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<b>FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS</b>						
Farms . . . . . number	42,063	1,068	317	15	466	152
Land in farms . . . . . acres	10,246,507	77,313	59,320	433	20,502	10,802
<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>						
1 to 9 acres . . . . .	9,711	250	67	4	201	34
10 to 49 acres . . . . .	17,417	494	166	10	179	94
50 to 179 acres . . . . .	8,409	238	49	-	68	12
180 to 499 acres . . . . .	3,589	59	18	1	12	5
500 acres or more . . . . .	2,937	27	17	-	6	7
<b>OWNED AND RENTED LAND IN FARMS</b>						
Owned land in farms . . . . . farms	40,222	958	310	13	449	151
acres	7,861,998	50,814	51,285	308	15,523	9,797
Rented or leased land in farms . . . . . farms	7,091	261	58	7	54	17
acres	2,384,509	26,499	8,035	125	4,979	1,005
<b>TENURE</b>						
Full owners . . . . . farms	34,972	807	259	8	412	135
acres	6,497,277	44,077	48,081	283	14,213	8,590
Part owners . . . . . farms	5,250	151	51	5	37	16
acres	3,137,823	26,820	9,689	(D)	(D)	(D)
Tenants . . . . . farms	1,841	110	7	2	17	1
acres	611,407	6,416	1,550	(D)	(D)	(D)
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS</b>						
Total . . . . . farms	42,063	1,068	317	15	466	152
\$1,000	6,153,629	17,992	12,916	481	68,744	10,329
Market value of agricultural products sold . . . . . farms	42,063	1,068	317	15	466	152
\$1,000	6,132,328	17,699	12,797	481	68,657	10,311
Crops . . . . . farms	16,447	373	91	9	324	83
\$1,000	4,945,523	13,179	8,024	(D)	65,639	(D)
Livestock, poultry, and their products . . . . . farms	19,976	555	147	1	79	66
\$1,000	1,186,804	4,520	4,773	(D)	3,018	(D)
Government payments . . . . . farms	2,401	91	34	-	17	11
\$1,000	21,301	293	119	-	88	18
<b>FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS (SEE TEXT)</b>						
Less than \$1,000 . . . . .	10,677	333	114	5	101	14
\$1,000 to \$2,499 . . . . .	7,115	241	84	-	58	27
\$2,500 to \$4,999 . . . . .	4,477	115	35	-	40	31
\$5,000 to \$9,999 . . . . .	4,202	102	19	5	36	13
\$10,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	5,029	133	22	2	59	43
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	3,178	70	19	-	39	13
\$50,000 or more . . . . .	7,385	74	24	3	133	11
<b>COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION (CCC) LOANS AND FEDERAL FARM PROGRAM PAYMENTS</b>						
CCC loans . . . . . farms	145	10	-	-	1	1
\$1,000	7,456	(D)	-	-	(D)	(D)
Conservation Reserve and Wetlands Reserve Programs (CRP and WRP) . . . . . farms	1,197	43	19	-	15	7
\$1,000	3,638	67	(D)	-	(D)	13
Other Federal farm program payments . . . . . farms	1,379	51	15	-	2	4
\$1,000	17,663	226	(D)	-	(D)	5
<b>FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM (NAICS)</b>						
Oilseed and grain farming (1111) . . . . .	324	23	1	-	-	-
Vegetable and melon farming (1112) . . . . .	940	120	8	2	59	10
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113) . . . . .	8,968	123	40	1	153	50
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114) . . . . .	4,312	45	24	6	125	18
Other crop farming (1119) . . . . .	2,532	88	42	-	10	7
Tobacco farming (11191) . . . . .	67	10	-	-	-	-
Cotton farming (11192) . . . . .	110	6	-	-	-	-
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199) . . . . .	2,355	72	42	-	10	7
Beef cattle ranching and farming (11211) . . . . .	14,696	420	97	-	54	37
Cattle feedlots (11212) . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212) . . . . .	495	14	6	-	2	-
Hog and pig farming (1122) . . . . .	437	158	3	-	3	-
Poultry and egg production (1123) . . . . .	714	2	10	-	11	2
Sheep and goat farming (1124) . . . . .	544	24	16	-	19	5
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129) . . . . .	8,101	51	70	6	30	23
<b>OTHER FARM CHARACTERISTICS</b>						
Farms by-						
Type of organization:						
Family or individual . . . . .	35,334	1,012	287	13	335	138
Partnerships . . . . .	2,351	27	6	-	37	8
Corporations . . . . .	3,937	20	19	2	92	6
Other - cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc . . . . .	441	9	5	-	2	-

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<b>OTHER FARM CHARACTERISTICS - Con.</b>						
Farms by- Con.						
Number of operators:						
1 operator	26,300	820	171	6	271	81
2 operators	13,402	212	123	6	155	62
3 operators	1,607	29	15	2	27	3
4 operators	507	6	7	1	7	6
5 or more operators	247	1	1	-	6	-
Number of women operators:						
1 woman operator	16,872	302	166	9	214	79
2 women operators	1,110	10	11	-	19	7
3 women operators	117	1	2	-	5	-
4 women operators	27	-	-	-	-	-
5 or more women operators	14	-	-	-	-	-
Farms reporting-						
Computers for farm business	17,035	196	145	10	156	60
Internet access	22,048	297	158	12	200	76
Principal operator is a hired manager . . . . . farms acres	1,564 (D)	29 1,271	18 (D)	5 128	28 2,076	1 (D)
Farms by number of households sharing in net income of farm:						
1 household	33,065	798	237	9	288	131
2 households	5,318	178	37	1	71	7
3 households	1,119	36	12	-	34	9
4 households	582	20	10	-	25	4
5 or more households	415	7	3	-	20	-
Farms by share of principal operator's total household income from farming:						
Less than 25 percent	29,719	818	218	14	259	115
25 to 49 percent	3,888	96	32	1	55	18
50 to 74 percent	4,064	78	21	-	52	10
75 to 99 percent	1,499	36	13	-	20	4
100 percent	2,893	40	33	-	80	5