

Table 46. Summary by Tenure of Operator: 1997

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Item	All farms				Farms with sales of \$10,000 or more			
	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants
FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS								
Farms	17 772	12 761	4 286	725	3 675	1 840	1 616	219
number ..								
percent ..	100.0	71.8	24.1	4.1	20.7	10.4	9.1	1.2
Land in farms	3 455 532	1 902 518	1 418 994	134 020	1 472 916	508 895	895 400	68 621
acres ..								
Average size of farm	194	149	331	185	401	277	554	313
acres ..								
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD								
Total sales (see text)	17 772	12 761	4 286	725	3 675	1 840	1 616	219
farms ..								
\$1,000 ..	447 428	231 363	199 466	16 600	407 268	203 215	189 188	14 865
dollars ..								
Average per farm	25 176	18 130	46 539	22 896	110 821	110 443	117 072	67 877
dollars ..								
Farms by value of sales:								
Less than \$1,000 (see text)	3 475	3 011	374	90	-	-	-	-
\$1,000 to \$2,499	4 344	3 571	634	139	-	-	-	-
\$2,500 to \$4,999	3 415	2 489	784	142	-	-	-	-
\$5,000 to \$9,999	2 863	1 850	878	135	-	-	-	-
\$10,000 to \$19,999	1 608	889	625	94	1 608	889	625	94
\$20,000 to \$24,999	328	174	134	20	328	174	134	20
\$25,000 to \$39,999	502	241	236	25	502	241	236	25
\$40,000 to \$49,999	173	80	77	16	173	80	77	16
\$50,000 to \$99,999	431	186	215	30	431	186	215	30
\$100,000 to \$249,999	312	117	171	24	312	117	171	24
\$250,000 to \$499,999	127	56	66	5	127	56	66	5
\$500,000 to \$999,999	116	65	48	3	116	65	48	3
\$1,000,000 to \$2,499,999	69	27	40	2	69	27	40	2
\$2,500,000 to \$4,999,999	6	4	4	-	6	2	4	-
\$5,000,000 or more	3	2	-	-	3	3	-	-
Grains	747	318	370	59	469	153	278	38
farms ..								
\$1,000 ..	12 300	2 442	9 003	855	11 842	2 201	8 830	812
Sales of \$50,000 or more	57	7	44	6	57	7	44	6
farms ..								
\$1,000 ..	8 149	975	6 689	484	8 149	975	6 689	484
dollars ..								
Corn for grain	578	236	299	43	372	115	229	28
farms ..								
\$1,000 ..	7 813	1 706	5 720	387	7 481	1 533	5 596	352
Wheat	167	54	93	20	134	39	79	16
farms ..								
\$1,000 ..	1 336	186	1 040	110	1 292	167	1 019	107
Soybeans	156	49	90	17	133	34	83	16
farms ..								
\$1,000 ..	2 903	496	2 062	345	2 854	(D)	2 042	(D)
dollars ..								
Sorghum for grain	3	2	-	1	1	1	-	-
farms ..								
\$1,000 ..	(D)	(D)	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	-	-
Barley	26	9	15	2	17	3	14	-
farms ..								
\$1,000 ..	137	(D)	110	(D)	129	(D)	(D)	-
Oats	79	30	42	7	38	10	27	1
farms ..								
\$1,000 ..	70	16	44	10	52	(D)	38	(D)
Other grains	29	13	16	-	19	7	12	-
farms ..								
\$1,000 ..	(D)	(D)	28	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	-
dollars ..								
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
farms ..								
\$1,000 ..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sales of \$50,000 or more	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
farms ..								
\$1,000 ..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
dollars ..								
Tobacco	741	492	197	52	198	81	98	19
farms ..								
\$1,000 ..	4 636	2 126	2 003	507	2 866	853	1 642	371
Sales of \$50,000 or more	9	1	7	1	9	1	7	1
farms ..								
\$1,000 ..	682	(D)	(D)	(D)	682	(D)	(D)	(D)
dollars ..								
Hay, silage, and field seeds	4 596	3 419	1 028	149	925	443	432	50
farms ..								
\$1,000 ..	12 522	7 400	4 575	547	6 482	2 592	3 541	349
Sales of \$50,000 or more	11	5	6	-	11	5	6	-
farms ..								
\$1,000 ..	1 348	279	1 069	-	1 348	279	1 069	-
dollars ..								
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons	362	218	120	24	121	47	66	8
farms ..								
\$1,000 ..	1 727	777	802	147	1 246	453	707	86
Sales of \$50,000 or more	6	2	4	-	6	2	4	-
farms ..								
\$1,000 ..	496	(D)	(D)	-	496	(D)	(D)	-
dollars ..								
Fruits, nuts, and berries	288	213	64	11	102	51	41	10
farms ..								
\$1,000 ..	13 806	5 535	7 296	976	13 554	(D)	7 257	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more	38	16	17	5	38	16	17	5
farms ..								
\$1,000 ..	12 655	4 858	6 956	842	12 655	4 858	6 956	842
dollars ..								
Nursery and greenhouse crops	558	455	70	33	237	170	44	23
farms ..								
\$1,000 ..	19 332	9 543	7 285	2 504	18 510	8 824	7 207	2 479
Sales of \$50,000 or more	58	35	13	10	58	35	13	10
farms ..								
\$1,000 ..	15 637	6 513	6 851	2 273	15 637	6 513	6 851	2 273
dollars ..								
Other crops	223	148	67	8	60	30	30	-
farms ..								
\$1,000 ..	584	419	161	4	437	300	137	-
Sales of \$50,000 or more	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
farms ..								
\$1,000 ..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
dollars ..								
Poultry and poultry products	724	467	231	26	412	239	160	13
farms ..								
\$1,000 ..	223 083	136 317	83 657	3 110	222 930	136 214	83 612	3 104
Sales of \$50,000 or more	339	208	122	9	339	208	122	9
farms ..								
\$1,000 ..	221 910	135 751	83 089	3 070	221 910	135 751	83 089	3 070
dollars ..								
Dairy products	287	111	157	19	264	92	154	18
farms ..								
\$1,000 ..	35 763	7 763	26 170	1 830	35 716	(D)	26 165	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more	171	40	121	10	171	40	121	10
farms ..								
\$1,000 ..	33 506	6 453	25 450	1 603	33 506	6 453	25 450	1 603
dollars ..								
Cattle and calves	11 576	7 503	3 571	502	3 070	1 413	1 489	168
farms ..								
\$1,000 ..	114 726	53 911	55 118	5 696	87 138	35 254	47 325	4 558
Sales of \$50,000 or more	358	114	229	15	358	114	229	15
farms ..								
\$1,000 ..	44 591	15 635	26 790	2 166	44 591	15 635	26 790	2 166
dollars ..								

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Item	All farms				Farms with sales of \$10,000 or more			
	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD—Con.								
Total sales (see text)—Con.								
Hogs and pigs	farms.. 402	197	175	30	166	58	98	10
	\$1,000.. 2 356	1 178	1 108	70	2 048	998	1 012	36
Sales of \$50,000 or more	farms.. 8	4	4	—	8	4	4	—
	\$1,000.. 1 118	629	489	—	1 118	629	489	—
Sheep, lambs, and wool	farms.. 957	566	356	35	314	121	185	8
	\$1,000.. 2 280	1 056	1 156	69	1 377	438	901	39
Sales of \$50,000 or more	farms.. —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	\$1,000.. —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other livestock and livestock products (see text)	farms.. 997	684	271	42	213	109	93	11
	\$1,000.. 4 313	2 896	1 132	285	3 121	2 029	851	241
Sales of \$50,000 or more	farms.. 22	12	8	2	22	12	8	2
	\$1,000.. 1 797	1 076	(D)	(D)	1 797	1 076	(D)	(D)
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text)	farms.. 1 100	666	376	58	248	96	131	21
	\$1,000.. 2 663	1 214	1 325	124	1 695	606	1 023	66
FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES¹								
Total farm production expenses								
	farms.. 17 807	12 758	4 311	738	3 599	1 775	1 611	213
	\$1,000.. 380 631	194 130	173 802	12 699	322 960	153 997	158 345	10 619
Average per farm	dollars.. 21 375	15 216	40 316	17 208	89 736	86 759	98 290	49 853
Livestock and poultry purchased	farms.. 5 481	3 220	2 000	261	2 033	915	1 037	81
	\$1,000.. 63 068	36 066	25 290	1 712	57 316	32 151	23 724	1 440
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999	4 098	2 492	1 382	224	878	355	479	44
\$5,000 to \$24,999	881	449	402	30	660	288	342	30
\$25,000 to \$99,999	386	231	151	4	379	224	151	4
\$100,000 to \$249,999	102	42	58	2	102	42	58	2
\$250,000 or more	14	6	7	1	14	6	7	1
Feed for livestock and poultry	farms.. 10 508	6 604	3 383	521	2 804	1 270	1 405	129
	\$1,000.. 154 556	81 843	69 268	3 446	147 763	77 481	67 239	3 043
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999	9 410	6 099	2 826	485	1 786	825	868	93
\$5,000 to \$24,999	618	270	330	18	538	210	310	18
\$25,000 to \$99,999	208	86	110	12	208	86	110	12
\$100,000 to \$249,999	102	52	47	3	102	52	47	3
\$250,000 or more	170	97	70	3	170	97	70	3
Commercially mixed formula feeds	farms.. 6 032	3 673	2 039	320	1 727	764	888	75
	\$1,000.. 140 310	75 462	61 987	2 861	137 201	73 522	61 039	2 640
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999	5 302	3 326	1 684	292	1 039	454	538	47
\$5,000 to \$24,999	325	140	172	13	283	103	167	13
\$25,000 to \$99,999	151	62	78	11	151	62	78	11
\$100,000 or more	254	145	105	4	254	145	105	4
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees	farms.. 4 133	2 415	1 518	200	1 619	571	930	118
	\$1,000.. 4 267	1 157	2 683	427	3 696	785	2 508	403
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$999	3 473	2 207	1 131	135	1 023	397	567	59
\$1,000 to \$4,999	527	190	295	42	463	156	271	36
\$5,000 to \$24,999	113	15	77	21	113	15	77	21
\$25,000 to \$49,999	11	2	8	1	11	2	8	1
\$50,000 or more	9	1	7	1	9	1	7	1
Commercial fertilizer	farms.. 9 074	5 988	2 714	372	2 489	1 054	1 285	150
	\$1,000.. 11 710	4 627	6 295	789	7 800	2 022	5 199	579
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999	8 691	5 896	2 456	339	2 129	975	1 030	124
\$5,000 to \$24,999	341	86	229	26	318	73	226	19
\$25,000 to \$49,999	29	5	17	7	29	5	17	7
\$50,000 or more	13	1	12	—	13	1	12	—
Agricultural chemicals	farms.. 3 756	2 275	1 265	216	1 562	622	796	144
	\$1,000.. 4 950	1 507	3 176	267	4 376	1 102	3 033	241
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999	3 597	2 237	1 153	207	1 410	591	684	135
\$5,000 to \$24,999	128	31	90	7	121	24	90	7
\$25,000 to \$49,999	19	4	13	2	19	4	13	2
\$50,000 or more	12	3	9	—	12	3	9	—
Petroleum products	farms.. 16 807	11 866	4 239	702	3 534	1 717	1 604	213
	\$1,000.. 16 457	8 482	7 219	756	10 485	4 435	5 544	507
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999	16 403	11 720	4 004	679	3 146	1 571	1 379	196
\$5,000 to \$24,999	350	124	205	21	334	124	195	15
\$25,000 to \$49,999	42	15	26	1	42	15	26	1
\$50,000 or more	12	7	4	1	12	7	4	1
Gasoline and gasohol	farms.. 12 386	8 568	3 252	566	2 824	1 365	1 289	170
	\$1,000.. 6 162	3 350	2 509	303	3 271	1 340	1 742	188
Diesel fuel	farms.. 12 231	8 186	3 518	527	3 068	1 408	1 491	169
	\$1,000.. 5 828	2 794	2 770	264	3 472	1 276	2 040	156
Natural gas	farms.. 241	135	84	22	148	80	46	22
	\$1,000.. 427	191	198	37	398	170	191	37
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc.	farms.. 9 844	6 352	3 061	431	2 939	1 327	1 454	158
	\$1,000.. 4 040	2 146	1 742	152	3 344	1 648	1 571	125

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	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants
FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES¹								
—Con.								
Total farm production expenses—Con.								
Electricity	farms.. 7 454	4 926	2 269	259	2 523	1 188	1 210	125
	\$1,000.. 5 346	2 926	2 233	187	4 252	2 109	1 987	155
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$999	6 526	4 435	1 866	225	1 746	831	824	91
\$1,000 to \$4,999	732	406	300	26	583	274	283	26
\$5,000 to \$24,999	187	81	98	8	185	79	98	8
\$25,000 to \$49,999	5	1	4	—	5	1	4	—
\$50,000 or more	4	3	1	—	4	3	1	—
Hired farm labor	farms.. 4 513	2 703	1 619	191	1 731	775	866	90
	\$1,000.. 24 160	10 153	12 957	1 049	22 373	9 038	12 353	982
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999	3 936	2 454	1 315	167	1 179	538	575	66
\$5,000 to \$24,999	364	165	184	15	340	154	171	15
\$25,000 to \$99,999	174	70	97	7	173	69	97	7
\$100,000 to \$249,999	31	10	19	2	31	10	19	2
\$250,000 or more	8	4	4	—	8	4	4	—
Workers by days worked:								
150 days or more	farms.. 1 241	707	469	65	662	277	345	40
	workers.. 2 422	1 238	1 010	174	1 832	798	885	149
Less than 150 days	farms.. 4 253	2 588	1 502	163	1 531	696	762	73
	workers.. 11 185	6 007	4 651	527	5 121	2 072	2 725	324
Contract labor	farms.. 1 080	614	372	94	465	188	236	41
	\$1,000.. 3 270	1 343	1 645	282	2 702	929	1 524	249
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$999	597	365	186	46	166	77	84	5
\$1,000 to \$4,999	406	222	148	36	224	86	114	24
\$5,000 to \$24,999	61	21	30	10	59	19	30	10
\$25,000 to \$49,999	6	2	3	1	6	2	3	1
\$50,000 or more	10	4	5	1	10	4	5	1
Repair and maintenance	farms.. 13 407	9 114	3 733	560	3 200	1 504	1 522	174
	\$1,000.. 22 093	11 550	9 701	842	12 406	4 678	7 158	570
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999	12 536	8 745	3 262	529	2 558	1 315	1 100	143
\$5,000 to \$24,999	814	354	432	28	585	174	383	28
\$25,000 to \$49,999	44	10	31	3	44	10	31	3
\$50,000 or more	13	5	8	—	13	5	8	—
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment	farms.. 2 186	1 274	838	74	957	358	556	43
	\$1,000.. 4 650	1 977	2 448	225	3 926	1 448	2 260	218
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$999	1 447	910	493	44	441	154	274	13
\$1,000 to \$4,999	548	300	235	13	325	140	172	13
\$5,000 to \$24,999	158	51	91	16	158	51	91	16
\$25,000 to \$49,999	27	12	14	1	27	12	14	1
\$50,000 or more	6	1	5	—	6	1	5	—
Interest	farms.. 3 991	2 274	1 546	171	1 601	586	919	96
	\$1,000.. 21 169	10 325	10 438	406	14 581	5 506	8 732	343
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999	2 922	1 694	1 079	149	928	301	553	74
\$5,000 to \$24,999	936	533	383	20	540	238	282	20
\$25,000 to \$99,999	118	42	74	2	118	42	74	2
\$100,000 or more	15	5	10	—	15	5	10	—
Secured by real estate	farms.. 2 989	1 894	1 095	—	1 054	446	608	—
	\$1,000.. 17 374	9 345	8 029	—	11 471	4 871	6 601	—
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$999	542	350	192	—	124	47	77	—
\$1,000 to \$4,999	1 573	1 015	558	—	403	147	256	—
\$5,000 to \$24,999	771	486	285	—	424	209	215	—
\$25,000 to \$49,999	66	33	33	—	66	33	33	—
\$50,000 or more	37	10	27	—	37	10	27	—
Not secured by real estate	farms.. 1 813	753	889	171	952	265	591	96
	\$1,000.. 3 795	980	2 409	406	3 110	635	2 131	343
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$999	909	460	360	89	307	106	166	35
\$1,000 to \$4,999	721	260	401	60	462	126	297	39
\$5,000 to \$24,999	171	32	119	20	171	32	119	20
\$25,000 to \$49,999	9	1	7	1	9	1	7	1
\$50,000 or more	3	—	2	—	3	—	2	—
Cash rent	farms.. 1 958	—	1 704	254	1 091	—	981	110
	\$1,000.. 4 316	—	3 602	714	3 746	—	3 184	562
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999	1 780	—	1 559	221	920	—	837	83
\$5,000 to \$9,999	100	—	79	21	93	—	78	15
\$10,000 to \$24,999	56	—	48	8	56	—	48	8
\$25,000 or more	22	—	18	4	22	—	18	4
Property taxes	farms.. 17 120	12 555	4 254	311	3 464	1 773	1 603	88
	\$1,000.. 10 201	7 098	2 982	122	3 761	1 817	1 869	74
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999	17 018	12 505	4 203	310	3 387	1 748	1 552	87
\$5,000 to \$9,999	77	37	39	1	55	15	39	1
\$10,000 to \$24,999	19	10	9	—	16	7	9	—
\$25,000 or more	6	3	3	—	6	3	3	—
All other farm production expenses	farms.. 14 003	9 534	3 856	613	3 599	1 775	1 611	213
	\$1,000.. 30 419	15 077	13 865	1 476	23 779	10 497	12 028	1 254
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999	13 089	9 210	3 324	555	2 707	1 454	1 092	161
\$5,000 to \$24,999	759	261	445	53	737	258	432	47
\$25,000 to \$49,999	91	37	51	3	91	37	51	3
\$50,000 to \$99,999	41	18	22	1	41	18	22	1
\$100,000 or more	23	8	14	1	23	8	14	1

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NET CASH RETURN FROM AGRICULTURAL SALES FOR THE FARM UNIT (SEE TEXT)¹								
All farms..... number..	17 807	12 758	4 311	738	3 599	1 775	1 611	213
..... \$1,000..	57 522	32 685	21 748	3 089	74 866	45 104	26 529	3 234
Average per farm..... dollars..	3 230	2 562	5 045	4 186	20 802	25 411	16 467	15 182
Farms with net gains ² number..	8 070	5 623	1 996	451	2 580	1 359	1 034	187
Average net gain..... dollars..	12 186	10 446	17 728	9 368	34 341	37 865	32 445	19 223
Gain of—								
Less than \$1,000.....	2 385	1 894	417	74	135	52	81	2
\$1,000 to \$9,999.....	4 502	3 078	1 122	302	1 262	656	496	110
\$10,000 to \$49,999.....	862	493	306	63	862	493	306	63
\$50,000 or more.....	321	158	151	12	321	158	151	12
Farms with net losses..... number..	9 737	7 135	2 315	287	1 019	416	577	26
Average net loss..... dollars..	4 193	3 651	5 891	3 957	13 478	15 275	12 165	13 882
Loss of—								
Less than \$1,000.....	3 026	2 413	521	92	154	47	105	2
\$1,000 to \$9,999.....	5 882	4 207	1 494	181	520	205	299	16
\$10,000 to \$49,999.....	780	486	281	13	299	138	154	7
\$50,000 or more.....	49	29	19	1	46	26	19	1
GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS AND OTHER FARM-RELATED INCOME								
Government payments..... farms..	1 901	1 021	786	94	971	355	556	60
..... \$1,000..	3 892	1 487	2 165	239	2 949	819	1 939	191
Other farm-related income ¹ farms..	3 224	2 083	1 029	112	1 024	459	508	57
..... \$1,000..	9 684	6 052	3 392	241	4 112	1 621	2 389	102
Customwork and other agricultural services..... farms..	762	373	335	54	228	27	171	30
..... \$1,000..	2 323	771	1 367	185	1 205	203	929	72
Gross cash rent or share payments..... farms..	784	672	108	4	193	153	39	1
..... \$1,000..	1 341	1 182	142	17	384	322	(D)	(D)
Forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products..... farms..	815	559	239	17	219	106	112	1
..... \$1,000..	4 837	3 731	1 092	15	1 561	871	(D)	(D)
Other farm-related income sources..... farms..	1 400	750	591	59	647	265	351	31
..... \$1,000..	1 183	368	791	24	963	224	(D)	(D)
COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS								
Total..... farms..	72	27	39	6	53	15	35	3
..... \$1,000..	1 335	262	1 043	30	1 311	(D)	1 042	(D)
Corn..... farms..	61	18	38	5	49	13	34	2
..... \$1,000..	802	142	653	7	796	(D)	652	(D)
Wheat..... farms..	10	4	4	2	9	3	4	2
..... \$1,000..	(D)	2	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Soybeans..... farms..	9	2	7	—	9	2	7	—
..... \$1,000..	377	(D)	(D)	—	377	(D)	(D)	—
Sorghum, barley, and oats..... farms..	4	1	2	1	4	1	2	1
..... \$1,000..	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Cotton..... farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sunflower seed, flaxseed, safflower, canola, other rapeseed, and mustard seed..... farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Peanuts, rice, and tobacco..... farms..	7	6	—	1	1	—	—	1
..... \$1,000..	39	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	—	—	(D)
LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE								
Total cropland..... farms..	16 509	11 705	4 153	651	3 417	1 626	1 585	206
..... acres..	1 336 723	679 370	592 267	65 086	581 960	194 075	353 106	34 779
Harvested cropland..... farms..	15 086	10 536	3 969	581	3 203	1 468	1 547	188
..... acres..	621 632	284 417	304 395	32 820	309 261	87 355	202 251	19 655
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 49 acres.....	11 636	9 126	2 121	389	1 355	841	441	73
50 to 99 acres.....	2 148	1 049	996	103	894	388	458	48
100 to 199 acres.....	906	293	560	53	608	180	392	36
200 to 499 acres.....	332	60	240	32	288	51	209	28
500 to 999 acres.....	53	7	42	4	47	7	37	3
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	8	1	7	—	8	1	7	—
2,000 acres or more.....	3	—	3	—	3	—	3	—
Cropland:								
Pasture or grazing only..... farms..	10 021	6 879	2 762	380	2 032	977	945	110
..... acres..	657 775	353 333	273 851	30 591	256 672	98 253	143 952	14 467
In cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured..... farms..	716	540	153	23	139	69	61	9
..... acres..	13 615	10 231	3 111	273	3 455	1 859	1 488	108
On which all crops failed..... farms..	275	168	92	15	87	31	46	10
..... acres..	3 327	1 805	1 255	267	1 551	490	837	224
In cultivated summer fallow..... farms..	172	118	47	7	43	18	21	4
..... acres..	2 498	1 676	737	85	1 168	659	456	53
Idle..... farms..	1 407	1 089	276	42	243	128	102	13
..... acres..	37 876	27 908	8 918	1 050	9 853	5 459	4 122	272
Total woodland..... farms..	13 751	9 930	3 425	396	2 834	1 364	1 348	122
..... acres..	1 421 984	877 212	506 030	38 742	529 151	205 880	306 836	16 435
Woodland pastured..... farms..	7 765	5 296	2 237	232	1 682	742	872	68
..... acres..	479 280	263 359	202 895	13 026	194 548	65 451	123 682	5 415
Woodland not pastured..... farms..	9 817	7 182	2 375	260	2 051	997	973	81
..... acres..	942 704	613 853	303 135	25 716	334 603	140 429	183 154	11 020

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Item	All farms				Farms with sales of \$10,000 or more			
	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants
LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE—Con.								
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured..... farms..	5 521	3 609	1 687	225	1 499	608	816	75
acres..	529 069	236 891	267 065	25 113	302 309	84 889	202 716	14 704
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. farms..	11 166	8 137	2 733	296	2 396	1 202	1 085	109
acres..	167 756	109 045	53 632	5 079	59 496	24 051	32 742	2 703
Irrigated land farms..	268	192	56	20	141	84	44	13
acres..	3 285	1 227	1 405	653	2 260	363	1 274	623
Harvested cropland irrigated farms..	255	184	52	19	140	83	44	13
acres..	2 845	(D)	1 283	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	623
Pasture and other land irrigated farms..	19	12	6	1	2	1	1	—
acres..	440	(D)	122	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—
Land under Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs farms..	229	155	68	6	81	41	37	3
acres..	7 822	5 727	1 964	131	2 870	1 792	(D)	(D)
VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS¹								
Estimated market value of land and buildings..... farms..	17 807	12 758	4 311	738	3 599	1 775	1 611	213
\$1,000..	3 789 905	2 091 251	1 572 976	125 678	1 647 870	571 294	1 008 188	68 388
Average per farm dollars..	212 832	163 917	364 875	170 295	457 869	321 856	625 815	321 072
Average per acre dollars..	1 090	1 076	1 117	1 005	1 151	1 131	1 158	1 237
Farms by value group:								
\$1 to \$39,999	2 123	1 782	173	168	172	145	5	22
\$40,000 to \$69,999	2 766	2 346	277	143	206	154	22	30
\$70,000 to \$99,999	2 458	2 013	382	63	247	167	65	15
\$100,000 to \$149,999	2 880	2 104	635	141	380	213	115	52
\$150,000 to \$199,999	2 119	1 452	626	41	324	136	178	10
\$200,000 to \$499,999	3 934	2 349	1 460	125	1 316	640	637	39
\$500,000 to \$999,999	1 059	537	479	43	599	224	344	31
\$1,000,000 to \$1,999,999	313	129	180	4	228	70	154	4
\$2,000,000 to \$4,999,999	136	44	82	10	108	24	74	10
\$5,000,000 or more	19	2	17	—	19	2	17	—
VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT¹								
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment farms..	17 804	12 755	4 311	738	3 598	1 774	1 611	213
\$1,000..	432 904	260 753	150 278	21 874	163 435	66 847	88 507	8 081
Farms by value group:								
\$1 to \$4,999	2 511	2 114	285	112	201	128	38	35
\$5,000 to \$9,999	3 330	2 626	599	105	363	263	84	16
\$10,000 to \$19,999	4 566	3 446	935	185	596	375	184	37
\$20,000 to \$49,999	5 201	3 462	1 495	244	1 291	587	631	73
\$50,000 to \$99,999	1 569	821	701	47	760	296	426	38
\$100,000 to \$199,999	489	239	231	19	305	105	191	9
\$200,000 to \$499,999	130	44	60	26	74	17	52	5
\$500,000 or more	8	3	5	—	8	3	5	—
SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT¹								
Motortrucks, including pickups farms..	14 248	9 672	3 939	637	3 273	1 520	1 552	201
number..	21 682	13 885	6 813	984	6 643	2 893	3 409	341
Wheel tractors farms..	16 589	11 850	4 075	664	3 426	1 697	1 535	194
number..	29 508	19 454	8 719	1 335	8 282	3 637	4 092	553
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) farms..	9 654	7 118	2 133	403	1 834	975	747	112
number..	12 781	9 209	2 947	625	2 789	1 454	1 100	235
40 horsepower (PTO) or more farms..	11 141	7 403	3 241	497	2 794	1 254	1 369	171
number..	16 727	10 245	5 772	710	5 493	2 183	2 992	318
40 to 99 horsepower (PTO) farms..	10 820	7 159	3 183	478	2 727	1 224	1 342	161
number..	15 830	9 765	5 412	653	5 045	2 028	2 737	280
100 horsepower (PTO) or more farms..	687	394	247	46	310	124	158	28
number..	897	480	360	57	448	155	255	38
Grain and bean combines farms..	501	201	273	27	312	87	198	27
number..	526	207	292	27	334	90	217	27
Cotton pickers and strippers farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
number..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Mower conditioners farms..	6 749	4 205	2 312	232	1 982	799	1 109	74
number..	7 430	4 532	2 646	252	2 248	879	1 288	81
Pickup balers farms..	10 333	6 747	3 223	363	2 384	978	1 294	112
number..	12 992	8 032	4 468	492	3 477	1 334	1 968	175
AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS¹								
Commercial fertilizer farms..	8 983	5 914	2 703	366	2 485	1 051	1 284	150
acres on which used..	322 827	140 223	163 599	19 005	186 928	52 577	122 346	12 005
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—								
Insects on hay and other crops farms..	1 112	641	399	72	517	196	275	46
acres on which used..	41 830	11 337	29 093	1 400	37 139	8 038	27 770	1 331
Nematodes in crops farms..	162	87	64	11	90	21	59	10
acres on which used..	3 849	1 036	2 668	145	3 305	(D)	2 630	(D)
Diseases in crops and orchards farms..	570	377	157	36	207	81	101	25
acres on which used..	11 142	4 222	6 022	898	8 552	1 907	5 781	864
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture farms..	2 151	1 106	910	135	1 129	413	621	95
acres on which used..	93 500	27 411	59 041	7 048	79 161	20 365	53 245	5 551
Chemicals used on crops to control growth, thin fruit, or defoliate farms..	255	157	73	25	114	49	48	17
acres on which used..	5 645	1 773	3 266	606	4 736	1 048	3 098	590

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	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants
TENURE AND RACE OF OPERATOR								
All operators	17 772	12 761	4 286	725	3 675	1 840	1 616	219
Full owners	12 761	12 761	—	—	1 840	1 840	—	—
Part owners	4 286	—	4 286	—	1 616	—	1 616	—
Tenants	725	—	—	725	219	—	—	219
White	17 702	12 712	4 267	723	3 664	1 834	1 611	219
Full owners	12 712	12 712	—	—	1 834	1 834	—	—
Part owners	4 267	—	4 267	—	1 611	—	1 611	—
Tenants	723	—	—	723	219	—	—	219
Black and other races	70	49	19	2	11	6	5	—
Full owners	49	49	—	—	6	6	—	—
Part owners	19	—	19	—	5	—	5	—
Tenants	2	—	—	2	—	—	—	—
OWNED AND RENTED LAND								
Land owned..... farms..	17 057	12 761	4 286	10	3 459	1 840	1 616	3
acres..	2 691 481	1 984 002	705 161	2 318	986 204	538 984	(D)	(D)
Owned land in farms	17 047	12 761	4 286	—	3 456	1 840	1 616	—
acres..	2 600 219	1 902 518	697 701	—	950 872	508 895	441 977	—
Land rented or leased from others	5 045	34	4 286	725	1 843	8	1 616	219
farms..	861 881	3 333	723 283	135 265	524 672	1 304	454 474	68 894
landlords..	10 737	53	9 214	1 470	4 527	20	4 013	494
Rented or leased land in farms	5 011	—	4 286	725	1 835	—	1 616	219
acres..	855 313	—	721 293	134 020	522 044	—	453 423	68 621
Land rented or leased to others	1 089	939	130	20	295	231	56	8
acres..	97 830	84 817	9 450	3 563	37 960	31 393	(D)	(D)
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS								
Operators by place of residence:								
On farm operated	13 764	9 860	3 541	363	2 872	1 421	1 347	104
Not on farm operated	2 954	2 055	576	323	653	331	218	104
Not reported	1 054	846	169	39	150	88	51	11
Operators by principal occupation:								
Farming	7 145	4 957	1 943	245	2 320	1 147	1 054	119
Other	10 627	7 804	2 343	480	1 355	693	562	100
Operators by days worked off farm:								
None	6 390	4 861	1 354	175	1 619	848	698	73
Any	10 489	7 154	2 800	535	1 844	847	855	142
1 to 99 days	1 302	885	349	68	357	163	165	29
100 to 199 days	1 633	1 089	472	72	327	151	160	16
200 days or more	7 554	5 180	1 979	395	1 160	533	530	97
Not reported	893	746	132	15	212	145	63	4
Operators by years on present farm:								
2 years or less	703	515	116	72	113	67	32	14
3 or 4 years	1 045	741	218	86	170	101	46	23
5 to 9 years	2 300	1 583	566	151	473	243	182	48
10 years or more	10 539	7 453	2 794	292	2 398	1 145	1 150	103
Average years on present farm	21.0	21.6	20.7	12.5	22.7	23.0	23.6	13.5
Not reported	3 185	2 469	592	124	521	284	206	31
Operators by age group:								
Under 25 years	87	46	16	25	19	10	4	5
25 to 34 years	793	425	233	135	233	85	100	48
35 to 44 years	2 738	1 704	839	195	551	229	270	52
45 to 49 years	2 205	1 438	657	110	450	182	232	36
50 to 54 years	2 283	1 557	646	80	485	230	231	24
55 to 59 years	2 138	1 554	536	48	437	225	204	8
60 to 64 years	2 057	1 511	495	51	441	226	197	18
65 to 69 years	1 917	1 527	365	25	373	215	152	6
70 years and over	3 554	2 999	499	56	686	438	226	22
Average age	56.7	58.4	53.3	46.2	55.9	58.4	54.3	46.6
Operators by sex:								
Male	16 088	11 371	4 050	667	3 413	1 668	1 545	200
Female	1 684	1 390	236	58	262	172	71	19
Operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin (see text)								
	84	63	17	4	17	12	4	1
FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION								
Individual or family (sole proprietorship)..... farms..	16 475	11 957	3 891	627	3 117	1 596	1 361	160
acres..	3 000 195	1 714 660	1 178 514	107 021	1 162 274	424 730	689 482	48 062
Partnership	918	570	290	58	357	154	171	32
acres..	292 109	117 299	155 594	19 216	189 176	48 526	125 904	14 746
Corporation:								
Family held	245	131	86	28	154	65	70	19
acres..	128 753	49 068	73 877	5 808	99 882	26 145	69 514	4 223
More than 10 stockholders	9	8	1	—	4	3	1	—
10 or less stockholders	236	123	85	28	150	62	69	19
Other than family held	40	22	10	8	22	6	9	7
acres..	8 851	4 059	3 648	1 144	5 753	1 186	(D)	(D)
More than 10 stockholders	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
10 or less stockholders	39	21	10	8	22	6	9	7
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc.								
farms..	94	81	9	4	25	19	5	1
acres..	25 624	17 432	7 361	831	15 831	8 308	(D)	(D)

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Item	All farms				Farms with sales of \$10,000 or more			
	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants
LIVESTOCK—Con.								
Cattle and calves sold	farms.. 11 576	7 503	3 571	502	3 070	1 413	1 489	168
	number.. 270 361	128 862	128 627	12 872	187 702	73 723	104 529	9 450
	\$1,000.. 114 726	53 911	55 118	5 696	87 138	35 254	47 325	4 558
Calves	farms.. 7 362	4 753	2 266	343	1 609	690	817	102
	number.. 97 211	50 262	42 475	4 474	50 825	19 861	28 476	2 488
	\$1,000.. 25 926	13 264	11 407	1 255	14 289	5 604	7 965	720
Cattle	farms.. 8 241	5 198	2 694	349	2 605	1 197	1 273	135
	number.. 173 150	78 600	86 152	8 398	136 877	53 862	76 053	6 962
	\$1,000.. 88 800	40 647	43 712	4 441	72 849	29 650	39 360	3 839
Fattened on grain and concentrates	farms.. 844	482	329	33	274	106	149	19
	number.. 11 678	5 705	5 403	570	9 567	4 320	4 722	525
	\$1,000.. 7 533	3 711	3 480	341	6 238	2 863	3 063	312
Hogs and pigs inventory	farms.. 645	368	239	38	191	72	108	11
	number.. 15 708	6 997	8 307	404	12 980	5 252	7 505	223
Farms with—								
1 to 24	556	326	197	33	124	46	70	8
25 to 49	46	21	21	4	30	10	18	2
50 to 99	22	10	11	1	16	5	10	1
100 to 199	8	5	3	—	8	5	3	—
200 to 499	8	4	4	—	8	4	4	—
500 or more	5	2	3	—	5	2	3	—
Used or to be used for breeding	farms.. 279	136	127	16	120	45	70	5
	number.. 2 310	980	1 252	78	1 790	667	1 085	38
Other	farms.. 582	334	215	33	168	62	96	10
	number.. 13 398	6 017	7 055	326	11 190	4 585	6 420	185
Hogs and pigs sold	farms.. 402	197	175	30	166	58	98	10
	number.. 24 884	12 236	11 811	837	21 645	10 344	10 826	475
	\$1,000.. 2 356	1 178	1 108	70	2 048	999	1 012	36
Feeder pigs	farms.. 90	32	51	7	40	7	31	2
	number.. 4 505	1 104	3 057	344	3 223	(D)	2 665	(D)
	\$1,000.. 149	39	99	10	103	(D)	86	(D)
Litters of pigs farrowed between—								
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30	farms.. 290	141	129	20	125	47	71	7
	number.. 2 938	1 448	1 390	100	2 399	1 135	1 219	45
Dec. 1 and May 31	farms.. 248	120	111	17	117	45	65	7
	number.. 1 517	726	734	57	1 227	563	633	31
June 1 and Nov. 30	farms.. 211	100	97	14	104	39	61	4
	number.. 1 421	722	656	43	1 172	572	586	14
Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory	farms.. 979	584	359	36	312	123	181	8
	number.. 40 709	20 459	19 023	1 227	22 634	7 829	14 210	595
Ewes 1 year old or older	farms.. 888	523	334	31	293	110	176	7
	number.. 26 451	13 083	12 677	691	14 615	4 655	9 662	298
Sheep and lambs sold	farms.. 927	548	346	33	312	121	183	8
	number.. 29 803	14 559	14 406	838	17 397	6 034	10 905	458
Sheep and lambs shorn	farms.. 859	502	327	30	294	110	177	7
	number.. 29 843	14 827	14 297	719	16 976	5 847	10 826	303
	pounds of wool.. 178 125	87 560	85 989	4 576	99 549	33 367	64 512	1 670
Horses and ponies inventory	farms.. 3 654	2 527	1 014	113	625	282	315	28
	number.. 16 787	11 035	5 062	690	3 757	1 769	1 758	230
Horses and ponies sold	farms.. 584	405	160	19	126	65	55	6
	number.. 1 766	1 155	548	63	781	430	308	43
Goats inventory	farms.. 708	489	192	27	103	50	47	6
	number.. 7 572	5 079	2 205	288	2 220	1 060	1 101	59
Goats sold	farms.. 236	158	67	11	45	22	21	2
	number.. 2 480	1 723	649	108	761	466	(D)	(D)
POULTRY								
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text)	farms.. 1 122	791	286	45	248	143	94	11
	number.. 1 806 870	1 173 880	537 093	95 897	1 786 970	1 159 800	531 956	95 214
Farms with—								
1 to 399	993	704	249	40	119	56	57	6
400 to 3,199	4	4	—	—	4	4	—	—
3,200 to 9,999	29	18	10	1	29	18	10	1
10,000 to 19,999	77	52	23	2	77	52	23	2
20,000 to 49,999	18	13	3	2	18	13	3	2
50,000 to 99,999	1	—	1	—	1	—	1	—
100,000 or more	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Layers 20 weeks old and older	farms.. 1 085	766	274	45	232	132	89	11
	number.. 1 448 777	956 608	396 326	95 843	1 431 318	944 277	391 827	95 214
Pullets 13 weeks old and older but less than 20 weeks old	farms.. 179	130	43	6	31	21	10	—
	number.. 358 093	217 272	140 767	54	355 652	215 523	140 129	—
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold (see text)	farms.. 211	145	58	8	140	89	44	7
	number.. 2 218 657	1 362 596	729 390	126 671	2 216 073	1 360 365	(D)	(D)
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold	farms.. 186	107	77	2	165	93	70	2
	number.. 79 193 428	41 616 727	(D)	(D)	79 192 471	41 615 972	(D)	(D)
Farms with—								
1 to 1,999	23	15	8	—	2	1	1	—
2,000 to 59,999	14	8	5	1	14	8	5	1
60,000 to 99,999	9	6	3	—	9	6	3	—
100,000 or more	140	78	61	1	140	78	61	1
Turkey hens kept for breeding	farms.. 72	48	19	5	13	5	8	—
	number.. 124 729	(D)	48 340	(D)	124 541	(D)	(D)	—
Turkeys sold	farms.. 80	51	27	2	65	41	23	1
	number.. 4 468 456	2 867 992	(D)	(D)	4 468 334	2 867 909	(D)	(D)

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Table 46. Summary by Tenure of Operator: 1997—Con.

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Item	All farms				Farms with sales of \$10,000 or more			
	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants
SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED								
Corn for grain or seed	farms .. 1 150	495	574	81	612	178	383	51
	acres .. 35 499	8 089	25 250	2 160	32 233	6 384	23 966	1 893
	bushels .. 3 270 197	682 746	2 414 795	172 656	3 050 900	575 193	2 320 221	155 486
Irrigated	farms .. 9	3	6	—	6	—	6	—
	acres .. 338	7	331	—	331	—	331	—
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres	886	430	396	60	359	119	208	32
25 to 99 acres	185	54	115	16	174	48	112	14
100 to 249 acres	52	6	41	5	52	6	41	5
250 to 499 acres	20	4	16	—	20	4	16	—
500 acres or more	7	1	6	—	7	1	6	—
Corn for silage or green chop	farms .. 929	320	556	53	693	200	451	42
	acres .. 27 642	6 177	20 087	1 378	25 110	4 997	18 887	1 226
	tons, green .. 380 942	85 749	280 868	14 325	351 811	70 846	268 131	12 834
Irrigated	farms .. 9	2	7	—	9	2	7	—
	acres .. 415	(D)	(D)	—	415	(D)	(D)	—
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres	616	247	333	36	399	134	239	26
25 to 99 acres	258	66	176	16	239	59	165	15
100 to 249 acres	47	7	39	1	47	7	39	1
250 to 499 acres	6	—	6	—	6	—	6	—
500 acres or more	2	—	2	—	2	—	2	—
Wheat for grain	farms .. 191	64	106	21	143	41	86	16
	acres .. 7 620	1 301	5 680	639	7 203	1 093	5 512	598
	bushels .. 421 453	63 095	323 858	34 500	404 257	54 087	317 199	32 971
Irrigated	farms .. 1	—	1	—	1	—	1	—
	acres .. (D)	—	(D)	—	(D)	—	(D)	—
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres	128	53	62	13	83	31	44	8
25 to 99 acres	46	8	32	6	43	7	30	6
100 to 249 acres	13	3	8	2	13	3	8	2
250 to 499 acres	1	—	1	—	1	—	1	—
500 acres or more	3	—	3	—	3	—	3	—
Oats for grain	farms .. 321	122	175	24	160	53	97	10
	acres .. 2 720	871	1 598	251	1 763	476	1 109	178
	bushels .. 132 249	41 217	78 744	12 288	93 241	24 686	59 590	8 965
Irrigated	farms .. —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	acres .. —	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco	farms .. 744	495	197	52	198	81	98	19
	acres .. 1 630	779	659	193	911	280	492	139
	pounds .. 2 737 090	1 246 808	1 198 982	291 300	1 669 534	489 155	974 656	205 723
Irrigated	farms .. 7	5	—	2	7	—	—	1
	acres .. 13	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	—	—	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:								
0.1 to 0.9 acres	189	154	26	9	12	5	7	—
1.0 to 1.9 acres	272	209	50	13	29	16	11	2
2.0 to 2.9 acres	135	75	49	11	47	22	21	4
3.0 to 4.9 acres	89	40	39	10	55	23	28	4
5.0 to 9.9 acres	38	14	20	4	34	12	18	4
10.0 to 24.9 acres	19	3	12	4	19	3	12	4
25.0 acres or more	2	—	1	1	2	—	1	1
Potatoes, excluding sweetpotatoes	farms .. 416	296	105	15	69	30	38	1
	acres .. 610	420	184	7	400	260	(D)	(D)
	cwt. .. 58 593	38 183	19 654	756	37 953	23 022	(D)	(D)
Irrigated	farms .. 9	8	1	—	3	3	—	—
	acres .. 11	(D)	(D)	—	4	4	—	—
Farms by acres harvested:								
0.1 to 4.9 acres	393	284	94	15	50	21	28	1
5.0 to 24.9 acres	19	9	10	—	15	6	9	—
25.0 to 99.9 acres	4	3	1	—	4	3	1	—
100.0 to 249.9 acres	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
250.0 acres or more	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text)	farms .. 13 895	9 629	3 778	488	2 899	1 277	1 460	152
	acres .. 525 257	258 588	241 305	25 364	222 347	67 589	141 918	12 840
	tons, dry .. 886 054	418 929	420 928	46 197	447 039	139 067	279 287	28 685
Irrigated	farms .. 28	24	3	1	5	2	2	1
	acres .. 505	414	(D)	(D)	92	(D)	(D)	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres	7 051	5 814	1 054	183	562	372	167	23
25 to 99 acres	5 802	3 532	2 037	233	1 614	736	799	79
100 to 249 acres	911	259	589	63	606	149	413	44
250 to 499 acres	115	22	85	8	97	18	73	6
500 acres or more	16	2	13	1	10	2	8	—
Alfalfa hay	farms .. 2 124	1 263	777	84	864	334	480	50
	acres .. 54 613	26 795	25 241	2 577	33 705	11 849	19 940	1 916
	tons, dry .. 130 909	57 699	65 978	7 232	90 915	29 935	54 793	6 187
Irrigated	farms .. 4	—	—	—	1	—	—	—
	acres .. 71	71	—	—	(D)	(D)	—	—

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Item	All farms				Farms with sales of \$10,000 or more			
	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants
SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED—Con.								
Tame hay other than alfalfa, small grain, and wild hay (see text)	farms.. 10 573	7 110	3 068	395	2 252	943	1 181	128
acres..	380 243	184 305	177 082	18 856	157 207	46 112	102 041	9 054
tons, dry..	633 559	300 972	299 314	33 273	302 418	92 334	190 789	19 295
Irrigated	farms.. 18	15	2	1	3	1	1	1
acres..	284	228	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)	farms.. 362	218	120	24	121	47	66	8
acres..	1 588	588	858	142	1 065	269	734	63
Irrigated	farms.. 55	35	16	4	27	11	14	2
acres..	374	157	188	28	317	114	(D)	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:								
0.1 to 4.9 acres	286	191	81	14	66	28	34	4
5.0 to 24.9 acres	66	26	31	9	45	18	24	3
25.0 to 99.9 acres	9	1	7	1	9	1	7	1
100.0 to 249.9 acres	1	—	1	—	1	—	1	—
250.0 acres or more	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Land in orchards	farms.. 530	433	82	15	120	68	42	10
acres..	12 446	5 371	6 016	1 060	10 460	3 989	5 509	963
Irrigated	farms.. 11	7	2	2	4	—	2	2
acres..	57	11	(D)	(D)	47	—	(D)	(D)
Farms by bearing and nonbearing acres:								
0.1 to 4.9 acres	362	317	43	2	38	27	11	—
5.0 to 24.9 acres	102	88	9	5	24	17	4	3
25.0 to 99.9 acres	35	16	14	5	30	13	13	4
100.0 to 249.9 acres	21	9	10	2	18	8	8	2
250.0 acres or more	10	3	6	1	10	3	6	1
Apples	farms.. 475	381	80	14	111	61	41	9
Bearing and nonbearing	acres.. 10 362	4 398	5 002	961	8 954	3 476	4 589	889
pounds..	115 509 814	42 606 568	63 159 900	9 743 346	114 754 073	42 163 779	62 897 388	9 692 906

¹Data are based on a sample of farms.

²Farms with total production expenses equal to market value of agricultural products sold are included as farms with gains of less than \$1,000.