

Table 49. Summary by Size of Farm: 1997

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

Item	Total	1 to 9 acres	10 to 49 acres	50 to 69 acres	70 to 99 acres	100 to 139 acres
FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS						
Farms	65 602	3 142	9 673	3 684	6 876	7 141
number ..	100.0	4.8	14.7	5.6	10.5	10.9
percent ..	14 900 205	13 322	281 228	216 197	564 923	837 889
Land in farms	227	4	29	59	82	117
acres ..						
Average size of farm						
acres ..						
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD						
Total sales (see text)	65 602	3 142	9 673	3 684	6 876	7 141
farms ..	5 579 861	122 302	230 642	68 113	137 322	214 741
\$1,000..	85 056	38 925	23 844	18 489	19 971	30 072
dollars..						
Farms by value of sales:						
Less than \$1,000 (see text)	9 384	606	2 725	953	1 592	1 287
\$1,000 to \$2,499	4 623	663	1 701	473	615	432
\$2,500 to \$4,999	5 161	457	1 613	498	901	634
\$5,000 to \$9,999	6 177	390	1 491	649	994	884
\$10,000 to \$19,999	6 639	270	866	575	1 238	1 141
\$20,000 to \$24,999	2 202	95	182	116	398	438
\$25,000 to \$39,999	4 484	152	290	164	452	808
\$40,000 to \$49,999	2 342	58	123	50	159	282
\$50,000 to \$99,999	8 818	192	296	107	326	818
\$100,000 to \$249,999	11 163	155	211	63	145	362
\$250,000 to \$499,999	3 162	61	104	20	29	29
\$500,000 to \$999,999	980	28	46	9	19	19
\$1,000,000 to \$2,499,999	382	12	16	5	7	6
\$2,500,000 to \$4,999,999	65	3	6	2	1	1
\$5,000,000 or more	20	-	3	-	-	-
Grains	27 313	110	1 928	1 108	2 446	2 718
farms ..	879 967	148	6 949	6 580	17 731	25 684
\$1,000..	3 895	-	-	-	-	4
Sales of \$50,000 or more	588 974	-	-	-	-	233
\$1,000..						
Corn for grain	21 668	71	1 308	797	1 830	2 101
farms ..	580 698	100	4 417	4 233	10 853	16 628
\$1,000..	4 445	6	163	134	323	390
Wheat	25 529	5	266	286	876	1 068
farms ..	11 875	30	527	344	810	935
\$1,000..	255 335	38	1 969	1 790	5 222	7 043
Soybeans	7	-	1	1	-	-
farms ..	95	-	(D)	(D)	-	-
\$1,000..	1 016	1	35	23	69	82
Barley	2 571	(D)	39	(D)	84	122
farms ..	5 003	4	249	196	501	600
\$1,000..	9 454	3	223	206	573	698
Oats	533	2	24	14	40	43
farms ..	6 286	(D)	(D)	(D)	123	126
\$1,000..						
Other grains	-	-	-	-	-	-
farms ..	-	-	-	-	-	-
\$1,000..	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sales of \$50,000 or more	-	-	-	-	-	-
\$1,000..						
Tobacco	836	121	151	47	61	83
farms ..	7 692	605	1 067	253	335	641
\$1,000..	24	1	3	-	-	2
Sales of \$50,000 or more	1 841	(D)	189	-	-	(D)
\$1,000..						
Hay, silage, and field seeds	15 505	130	1 862	946	1 989	2 047
farms ..	106 572	145	4 026	2 948	6 661	9 540
\$1,000..	225	-	-	-	-	2
Sales of \$50,000 or more	19 372	-	-	-	-	(D)
\$1,000..						
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons	3 281	175	428	138	258	252
farms ..	149 443	874	3 050	1 783	3 705	3 661
\$1,000..	446	2	4	7	11	12
Sales of \$50,000 or more	113 406	(D)	(D)	597	932	923
\$1,000..						
Fruits, nuts, and berries	1 005	125	272	61	97	98
farms ..	140 140	379	3 741	1 385	4 770	5 767
\$1,000..	267	-	18	4	21	29
Sales of \$50,000 or more	134 632	-	1 996	(D)	4 035	5 053
\$1,000..						
Nursery and greenhouse crops	1 977	467	547	141	189	171
farms ..	157 348	31 192	42 307	3 914	5 995	8 444
\$1,000..	468	148	116	16	26	40
Sales of \$50,000 or more	143 060	27 426	38 816	3 039	4 474	7 230
\$1,000..						
Other crops	1 633	229	310	82	150	123
farms ..	199 119	4 610	5 807	2 225	4 516	3 701
\$1,000..	415	20	27	11	21	15
Sales of \$50,000 or more	185 256	2 139	2 783	1 439	3 147	2 563
\$1,000..						
Poultry and poultry products	1 805	190	423	129	232	190
farms ..	241 523	15 707	29 843	1 462	10 199	8 716
\$1,000..	175	20	25	3	16	14
Sales of \$50,000 or more	239 003	15 359	29 331	(D)	9 944	8 489
\$1,000..						
Dairy products	22 592	208	556	316	923	1 714
farms ..	2 746 950	12 651	36 385	17 508	42 964	98 627
\$1,000..	17 060	90	191	97	272	842
Sales of \$50,000 or more	2 588 373	(D)	28 434	12 607	27 607	74 369
\$1,000..						
Cattle and calves	38 832	1 002	3 212	1 435	3 042	3 845
farms ..	670 518	33 606	56 311	22 083	27 638	34 173
\$1,000..	2 183	86	142	36	56	52
Sales of \$50,000 or more	331 669	28 167	40 282	14 664	10 420	8 333
\$1,000..						

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 49. **Summary by Size of Farm: 1997—Con.**

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Item	140 to 179 acres	180 to 219 acres	220 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 to 1,999 acres	2,000 acres or more
FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS							
Farms number ..	6 845	5 418	4 495	12 315	4 573	1 121	319
..... percent ..	10.4	8.3	6.9	18.8	7.0	1.7	.5
Land in farms acres ..	1 080 572	1 072 539	1 069 623	4 314 476	3 030 517	1 457 744	961 175
Average size of farm acres ..	158	198	238	350	663	1 300	3 013
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD							
Total sales (see text) farms..	6 845	5 418	4 495	12 315	4 573	1 121	319
..... \$1,000..	288 275	326 525	343 692	1 513 910	1 166 423	668 827	499 089
Average per farm dollars..	42 115	60 267	76 461	122 932	255 067	596 635	1 564 543
Farms by value of sales:							
Less than \$1,000 (see text)	912	497	303	429	64	12	4
\$1,000 to \$2,499	306	152	104	156	18	3	—
\$2,500 to \$4,999	427	221	146	226	35	2	1
\$5,000 to \$9,999	674	393	253	381	62	3	3
\$10,000 to \$19,999	878	597	349	618	97	8	2
\$20,000 to \$24,999	354	210	124	251	30	3	1
\$25,000 to \$39,999	811	583	397	696	125	4	2
\$40,000 to \$49,999	430	321	265	571	81	2	—
\$50,000 to \$99,999	1 289	1 322	1 172	2 791	468	36	1
\$100,000 to \$249,999	710	1 047	1 304	5 120	1 877	163	6
\$250,000 to \$499,999	38	58	64	947	1 320	461	31
\$500,000 to \$999,999	13	13	10	100	328	289	106
\$1,000,000 to \$2,499,999	2	4	4	25	63	120	118
\$2,500,000 to \$4,999,999	1	—	—	3	2	11	35
\$5,000,000 or more	—	—	—	1	3	4	9
Grains farms ..	2 855	2 461	2 170	7 114	3 240	909	254
..... \$1,000..	34 362	35 255	37 210	190 960	217 903	174 518	132 667
Sales of \$50,000 or more farms..	32	93	145	1 150	1 524	716	231
..... \$1,000..	1 915	5 542	8 929	88 159	181 617	170 388	132 191
Corn for grain farms..	2 272	1 962	1 702	5 836	2 762	808	219
..... \$1,000..	23 086	24 129	25 114	131 411	142 980	113 637	84 111
Wheat farms..	404	336	365	1 205	725	297	97
..... \$1,000..	1 295	1 088	1 220	5 477	5 679	4 247	4 021
Soybeans farms..	1 030	917	895	3 404	2 072	701	210
..... \$1,000..	8 851	9 047	9 816	49 828	66 186	54 551	40 996
Sorghum for grain farms..	2	—	—	1	2	—	—
..... \$1,000..	(D)	—	—	(D)	(D)	—	—
Barley farms..	109	97	81	327	142	40	10
..... \$1,000..	187	187	153	883	(D)	233	152
Oats farms..	612	450	426	1 278	516	137	34
..... \$1,000..	817	666	721	2 490	1 563	972	523
Other grains farms..	41	38	41	146	87	37	20
..... \$1,000..	(D)	137	186	(D)	950	878	2 865
Cotton and cottonseed farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sales of \$50,000 or more farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco farms..	81	48	44	111	63	19	7
..... \$1,000..	479	351	356	1 132	1 413	521	540
Sales of \$50,000 or more farms..	—	1	—	2	9	3	3
..... \$1,000..	—	(D)	—	(D)	655	235	393
Hay, silage, and field seeds farms..	1 911	1 392	1 075	2 812	1 008	262	71
..... \$1,000..	10 708	8 971	8 833	28 630	16 225	6 284	3 602
Sales of \$50,000 or more farms..	5	2	12	73	73	41	17
..... \$1,000..	286	(D)	796	5 204	6 574	3 410	2 867
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons farms..	267	213	158	641	445	210	96
..... \$1,000..	4 021	4 115	2 726	17 357	25 512	29 712	52 928
Sales of \$50,000 or more farms..	13	16	6	68	122	106	79
..... \$1,000..	1 023	1 455	618	8 615	19 266	27 015	52 427
Fruits, nuts, and berries farms..	70	44	35	86	57	38	22
..... \$1,000..	3 663	2 261	2 478	21 203	28 351	34 543	31 599
Sales of \$50,000 or more farms..	21	12	16	50	41	36	19
..... \$1,000..	3 319	1 927	2 380	20 710	28 211	(D)	31 560
Nursery and greenhouse crops farms..	99	88	63	133	59	13	7
..... \$1,000..	2 878	7 549	3 278	16 097	8 493	17 505	9 696
Sales of \$50,000 or more farms..	12	17	15	44	22	7	5
..... \$1,000..	(D)	6 892	2 887	15 045	8 085	17 459	(D)
Other crops farms..	120	91	51	220	137	73	47
..... \$1,000..	3 575	2 908	1 707	11 793	27 799	44 883	85 596
Sales of \$50,000 or more farms..	24	22	12	67	85	65	46
..... \$1,000..	2 614	2 043	(D)	9 729	27 132	44 723	(D)
Poultry and poultry products farms..	164	111	92	186	64	20	4
..... \$1,000..	5 580	6 350	7 147	44 740	27 561	(D)	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more farms..	11	12	9	36	21	6	2
..... \$1,000..	5 304	6 257	7 005	44 421	27 444	27 042	(D)
Dairy products farms..	2 449	2 570	2 478	7 820	2 900	552	106
..... \$1,000..	165 048	209 192	233 010	968 359	640 460	231 129	91 617
Sales of \$50,000 or more farms..	1 503	1 861	1 970	6 833	2 753	543	105
..... \$1,000..	137 360	187 595	216 072	936 090	635 656	230 806	(D)
Cattle and calves farms..	4 264	3 883	3 438	10 080	3 714	755	162
..... \$1,000..	45 402	41 465	39 301	172 463	121 277	49 601	27 380
Sales of \$50,000 or more farms..	101	75	91	556	605	276	107
..... \$1,000..	14 258	9 773	8 755	62 998	68 625	39 192	26 202

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Item	Total	1 to 9 acres	10 to 49 acres	50 to 69 acres	70 to 99 acres	100 to 139 acres
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD—Con.						
Total sales (see text)—Con.						
Hogs and pigs..... farms..	3 591	256	504	174	289	357
..... \$1,000..	151 164	9 110	15 404	5 268	5 691	7 416
Sales of \$50,000 or more..... farms..	679	40	48	14	24	35
..... \$1,000..	124 751	7 627	13 262	4 307	3 903	4 985
Sheep, lambs, and wool..... farms..	1 934	171	493	158	209	190
..... \$1,000..	4 847	210	979	256	387	385
Sales of \$50,000 or more..... farms..	4	—	1	—	—	—
..... \$1,000..	452	—	(D)	—	—	—
Other livestock and livestock products (see text)..... farms..	2 968	424	957	207	321	280
..... \$1,000..	124 576	13 066	24 952	2 448	6 729	7 987
Sales of \$50,000 or more..... farms..	198	41	77	5	15	16
..... \$1,000..	110 893	10 625	20 224	1 553	5 587	6 854
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text)..... farms..	3 843	434	921	276	429	401
..... \$1,000..	21 866	1 036	3 474	1 124	2 369	2 229
FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES¹						
Total farm production expenses..... farms..	65 584	3 030	9 756	3 662	6 990	6 975
..... \$1,000..	4 202 802	83 112	204 613	55 042	124 061	166 327
Average per farm..... dollars..	64 083	27 430	20 973	15 030	17 748	23 846
Livestock and poultry purchased..... farms..	22 888	1 156	2 796	1 037	2 085	2 018
..... \$1,000..	306 830	13 763	26 808	7 688	11 963	13 226
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999.....	12 917	833	2 085	787	1 562	1 358
\$5,000 to \$24,999.....	7 494	229	515	204	458	579
\$25,000 to \$99,999.....	2 062	71	148	39	47	71
\$100,000 to \$249,999.....	324	19	35	3	15	8
\$250,000 or more.....	91	4	13	4	3	2
Feed for livestock and poultry..... farms..	39 355	1 539	4 372	1 445	3 244	3 573
..... \$1,000..	847 206	23 919	62 304	12 657	29 754	34 406
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999.....	16 996	1 066	3 483	1 138	2 407	2 203
\$5,000 to \$24,999.....	14 103	344	542	260	675	1 079
\$25,000 to \$99,999.....	7 174	76	247	26	125	263
\$100,000 to \$249,999.....	760	31	59	15	20	12
\$250,000 or more.....	322	22	41	6	17	16
Commercially mixed formula feeds..... farms..	31 337	1 040	2 749	1 016	2 272	2 576
..... \$1,000..	492 180	15 192	41 086	5 960	17 694	18 613
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999.....	15 911	856	2 276	844	1 794	1 763
\$5,000 to \$24,999.....	11 816	122	329	138	378	725
\$25,000 to \$99,999.....	3 088	31	84	25	80	68
\$100,000 or more.....	522	31	60	9	20	20
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees..... farms..	45 101	839	3 568	1 765	3 962	4 610
..... \$1,000..	179 427	1 931	6 002	1 399	4 147	5 896
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999.....	16 158	632	3 038	1 352	2 523	2 529
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	20 135	142	448	402	1 391	1 987
\$5,000 to \$24,999.....	7 932	50	59	9	39	91
\$25,000 to \$49,999.....	596	5	5	2	8	1
\$50,000 or more.....	280	10	18	—	1	2
Commercial fertilizer..... farms..	44 200	970	3 778	1 691	3 864	4 248
..... \$1,000..	258 450	478	2 373	1 723	4 838	7 424
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999.....	30 776	963	3 770	1 662	3 795	4 049
\$5,000 to \$24,999.....	11 809	5	8	29	69	198
\$25,000 to \$49,999.....	1 089	2	—	—	—	1
\$50,000 or more.....	526	—	—	—	—	—
Agricultural chemicals..... farms..	40 404	1 094	3 505	1 492	3 343	3 839
..... \$1,000..	169 356	393	2 395	1 260	3 255	5 519
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999.....	32 830	1 091	3 458	1 474	3 300	3 711
\$5,000 to \$24,999.....	6 618	2	44	17	43	116
\$25,000 to \$49,999.....	624	1	1	1	—	12
\$50,000 or more.....	332	—	2	—	—	—
Petroleum products..... farms..	60 160	2 581	8 213	3 182	6 127	6 186
..... \$1,000..	187 629	3 551	8 540	2 519	5 818	8 109
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999.....	50 748	2 465	7 983	3 136	6 032	6 053
\$5,000 to \$24,999.....	8 705	99	203	43	90	127
\$25,000 to \$49,999.....	547	9	15	2	4	5
\$50,000 or more.....	160	8	12	1	1	1
Gasoline and gasohol..... farms..	52 464	2 170	7 059	2 725	5 292	5 341
..... \$1,000..	54 141	1 018	2 927	1 183	2 753	3 386
Diesel fuel..... farms..	44 419	1 113	3 801	1 663	3 541	4 351
..... \$1,000..	85 166	676	1 744	701	1 819	3 080
Natural gas..... farms..	2 474	118	228	61	99	140
..... \$1,000..	9 694	787	1 824	36	151	126
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc..... farms..	48 608	1 467	4 773	2 008	4 189	4 794
..... \$1,000..	38 628	1 070	2 045	599	1 095	1 516

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Item	140 to 179 acres	180 to 219 acres	220 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 to 1,999 acres	2,000 acres or more
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD—Con.							
Total sales (see text)—Con.							
Hogs and pigs	farms.. 330	234	227	737	360	93	30
	\$1,000.. 9 298	5 721	6 469	36 257	26 900	17 406	6 223
Sales of \$50,000 or more	farms.. 36	29	36	201	146	47	23
	\$1,000.. 6 656	3 759	4 531	29 279	23 677	16 640	6 126
Sheep, lambs, and wool	farms.. 183	113	86	238	64	22	7
	\$1,000.. 647	260	217	900	241	326	39
Sales of \$50,000 or more	farms.. —	—	—	1	1	1	—
	\$1,000.. —	—	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	—
Other livestock and livestock products (see text)	farms.. 226	142	74	222	83	24	8
	\$1,000.. 2 616	2 128	960	4 020	24 288	(D)	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more	farms.. 11	8	2	10	10	3	—
	\$1,000.. 1 645	1 533	(D)	3 145	(D)	(D)	—
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text)	farms.. 321	216	188	458	156	33	10
	\$1,000.. 1 842	1 256	1 291	4 614	2 368	215	46
FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES¹							
Total farm production expenses	farms.. 6 439	5 574	4 782	12 409	4 527	1 121	319
	\$1,000.. 217 841	262 233	275 471	1 114 002	839 555	496 233	364 312
Average per farm	dollars.. 33 832	47 046	57 606	89 774	185 455	442 670	1 142 045
Livestock and poultry purchased	farms.. 2 041	2 120	1 790	4 947	2 188	571	139
	\$1,000.. 14 956	17 829	16 305	66 118	56 946	40 737	20 491
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999	1 280	1 161	877	2 238	622	100	14
\$5,000 to \$24,999	639	836	794	2 083	926	203	28
\$25,000 to \$99,999	114	112	114	564	540	190	52
\$100,000 to \$249,999	7	10	4	52	85	57	29
\$250,000 or more	1	1	1	10	15	21	16
Feed for livestock and poultry	farms.. 3 835	3 723	3 488	9 640	3 575	761	160
	\$1,000.. 48 053	57 694	60 795	232 286	162 348	72 863	50 127
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999	1 747	1 299	893	2 128	545	75	12
\$5,000 to \$24,999	1 666	1 740	1 855	4 483	1 257	179	23
\$25,000 to \$99,999	379	658	720	2 832	1 458	333	57
\$100,000 to \$249,999	32	14	13	160	251	117	36
\$250,000 or more	11	12	7	37	64	57	32
Commercially mixed formula feeds	farms.. 2 966	3 154	3 129	8 492	3 108	692	143
	\$1,000.. 26 325	31 336	35 373	132 442	94 167	43 621	30 371
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999	1 677	1 475	1 333	2 980	780	118	15
\$5,000 to \$24,999	1 165	1 469	1 526	4 348	1 341	239	36
\$25,000 to \$99,999	108	191	258	1 095	850	241	57
\$100,000 or more	16	19	12	69	137	94	35
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees	farms.. 4 832	4 546	4 103	11 262	4 252	1 072	290
	\$1,000.. 8 566	11 174	10 852	45 100	36 793	25 412	22 156
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999	1 925	1 327	913	1 584	313	21	1
\$1,000 to \$4,999	2 690	2 816	2 642	6 291	1 224	94	8
\$5,000 to \$24,999	216	395	546	3 355	2 560	555	57
\$25,000 to \$49,999	1	3	2	27	140	324	78
\$50,000 or more	—	5	—	5	15	78	146
Commercial fertilizer	farms.. 4 567	4 452	4 009	11 053	4 173	1 088	307
	\$1,000.. 11 715	15 035	16 279	69 908	58 232	39 764	30 681
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999	3 935	3 348	2 732	5 525	933	52	12
\$5,000 to \$24,999	623	1 103	1 275	5 399	2 667	405	28
\$25,000 to \$49,999	9	—	1	120	506	393	57
\$50,000 or more	—	1	1	9	67	238	210
Agricultural chemicals	farms.. 4 101	4 114	3 698	10 108	3 886	934	290
	\$1,000.. 6 566	8 922	8 590	40 597	36 272	26 854	28 732
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999	3 893	3 732	3 266	7 177	1 611	102	15
\$5,000 to \$24,999	207	381	432	2 882	2 034	419	41
\$25,000 to \$49,999	1	1	—	48	210	280	69
\$50,000 or more	—	—	—	1	31	133	165
Petroleum products	farms.. 5 944	5 286	4 615	12 161	4 446	1 104	315
	\$1,000.. 10 819	11 919	13 093	49 914	37 031	21 468	14 848
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999	5 642	4 882	3 984	8 813	1 628	113	17
\$5,000 to \$24,999	301	402	627	3 301	2 696	722	94
\$25,000 to \$49,999	1	2	2	7	112	241	114
\$50,000 or more	—	—	2	40	10	28	90
Gasoline and gasohol	farms.. 5 182	4 658	4 046	10 683	4 038	983	287
	\$1,000.. 4 167	4 374	4 402	14 650	9 003	3 851	2 428
Diesel fuel	farms.. 4 593	4 404	4 027	11 286	4 262	1 071	307
	\$1,000.. 4 562	5 323	6 197	24 880	18 831	10 438	6 916
Natural gas	farms.. 227	148	222	597	349	195	90
	\$1,000.. 194	177	357	1 456	1 298	1 723	1 565
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc.	farms.. 5 091	4 856	4 208	11 496	4 317	1 096	313
	\$1,000.. 1 897	2 046	2 137	8 928	7 898	5 456	3 939

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 49. Summary by Size of Farm: 1997—Con.

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

Item	Total	1 to 9 acres	10 to 49 acres	50 to 69 acres	70 to 99 acres	100 to 139 acres
FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES¹						
—Con.						
Total farm production expenses—Con.						
Electricity farms	52 272	1 982	6 326	2 363	4 805	5 230
Electricity \$1,000	107 204	2 174	4 649	1 492	3 351	4 634
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999	25 739	1 531	5 446	2 029	3 872	3 710
\$1,000 to \$4,999	22 146	373	764	307	901	1 462
\$5,000 to \$24,999	4 231	71	108	26	29	57
\$25,000 to \$49,999	97	5	3	1	2	1
\$50,000 or more	59	2	5	—	1	—
Hired farm labor farms	25 179	817	1 878	699	1 453	1 796
Hired farm labor \$1,000	409 009	11 871	22 061	3 212	7 160	10 569
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999	14 622	586	1 485	621	1 237	1 439
\$5,000 to \$24,999	6 840	108	246	45	144	257
\$25,000 to \$99,999	3 074	98	111	25	64	91
\$100,000 to \$249,999	458	18	23	8	6	5
\$250,000 or more	185	7	13	—	2	4
Workers by days worked:						
150 days or more farms	13 262	359	696	267	378	625
150 days or more workers	30 026	915	1 565	368	723	917
Less than 150 days farms	20 203	771	1 713	681	1 357	1 630
Less than 150 days workers	66 456	2 951	6 076	1 829	4 069	4 994
Contract labor farms	4 464	175	538	140	310	354
Contract labor \$1,000	20 509	874	1 162	279	540	652
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999	1 698	90	340	109	151	201
\$1,000 to \$4,999	1 918	54	155	26	147	115
\$5,000 to \$24,999	715	22	37	3	9	35
\$25,000 to \$49,999	84	6	3	1	2	3
\$50,000 or more	49	3	3	1	1	—
Repair and maintenance farms	56 062	2 221	7 009	2 715	5 512	5 746
Repair and maintenance \$1,000	337 991	4 811	12 378	4 621	10 817	15 195
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999	36 646	1 961	6 461	2 561	4 941	4 915
\$5,000 to \$24,999	17 256	249	518	142	566	818
\$25,000 to \$49,999	1 668	7	22	12	3	8
\$50,000 or more	492	4	8	—	2	5
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment farms	29 186	607	2 377	1 110	2 402	2 699
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment \$1,000	87 204	775	1 941	1 015	2 327	4 266
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999	12 485	407	1 960	799	1 609	1 493
\$1,000 to \$4,999	12 670	173	358	301	769	1 073
\$5,000 to \$24,999	3 652	27	56	8	24	118
\$25,000 to \$49,999	261	—	2	2	—	14
\$50,000 or more	118	—	1	—	—	1
Interest farms	34 539	998	3 375	1 271	2 859	3 250
Interest \$1,000	356 573	4 157	13 864	4 208	11 226	15 349
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999	16 939	823	2 618	992	2 086	2 170
\$5,000 to \$24,999	14 591	144	712	270	745	1 050
\$25,000 to \$99,999	2 768	31	40	9	27	29
\$100,000 or more	241	—	5	—	1	1
Secured by real estate farms	26 877	728	2 687	995	2 221	2 463
Secured by real estate \$1,000	242 678	2 536	10 063	3 163	8 346	11 694
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999	2 917	283	525	219	386	345
\$1,000 to \$4,999	10 412	327	1 591	555	1 260	1 247
\$5,000 to \$24,999	11 896	101	550	219	561	852
\$25,000 to \$49,999	1 147	16	19	2	12	8
\$50,000 or more	505	1	2	—	2	11
Not secured by real estate farms	18 981	465	1 429	516	1 360	1 603
Not secured by real estate \$1,000	113 896	1 621	3 802	1 045	2 879	3 656
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999	5 204	216	762	310	760	657
\$1,000 to \$4,999	7 373	185	517	172	472	777
\$5,000 to \$24,999	5 687	50	136	30	121	165
\$25,000 to \$49,999	528	12	8	1	4	2
\$50,000 or more	189	2	6	3	3	2
Cash rent farms	21 766	394	967	590	1 049	1 350
Cash rent \$1,000	193 761	950	1 690	1 071	2 267	4 514
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999	13 773	370	923	559	964	1 070
\$5,000 to \$9,999	3 327	14	29	26	61	154
\$10,000 to \$24,999	3 038	5	9	1	22	117
\$25,000 or more	1 628	5	6	4	2	9
Property taxes farms	61 736	2 525	9 118	3 471	6 568	6 597
Property taxes \$1,000	217 808	3 526	15 333	6 177	12 951	14 951
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999	49 947	2 437	8 859	3 391	6 315	6 267
\$5,000 to \$9,999	8 954	65	232	65	228	314
\$10,000 to \$24,999	2 473	21	26	15	25	15
\$25,000 or more	362	2	1	—	—	1
All other farm production expenses farms	60 364	2 632	7 998	3 058	6 157	6 425
All other farm production expenses \$1,000	523 843	9 939	23 113	5 721	13 646	21 618
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999	38 896	2 295	7 391	2 907	5 623	5 342
\$5,000 to \$24,999	16 556	250	461	130	463	985
\$25,000 to \$49,999	3 445	50	70	8	58	80
\$50,000 to \$99,999	1 019	24	53	9	5	13
\$100,000 or more	448	13	23	4	8	5

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Table 49. Summary by Size of Farm: 1997—Con.

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

Item	140 to 179 acres	180 to 219 acres	220 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 to 1,999 acres	2,000 acres or more
FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES¹							
—Con.							
Total farm production expenses—Con.							
Electricity farms..	5 311	4 790	4 210	11 493	4 349	1 098	315
\$1,000..	6 947	8 318	8 941	31 230	19 319	9 100	7 050
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999	2 848	1 882	1 169	2 507	643	84	18
\$1,000 to \$4,999	2 397	2 748	2 858	7 702	2 151	417	66
\$5,000 to \$24,999	66	160	181	1 276	1 543	556	158
\$25,000 to \$49,999	—	—	—	4	9	30	42
\$50,000 or more	—	—	2	4	3	11	31
Hired farm labor farms..	2 189	2 410	2 384	7 011	3 281	973	288
\$1,000..	11 297	16 074	16 870	90 763	94 102	67 649	57 381
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999	1 673	1 713	1 423	3 371	933	124	17
\$5,000 to \$24,999	432	538	858	2 675	1 221	280	36
\$25,000 to \$99,999	79	148	99	897	964	390	108
\$100,000 to \$249,999	4	10	3	53	137	134	57
\$250,000 or more	1	1	1	15	26	45	70
Workers by days worked:							
150 days or more farms..	857	1 113	1 195	4 303	2 394	825	250
workers..	1 297	2 020	1 842	8 199	6 305	3 400	2 475
Less than 150 days farms..	1 823	1 912	1 757	5 129	2 438	759	233
workers..	4 264	5 635	5 123	14 280	9 163	4 486	3 586
Contract labor farms..	288	355	403	1 030	626	181	64
\$1,000..	583	874	1 084	4 298	4 039	2 990	3 134
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999	132	119	131	278	139	7	1
\$1,000 to \$4,999	138	192	232	527	261	64	7
\$5,000 to \$24,999	18	44	39	195	194	88	31
\$25,000 to \$49,999	—	—	1	23	19	11	15
\$50,000 or more	—	—	—	7	13	11	10
Repair and maintenance farms..	5 603	5 065	4 438	11 897	4 440	1 107	309
\$1,000..	21 314	23 923	26 961	99 971	65 714	31 429	20 857
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999	4 306	3 346	2 335	4 721	996	84	19
\$5,000 to \$24,999	1 256	1 686	2 055	6 665	2 682	538	81
\$25,000 to \$49,999	39	23	47	472	637	318	80
\$50,000 or more	2	10	1	39	125	167	129
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment farms..	3 095	2 877	2 734	7 496	2 850	729	210
\$1,000..	4 964	5 739	6 175	25 322	18 013	10 196	6 471
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999	1 570	1 112	954	2 019	477	72	13
\$1,000 to \$4,999	1 351	1 518	1 497	4 069	1 296	229	36
\$5,000 to \$24,999	173	246	271	1 352	966	316	95
\$25,000 to \$49,999	1	1	12	44	85	75	25
\$50,000 or more	—	—	—	12	26	37	41
Interest farms..	3 393	3 191	2 841	8 551	3 513	1 000	297
\$1,000..	19 960	24 617	22 938	98 732	70 661	43 191	27 670
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999	1 964	1 418	1 245	2 734	763	109	17
\$5,000 to \$24,999	1 393	1 693	1 484	4 963	1 762	324	51
\$25,000 to \$99,999	36	79	110	842	942	492	131
\$100,000 or more	—	1	2	12	46	75	98
Secured by real estate farms..	2 637	2 591	2 138	6 692	2 695	786	244
\$1,000..	14 515	17 582	16 341	66 800	46 907	27 363	17 370
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999	294	199	177	381	92	14	2
\$1,000 to \$4,999	1 178	1 054	792	1 851	455	90	12
\$5,000 to \$24,999	1 157	1 283	1 111	4 075	1 615	309	63
\$25,000 to \$49,999	4	52	52	344	395	191	52
\$50,000 or more	4	3	6	41	138	182	115
Not secured by real estate farms..	1 805	1 742	1 593	5 284	2 309	668	207
\$1,000..	5 445	7 035	6 597	31 932	23 754	15 828	10 301
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999	560	392	340	917	266	20	4
\$1,000 to \$4,999	907	866	734	1 908	695	119	21
\$5,000 to \$24,999	333	476	513	2 356	1 112	335	60
\$25,000 to \$49,999	4	6	6	93	200	141	51
\$50,000 or more	1	2	—	10	36	53	71
Cash rent farms..	1 838	2 066	2 170	6 941	3 242	922	237
\$1,000..	6 322	7 787	10 039	46 005	46 589	36 971	29 557
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999	1 431	1 573	1 591	4 017	1 127	132	16
\$5,000 to \$9,999	240	287	283	1 456	669	95	13
\$10,000 to \$24,999	165	198	264	1 192	821	220	24
\$25,000 or more	2	8	32	276	625	475	184
Property taxes farms..	6 108	5 315	4 519	11 768	4 345	1 093	309
\$1,000..	16 275	17 011	16 834	55 379	33 995	15 480	9 896
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999	5 672	4 524	3 589	7 324	1 370	171	28
\$5,000 to \$9,999	392	761	821	3 872	1 880	294	30
\$10,000 to \$24,999	44	29	108	548	1 041	495	106
\$25,000 or more	—	1	1	24	54	133	145
All other farm production expenses farms..	6 028	5 349	4 604	12 207	4 472	1 117	317
\$1,000..	29 505	35 315	39 716	158 379	99 503	52 126	35 262
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999	4 215	3 171	2 241	4 529	1 043	123	16
\$5,000 to \$24,999	1 622	1 983	2 072	5 961	2 141	418	70
\$25,000 to \$49,999	161	167	252	1 406	844	285	64
\$50,000 to \$99,999	26	25	37	267	329	165	66
\$100,000 or more	4	3	2	44	115	126	101

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Table 49. Summary by Size of Farm: 1997—Con.

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

Item	Total	1 to 9 acres	10 to 49 acres	50 to 69 acres	70 to 99 acres	100 to 139 acres
NET CASH RETURN FROM AGRICULTURAL SALES FOR THE FARM UNIT (SEE TEXT)¹						
All farms..... number..	65 585	3 030	9 756	3 662	6 990	6 975
..... \$1,000..	1 318 913	34 918	25 802	3 132	13 404	34 505
Average per farm..... dollars..	20 110	11 524	2 645	855	1 918	4 947
Farms with net gains ² number..	35 554	1 420	3 121	1 086	2 623	3 236
Average net gain..... dollars..	43 668	29 970	18 482	14 640	13 753	17 431
Gain of—						
Less than \$1,000.....	2 502	243	690	166	318	302
\$1,000 to \$9,999.....	10 246	628	1 578	657	1 412	1 436
\$10,000 to \$49,999.....	14 442	354	646	232	751	1 289
\$50,000 or more.....	8 364	195	207	31	142	209
Farms with net losses..... number..	30 031	1 610	6 635	2 576	4 367	3 739
Average net loss..... dollars..	7 781	4 745	4 805	4 956	5 192	5 858
Loss of—						
Less than \$1,000.....	3 694	399	1 186	351	551	386
\$1,000 to \$9,999.....	20 046	1 098	4 810	1 934	3 274	2 654
\$10,000 to \$49,999.....	5 940	103	627	277	533	691
\$50,000 or more.....	351	10	12	14	9	8
GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS AND OTHER FARM-RELATED INCOME						
Government payments..... farms..	36 946	327	2 888	1 689	3 539	4 001
..... \$1,000..	137 274	552	3 923	2 768	6 322	8 306
Other farm-related income ¹ farms..	32 101	719	3 152	1 362	2 886	3 373
..... \$1,000..	110 211	2 941	7 106	4 363	5 128	7 804
Customwork and other agricultural services..... farms..	5 336	118	282	164	251	423
..... \$1,000..	38 485	1 561	1 385	986	1 149	1 242
Gross cash rent or share payments..... farms..	7 622	358	1 792	681	1 053	1 075
..... \$1,000..	30 574	994	5 029	2 279	2 754	4 447
Forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products..... farms..	2 800	43	95	111	232	266
..... \$1,000..	15 996	326	342	340	603	862
Other farm-related income sources..... farms..	24 703	394	1 599	738	1 945	2 465
..... \$1,000..	25 156	60	349	757	621	1 253
COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS						
Total..... farms..	3 066	6	34	41	118	150
..... \$1,000..	66 597	1	22	59	224	428
Corn..... farms..	2 905	4	31	40	103	139
..... \$1,000..	51 031	(D)	(D)	56	140	386
Wheat..... farms..	129	—	2	—	6	9
..... \$1,000..	778	—	(D)	—	10	4
Soybeans..... farms..	503	2	5	2	13	12
..... \$1,000..	14 672	(D)	1	(D)	70	33
Sorghum, barley, and oats..... farms..	157	—	1	4	14	10
..... \$1,000..	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	4	5
Cotton..... farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sunflower seed, flaxseed, safflower, canola, other rapeseed, and mustard seed..... farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Peanuts, rice, and tobacco..... farms..	2	—	1	—	—	—
..... \$1,000..	(D)	—	(D)	—	—	—
LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE						
Total cropland..... farms..	61 166	1 830	8 130	3 351	6 480	6 849
..... acres..	10 353 300	5 964	168 227	131 084	353 701	529 786
Harvested cropland..... farms..	54 369	1 468	6 345	2 652	5 350	5 851
..... acres..	8 625 011	3 970	102 949	82 228	230 559	373 042
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 49 acres.....	18 235	1 468	6 345	2 068	3 164	2 071
50 to 99 acres.....	10 349	—	—	584	2 186	2 627
100 to 199 acres.....	12 846	—	—	—	—	1 153
200 to 499 acres.....	10 030	—	—	—	—	—
500 to 999 acres.....	2 117	—	—	—	—	—
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	614	—	—	—	—	—
2,000 acres or more.....	178	—	—	—	—	—
Cropland:						
Pasture or grazing only..... farms..	27 104	431	2 839	1 191	2 498	2 864
..... acres..	959 426	1 439	30 667	19 277	49 762	66 770
In cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured..... farms..	6 815	44	811	462	866	929
..... acres..	254 572	112	11 803	11 065	23 810	31 902
On which all crops failed..... farms..	1 956	10	141	97	172	217
..... acres..	37 484	22	1 076	901	1 924	2 716
In cultivated summer fallow..... farms..	1 338	14	125	68	153	154
..... acres..	49 579	29	1 042	964	2 862	3 451
Idle..... farms..	11 024	148	1 456	737	1 592	1 498
..... acres..	427 228	392	20 690	16 649	44 784	51 905
Total woodland..... farms..	40 687	170	3 578	1 983	4 272	4 792
..... acres..	2 849 832	464	46 278	44 765	121 676	188 858
Woodland pastured..... farms..	14 293	45	892	503	1 143	1 504
..... acres..	707 514	117	9 064	8 920	23 312	40 049
Woodland not pastured..... farms..	34 791	134	2 941	1 675	3 617	4 029
..... acres..	2 142 318	347	37 214	35 845	98 364	148 809

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Table 49. **Summary by Size of Farm: 1997—Con.**

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

Item	140 to 179 acres	180 to 219 acres	220 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 to 1,999 acres	2,000 acres or more
NET CASH RETURN FROM AGRICULTURAL SALES FOR THE FARM UNIT (SEE TEXT)¹							
All farms..... number..	6 440	5 574	4 782	12 409	4 527	1 121	319
..... \$1,000..	58 003	89 254	94 225	379 162	279 137	172 594	134 777
Average per farm..... dollars..	9 007	16 013	19 704	30 555	61 660	153 965	422 498
Farms with net gains ² number..	3 497	3 460	3 244	9 184	3 480	929	274
Average net gain..... dollars..	22 866	30 901	33 483	45 981	87 151	197 978	507 148
Gain of—							
Less than \$1,000.....	241	181	134	189	37	1	—
\$1,000 to \$9,999.....	1 183	843	679	1 455	318	46	11
\$10,000 to \$49,999.....	1 696	1 815	1 717	4 549	1 203	175	15
\$50,000 or more.....	377	621	714	2 991	1 922	707	248
Farms with net losses..... number..	2 943	2 114	1 538	3 225	1 047	192	45
Average net loss..... dollars..	7 461	8 356	9 358	13 371	23 064	58 995	92 930
Loss of—							
Less than \$1,000.....	276	159	123	228	33	1	1
\$1,000 to \$9,999.....	1 995	1 392	902	1 590	363	29	5
\$10,000 to \$49,999.....	671	557	501	1 312	564	88	16
\$50,000 or more.....	1	6	12	95	87	74	23
GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS AND OTHER FARM-RELATED INCOME							
Government payments..... farms..	4 104	3 447	3 079	9 042	3 678	918	234
..... \$1,000..	9 699	9 243	8 876	35 921	29 054	15 916	6 693
Other farm-related income ¹ farms..	3 485	2 918	2 821	7 699	2 900	624	162
..... \$1,000..	6 635	8 052	8 449	27 036	19 242	9 689	3 767
Customwork and other agricultural services..... farms..	472	366	436	1 616	830	301	77
..... \$1,000..	1 506	2 821	2 991	8 753	8 908	5 447	1 734
Gross cash rent or share payments..... farms..	686	401	358	803	311	66	38
..... \$1,000..	2 409	1 872	1 429	4 080	2 924	1 334	1 022
Forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products..... farms..	294	242	241	824	359	72	21
..... \$1,000..	1 136	1 375	1 426	6 162	2 403	600	420
Other farm-related income sources..... farms..	2 722	2 467	2 452	6 720	2 543	531	127
..... \$1,000..	1 582	1 983	2 603	8 042	5 007	2 308	590
COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS							
Total..... farms..	212	241	269	980	701	236	78
..... \$1,000..	633	1 049	1 577	9 716	18 789	17 635	16 464
Corn..... farms..	198	235	259	941	659	222	74
..... \$1,000..	560	892	1 336	8 196	14 448	12 951	12 048
Wheat..... farms..	9	14	8	33	27	10	11
..... \$1,000..	11	25	(D)	72	135	98	(D)
Soybeans..... farms..	11	16	25	125	167	89	36
..... \$1,000..	57	121	230	1 420	4 188	4 579	3 970
Sorghum, barley, and oats..... farms..	28	19	19	42	15	4	1
..... \$1,000..	6	12	8	27	17	8	(D)
Cotton..... farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sunflower seed, flaxseed, safflower, canola, other rapeseed, and mustard seed..... farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Peanuts, rice, and tobacco..... farms..	—	—	1	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000..	—	—	(D)	—	—	—	—
LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE							
Total cropland..... farms..	6 642	5 295	4 419	12 192	4 551	1 112	315
..... acres..	703 524	715 661	726 130	2 970 237	2 172 405	1 140 310	736 271
Harvested cropland..... farms..	5 931	4 902	4 149	11 810	4 491	1 107	313
..... acres..	519 785	558 733	588 725	2 505 899	1 923 145	1 050 733	685 243
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 49 acres.....	1 336	719	370	568	112	12	2
50 to 99 acres.....	1 990	1 192	698	935	115	17	5
100 to 199 acres.....	2 605	2 774	2 120	3 789	371	22	12
200 to 499 acres.....	—	217	961	6 518	2 218	103	13
500 to 999 acres.....	—	—	—	—	1 675	425	17
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	—	—	—	—	—	528	86
2,000 acres or more.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	178
Cropland:							
Pasture or grazing only..... farms..	3 076	2 595	2 289	6 559	2 255	420	87
..... acres..	88 899	83 295	81 324	301 795	163 967	49 971	22 260
In cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured..... farms..	827	611	423	1 224	447	122	49
..... acres..	31 774	24 127	16 784	51 901	24 836	13 470	12 988
On which all crops failed..... farms..	244	177	134	492	193	54	25
..... acres..	3 635	2 599	2 485	10 413	6 803	2 948	1 962
In cultivated summer fallow..... farms..	165	148	112	282	98	15	4
..... acres..	4 150	5 547	4 307	17 186	8 067	1 127	847
Idle..... farms..	1 321	937	670	1 718	680	191	76
..... acres..	55 281	41 360	32 505	83 043	45 587	22 061	12 971
Total woodland..... farms..	4 789	3 925	3 358	9 462	3 413	756	189
..... acres..	240 350	233 659	223 317	900 576	564 866	180 978	104 045
Woodland pastured..... farms..	1 638	1 451	1 298	4 026	1 486	258	49
..... acres..	57 635	59 308	57 246	250 511	148 935	41 156	11 261
Woodland not pastured..... farms..	4 043	3 334	2 884	8 253	3 029	677	175
..... acres..	182 715	174 351	166 071	650 065	415 931	139 822	92 784

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Table 49. Summary by Size of Farm: 1997—Con.

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Item	Total	1 to 9 acres	10 to 49 acres	50 to 69 acres	70 to 99 acres	100 to 139 acres
LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE—Con.						
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured..... farms..	15 896	414	1 757	730	1 500	1 686
..... acres..	707 024	1 674	24 161	15 384	34 207	49 036
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. farms..	45 793	2 024	6 518	2 480	4 840	5 006
..... acres..	990 049	5 220	42 562	24 964	55 339	70 209
Irrigated land farms..	2 025	289	316	66	113	126
..... acres..	341 813	446	1 863	801	2 129	3 436
Harvested cropland irrigated farms..	1 980	285	305	58	109	122
..... acres..	339 850	437	1 722	594	1 986	3 391
Pasture and other land irrigated farms..	100	6	16	10	10	7
..... acres..	1 963	9	141	207	143	45
Land under Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs farms..	11 907	47	1 535	920	1 787	1 690
..... acres..	593 739	169	32 811	28 093	68 012	79 689
VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS¹						
Estimated market value of land and buildings farms..	65 585	3 030	9 756	3 662	6 990	6 975
..... \$1,000..	18 503 801	257 289	1 106 811	433 171	919 910	1 052 381
Average per farm dollars..	282 135	84 914	113 449	118 288	131 604	150 879
Average per acre dollars..	1 244	19 823	3 879	2 018	1 599	1 284
Farms by value group:						
\$1 to \$39,999	4 616	1 392	1 974	392	417	244
\$40,000 to \$69,999	6 075	472	1 985	930	1 117	807
\$70,000 to \$99,999	6 986	343	1 659	757	1 610	1 027
\$100,000 to \$149,999	10 858	389	1 693	790	1 834	2 165
\$150,000 to \$199,999	8 928	211	1 125	308	950	1 176
\$200,000 to \$499,999	20 235	209	1 185	416	943	1 432
\$500,000 to \$999,999	5 322	5	111	55	110	99
\$1,000,000 to \$1,999,999	1 754	2	23	14	8	25
\$2,000,000 to \$4,999,999	681	1	1	—	1	—
\$5,000,000 or more	130	6	—	—	—	—
VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT¹						
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment farms..	65 571	3 030	9 754	3 662	6 983	6 975
..... \$1,000..	4 375 650	85 738	241 376	89 922	192 000	232 962
Farms by value group:						
\$1 to \$4,999	4 595	471	1 455	467	676	603
\$5,000 to \$9,999	7 540	664	2 093	773	1 217	1 026
\$10,000 to \$19,999	10 517	647	2 354	952	1 791	1 483
\$20,000 to \$49,999	17 243	835	2 709	1 054	2 295	2 420
\$50,000 to \$99,999	11 470	231	774	309	673	990
\$100,000 to \$199,999	9 238	127	273	72	284	392
\$200,000 to \$499,999	4 297	53	89	34	45	52
\$500,000 or more	671	2	7	1	2	9
SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT¹						
Motortrucks, including pickups farms..	57 250	2 414	7 942	2 838	5 715	5 614
..... number..	93 528	3 548	11 008	3 782	7 752	7 870
Wheel tractors farms..	61 085	2 502	8 748	3 422	6 634	6 558
..... number..	181 986	5 280	18 252	7 669	16 053	17 487
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) farms..	35 112	1 579	5 627	2 109	3 954	3 784
..... number..	58 169	2 490	8 930	3 363	6 436	6 274
40 horsepower (PTO) or more farms..	51 275	1 611	5 756	2 595	5 380	5 566
..... number..	123 817	2 790	9 322	4 306	9 617	11 213
40 to 99 horsepower (PTO) farms..	48 061	1 534	5 366	2 437	5 078	5 319
..... number..	90 801	2 373	7 936	3 781	8 246	9 391
100 horsepower (PTO) or more farms..	21 660	328	1 195	465	1 157	1 554
..... number..	33 016	417	1 386	525	1 371	1 822
Grain and bean combines farms..	17 242	108	806	442	1 159	1 475
..... number..	18 735	124	855	456	1 251	1 607
Cotton pickers and strippers farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... number..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Mower conditioners farms..	37 370	341	2 651	1 385	3 296	3 716
..... number..	41 119	376	2 793	1 467	3 518	4 005
Pickup balers farms..	36 563	347	2 832	1 337	3 303	3 542
..... number..	44 143	406	3 105	1 534	3 706	4 043
AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS¹						
Commercial fertilizer farms..	43 969	841	3 724	1 674	3 864	4 248
..... acres on which used..	6 260 175	2 177	51 947	42 428	133 321	210 844
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—						
Insects on hay and other crops farms..	14 345	442	1 109	395	844	1 050
..... acres on which used..	1 540 373	1 005	12 485	6 973	21 469	40 092
Nematodes in crops farms..	1 725	63	78	44	87	167
..... acres on which used..	164 718	162	867	745	1 792	6 606
Diseases in crops and orchards farms..	2 671	333	551	139	206	202
..... acres on which used..	212 528	618	4 067	1 230	3 388	5 873
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture farms..	31 659	377	2 258	1 123	2 452	2 998
..... acres on which used..	3 986 234	1 241	33 206	28 107	79 695	125 359
Chemicals used on crops to control growth, thin fruit, or defoliate farms..	1 389	112	136	34	102	135
..... acres on which used..	133 698	283	1 341	161	2 084	3 593

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Table 49. Summary by Size of Farm: 1997—Con.

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Item	140 to 179 acres	180 to 219 acres	220 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 to 1,999 acres	2,000 acres or more
LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE—Con.							
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured..... farms..	1 730	1 410	1 299	3 642	1 372	274	82
acres..	58 667	53 533	54 392	204 422	131 861	45 869	33 818
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. farms..	4 837	3 855	3 175	8 695	3 335	803	225
acres..	78 031	69 686	65 784	239 241	161 385	90 587	87 041
Irrigated land farms..	116	82	61	299	263	185	109
acres..	4 369	3 660	3 406	29 182	60 608	86 023	145 890
Harvested cropland irrigated farms..	114	81	59	294	259	185	109
acres..	4 268	3 492	(D)	28 966	60 149	85 898	(D)
Pasture and other land irrigated farms..	6	4	2	20	11	6	2
acres..	101	168	(D)	216	459	125	(D)
Land under Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs farms..	1 407	1 006	720	1 809	722	200	64
acres..	77 846	60 177	47 177	117 682	55 846	20 044	6 193
VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS¹							
Estimated market value of land and buildings..... farms..	6 440	5 574	4 782	12 409	4 527	1 121	319
\$1,000..	1 213 155	1 247 390	1 282 476	4 468 803	3 296 868	1 923 948	1 301 598
Average per farm dollars..	188 378	223 787	268 188	360 126	728 268	1 716 278	4 080 244
Average per acre dollars..	1 188	1 129	1 129	1 035	1 109	1 320	1 354
Farms by value group:							
\$1 to \$39,999	97	15	12	70	2	1	—
\$40,000 to \$69,999	400	181	74	103	5	1	—
\$70,000 to \$99,999	759	373	227	228	3	—	—
\$100,000 to \$149,999	1 515	994	547	867	63	—	1
\$150,000 to \$199,999	1 566	1 261	955	1 271	103	2	—
\$200,000 to \$499,999	1 928	2 518	2 564	7 444	1 549	45	2
\$500,000 to \$999,999	137	205	352	2 140	1 852	243	13
\$1,000,000 to \$1,999,999	31	17	49	256	780	501	48
\$2,000,000 to \$4,999,999	7	10	2	29	165	298	167
\$5,000,000 or more	—	—	—	1	5	30	88
VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT¹							
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment farms..	6 440	5 569	4 782	12 409	4 527	1 121	319
\$1,000..	292 985	320 774	337 155	1 257 281	768 433	374 865	182 160
Farms by value group:							
\$1 to \$4,999	423	158	108	191	39	3	1
\$5,000 to \$9,999	569	462	279	342	102	11	2
\$10,000 to \$19,999	1 133	755	516	741	110	28	7
\$20,000 to \$49,999	2 285	1 757	1 258	2 231	357	32	10
\$50,000 to \$99,999	1 198	1 353	1 445	3 561	847	72	17
\$100,000 to \$199,999	705	883	923	3 755	1 568	218	38
\$200,000 to \$499,999	126	195	230	1 506	1 337	525	105
\$500,000 or more	1	6	23	82	167	232	139
SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT¹							
Motortrucks, including pickups farms..	5 541	5 007	4 440	11 847	4 460	1 114	318
number..	7 784	7 134	6 186	19 942	10 747	4 961	2 814
Wheel tractors farms..	6 181	5 286	4 554	11 698	4 181	1 021	300
number..	17 748	16 444	14 972	41 467	18 505	5 735	2 374
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) farms..	3 500	2 962	2 460	6 354	2 172	472	139
number..	5 879	4 948	4 064	10 640	3 882	892	371
40 horsepower (PTO) or more farms..	5 502	4 746	4 204	10 788	3 874	964	289
number..	11 869	11 496	10 908	30 827	14 623	4 843	2 003
40 to 99 horsepower (PTO) farms..	5 092	4 466	4 027	10 125	3 557	830	230
number..	9 334	8 762	8 219	21 083	8 548	2 307	821
100 horsepower (PTO) or more farms..	2 161	2 201	2 123	6 601	2 844	800	231
number..	2 535	2 734	2 689	9 744	6 075	2 536	1 182
Grain and bean combines..... farms..	1 639	1 609	1 496	5 098	2 433	753	224
number..	1 727	1 727	1 598	5 406	2 781	904	299
Cotton pickers and strippers..... farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
number..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Mower conditioners farms..	4 218	3 855	3 619	9 945	3 468	713	163
number..	4 562	4 200	3 939	11 098	4 085	868	208
Pickup balers..... farms..	4 129	3 767	3 453	9 697	3 354	653	149
number..	4 968	4 437	4 267	12 171	4 379	911	216
AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS¹							
Commercial fertilizer farms..	4 562	4 445	3 999	11 044	4 173	1 088	307
acres on which used..	321 431	404 255	432 050	1 792 064	1 412 981	865 651	591 026
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—							
Insects on hay and other crops farms..	1 251	1 334	1 125	4 118	1 870	584	223
acres on which used..	60 015	81 741	72 280	393 193	362 734	251 000	237 386
Nematodes in crops farms..	123	209	176	486	174	76	42
acres on which used..	6 061	12 443	13 161	46 798	25 519	26 146	24 418
Diseases in crops and orchards..... farms..	117	189	116	411	236	103	68
acres on which used..	2 633	7 025	5 898	27 206	34 511	39 978	80 101
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture farms..	3 205	3 354	3 084	8 440	3 306	810	252
acres on which used..	180 912	228 180	239 305	1 044 722	910 975	631 338	483 194
Chemicals used on crops to control growth, thin fruit, or defoliate farms..	119	76	132	314	141	54	34
acres on which used..	2 501	3 470	8 385	24 753	26 739	20 218	40 170

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Table 49. Summary by Size of Farm: 1997—Con.

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Item	Total	1 to 9 acres	10 to 49 acres	50 to 69 acres	70 to 99 acres	100 to 139 acres
TENURE AND RACE OF OPERATOR						
All operators	65 602	3 142	9 673	3 684	6 876	7 141
Full owners	39 217	2 508	7 993	2 893	5 408	5 181
Part owners	21 921	149	940	551	1 074	1 494
Tenants	4 464	485	740	240	394	466
White	65 418	3 099	9 632	3 671	6 852	7 121
Full owners	39 098	2 490	7 959	2 884	5 391	5 165
Part owners	21 892	147	934	550	1 071	1 493
Tenants	4 428	462	739	237	390	463
Black and other races	184	43	41	13	24	20
Full owners	119	18	34	9	17	16
Part owners	29	2	6	1	3	1
Tenants	36	23	1	3	4	3
OWNED AND RENTED LAND						
Land owned	farms.. 61 266	2 664	8 970	3 462	6 495	6 685
Owned land in farms	acres.. 11 600 493	72 151	386 267	272 774	576 278	807 784
Land rented or leased from others	farms.. 61 138	2 657	8 933	3 444	6 482	6 675
Owned land in farms	acres.. 10 833 260	11 170	248 328	188 029	497 473	722 097
Land rented or leased from others	farms.. 26 563	659	1 717	804	1 489	1 978
Owned land in farms	acres.. 4 125 776	3 751	37 732	30 927	70 392	120 123
Land rented or leased from others	landlords.. 70 042	987	2 809	1 374	2 601	3 412
Rented or leased land in farms	farms.. 26 385	634	1 680	791	1 468	1 960
Land rented or leased to others	acres.. 4 066 945	2 152	32 900	28 168	67 450	115 792
Land rented or leased to others	farms.. 10 586	771	2 557	1 205	1 355	1 332
Owned land in farms	acres.. 826 064	62 580	142 771	87 504	81 747	90 018
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS						
Operators by place of residence:						
On farm operated	53 287	2 134	7 381	2 763	5 330	5 652
Not on farm operated	9 098	761	1 693	706	1 179	1 155
Not reported	3 217	247	599	215	367	334
Operators by principal occupation:						
Farming	39 030	1 030	2 852	1 228	2 745	3 628
Other	26 572	2 112	6 821	2 456	4 131	3 513
Operators by days worked off farm:						
None	31 334	866	2 534	1 068	2 268	2 854
Any	31 303	2 130	6 769	2 485	4 339	3 973
1 to 99 days	5 364	252	598	290	499	550
100 to 199 days	4 851	226	867	351	603	637
200 days or more	21 088	1 652	5 304	1 844	3 237	2 786
Not reported	2 965	146	370	131	269	314
Operators by years on present farm:						
2 years or less	2 983	295	733	235	393	325
3 or 4 years	3 690	326	852	302	480	424
5 to 9 years	8 517	609	1 771	571	1 049	944
10 years or more	42 355	1 339	4 951	2 051	4 104	4 566
Average years on present farm	21.2	13.8	16.3	19.2	20.1	21.5
Not reported	8 057	573	1 366	525	850	882
Operators by age group:						
Under 25 years	632	67	116	37	72	61
25 to 34 years	5 294	395	909	316	549	549
35 to 44 years	15 535	904	2 388	795	1 409	1 467
45 to 49 years	8 715	421	1 343	446	857	797
50 to 54 years	8 091	362	1 185	408	841	883
55 to 59 years	7 168	299	994	372	686	802
60 to 64 years	6 501	220	819	390	701	710
65 to 69 years	5 387	179	736	338	675	663
70 years and over	8 279	295	1 183	582	1 086	1 209
Average age	52.2	48.6	51.3	53.3	53.7	53.9
Operators by sex:						
Male	61 201	2 728	8 552	3 329	6 324	6 639
Female	4 401	414	1 121	355	552	502
Operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin (see text)						
	251	17	47	14	23	17
FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION						
Individual or family (sole proprietorship)	farms.. 56 598	2 671	8 825	3 366	6 341	6 528
Partnership	acres.. 11 157 231	11 608	257 360	197 394	520 874	766 108
Corporation:	farms.. 5 746	235	499	222	392	467
Family held	acres.. 1 993 730	855	14 340	13 218	32 363	54 569
More than 10 stockholders	farms.. 2 651	169	252	60	92	88
10 or less stockholders	acres.. 1 554 968	630	6 739	3 506	7 558	10 278
Other than family held	farms.. 47	5	2	—	2	2
More than 10 stockholders	farms.. 2 604	164	250	60	90	86
10 or less stockholders	acres.. 219	28	49	7	12	10
Other — cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc.	acres.. 101 346	87	1 393	386	930	1 136
More than 10 stockholders	farms.. 45	4	4	1	1	2
10 or less stockholders	farms.. 174	24	45	6	11	8
Other — cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc.	farms.. 388	39	48	29	39	48
institutional, etc.	acres.. 92 930	142	1 396	1 693	3 198	5 798

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Item	140 to 179 acres	180 to 219 acres	220 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 to 1,999 acres	2,000 acres or more
TENURE AND RACE OF OPERATOR							
All operators	6 845	5 418	4 495	12 315	4 573	1 121	319
Full owners	4 480	3 045	2 187	4 296	976	173	77
Part owners	1 954	2 006	2 014	7 303	3 313	897	226
Tenants	411	367	294	716	284	51	16
White	6 835	5 409	4 489	12 308	4 564	1 120	318
Full owners	4 474	3 038	2 181	4 293	973	173	77
Part owners	1 950	2 004	2 014	7 300	3 307	896	226
Tenants	411	367	294	715	284	51	15
Black and other races	10	9	6	7	9	1	1
Full owners	6	7	6	3	3	—	—
Part owners	4	2	—	3	6	1	—
Tenants	—	—	—	1	—	—	1
OWNED AND RENTED LAND							
Land owned	farms.. 6 448	5 062	4 205	11 609	4 292	1 071	303
acres..	979 706	918 771	871 912	3 243 794	2 019 999	862 488	588 569
Owned land in farms	farms.. 6 434	5 051	4 201	11 599	4 289	1 070	303
acres..	912 770	867 935	841 471	3 157 061	1 976 010	841 544	569 372
Land rented or leased from others	farms.. 2 387	2 384	2 313	8 039	3 602	948	243
acres..	179 574	206 267	231 407	1 165 625	1 059 327	620 803	399 848
landlords..	4 421	4 859	4 932	20 854	14 277	6 639	2 877
Rented or leased land in farms	farms.. 2 365	2 373	2 308	8 019	3 597	948	242
acres..	167 802	204 604	228 152	1 157 415	1 054 507	616 200	391 803
Land rented or leased to others	farms.. 945	598	414	931	340	92	46
acres..	78 708	52 499	33 696	94 943	48 809	25 547	27 242
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS							
Operators by place of residence:							
On farm operated	5 643	4 609	3 938	10 882	3 893	862	200
Not on farm operated	935	603	373	1 055	426	142	70
Not reported	267	206	184	378	254	117	49
Operators by principal occupation:							
Farming	4 254	3 892	3 477	10 424	4 164	1 040	296
Other	2 591	1 526	1 018	1 891	409	81	23
Operators by days worked off farm:							
None	3 404	2 992	2 728	8 319	3 266	810	225
Any	3 144	2 170	1 545	3 483	1 011	205	49
1 to 99 days	527	488	412	1 157	463	108	20
100 to 199 days	556	392	321	680	181	28	9
200 days or more	2 061	1 290	812	1 646	367	69	20
Not reported	297	256	222	513	296	106	45
Operators by years on present farm:							
2 years or less	287	187	116	297	97	18	—
3 or 4 years	360	261	181	364	117	19	4
5 to 9 years	813	619	496	1 238	322	61	24
10 years or more	4 654	3 811	3 208	9 208	3 422	826	215
Average years on present farm	22.6	23.0	22.9	23.6	25.2	26.1	25.3
Not reported	731	540	494	1 208	615	197	76
Operators by age group:							
Under 25 years	66	52	21	97	31	11	1
25 to 34 years	541	425	338	896	298	64	14
35 to 44 years	1 469	1 222	1 128	3 281	1 128	275	69
45 to 49 years	839	739	633	1 731	677	170	62
50 to 54 years	803	667	556	1 549	618	180	39
55 to 59 years	696	584	516	1 451	583	133	52
60 to 64 years	719	534	422	1 321	511	122	32
65 to 69 years	633	442	364	899	366	73	19
70 years and over	1 079	753	517	1 090	361	93	31
Average age	53.4	52.6	51.9	51.1	51.5	51.2	52.2
Operators by sex:							
Male	6 393	5 126	4 272	11 961	4 464	1 102	311
Female	452	292	223	354	109	19	8
Operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin (see text)	18	25	21	47	16	1	5
FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION							
Individual or family (sole proprietorship)	farms.. 6 169	4 843	3 979	10 196	3 022	544	114
acres..	974 426	958 543	947 235	3 542 650	1 970 285	699 956	310 792
Partnership	farms.. 502	430	378	1 442	885	225	69
acres..	78 433	85 188	89 749	521 784	591 081	293 274	218 876
Corporation:							
Family held	farms.. 107	111	119	589	613	331	120
acres..	17 145	22 051	28 079	218 330	431 025	435 816	373 811
More than 10 stockholders	farms.. —	—	1	4	12	13	6
10 or less stockholders	farms.. 107	111	118	585	601	318	114
Other than family held	farms.. 17	11	6	30	23	14	12
acres..	2 691	2 231	1 446	10 622	17 779	19 702	42 943
More than 10 stockholders	farms.. 4	1	1	5	6	7	9
10 or less stockholders	farms.. 13	10	5	25	17	7	3
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc.	farms.. 50	23	13	58	30	7	4
acres..	7 877	4 526	3 114	21 090	20 347	8 996	14 753

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Table 49. Summary by Size of Farm: 1997—Con.

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Item	Total	1 to 9 acres	10 to 49 acres	50 to 69 acres	70 to 99 acres	100 to 139 acres
INJURIES AND DEATHS						
Farm-related injuries:						
Operator and family members farms	1 282	27	81	24	83	87
Operator and family members number	1 503	28	91	(D)	92	97
Hired workers farms	477	10	20	14	15	18
Hired workers number	777	16	32	15	19	26
Farm-related deaths:						
Operator and family members farms	19	—	1	—	1	2
Operator and family members number	19	—	(D)	—	(D)	(D)
Hired workers farms	4	—	—	—	—	—
Hired workers number	4	—	—	—	—	—
FARMS BY SIZE						
1 to 9 acres	3 142	3 142	—	—	—	—
10 to 49 acres	9 673	—	9 673	—	—	—
50 to 69 acres	3 684	—	—	3 684	—	—
70 to 99 acres	6 876	—	—	—	6 876	—
100 to 139 acres	7 141	—	—	—	—	7 141
140 to 179 acres	6 845	—	—	—	—	—
180 to 219 acres	5 418	—	—	—	—	—
220 to 259 acres	4 495	—	—	—	—	—
260 to 499 acres	12 315	—	—	—	—	—
500 to 999 acres	4 573	—	—	—	—	—
1,000 to 1,999 acres	1 121	—	—	—	—	—
2,000 acres or more	319	—	—	—	—	—
FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM						
Oilseed and grain farming (1111)	15 982	110	2 303	1 239	2 377	2 252
Vegetable and melon farming (1112)	1 293	125	287	90	153	130
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113)	839	111	255	50	80	87
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114)	1 680	442	475	118	163	138
Other crop farming (1119)	7 527	424	1 553	638	1 126	990
Tobacco farming (11191)	280	110	104	14	19	15
Cotton farming (11192)	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199)	7 247	314	1 449	624	1 107	975
Beef cattle ranching and farming (11211)	9 469	625	1 840	684	1 252	1 209
Cattle feedlots (11212)	2 540	213	560	196	326	291
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212)	20 958	193	500	273	844	1 624
Hog and pig farming (1122)	1 179	189	247	73	102	117
Poultry and egg production (1123)	466	94	123	19	57	38
Sheep and goat farming (1124)	805	135	319	79	81	58
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129)	2 864	481	1 211	225	315	207
LIVESTOCK						
Cattle and calves inventory farms	39 593	1 101	3 598	1 532	3 172	3 968
Cattle and calves inventory number	3 440 300	50 352	117 268	50 701	100 786	162 662
Farms with—						
1 to 9	4 068	480	1 422	355	596	453
10 to 49	12 949	432	1 794	979	2 098	2 270
50 to 99	10 356	87	194	135	384	1 053
100 to 199	8 881	48	81	42	67	176
200 to 499	2 890	39	75	14	20	14
500 or more	449	15	32	7	7	2
Cows and heifers that had calved farms						
Cows and heifers that had calved number	32 097	537	2 050	978	2 238	3 049
Beef cows farms	1 559 148	10 215	30 452	16 730	40 330	74 314
Beef cows number	11 642	304	1 467	684	1 332	1 455
Beef cows farms	222 522	2 840	10 791	7 191	13 950	18 754
Beef cows number	—	—	—	—	—	—
Farms with—						
1 to 9	4 914	221	1 074	386	757	667
10 to 49	5 806	77	385	290	564	770
50 to 99	708	3	7	7	8	18
100 to 199	172	3	1	1	3	—
200 to 499	36	—	—	—	—	—
500 or more	6	—	—	—	—	—
Milk cows farms						
Milk cows number	22 576	258	660	318	985	1 708
Milk cows farms	1 336 626	7 375	19 661	9 539	26 380	55 560
Milk cows number	—	—	—	—	—	—
Farms with—						
1 to 4	537	64	132	27	89	56
5 to 9	297	26	76	15	55	25
10 to 49	10 452	119	350	229	743	1 388
50 to 99	8 839	41	75	36	91	222
100 to 199	1 916	6	20	7	5	15
200 to 499	481	2	5	3	1	2
500 or more	54	—	2	1	1	—
Heifers and heifer calves farms						
Heifers and heifer calves number	32 353	605	2 160	1 062	2 253	3 106
Heifers and heifer calves farms	1 202 635	10 986	25 753	12 921	28 441	54 546
Heifers and heifer calves number	—	—	—	—	—	—
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves farms						
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves number	28 582	793	2 675	1 157	2 370	2 849
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves farms	678 517	29 151	61 063	21 050	32 015	33 802
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves number	—	—	—	—	—	—

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Table 49. Summary by Size of Farm: 1997—Con.

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Item	140 to 179 acres	180 to 219 acres	220 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 to 1,999 acres	2,000 acres or more
INJURIES AND DEATHS							
Farm-related injuries:							
Operator and family members farms ..	132	115	123	418	158	32	2
..... number ..	143	129	139	515	195	45	(D)
Hired workers farms ..	21	21	20	99	119	70	50
..... number ..	23	34	24	136	166	115	171
Farm-related deaths:							
Operator and family members farms ..	—	1	1	9	4	—	—
..... number ..	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	—
Hired workers farms ..	—	—	—	1	2	1	—
..... number ..	—	—	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	—
FARMS BY SIZE							
1 to 9 acres	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
10 to 49 acres	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
50 to 69 acres	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
70 to 99 acres	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100 to 139 acres	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
140 to 179 acres	6 845	—	—	—	—	—	—
180 to 219 acres	—	5 418	—	—	—	—	—
220 to 259 acres	—	—	4 495	—	—	—	—
260 to 499 acres	—	—	—	12 315	—	—	—
500 to 999 acres	—	—	—	—	4 573	—	—
1,000 to 1,999 acres	—	—	—	—	—	1 121	—
2,000 acres or more	—	—	—	—	—	—	319
FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM							
Oilseed and grain farming (1111)	1 910	1 231	894	2 136	983	411	136
Vegetable and melon farming (1112)	97	71	28	104	87	69	52
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113)	50	29	25	58	41	35	18
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114)	78	66	50	96	40	8	6
Other crop farming (1119)	867	536	384	761	189	46	13
Tobacco farming (11191)	10	6	—	2	—	—	—
Cotton farming (11192)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199)	857	530	384	759	189	46	13
Beef cattle ranching and farming (11211)	1 027	688	488	1 164	391	83	18
Cattle feedlots (11212)	198	168	126	299	129	26	8
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212)	2 304	2 444	2 359	7 371	2 578	410	58
Hog and pig farming (1122)	94	58	50	161	67	17	4
Poultry and egg production (1123)	22	19	22	38	26	6	2
Sheep and goat farming (1124)	55	20	17	36	4	1	—
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129)	143	88	52	91	38	9	4
LIVESTOCK							
Cattle and calves inventory farms ..	4 279	3 873	3 428	10 042	3 692	748	160
..... number ..	237 787	263 836	274 568	1 119 662	713 670	246 815	102 193
Farms with—							
1 to 9	274	165	97	184	39	3	—
10 to 49	1 878	1 192	788	1 251	233	24	10
50 to 99	1 660	1 751	1 467	3 061	495	58	11
100 to 199	431	723	1 016	4 687	1 445	148	17
200 to 499	30	39	56	836	1 363	365	39
500 or more	6	3	4	23	117	150	83
Cows and heifers that had calved farms ..	3 557	3 358	3 054	9 107	3 376	662	131
..... number ..	111 632	127 850	134 503	530 028	325 149	112 086	45 859
Beef cows farms ..	1 279	1 003	781	2 173	914	204	46
..... number ..	20 057	17 683	15 296	56 312	36 410	14 638	8 600
Farms with—							
1 to 9	456	341	256	553	175	23	5
10 to 49	790	622	473	1 295	461	70	9
50 to 99	29	35	45	292	199	54	11
100 to 199	4	4	6	29	70	42	9
200 to 499	—	1	1	3	9	15	7
500 or more	—	—	—	1	—	—	5
Milk cows farms ..	2 436	2 537	2 462	7 689	2 870	547	106
..... number ..	91 575	110 167	119 207	473 716	288 739	97 448	37 259
Farms with—							
1 to 4	47	39	19	57	6	1	—
5 to 9	43	10	16	22	7	1	1
10 to 49	1 823	1 612	1 304	2 490	371	19	4
50 to 99	500	844	1 078	4 416	1 375	145	16
100 to 199	23	27	41	646	890	209	27
200 to 499	—	5	4	56	214	155	34
500 or more	—	—	—	2	7	17	24
Heifers and heifer calves farms ..	3 565	3 359	3 045	9 078	3 330	656	134
..... number ..	83 993	97 085	103 025	416 402	251 826	83 737	33 920
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves farms ..	2 913	2 585	2 336	7 197	2 948	619	140
..... number ..	42 162	38 901	37 040	173 232	136 695	50 992	22 414

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Item	Total	1 to 9 acres	10 to 49 acres	50 to 69 acres	70 to 99 acres	100 to 139 acres
LIVESTOCK—Con.						
Cattle and calves sold	farms.. 38 832	1 002	3 212	1 435	3 042	3 845
	number.. 1 547 935	68 408	120 375	50 153	62 502	84 068
	\$1,000.. 670 518	33 606	56 131	22 083	27 638	34 173
Calves	farms.. 23 416	452	1 413	639	1 492	2 187
	number.. 737 495	49 016	87 697	36 796	30 596	39 400
	\$1,000.. 163 858	20 501	35 428	13 648	8 445	7 099
Cattle	farms.. 32 204	20 782	2 566	1 157	2 467	3 145
	number.. 810 440	19 392	32 678	13 357	31 906	44 668
	\$1,000.. 506 660	13 105	20 703	8 435	19 194	27 074
Fattened on grain and concentrates	farms.. 8 422	293	894	363	698	745
	number.. 254 671	4 935	10 481	4 185	7 612	9 812
	\$1,000.. 193 383	3 756	7 126	3 117	5 450	7 268
Hogs and pigs inventory	farms.. 3 686	244	523	194	313	385
	number.. 738 339	41 449	71 539	24 814	23 959	34 211
Farms with—						
1 to 24	1 653	135	355	128	189	212
25 to 49	396	34	50	20	30	52
50 to 99	381	16	39	18	30	37
100 to 199	368	18	20	6	29	36
200 to 499	493	21	32	8	28	36
500 or more	395	20	27	14	7	12
Used or to be used for breeding	farms.. 2 243	125	255	109	161	239
	number.. 102 240	4 498	11 853	5 001	4 585	5 158
Other	farms.. 3 451	228	483	177	295	356
	number.. 636 099	36 951	59 686	19 813	19 374	29 053
Hogs and pigs sold	farms.. 3 591	256	504	174	289	357
	number.. 1 523 490	111 016	193 112	72 004	73 722	76 497
	\$1,000.. 151 164	9 110	15 404	5 268	5 691	7 416
Feeder pigs	farms.. 766	55	111	49	62	92
	number.. 414 835	31 946	94 420	48 226	38 773	20 510
	\$1,000.. 17 090	1 285	3 751	2 054	1 490	838
Litters of pigs farrowed between—						
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30	farms.. 2 359	135	277	117	179	245
	number.. 160 294	8 637	20 678	9 441	7 040	7 896
Dec. 1 and May 31	farms.. 2 152	122	250	101	155	216
	number.. 81 067	4 724	10 109	4 794	3 445	3 953
June 1 and Nov. 30	farms.. 2 054	123	221	92	158	204
	number.. 79 227	3 913	10 569	4 647	3 595	3 943
Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory	farms.. 2 100	176	529	174	230	201
	number.. 76 113	3 002	14 487	4 715	6 361	6 333
Ewes 1 year old or older	farms.. 1 857	162	466	154	200	186
	number.. 45 908	1 945	8 867	2 993	4 021	4 017
Sheep and lambs sold	farms.. 1 781	156	451	146	194	174
	number.. 59 000	2 346	12 602	3 677	4 706	4 495
Sheep and lambs shorn	farms.. 1 696	144	443	137	183	164
	number.. 59 686	2 580	12 052	3 701	4 825	4 825
	pounds of wool.. 449 974	20 897	88 624	27 662	38 328	38 740
Horses and ponies inventory	farms.. 8 822	512	2 217	633	1 045	964
	number.. 52 448	2 758	13 872	3 761	6 133	6 004
Horses and ponies sold	farms.. 1 657	153	539	118	205	181
	number.. 6 682	913	1 700	427	680	1 341
Goats inventory	farms.. 1 217	117	380	118	158	106
	number.. 20 071	3 313	5 035	1 458	1 703	1 934
Goats sold	farms.. 293	39	103	30	36	28
	number.. 7 339	543	3 925	349	541	706
POULTRY						
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text)	farms.. 2 534	183	585	175	339	318
	number.. 4 117 078	(D)	1 346 991	21 598	138 976	(D)
Farms with—						
1 to 399	2 458	170	571	172	332	317
400 to 3,199	39	7	7	2	3	—
3,200 to 9,999	7	—	—	—	—	—
10,000 to 19,999	9	1	1	1	2	—
20,000 to 49,999	6	1	—	—	1	—
50,000 to 99,999	8	4	2	—	1	—
100,000 or more	7	—	3	—	—	—
Layers 20 weeks old and older	farms.. 2 457	175	566	172	329	307
	number.. 3 692 115	343 665	1 116 922	20 886	136 793	29 329
Pullets 13 weeks old and older but less than 20 weeks old	farms.. 449	37	117	29	63	61
	number.. 424 963	(D)	230 069	712	2 183	(D)
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold (see text)	farms.. 309	44	75	21	43	23
	number.. 2 530 496	231 704	823 946	15 702	71 301	(D)
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold	farms.. 587	66	147	50	84	66
	number.. 27 607 761	1 573 651	4 533 522	(D)	2 801 489	1 776 297
Farms with—						
1 to 1,999	507	56	140	44	75	56
2,000 to 59,999	22	6	1	4	4	5
60,000 to 99,999	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 or more	58	4	6	2	5	5
Turkey hens kept for breeding	farms.. 190	19	50	13	27	18
	number.. (D)	(D)	163	40	91	54
Turkeys sold	farms.. 188	28	51	11	15	19
	number.. (D)	139 369	288 982	366	133 808	170 617

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Item	140 to 179 acres	180 to 219 acres	220 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 to 1,999 acres	2,000 acres or more
LIVESTOCK—Con.							
Cattle and calves sold	farms.. 4 264	3 883	3 438	10 080	3 714	755	162
	number.. 111 200	107 954	107 854	421 378	263 859	101 139	49 045
	\$1,000.. 45 402	41 465	39 301	172 463	121 277	49 601	27 380
Calves	farms.. 2 714	2 582	2 441	6 800	2 242	384	70
	number.. 55 314	52 103	53 779	189 622	96 170	34 172	12 830
	\$1,000.. 11 847	8 050	8 042	28 996	14 645	5 286	1 872
Cattle	farms.. 3 498	3 203	2 833	8 458	3 259	686	150
	number.. 55 886	55 851	54 075	231 756	167 689	66 967	36 215
	\$1,000.. 33 555	33 415	31 259	143 467	106 632	44 315	25 507
Fattened on grain and concentrates	farms.. 680	664	592	2 030	1 090	297	76
	number.. 11 541	13 015	11 960	64 319	65 545	32 830	18 436
	\$1,000.. 8 481	9 493	8 852	49 222	50 633	25 762	14 222
Hogs and pigs inventory	farms.. 333	256	229	733	361	85	30
	number.. 45 448	31 964	36 313	182 207	146 956	69 848	29 631
Farms with—							
1 to 24	152	116	90	206	63	6	1
25 to 49	42	30	30	79	21	6	2
50 to 99	50	28	30	84	40	6	3
100 to 199	36	32	27	95	62	7	—
200 to 499	36	37	33	156	75	24	7
500 or more	17	13	19	113	100	36	17
Used or to be used for breeding	farms.. 221	174	141	522	230	52	14
	number.. 10 822	4 220	4 322	23 495	17 551	7 926	2 809
Other	farms.. 310	235	221	679	353	84	30
	number.. 34 626	27 744	31 991	158 712	129 405	61 922	26 822
Hogs and pigs sold	farms.. 330	234	227	737	360	93	30
	number.. 90 780	58 032	57 353	335 265	243 804	159 408	52 497
	\$1,000.. 9 298	5 721	6 469	36 257	26 900	17 406	6 223
Feeder pigs	farms.. 76	67	53	135	48	15	3
	number.. 24 013	13 879	(D)	53 724	38 799	41 945	(D)
	\$1,000.. 1 070	618	(D)	2 206	1 569	1 815	(D)
Litters of pigs farrowed between—							
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30	farms.. 224	182	149	545	236	56	14
	number.. 11 215	7 211	6 798	36 395	25 974	14 308	4 701
Dec. 1 and May 31	farms.. 209	169	137	503	223	53	14
	number.. 5 787	3 691	3 575	18 479	13 024	7 122	2 364
June 1 and Nov. 30	farms.. 192	155	129	488	222	56	14
	number.. 5 428	3 520	3 223	17 916	12 950	7 186	2 337
Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory	farms.. 195	134	103	253	72	24	9
	number.. 10 405	4 790	4 679	14 185	3 951	2 357	848
Ewes 1 year old or older	farms.. 173	116	91	224	57	21	7
	number.. 6 655	2 733	2 891	8 047	2 336	899	504
Sheep and lambs sold	farms.. 169	107	77	218	60	22	7
	number.. 8 562	3 196	2 541	9 921	2 726	3 612	616
Sheep and lambs shorn	farms.. 164	98	72	209	56	21	5
	number.. 8 042	3 408	3 437	10 655	2 628	2 537	1 001
	pounds of wool.. 60 395	25 845	26 694	80 892	19 006	(D)	(D)
Horses and ponies inventory	farms.. 761	573	434	1 131	431	92	29
	number.. 4 792	3 262	2 117	5 786	2 630	1 005	328
Horses and ponies sold	farms.. 144	82	43	124	50	13	5
	number.. 463	290	122	387	231	110	18
Goats inventory	farms.. 81	52	45	113	37	8	2
	number.. 2 682	943	364	2 219	366	(D)	(D)
Goats sold	farms.. 12	8	9	22	4	2	—
	number.. 315	50	152	663	(D)	(D)	—
POULTRY							
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text)	farms.. 259	166	134	283	69	17	6
	number.. 35 332	57 735	13 579	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Farms with—							
1 to 399	252	163	128	266	67	16	4
400 to 3,199	5	1	5	7	—	1	1
3,200 to 9,999	1	—	1	4	—	—	—
10,000 to 19,999	1	—	—	4	—	—	—
20,000 to 49,999	—	2	—	—	—	—	—
50,000 to 99,999	—	—	—	1	—	—	—
100,000 or more	—	—	—	1	2	—	1
Layers 20 weeks old and older	farms.. 250	160	132	279	64	17	6
	number.. 31 691	56 733	8 433	635 055	(D)	1 468	(D)
Pullets 13 weeks old and older but less than 20 weeks old	farms.. 53	22	20	34	10	3	—
	number.. 3 641	1 002	5 146	(D)	(D)	(D)	—
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold (see text)	farms.. 33	14	11	34	6	3	2
	number.. 18 094	(D)	249	433 583	(D)	(D)	(D)
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold	farms.. 53	31	23	41	17	9	—
	number.. 1 802 860	1 670 698	1 976 595	5 698 197	4 274 979	(D)	—
Farms with—							
1 to 1,999	48	27	18	27	10	6	—
2,000 to 59,999	1	—	—	1	—	—	—
60,000 to 99,999	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 or more	4	4	5	13	7	3	—
Turkey hens kept for breeding	farms.. 20	5	8	18	8	2	2
	number.. (D)	14	45	178	48	(D)	(D)
Turkeys sold	farms.. 14	8	9	17	11	3	2
	number.. 64 736	84 227	(D)	375 624	405 530	(D)	(D)

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 49. Summary by Size of Farm: 1997—Con.

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

Item	Total	1 to 9 acres	10 to 49 acres	50 to 69 acres	70 to 99 acres	100 to 139 acres
SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED						
Corn for grain or seed						
farms	34 315	126	1 761	1 045	2 548	3 304
acres	2 877 971	553	21 290	20 524	54 443	90 618
bushels	362 498 739	60 969	2 283 847	2 244 604	6 096 100	10 439 079
Irrigated farms	462	1	4	—	12	9
acres	79 789	(D)	(D)	—	371	307
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres	10 490	126	1 558	718	1 716	1 804
25 to 99 acres	15 880	—	203	327	832	1 450
100 to 249 acres	5 776	—	—	—	—	50
250 to 499 acres	1 433	—	—	—	—	—
500 acres or more	736	—	—	—	—	—
Corn for silage or green chop						
farms	22 498	18	418	354	1 124	1 893
acres	717 549	58	4 237	4 002	14 102	30 403
tons, green	10 444 465	937	53 434	49 022	181 941	402 349
Irrigated farms	111	—	3	—	5	4
acres	3 863	—	18	—	56	37
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres	12 404	18	392	319	1 016	1 554
25 to 99 acres	9 009	—	26	35	108	337
100 to 249 acres	955	—	—	—	—	2
250 to 499 acres	104	—	—	—	—	—
500 acres or more	26	—	—	—	—	—
Wheat for grain						
farms	4 578	10	175	141	336	405
acres	150 469	37	1 911	2 043	5 633	6 810
bushels	8 083 650	2 017	88 131	92 434	277 151	354 192
Irrigated farms	13	—	—	—	1	—
acres	944	—	—	—	(D)	—
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres	2 709	10	164	120	277	322
25 to 99 acres	1 634	—	11	21	59	83
100 to 249 acres	197	—	—	—	—	—
250 to 499 acres	29	—	—	—	—	—
500 acres or more	9	—	—	—	—	—
Oats for grain						
farms	14 925	17	561	416	1 179	1 644
acres	314 722	42	4 749	4 290	13 610	22 118
bushels	18 623 580	3 166	253 738	245 992	794 733	1 283 102
Irrigated farms	45	—	—	2	4	4
acres	1 589	—	—	(D)	46	77
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres	10 565	17	537	388	1 096	1 481
25 to 99 acres	4 221	—	24	28	83	160
100 to 249 acres	120	—	—	—	—	3
250 to 499 acres	15	—	—	—	—	—
500 acres or more	4	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco						
farms	839	121	151	48	61	84
acres	2 553	209	337	85	107	215
pounds	5 355 466	393 312	715 239	168 287	217 872	443 054
Irrigated farms	—	—	—	—	—	—
acres	—	—	—	—	—	—
Farms by acres harvested:						
0.1 to 0.9 acres	185	35	35	20	17	19
1.0 to 1.9 acres	276	49	56	15	22	28
2.0 to 2.9 acres	149	23	35	6	14	12
3.0 to 4.9 acres	116	6	15	4	6	19
5.0 to 9.9 acres	67	8	4	3	2	3
10.0 to 24.9 acres	38	—	5	—	—	3
25.0 acres or more	8	—	1	—	—	—
Soybeans for beans						
farms	12 028	31	529	346	822	941
acres	990 531	144	8 170	7 527	21 863	29 162
bushels	42 681 842	5 754	316 822	296 154	876 119	1 209 833
Irrigated farms	188	2	3	1	6	6
acres	21 474	(D)	37	(D)	170	224
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres	3 824	31	426	233	433	422
25 to 99 acres	5 668	—	103	113	389	503
100 to 249 acres	1 696	—	—	—	—	16
250 to 499 acres	572	—	—	—	—	—
500 acres or more	268	—	—	—	—	—
Potatoes, excluding sweetpotatoes						
farms	418	18	58	6	23	30
acres	85 304	(D)	110	16	73	337
cwt.	30 242 152	(D)	17 787	2 310	9 006	91 896
Irrigated farms	215	3	9	—	5	6
acres	78 136	(D)	21	—	39	234
Farms by acres harvested:						
0.1 to 4.9 acres	168	18	52	5	20	19
5.0 to 24.9 acres	34	—	6	1	2	7
25.0 to 99.9 acres	59	—	—	—	1	3
100.0 to 249.9 acres	56	—	—	—	—	1
250.0 acres or more	101	—	—	—	—	—

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Table 49. Summary by Size of Farm: 1997—Con.

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

Item	140 to 179 acres	180 to 219 acres	220 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 to 1,999 acres	2,000 acres or more
SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED							
Corn for grain or seed							
farms ..	3 805	3 540	3 181	9 845	3 952	962	246
acres ..	135 592	152 176	164 792	802 758	723 121	445 437	266 667
bushels ..	16 001 256	18 230 874	20 078 654	99 591 200	92 354 764	58 844 882	36 272 510
Irrigated	19	16	15	102	133	99	52
farms ..	942	1 207	777	8 546	18 071	21 130	28 409
acres ..							
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres	1 585	1 097	622	1 115	140	8	1
25 to 99 acres	2 064	2 206	2 213	5 611	932	37	5
100 to 249 acres	156	237	345	2 959	1 838	182	9
250 to 499 acres	—	—	1	160	938	312	22
500 acres or more	—	—	—	—	104	423	209
Corn for silage or green chop							
farms ..	2 477	2 507	2 392	7 634	2 943	610	128
acres ..	48 222	55 687	59 822	243 770	166 896	63 191	27 159
tons, green ..	650 153	738 524	832 788	3 450 234	2 604 677	1 002 633	477 773
Irrigated	5	5	8	30	32	15	4
acres ..	77	73	135	979	1 158	947	383
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres	1 805	1 616	1 407	3 479	717	74	7
25 to 99 acres	667	879	961	3 945	1 740	277	34
100 to 249 acres	5	12	24	207	445	209	51
250 to 499 acres	—	—	—	3	38	40	23
500 acres or more	—	—	—	—	3	10	13
Wheat for grain							
farms ..	422	350	374	1 228	740	299	98
acres ..	8 510	6 752	7 708	33 560	33 871	23 809	19 825
bushels ..	423 921	357 870	405 312	1 785 013	1 806 856	1 309 875	1 180 878
Irrigated	1	—	—	—	5	3	3
acres ..	(D)	—	—	—	(D)	431	300
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres	300	261	276	694	235	44	6
25 to 99 acres	120	89	94	514	446	161	36
100 to 249 acres	2	—	4	20	56	86	29
250 to 499 acres	—	—	—	—	3	8	18
500 acres or more	—	—	—	—	—	—	9
Oats for grain							
farms ..	1 849	1 606	1 486	4 251	1 527	325	64
acres ..	28 887	28 413	30 803	103 947	51 651	18 817	7 395
bushels ..	1 685 584	1 670 829	1 843 559	6 087 936	3 090 527	1 181 156	483 258
Irrigated	2	4	4	10	7	5	3
acres ..	(D)	23	42	192	522	197	395
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres	1 579	1 273	1 020	2 461	622	83	8
25 to 99 acres	268	329	462	1 770	867	198	32
100 to 249 acres	2	4	4	18	35	37	17
250 to 499 acres	—	—	—	2	3	7	3
500 acres or more	—	—	—	—	—	—	4
Tobacco							
farms ..	82	48	44	111	63	19	7
acres ..	163	122	119	376	432	164	225
pounds ..	332 676	239 239	284 404	809 003	1 007 518	332 017	412 845
Irrigated	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
acres ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Farms by acres harvested:							
0.1 to 0.9 acres	25	6	8	18	1	1	—
1.0 to 1.9 acres	29	24	13	25	13	2	—
2.0 to 2.9 acres	14	4	9	20	11	1	—
3.0 to 4.9 acres	8	10	7	26	10	5	—
5.0 to 9.9 acres	5	3	6	18	12	2	1
10.0 to 24.9 acres	1	1	1	4	14	7	2
25.0 acres or more	—	—	—	—	2	1	4
Soybeans for beans							
farms ..	1 035	924	901	3 458	2 109	718	214
acres ..	36 223	35 374	39 559	197 452	258 822	208 070	148 165
bushels ..	1 489 459	1 505 803	1 666 085	8 397 959	11 252 108	9 123 132	6 542 614
Irrigated	7	1	8	34	47	42	31
acres ..	299	(D)	343	2 005	3 742	4 810	9 800
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres	429	371	329	934	202	14	—
25 to 99 acres	584	503	485	1 931	898	147	12
100 to 249 acres	22	50	87	574	720	195	32
250 to 499 acres	—	—	—	19	281	232	40
500 acres or more	—	—	—	—	8	130	130
Potatoes, excluding sweetpotatoes							
farms ..	23	19	6	57	74	58	46
acres ..	168	493	(D)	3 112	12 789	23 382	44 752
cwt ..	52 267	137 534	(D)	928 950	4 317 181	8 391 800	16 279 026
Irrigated	2	5	—	31	56	53	45
acres ..	(D)	203	—	2 426	10 926	22 118	42 122
Farms by acres harvested:							
0.1 to 4.9 acres	18	5	5	19	5	1	1
5.0 to 24.9 acres	3	4	—	6	5	—	—
25.0 to 99.9 acres	2	9	1	19	15	9	—
100.0 to 249.9 acres	—	1	—	13	34	6	1
250.0 acres or more	—	—	—	—	15	42	44

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Table 49. Summary by Size of Farm: 1997—Con.

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

Item	Total	1 to 9 acres	10 to 49 acres	50 to 69 acres	70 to 99 acres	100 to 139 acres
SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED—						
Con.						
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) . . . farms..	44 115	329	4 045	1 936	4 182	4 832
acres..	3 554 932	1 436	55 654	42 345	117 709	198 121
tons, dry..	8 606 243	3 287	117 135	92 432	259 468	459 805
Irrigated farms..	325	2	12	6	15	18
acres..	20 291	(D)	135	(D)	275	532
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres	11 262	329	3 520	1 228	2 039	1 475
25 to 99 acres	19 688	—	525	706	2 129	3 143
100 to 249 acres	11 236	—	—	2	14	213
250 to 499 acres	1 687	—	—	—	—	1
500 acres or more	242	—	—	—	—	—
Alfalfa hay farms..	35 608	274	3 076	1 488	3 242	3 828
acres..	1 784 096	1 129	38 303	28 244	76 469	121 473
tons, dry..	5 169 767	2 716	89 776	69 645	187 238	322 861
Irrigated farms..	193	1	9	5	9	12
acres..	8 457	(D)	120	(D)	162	313
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text) farms..	3 288	175	428	138	259	253
acres..	270 130	443	3 535	2 893	6 942	8 088
Irrigated farms..	450	26	67	12	25	24
acres..	106 592	58	347	224	342	336
Farms by acres harvested:						
0.1 to 4.9 acres	728	143	235	37	65	63
5.0 to 24.9 acres	669	32	153	51	67	48
25.0 to 99.9 acres	1 343	—	40	50	126	132
100.0 to 249.9 acres	350	—	—	—	1	10
250.0 acres or more	198	—	—	—	—	—
Snap beans harvested for sale farms..	879	29	86	29	48	51
acres..	65 059	13	288	310	620	1 111
Irrigated farms..	177	8	20	1	8	10
acres..	30 033	3	6	(D)	11	65
Green peas, excluding green cowpeas, harvested for sale farms..	1 175	24	62	24	75	90
acres..	55 778	23	323	429	1 288	2 058
Irrigated farms..	132	4	12	—	7	7
acres..	12 844	3	4	—	31	2
Sweet corn harvested for sale farms..	1 789	74	221	79	162	156
acres..	116 896	127	1 630	1 566	4 108	4 068
Irrigated farms..	271	6	30	5	14	14
acres..	53 581	12	217	(D)	153	107
Land in orchards farms..	853	111	306	60	99	90
acres..	10 851	273	1 965	554	1 246	1 623
Irrigated farms..	84	8	30	4	9	11
acres..	1 085	(D)	131	42	75	222
Farms by bearing and nonbearing acres:						
0.1 to 4.9 acres	498	100	170	36	55	43
5.0 to 24.9 acres	255	11	123	15	29	28
25.0 to 99.9 acres	82	—	13	9	15	18
100.0 to 249.9 acres	13	—	—	—	—	1
250.0 acres or more	5	—	—	—	—	—
Apples farms..	761	101	274	51	89	81
Bearing and nonbearing..	7 753	239	1 597	359	1 040	1 072
pounds..	41 085 186	682 825	5 911 741	1 238 831	5 451 711	5 062 372
Berries harvested for sale farms..	622	62	149	35	58	57
acres..	15 100	53	483	117	449	632
Irrigated farms..	398	24	77	14	30	38
acres..	(D)	(D)	375	85	404	621

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Table 49. Summary by Size of Farm: 1997—Con.

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

Item	140 to 179 acres	180 to 219 acres	220 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 to 1,999 acres	2,000 acres or more
SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED—							
Con.							
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) . . . farms..	5 121	4 364	3 705	10 732	3 888	801	180
acres..	279 772	307 900	316 140	1 243 361	700 931	220 852	70 711
tons, dry..	664 192	730 509	763 726	2 978 521	1 760 518	586 024	190 626
Irrigated farms..	28	19	23	84	72	32	14
acres..	880	675	1 002	4 606	6 502	3 293	2 271
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres	964	575	307	596	182	39	8
25 to 99 acres	3 616	2 777	2 055	3 928	680	97	32
100 to 249 acres	541	1 003	1 315	5 738	2 117	256	37
250 to 499 acres	—	9	28	458	841	304	46
500 acres or more	—	—	—	12	68	105	57
Alfalfa hay farms..	4 080	3 583	3 076	8 985	3 173	653	150
acres..	158 742	168 447	163 269	603 203	298 442	94 228	32 147
tons, dry..	441 482	474 943	468 017	1 756 856	950 244	306 532	99 457
Irrigated farms..	11	11	14	53	44	16	8
acres..	292	381	510	2 112	2 371	1 070	1 009
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text) farms..	267	213	158	644	446	211	96
acres..	9 339	8 883	7 096	38 187	47 246	55 736	81 744
Irrigated farms..	20	16	4	65	78	64	49
acres..	744	772	409	6 161	14 982	29 168	53 050
Farms by acres harvested:							
0.1 to 4.9 acres	53	26	16	64	19	7	—
5.0 to 24.9 acres	70	56	33	112	40	6	1
25.0 to 99.9 acres	128	115	100	364	215	65	8
100.0 to 249.9 acres	16	16	7	88	128	64	20
250.0 acres or more	—	—	2	16	44	69	67
Snap beans harvested for sale farms..	69	45	38	185	159	98	42
acres..	1 780	1 887	1 280	8 851	13 465	16 812	18 641
Irrigated farms..	5	4	1	22	36	40	22
acres..	(D)	272	(D)	1 751	4 751	10 540	12 488
Green peas, excluding green cowpeas, harvested for sale farms..	76	74	63	292	223	108	64
acres..	1 907	2 179	1 912	10 487	10 744	10 368	14 059
Irrigated farms..	3	—	2	13	27	29	28
acres..	(D)	—	(D)	523	1 729	3 633	6 564
Sweet corn harvested for sale farms..	152	117	92	313	231	121	71
acres..	4 644	4 011	3 453	14 430	17 703	22 069	39 087
Irrigated farms..	11	6	2	40	52	48	43
acres..	325	340	(D)	3 027	6 755	12 134	30 350
Land in orchards farms..	53	33	32	44	17	4	4
acres..	927	574	489	1 777	1 060	(D)	(D)
Irrigated farms..	5	1	3	9	4	—	—
acres..	82	(D)	125	266	114	—	—
Farms by bearing and nonbearing acres:							
0.1 to 4.9 acres	30	17	17	21	6	1	2
5.0 to 24.9 acres	15	6	10	9	7	1	1
25.0 to 99.9 acres	3	9	4	8	2	—	1
100.0 to 249.9 acres	5	1	1	3	—	2	—
250.0 acres or more	—	—	—	3	2	—	—
Apples farms..	46	27	30	41	13	4	4
Bearing and nonbearing..acres..	800	331	250	1 356	470	(D)	(D)
pounds..	4 225 979	1 800 780	1 320 556	9 963 415	2 874 676	(D)	(D)
Berries harvested for sale farms..	50	28	17	67	45	35	19
acres..	450	318	270	1 992	3 050	3 265	4 021
Irrigated farms..	32	20	14	54	42	35	18
acres..	404	311	267	1 960	3 042	3 265	4 017

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.