	3 936	3 094
\$5,000 to \$9,999 . . . . .	21	28	22	3	5	10
\$10,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	9	4	10	1	—	6
\$25,000 or more . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	2
All other farm production expenses . . . . . farms . . . . .	1 037	2 391	2 391	2 497	2 750	2 287
All other farm production expenses . . . . . \$1,000 . . . . .	3 004	3 372	2 093	1 476	1 290	1 267
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 . . . . .	876	2 345	2 382	2 497	2 750	2 264
\$5,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	161	46	9	—	—	22
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 to \$99,999 . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$100,000 or more . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	1

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 .....	20 189	358	504	598	733	676
number .....						
\$1,000 .....	356 607	192 733	77 543	52 328	29 291	13 489
dollars .....	17 663	538 359	153 855	87 504	39 961	19 955
Farms with net gains <sup>2</sup> .....	9 845	309	443	521	632	563
number .....						
Average net gain .....	42 754	649 551	184 530	111 052	53 244	28 004
dollars .....						
Gain of—						
Less than \$1,000 .....	2 040	—	1	1	7	—
\$1,000 to \$9,999 .....	4 622	—	3	13	29	68
\$10,000 to \$49,999 .....	1 675	10	24	82	277	445
\$50,000 or more .....	1 508	299	415	425	319	50
Farms with net losses .....	10 344	49	61	77	101	113
number .....						
Average net loss .....	6 217	162 829	68 911	71 822	43 161	20 151
dollars .....						
Loss of—						
Less than \$1,000 .....	2 733	—	1	2	7	6
\$1,000 to \$9,999 .....	6 495	3	5	9	20	53
\$10,000 to \$49,999 .....	949	3	22	32	51	44
\$50,000 or more .....	167	43	33	34	23	10
<b>GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS AND OTHER FARM-RELATED INCOME</b>						
Government payments .....	5 834	169	300	399	490	392
farms .....						
\$1,000 .....	28 977	3 957	5 155	5 242	3 303	1 699
dollars .....	3 707	115	158	159	202	123
Other farm-related income <sup>1</sup> .....	26 240	2 537	3 937	2 444	2 098	2 055
\$1,000 .....						
Customwork and other agricultural services .....	1 059	23	69	59	61	24
farms .....						
\$1,000 .....	7 726	836	2 350	983	766	245
Gross cash rent or share payments .....	1 521	23	28	37	54	46
farms .....						
\$1,000 .....	5 044	613	136	197	290	124
Forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products .....	827	16	20	21	43	40
farms .....						
\$1,000 .....	10 990	653	1 058	961	792	1 092
Other farm-related income sources .....	1 059	86	100	100	115	47
farms .....						
\$1,000 .....	2 481	434	392	303	250	594
<b>COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS</b>						
Total .....	410	17	45	61	70	48
farms .....						
\$1,000 .....	6 076	798	1 692	1 694	1 280	301
dollars .....	261	11	35	41	40	23
Corn .....	2 811	423	954	626	573	65
farms .....						
\$1,000 .....	155	11	20	32	25	24
Wheat .....	1 028	258	192	316	116	96
farms .....						
\$1,000 .....	110	3	11	14	22	13
Soybeans .....	1 006	(D)	257	327	223	64
farms .....						
\$1,000 .....	14	2	2	3	—	—
Sorghum, barley, and oats .....	22	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	—
farms .....						
\$1,000 .....	59	4	11	18	13	12
Cotton .....	1 123	(D)	288	386	349	(D)
farms .....						
\$1,000 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sunflower seed, flaxseed, safflower, canola, other rapeseed, and mustard seed .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms .....						
\$1,000 .....	16	—	1	2	4	3
Peanuts, rice, and tobacco .....	85	—	(D)	(D)	19	(D)
farms .....						
\$1,000 .....						
<b>LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE</b>						
Total cropland .....	17 514	305	455	591	773	692
farms .....						
acres .....	2 462 818	336 229	361 714	362 101	276 709	162 804
Harvested cropland .....	13 426	266	415	562	747	662
farms .....						
acres .....	1 654 535	303 214	321 338	311 648	225 649	113 429
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 49 acres .....	8 858	49	67	72	103	152
50 to 99 acres .....	1 749	31	37	32	71	91
100 to 199 acres .....	1 096	25	35	45	132	182
200 to 499 acres .....	911	29	47	139	294	213
500 to 999 acres .....	448	35	81	166	136	24
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....	279	46	119	105	9	—
2,000 acres or more .....	85	51	29	3	2	—
Cropland:						
Pasture or grazing only .....	9 189	118	168	159	218	225
farms .....						
acres .....	508 887	15 353	18 644	16 161	22 906	28 689
In cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured .....	1 501	40	38	47	56	62
farms .....						
acres .....	65 808	3 810	2 603	5 029	3 318	3 475
On which all crops failed .....	875	20	28	45	52	63
farms .....						
acres .....	26 350	1 435	1 924	3 006	2 445	3 097
In cultivated summer fallow .....	330	6	9	18	24	18
farms .....						
acres .....	13 491	458	1 175	3 137	1 615	1 043
Idle .....	3 648	95	157	205	243	182
farms .....						
acres .....	193 747	11 959	16 030	23 120	20 776	13 071
Total woodland .....	13 150	247	353	403	496	437
farms .....						
acres .....	1 620 282	77 337	82 734	96 373	103 625	105 054
Woodland pastured .....	5 754	73	95	92	132	152
farms .....						
acres .....	293 901	5 492	6 128	10 277	11 067	23 662
Woodland not pastured .....	10 193	220	315	371	432	383
farms .....						
acres .....	1 326 381	71 845	76 606	86 096	92 558	81 392

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>NET CASH RETURN FROM AGRICULTURAL SALES AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS FOR THE FARM UNIT (SEE TEXT)<sup>1</sup></b>						
All farms..... number..	1 046	2 426	3 020	3 405	4 102	3 321
..... \$1,000..	8 315	5 609	-35	-3 169	-6 811	-12 686
Average per farm..... dollars..	7 949	2 312	-12	-931	-1 660	-3 820
Farms with net gains <sup>2</sup> ..... number..	811	1 698	1 746	1 605	1 360	157
Average net gain..... dollars..	13 083	6 549	3 271	1 625	798	294
Gain of—						
Less than \$1,000.....	14	174	246	530	910	157
\$1,000 to \$9,999.....	288	1 196	1 500	1 075	450	—
\$10,000 to \$49,999.....	509	328	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more.....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Farms with net losses..... number..	235	728	1 274	1 800	2 742	3 164
Average net loss..... dollars..	9 769	7 572	4 510	3 210	2 880	4 024
Loss of—						
Less than \$1,000.....	31	57	296	584	877	872
\$1,000 to \$9,999.....	117	509	842	1 093	1 760	2 084
\$10,000 to \$49,999.....	86	151	135	123	105	197
\$50,000 or more.....	1	11	1	—	—	11
<b>GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS AND OTHER FARM-RELATED INCOME</b>						
Government payments..... farms..	477	808	819	834	946	200
..... \$1,000..	1 795	2 720	2 172	1 661	1 210	61
Other farm-related income <sup>1</sup> ..... farms..	268	571	551	561	630	369
..... \$1,000..	1 696	3 319	1 790	2 165	2 487	1 712
Customwork and other agricultural services..... farms..	61	184	165	162	155	96
..... \$1,000..	251	1 056	434	374	292	139
Gross cash rent or share payments..... farms..	139	183	322	246	251	192
..... \$1,000..	514	579	797	546	554	695
Forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products..... farms..	90	147	59	150	149	92
..... \$1,000..	901	1 548	481	1 219	1 546	737
Other farm-related income sources..... farms..	30	172	121	59	155	74
..... \$1,000..	30	136	79	26	95	141
<b>COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS</b>						
Total..... farms..	37	65	29	17	14	7
..... \$1,000..	145	133	22	6	3	1
Corn..... farms..	27	40	19	13	7	5
..... \$1,000..	85	69	11	4	(D)	(D)
Wheat..... farms..	13	18	8	2	1	1
..... \$1,000..	31	16	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Soybeans..... farms..	10	22	7	2	5	1
..... \$1,000..	29	36	9	(D)	1	(D)
Sorghum, barley, and oats..... farms..	1	4	1	—	1	—
..... \$1,000..	(D)	(Z)	(D)	—	(D)	—
Cotton..... farms..	1	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000..	(D)	—	—	—	—	—
Sunflower seed, flaxseed, safflower, canola, other rapeseed, and mustard seed..... farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Peanuts, rice, and tobacco..... farms..	1	4	—	—	1	—
..... \$1,000..	(D)	12	—	—	(D)	—
<b>LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE</b>						
Total cropland..... farms..	1 001	2 261	2 672	2 917	3 158	2 689
..... acres..	168 428	250 244	199 934	148 464	119 734	76 457
Harvested cropland..... farms..	940	2 016	2 170	2 088	1 952	1 608
..... acres..	97 471	109 042	72 013	47 952	31 996	20 783
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 49 acres.....	321	1 118	1 693	1 872	1 854	1 557
50 to 99 acres.....	205	583	393	183	84	39
100 to 199 acres.....	269	279	73	30	14	12
200 to 499 acres.....	142	33	11	3	—	—
500 to 999 acres.....	3	3	—	—	—	—
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	—	—	—	—	—	—
2,000 acres or more.....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cropland:						
Pasture or grazing only..... farms..	398	1 208	1 558	1 726	1 783	1 628
..... acres..	48 772	103 285	89 113	71 457	55 389	39 118
In cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured..... farms..	94	171	222	251	321	199
..... acres..	5 330	11 127	9 243	9 701	9 409	2 783
On which all crops failed..... farms..	67	130	118	94	105	153
..... acres..	2 658	3 096	2 733	1 704	1 641	2 611
In cultivated summer fallow..... farms..	23	40	53	37	50	52
..... acres..	1 155	1 261	1 134	543	1 321	649
Idle..... farms..	197	424	524	522	615	484
..... acres..	13 042	22 433	25 698	17 107	19 978	10 533
Total woodland..... farms..	676	1 674	2 009	2 298	2 597	1 960
..... acres..	121 899	270 916	226 245	220 405	186 551	129 143
Woodland pastured..... farms..	273	779	997	1 110	1 133	918
..... acres..	24 189	55 307	53 079	38 096	30 554	36 050
Woodland not pastured..... farms..	557	1 277	1 517	1 696	1 979	1 446
..... acres..	97 710	215 609	173 166	182 309	155 997	93 093

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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>LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE—Con.</b>						
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured..... farms..	3 328	45	55	92	107	108
acres..	244 352	7 443	6 990	17 154	18 006	25 854
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. .... farms..	12 114	260	345	428	482	428
acres..	266 000	17 830	15 613	24 815	27 481	22 094
Irrigated land ..... farms..	1 248	83	81	116	122	110
acres..	86 477	38 658	15 573	14 085	8 151	3 294
Harvested cropland irrigated ..... farms..	1 192	82	81	113	122	107
acres..	85 086	38 507	15 573	13 675	(D)	3 013
Pasture and other land irrigated ..... farms..	81	4	—	5	4	8
acres..	1 391	151	—	410	(D)	281
Land under Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs ..... farms..	2 811	58	102	130	147	106
acres..	218 211	9 102	10 851	14 670	12 125	10 479
<b>VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS<sup>1</sup></b>						
Estimated market value of land and buildings ..... farms..	20 189	358	504	598	733	676
\$1,000..	6 558 081	573 274	580 511	579 059	482 886	355 134
Average per farm ..... dollars..	324 834	1 601 324	1 151 808	968 326	658 780	525 346
Average per acre ..... dollars..	1 482	1 306	1 243	1 199	1 243	1 251
Farms by value group:						
\$1 to \$39,999 .....	2 591	7	9	7	6	34
\$40,000 to \$69,999 .....	2 077	7	9	13	19	37
\$70,000 to \$99,999 .....	1 821	2	8	11	22	26
\$100,000 to \$149,999 .....	2 897	10	19	17	41	49
\$150,000 to \$199,999 .....	2 298	5	14	18	60	68
\$200,000 to \$499,999 .....	5 229	69	121	161	248	256
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....	1 978	87	107	175	217	148
\$1,000,000 to \$1,999,999 .....	894	79	144	150	84	24
\$2,000,000 to \$4,999,999 .....	342	75	65	40	27	27
\$5,000,000 or more .....	62	17	8	6	9	7
<b>VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup></b>						
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ..... farms..	20 189	358	504	598	733	676
\$1,000..	902 193	119 080	116 063	107 425	82 173	46 270
Farms by value group:						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	1 975	—	2	1	12	9
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	2 941	9	3	16	9	18
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....	4 709	7	22	17	37	78
\$20,000 to \$49,999 .....	6 325	39	55	63	126	227
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	2 310	79	97	94	224	175
\$100,000 to \$199,999 .....	997	68	94	181	201	125
\$200,000 to \$499,999 .....	742	79	162	194	115	42
\$500,000 or more .....	190	77	69	32	9	2
<b>SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup></b>						
Motortrucks, including pickups ..... farms..	17 293	358	504	598	730	653
number..	33 681	2 131	2 251	2 390	2 350	1 651
Wheel tractors ..... farms..	18 528	323	475	538	652	624
number..	38 043	1 851	2 189	2 141	1 984	1 553
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms..	10 012	184	225	277	302	305
number..	13 972	423	403	437	462	429
40 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms..	13 373	293	433	485	577	574
number..	24 071	1 428	1 786	1 704	1 522	1 124
40 to 99 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms..	12 540	270	397	445	490	496
number..	18 873	846	1 019	1 058	943	842
100 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms..	3 224	158	260	280	348	239
number..	5 198	582	767	646	579	282
Grain and bean combines ..... farms..	2 782	129	234	304	320	225
number..	3 289	188	304	393	388	260
Cotton pickers and strippers ..... farms..	735	72	150	179	176	83
number..	1 003	125	233	261	213	96
Mower conditioners ..... farms..	4 622	80	104	115	128	178
number..	5 159	99	119	134	146	211
Pickup balers ..... farms..	4 412	79	112	107	131	151
number..	5 546	111	158	143	195	235
<b>AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS<sup>1</sup></b>						
Commercial fertilizer ..... farms..	13 258	214	361	510	674	566
acres on which used..	1 559 396	275 617	291 309	276 942	188 544	94 851
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—						
Insects on hay and other crops ..... farms..	3 650	152	267	399	528	407
acres on which used..	678 974	174 671	178 190	148 749	96 704	32 447
Nematodes in crops ..... farms..	1 475	88	191	229	323	161
acres on which used..	280 487	83 473	85 444	53 670	37 623	8 682
Diseases in crops and orchards ..... farms..	1 397	79	122	160	218	144
acres on which used..	195 179	63 426	54 813	35 028	23 519	7 070
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture ..... farms..	5 447	181	277	364	485	392
acres on which used..	1 013 037	219 941	236 586	211 858	137 630	57 958
Chemicals used on crops to control growth, thin fruit, or defoliate ..... farms..	892	78	142	175	167	92
acres on which used..	242 021	62 677	79 593	54 244	26 996	8 147

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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	\$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..	135	401	457	573	713	642
acres..	22 723	49 344	29 507	25 088	19 249	22 994
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. .... farms..	592	1 397	1 715	1 980	2 391	2 096
acres..	22 783	34 779	27 975	25 963	22 934	23 733
Irrigated land ..... farms..	133	188	127	89	96	103
acres..	2 931	1 591	870	411	448	465
Harvested cropland irrigated ..... farms..	132	178	126	81	85	85
acres..	(D)	1 487	(D)	270	314	345
Pasture and other land irrigated ..... farms..	2	16	1	10	11	20
acres..	(D)	104	(D)	141	134	120
Land under Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs ..... farms..	180	338	430	536	719	65
acres..	22 128	41 906	37 614	31 759	26 828	749
<b>VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS<sup>1</sup></b>						
Estimated market value of land and buildings ..... farms..	1 046	2 426	3 020	3 405	4 102	3 321
\$1,000..	420 699	865 221	782 303	659 212	676 521	583 260
Average per farm ..... dollars..	402 198	356 645	259 041	193 601	164 925	175 628
Average per acre ..... dollars..	1 309	1 441	1 757	1 687	1 933	2 288
Farms by value group:						
\$1 to \$39,999 .....	94	172	376	515	660	711
\$40,000 to \$69,999 .....	75	203	295	317	672	430
\$70,000 to \$99,999 .....	57	193	280	377	451	394
\$100,000 to \$149,999 .....	94	282	421	673	714	577
\$150,000 to \$199,999 .....	110	209	423	416	495	480
\$200,000 to \$499,999 .....	358	845	800	872	936	563
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....	157	360	325	183	121	98
\$1,000,000 to \$1,999,999 .....	88	117	73	43	43	49
\$2,000,000 to \$4,999,999 .....	12	43	26	6	9	12
\$5,000,000 or more .....	1	2	1	3	1	7
<b>VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup></b>						
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ..... farms..	1 046	2 426	3 020	3 405	4 102	3 321
\$1,000..	45 984	81 405	76 521	79 899	79 446	67 927
Farms by value group:						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	52	121	254	359	615	550
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	64	298	553	617	733	621
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....	155	494	717	922	1 308	952
\$20,000 to \$49,999 .....	400	1 038	1 139	1 163	1 146	929
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	270	360	285	261	250	215
\$100,000 to \$199,999 .....	92	82	41	56	33	24
\$200,000 to \$499,999 .....	13	32	31	27	17	30
\$500,000 or more .....	-	1	-	-	-	-
<b>SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup></b>						
Motortrucks, including pickups ..... farms..	958	2 078	2 589	2 814	3 239	2 772
number..	2 123	3 790	4 003	4 193	4 796	4 003
Wheel tractors ..... farms..	1 003	2 308	2 800	3 123	3 659	3 023
number..	2 390	4 823	5 219	5 305	5 862	4 726
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms..	539	1 141	1 478	1 676	2 036	1 849
number..	781	1 684	1 982	2 197	2 763	2 411
40 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms..	836	1 835	2 093	2 156	2 305	1 786
number..	1 609	3 139	3 237	3 108	3 099	2 315
40 to 99 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms..	756	1 738	2 007	2 063	2 185	1 693
number..	1 181	2 569	2 826	2 710	2 795	2 084
100 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms..	334	469	364	317	249	206
number..	428	570	411	398	304	231
Grain and bean combines ..... farms..	266	410	321	198	242	133
number..	313	473	356	204	265	145
Cotton pickers and strippers ..... farms..	20	31	17	5	2	-
number..	20	31	17	(D)	(D)	-
Mower conditioners ..... farms..	293	743	855	797	704	625
number..	346	839	912	909	758	686
Pickup balers ..... farms..	272	783	878	696	691	512
number..	357	994	1 164	822	795	572
<b>AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS<sup>1</sup></b>						
Commercial fertilizer ..... farms..	891	2 009	2 195	2 086	2 056	1 696
acres on which used..	97 296	125 545	81 385	56 258	44 927	26 722
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—						
Insects on hay and other crops ..... farms..	405	441	478	192	213	168
acres on which used..	22 475	12 827	7 313	1 814	2 049	1 735
Nematodes in crops ..... farms..	180	155	66	32	25	25
acres on which used..	6 252	4 124	816	177	133	93
Diseases in crops and orchards ..... farms..	137	188	152	51	54	92
acres on which used..	4 667	3 880	1 274	274	288	940
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture ..... farms..	519	996	760	611	510	352
acres on which used..	50 329	49 603	23 656	12 705	8 297	4 474
Chemicals used on crops to control growth, thin fruit, or defoliate ..... farms..	80	95	39	8	8	8
acres on which used..	6 767	2 929	487	44	115	22

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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	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 .....	20 189	358	504	633	807	720
Full owners .....	13 016	145	172	170	224	269
Part owners .....	5 921	185	298	406	489	382
Tenants .....	1 252	28	34	57	94	69
White .....	18 701	352	494	623	774	679
Full owners .....	12 215	141	167	169	217	261
Part owners .....	5 384	183	294	398	467	351
Tenants .....	1 102	28	33	56	90	67
Black and other races .....	1 488	6	10	10	33	41
Full owners .....	801	4	5	1	7	8
Part owners .....	537	2	4	8	22	31
Tenants .....	150	—	1	1	4	2
<b>OWNED AND RENTED LAND</b>						
Land owned .....	farms.. 18 972	330	470	580	714	652
acres..	3 292 896	220 888	191 706	246 522	255 312	220 203
Owned land in farms .....	farms.. 18 937	330	470	576	713	651
acres..	3 106 683	212 692	188 505	238 483	242 529	211 236
Land rented or leased from others .....	farms.. 7 245	215	333	466	586	456
acres..	1 514 729	228 723	281 458	265 428	184 829	106 801
landlords .....	23 110	1 924	2 854	3 045	2 825	1 569
Rented or leased land in farms .....	farms.. 7 173	213	332	463	583	451
acres..	1 486 769	226 147	278 546	261 960	183 292	104 570
Land rented or leased to others .....	farms.. 2 152	34	47	67	87	82
acres..	214 173	10 772	6 113	11 507	14 320	11 198
<b>OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS</b>						
Operators by place of residence:						
On farm operated .....	14 259	244	380	435	569	493
Not on farm operated .....	4 219	87	81	120	153	173
Not reported .....	1 711	27	43	78	85	54
Operators by principal occupation:						
Farming .....	7 959	313	438	560	659	507
Other .....	12 230	45	66	73	148	213
Operators by days worked off farm:						
None .....	7 443	259	332	417	488	356
Any .....	11 615	74	129	141	233	313
1 to 99 days .....	1 348	21	29	39	60	71
100 to 199 days .....	1 795	17	27	31	49	66
200 days or more .....	8 472	36	73	71	124	176
Not reported .....	1 131	25	43	75	86	51
Operators by years on present farm:						
2 years or less .....	933	16	24	21	20	26
3 or 4 years .....	1 258	33	28	23	34	51
5 to 9 years .....	2 731	44	52	60	102	64
10 years or more .....	11 165	214	336	400	493	447
Average years on present farm .....	20.2	19.5	21.2	22.1	21.7	22.8
Not reported .....	4 102	51	64	129	158	132
Operators by age group:						
Under 25 years .....	124	1	3	5	9	13
25 to 34 years .....	977	32	45	33	53	45
35 to 44 years .....	3 129	84	129	137	181	127
45 to 49 years .....	2 424	59	76	111	125	92
50 to 54 years .....	2 739	60	74	101	114	81
55 to 59 years .....	2 553	45	56	79	105	105
60 to 64 years .....	2 225	26	47	78	78	86
65 to 69 years .....	2 057	18	32	42	58	65
70 years and over .....	3 961	33	42	47	84	106
Average age .....	56.3	50.5	50.5	51.7	51.9	54.0
Operators by sex:						
Male .....	18 197	348	485	587	757	661
Female .....	1 992	10	19	46	50	59
Operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin (see text) .....						
	107	1	5	4	8	7
<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION</b>						
Individual or family (sole proprietorship) .....	farms.. 18 078	180	351	464	647	566
acres..	3 414 360	144 360	286 339	354 436	323 282	219 472
Partnership .....	farms.. 1 337	83	88	91	85	97
acres..	714 882	195 418	122 353	89 155	45 922	52 133
Corporation:						
Family held .....	farms.. 564	76	53	67	65	42
acres..	338 524	74 454	50 271	47 829	50 416	25 797
More than 10 stockholders .....	farms.. 7	—	—	—	—	—
10 or less stockholders .....	farms.. 552	69	53	66	64	40
Other than family held .....	farms.. 85	17	12	9	6	8
acres..	63 211	(D)	8 088	(D)	629	(D)
More than 10 stockholders .....	farms.. 8	—	—	—	—	—
10 or less stockholders .....	farms.. 77	14	11	9	5	8
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. ....						
farms..	125	2	—	2	4	7
acres..	62 475	(D)	—	(D)	5 572	(D)

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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>TENURE AND RACE OF OPERATOR</b>						
All operators .....	1 043	2 430	2 965	3 435	4 002	3 292
Full owners .....	425	1 298	1 886	2 469	3 201	2 757
Part owners .....	490	955	903	768	624	421
Tenants .....	128	177	176	198	177	114
White .....	966	2 252	2 736	3 161	3 664	3 000
Full owners .....	410	1 220	1 784	2 332	2 977	2 537
Part owners .....	443	880	803	661	541	363
Tenants .....	113	152	149	168	146	100
Black and other races .....	77	178	229	274	338	292
Full owners .....	15	78	102	137	224	220
Part owners .....	47	75	100	107	83	58
Tenants .....	15	25	27	30	31	14
<b>OWNED AND RENTED LAND</b>						
Land owned .....						
farms .....	917	2 259	2 792	3 242	3 830	3 186
acres .....	247 388	518 677	429 863	379 334	341 920	241 083
Owned land in farms .....						
farms .....	915	2 253	2 789	3 237	3 825	3 178
acres .....	228 970	486 682	403 088	352 490	316 480	225 528
Land rented or leased from others .....						
farms .....	624	1 138	1 090	975	816	546
acres .....	109 455	124 392	82 818	68 246	33 558	29 021
landlords .....	1 960	2 738	2 214	1 754	1 338	889
Rented or leased land in farms .....						
farms .....	618	1 132	1 079	966	801	535
acres .....	106 863	118 601	80 573	67 430	31 988	26 799
Land rented or leased to others .....						
farms .....	144	331	320	398	392	250
acres .....	21 010	37 786	29 020	27 660	27 010	17 777
<b>OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS</b>						
Operators by place of residence:						
On farm operated .....	722	1 714	2 065	2 401	2 739	2 497
Not on farm operated .....	252	541	655	728	895	534
Not reported .....	69	175	245	306	368	261
Operators by principal occupation:						
Farming .....	567	1 100	1 080	1 028	987	720
Other .....	476	1 330	1 885	2 407	3 015	2 572
Operators by days worked off farm:						
None .....	443	931	996	1 102	1 204	915
Any .....	539	1 361	1 809	2 158	2 612	2 246
1 to 99 days .....	91	171	195	221	239	211
100 to 199 days .....	96	245	290	316	372	286
200 days or more .....	352	945	1 324	1 621	2 001	1 749
Not reported .....	61	138	160	175	186	131
Operators by years on present farm:						
2 years or less .....	50	103	125	151	175	222
3 or 4 years .....	41	139	144	220	269	276
5 to 9 years .....	111	283	392	483	589	551
10 years or more .....	629	1 450	1 696	1 838	2 103	1 559
Average years on present farm .....	23.0	23.0	21.4	19.9	18.9	16.5
Not reported .....	212	455	608	743	866	684
Operators by age group:						
Under 25 years .....	7	14	21	23	15	13
25 to 34 years .....	59	115	136	131	164	164
35 to 44 years .....	155	298	370	455	597	596
45 to 49 years .....	119	255	321	377	466	423
50 to 54 years .....	141	300	399	462	513	494
55 to 59 years .....	148	306	352	452	508	397
60 to 64 years .....	107	276	355	387	432	353
65 to 69 years .....	113	295	327	373	422	312
70 years and over .....	194	571	684	775	885	540
Average age .....	55.9	58.0	57.8	57.7	57.4	55.2
Operators by sex:						
Male .....	970	2 229	2 705	3 092	3 533	2 830
Female .....	73	201	260	343	469	462
Operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin (see text) .....	6	16	10	13	16	21
<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION</b>						
Individual or family (sole proprietorship) .....						
farms .....	871	2 178	2 751	3 173	3 788	3 109
acres .....	268 988	506 676	430 778	354 670	312 927	212 432
Partnership .....						
farms .....	113	172	161	190	157	100
acres .....	43 443	67 301	35 919	33 345	19 490	10 403
Corporation:						
Family held .....						
farms .....	45	61	37	41	19	58
acres .....	19 466	14 578	12 467	12 361	5 942	24 943
More than 10 stockholders .....						
farms .....	45	61	37	41	19	57
acres .....						
10 or less stockholders .....						
farms .....	5	7	5	5	3	8
acres .....	1 010	(D)	1 439	744	(D)	631
More than 10 stockholders .....						
farms .....	—	—	1	2	—	—
acres .....	5	7	4	3	3	8
10 or less stockholders .....						
farms .....						
acres .....						
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. ....						
farms .....	9	12	11	26	35	17
acres .....	2 926	(D)	3 058	18 800	(D)	3 918

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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>INJURIES AND DEATHS</b>						
Farm-related injuries:						
Operator and family members . . . . . farms ..	136	7	2	7	6	6
number ..	155	8	(D)	7	8	(D)
Hired workers . . . . . farms ..	111	38	17	18	12	4
number ..	198	101	23	23	14	4
Farm-related deaths:						
Operator and family members . . . . . farms ..	3	—	—	1	—	—
number ..	3	—	—	(D)	—	—
Hired workers . . . . . farms ..	1	—	—	1	—	—
number ..	(D)	—	—	(D)	—	—
<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>						
1 to 9 acres . . . . .	1 224	9	10	18	22	36
10 to 49 acres . . . . .	5 712	41	50	51	44	67
50 to 69 acres . . . . .	2 035	21	27	22	27	22
70 to 99 acres . . . . .	2 026	18	16	13	23	28
100 to 139 acres . . . . .	2 053	17	26	22	35	43
140 to 179 acres . . . . .	1 388	14	18	16	39	47
180 to 219 acres . . . . .	972	19	25	15	54	49
220 to 259 acres . . . . .	683	8	9	19	39	53
260 to 499 acres . . . . .	1 956	40	45	83	214	185
500 to 999 acres . . . . .	1 225	45	78	179	215	123
1,000 to 1,999 acres . . . . .	638	51	121	158	77	48
2,000 acres or more . . . . .	277	75	79	37	18	19
<b>FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM</b>						
Oilseed and grain farming (1111) . . . . .	3 630	11	35	68	127	152
Vegetable and melon farming (1112) . . . . .	700	12	12	12	40	23
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113) . . . . .	533	9	4	13	18	17
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114) . . . . .	682	31	19	40	54	67
Other crop farming (1119) . . . . .	3 437	64	190	306	400	261
Tobacco farming (11191) . . . . .	1 033	24	96	168	248	141
Cotton farming (11192) . . . . .	473	18	61	88	109	66
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199) . . . . .	1 931	22	33	50	43	54
Beef cattle ranching and farming (11211) . . . . .	7 746	3	2	7	27	99
Cattle feedlots (11212) . . . . .	206	1	—	1	3	4
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212) . . . . .	179	10	30	46	35	20
Hog and pig farming (1122) . . . . .	565	21	14	19	29	25
Poultry and egg production (1123) . . . . .	711	192	197	113	62	28
Sheep and goat farming (1124) . . . . .	289	—	—	—	—	2
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129) . . . . .	1 511	4	1	8	12	22
<b>LIVESTOCK</b>						
Cattle and calves inventory . . . . . farms ..	9 902	123	188	184	233	257
number ..	453 631	29 087	28 194	31 560	27 817	37 363
Farms with—						
1 to 9 . . . . .	1 993	8	12	9	22	15
10 to 49 . . . . .	5 530	36	59	50	69	69
50 to 99 . . . . .	1 378	18	41	29	56	48
100 to 199 . . . . .	648	24	24	39	49	54
200 to 499 . . . . .	285	16	38	48	29	60
500 or more . . . . .	68	21	14	9	8	11
Cows and heifers that had calved . . . . . farms ..	8 859	108	174	173	212	234
number ..	253 814	14 758	15 388	16 479	13 761	20 337
Beef cows . . . . . farms ..	8 671	98	149	139	189	224
number ..	229 048	8 446	7 695	10 091	11 189	19 516
Farms with—						
1 to 9 . . . . .	2 850	10	21	18	31	21
10 to 49 . . . . .	4 665	35	79	65	93	84
50 to 99 . . . . .	789	25	25	26	37	38
100 to 199 . . . . .	272	17	17	19	12	57
200 to 499 . . . . .	89	9	7	9	16	24
500 or more . . . . .	6	2	—	2	—	—
Milk cows . . . . . farms ..	394	16	35	50	35	27
number ..	24 766	6 312	7 693	6 388	2 572	821
Farms with—						
1 to 4 . . . . .	164	—	—	1	1	2
5 to 9 . . . . .	43	—	—	—	—	4
10 to 49 . . . . .	56	—	2	2	4	16
50 to 99 . . . . .	40	—	2	8	25	5
100 to 199 . . . . .	47	2	6	34	5	—
200 to 499 . . . . .	38	8	25	5	—	—
500 or more . . . . .	6	6	—	—	—	—
Heifers and heifer calves . . . . . farms ..	7 349	101	151	156	186	200
number ..	104 209	7 137	8 684	7 814	7 738	8 636
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves . . . . . farms ..	8 308	106	158	157	188	214
number ..	95 608	7 192	4 122	7 267	6 318	8 390

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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	\$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 ..	17	14	25	12	18	22
number ..	17	16	30	13	23	24
Hired workers . . . . . farms ..	1	5	4	2	4	6
number ..	(D)	9	4	(D)	11	6
Farm-related deaths:						
Operator and family members . . . . . farms ..	—	1	—	—	1	—
number ..	—	(D)	—	—	(D)	—
Hired workers . . . . . farms ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
number ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>						
1 to 9 acres . . . . .	39	99	139	170	303	379
10 to 49 acres . . . . .	112	313	568	1 034	1 683	1 749
50 to 69 acres . . . . .	54	166	317	490	564	325
70 to 99 acres . . . . .	59	229	394	467	505	274
100 to 139 acres . . . . .	105	347	444	461	349	204
140 to 179 acres . . . . .	105	250	303	249	224	123
180 to 219 acres . . . . .	79	204	191	149	123	64
220 to 259 acres . . . . .	75	133	136	116	65	30
260 to 499 acres . . . . .	224	431	314	221	122	77
500 to 999 acres . . . . .	139	168	127	57	46	48
1,000 to 1,999 acres . . . . .	41	75	24	14	15	14
2,000 acres or more . . . . .	11	15	8	7	3	5
<b>FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM</b>						
Oilseed and grain farming (1111) . . . . .	246	517	595	691	892	296
Vegetable and melon farming (1112) . . . . .	81	131	169	120	67	33
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113) . . . . .	26	47	44	51	70	234
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114) . . . . .	76	136	97	57	83	22
Other crop farming (1119) . . . . .	257	370	391	425	471	302
Tobacco farming (11191) . . . . .	128	138	48	19	18	5
Cotton farming (11192) . . . . .	51	47	16	9	7	1
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199) . . . . .	78	185	327	397	446	296
Beef cattle ranching and farming (11211) . . . . .	256	992	1 403	1 728	1 923	1 306
Cattle feedlots (11212) . . . . .	14	46	46	35	41	15
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212) . . . . .	7	22	—	1	1	7
Hog and pig farming (1122) . . . . .	28	51	85	107	116	70
Poultry and egg production (1123) . . . . .	11	7	9	15	36	41
Sheep and goat farming (1124) . . . . .	4	13	13	17	58	182
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129) . . . . .	37	98	113	188	244	784
<b>LIVESTOCK</b>						
Cattle and calves inventory . . . . . farms ..	422	1 328	1 697	1 944	2 073	1 453
number ..	45 187	87 847	66 972	49 686	35 313	14 605
Farms with—						
1 to 9 . . . . .	21	69	106	226	556	949
10 to 49 . . . . .	117	502	1 121	1 553	1 466	488
50 to 99 . . . . .	84	487	413	148	40	14
100 to 199 . . . . .	133	247	51	16	10	1
200 to 499 . . . . .	66	20	5	1	1	1
500 or more . . . . .	1	3	1	—	—	—
Cows and heifers that had calved . . . . . farms ..	394	1 232	1 599	1 754	1 812	1 167
number ..	25 753	51 705	39 460	28 208	20 184	7 781
Beef cows . . . . . farms ..	393	1 212	1 593	1 743	1 795	1 136
number ..	25 585	51 369	39 369	28 106	20 055	7 627
Farms with—						
1 to 9 . . . . .	30	117	223	512	960	907
10 to 49 . . . . .	146	703	1 229	1 189	818	224
50 to 99 . . . . .	129	329	128	34	14	4
100 to 199 . . . . .	74	54	12	8	2	—
200 to 499 . . . . .	14	8	—	—	1	1
500 or more . . . . .	—	1	1	—	—	—
Milk cows . . . . . farms ..	13	40	29	37	53	59
number ..	168	336	91	102	129	154
Farms with—						
1 to 4 . . . . .	3	11	23	29	45	49
5 to 9 . . . . .	—	7	6	8	8	10
10 to 49 . . . . .	10	22	—	—	—	—
50 to 99 . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
100 to 199 . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
200 to 499 . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
500 or more . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
Heifers and heifer calves . . . . . farms ..	337	1 058	1 353	1 465	1 422	920
number ..	9 797	17 849	14 200	11 288	7 498	3 568
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves . . . . . farms ..	373	1 188	1 497	1 672	1 680	1 075
number ..	9 637	18 293	13 312	10 190	7 631	3 256

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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>LIVESTOCK—Con.</b>						
Cattle and calves sold	farms.. 9 287	119	184	179	230	253
	number.. 216 812	15 847	11 373	12 769	21 906	19 576
	\$1,000.. 76 008	8 034	4 289	5 556	6 606	7 503
Calves	farms.. 7 199	81	129	135	156	175
	number.. 118 115	3 560	4 400	4 847	12 920	9 138
	\$1,000.. 29 591	1 037	949	1 231	2 252	2 742
Cattle	farms.. 5 620	82	122	111	153	188
	number.. 98 697	12 287	6 973	7 922	8 986	10 438
	\$1,000.. 46 417	6 998	3 340	4 325	4 354	4 761
Fattened on grain and concentrates	farms.. 351	11	4	12	14	12
	number.. 9 421	3 493	(D)	1 311	1 101	390
	\$1,000.. 6 113	2 728	64	910	647	264
Hogs and pigs inventory	farms.. 1 226	37	35	49	71	62
	number.. 304 793	123 011	49 897	50 234	45 455	12 735
Farms with—						
1 to 24	725	2	6	4	13	12
25 to 49	190	2	1	2	9	4
50 to 99	87	—	3	2	7	10
100 to 199	59	3	—	2	5	15
200 to 499	54	—	3	9	13	16
500 or more	111	30	22	30	24	5
Used or to be used for breeding	farms.. 820	23	22	28	47	44
	number.. 36 485	16 405	5 040	4 820	3 905	1 873
Other	farms.. 1 111	37	32	49	69	60
	number.. 268 308	106 606	44 857	45 414	41 550	10 862
Hogs and pigs sold	farms.. 1 031	38	35	47	71	63
	number.. 711 109	368 243	118 204	97 235	76 176	20 097
	\$1,000.. 64 550	36 059	11 349	7 489	4 545	1 933
Feeder pigs	farms.. 125	4	6	2	7	2
	number.. 188 912	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
	\$1,000.. 6 445	(D)	(D)	(D)	385	(D)
Litters of pigs farrowed between—						
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30	farms.. 861	24	22	29	50	46
	number.. 58 845	31 874	6 327	7 989	5 776	2 241
Dec. 1 and May 31	farms.. 771	24	22	28	47	43
	number.. 28 792	15 351	3 148	4 104	2 808	840
June 1 and Nov. 30	farms.. 679	24	22	28	44	45
	number.. 30 053	16 523	3 179	3 885	2 968	1 401
Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory	farms.. 168	—	3	3	4	7
	number.. 3 316	—	(D)	(D)	51	214
Ewes 1 year old or older	farms.. 116	—	—	2	2	4
	number.. 1 848	—	—	(D)	(D)	112
Sheep and lambs sold	farms.. 112	1	2	2	3	8
	number.. 1 830	(D)	(D)	(D)	39	106
Sheep and lambs shorn	farms.. 77	—	—	1	2	4
	number.. 2 313	—	—	(D)	(D)	200
	pounds of wool.. 13 426	—	—	(D)	(D)	454
Horses and ponies inventory	farms.. 3 713	31	49	55	72	75
	number.. 22 981	134	244	648	1 045	735
Horses and ponies sold	farms.. 772	4	5	5	14	17
	number.. 3 064	7	25	522	287	280
	\$1,000.. 1 441	14	10	15	24	22
Goats inventory	farms.. 27 153	382	183	142	1 001	1 235
	number.. 579	8	5	3	10	7
Goats sold	farms.. 9 191	130	147	23	272	812
	number.. 9 191	130	147	23	272	812
<b>POULTRY</b>						
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text)	farms.. 730	26	16	27	17	15
	number.. 5 711 843	(D)	(D)	(D)	322 053	191 371
Farms with—						
1 to 399	638	—	1	6	5	3
400 to 3,199	6	—	—	1	—	2
3,200 to 9,999	4	—	—	—	2	1
10,000 to 19,999	21	—	—	10	3	6
20,000 to 49,999	32	2	12	10	5	3
50,000 to 99,999	14	10	2	—	2	—
100,000 or more	15	14	1	—	—	—
Layers 20 weeks old and older	farms.. 695	25	15	25	14	8
	number.. 5 052 008	3 880 239	539 962	360 218	171 950	54 021
Pullets 13 weeks old and older but less than 20 weeks old	farms.. 154	1	1	4	6	7
	number.. 659 835	(D)	(D)	(D)	150 103	137 350
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold (see text)	farms.. 160	19	14	23	20	14
	number.. 5 326 365	3 081 500	576 965	614 538	732 477	272 137
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold	farms.. 366	95	131	73	37	3
	number.. 158 678 646	83 998 200	54 267 665	16 093 287	4 153 750	123 000
Farms with—						
1 to 1,999	24	—	—	—	—	—
2,000 to 59,999	8	—	—	2	1	2
60,000 to 99,999	15	1	—	—	13	1
100,000 or more	319	94	131	71	23	—
Turkey hens kept for breeding	farms.. 93	6	1	2	1	1
	number.. 178 747	158 003	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Turkeys sold	farms.. 168	71	51	23	7	6
	number.. 13 503 921	9 588 689	2 759 181	633 024	197 316	325 620

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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>LIVESTOCK—Con.</b>						
Cattle and calves sold .....	farms .. 429	1 329	1 711	1 946	2 047	860
	number .. 24 133	44 974	31 685	20 567	11 618	2 364
	\$1,000 .. 9 034	15 263	9 899	6 084	3 218	522
Calves .....	farms .. 302	1 016	1 371	1 555	1 645	634
	number .. 11 631	26 189	20 512	14 263	8 694	1 981
	\$1,000 .. 3 332	7 000	5 260	3 444	1 996	350
Cattle .....	farms .. 314	958	1 130	1 192	1 055	315
	number .. 12 502	18 785	11 173	6 304	2 924	403
	\$1,000 .. 5 703	8 263	4 639	2 641	1 223	172
Fattened on grain and concentrates .....	farms .. 25	71	72	58	57	15
	number .. 676	953	410	168	100	(D)
	\$1,000 .. 436	619	263	108	64	10
Hogs and pigs inventory .....	farms .. 77	171	204	173	193	154
	number .. 5 692	6 492	5 109	2 833	2 104	1 231
Farms with—						
1 to 24 .....	28	87	129	132	165	147
25 to 49 .....	11	48	46	34	27	6
50 to 99 .....	16	15	27	5	1	1
100 to 199 .....	13	18	1	2	—	—
200 to 499 .....	9	3	1	—	—	—
500 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Used or to be used for breeding .....	farms .. 60	121	153	131	110	81
	number .. 1 075	995	1 071	635	387	279
Other .....	farms .. 68	155	179	148	175	139
	number .. 4 617	5 497	4 038	2 198	1 717	952
Hogs and pigs sold .....	farms .. 75	150	184	152	146	70
	number .. 9 410	9 066	6 472	3 715	1 969	522
	\$1,000 .. 1 056	906	640	361	176	36
Feeder pigs .....	farms .. 6	16	26	19	22	15
	number .. 236	869	916	613	444	230
	\$1,000 .. 6	28	33	19	12	5
Litters of pigs farrowed between—						
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30 .....	farms .. 62	124	157	141	123	83
	number .. 1 186	1 154	1 089	618	352	239
Dec. 1 and May 31 .....	farms .. 57	112	141	129	100	68
	number .. 625	618	595	391	180	132
June 1 and Nov. 30 .....	farms .. 56	96	127	100	78	59
	number .. 561	536	494	227	172	107
Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory .....	farms .. 9	14	19	30	38	41
	number .. 126	324	1 376	314	466	372
Ewes 1 year old or older .....	farms .. 3	13	17	25	25	25
	number .. (D)	238	847	196	206	166
Sheep and lambs sold .....	farms .. 3	11	11	23	28	20
	number .. 97	286	483	261	355	143
Sheep and lambs shorn .....	farms .. 3	8	12	15	13	19
	number .. (D)	280	1 055	200	222	216
	pounds of wool .. (D)	2 527	5 951	1 035	1 227	1 145
Horses and ponies inventory .....	farms .. 123	350	451	560	702	1 245
	number .. 965	2 712	2 363	2 840	2 909	8 386
Horses and ponies sold .....	farms .. 36	115	127	191	192	66
	number .. 181	525	372	459	327	79
Goats inventory .....	farms .. 43	121	191	236	303	462
	number .. 968	3 193	3 192	4 130	5 228	7 499
Goats sold .....	farms .. 18	56	78	108	138	148
	number .. 407	1 673	1 394	1 411	1 503	1 419
<b>POULTRY</b>						
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text) .....	farms .. 22	49	69	113	168	208
	number .. (D)	3 991	3 013	2 845	3 975	3 668
Farms with—						
1 to 399 .....	18	48	68	113	168	208
400 to 3,199 .....	1	1	1	—	—	—
3,200 to 9,999 .....	1	—	—	—	—	—
10,000 to 19,999 .....	2	—	—	—	—	—
20,000 to 49,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
50,000 to 99,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Layers 20 weeks old and older .....	farms .. 20	47	65	110	161	205
	number .. 30 186	3 709	2 832	2 339	3 318	3 234
Pullets 13 weeks old and older but less than 20 weeks old .....	farms .. 6	11	11	32	40	35
	number .. (D)	282	181	506	657	434
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold (see text) .....	farms .. 12	8	7	12	21	10
	number .. 45 733	431	750	528	1 128	178
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold .....	farms .. 5	4	3	6	6	3
	number .. 41 095	(D)	(D)	125	339	35
Farms with—						
1 to 1,999 .....	2	4	3	6	6	3
2,000 to 59,999 .....	3	—	—	—	—	—
60,000 to 99,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Turkey hens kept for breeding .....	farms .. 3	9	12	15	15	28
	number .. 3	90	74	50	90	124
Turkeys sold .....	farms .. —	1	1	2	6	—
	number .. —	(D)	(D)	(D)	53	—

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 grain or seed .....	farms.. 3 531	105	217	313	392	302
	acres.. 300 934	54 213	60 238	61 195	48 692	23 520
	bushels.. 28 107 576	5 706 737	6 086 838	6 112 220	4 414 716	2 025 005
Irrigated .....	farms.. 157	23	24	28	17	15
	acres.. 18 393	7 485	3 855	3 379	1 603	1 117
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres .....	1 607	6	15	18	34	61
25 to 99 acres .....	1 121	15	47	84	165	149
100 to 249 acres .....	486	21	64	116	135	87
250 to 499 acres .....	210	26	48	71	56	4
500 acres or more .....	107	37	43	24	2	1
Corn for silage or green chop .....	farms.. 226	18	37	36	17	12
	acres.. 20 124	5 357	6 813	4 239	1 403	713
	tons, green.. 280 856	71 583	103 130	58 695	15 880	9 930
Irrigated .....	farms.. 25	4	11	6	2	—
	acres.. 1 709	330	916	275	(D)	—
Wheat for grain .....	farms.. 2 138	122	211	282	336	225
	acres.. 306 935	75 343	68 729	65 059	42 261	18 829
	bushels.. 14 500 101	3 983 066	3 406 443	3 015 042	1 930 081	788 293
Irrigated .....	farms.. 32	5	8	2	7	2
	acres.. 3 338	1 345	(D)	538	755	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres .....	455	5	6	4	13	16
25 to 99 acres .....	846	13	28	46	141	138
100 to 249 acres .....	488	25	62	121	147	62
250 to 499 acres .....	217	26	65	86	31	9
500 acres or more .....	132	53	50	25	4	—
Barley for grain .....	farms.. 67	6	7	5	7	10
	acres.. 2 976	888	470	324	417	375
	bushels.. 172 365	56 250	23 350	22 730	22 950	20 376
Irrigated .....	farms.. 1	—	—	—	—	—
	acres.. (D)	—	—	—	—	—
Oats for grain .....	farms.. 625	23	35	54	63	61
	acres.. 17 281	1 207	2 102	2 229	2 832	2 645
	bushels.. 961 509	63 490	135 722	147 598	173 815	147 885
Irrigated .....	farms.. 1	—	—	—	—	—
	acres.. (D)	(D)	—	—	—	—
Cotton .....	farms.. 894	72	151	189	192	107
	acres.. 285 858	65 755	85 905	72 948	42 289	11 138
	bales.. 397 545	100 783	125 793	96 637	52 186	13 698
Irrigated .....	farms.. 74	11	20	21	12	4
	acres.. 13 877	4 399	3 894	3 439	1 575	388
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres .....	68	2	—	1	—	1
25 to 99 acres .....	196	2	7	9	27	47
100 to 249 acres .....	234	5	16	50	91	57
250 to 499 acres .....	190	11	41	72	64	2
500 acres or more .....	206	52	87	57	10	—
Tobacco .....	farms.. 1 275	63	138	206	285	180
	acres.. 54 660	11 782	14 509	13 271	9 957	2 843
	pounds.. 125 220 334	28 414 739	33 783 334	30 668 818	22 086 235	5 830 366
Irrigated .....	farms.. 23	4	5	7	4	1
	acres.. 1 767	898	396	209	181	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:						
0.1 to 0.9 acres .....	22	—	—	—	—	—
1.0 to 1.9 acres .....	59	—	2	—	—	3
2.0 to 2.9 acres .....	68	—	1	1	1	1
3.0 to 4.9 acres .....	83	—	—	—	1	6
5.0 to 9.9 acres .....	153	—	—	2	4	27
10.0 to 24.9 acres .....	258	4	1	6	61	123
25.0 acres or more .....	632	59	134	197	218	20
Soybeans for beans .....	farms.. 3 044	125	238	349	435	321
	acres.. 507 687	106 624	116 141	107 457	77 110	35 223
	bushels.. 11 554 522	2 792 188	2 770 195	2 380 399	1 666 275	721 709
Irrigated .....	farms.. 63	7	10	18	9	4
	acres.. 7 526	1 990	2 268	986	1 206	390
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres .....	706	3	4	12	13	20
25 to 99 acres .....	1 099	11	25	32	129	134
100 to 249 acres .....	669	16	41	114	196	150
250 to 499 acres .....	299	26	59	119	76	17
500 acres or more .....	271	69	109	72	21	—
Potatoes, excluding sweetpotatoes .....	farms.. 60	—	3	1	1	4
	acres.. 355	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	16
	cwt.. 79 750	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	1 600
Irrigated .....	farms.. 10	—	3	—	—	1
	acres.. (D)	—	(D)	—	—	(D)
Sweetpotatoes .....	farms.. 112	3	5	9	5	10
	acres.. 753	8	165	289	53	43
	bushels.. 144 399	(D)	35 025	57 570	16 500	10 514
Irrigated .....	farms.. 10	—	—	—	—	—
	acres.. 9	—	—	—	—	—

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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	\$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 grain or seed .....						
farms ..	343	512	437	373	304	233
acres ..	18 967	17 266	7 884	4 901	2 618	1 440
bushels ..	1 515 050	1 238 128	538 638	287 648	133 616	48 980
Irrigated ..	11	10	10	4	6	9
farms ..	531	269	93	13	14	34
acres ..						
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres ..	79	223	328	331	282	230
25 to 99 acres ..	213	273	108	42	22	3
100 to 249 acres ..	47	15	1	—	—	—
250 to 499 acres ..	4	1	—	—	—	—
500 acres or more ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Corn for silage or green chop .....						
farms ..	10	29	22	14	15	16
acres ..	203	576	344	146	174	156
tons, green ..	3 318	8 687	3 704	1 642	2 891	1 396
Irrigated ..	1	1	—	—	—	—
farms ..	(D)	(D)	—	—	—	—
acres ..						
Wheat for grain .....						
farms ..	257	294	204	105	65	37
acres ..	16 493	11 505	5 560	2 116	724	316
bushels ..	667 076	434 847	186 072	61 802	22 030	5 349
Irrigated ..	3	1	—	—	1	—
farms ..	330	56	(D)	—	(D)	—
acres ..						
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres ..	41	87	106	80	60	37
25 to 99 acres ..	161	192	98	24	5	—
100 to 249 acres ..	55	15	—	1	—	—
250 to 499 acres ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
500 acres or more ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Barley for grain .....						
farms ..	7	5	8	6	—	6
acres ..	191	116	118	43	—	34
bushels ..	10 645	5 140	7 189	2 325	—	1 410
Irrigated ..	—	—	1	—	—	—
farms ..	—	—	(D)	—	—	—
acres ..						
Oats for grain .....						
farms ..	86	90	67	72	45	29
acres ..	2 158	1 485	998	1 033	397	195
bushels ..	110 087	68 502	44 842	44 401	16 576	8 591
Irrigated ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
acres ..						
Cotton .....						
farms ..	87	57	21	9	8	1
acres ..	4 921	2 294	427	117	(D)	(D)
bales ..	5 397	2 484	423	104	(D)	(D)
Irrigated ..	3	3	—	—	—	—
farms ..	122	60	—	—	—	—
acres ..						
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres ..	13	17	17	8	8	1
25 to 99 acres ..	61	38	4	1	—	—
100 to 249 acres ..	13	2	—	—	—	—
250 to 499 acres ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
500 acres or more ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco .....						
farms ..	145	155	57	22	19	5
acres ..	1 364	724	132	46	28	5
pounds ..	2 807 619	1 332 589	220 514	46 238	27 766	2 116
Irrigated ..	2	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..	(D)	—	—	—	—	—
acres ..						
Farms by acres harvested:						
0.1 to 0.9 acres ..	1	3	2	4	10	2
1.0 to 1.9 acres ..	1	11	19	13	7	3
2.0 to 2.9 acres ..	4	32	25	3	—	—
3.0 to 4.9 acres ..	17	50	9	—	—	—
5.0 to 9.9 acres ..	66	50	2	—	2	—
10.0 to 24.9 acres ..	53	8	—	2	—	—
25.0 acres or more ..	3	1	—	—	—	—
Soybeans for beans .....						
farms ..	362	476	333	187	150	68
acres ..	26 776	21 348	10 162	4 097	2 026	723
bushels ..	534 798	412 968	172 511	63 649	32 786	7 044
Irrigated ..	5	4	2	—	3	1
farms ..	500	124	(D)	—	(D)	(D)
acres ..						
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres ..	61	127	157	113	132	64
25 to 99 acres ..	195	306	172	73	18	4
100 to 249 acres ..	104	43	4	1	—	—
250 to 499 acres ..	2	—	—	—	—	—
500 acres or more ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Potatoes, excluding sweetpotatoes .....						
farms ..	7	9	13	8	10	4
acres ..	16	17	10	4	10	2
cwt ..	3 630	1 847	1 271	413	904	85
Irrigated ..	2	2	1	—	—	1
farms ..	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	—	(D)
acres ..						
Sweetpotatoes .....						
farms ..	9	14	22	10	17	8
acres ..	41	26	79	17	23	9
bushels ..	8 000	3 330	8 023	1 310	2 120	(D)
Irrigated ..	2	3	2	—	2	1
farms ..	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	(D)	(D)
acres ..						

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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>SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED—</b>						
<b>Con.</b>						
Peanuts for nuts .....	farms.. 146	7	15	26	11	12
	acres.. 10 097	2 678	2 891	3 167	407	436
	pounds.. 28 250 921	7 465 170	8 134 481	9 651 546	1 057 800	888 446
Irrigated .....	farms.. 11	2	—	1	1	1
	acres.. 464	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	(D)
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) ...	farms.. 7 618	125	168	170	203	230
	acres.. 287 002	10 573	12 586	13 248	18 134	22 122
	tons, dry.. 592 327	30 943	36 486	34 959	45 163	54 526
Irrigated .....	farms.. 66	1	7	2	3	5
	acres.. 1 685	(D)	211	(D)	(D)	124
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres .....	4 119	34	44	44	59	69
25 to 99 acres .....	2 875	57	77	80	94	76
100 to 249 acres .....	535	24	39	38	36	67
250 to 499 acres .....	74	9	8	6	8	17
500 acres or more .....	15	1	—	2	6	1
Tame hay other than alfalfa, small grain, and wild hay (see text) .....	farms.. 6 475	112	148	146	174	205
	acres.. 224 961	8 634	7 766	8 967	14 106	17 150
	tons, dry.. 482 245	27 055	23 141	27 042	36 909	43 389
Irrigated .....	farms.. 50	1	4	2	3	3
	acres.. 888	(D)	56	(D)	(D)	(D)
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text) ....	farms.. 1 040	25	32	54	100	60
	acres.. 28 774	8 147	3 740	4 127	5 339	1 594
Irrigated .....	farms.. 291	18	18	22	39	25
	acres.. 13 885	6 327	2 204	1 912	1 679	458
Farms by acres harvested:						
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....	428	1	2	3	12	6
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....	395	5	4	15	27	27
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....	152	1	13	23	41	26
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....	44	6	8	11	18	1
250.0 acres or more .....	21	12	5	2	2	—
Land in orchards .....	farms.. 885	17	18	24	30	35
	acres.. 24 775	9 792	2 165	3 414	2 011	1 088
Irrigated .....	farms.. 152	10	5	10	10	5
	acres.. 9 798	6 601	512	1 492	494	76
Farms by bearing and nonbearing acres:						
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....	448	3	—	2	6	9
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....	307	2	10	6	5	9
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....	84	1	1	1	13	16
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....	26	1	4	10	4	1
250.0 acres or more .....	20	10	3	5	2	—
Peaches .....	farms.. 320	11	9	15	16	17
	Bearing and nonbearing...acres.. 16 998	8 636	1 822	2 191	1 558	790
	pounds.. 122 821 094	76 358 060	11 698 225	18 324 900	9 338 022	3 577 190

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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	\$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>						
<b>Con.</b>						
Peanuts for nuts .....						
farms..	12	18	11	10	13	11
acres..	300	86	78	20	21	13
pounds..	649 517	183 812	105 528	41 725	37 491	35 405
Irrigated .....						
farms..	1	1	—	—	4	—
acres..	(D)	(D)	—	—	6	—
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) ...						
farms..	402	1 138	1 402	1 425	1 325	1 030
acres..	29 477	57 077	47 090	35 151	25 453	16 091
tons, dry..	66 210	119 557	88 491	57 227	37 699	21 066
Irrigated .....						
farms..	5	7	10	4	11	11
acres..	325	218	335	32	104	113
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres .....	97	343	652	916	994	867
25 to 99 acres .....	199	654	688	481	316	153
100 to 249 acres .....	88	131	59	28	15	10
250 to 499 acres .....	16	7	3	—	—	—
500 acres or more .....	2	3	—	—	—	—
Tame hay other than alfalfa, small grain, and wild hay (see text) .....						
farms..	353	991	1 235	1 217	1 087	807
acres..	22 545	46 622	38 430	28 620	19 836	12 285
tons, dry..	53 802	101 585	74 568	48 440	30 036	16 278
Irrigated .....						
farms..	3	5	5	4	9	11
acres..	100	123	201	32	46	113
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text) ....						
farms..	125	192	198	146	72	36
acres..	2 389	1 695	1 105	451	144	41
Irrigated .....						
farms..	38	59	38	20	7	7
acres..	651	389	193	58	10	7
Farms by acres harvested:						
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....	16	65	93	126	68	36
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....	67	122	104	20	4	—
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....	42	5	1	—	—	—
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
250.0 acres or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Land in orchards .....						
farms..	58	104	83	107	126	283
acres..	1 320	1 094	659	779	564	1 889
Irrigated .....						
farms..	16	15	7	17	13	44
acres..	166	127	31	103	36	160
Farms by bearing and nonbearing acres:						
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....	12	53	40	59	82	182
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....	31	35	37	43	43	86
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....	11	16	6	4	1	14
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....	4	—	—	1	—	1
250.0 acres or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Peaches .....						
farms..	28	39	23	35	43	84
Bearing and nonbearing .....	579	456	193	227	127	420
pounds..	1 580 600	1 174 869	482 094	156 512	116 093	14 529

<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.