

Table 8. Land: 2002 and 1997

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

All farms	2002		1997	All farms	2002		1997
	Total	Percent of total			Total	Percent of total	
LAND USE				LAND USE - Con.			
Farms	31,369	100.0	30,197	Total cropland - Con.			
Land in farms	31,093,336	100.0	32,349,832	Other cropland - Con.			
Total cropland	22,240	70.9	22,772	Cropland in cultivated summer fallow	farms 3,292	10.5	4,340
Harvested cropland	11,530,700	37.1	10,787,080	acres 1,983,717	6.4	2,492,658	
Farms by acres harvested:	4,346,955	14.0	6,099,357	Total woodland	farms 3,047	9.7	2,456
1 to 49 acres	6,495	20.7	7,305	acres 1,345,230	4.3	1,137,890	
1 to 9 acres	2,276	7.3	2,554	Woodland pastured	farms 1,980	6.2	1,594
10 to 19 acres	1,675	5.3	1,763	acres 994,359	3.2	645,419	
20 to 29 acres	1,077	3.4	1,245	Woodland not pastured	farms 1,430	4.6	1,142
30 to 49 acres	1,467	4.7	1,743	acres 350,871	1.1	492,471	
50 to 99 acres	1,822	5.8	2,304	Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pastured (see text)	farms 15,787	50.3	13,799
100 to 199 acres	1,747	5.6	2,467	acres 17,341,749	55.8	19,417,709	
200 to 499 acres	2,152	6.9	3,080	Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc	farms 16,674	53.2	17,136
500 to 999 acres	1,279	4.1	1,751	acres 875,657	2.8	1,007,153	
1,000 acres or more	1,160	3.7	1,625	CROP INSURANCE, CONSERVATION, AND ORGANIC PRACTICES			
1,000 to 1,999 acres	820	2.6	1,110	Land enrolled in Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs	farms 3,775	(X)	3,863
2,000 acres or more	340	1.1	515	acres 1,735,353	(X)	1,569,916	
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing	farms 8,534	27.2	8,395	Land used to raise certified organically produced crops (see text)	farms 132	0.4	(NA)
acres 1,797,455	5.8	691,985		acres 19,428	0.1	(NA)	
Other cropland	farms 11,150	35.5	8,179	Land enrolled in Federal or other crop insurance programs (see text)	farms 5,548	17.7	(NA)
acres 5,386,290	17.3	3,995,738		acres 4,775,534	15.4	(NA)	
Cropland idle or used for cover crops or soil-improvement, but not harvested and not pastured or grazed (see text)	farms 5,028	16.0	(NA)				(NA)
acres 1,656,848	5.3	(NA)					(NA)
Cropland on which all crops failed	farms 6,212	19.8	998				(NA)
acres 1,745,725	5.6	141,534					(NA)