

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
FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS						
Farms	1 911 859	26 485	44 626	91 528	193 068	161 582
number ..						
percent ..	100.0	1.4	2.3	4.8	10.1	8.5
Land in farms	931 795 255	92 722 349	94 044 373	144 201 564	209 541 409	117 862 948
acres ..						
Average size of farm	487	3 501	2 107	1 575	1 085	729
acres ..						
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD						
Total sales (see text)	1 911 859	26 485	44 626	91 528	193 068	161 582
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	196 864 649	82 646 448	29 946 161	30 834 576	29 584 296	10 997 292
Average per farm	102 970	3 120 500	671 047	336 887	153 233	68 060
dollars ..						
Farms by value of sales:						
Less than \$1,000 (see text)	277 248	1	2	1	43	560
\$1,000 to \$2,499	219 266	—	—	—	4	22
\$2,500 to \$4,999	228 477	—	—	—	7	43
\$5,000 to \$9,999	237 975	—	—	—	2	106
\$10,000 to \$19,999	212 120	—	—	—	13	361
\$20,000 to \$24,999	61 920	—	—	—	7	282
\$25,000 to \$39,999	117 196	—	—	—	31	1 734
\$40,000 to \$49,999	53 509	—	—	—	62	9 860
\$50,000 to \$99,999	158 160	—	1	1	9 544	148 614
\$100,000 to \$249,999	189 417	—	1	6 061	183 355	—
\$250,000 to \$499,999	87 777	—	2 312	85 465	—	—
\$500,000 to \$999,999	42 860	550	42 310	—	—	—
\$1,000,000 to \$2,499,999	19 069	19 069	—	—	—	—
\$2,500,000 to \$4,999,999	4 066	4 066	—	—	—	—
\$5,000,000 or more	2 799	2 799	—	—	—	—
Grains	589 379	11 026	26 214	63 953	131 480	96 807
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	46 617 111	5 054 303	8 495 707	12 799 427	12 702 345	4 356 294
Sales of \$50,000 or more	223 138	8 807	21 894	52 812	93 785	45 840
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	40 973 371	5 007 559	8 403 554	12 556 748	11 916 796	3 088 714
Corn for grain	359 666	6 436	17 663	44 683	89 415	62 147
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	18 884 767	2 002 404	3 568 169	5 354 304	5 098 060	1 674 450
Wheat	241 334	6 128	13 493	30 609	59 361	43 088
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	7 173 922	857 249	1 101 746	1 807 464	2 039 760	781 576
Soybeans	353 566	6 347	18 176	45 244	87 722	61 379
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	15 622 419	1 428 035	2 834 806	4 288 795	4 326 842	1 541 839
Sorghum for grain	44 955	908	2 582	6 171	11 949	8 666
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	1 140 048	99 617	173 460	296 335	342 825	133 028
Barley	30 598	843	1 793	4 482	9 218	5 503
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	709 602	90 944	113 174	188 005	208 816	66 352
Oats	38 940	373	1 146	3 463	9 036	6 592
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	121 278	6 206	10 019	19 044	34 786	20 478
Other grains	43 901	1 961	4 191	8 576	13 708	6 827
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	2 965 074	569 849	694 333	845 480	651 258	138 572
Cotton and cottonseed	31 456	2 620	4 359	6 501	7 651	3 989
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	5 975 478	2 197 947	1 519 474	1 275 598	723 454	167 981
Sales of \$50,000 or more	20 044	2 503	4 157	5 978	5 898	1 508
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	5 743 856	2 194 772	1 514 215	1 260 882	674 195	99 791
Tobacco	89 544	828	1 470	2 901	7 111	7 949
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	2 924 710	429 289	421 796	514 013	574 810	327 107
Sales of \$50,000 or more	11 712	708	1 228	2 289	4 382	3 105
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	2 060 224	426 562	416 378	499 884	515 926	201 473
Hay, silage, and field seeds	354 523	4 806	8 048	16 554	36 235	31 374
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	4 670 487	1 154 675	603 579	639 719	774 720	439 395
Sales of \$50,000 or more	14 722	2 212	2 264	3 201	4 505	2 540
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	2 781 853	1 123 262	537 664	494 556	461 073	165 298
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons	53 641	3 123	2 957	4 503	7 047	5 461
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	8 401 697	6 337 081	739 069	518 644	400 815	168 178
Sales of \$50,000 or more	11 830	2 748	2 102	2 510	2 929	1 541
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	7 966 830	6 329 668	722 412	481 862	332 130	100 757
Fruits, nuts, and berries	85 973	3 247	3 111	4 927	9 865	9 082
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	12 660 262	7 423 931	1 578 246	1 346 686	1 263 956	528 824
Sales of \$50,000 or more	25 207	2 955	2 663	4 208	8 275	7 106
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	12 072 325	7 419 532	1 572 587	1 337 422	1 244 804	497 980
Nursery and greenhouse crops	67 816	2 418	2 137	3 363	6 757	6 589
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	10 942 816	7 100 738	1 198 004	929 633	855 038	385 960
Sales of \$50,000 or more	18 013	2 300	1 933	2 910	5 681	5 189
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	10 411 959	7 098 616	1 194 229	921 884	838 513	358 717
Other crops	38 095	2 641	3 920	5 629	7 100	4 366
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	5 863 096	3 152 084	1 165 802	832 319	474 556	134 217
Sales of \$50,000 or more	15 358	2 399	3 446	4 512	3 938	1 063
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	5 586 597	3 146 785	1 155 429	807 557	407 170	69 656
Poultry and poultry products	63 246	5 450	8 581	7 819	6 986	3 717
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	22 262 596	12 865 679	5 707 078	2 611 918	864 503	143 063
Sales of \$50,000 or more	28 475	5 397	8 464	7 398	5 377	1 839
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	22 171 699	12 865 290	5 706 447	2 610 259	858 099	131 603
Dairy products	99 238	3 420	4 918	13 422	37 763	22 393
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	18 997 334	6 785 469	2 488 477	3 407 345	4 628 426	1 322 956
Sales of \$50,000 or more	73 355	3 388	4 848	13 172	35 959	15 988
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	18 344 271	6 784 566	2 486 553	3 400 433	4 572 495	1 100 223
Cattle and calves	1 011 809	20 028	40 039	105 617	90 175	90 175
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	40 524 836	21 556 702	3 255 108	3 599 770	4 434 757	2 436 862
Sales of \$50,000 or more	83 682	7 217	9 254	16 911	29 617	20 683
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	32 358 594	21 489 258	3 073 570	3 128 435	3 287 793	1 379 538

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	\$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
FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS						
Farms	175 282	286 849	254 046	245 256	237 793	195 344
number ..						
percent ..	9.2	15.0	13.3	12.8	12.4	10.2
Land in farms	82 193 031	77 104 437	41 585 403	27 642 222	20 240 574	24 656 945
acres ..						
Average size of farm	469	269	164	113	85	126
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD						
Total sales (see text)	175 282	286 849	254 046	245 256	237 793	195 344
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	5 831 526	4 212 592	1 627 900	783 711	346 818	53 328
Average per farm	33 269	14 686	6 408	3 195	1 458	273
Farms by value of sales:						
Less than \$1,000 (see text)	2 634	9 804	16 448	21 999	30 412	195 344
\$1,000 to \$2,499	149	910	2 616	8 184	207 381	—
\$2,500 to \$4,999	277	2 241	10 836	215 073	—	—
\$5,000 to \$9,999	688	13 033	224 146	—	—	—
\$10,000 to \$19,999	3 461	208 285	—	—	—	—
\$20,000 to \$24,999	9 055	52 576	—	—	—	—
\$25,000 to \$39,999	115 431	—	—	—	—	—
\$40,000 to \$49,999	43 587	—	—	—	—	—
\$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	86 482	90 116	41 997	23 182	14 337	3 785
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	1 978 282	952 222	197 077	59 484	19 863	2 106
Sales of \$50,000 or more	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Corn for grain	52 289	48 992	19 948	10 464	5 978	1 651
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	743 167	342 760	70 388	22 527	7 659	879
Wheat	35 559	32 340	11 975	5 270	2 754	757
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	359 361	177 102	36 096	9 998	3 178	392
Soybeans	52 525	48 307	18 574	9 044	5 209	1 039
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	731 906	364 319	75 617	22 441	7 210	610
Sorghum for grain	6 468	5 241	1 810	676	408	76
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	59 445	27 806	5 719	1 304	477	33
Barley	3 763	2 929	1 137	539	299	92
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	26 268	12 175	2 623	866	333	47
Oats	5 692	6 451	3 243	1 649	986	309
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	13 397	10 943	3 954	1 623	717	111
Other grains	4 066	2 832	953	408	289	90
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	44 739	17 116	2 679	725	289	35
Cotton and cottonseed	2 761	2 262	793	326	153	41
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	61 151	24 593	4 101	931	226	22
Sales of \$50,000 or more	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco	12 265	23 028	16 226	10 985	5 715	1 066
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	277 918	250 273	85 951	33 659	9 302	594
Sales of \$50,000 or more	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hay, silage, and field seeds	37 503	63 054	52 343	44 794	39 969	19 843
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	353 895	364 419	183 470	97 832	49 875	8 908
Sales of \$50,000 or more	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons	6 125	8 833	6 309	4 562	2 888	1 833
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	110 477	83 727	29 065	11 126	2 988	524
Sales of \$50,000 or more	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Fruits, nuts, and berries	10 012	12 883	9 207	8 344	7 972	7 323
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	279 127	155 779	47 401	22 736	10 636	2 939
Sales of \$50,000 or more	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Nursery and greenhouse crops	7 992	11 905	8 445	6 945	8 612	2 653
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	234 933	157 296	48 344	20 205	11 557	1 108
Sales of \$50,000 or more	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other crops	3 625	4 349	2 612	1 804	1 507	542
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	57 039	32 077	9 391	3 695	1 702	215
Sales of \$50,000 or more	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Poultry and poultry products	3 288	4 803	4 875	5 841	7 218	4 668
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	40 061	14 218	6 604	4 696	3 790	986
Sales of \$50,000 or more	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Dairy products	10 453	5 318	856	379	237	79
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	290 408	69 663	3 796	591	183	20
Sales of \$50,000 or more	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cattle and calves	97 637	171 621	156 220	144 417	123 431	47 386
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	1 827 629	1 849 122	889 569	452 840	193 805	28 673
Sales of \$50,000 or more	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms ..						
\$1,000 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—

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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
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD—Con.						
Total sales (see text)—Con.						
Hogs and pigs farms..	102 106	3 827	6 558	13 043	21 401	12 164
\$1,000..	13 804 835	7 172 980	2 441 619	2 047 355	1 509 119	364 009
Sales of \$50,000 or more farms..	34 683	3 620	5 820	10 193	12 092	2 958
\$1,000..	13 096 653	7 170 301	2 428 315	1 988 401	1 313 602	196 034
Sheep, lambs, and wool farms..	62 579	352	784	2 011	5 490	5 322
\$1,000..	682 916	250 853	68 104	85 442	104 934	53 304
Sales of \$50,000 or more farms..	1 717	146	189	420	701	261
\$1,000..	478 579	249 676	64 406	75 403	72 251	16 844
Other livestock and livestock products (see text) farms..	123 695	968	1 342	2 496	6 385	7 097
\$1,000..	2 536 476	1 164 718	264 099	226 706	272 863	169 141
Sales of \$50,000 or more farms..	5 482	455	454	755	1 772	2 046
\$1,000..	2 026 615	1 161 386	258 875	217 657	250 233	138 465
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text) farms..	93 140	803	1 192	2 723	6 903	6 376
\$1,000..	550 947	50 007	39 797	78 505	121 022	69 928
FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES¹						
Total farm production expenses farms..	1 911 766	26 488	44 469	80 949	190 983	164 464
\$1,000..	150 590 993	63 801 924	22 716 885	19 841 740	21 376 209	8 595 615
Average per farm dollars..	78 771	2 408 710	510 848	245 114	111 927	52 264
Livestock and poultry purchased farms..	556 980	14 812	24 094	35 362	72 521	56 766
\$1,000..	21 614 559	14 483 723	2 412 406	1 532 059	1 385 321	640 725
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999	348 670	401	1 798	6 101	23 829	25 803
\$5,000 to \$24,999	128 502	927	3 372	11 000	31 073	22 984
\$25,000 to \$99,999	56 343	2 660	11 847	14 111	16 365	7 907
\$100,000 to \$249,999	14 248	4 580	4 587	3 734	1 212	60
\$250,000 or more	9 217	6 244	2 490	416	42	12
Feed for livestock and poultry farms..	1 021 849	16 242	27 255	45 891	111 142	91 817
\$1,000..	32 759 966	17 929 820	6 137 695	3 478 851	2 710 720	975 483
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999	733 738	463	1 915	6 969	28 692	39 446
\$5,000 to \$24,999	170 332	641	2 988	10 480	42 563	42 028
\$25,000 to \$99,999	72 075	1 194	5 736	16 523	36 769	10 260
\$100,000 to \$249,999	19 787	1 989	6 067	8 561	3 079	74
\$250,000 or more	25 917	11 955	10 549	3 358	39	9
Commercially mixed formula feeds farms..	616 280	13 651	22 246	35 057	79 315	59 786
\$1,000..	21 236 173	10 956 310	5 027 090	2 528 183	1 575 594	512 496
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999	448 017	438	1 877	6 651	26 660	32 319
\$5,000 to \$24,999	94 513	898	3 389	9 764	32 376	22 578
\$25,000 to \$99,999	40 552	1 875	4 768	10 372	18 091	4 814
\$100,000 or more	33 198	10 440	12 212	8 270	2 188	75
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees farms..	896 339	17 902	33 791	68 115	162 922	126 668
\$1,000..	5 725 869	1 552 346	893 473	1 056 920	1 271 177	475 738
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999	377 222	953	1 939	2 861	12 314	22 756
\$1,000 to \$4,999	278 736	2 158	4 052	10 693	52 228	69 587
\$5,000 to \$24,999	198 530	4 705	13 062	42 189	94 091	34 016
\$25,000 to \$49,999	28 934	3 284	10 471	10 995	3 847	298
\$50,000 or more	12 917	6 802	4 267	1 377	442	11
Commercial fertilizer farms..	1 190 733	19 562	36 091	71 538	170 224	135 652
\$1,000..	9 597 128	1 955 531	1 499 370	1 842 433	2 217 591	868 539
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999	831 657	2 546	4 928	8 813	39 891	66 939
\$5,000 to \$24,999	269 278	4 065	9 520	31 294	108 952	66 716
\$25,000 to \$49,999	56 703	3 073	9 457	22 815	19 158	1 854
\$50,000 or more	33 095	9 878	12 186	8 616	2 223	143
Agricultural chemicals farms..	941 136	18 539	31 815	65 350	159 921	125 379
\$1,000..	7 581 424	2 064 321	1 247 347	1 429 469	1 637 524	595 715
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999	676 385	3 504	6 087	12 702	57 003	78 561
\$5,000 to \$24,999	199 184	3 446	8 110	29 653	90 649	45 964
\$25,000 to \$49,999	39 871	2 521	7 855	17 316	11 176	802
\$50,000 or more	25 696	9 068	9 763	5 679	1 093	52
Petroleum products farms..	1 760 642	26 092	43 992	80 026	188 369	160 987
\$1,000..	6 371 515	1 412 562	883 904	1 034 041	1 313 527	597 100
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999	1 463 788	1 951	4 798	12 653	80 445	120 625
\$5,000 to \$24,999	259 565	9 470	27 224	59 611	105 132	40 303
\$25,000 to \$49,999	26 513	7 107	9 625	6 991	2 704	57
\$50,000 or more	10 776	7 564	2 345	771	88	2
Gasoline and gasohol farms..	1 366 915	22 923	38 886	70 440	161 951	133 897
\$1,000..	1 886 600	331 820	200 722	257 554	373 683	205 088
Diesel fuel farms..	1 315 397	23 792	40 974	74 859	174 943	144 169
\$1,000..	2 845 951	608 300	408 688	498 214	631 238	270 798
Natural gas farms..	71 069	5 021	6 979	10 226	16 585	9 258
\$1,000..	432 893	181 072	78 385	74 212	64 002	18 837
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc. farms..	1 276 331	25 550	43 238	78 643	183 828	151 643
\$1,000..	1 206 070	291 371	196 110	204 060	244 604	102 377

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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
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD—Con.						
Total sales (see text)—Con.						
Hogs and pigs farms..	9 693	11 080	8 158	7 178	6 325	2 679
\$1,000..	147 083	76 788	26 249	12 487	6 032	1 114
Sales of \$50,000 or more farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sheep, lambs, and wool farms..	5 852	9 179	8 348	9 208	10 527	5 506
\$1,000..	36 727	36 077	20 304	14 770	10 444	1 958
Sales of \$50,000 or more farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other livestock and livestock products (see text) farms..	9 755	19 906	20 250	22 346	22 842	10 308
\$1,000..	136 798	146 338	76 578	48 659	26 415	4 161
Sales of \$50,000 or more farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text) farms..	8 135	14 540	14 270	14 544	14 915	8 739
\$1,000..	59 453	60 137	34 083	21 689	13 287	3 038
FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES¹						
Total farm production expenses farms..	176 372	294 380	255 581	245 134	237 318	195 628
\$1,000..	4 827 085	4 151 822	1 995 396	1 379 587	1 016 765	887 966
Average per farm dollars..	27 369	14 104	7 807	5 628	4 284	4 539
Livestock and poultry purchased farms..	56 005	91 056	64 918	55 830	51 037	34 579
\$1,000..	390 164	352 836	172 385	109 951	85 808	49 180
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999	33 312	67 028	56 909	51 999	48 803	32 687
\$5,000 to \$24,999	20 267	23 344	7 788	3 695	2 200	1 852
\$25,000 to \$99,999	2 383	665	214	123	32	36
\$100,000 to \$249,999	38	14	6	13	1	3
\$250,000 or more	5	5	1	—	1	1
Feed for livestock and poultry farms..	93 567	163 853	135 556	127 700	118 068	90 758
\$1,000..	486 889	462 611	222 686	148 127	105 222	101 861
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999	58 981	135 016	130 535	126 218	117 097	88 406
\$5,000 to \$24,999	33 330	28 682	4 952	1 441	951	2 276
\$25,000 to \$99,999	1 249	149	69	37	20	69
\$100,000 to \$249,999	7	3	—	2	—	5
\$250,000 or more	—	3	—	2	—	2
Commercially mixed formula feeds farms..	54 932	92 907	75 052	68 931	64 514	49 889
\$1,000..	222 238	187 808	86 949	57 472	40 141	41 891
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999	40 519	84 007	73 742	68 429	64 277	49 098
\$5,000 to \$24,999	13 856	8 861	1 296	488	232	775
\$25,000 to \$99,999	553	36	14	12	5	12
\$100,000 or more	4	3	—	2	—	4
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees farms..	115 811	146 747	88 955	62 792	45 567	27 069
\$1,000..	239 726	151 196	45 023	21 867	11 052	7 351
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999	38 170	90 222	77 329	59 458	44 642	26 578
\$1,000 to \$4,999	69 149	54 691	11 516	3 298	911	453
\$5,000 to \$24,999	8 462	1 827	109	31	11	27
\$25,000 to \$49,999	28	2	1	5	—	2
\$50,000 or more	2	5	—	—	2	9
Commercial fertilizer farms..	134 282	197 246	146 833	118 097	93 528	67 680
\$1,000..	477 777	376 542	169 388	96 151	55 048	38 757
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999	101 909	184 762	144 434	117 316	93 067	67 052
\$5,000 to \$24,999	32 090	12 433	2 382	773	452	601
\$25,000 to \$49,999	256	40	16	8	7	19
\$50,000 or more	27	11	1	—	2	8
Agricultural chemicals farms..	118 724	154 157	96 818	71 593	54 874	43 966
\$1,000..	296 587	182 424	59 300	30 126	17 402	21 210
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999	102 687	150 159	96 264	71 284	54 702	43 432
\$5,000 to \$24,999	15 880	3 973	537	308	168	496
\$25,000 to \$49,999	132	23	10	—	1	35
\$50,000 or more	25	2	7	1	3	3
Petroleum products farms..	170 757	280 803	238 119	223 895	208 185	139 417
\$1,000..	367 519	331 392	169 183	119 269	80 615	62 402
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999	157 271	277 709	237 492	223 601	208 052	139 191
\$5,000 to \$24,999	13 471	3 086	621	294	132	221
\$25,000 to \$49,999	13	7	6	—	—	3
\$50,000 or more	2	1	—	—	1	2
Gasoline and gasohol farms..	136 593	214 536	176 368	162 147	147 845	101 329
\$1,000..	147 857	150 565	84 062	60 861	41 773	32 615
Diesel fuel farms..	143 259	215 482	162 466	140 062	117 660	77 731
\$1,000..	154 089	128 340	59 853	40 244	26 561	19 628
Natural gas farms..	6 244	6 012	3 563	2 801	2 408	1 972
\$1,000..	7 464	4 373	1 515	1 085	739	1 209
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc. farms..	148 348	210 833	147 516	121 930	96 197	68 605
\$1,000..	58 109	48 114	23 753	17 079	11 542	8 951

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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
FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES¹						
—Con.						
Total farm production expenses—Con.						
Electricity	farms.. 1 224 374	25 837	42 949	76 669	175 339	139 980
	\$1,000.. 2 751 085	988 275	379 958	369 124	449 363	201 352
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999	803 544	513	2 602	10 351	49 244	69 022
\$1,000 to \$4,999	326 790	4 413	17 853	42 296	106 152	66 285
\$5,000 to \$24,999	80 768	12 279	19 787	22 587	19 495	4 659
\$25,000 to \$49,999	7 606	4 023	1 936	1 194	412	12
\$50,000 or more	5 666	4 609	771	241	36	2
Hired farm labor	farms.. 650 623	24 018	38 374	64 616	120 057	76 973
	\$1,000.. 14 841 036	8 169 924	2 315 023	1 838 357	1 547 255	464 407
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999	423 330	1 153	4 607	13 940	51 048	48 306
\$5,000 to \$24,999	134 151	2 688	9 242	25 093	49 821	25 959
\$25,000 to \$99,999	69 009	6 355	17 631	22 750	18 710	2 675
\$100,000 to \$249,999	15 310	6 311	5 711	2 753	452	24
\$250,000 or more	8 823	7 511	1 183	80	26	9
Workers by days worked:						
150 days or more	farms.. 259 631	21 718	30 682	44 866	61 352	29 482
	workers.. 890 467	404 818	129 291	116 074	113 472	44 331
Less than 150 days	farms.. 581 658	18 434	30 972	51 556	98 232	67 406
	workers.. 2 461 561	537 614	266 389	279 740	365 519	228 168
Contract labor	farms.. 226 909	10 118	13 239	19 561	33 627	25 431
	\$1,000.. 2 959 005	1 774 266	323 736	269 172	276 887	116 383
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999	88 019	361	1 272	2 427	6 272	7 054
\$1,000 to \$4,999	84 490	1 564	3 916	7 313	14 138	11 363
\$5,000 to \$24,999	39 719	2 931	4 964	7 023	10 367	6 431
\$25,000 to \$49,999	6 826	1 301	1 425	1 439	2 032	543
\$50,000 or more	7 855	3 961	1 662	1 359	818	40
Repair and maintenance	farms.. 1 538 058	26 008	43 740	79 367	184 571	153 639
	\$1,000.. 8 637 742	2 039 380	1 102 024	1 286 208	1 693 344	781 574
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999	1 145 834	2 105	6 395	12 747	57 357	91 269
\$5,000 to \$24,999	331 667	7 132	19 492	50 334	119 724	61 109
\$25,000 to \$49,999	41 158	5 447	12 412	14 353	6 992	1 153
\$50,000 or more	19 399	11 324	5 441	1 933	498	108
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment	farms.. 597 624	16 025	27 081	47 217	102 780	75 714
	\$1,000.. 3 210 309	1 028 771	469 229	473 031	574 397	259 647
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999	254 953	720	2 472	5 713	20 508	22 094
\$1,000 to \$4,999	225 018	2 735	7 506	17 645	47 293	36 687
\$5,000 to \$24,999	96 685	5 536	11 757	19 188	31 595	16 460
\$25,000 to \$49,999	12 526	2 645	3 255	3 339	2 786	460
\$50,000 or more	8 442	4 389	2 091	1 332	598	13
Interest	farms.. 810 476	24 629	41 964	67 721	145 154	104 114
	\$1,000.. 8 928 107	2 417 107	1 327 262	1 380 617	1 709 861	725 445
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999	448 598	1 622	4 902	11 327	43 611	50 858
\$5,000 to \$24,999	284 143	5 653	16 833	35 737	85 204	50 731
\$25,000 to \$99,999	69 451	10 968	18 760	20 299	16 288	2 523
\$100,000 or more	8 284	6 386	1 469	358	51	2
Secured by real estate	farms.. 569 775	17 907	31 048	47 812	99 073	68 396
	\$1,000.. 5 449 597	1 330 603	754 285	791 848	1 038 250	472 012
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999	75 699	240	736	1 350	4 575	5 656
\$1,000 to \$4,999	238 470	1 238	3 892	8 305	27 143	26 559
\$5,000 to \$24,999	213 795	5 460	15 579	28 062	59 182	34 903
\$25,000 to \$49,999	28 476	4 189	7 164	7 941	7 563	1 222
\$50,000 or more	13 335	6 780	3 677	2 154	610	56
Not secured by real estate	farms.. 461 326	16 029	28 201	47 927	99 645	67 933
	\$1,000.. 3 478 510	1 086 504	572 977	588 769	671 611	253 434
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999	130 392	433	1 501	2 804	11 137	13 859
\$1,000 to \$4,999	182 342	1 730	4 658	11 230	38 465	35 994
\$5,000 to \$24,999	122 273	4 623	13 577	28 000	47 537	17 903
\$25,000 to \$49,999	17 247	3 498	6 195	5 011	2 343	173
\$50,000 or more	9 072	5 745	2 270	882	163	4
Cash rent	farms.. 485 512	14 087	26 499	50 778	108 270	71 038
	\$1,000.. 6 915 677	1 560 634	1 319 374	1 439 921	1 612 621	527 393
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999	275 874	1 724	3 885	9 578	33 840	35 985
\$5,000 to \$9,999	62 265	1 003	2 445	6 641	19 309	15 809
\$10,000 to \$24,999	76 281	1 969	4 989	13 198	33 085	16 530
\$25,000 or more	71 092	9 391	15 180	21 361	22 036	2 714
Property taxes	farms.. 1 771 787	24 495	41 865	75 751	172 938	147 906
	\$1,000.. 3 920 133	539 477	322 191	433 880	687 597	404 186
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999	1 604 401	8 200	21 902	44 622	125 690	128 149
\$5,000 to \$9,999	112 175	4 687	9 414	18 910	35 414	16 538
\$10,000 to \$24,999	44 899	6 242	8 478	10 900	11 124	2 908
\$25,000 or more	10 312	5 366	2 071	1 319	710	311
All other farm production expenses	farms.. 1 689 391	26 436	44 420	80 904	190 926	164 225
	\$1,000.. 14 777 437	5 885 788	2 083 893	1 977 656	2 289 023	961 928
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999	1 289 440	927	3 504	9 671	53 427	91 614
\$5,000 to \$24,999	296 945	3 826	13 458	40 968	116 979	69 777
\$25,000 to \$49,999	55 894	3 297	10 674	21 793	17 183	2 773
\$50,000 to \$99,999	27 830	4 859	12 667	6 985	3 224	51
\$100,000 or more	19 282	13 527	4 117	1 487	113	10

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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
FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES¹						
—Con.						
Total farm production expenses—Con.						
Electricity farms	133 593	192 508	140 900	120 412	100 993	75 194
Electricity \$1,000	113 277	100 726	53 655	38 836	28 486	28 033
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999	95 829	165 913	130 255	114 109	96 584	69 122
\$1,000 to \$4,999	36 427	26 254	10 537	6 243	4 390	5 940
\$5,000 to \$24,999	1 328	326	107	53	18	129
\$25,000 to \$49,999	6	12	1	7	—	3
\$50,000 or more	3	3	—	—	1	—
Hired farm labor farms	65 743	89 824	59 655	48 015	34 865	28 483
Hired farm labor \$1,000	214 418	157 122	58 551	32 291	20 487	23 201
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999	52 215	82 860	58 445	47 825	34 686	28 245
\$5,000 to \$24,999	12 973	6 787	1 137	160	128	163
\$25,000 to \$99,999	527	157	67	26	50	61
\$100,000 to \$249,999	25	15	4	4	1	10
\$250,000 or more	3	5	2	—	—	4
Workers by days worked:						
150 days or more farms	17 008	17 972	10 536	9 260	8 478	8 277
150 days or more workers	22 690	21 359	11 372	9 614	8 799	8 647
Less than 150 days farms	60 965	85 821	58 334	47 343	34 488	28 107
Less than 150 days workers	190 130	232 499	137 367	101 263	68 176	54 696
Contract labor farms	24 859	33 035	22 434	18 695	13 831	12 079
Contract labor \$1,000	74 756	60 529	26 139	15 468	10 239	11 430
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999	8 659	15 174	13 583	13 476	10 614	9 127
\$1,000 to \$4,999	11 377	15 273	8 322	5 171	3 170	2 883
\$5,000 to \$24,999	4 784	2 557	527	41	47	47
\$25,000 to \$49,999	31	28	2	7	—	18
\$50,000 or more	8	3	—	—	—	4
Repair and maintenance farms	155 907	244 745	195 521	176 466	153 682	124 412
Repair and maintenance \$1,000	494 764	488 448	268 958	200 728	147 531	134 783
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999	124 678	223 506	187 064	170 993	149 846	119 874
\$5,000 to \$24,999	30 881	21 007	8 387	5 358	3 797	4 446
\$25,000 to \$49,999	326	208	58	108	28	73
\$50,000 or more	22	24	12	7	11	19
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment farms	69 148	90 741	61 339	47 244	35 566	24 769
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment \$1,000	160 068	126 815	63 842	31 887	19 064	13 558
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999	25 865	47 251	41 993	36 732	30 399	21 206
\$1,000 to \$4,999	34 795	40 133	19 067	10 492	5 135	3 530
\$5,000 to \$24,999	8 457	3 341	278	18	32	23
\$25,000 to \$49,999	30	—	1	2	—	8
\$50,000 or more	1	16	—	—	—	2
Interest farms	89 044	112 625	73 898	61 107	49 447	40 773
Interest \$1,000	422 031	362 742	194 927	152 726	124 148	111 240
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999	56 758	87 730	62 410	52 759	42 403	34 218
\$5,000 to \$24,999	31 896	24 727	11 459	8 323	7 042	6 538
\$25,000 to \$99,999	386	161	27	24	1	14
\$100,000 or more	4	7	2	1	—	3
Secured by real estate farms	57 717	75 812	53 499	45 732	39 542	33 237
Secured by real estate \$1,000	291 541	271 725	160 838	130 573	109 536	98 387
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999	7 376	14 869	12 585	10 919	9 848	7 545
\$1,000 to \$4,999	27 000	41 884	31 297	27 756	23 382	20 014
\$5,000 to \$24,999	23 074	18 936	9 588	7 040	6 310	5 661
\$25,000 to \$49,999	236	111	23	15	1	11
\$50,000 or more	31	12	6	2	1	6
Not secured by real estate farms	53 854	60 536	33 200	24 584	16 501	12 916
Not secured by real estate \$1,000	130 490	91 017	34 089	22 154	14 613	12 853
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999	17 505	28 575	19 708	16 036	10 843	7 991
\$1,000 to \$4,999	28 782	29 506	13 235	8 402	5 561	4 779
\$5,000 to \$24,999	7 559	2 440	256	139	97	142
\$25,000 to \$49,999	6	10	—	7	—	4
\$50,000 or more	2	5	1	—	—	—
Cash rent farms	55 967	65 342	39 316	26 397	17 596	10 222
Cash rent \$1,000	229 201	138 113	44 284	22 478	12 249	9 409
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999	40 032	58 650	38 436	26 141	17 498	10 105
\$5,000 to \$9,999	10 303	5 697	745	177	57	79
\$10,000 to \$24,999	5 305	948	131	76	24	26
\$25,000 or more	327	47	4	3	17	12
Property taxes farms	159 789	272 381	237 809	230 179	223 762	184 912
Property taxes \$1,000	313 287	375 886	251 661	215 172	194 991	181 806
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999	149 425	264 043	233 259	226 652	221 093	181 366
\$5,000 to \$9,999	8 728	6 804	3 694	2 937	2 187	2 862
\$10,000 to \$24,999	1 477	1 420	784	506	459	601
\$25,000 or more	159	114	72	84	23	83
All other farm production expenses farms	175 329	288 812	210 254	191 887	173 897	142 301
All other farm production expenses \$1,000	546 621	484 439	205 413	144 509	104 423	93 744
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999	141 646	273 098	208 868	191 192	173 686	141 807
\$5,000 to \$24,999	33 589	15 665	1 348	678	201	456
\$25,000 to \$49,999	73	29	34	12	8	18
\$50,000 to \$99,999	17	11	2	4	1	9
\$100,000 or more	4	9	2	1	1	11

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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
NET CASH RETURN FROM AGRICULTURAL SALES AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS FOR THE FARM UNIT (SEE TEXT)¹						
All farms..... number..	1 911 824	26 491	44 478	80 949	190 985	164 466
..... \$1,000..	47 515 713	19 265 079	7 777 078	8 516 357	8 858 125	3 215 516
..... dollars..	24 854	727 231	174 852	105 206	46 381	19 551
Farms with net gains ² number..	1 086 318	24 164	40 635	73 728	169 101	136 310
..... Average net gain..... dollars..	50 238	840 504	200 511	120 855	56 387	27 404
Gain of—						
Less than \$1,000.....	128 518	18	63	197	820	1 594
\$1,000 to \$9,999.....	416 223	186	614	1 635	9 257	19 862
\$10,000 to \$49,999.....	318 120	883	3 507	10 729	69 944	101 172
\$50,000 or more.....	223 457	23 077	36 451	61 167	89 080	13 682
Farms with net losses..... number..	825 506	2 327	3 843	7 221	21 884	28 156
..... Average net loss..... dollars..	8 551	449 015	96 455	54 571	30 932	18 467
Loss of—						
Less than \$1,000.....	146 918	14	61	163	679	1 590
\$1,000 to \$9,999.....	533 254	122	407	1 225	6 154	11 137
\$10,000 to \$49,999.....	132 059	413	1 408	3 343	11 949	13 817
\$50,000 or more.....	13 275	1 778	1 967	2 490	3 102	1 612
GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS AND OTHER FARM-RELATED INCOME						
Government payments..... farms..	685 029	12 248	26 781	63 662	130 969	97 460
..... \$1,000..	5 054 473	412 754	624 003	1 051 960	1 262 309	596 846
Other farm-related income ¹ farms..	545 480	8 358	15 854	35 709	91 434	67 809
..... \$1,000..	3 272 268	349 078	284 138	399 126	611 638	372 988
Customwork and other agricultural services..... farms..	142 854	2 853	6 224	13 747	30 037	18 139
..... \$1,000..	1 235 117	144 754	145 592	205 672	298 057	145 397
Gross cash rent or share payments..... farms..	175 901	2 127	2 643	5 073	13 014	15 011
..... \$1,000..	1 207 934	112 176	54 930	76 030	148 639	145 930
Forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products..... farms..	46 426	456	690	1 336	3 119	3 469
..... \$1,000..	344 337	24 578	18 363	23 577	37 789	31 335
Other farm-related income sources..... farms..	303 908	5 744	11 860	27 809	71 827	48 924
..... \$1,000..	484 881	67 569	65 254	93 847	127 153	50 326
COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS						
Total..... farms..	83 328	2 185	6 057	15 028	27 561	14 420
..... \$1,000..	3 034 713	362 878	616 665	894 214	865 599	208 796
Corn..... farms..	50 489	1 370	3 935	9 961	17 699	8 476
..... \$1,000..	1 333 884	157 370	274 515	411 010	376 176	84 064
Wheat..... farms..	22 961	536	1 357	3 447	7 153	4 538
..... \$1,000..	415 427	31 868	66 585	116 127	137 638	42 822
Soybeans..... farms..	25 487	633	2 069	5 280	9 185	4 159
..... \$1,000..	774 032	71 323	147 536	229 547	242 391	59 872
Sorghum, barley, and oats..... farms..	6 375	111	345	907	2 108	1 304
..... \$1,000..	54 841	3 957	9 670	14 060	18 728	5 661
Cotton..... farms..	4 422	284	583	932	1 182	642
..... \$1,000..	191 362	55 262	50 460	45 914	30 357	6 610
Sunflower seed, flaxseed, safflower, canola, other rapeseed, and mustard seed..... farms..	686	8	55	124	313	125
..... \$1,000..	17 259	867	3 405	4 097	6 872	1 717
Peanuts, rice, and tobacco..... farms..	4 103	201	498	933	1 088	405
..... \$1,000..	247 908	42 231	64 494	73 459	53 438	8 050
LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE						
Total cropland..... farms..	1 661 395	22 768	40 762	86 917	185 383	153 584
..... acres..	431 144 896	37 335 162	49 019 080	80 243 826	104 294 851	51 847 159
Harvested cropland..... farms..	1 410 606	21 437	39 011	84 712	181 700	148 782
..... acres..	309 395 475	32 795 092	42 748 458	67 783 996	81 929 004	35 499 245
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 49 acres.....	674 025	2 604	4 231	5 733	14 448	21 116
50 to 99 acres.....	196 580	1 268	1 976	3 417	11 676	15 802
100 to 199 acres.....	175 196	1 574	2 511	5 510	23 114	37 185
200 to 499 acres.....	189 243	2 984	5 047	15 631	67 290	60 318
500 to 999 acres.....	105 079	3 312	6 983	27 793	51 006	12 862
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	52 768	3 910	11 829	22 492	12 870	1 449
2,000 acres or more.....	17 715	5 785	6 434	4 136	1 296	50
Cropland:						
Pasture or grazing only..... farms..	754 170	5 702	11 702	25 950	65 366	58 151
..... acres..	64 466 542	1 582 802	2 230 820	4 211 423	9 054 775	7 945 967
In cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured..... farms..	153 177	1 891	3 802	8 746	18 275	15 085
..... acres..	13 531 246	449 010	632 245	1 249 054	2 350 953	1 950 457
On which all crops failed..... farms..	51 673	675	1 501	3 565	8 227	6 851
..... acres..	3 449 446	149 834	218 962	425 147	835 835	574 460
In cultivated summer fallow..... farms..	81 702	1 352	3 014	7 670	17 505	14 040
..... acres..	20 905 910	1 101 371	1 933 851	4 309 056	6 627 392	3 341 502
Idle..... farms..	232 961	4 085	6 672	13 471	26 068	21 315
..... acres..	19 396 277	1 257 053	1 254 744	2 265 150	3 496 892	2 535 528
Total woodland..... farms..	743 011	7 025	14 110	27 301	61 593	53 944
..... acres..	71 465 431	3 181 142	3 764 860	5 072 105	8 954 393	7 192 757
Woodland pastured..... farms..	352 217	2 434	5 262	10 214	25 418	24 401
..... acres..	29 693 909	1 638 570	1 878 128	1 945 783	3 991 703	3 494 564
Woodland not pastured..... farms..	531 846	5 728	11 236	22 112	48 847	40 944
..... acres..	41 771 522	1 542 572	1 886 732	3 126 322	4 962 690	3 698 193

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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
NET CASH RETURN FROM AGRICULTURAL SALES AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS FOR THE FARM UNIT (SEE TEXT)¹						
All farms..... number..	176 372	294 389	255 584	245 136	237 334	195 640
..... \$1,000..	1 457 660	554 256	-178 244	-497 934	-620 750	-831 429
Average per farm..... dollars..	8 265	1 883	-697	-2 031	-2 616	-4 250
Farms with net gains ² number..	135 903	196 113	141 585	98 749	62 184	7 846
Average net gain..... dollars..	14 437	6 756	3 138	1 575	760	271
Gain of—						
Less than \$1,000.....	3 993	14 158	22 889	33 881	43 059	7 846
\$1,000 to \$9,999.....	43 903	138 077	118 696	64 868	19 125	—
\$10,000 to \$49,999.....	88 007	43 878	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more.....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Farms with net losses..... number..	40 469	98 276	113 999	146 387	175 150	187 794
Average net loss..... dollars..	12 464	7 841	5 461	4 464	3 814	4 439
Loss of—						
Less than \$1,000.....	3 267	11 684	20 212	30 304	42 976	35 968
\$1,000 to \$9,999.....	19 894	61 947	76 842	101 311	119 723	134 492
\$10,000 to \$49,999.....	16 560	24 046	16 617	14 575	12 334	16 997
\$50,000 or more.....	748	599	328	197	117	337
GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS AND OTHER FARM-RELATED INCOME						
Government payments..... farms..	86 213	101 866	64 726	49 967	42 258	8 879
..... \$1,000..	412 307	362 902	180 175	98 198	50 450	2 570
Other farm-related income ¹ farms..	62 402	84 252	60 057	48 393	41 759	29 453
..... \$1,000..	308 739	360 897	208 516	160 534	122 861	93 754
Customwork and other agricultural services..... farms..	14 999	18 795	13 019	10 457	8 712	5 872
..... \$1,000..	97 573	87 192	46 578	30 904	20 129	13 269
Gross cash rent or share payments..... farms..	18 549	32 509	26 868	23 148	21 302	15 657
..... \$1,000..	151 615	201 257	112 630	85 312	68 327	51 088
Forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products..... farms..	4 559	8 186	7 014	6 694	6 379	4 524
..... \$1,000..	31 902	51 124	39 594	36 475	29 003	20 596
Other farm-related income sources..... farms..	39 706	42 033	23 233	15 048	10 835	6 889
..... \$1,000..	27 649	21 324	9 714	7 843	5 402	8 800
COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS						
Total..... farms..	8 810	6 000	1 870	870	411	116
..... \$1,000..	64 005	18 881	2 660	729	253	32
Corn..... farms..	4 742	2 933	815	353	163	42
..... \$1,000..	23 854	5 990	683	159	56	7
Wheat..... farms..	2 914	2 117	569	217	85	28
..... \$1,000..	14 653	4 830	699	156	43	7
Soybeans..... farms..	2 300	1 252	363	153	74	19
..... \$1,000..	18 162	4 535	505	113	40	6
Sorghum, barley, and oats..... farms..	828	527	148	63	26	8
..... \$1,000..	2 048	595	77	30	14	1
Cotton..... farms..	387	267	95	30	15	5
..... \$1,000..	2 051	(D)	(D)	16	16	1
Sunflower seed, flaxseed, safflower, canola, other rapeseed, and mustard seed..... farms..	38	21	2	—	—	—
..... \$1,000..	235	(D)	(D)	—	—	—
Peanuts, rice, and tobacco..... farms..	269	345	160	122	65	17
..... \$1,000..	3 001	2 332	555	255	83	10
LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE						
Total cropland..... farms..	163 538	258 834	218 903	200 823	184 136	145 747
..... acres..	35 067 897	33 109 475	17 384 241	10 939 533	6 968 708	4 934 964
Harvested cropland..... farms..	153 849	229 988	177 837	148 714	124 249	100 327
..... acres..	20 067 468	14 954 727	6 412 912	3 598 134	2 188 981	1 417 458
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 49 acres.....	37 114	110 193	134 538	131 102	116 315	96 631
50 to 99 acres.....	32 469	73 417	32 968	14 226	6 508	2 853
100 to 199 acres.....	54 749	36 908	8 830	2 933	1 237	645
200 to 499 acres.....	26 769	8 988	1 435	435	175	171
500 to 999 acres.....	2 568	451	59	14	9	22
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	171	30	6	3	4	4
2,000 acres or more.....	9	1	1	1	1	1
Cropland:						
Pasture or grazing only..... farms..	66 463	122 948	114 554	107 811	96 228	79 295
..... acres..	8 368 147	11 955 814	7 697 495	5 289 603	3 423 932	2 705 764
In cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured..... farms..	16 902	25 670	20 845	18 069	16 393	7 499
..... acres..	2 093 140	2 234 677	1 224 196	741 921	453 472	152 121
On which all crops failed..... farms..	6 459	7 903	5 216	4 019	3 283	3 974
..... acres..	415 405	371 811	173 614	105 517	67 070	111 791
In cultivated summer fallow..... farms..	11 820	11 963	6 144	3 782	2 672	1 740
..... acres..	1 861 388	1 090 500	332 929	146 815	80 823	80 823
Idle..... farms..	22 888	35 155	29 899	27 982	27 477	17 949
..... acres..	2 262 349	2 501 946	1 543 095	1 057 543	754 970	467 007
Total woodland..... farms..	63 809	120 211	113 134	108 075	101 192	72 617
..... acres..	7 180 002	11 271 277	8 499 274	6 782 220	5 314 915	4 252 486
Woodland pastured..... farms..	30 622	62 269	58 639	53 567	45 683	33 708
..... acres..	3 204 055	4 776 821	3 141 191	2 366 670	1 552 989	1 703 435
Woodland not pastured..... farms..	46 382	82 855	77 105	74 096	71 808	50 733
..... acres..	3 975 947	6 494 456	5 358 083	4 415 550	3 761 926	2 549 051

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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
LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE—Con.						
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured..... farms..	550 619	6 354	11 382	25 391	59 274	51 751
acres..	396 884 553	49 655 586	38 994 365	55 289 670	90 935 603	54 514 686
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. farms..	1 142 618	17 418	28 477	57 802	121 104	98 939
acres..	32 300 375	2 550 459	2 266 068	3 595 963	5 356 562	4 308 346
Irrigated land farms..	279 442	12 915	15 591	26 730	43 529	30 451
acres..	55 058 128	15 343 162	9 936 596	11 036 336	9 959 892	3 752 120
Harvested cropland irrigated farms..	252 679	12 578	15 312	26 274	42 651	29 441
acres..	50 013 473	14 748 766	9 454 734	10 402 348	9 006 526	3 066 193
Pasture and other land irrigated farms..	58 258	1 214	1 288	2 313	4 791	4 426
acres..	5 044 655	594 396	481 862	633 988	953 366	685 927
Land under Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs farms..	225 410	2 430	5 671	13 983	28 489	22 576
acres..	29 489 059	712 813	1 263 175	2 679 945	5 213 537	4 621 473
VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS¹						
Estimated market value of land and buildings farms..	1 911 823	26 491	44 478	80 949	190 984	164 466
\$1,000..	859 839 242	100 598 702	86 446 761	115 292 988	159 531 546	84 225 786
Average per farm dollars..	449 748	3 797 467	1 943 585	1 424 267	835 314	512 117
Average per acre dollars..	933	1 085	921	854	769	717
Farms by value group:						
\$1 to \$39,999	180 177	277	545	746	2 076	3 467
\$40,000 to \$69,999	176 532	265	570	645	1 886	4 666
\$70,000 to \$99,999	171 042	276	516	611	2 483	4 823
\$100,000 to \$149,999	247 468	551	895	1 383	6 172	10 849
\$150,000 to \$199,999	199 232	518	930	1 556	7 586	12 478
\$200,000 to \$499,999	524 066	2 951	6 569	12 161	53 776	73 582
\$500,000 to \$999,999	227 047	3 878	7 858	19 792	67 627	39 623
\$1,000,000 to \$1,999,999	117 896	4 947	10 900	26 836	38 979	11 131
\$2,000,000 to \$4,999,999	55 664	7 525	12 917	15 684	9 063	3 254
\$5,000,000 or more	12 699	5 303	2 778	1 535	1 336	593
VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT¹						
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment farms..	1 911 601	26 476	44 471	80 925	190 956	164 464
\$1,000..	110 256 802	11 121 111	11 110 300	16 436 162	23 593 887	12 021 836
Farms by value group:						
\$1 to \$4,999	189 701	91	207	342	1 390	2 923
\$5,000 to \$9,999	255 541	297	594	858	3 156	5 921
\$10,000 to \$19,999	374 433	732	1 600	2 321	7 864	14 180
\$20,000 to \$49,999	529 288	2 668	4 900	7 071	29 145	48 100
\$50,000 to \$99,999	260 390	3 345	5 719	10 791	50 643	51 541
\$100,000 to \$199,999	172 086	5 038	8 946	22 702	62 488	31 468
\$200,000 to \$499,999	108 858	7 353	16 367	32 209	33 591	9 810
\$500,000 or more	21 304	6 952	6 138	4 631	2 679	521
SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT¹						
Motortrucks, including pickups farms..	1 688 303	26 464	44 453	80 895	189 543	154 163
number..	3 497 735	202 135	208 505	299 744	527 310	355 989
Wheel tractors farms..	1 707 384	23 965	40 207	73 906	175 649	152 285
number..	3 936 014	148 254	171 384	286 880	580 975	445 195
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) farms..	877 119	11 093	17 429	31 311	74 472	67 557
number..	1 262 688	30 415	32 285	54 377	118 265	105 214
40 horsepower (PTO) or more farms..	1 321 084	21 677	36 434	68 138	162 958	141 824
number..	2 673 326	117 839	139 099	232 503	462 710	339 981
40 to 99 horsepower (PTO) farms..	1 145 466	18 311	29 286	53 067	128 551	116 624
number..	1 808 105	64 609	67 975	111 067	237 891	206 157
100 horsepower (PTO) or more farms..	513 773	13 110	23 294	49 053	120 077	90 427
number..	865 221	53 230	71 124	121 436	224 819	133 824
Grain and bean combines farms..	395 934	7 821	20 891	46 255	104 071	69 302
number..	460 606	11 735	27 224	56 713	121 563	79 086
Cotton pickers and strippers farms..	25 874	2 573	4 266	5 811	6 485	3 704
number..	38 294	5 724	7 048	8 863	8 906	4 403
Mower conditioners farms..	543 565	5 955	12 138	26 168	73 809	60 199
number..	608 443	8 140	14 881	30 748	83 038	67 012
Pickup balers farms..	579 440	5 633	12 460	27 522	81 920	69 477
number..	717 245	8 451	17 365	36 869	105 152	88 792
AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS¹						
Commercial fertilizer farms..	1 184 975	19 564	36 088	71 498	170 040	135 328
acres on which used..	233 447 100	27 690 650	33 646 707	47 578 251	61 702 642	25 714 932
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—						
Insects on hay and other crops farms..	366 127	13 526	20 539	38 647	80 526	53 310
acres on which used..	61 520 355	14 052 373	11 391 873	13 003 240	13 891 218	4 853 415
Nematodes in crops farms..	42 964	2 906	3 226	4 998	8 554	6 492
acres on which used..	6 464 826	1 832 717	1 197 097	1 328 201	1 177 723	489 688
Diseases in crops and orchards farms..	112 513	6 000	6 599	9 752	17 037	13 825
acres on which used..	13 315 058	4 702 510	2 425 394	2 333 086	2 144 931	820 343
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture farms..	685 056	14 518	25 846	54 868	134 771	101 475
acres on which used..	184 195 515	21 957 207	27 588 231	40 296 645	53 314 234	20 544 996
Chemicals used on crops to control growth, thin fruit, or defoliate farms..	51 480	3 450	4 730	6 772	9 877	6 588
acres on which used..	11 472 739	3 365 347	2 514 172	2 457 416	1 929 423	688 343

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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
LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE—Con.						
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured..... farms..	55 151	85 347	72 323	67 080	61 343	55 223
acres..	36 105 757	29 290 091	13 439 000	8 135 585	6 343 716	14 180 494
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. farms..	104 405	166 788	146 727	142 880	141 080	116 998
acres..	3 839 375	3 433 594	2 262 888	1 784 884	1 613 235	1 289 001
Irrigated land farms..	28 368	34 053	23 149	20 705	19 924	24 027
acres..	2 035 008	1 460 858	587 979	347 333	239 534	359 310
Harvested cropland irrigated farms..	26 805	30 527	19 372	16 207	14 951	18 561
acres..	1 539 858	949 800	345 985	185 444	127 461	186 358
Pasture and other land irrigated farms..	5 359	8 674	7 345	7 520	7 454	7 874
acres..	495 150	511 058	241 994	161 889	112 073	172 952
Land under Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs farms..	24 549	37 319	31 353	28 827	27 931	2 282
acres..	4 763 298	5 022 942	2 749 508	1 576 167	863 444	22 757
VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS¹						
Estimated market value of land and buildings farms..	176 372	294 389	255 584	245 136	237 334	195 640
\$1,000..	66 768 424	79 780 957	53 010 513	43 351 720	36 355 075	34 476 770
Average per farm dollars..	378 566	271 005	207 409	176 848	153 181	176 226
Average per acre dollars..	808	1 017	1 295	1 554	1 814	1 398
Farms by value group:						
\$1 to \$39,999	7 231	21 132	27 644	36 146	44 642	36 271
\$40,000 to \$69,999	7 211	25 017	32 643	36 249	37 726	29 654
\$70,000 to \$99,999	9 658	28 972	31 548	33 213	32 791	26 151
\$100,000 to \$149,999	19 801	47 780	44 420	42 838	41 024	31 755
\$150,000 to \$199,999	22 304	40 506	34 096	29 819	26 823	22 616
\$200,000 to \$499,999	76 621	95 900	65 745	53 124	44 801	38 836
\$500,000 to \$999,999	23 467	25 134	14 600	10 421	7 278	7 369
\$1,000,000 to \$1,999,999	7 339	7 507	3 804	2 578	1 749	2 126
\$2,000,000 to \$4,999,999	2 381	2 106	972	658	424	680
\$5,000,000 or more	359	335	112	90	76	182
VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT¹						
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment farms..	176 369	294 362	255 530	245 113	237 312	195 623
\$1,000..	7 300 925	8 810 573	6 103 313	5 192 076	4 658 545	3 908 074
Farms by value group:						
\$1 to \$4,999	9 644	24 496	31 393	37 554	44 003	37 658
\$5,000 to \$9,999	16 553	39 616	45 929	49 658	51 388	41 571
\$10,000 to \$19,999	32 360	71 540	67 781	65 527	60 987	49 541
\$20,000 to \$49,999	66 867	107 921	81 306	69 898	61 504	49 908
\$50,000 to \$99,999	34 610	37 581	21 928	16 965	14 608	12 659
\$100,000 to \$199,999	13 408	10 719	5 648	4 383	3 860	3 426
\$200,000 to \$499,999	2 784	2 403	1 517	1 106	918	800
\$500,000 or more	143	86	28	22	44	60
SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT¹						
Motortrucks, including pickups farms..	159 258	260 193	218 080	204 420	193 395	157 439
number..	311 948	445 532	338 002	303 401	277 979	227 190
Wheel tractors farms..	161 325	267 116	228 904	215 476	204 806	163 745
number..	392 341	559 379	417 496	359 095	325 767	249 248
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) farms..	77 432	134 618	121 443	120 745	120 977	100 042
number..	116 348	194 973	167 031	158 952	158 031	126 797
40 horsepower (PTO) or more farms..	140 362	218 102	169 832	145 041	124 841	91 875
number..	275 993	364 406	250 465	200 143	167 736	122 451
40 to 99 horsepower (PTO) farms..	119 340	194 101	154 446	133 130	114 542	84 068
number..	193 921	290 126	212 160	172 917	145 558	105 724
100 horsepower (PTO) or more farms..	64 117	62 658	33 338	23 709	19 450	14 540
number..	82 072	74 280	38 305	27 226	22 178	16 727
Grain and bean combines farms..	51 299	49 130	22 052	12 763	8 490	3 860
number..	58 243	54 567	24 120	13 864	9 311	4 180
Cotton pickers and strippers farms..	1 342	1 104	344	189	44	12
number..	1 465	1 270	367	191	45	12
Mower conditioners farms..	57 281	94 077	71 831	57 988	47 474	36 645
number..	64 113	104 859	79 366	63 732	52 182	40 372
Pickup balers farms..	66 819	103 752	76 275	59 562	44 332	31 688
number..	83 770	128 451	92 124	69 611	51 025	35 635
AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS¹						
Commercial fertilizer farms..	133 768	196 378	146 093	117 375	92 488	66 355
acres on which used..	14 718 100	11 620 954	5 206 005	2 880 221	1 636 743	1 051 895
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—						
Insects on hay and other crops farms..	44 522	49 082	26 188	16 683	11 612	11 492
acres on which used..	2 249 913	1 317 966	378 878	158 397	88 764	134 318
Nematodes in crops farms..	5 330	5 526	2 383	1 595	980	974
acres on which used..	238 868	130 599	37 331	15 276	7 707	9 619
Diseases in crops and orchards farms..	13 355	16 825	9 874	7 100	5 355	6 791
acres on which used..	407 397	257 794	92 146	39 878	33 912	57 667
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture farms..	91 131	107 127	61 831	41 856	29 782	21 851
acres on which used..	10 378 214	6 187 711	2 003 685	1 004 787	515 403	404 402
Chemicals used on crops to control growth, thin fruit, or defoliate farms..	5 761	5 854	3 315	2 169	1 376	1 588
acres on which used..	289 875	144 711	45 399	16 667	10 220	11 166

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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
TENURE AND RACE OF OPERATOR						
All operators	1 911 859	26 485	44 626	91 528	193 068	161 582
Full owners	1 146 891	10 750	14 120	22 427	52 135	61 962
Part owners	573 839	12 126	25 012	56 751	112 132	75 392
Tenants	191 129	3 609	5 494	12 350	28 801	24 228
White	1 864 201	25 731	43 908	90 436	190 842	159 101
Full owners	1 117 494	10 419	13 775	21 903	51 152	60 849
Part owners	562 367	11 892	24 782	56 398	111 338	74 593
Tenants	184 340	3 420	5 351	12 135	28 352	23 659
Black and other races	47 658	754	718	1 092	2 226	2 481
Full owners	29 397	331	345	524	983	1 113
Part owners	11 472	234	230	353	794	799
Tenants	6 789	189	143	215	449	569
OWNED AND RENTED LAND						
Land owned	farms.. 1 729 486	22 969	39 303	79 616	165 352	138 678
acres.. 611 960 421		62 416 629	51 643 959	73 974 260	119 734 664	76 559 522
Owned land in farms	farms.. 1 720 730	22 876	39 132	79 178	164 267	137 354
acres.. 553 705 270		59 050 684	50 080 626	70 737 072	112 447 029	69 830 598
Land rented or leased from others	farms.. 771 190	15 815	30 590	69 266	141 425	100 183
acres.. 384 287 662		34 073 087	44 356 964	74 166 752	98 145 922	48 974 163
landlords.. 2 079 344		93 028	170 830	320 750	480 142	252 550
Rented or leased land in farms	farms.. 764 968	15 735	30 506	69 101	140 933	99 620
acres.. 378 089 985		33 671 665	43 963 747	73 464 492	97 094 380	48 032 350
Land rented or leased to others	farms.. 258 167	3 732	4 535	8 672	19 191	20 481
acres.. 64 452 828		3 767 367	1 956 550	3 939 448	8 339 177	7 670 737
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS						
Operators by place of residence:						
On farm operated	1 361 766	14 762	30 948	66 733	147 665	118 111
Not on farm operated	412 554	8 050	8 284	14 625	32 374	34 196
Not reported	137 539	3 673	5 394	10 170	13 029	9 275
Operators by principal occupation:						
Farming	961 560	23 763	40 661	84 258	169 804	122 699
Other	950 299	2 722	3 965	7 270	23 264	38 883
Operators by days worked off farm:						
None	755 254	18 506	30 481	61 160	120 575	82 478
Any	1 042 158	4 813	9 011	20 258	58 143	68 484
1 to 99 days	164 957	1 618	3 553	9 602	24 359	19 345
100 to 199 days	167 922	801	1 593	3 691	11 736	14 214
200 days or more	709 279	2 394	3 865	6 965	22 048	34 925
Not reported	114 447	3 166	5 134	10 110	14 350	10 620
Operators by years on present farm:						
2 years or less	92 574	819	1 142	2 009	5 209	5 902
3 or 4 years	126 791	1 225	1 628	2 619	7 122	7 698
5 to 9 years	263 642	2 852	4 231	7 541	19 113	17 753
10 years or more	1 113 839	15 903	28 974	62 845	135 383	108 563
Average years on present farm	20.1	22.1	22.1	23.1	23.0	23.1
Not reported	315 013	5 686	8 651	16 514	26 241	21 666
Operators by age group:						
Under 25 years	20 850	159	362	749	2 152	2 316
25 to 34 years	128 455	1 650	3 238	6 877	17 198	13 542
35 to 44 years	371 442	6 380	11 851	24 768	48 956	33 786
45 to 49 years	232 845	4 159	7 181	14 123	26 798	19 236
50 to 54 years	233 884	3 666	6 208	12 236	23 450	18 529
55 to 59 years	222 736	3 505	5 499	11 318	22 497	18 089
60 to 64 years	204 618	2 754	4 317	9 232	20 519	17 769
65 to 69 years	179 858	1 908	2 781	5 581	13 768	15 133
70 years and over	317 171	2 304	3 189	6 644	17 730	23 182
Average age	54.3	51.6	50.3	50.3	50.8	53.0
Operators by sex:						
Male	1 746 757	25 607	43 033	88 581	186 605	153 550
Female	165 102	878	1 593	2 947	6 463	8 032
Operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin (see text)						
	27 717	545	584	1 030	1 926	1 791
FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION						
Individual or family (sole proprietorship)	farms.. 1 643 424	10 349	25 287	62 323	151 094	133 746
acres.. 585 464 911		20 469 658	38 791 130	82 485 407	139 619 292	87 040 037
Partnership	farms.. 169 462	6 685	9 651	14 894	23 949	17 759
acres.. 149 321 484		23 584 631	23 219 707	28 075 352	31 185 571	14 841 867
Corporation:						
Family held	farms.. 76 103	7 865	8 775	13 097	15 746	7 995
acres.. 119 559 203		25 627 800	21 412 465	27 424 876	26 296 857	9 071 150
More than 10 stockholders	farms.. 1 795	525	209	212	219	152
10 or less stockholders	farms.. 74 308	7 340	8 566	12 885	15 527	7 843
Other than family held	farms.. 7 899	1 318	640	700	1 019	736
acres.. 11 904 053		5 336 280	1 420 375	1 145 672	2 012 011	606 536
More than 10 stockholders	farms.. 1 029	360	88	68	87	76
10 or less stockholders	farms.. 6 870	958	552	632	932	660
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc.						
farms.. 14 971		268	273	514	1 260	1 346
acres.. 65 545 604		17 703 980	9 200 696	5 070 257	10 427 678	6 303 358

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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
TENURE AND RACE OF OPERATOR						
All operators	175 282	286 849	254 046	245 256	237 793	195 344
Full owners	88 615	177 750	178 081	185 442	192 191	163 418
Part owners	63 323	79 152	55 437	42 614	30 962	20 938
Tenants	23 344	29 947	20 528	17 200	14 640	10 988
White	172 077	280 537	247 394	237 630	229 232	187 313
Full owners	87 064	174 416	174 063	180 525	186 095	157 233
Part owners	62 342	77 315	53 665	40 831	29 364	19 847
Tenants	22 671	28 806	19 666	16 274	13 773	10 233
Black and other races	3 205	6 312	6 652	7 626	8 561	8 031
Full owners	1 551	3 334	4 018	4 917	6 096	6 185
Part owners	981	1 837	1 772	1 783	1 598	1 091
Tenants	673	1 141	862	926	867	755
OWNED AND RENTED LAND						
Land owned	153 462	258 596	234 440	228 694	223 655	184 721
farms	60 981 017	63 154 617	36 721 265	25 801 484	19 635 809	21 337 195
acres	151 938	256 902	233 518	228 056	223 153	184 356
Owned land in farms	52 303 094	52 813 049	30 584 920	21 394 330	16 412 008	18 051 860
acres	87 426	110 311	76 925	60 594	46 280	32 375
Land rented or leased from others	30 636 377	25 246 734	11 380 777	6 483 896	4 010 056	6 812 934
farms	191 772	212 644	135 244	99 682	72 996	49 706
landlords	86 667	109 099	75 965	59 814	45 602	31 926
Rented or leased land in farms	29 889 937	24 291 388	11 000 483	6 247 892	3 828 566	6 605 085
acres	27 158	47 816	39 330	34 947	31 672	20 633
Land rented or leased to others	9 424 363	11 296 914	6 516 639	4 643 158	3 405 291	3 493 184
farms						
acres						
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS						
Operators by place of residence:						
On farm operated	121 877	196 776	176 148	172 491	170 443	145 812
Not on farm operated	43 196	71 923	60 446	54 968	49 704	34 788
Not reported	10 209	18 150	17 452	17 797	17 646	14 744
Operators by principal occupation:						
Farming	108 414	137 854	94 982	75 298	58 713	45 114
Other	66 868	148 995	159 064	169 958	179 080	150 230
Operators by days worked off farm:						
None	73 671	101 575	80 767	71 734	64 614	49 693
Any	90 904	168 423	159 852	161 470	163 241	137 559
1 to 99 days	17 869	24 272	18 804	16 812	15 760	12 963
100 to 199 days	17 399	29 222	25 214	23 421	22 107	18 524
200 days or more	55 636	114 929	115 834	121 237	125 374	106 072
Not reported	10 707	16 851	13 427	12 052	9 938	8 092
Operators by years on present farm:						
2 years or less	7 490	13 500	12 940	13 554	14 479	15 530
3 or 4 years	9 270	17 658	17 997	19 640	21 703	20 231
5 to 9 years	21 254	39 246	38 140	39 606	40 164	33 742
10 years or more	112 323	171 399	141 974	128 721	117 583	90 171
Average years on present farm	22.7	21.3	19.6	18.1	16.8	15.1
Not reported	24 945	45 046	42 995	43 735	43 864	35 670
Operators by age group:						
Under 25 years	2 548	3 797	2 731	2 416	2 277	1 343
25 to 34 years	12 559	17 753	14 582	14 412	14 529	12 115
35 to 44 years	31 329	46 518	41 849	41 818	44 517	39 670
45 to 49 years	18 909	30 424	27 640	28 324	29 431	26 620
50 to 54 years	19 763	32 581	30 142	30 411	30 249	26 649
55 to 59 years	19 477	33 064	29 216	28 589	27 972	23 510
60 to 64 years	19 122	31 358	28 399	27 044	24 572	19 532
65 to 69 years	18 207	31 032	26 745	24 971	22 809	16 923
70 years and over	33 368	60 322	52 742	47 271	41 437	28 982
Average age	55.0	56.1	56.2	55.7	54.8	53.8
Operators by sex:						
Male	163 563	262 372	228 168	218 164	209 339	167 775
Female	11 719	24 477	25 878	27 092	28 454	27 569
Operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin (see text)						
	2 150	3 592	3 554	3 777	4 158	4 610
FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION						
Individual or family (sole proprietorship)	148 989	251 737	230 089	226 060	221 999	181 751
farms	64 522 243	63 115 322	35 062 428	23 880 221	16 566 301	13 912 872
acres	18 305	25 832	17 849	14 399	11 525	8 614
Partnership	10 005 573	9 082 356	3 822 377	2 198 491	1 265 717	2 039 842
acres						
Corporation:						
Family held	5 683	5 920	3 519	2 482	2 157	2 864
farms	3 819 969	2 640 529	1 250 349	639 611	298 755	1 076 842
acres	120	120	76	53	48	61
More than 10 stockholders	5 563	5 800	3 443	2 429	2 109	2 803
farms						
acres	666	834	494	480	434	578
Other than family held	302 114	331 678	132 439	155 638	75 524	385 786
farms	85	82	52	57	37	37
acres	581	752	442	423	397	541
10 or less stockholders						
farms						
acres						
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc.						
farms	1 639	2 526	2 095	1 835	1 678	1 537
acres	3 543 132	1 934 552	1 317 810	768 261	2 034 277	7 241 603

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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
INJURIES AND DEATHS						
Farm-related injuries:						
Operator and family members farms ..	19 025	515	686	1 502	3 285	2 364
..... number ..	21 793	709	829	1 785	3 802	2 657
Hired workers farms ..	14 238	4 403	2 353	2 242	2 308	875
..... number ..	28 751	15 404	3 663	3 050	2 886	1 079
Farm-related deaths:						
Operator and family members farms ..	480	15	18	37	78	63
..... number ..	511	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Hired workers farms ..	175	45	29	28	23	6
..... number ..	194	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
FARMS BY SIZE						
1 to 9 acres	153 515	778	1 357	2 252	4 727	5 037
10 to 49 acres	410 833	2 589	3 661	4 461	8 495	10 536
50 to 69 acres	125 985	818	1 026	1 452	3 228	3 461
70 to 99 acres	169 048	966	1 370	1 932	4 599	5 068
100 to 139 acres	161 660	986	1 498	2 215	5 448	7 316
140 to 179 acres	136 279	888	1 242	1 971	6 084	11 397
180 to 219 acres	91 055	677	1 024	1 575	6 292	11 546
220 to 259 acres	73 469	632	950	1 590	7 186	12 502
260 to 499 acres	238 245	2 639	3 734	10 042	47 866	44 119
500 to 999 acres	175 690	3 462	6 312	24 994	55 664	25 397
1,000 to 1,999 acres	101 468	4 074	11 252	25 183	24 132	14 720
2,000 acres or more	74 612	7 976	11 200	13 861	19 347	10 483
FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM						
Oilseed and grain farming (1111)	462 877	2 508	12 412	38 508	84 275	67 181
Vegetable and melon farming (1112)	31 030	2 161	1 565	1 905	2 905	2 556
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113)	81 956	2 230	2 270	3 869	8 041	7 541
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114)	57 192	2 074	1 736	2 657	5 471	5 532
Other crop farming (1119)	269 317	2 843	5 797	10 249	17 344	16 718
Tobacco farming (11191)	65 755	186	612	1 522	3 715	4 912
Cotton farming (11192)	18 994	1 087	2 314	3 843	4 700	2 506
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199)	184 568	1 570	2 871	4 884	8 929	9 300
Beef cattle ranching and farming (11211)	656 181	1 625	3 144	7 078	20 946	29 044
Cattle feedlots (11212)	43 469	1 757	1 248	1 814	3 133	2 924
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212)	86 022	2 968	3 980	11 317	33 826	19 869
Hog and pig farming (1122)	46 353	2 727	3 535	5 632	8 718	4 751
Poultry and egg production (1123)	36 944	5 046	8 288	7 240	5 273	2 018
Sheep and goat farming (1124)	29 938	64	86	217	572	677
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129)	110 580	482	565	1 042	2 564	2 771
LIVESTOCK						
Cattle and calves inventory farms ..	1 046 863	11 153	19 896	43 700	104 586	89 071
..... number ..	98 989 244	21 805 883	8 121 079	11 513 020	17 654 955	10 554 544
Farms with—						
1 to 9	168 306	215	636	1 237	2 914	3 108
10 to 49	482 889	1 156	3 143	6 166	14 985	20 738
50 to 99	184 208	940	2 277	5 343	24 427	29 034
100 to 199	118 972	935	2 555	10 263	36 515	20 725
200 to 499	66 978	1 306	5 987	15 195	19 692	14 070
500 or more	25 510	6 601	5 298	5 496	6 053	1 396
Cows and heifers that had calved farms ..						
..... number ..	894 110	8 261	15 863	36 508	91 990	78 098
Beef cows farms ..	43 162 054	4 704 541	3 154 272	5 058 561	8 761 614	5 545 650
..... number ..	804 595	5 279	11 675	25 015	59 779	59 484
..... farms ..	34 066 615	1 873 846	2 066 191	3 488 763	6 394 986	4 685 995
Farms with—						
1 to 9	224 424	329	921	1 949	5 004	5 211
10 to 49	410 688	1 634	4 115	8 574	21 167	22 856
50 to 99	96 592	930	2 324	5 212	13 141	13 865
100 to 199	45 439	829	1 796	4 264	10 143	12 116
200 to 499	22 119	797	1 457	3 303	8 885	5 239
500 or more	5 333	760	1 062	1 713	1 439	197
Milk cows farms ..						
..... number ..	116 874	3 435	4 957	13 484	37 733	22 811
..... farms ..	9 095 439	2 830 695	1 088 081	1 569 798	2 366 628	859 655
Farms with—						
1 to 4	17 974	31	108	251	760	993
5 to 9	4 850	9	18	45	159	260
10 to 49	40 833	53	135	585	9 398	16 836
50 to 99	33 477	96	360	3 903	24 063	4 621
100 to 199	12 602	174	1 396	7 667	3 268	95
200 to 499	4 881	919	2 854	1 025	81	1
500 or more	2 257	2 153	86	8	4	5
Heifers and heifer calves farms ..						
..... number ..	803 985	8 901	15 654	35 299	87 231	72 003
..... farms ..	26 988 697	7 328 324	2 370 198	3 278 530	4 802 896	2 569 879
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves farms ..						
..... number ..	883 983	9 401	16 816	36 430	84 771	74 481
..... farms ..	28 838 493	9 773 018	2 596 609	3 175 929	4 090 445	2 439 015

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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
INJURIES AND DEATHS						
Farm-related injuries:						
Operator and family members farms ..	1 897	2 475	1 967	1 671	1 402	1 261
number ..	2 165	2 761	2 226	1 914	1 548	1 397
Hired workers farms ..	650	542	305	156	141	263
number ..	813	705	386	216	181	368
Farm-related deaths:						
Operator and family members farms ..	61	63	49	52	26	18
number ..	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Hired workers farms ..	8	9	14	4	6	3
number ..	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
FARMS BY SIZE						
1 to 9 acres	7 286	16 734	18 719	24 492	35 086	37 047
10 to 49 acres	15 211	37 230	56 034	79 006	101 236	92 374
50 to 69 acres	5 147	18 796	23 734	27 276	25 058	15 989
70 to 99 acres	11 067	33 493	33 998	35 215	26 412	14 928
100 to 139 acres	17 604	34 527	33 457	27 491	19 181	11 937
140 to 179 acres	20 744	30 791	27 102	17 781	11 157	7 122
180 to 219 acres	13 953	20 661	15 530	9 735	5 991	4 071
220 to 259 acres	11 328	16 325	10 797	6 237	3 474	2 448
260 to 499 acres	34 233	47 207	23 633	12 412	7 054	5 306
500 to 999 acres	22 764	21 063	7 620	3 908	2 157	2 349
1,000 to 1,999 acres	10 402	6 700	2 316	1 127	651	911
2,000 acres or more	5 543	3 322	1 106	576	336	862
FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM						
Oilseed and grain farming (1111)	63 253	71 661	44 227	36 246	35 464	7 142
Vegetable and melon farming (1112)	3 266	5 438	4 427	3 378	2 022	1 407
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113)	7 826	9 706	6 799	6 557	6 863	20 254
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114)	6 758	10 006	6 980	5 755	7 841	2 382
Other crop farming (1119)	23 545	46 817	42 913	40 103	38 246	24 742
Tobacco farming (11191)	8 659	17 137	12 940	9 730	5 332	1 010
Cotton farming (11192)	1 856	1 611	607	287	144	39
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199)	13 030	28 069	29 366	30 086	32 770	23 693
Beef cattle ranching and farming (11211)	47 927	114 336	122 439	122 389	110 370	76 883
Cattle feedlots (11212)	3 836	7 257	6 792	6 999	6 315	1 394
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212)	8 752	4 352	523	144	96	195
Hog and pig farming (1122)	3 882	4 492	3 476	3 233	3 517	2 390
Poultry and egg production (1123)	1 054	813	824	1 120	2 099	3 169
Sheep and goat farming (1124)	1 069	2 426	3 182	4 975	8 378	8 292
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129)	4 114	9 545	11 464	14 357	16 582	47 094
LIVESTOCK						
Cattle and calves inventory farms ..	96 260	169 091	154 884	144 887	126 613	86 722
number ..	8 310 215	9 455 522	5 333 696	3 329 135	1 967 953	943 242
Farms with—						
1 to 9	4 747	11 072	15 222	25 596	43 544	60 015
10 to 49	32 740	80 645	108 223	109 590	79 809	25 694
50 to 99	28 014	54 662	27 484	8 520	2 714	793
100 to 199	22 891	20 114	3 412	972	456	134
200 to 499	7 496	2 427	493	188	77	47
500 or more	372	171	50	21	13	39
Cows and heifers that had calved farms ..	83 493	147 879	135 322	124 724	105 771	66 201
number ..	4 463 795	5 231 262	2 958 874	1 805 170	1 044 026	434 289
Beef cows farms ..	74 954	142 981	133 819	123 301	104 113	64 195
number ..	4 209 451	5 148 892	2 944 604	1 794 462	1 033 538	425 887
Farms with—						
1 to 9	7 114	16 894	25 660	43 914	63 820	53 608
10 to 49	33 778	91 669	100 133	77 140	39 315	10 307
50 to 99	21 796	29 318	7 102	1 893	807	204
100 to 199	10 593	4 453	767	300	139	39
200 to 499	1 605	594	142	48	27	22
500 or more	68	53	15	6	5	15
Milk cows farms ..	11 457	7 943	3 765	3 711	3 927	3 651
number ..	254 344	82 370	14 270	10 708	10 488	8 402
Farms with—						
1 to 4	1 318	2 566	2 617	2 921	3 194	3 215
5 to 9	453	1 088	880	776	727	435
10 to 49	9 272	4 269	265	13	6	1
50 to 99	410	20	3	1	—	—
100 to 199	2	—	—	—	—	—
200 to 499	1	—	—	—	—	—
500 or more	1	—	—	—	—	—
Heifers and heifer calves farms ..	75 507	131 551	119 071	108 891	90 622	59 255
number ..	1 871 441	2 060 834	1 189 601	772 636	476 901	267 457
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves farms ..	83 650	148 879	135 141	124 299	104 057	66 058
number ..	1 974 979	2 163 426	1 185 221	751 329	447 026	241 496

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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
LIVESTOCK—Con.						
Cattle and calves sold	farms .. 1 011 809	11 238	20 028	44 039	105 617	90 175
	number .. 74 089 046	31 915 251	5 955 418	7 060 169	9 574 432	5 638 041
	\$1,000 .. 40 524 836	21 556 702	3 255 108	3 599 770	4 434 757	2 436 862
Calves	farms .. 815 177	5 583	9 741	20 354	52 962	46 270
	number .. 16 480 293	2 128 943	1 116 970	1 571 701	2 698 431	1 934 800
	\$1,000 .. 4 453 738	485 562	308 896	426 088	723 948	546 150
Cattle	farms .. 738 696	9 501	16 674	37 546	89 028	73 594
	number .. 57 608 753	29 786 308	4 838 448	5 488 468	6 876 001	3 703 241
	\$1,000 .. 36 071 098	21 071 140	2 946 211	3 173 682	3 710 808	1 890 712
Fattened on grain and concentrates	farms .. 110 620	2 804	4 283	9 852	19 126	12 716
	number .. 27 328 190	23 016 224	1 256 777	1 140 916	1 007 067	379 356
	\$1,000 .. 20 365 894	17 192 993	959 083	852 480	736 433	268 833
Hogs and pigs inventory	farms .. 109 754	3 796	6 447	12 698	20 679	11 790
	number .. 61 206 236	27 544 463	10 838 918	10 191 229	8 299 954	2 291 164
Farms with—						
1 to 24	43 274	116	264	690	1 944	2 301
25 to 49	8 126	26	90	250	873	1 030
50 to 99	8 491	28	100	445	1 469	1 608
100 to 199	9 837	36	163	829	2 825	2 469
200 to 499	16 508	141	708	2 911	7 345	3 447
500 or more	23 518	3 449	5 122	7 573	6 232	935
Used or to be used for breeding	farms .. 64 029	2 021	3 679	8 196	13 852	7 919
	number .. 6 831 564	3 108 006	1 020 318	1 112 923	973 080	304 954
Other	farms .. 102 977	3 751	6 347	12 438	20 044	11 178
	number .. 54 374 672	24 436 457	9 818 600	9 078 306	7 326 874	1 986 210
Hogs and pigs sold	farms .. 102 106	3 827	6 558	13 043	21 401	12 164
	number .. 142 611 882	75 495 638	24 407 507	20 247 776	15 605 613	3 926 938
	\$1,000 .. 13 804 835	7 172 980	2 441 619	2 047 355	1 509 119	364 009
Feeder pigs	farms .. 17 170	657	968	1 802	3 058	1 921
	number .. 34 988 718	20 174 770	5 076 237	4 293 254	3 575 327	1 011 450
	\$1,000 .. 1 232 614	717 332	186 210	148 925	113 480	34 586
Litters of pigs farrowed between—						
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30	farms .. 67 514	2 065	3 786	8 476	14 475	8 386
	number .. 11 497 523	5 688 519	1 752 512	1 771 839	1 498 548	422 226
Dec. 1 and May 31	farms .. 62 622	2 045	3 723	8 277	13 974	7 867
	number .. 5 697 371	2 778 114	873 261	885 694	757 384	214 700
June 1 and Nov. 30	farms .. 58 204	2 030	3 677	8 150	13 544	7 537
	number .. 5 800 152	2 910 405	879 251	886 145	741 164	207 526
Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory	farms .. 65 790	371	810	2 000	5 495	5 351
	number .. 7 821 885	1 345 885	781 305	1 200 129	1 514 039	851 134
Ewes 1 year old or older	farms .. 56 414	305	634	1 695	4 847	4 795
	number .. 4 408 683	502 791	394 534	710 414	930 848	534 859
Sheep and lambs sold	farms .. 59 575	347	769	1 978	5 332	5 185
	number .. 7 331 545	2 317 718	707 597	942 436	1 181 987	626 135
Sheep and lambs shorn	farms .. 51 869	293	626	1 666	4 722	4 634
	number .. 6 139 140	1 100 934	600 429	949 785	1 191 067	668 443
	pounds of wool .. 47 182 067	7 378 979	4 726 655	7 740 289	9 827 732	5 352 403
Horses and ponies inventory	farms .. 375 218	3 150	5 309	10 352	24 602	23 808
	number .. 2 427 277	66 408	54 050	82 821	189 113	176 851
Horses and ponies sold	farms .. 79 516	543	798	1 516	4 007	4 492
	number .. 325 306	22 294	15 408	23 289	34 665	31 923
Goats inventory	farms .. 57 925	198	343	804	1 982	2 186
	number .. 1 989 799	84 956	87 420	106 584	299 646	244 195
Goats sold	farms .. 23 520	59	122	257	718	867
	number .. 740 597	23 422	18 540	60 118	104 912	88 374
POULTRY						
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text)	farms .. 72 616	1 035	956	1 925	4 494	4 339
	number .. 366 989 851	256 128 244	32 083 690	27 105 551	30 213 341	14 883 251
Farms with—						
1 to 399	66 059	73	237	762	2 730	3 240
400 to 3,199	673	15	17	20	92	127
3,200 to 9,999	1 090	21	14	39	503	177
10,000 to 19,999	1 995	45	49	573	610	632
20,000 to 49,999	1 620	65	419	451	502	161
50,000 to 99,999	573	266	185	64	54	2
100,000 or more	606	550	35	16	3	—
Layers 20 weeks old and older	farms .. 69 761	1 002	881	1 800	4 083	3 971
	number .. 313 851 480	235 622 519	24 781 468	20 875 236	18 651 014	9 325 374
Pullets 13 weeks old and older but less than 20 weeks old	farms .. 13 180	215	143	216	703	781
	number .. 53 138 371	20 505 725	7 302 222	6 230 315	11 562 327	5 557 877
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold (see text)	farms .. 13 458	824	799	1 322	2 271	1 549
	number .. 331 563 736	157 618 585	49 271 014	43 505 142	52 172 714	21 369 196
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold	farms .. 23 937	3 249	6 543	5 487	3 316	899
	number .. 6 741 927 110	2 865 732 986	2 465 559 940	1 075 067 485	291 896 944	31 858 213
Farms with—						
1 to 1,999	4 951	12	23	102	340	325
2,000 to 59,999	1 138	38	12	42	277	487
60,000 to 99,999	1 536	10	15	63	1 383	63
100,000 or more	16 312	3 189	6 493	5 280	1 316	24
Turkey hens kept for breeding	farms .. 5 686	88	77	91	198	190
	number .. 5 504 808	3 671 934	851 015	599 763	294 220	64 013
Turkeys sold	farms .. 6 031	1 076	1 189	781	454	210
	number .. 307 586 680	198 816 681	75 804 006	25 044 845	6 505 525	1 136 333

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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
LIVESTOCK—Con.						
Cattle and calves sold	farms .. 97 637	171 621	156 220	144 417	123 431	47 386
	number .. 4 441 592	4 863 509	2 510 526	1 370 983	640 160	118 965
	\$1,000 .. 1 827 629	1 849 122	889 569	452 840	193 805	28 673
Calves	farms .. 52 133	105 499	105 340	100 877	85 382	31 036
	number .. 1 790 578	2 409 227	1 436 365	863 945	437 776	91 557
	\$1,000 .. 524 392	696 092	398 214	223 966	103 695	16 735
Cattle	farms .. 78 260	131 731	112 891	96 364	72 086	21 021
	number .. 2 651 014	2 454 282	1 074 161	507 038	202 384	27 408
	\$1,000 .. 1 303 237	1 153 030	491 355	228 874	90 110	11 938
Fattened on grain and concentrates	farms .. 11 842	16 500	12 900	11 121	8 053	1 423
	number .. 224 515	175 437	72 776	37 357	16 210	1 555
	\$1,000 .. 154 201	117 980	48 167	24 518	10 290	916
Hogs and pigs inventory	farms .. 9 721	11 750	9 083	8 502	8 207	7 081
	number .. 969 091	602 641	199 158	116 470	81 013	72 135
Farms with—						
1 to 24	3 097	6 244	6 640	7 315	7 739	6 924
25 to 49	1 339	1 832	1 367	852	358	109
50 to 99	1 792	1 891	788	259	80	31
100 to 199	1 914	1 289	231	60	16	5
200 to 499	1 445	443	45	11	9	3
500 or more	134	51	12	5	5	9
Used or to be used for breeding	farms .. 6 462	7 224	5 073	4 102	3 272	2 229
	number .. 133 519	88 064	38 504	22 371	14 065	15 760
Other	farms .. 8 987	10 570	8 075	7 625	7 465	6 497
	number .. 835 572	514 577	160 654	94 099	66 948	56 375
Hogs and pigs sold	farms .. 9 693	11 080	8 158	7 178	6 325	2 679
	number .. 1 562 123	861 189	289 866	137 018	64 448	13 766
	\$1,000 .. 147 083	76 788	26 249	12 487	6 032	1 114
Feeder pigs	farms .. 1 803	2 406	1 704	1 316	1 011	524
	number .. 412 491	273 317	99 795	45 280	21 135	5 662
	\$1,000 .. 15 933	10 165	3 631	1 525	669	157
Litters of pigs farrowed between—						
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30	farms .. 6 834	7 735	5 441	4 419	3 553	2 344
	number .. 175 917	108 596	41 557	20 574	11 623	5 612
Dec. 1 and May 31	farms .. 6 297	6 978	4 800	3 747	2 991	1 923
	number .. 89 867	56 030	21 796	11 166	6 414	2 945
June 1 and Nov. 30	farms .. 5 930	6 425	4 201	3 141	2 202	1 367
	number .. 86 050	52 566	19 761	9 408	5 209	2 667
Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory	farms .. 5 980	9 477	8 663	9 537	11 026	7 080
	number .. 597 671	609 797	347 765	267 100	214 899	92 161
Ewes 1 year old or older	farms .. 5 320	8 383	7 488	8 210	9 343	5 394
	number .. 383 152	387 245	218 065	166 186	130 236	50 353
Sheep and lambs sold	farms .. 5 667	8 824	7 957	8 783	10 048	4 685
	number .. 454 153	452 073	261 682	199 564	150 970	37 230
Sheep and lambs shorn	farms .. 5 131	7 851	6 935	7 422	8 305	4 284
	number .. 464 080	474 032	270 733	204 165	158 853	56 619
	pounds of wool .. 3 632 523	3 550 465	1 964 137	1 474 291	1 145 315	389 278
Horses and ponies inventory	farms .. 28 220	50 696	48 907	50 840	51 407	77 927
	number .. 203 128	335 431	284 018	263 254	238 731	533 472
Horses and ponies sold	farms .. 6 319	13 648	14 306	15 428	14 241	4 218
	number .. 34 552	56 772	42 405	34 273	24 354	5 371
Goats inventory	farms .. 3 282	6 911	7 542	9 376	11 340	13 961
	number .. 238 203	259 443	160 932	158 482	158 129	191 809
Goats sold	farms .. 1 390	3 091	3 307	4 211	5 241	4 257
	number .. 88 036	110 492	74 428	70 417	67 177	34 681
POULTRY						
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text)	farms .. 4 853	8 308	9 027	11 067	12 894	13 718
	number .. 3 970 789	988 040	347 018	463 193	307 100	499 634
Farms with—						
1 to 399	4 301	8 129	8 952	11 045	12 882	13 708
400 to 3,199	149	149	71	17	12	4
3,200 to 9,999	313	19	2	—	—	—
10,000 to 19,999	80	3	1	2	—	—
20,000 to 49,999	9	7	1	2	—	3
50,000 to 99,999	1	—	—	1	—	—
100,000 or more	—	1	—	—	—	1
Layers 20 weeks old and older	farms .. 4 642	8 062	8 740	10 776	12 535	13 269
	number .. 2 722 954	662 861	258 278	353 934	257 967	339 875
Pullets 13 weeks old and older but less than 20 weeks old	farms .. 868	1 474	1 639	2 121	2 457	2 563
	number .. 1 247 835	325 179	88 740	109 259	49 133	159 759
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold (see text)	farms .. 1 012	1 007	992	1 261	1 443	978
	number .. 5 844 459	1 078 258	292 163	289 974	97 178	25 053
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold	farms .. 560	800	792	882	897	512
	number .. 5 385 325	1 404 977	224 468	113 502	(D)	(D)
Farms with—						
1 to 1,999	377	717	770	879	897	509
2,000 to 59,999	177	80	22	3	—	—
60,000 to 99,999	1	—	—	—	—	1
100,000 or more	5	3	—	—	—	2
Turkey hens kept for breeding	farms .. 212	642	747	1 004	1 189	1 248
	number .. 2 595	5 198	3 727	4 137	4 158	4 048
Turkeys sold	farms .. 199	378	505	568	568	290
	number .. 114 987	37 734	14 578	11 027	(D)	(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
SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED						
Corn for grain or seed	farms.. 430 711	7 942	20 302	51 092	106 706	73 941
	acres.. 69 796 716	6 400 751	11 606 087	18 558 531	20 075 052	7 259 810
	bushels.. 8 578 634 770	874 024 271	1 539 296 135	2 369 747 371	2 400 172 895	809 463 950
Irrigated	farms.. 40 574	2 755	4 862	9 224	12 446	5 687
	acres.. 10 638 932	1 920 713	2 408 623	3 069 587	2 391 126	592 236
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres	98 907	253	520	1 141	5 457	7 601
25 to 99 acres	141 885	800	1 694	4 947	23 763	32 672
100 to 249 acres	103 096	1 278	3 213	11 767	46 803	31 463
250 to 499 acres	55 293	1 399	4 334	19 357	27 888	2 118
500 acres or more	31 530	4 212	10 541	13 880	2 795	87
Corn for silage or green chop	farms.. 119 308	3 712	6 535	16 056	39 027	22 054
	acres.. 5 727 594	922 440	762 987	1 145 412	1 655 647	654 152
	tons, green.. 88 380 934	18 233 947	12 978 131	17 867 654	23 498 338	8 461 524
Irrigated	farms.. 10 815	1 778	1 475	2 037	2 558	1 188
	acres.. 1 033 322	443 165	169 569	166 737	157 187	51 492
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres	55 145	180	855	3 184	13 937	12 210
25 to 99 acres	50 441	964	2 636	8 922	22 083	9 100
100 to 249 acres	11 078	1 337	2 336	3 533	2 791	695
250 to 499 acres	1 977	777	604	356	178	44
500 acres or more	667	454	104	61	38	5
Sorghum for grain or seed	farms.. 49 397	1 078	2 851	6 685	12 948	9 427
	acres.. 8 470 353	670 317	1 147 102	2 015 247	2 574 999	1 144 103
	bushels.. 559 070 136	48 026 699	79 403 611	140 899 178	171 195 191	69 027 668
Irrigated	farms.. 5 793	347	750	1 388	1 751	748
	acres.. 875 607	111 822	168 723	242 320	235 079	75 260
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres	7 222	34	124	299	699	846
25 to 99 acres	18 844	161	569	1 457	3 752	4 173
100 to 249 acres	13 794	293	799	2 064	5 068	3 440
250 to 499 acres	6 120	247	624	1 613	2 552	789
500 acres or more	3 417	343	735	1 252	877	179
Wheat for grain	farms.. 243 568	6 134	13 512	30 678	59 525	43 277
	acres.. 58 836 344	4 624 496	7 449 766	13 745 548	18 233 177	8 105 624
	bushels.. 2 204 026 684	246 036 886	326 628 518	542 073 056	634 318 441	253 955 585
Irrigated	farms.. 20 385	2 144	2 663	3 897	5 119	2 654
	acres.. 3 990 924	1 246 277	834 821	805 898	691 737	234 920
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres	53 630	250	763	2 437	7 119	6 993
25 to 99 acres	77 031	969	2 646	7 487	17 417	14 990
100 to 249 acres	49 304	1 347	3 241	7 317	12 916	9 579
250 to 499 acres	29 308	1 158	2 525	4 583	8 805	7 252
500 acres or more	34 295	2 410	4 337	8 854	13 268	4 463
Barley for grain	farms.. 41 930	1 053	2 246	5 774	12 906	7 828
	acres.. 5 944 951	520 259	712 256	1 446 911	2 019 535	746 002
	bushels.. 336 435 009	38 389 977	48 774 937	85 929 158	105 350 507	35 093 777
Irrigated	farms.. 8 847	543	744	1 167	2 130	1 315
	acres.. 1 060 663	236 936	186 879	212 847	233 404	96 459
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres	12 554	78	223	736	2 791	2 142
25 to 99 acres	13 352	234	539	1 543	3 860	3 004
100 to 249 acres	9 013	264	575	1 505	3 427	2 037
250 to 499 acres	4 431	177	456	1 061	2 047	542
500 acres or more	2 580	300	453	929	781	103
Oats for grain	farms.. 89 606	758	2 438	7 539	21 467	16 780
	acres.. 2 680 958	85 372	156 311	360 505	817 405	525 857
	bushels.. 151 327 329	5 950 612	10 456 497	22 898 624	47 350 279	28 020 291
Irrigated	farms.. 2 788	115	168	286	568	496
	acres.. 121 040	18 033	14 085	20 390	25 432	19 244
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres	58 939	244	930	3 362	11 372	10 314
25 to 99 acres	25 781	292	1 088	3 325	8 391	5 532
100 to 249 acres	4 158	136	310	693	1 479	836
250 to 499 acres	568	48	84	130	181	80
500 acres or more	160	38	26	29	44	18
Rice	farms.. 9 291	587	1 391	2 533	2 879	983
	acres.. 3 122 120	578 096	789 168	940 525	654 979	116 840
	cwt.. 182 231 457	35 647 728	46 938 366	54 804 332	36 786 915	5 980 723
Irrigated	farms.. 9 291	587	1 391	2 533	2 879	983
	acres.. 3 122 120	578 096	789 168	940 525	654 979	116 840
Cotton	farms.. 31 493	2 621	4 359	6 503	7 653	3 990
	acres.. 13 235 236	3 277 053	3 127 745	3 337 798	2 438 555	671 167
	bales.. 17 878 743	6 019 726	4 524 040	4 012 544	2 430 577	579 052
Irrigated	farms.. 12 434	1 748	2 304	3 035	3 004	1 128
	acres.. 4 888 029	1 798 385	1 136 874	1 072 287	683 061	136 241
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres	2 161	19	22	29	83	125
25 to 99 acres	6 322	93	151	315	1 015	1 375
100 to 249 acres	7 376	248	458	1 266	2 713	1 720
250 to 499 acres	6 570	350	987	2 143	2 359	606
500 acres or more	9 064	1 911	2 741	2 750	1 483	164

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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
SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED						
Corn for grain or seed	farms.. 60 276	57 575	25 285	14 423	9 017	4 152
	acres.. 3 433 889	1 775 032	432 624	162 001	67 859	25 080
	bushels.. 361 361 933	170 179 291	36 380 025	12 180 557	4 558 363	1 269 979
Irrigated	farms.. 3 035	1 548	444	250	209	114
	acres.. 190 201	55 474	7 115	2 378	1 112	367
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres	11 416	26 433	19 842	13 314	8 809	4 121
25 to 99 acres	41 146	30 139	5 382	1 105	207	30
100 to 249 acres	7 519	988	60	4	1	—
250 to 499 acres	184	13	—	—	—	—
500 acres or more	11	2	1	—	—	1
Corn for silage or green chop	farms.. 12 530	10 227	4 546	2 454	1 382	785
	acres.. 288 555	184 707	63 507	27 767	14 628	7 792
	tons, green.. 3 712 002	2 319 074	737 490	319 301	159 798	93 675
Irrigated	farms.. 762	515	233	119	79	71
	acres.. 25 121	13 762	3 906	1 096	643	644
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres	8 653	7 998	3 923	2 231	1 252	722
25 to 99 acres	3 613	2 128	599	217	123	56
100 to 249 acres	251	94	21	6	7	7
250 to 499 acres	11	4	3	—	—	—
500 acres or more	2	3	—	—	—	—
Sorghum for grain or seed	farms.. 7 101	5 754	2 079	818	496	160
	acres.. 544 694	280 045	66 602	18 386	7 037	1 821
	bushels.. 31 228 217	14 994 005	3 189 961	796 742	263 986	44 878
Irrigated	farms.. 394	207	86	52	55	15
	acres.. 25 600	11 747	2 998	1 113	772	173
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres	1 210	1 844	1 040	561	421	144
25 to 99 acres	4 101	3 332	962	249	72	16
100 to 249 acres	1 545	501	73	8	3	—
250 to 499 acres	221	71	3	—	—	—
500 acres or more	24	6	1	—	—	—
Wheat for grain	farms.. 35 798	32 794	12 327	5 548	2 986	989
	acres.. 4 018 818	2 023 002	449 681	130 401	45 292	10 539
	bushels.. 121 567 940	61 430 379	12 961 537	3 641 332	1 197 292	215 718
Irrigated	farms.. 1 734	1 245	490	238	157	44
	acres.. 109 797	48 700	12 853	3 946	1 616	359
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres	8 943	13 097	6 786	3 819	2 503	920
25 to 99 acres	13 853	12 986	4 555	1 594	466	68
100 to 249 acres	8 185	5 641	925	135	17	1
250 to 499 acres	3 942	984	59	—	—	—
500 acres or more	875	86	2	—	—	—
Barley for grain	farms.. 5 122	3 984	1 619	790	419	189
	acres.. 305 127	141 980	33 119	13 418	4 793	1 551
	bushels.. 14 041 081	6 527 154	1 473 110	585 309	213 854	56 145
Irrigated	farms.. 1 114	1 000	416	233	123	62
	acres.. 51 515	30 261	7 381	3 167	1 407	407
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres	1 977	2 181	1 208	657	379	182
25 to 99 acres	2 131	1 498	370	126	40	7
100 to 249 acres	879	283	38	5	—	—
250 to 499 acres	125	20	3	—	—	—
500 acres or more	10	2	—	2	—	—
Oats for grain	farms.. 13 100	13 411	6 764	3 863	2 301	1 185
	acres.. 327 634	243 931	90 835	42 718	21 441	8 949
	bushels.. 16 941 351	12 238 712	4 301 228	1 937 655	895 220	336 860
Irrigated	farms.. 364	387	186	98	77	43
	acres.. 11 072	7 734	2 759	1 127	918	246
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres	9 169	10 796	5 915	3 545	2 151	1 141
25 to 99 acres	3 467	2 384	806	306	147	43
100 to 249 acres	427	218	43	12	3	1
250 to 499 acres	32	13	—	—	—	—
500 acres or more	5	—	—	—	—	—
Rice	farms.. 484	307	79	26	16	6
	acres.. 29 514	10 860	1 650	357	113	18
	cwt.. 1 491 549	524 970	61 597	11 222	3 339	716
Irrigated	farms.. 484	307	79	26	16	6
	acres.. 29 514	10 860	1 650	357	113	18
Cotton	farms.. 2 764	2 265	799	332	159	48
	acres.. 248 025	107 603	20 426	4 901	1 696	267
	bales.. 208 378	85 410	14 548	3 312	1 022	134
Irrigated	farms.. 637	336	124	69	38	11
	acres.. 42 995	13 753	3 168	720	508	37
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres	244	638	528	280	147	46
25 to 99 acres	1 646	1 419	245	52	9	2
100 to 249 acres	751	194	23	—	3	—
250 to 499 acres	108	14	3	—	—	—
500 acres or more	15	—	—	—	—	—

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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
SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED—						
Con.						
Tobacco	farms.. 89 706	828	1 471	2 901	7 112	7 954
	acres.. 838 530	97 320	107 840	138 342	165 056	99 399
	pounds.. 1 747 702 321	224 223 732	246 832 540	306 794 333	351 806 099	202 160 308
Irrigated	farms.. 7 090	197	330	695	1 391	1 188
	acres.. 138 667	17 999	21 948	31 924	35 074	15 325
Farms by acres harvested:						
0.1 to 0.9 acres	9 281	4	7	17	69	96
1.0 to 1.9 acres	18 002	3	14	42	162	213
2.0 to 2.9 acres	13 614	11	19	50	251	335
3.0 to 4.9 acres	15 388	25	44	118	508	698
5.0 to 9.9 acres	15 520	40	100	213	1 167	1 857
10.0 to 24.9 acres	10 439	100	173	466	1 977	4 127
25.0 acres or more	7 462	645	1 114	1 995	2 978	628
Soybeans for beans	farms.. 354 692	6 360	18 188	45 310	87 853	61 475
	acres.. 66 147 726	5 626 779	11 000 719	17 178 903	18 700 232	7 244 785
	bushels.. 2 504 307 294	217 676 423	435 351 873	674 550 772	706 243 390	259 886 689
Irrigated	farms.. 20 619	1 255	2 793	5 452	6 525	2 468
	acres.. 4 152 100	774 915	1 065 883	1 222 731	802 728	191 001
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres	54 666	164	391	1 117	4 101	3 805
25 to 99 acres	124 626	698	1 710	5 081	15 745	24 328
100 to 249 acres	93 204	1 058	2 874	9 446	37 929	29 244
250 to 499 acres	51 632	1 075	3 535	16 754	25 811	3 793
500 acres or more	30 564	3 365	9 678	12 912	4 267	305
Dry edible beans, excluding dry limas	farms.. 10 911	595	1 112	2 091	3 198	1 634
	acres.. 1 691 899	245 391	344 108	454 399	435 417	130 131
	cwt.. 27 223 851	4 620 963	5 705 248	7 170 108	6 696 732	1 898 185
Irrigated	farms.. 4 882	427	561	899	1 439	711
	acres.. 577 033	136 435	109 241	127 657	138 562	41 305
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres	1 619	23	33	57	192	215
25 to 99 acres	4 146	95	210	533	1 277	978
100 to 249 acres	3 196	160	364	839	1 318	395
250 to 499 acres	1 321	157	287	473	354	45
500 acres or more	629	160	218	189	57	1
Potatoes, excluding sweetpotatoes	farms.. 10 523	1 162	1 041	1 119	1 355	857
	acres.. 1 355 241	819 611	261 408	152 426	86 177	22 018
	cwt.. 459 886 344	307 952 458	80 072 566	42 985 361	21 589 827	4 999 828
Irrigated	farms.. 4 843	1 024	812	793	740	347
	acres.. 1 070 331	725 064	187 074	97 400	47 350	9 468
Farms by acres harvested:						
0.1 to 4.9 acres	5 180	25	25	81	292	377
5.0 to 24.9 acres	971	26	29	76	193	160
25.0 to 99.9 acres	1 398	69	137	271	528	276
100.0 to 249.9 acres	1 429	155	378	528	320	43
250.0 acres or more	1 545	887	472	163	22	1
Sugar beets for sugar	farms.. 7 102	723	1 226	1 845	1 927	737
	acres.. 1 453 824	369 687	417 503	377 714	223 552	44 933
	tons.. 29 775 479	8 797 995	8 409 636	7 304 840	4 110 722	805 257
Irrigated	farms.. 3 492	519	607	781	973	344
	acres.. 616 414	215 070	150 525	125 110	99 397	18 631
Peanuts for nuts	farms.. 12 221	554	1 242	1 947	2 565	1 824
	acres.. 1 352 155	220 873	323 132	336 973	267 149	106 881
	pounds.. 3 377 142 874	650 752 352	893 528 407	843 952 558	613 770 386	214 872 110
Irrigated	farms.. 3 125	242	481	653	825	464
	acres.. 412 310	91 856	114 071	93 390	74 971	24 531
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) ...	farms.. 888 597	9 606	18 475	41 261	100 117	83 498
	acres.. 60 799 788	3 356 030	3 675 094	6 741 967	12 928 945	8 580 597
	tons, dry.. 139 365 313	13 694 768	11 204 132	17 650 069	30 151 792	18 416 828
Irrigated	farms.. 79 406	3 379	3 566	5 897	11 283	8 853
	acres.. 9 564 336	1 881 598	1 161 601	1 427 450	2 049 386	1 153 720
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres	362 437	1 324	3 347	7 224	17 641	17 052
25 to 99 acres	362 566	2 693	6 165	13 997	39 656	37 272
100 to 249 acres	121 006	2 297	4 731	12 625	29 899	21 557
250 to 499 acres	30 121	1 591	2 542	4 789	9 136	5 959
500 acres or more	12 467	1 701	1 690	2 626	3 785	1 658
Alfalfa hay	farms.. 358 365	4 597	9 471	26 171	68 910	52 498
	acres.. 21 309 784	1 658 089	1 537 469	2 840 893	5 631 819	3 525 422
	tons, dry.. 65 863 206	9 232 101	6 467 935	9 865 244	16 746 291	9 327 352
Irrigated	farms.. 57 854	2 452	2 652	4 684	9 184	7 092
	acres.. 5 980 532	1 282 557	763 922	872 696	1 243 720	701 355

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
SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED—						
Con.						
Tobacco						
farms..	12 269	23 044	16 253	11 012	5 751	1 111
acres..	88 550	87 113	34 043	14 897	5 231	739
pounds..	173 114 302	157 842 760	55 420 833	22 090 601	6 696 261	720 552
Irrigated	1 343	1 289	386	192	65	14
acres..	9 894	5 272	878	285	54	12
Farms by acres harvested:						
0.1 to 0.9 acres	180	722	1 551	2 732	3 072	831
1.0 to 1.9 acres	489	2 859	6 014	5 779	2 195	232
2.0 to 2.9 acres	798	4 885	5 078	1 782	368	37
3.0 to 4.9 acres	2 092	8 388	2 815	597	95	8
5.0 to 9.9 acres	5 775	5 478	752	116	19	3
10.0 to 24.9 acres	2 840	706	42	6	2	—
25.0 acres or more	95	6	1	—	—	—
Soybeans for beans						
farms..	52 609	48 465	18 702	9 162	5 354	1 214
acres..	3 677 864	2 007 779	478 585	160 934	60 393	10 753
bushels..	126 743 883	64 542 028	13 660 997	4 118 884	1 370 074	162 281
Irrigated	1 231	602	162	62	51	18
acres..	66 580	22 623	4 111	725	709	94
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres	6 238	14 586	10 824	7 299	4 967	1 174
25 to 99 acres	35 737	31 395	7 683	1 829	381	39
100 to 249 acres	10 008	2 416	190	34	4	1
250 to 499 acres	591	66	5	—	2	—
500 acres or more	35	2	—	—	—	—
Dry edible beans, excluding dry limas						
farms..	1 083	723	228	111	94	42
acres..	55 448	21 090	4 019	1 502	311	83
cwt..	779 986	285 294	49 566	13 255	3 703	811
Irrigated	425	255	58	38	52	17
acres..	16 200	6 481	728	250	153	21
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres	310	381	173	100	93	42
25 to 99 acres	669	322	52	9	1	—
100 to 249 acres	96	19	3	2	—	—
250 to 499 acres	4	1	—	—	—	—
500 acres or more	4	—	—	—	—	—
Potatoes, excluding sweetpotatoes						
farms..	917	1 283	979	779	611	420
acres..	6 583	3 960	1 465	785	529	280
cwt..	1 259 302	638 218	205 276	99 983	55 853	27 672
Irrigated	240	318	192	172	119	86
acres..	2 236	1 030	298	177	173	64
Farms by acres harvested:						
0.1 to 4.9 acres	645	1 066	907	749	597	416
5.0 to 24.9 acres	184	187	70	30	13	3
25.0 to 99.9 acres	85	28	2	—	1	1
100.0 to 249.9 acres	3	2	—	—	—	—
250.0 acres or more	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sugar beets for sugar						
farms..	396	166	52	18	10	2
acres..	15 825	3 778	724	85	(D)	(D)
tons..	273 162	60 305	11 555	1 608	(D)	(D)
Irrigated	166	62	21	13	6	—
acres..	5 972	1 239	394	65	11	—
Peanuts for nuts						
farms..	1 493	1 537	581	249	149	80
acres..	54 804	31 796	7 546	2 041	702	258
pounds..	96 657 189	50 431 914	9 973 588	2 354 782	651 300	198 288
Irrigated	253	124	37	13	22	11
acres..	9 853	3 076	342	123	57	40
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) ...						
farms..	89 175	149 606	127 660	109 707	90 201	69 291
acres..	6 952 160	7 964 992	4 660 049	2 948 641	1 849 306	1 142 007
tons, dry	14 410 896	15 933 970	8 617 038	5 010 938	2 805 004	1 469 878
Irrigated	8 924	11 334	7 895	6 885	6 408	4 982
acres..	769 655	599 952	241 579	132 844	85 301	61 250
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres	22 269	47 658	57 588	65 788	65 590	56 956
25 to 99 acres	43 286	80 885	62 560	40 997	23 332	11 723
100 to 249 acres	19 399	18 930	7 035	2 766	1 220	547
250 to 499 acres	3 560	1 877	420	143	52	52
500 acres or more	661	256	57	13	7	13
Alfalfa hay						
farms..	45 539	55 198	35 200	25 999	19 533	15 249
acres..	2 319 516	1 978 715	882 921	479 849	275 357	179 734
tons, dry	5 847 707	4 740 404	1 900 231	948 231	494 751	292 959
Irrigated	6 837	8 225	5 365	4 448	3 857	3 058
acres..	462 684	357 854	141 546	74 945	44 738	34 515

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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	
SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED—							
Con.							
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)	farms..	53 727	3 125	2 959	4 518	7 053	5 467
	acres..	3 773 219	2 150 133	485 247	414 899	354 796	152 537
Irrigated	farms..	23 203	2 597	1 821	2 258	3 304	2 393
	acres..	2 641 773	1 886 918	299 679	201 835	149 317	51 582
Farms by acres harvested:							
0.1 to 4.9 acres		22 319	56	173	398	1 117	1 194
5.0 to 24.9 acres		14 276	194	335	719	1 741	2 057
25.0 to 99.9 acres		10 172	369	884	1 861	3 153	1 992
100.0 to 249.9 acres		3 963	580	948	1 213	929	213
250.0 acres or more		2 997	1 926	619	327	113	11
Land in orchards	farms..	106 069	3 040	2 935	4 634	9 232	8 623
	acres..	5 158 064	2 195 714	590 187	569 108	621 432	329 111
Irrigated	farms..	61 606	2 715	2 382	3 642	7 001	6 114
	acres..	4 107 903	2 039 501	489 597	450 791	455 804	221 510
Farms by bearing and nonbearing acres:							
0.1 to 4.9 acres		40 058	94	131	243	563	731
5.0 to 24.9 acres		36 523	197	233	439	1 614	2 971
25.0 to 99.9 acres		19 822	369	592	1 644	5 248	4 421
100.0 to 249.9 acres		6 100	512	1 092	1 853	1 608	448
250.0 acres or more		3 566	1 868	887	455	199	52

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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
SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED—						
Con.						
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text) farms..	6 127	8 844	6 316	4 571	2 891	1 856
acres..	101 483	71 906	24 939	10 768	4 598	1 914
Irrigated farms..	2 354	3 087	2 129	1 601	1 020	639
acres..	26 352	16 331	5 646	2 506	1 112	495
Farms by acres harvested:						
0.1 to 4.9 acres	1 805	4 301	4 648	4 054	2 743	1 830
5.0 to 24.9 acres	3 014	3 947	1 589	512	144	24
25.0 to 99.9 acres	1 240	583	79	5	4	2
100.0 to 249.9 acres	67	13	—	—	—	—
250.0 acres or more	1	—	—	—	—	—
Land in orchards farms..	9 662	13 478	10 338	10 051	10 162	23 914
acres..	226 898	191 408	98 300	69 345	60 154	206 407
Irrigated farms..	6 085	7 092	4 929	4 685	4 691	12 270
acres..	134 181	93 329	43 191	30 329	27 577	122 094
Farms by bearing and nonbearing acres:						
0.1 to 4.9 acres	1 432	4 065	4 940	6 048	7 018	14 793
5.0 to 24.9 acres	5 251	7 495	4 553	3 494	2 770	7 506
25.0 to 99.9 acres	2 767	1 760	780	484	349	1 408
100.0 to 249.9 acres	183	141	60	23	20	160
250.0 acres or more	29	17	5	2	5	47

¹Data are based on a sample of farms.

²Farms 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.