

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	49,355	100.0	54,539	Total cropland - Con.			
Land in farms	45,903,116	100.0	45,853,656	Other cropland - Con.			
Total cropland	43,722	88.6	47,452	Cropland in cultivated			
Harvested cropland	22,520,874	49.1	22,633,381	summer fallow	farms	4,268	5,839
	37,143	75.3	43,198		acres	1,206,779	1,462,502
	17,336,624	37.8	17,897,591	Total woodland	farms	5,378	6,610
Farms by acres harvested:					acres	382,151	436,981
1 to 49 acres	5,941	12.0	6,569	Woodland pastured	farms	2,433	2,714
1 to 9 acres	1,461	3.0	1,747		acres	233,765	246,627
10 to 19 acres	1,547	3.1	1,632	Woodland not pastured	farms	3,555	4,661
20 to 29 acres	1,117	2.3	1,184		acres	148,386	190,354
30 to 49 acres	1,816	3.7	2,006	Pastureland and rangeland, other than			
50 to 99 acres	3,624	7.3	4,354	cropland and woodland pastured			
100 to 199 acres	5,795	11.7	7,326	(see text)	farms	24,925	23,399
200 to 499 acres	9,609	19.5	12,195		acres	21,940,679	21,621,524
500 to 999 acres	7,341	14.9	8,806	Land in house lots, ponds, roads,			
1,000 acres or more	4,833	9.8	3,948	wasteland, etc	farms	28,555	32,789
1,000 to 1,999 acres	3,896	7.9	3,237		acres	1,059,412	1,161,770
2,000 acres or more	937	1.9	711	CROP INSURANCE, CONSERVATION,			
Cropland used only for				AND ORGANIC PRACTICES			
pasture or grazing	10,047	20.4	14,956	Land enrolled in Conservation			
	1,881,599	4.1	1,881,888	Reserve or Wetlands			
Other cropland	17,350	35.2	15,471	Reserve Programs	farms	10,403	10,016
	3,302,651	7.2	2,853,902		acres	1,166,443	1,276,757
Cropland idle or used for				Land used to raise certified			
cover crops or soil-improvement,				organically produced			
but not harvested and not				crops (see text)	farms	105	(NA)
pastured or grazed (see text)	9,985	20.2	(NA)		acres	26,668	(NA)
	1,146,195	2.5	(NA)	Land enrolled in Federal or other crop			
Cropland on which all				insurance programs (see text)	farms	25,441	(NA)
crops failed	6,723	13.6	1,483		acres	14,143,140	(NA)
	949,677	2.1	136,917				