

Table 10. Selected Characteristics of Irrigated and Nonirrigated Farms: 1997 and 1992

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

Characteristics	All farms		Irrigated farms				Nonirrigated farms	
			Any land irrigated		All harvested cropland irrigated			
	1997	1992	1997	1992	1997	1992	1997	1992
Farms	9 232	8 716	5 306	5 076	3 964	3 890	3 926	3 640
Land in farms	34 088 692	32 876 071	18 963 024	17 954 505	13 746 052	14 112 427	15 125 668	14 921 566
Estimated market value of land and buildings ¹ :								
Average per farm	808 346	601 437	966 076	689 001	966 786	728 288	596 047	476 491
Average per acre	222	159	277	196	287	199	156	115
Irrigated land	1 719 463	1 464 585	1 719 463	1 464 585	1 433 844	1 262 919	(X)	(X)
Land in farms according to use:								
Total cropland	7 122	6 756	5 030	4 901	3 964	3 890	2 092	1 855
.....	2 967 899	2 842 020	1 964 296	1 902 316	1 441 934	1 452 484	1 003 603	939 704
Harvested cropland	6 124	5 735	4 640	4 521	3 964	3 890	1 484	1 214
.....	1 743 631	1 532 732	1 309 288	1 208 497	1 001 645	973 856	434 343	324 235
Pastureland, excluding woodland pastured	7 889	7 374	4 558	4 261	3 308	3 174	3 331	3 113
.....	30 788 273	29 667 377	16 848 992	15 915 357	12 148 918	12 504 123	13 939 281	13 752 020
Land under Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs	550	469	186	195	95	112	364	274
.....	229 607	192 445	60 091	67 573	25 548	34 419	169 516	124 872
Owned and rented land in farms:								
Owned land in farms	8 118	7 487	4 810	4 506	3 606	3 458	3 308	2 981
.....	20 915 358	19 626 460	12 189 908	11 470 360	9 033 357	9 178 800	8 725 450	8 156 100
Rented or leased land in farms	4 500	4 665	2 570	2 710	1 890	2 045	1 930	1 955
.....	13 173 334	13 249 611	6 773 116	6 484 145	4 712 695	4 933 627	6 400 218	6 765 466
Market value of agricultural products sold	\$1,000 ..	898 527	824 205	623 380	576 036	494 627	470 588	275 147
Average per farm .....	.....	97 327	94 562	117 486	113 482	124 780	120 974	70 083
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops .....	.....	3 491	3 286	2 725	2 647	2 327	2 279	766
.....	\$1,000 ..	173 216	153 862	156 443	140 819	131 437	124 255	16 773
Livestock, poultry, and their products .....	.....	7 238	6 908	4 100	3 932	2 997	2 939	3 138
.....	\$1,000 ..	725 311	670 343	466 937	435 217	363 191	346 333	258 374
Total farm production expenses ¹	\$1,000 ..	690 403	675 225	471 894	466 700	370 177	381 195	218 508
Average per farm .....	.....	74 808	77 479	89 121	91 081	92 776	98 120	55 544
Livestock and poultry purchased .....	.....	4 279	4 060	2 462	2 444	1 849	1 814	1 817
.....	\$1,000 ..	180 847	212 437	117 093	133 791	98 261	110 971	63 754
Feed for livestock and poultry .....	.....	6 125	6 227	3 563	3 506	2 574	2 533	2 562
.....	\$1,000 ..	110 332	89 381	62 252	52 829	47 746	42 318	48 080
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees .....	.....	2 665	2 635	2 069	2 109	1 662	1 771	596
.....	\$1,000 ..	9 555	8 772	8 773	8 092	6 999	6 868	782
Commercial fertilizer .....	.....	3 337	2 922	2 979	2 662	2 532	2 249	358
.....	\$1,000 ..	24 614	21 444	23 020	20 491	19 633	18 387	1 594
Agricultural chemicals .....	.....	3 501	3 249	2 491	2 317	2 002	1 865	1 010
.....	\$1,000 ..	11 648	9 491	9 551	7 658	7 960	6 834	2 097
Petroleum products .....	.....	8 495	8 034	4 987	4 805	3 783	3 659	3 508
.....	\$1,000 ..	38 405	36 536	26 280	26 102	20 271	21 180	12 125
Electricity .....	.....	6 686	6 457	3 995	3 907	3 083	2 945	2 691
.....	\$1,000 ..	11 374	10 979	8 450	8 112	5 787	6 155	2 924
Hired farm labor .....	.....	3 487	3 416	2 332	2 387	1 790	1 905	1 155
.....	\$1,000 ..	58 236	57 677	45 680	46 541	34 338	37 441	12 556
Contract labor .....	.....	1 837	1 924	1 210	1 335	942	1 092	627
.....	\$1,000 ..	7 762	8 831	5 796	6 804	4 813	5 932	1 966
Repairs and maintenance .....	.....	7 665	7 274	4 575	4 428	3 521	3 421	3 090
.....	\$1,000 ..	44 930	42 591	32 035	31 425	24 379	25 490	12 895
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment .....	.....	2 541	2 390	1 909	1 747	1 519	1 456	632
.....	\$1,000 ..	11 172	9 393	8 318	6 975	6 433	5 579	2 854
Interest .....	.....	4 638	4 727	2 809	3 004	2 145	2 341	1 829
.....	\$1,000 ..	58 139	53 470	39 161	37 758	28 968	29 337	18 978
Cash rent .....	.....	2 555	2 632	1 591	1 540	1 183	1 212	964
.....	\$1,000 ..	27 468	24 436	19 346	16 689	14 668	13 108	8 122
Property taxes paid .....	.....	8 553	7 941	4 999	4 822	3 808	3 676	3 554
.....	\$1,000 ..	18 907	15 428	13 136	11 520	9 918	9 393	5 770
All other farm production expenses .....	.....	8 599	8 248	5 043	4 919	3 847	3 777	3 556
.....	\$1,000 ..	77 014	74 359	53 001	51 914	40 005	42 202	24 013
Commodity Credit Corporation loans ² .....	.....	121	136	92	76	70	44	29
.....	\$1,000 ..	1 293	1 782	958	1 112	599	534	335
Government payments received .....	.....	2 329	1 787	1 276	939	970	696	1 053
.....	\$1,000 ..	16 898	18 052	6 698	8 048	3 929	4 960	10 200
Other farm-related income ¹ .....	.....	2 667	2 264	1 625	1 450	1 207	1 068	1 042
.....	\$1,000 ..	17 148	15 302	10 011	10 710	6 632	7 886	7 137
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ¹ .....	.....	9 229	8 691	5 295	5 104	3 990	3 866	3 934
.....	\$1,000 ..	564 454	468 114	376 276	333 409	280 239	268 753	188 178
Average per farm .....	.....	61 161	53 862	71 062	65 323	70 235	69 517	47 834
Livestock inventory:								
Cattle and calves .....	.....	6 370	5 839	3 677	3 399	2 739	2 576	2 693
.....	number ..	1 690 264	1 424 002	1 150 324	973 575	858 820	788 215	539 940
Milk cows .....	.....	337	523	200	338	143	242	137
.....	number ..	6 254	7 596	5 675	6 767	4 448	4 542	579
Hogs and pigs .....	.....	296	379	156	206	110	147	140
.....	number ..	91 135	39 128	4 881	12 250	3 069	9 706	86 254
Sheep and lambs .....	.....	1 112	1 462	615	805	463	609	497
.....	number ..	713 096	921 133	433 353	498 173	353 377	393 071	279 743

¹Data are based on a sample of farms.

²Data for 1992 include CCC loans for rye and honey.