

Table 40. Tenure, Number of Operators, Type of Organization, and Principal Operator Characteristics: 2002 and 1997

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

Item	South Dakota	Aurora	Beadle	Bennett	Bon Homme	Brookings	Brown	
FARMS								
Land in farms	farms, 2002	31,736	401	728	231	665	962	1,155
	1997	33,191	425	762	255	753	991	1,073
	acres, 2002	43,785,079	350,943	809,535	727,294	344,718	418,115	1,155,342
	1997	44,141,892	329,433	697,572	772,262	341,680	434,447	1,073,969
Harvested cropland	farms, 2002	22,931	313	553	201	596	668	811
	1997	26,808	345	603	209	665	755	828
	acres, 2002	13,492,286	163,575	431,619	134,293	245,633	268,574	708,183
	1997	14,770,445	160,569	348,147	158,815	233,592	291,299	650,681
TENURE								
Full owners	farms, 2002	15,886	190	362	106	278	581	599
	1997	13,930	164	325	113	298	539	451
	acres, 2002	14,101,000	97,465	277,624	287,143	88,869	131,248	300,380
	1997	12,657,838	72,879	131,912	319,744	69,018	109,088	202,674
Harvested cropland	farms, 2002	9,110	119	208	89	219	324	296
	1997	9,083	99	205	80	230	340	254
	acres, 2002	3,397,516	38,881	124,625	39,502	58,626	59,532	142,960
	1997	2,822,277	29,734	54,491	26,020	40,654	56,338	100,141
Part owners	farms, 2002	12,781	169	313	102	326	302	451
	1997	14,588	195	326	109	366	330	481
	acres, 2002	26,266,242	225,965	504,322	374,004	242,535	255,051	784,980
	1997	27,143,915	228,489	496,859	414,846	246,799	270,443	754,409
Owned land in farms	acres, 2002	13,388,690	111,514	228,068	227,460	114,548	122,294	365,570
	1997	14,475,443	106,756	239,478	239,261	124,296	123,089	324,066
Rented land in farms	acres, 2002	12,877,552	114,451	276,254	146,544	127,987	132,757	419,410
	1997	12,668,472	121,733	257,381	175,585	122,503	147,354	430,343
Harvested cropland	farms, 2002	11,557	159	302	95	320	286	432
	1997	13,952	187	307	106	357	316	460
	acres, 2002	9,014,428	106,894	294,028	74,946	176,985	183,316	512,934
	1997	10,326,952	115,270	251,315	121,589	172,587	194,984	466,894
Tenants	farms, 2002	3,069	42	53	23	61	79	105
	1997	4,673	66	111	33	89	122	141
	acres, 2002	3,417,837	27,513	27,589	66,147	13,314	31,816	69,982
	1997	4,340,139	28,065	68,801	37,672	25,863	54,916	116,886
Harvested cropland	farms, 2002	2,264	35	43	17	57	58	83
	1997	3,773	59	91	23	78	99	114
	acres, 2002	1,080,342	17,800	12,966	19,845	10,022	25,726	52,289
	1997	1,621,216	15,565	42,341	11,206	20,351	39,977	83,646
2002 NUMBER OF ALL OPERATORS								
Total operators	number	45,810	554	1,016	387	898	1,330	1,608
Farms by number of operators:								
1 operator		20,505	280	489	123	474	657	774
2 operators		9,344	100	208	77	165	258	333
3 operators		1,293	15	20	24	15	37	34
4 operators		408	3	8	3	8	7	10
5 or more operators		186	3	3	4	3	3	4
Total women operators	number	10,494	112	226	113	186	298	352
Farms by number of women operators:								
1 operator		9,398	98	205	93	174	272	327
2 operators		430	4	9	7	4	10	7
3 operators		55	2	1	2	1	2	2
4 operators		11	-	-	-	-	-	-
5 or more operators		4	-	-	-	-	-	1
PRINCIPAL OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS								
Sex of operator:								
Male	farms, 2002	29,552	375	677	204	643	876	1,073
	1997	31,539	411	728	236	738	934	1,021
	acres, 2002	41,959,275	345,271	801,040	677,493	339,598	404,619	1,129,355
	1997	42,483,813	326,528	688,019	738,205	340,565	423,317	1,061,475
Female	farms, 2002	2,184	26	51	27	22	86	82
	1997	1,652	14	34	19	15	57	52
	acres, 2002	1,825,804	5,672	8,495	49,801	5,120	13,496	25,987
	1997	1,658,079	2,905	9,553	34,057	1,115	11,130	12,494
Primary occupation:								
Farming	2002	23,049	283	528	198	510	565	809
	1997	23,498	309	500	190	579	578	714
Other	2002	8,687	118	200	33	155	397	346
	1997	9,693	116	262	65	174	413	359
Place of residence ¹ :								
On farm operated	2002	25,544	311	603	201	569	772	884
	1997	24,311	323	545	185	592	737	789
Not on farm operated	2002	6,192	90	125	30	96	190	271
	1997	6,422	71	158	53	110	198	192
Days worked off farm ¹ :								
None	2002	16,736	208	386	135	370	446	621
	1997	16,492	206	360	138	401	413	525
Any	2002	15,000	193	342	96	295	516	534
	1997	14,327	187	346	101	301	531	473
1 to 49 days	2002	2,299	36	62	22	49	53	62
	1997	2,694	39	74	22	72	66	62
50 to 99 days	2002	1,133	11	28	7	16	23	28
	1997	1,104	21	23	8	20	29	27
100 to 199 days	2002	1,997	23	43	20	37	58	55
	1997	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
200 days or more	2002	9,571	123	209	47	193	382	389
	1997	8,174	101	211	47	162	354	319

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Table 40. Tenure, Number of Operators, Type of Organization, and Principal Operator Characteristics: 2002 and 1997 - Con.

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

Item		Brule	Buffalo	Butte	Campbell	Charles Mix	Clark	Clay
FARMS								
Land in farms	farms, 2002	365	73	639	293	755	588	536
	1997	379	79	596	278	780	589	480
	acres, 2002	446,987	284,907	1,262,390	391,221	736,177	525,585	372,786
	1997	438,204	298,702	1,159,789	371,335	692,609	506,511	295,123
Harvested cropland	farms, 2002	284	43	426	193	639	424	460
	1997	321	64	453	225	669	475	449
	acres, 2002	184,954	31,111	114,687	133,638	409,350	271,595	325,684
	1997	189,721	68,545	108,910	150,670	395,977	259,514	252,160
TENURE								
Full owners	farms, 2002	164	33	358	162	311	291	222
	1997	138	28	321	96	266	221	144
	acres, 2002	120,173	112,222	364,286	135,871	209,542	123,248	106,140
	1997	82,938	170,567	311,791	60,918	144,416	100,323	(D)
Harvested cropland	farms, 2002	101	17	218	75	216	139	152
	1997	91	16	228	62	175	137	117
	acres, 2002	48,398	10,853	37,472	32,225	100,704	41,986	86,655
	1997	35,244	24,663	41,369	21,468	71,457	38,943	34,177
Part owners	farms, 2002	156	26	204	114	360	250	247
	1997	172	35	186	145	414	273	242
	acres, 2002	285,709	142,054	764,179	248,528	469,134	369,933	225,726
	1997	304,625	102,200	781,269	289,824	496,681	356,794	202,873
Owned land in farms	acres, 2002	140,751	75,110	469,067	126,215	212,939	188,284	75,114
	1997	161,617	58,554	473,895	146,372	251,090	174,703	68,950
Rented land in farms	acres, 2002	144,958	66,944	295,112	122,313	256,195	181,649	150,612
	1997	143,008	43,646	307,374	143,452	245,591	182,091	133,923
Harvested cropland	farms, 2002	148	21	153	104	351	244	246
	1997	170	35	162	138	406	260	239
	acres, 2002	119,099	17,822	47,945	98,289	280,327	205,609	200,981
	1997	127,330	37,486	51,773	121,302	293,911	193,577	175,119
Tenants	farms, 2002	45	14	77	17	84	47	67
	1997	69	16	89	37	100	85	94
	acres, 2002	41,105	30,631	133,925	6,822	57,501	32,404	40,920
	1997	50,641	25,935	66,729	20,593	51,512	49,394	(D)
Harvested cropland	farms, 2002	35	5	55	14	72	41	62
	1997	60	13	63	25	88	78	93
	acres, 2002	17,457	2,436	29,270	3,124	28,319	24,000	38,048
	1997	27,147	6,396	15,768	7,900	30,609	26,994	42,864
2002 NUMBER OF ALL OPERATORS								
Total operators	number	559	125	1,033	418	1,053	807	731
Farms by number of operators:								
1 operator		213	43	309	190	515	406	366
2 operators		123	22	280	88	204	157	153
3 operators		19	3	40	11	25	16	9
4 operators		7	1	9	3	5	7	8
5 or more operators		3	4	1	1	6	2	-
Total women operators	number	146	29	338	76	192	163	126
Farms by number of women operators:								
1 operator		120	25	305	68	184	157	124
2 operators		9	2	9	1	4	3	1
3 operators		-	-	5	2	-	-	-
4 operators		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5 or more operators		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
PRINCIPAL OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS								
Sex of operator:								
Male	farms, 2002	341	66	582	284	729	548	504
	1997	363	68	543	273	758	569	460
	acres, 2002	437,782	279,157	1,227,657	389,417	688,408	516,423	361,622
	1997	421,460	283,002	1,113,507	368,417	640,151	496,733	289,180
Female	farms, 2002	24	7	57	9	26	40	32
	1997	16	11	53	5	22	20	20
	acres, 2002	9,205	5,750	34,733	1,804	47,769	9,162	11,164
	1997	16,744	15,700	46,282	2,918	52,458	9,778	5,943
Primary occupation:								
Farming	2002	279	50	455	212	630	405	423
	1997	299	63	354	209	632	431	374
Other	2002	86	23	184	81	125	183	113
	1997	80	16	242	69	148	158	106
Place of residence ¹ :								
On farm operated	2002	300	59	570	185	634	424	462
	1997	289	64	448	183	606	411	358
Not on farm operated	2002	65	14	69	108	121	164	74
	1997	63	11	99	69	125	137	75
Days worked off farm ¹ :								
None	2002	222	43	254	187	468	277	259
	1997	226	36	235	152	462	291	224
Any	2002	143	30	385	106	287	311	277
	1997	119	38	321	110	272	262	206
1 to 49 days	2002	35	5	66	14	74	31	60
	1997	28	13	48	23	77	81	47
50 to 99 days	2002	8	4	40	8	22	21	28
	1997	12	4	24	14	28	24	10
100 to 199 days	2002	16	4	46	5	34	37	22
	1997	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
200 days or more	2002	84	17	233	79	157	222	167
	1997	65	14	184	46	115	120	114

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Table 40. Tenure, Number of Operators, Type of Organization, and Principal Operator Characteristics: 2002 and 1997 - Con.

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

Item	Codington	Corson	Custer	Davison	Day	Deuel	Dewey
FARMS							
Land in farms	694	344	303	481	704	583	358
1997	678	430	342	486	730	610	388
acres, 2002	386,607	1,389,146	589,129	278,672	530,990	327,617	1,368,092
1997	395,976	1,576,834	452,775	290,329	540,957	321,198	1,840,988
Harvested cropland	470	171	167	362	454	385	120
1997	543	331	218	399	563	493	271
acres, 2002	237,686	104,588	20,566	178,991	267,862	159,806	53,126
1997	237,468	218,428	43,926	179,392	288,884	173,213	164,991
TENURE							
Full owners	408	147	191	253	433	367	153
1997	325	181	189	220	335	282	172
acres, 2002	136,637	421,174	316,075	84,424	206,491	141,051	296,960
1997	91,588	281,075	183,836	53,302	139,858	82,074	1,013,109
Harvested cropland	209	64	98	156	206	185	39
1997	217	111	115	150	184	190	90
acres, 2002	66,691	40,555	10,667	48,292	79,866	57,130	21,366
1997	43,780	45,244	16,083	29,613	51,437	34,487	35,080
Part owners	234	166	92	180	222	182	157
1997	267	202	120	211	299	240	161
acres, 2002	228,508	866,497	217,374	177,286	287,004	177,995	858,303
1997	270,465	1,233,862	210,493	214,928	348,733	202,366	666,692
Owned land in farms	99,563	419,690	122,263	80,732	146,306	85,457	322,740
1997	131,441	842,329	120,880	100,390	176,061	99,217	299,548
Rented land in farms	128,945	446,807	95,111	96,554	140,698	92,538	535,563
1997	139,024	391,533	89,613	114,538	172,672	103,149	367,144
Harvested cropland	224	95	58	167	209	175	71
1997	257	190	85	205	293	224	147
acres, 2002	153,963	61,520	8,605	118,092	161,477	97,652	27,057
1997	168,262	163,218	25,044	134,841	204,194	114,267	111,960
Tenants	52	31	20	48	49	34	48
1997	86	47	33	55	96	88	55
acres, 2002	21,462	101,475	55,680	16,962	37,495	8,571	212,829
1997	33,923	61,897	58,446	22,099	52,366	36,758	161,187
Harvested cropland	37	12	11	39	39	25	10
1997	69	30	18	44	86	79	34
acres, 2002	17,032	2,513	1,294	12,607	26,519	5,024	4,703
1997	25,426	9,966	2,799	14,938	33,253	24,459	17,951
2002 NUMBER OF ALL OPERATORS							
Total operators	949	511	508	691	940	780	537
Farms by number of operators:							
1 operator	467	208	132	300	516	415	213
2 operators	205	113	146	159	156	149	122
3 operators	18	16	17	17	20	13	17
4 operators	2	6	7	3	8	4	4
5 or more operators	2	1	1	2	4	2	2
Total women operators	184	124	206	174	221	152	155
Farms by number of women operators:							
1 operator	178	106	169	162	188	144	135
2 operators	3	9	17	2	12	1	8
3 operators	-	-	1	-	3	2	-
4 operators	-	-	-	2	-	-	1
5 or more operators	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
PRINCIPAL OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS							
Sex of operator:							
Male	655	323	247	452	631	552	315
1997	638	410	300	469	684	586	345
acres, 2002	378,948	1,362,074	558,996	273,392	508,901	317,407	1,258,645
1997	385,631	1,564,348	412,519	285,130	525,274	316,067	1,750,705
Female	39	21	56	29	73	31	43
1997	40	20	42	17	46	24	43
acres, 2002	7,659	27,072	30,133	5,280	22,089	10,210	109,447
1997	10,345	12,486	40,256	5,199	15,683	5,131	90,283
Primary occupation:							
Farming	420	295	193	297	454	396	278
1997	424	343	208	280	523	414	254
Other	274	49	110	184	250	187	80
1997	254	87	134	206	207	196	134
Place of residence ¹ :							
On farm operated	569	279	267	404	520	446	272
1997	511	284	278	373	512	463	277
Not on farm operated	125	65	36	77	184	137	86
1997	120	114	50	65	169	113	83
Days worked off farm ¹ :							
None	321	189	143	193	403	278	189
1997	297	239	153	180	373	309	174
Any	373	155	160	288	301	305	169
1997	343	161	172	264	313	270	195
1 to 49 days	47	51	20	40	42	34	33
1997	41	34	23	31	52	44	26
50 to 99 days	14	17	11	17	13	17	10
1997	27	14	17	6	32	20	9
100 to 199 days	22	20	32	18	38	28	32
1997	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
200 days or more	290	67	97	213	208	226	94
1997	221	80	99	194	178	161	101

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Table 40. Tenure, Number of Operators, Type of Organization, and Principal Operator Characteristics: 2002 and 1997 - Con.

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

Item	Douglas	Edmunds	Fall River	Faulk	Grant	Gregory	Haakon
FARMS							
Land in farms	farms, 2002 394	386	278	265	548	587	268
	1997 403	449	313	320	573	606	309
	acres, 2002 236,841	585,229	982,282	534,795	350,299	650,897	1,221,612
	1997 245,823	607,674	949,424	565,646	371,406	573,239	1,316,917
Harvested cropland	farms, 2002 314	287	155	221	411	499	149
	1997 341	341	200	263	494	515	242
	acres, 2002 159,401	302,424	50,214	278,158	225,564	225,600	104,797
	1997 149,284	301,123	55,764	275,604	243,905	204,448	258,782
TENURE							
Full owners	farms, 2002 180	186	162	92	286	268	133
	1997 138	171	168	107	210	254	145
	acres, 2002 57,484	146,285	571,174	135,042	92,956	209,859	447,398
	1997 44,690	99,800	228,220	114,641	64,750	125,937	511,384
Harvested cropland	farms, 2002 118	99	84	57	165	202	67
	1997 90	91	94	66	148	190	101
	acres, 2002 32,524	63,931	22,003	63,347	42,748	71,110	53,693
	1997 25,313	36,628	19,060	43,786	35,118	41,175	122,317
Part owners	farms, 2002 176	168	99	139	202	263	106
	1997 214	218	112	162	272	271	115
	acres, 2002 169,773	403,936	383,088	361,882	213,042	416,891	672,971
	1997 180,059	454,238	469,924	398,300	269,382	401,054	713,270
Owned land in farms	acres, 2002 67,570	209,668	236,928	194,115	96,409	212,540	439,700
	1997 81,352	239,164	282,007	223,242	125,309	205,533	452,239
Rented land in farms	acres, 2002 102,203	194,268	146,160	167,767	116,633	204,351	233,271
	1997 98,707	215,074	187,917	175,058	144,073	195,521	261,031
Harvested cropland	farms, 2002 171	163	65	135	197	248	70
	1997 208	203	92	157	266	259	110
	acres, 2002 120,606	213,216	26,387	186,663	144,396	146,168	44,365
	1997 110,474	230,060	32,576	199,355	183,447	142,378	121,030
Tenants	farms, 2002 38	32	17	34	60	56	29
	1997 51	60	33	51	91	81	49
	acres, 2002 9,584	35,008	28,020	37,871	44,301	24,147	101,243
	1997 21,074	53,636	251,280	52,705	37,274	46,248	92,263
Harvested cropland	farms, 2002 25	25	6	29	49	49	12
	1997 43	47	14	40	80	66	31
	acres, 2002 6,271	25,277	1,824	28,148	38,420	8,322	6,739
	1997 13,497	34,435	4,128	32,463	25,340	20,895	15,435
2002 NUMBER OF ALL OPERATORS							
Total operators	number 552	554	439	390	782	819	429
Farms by number of operators:							
1 operator	262	249	149	164	352	394	150
2 operators	115	118	110	80	171	168	87
3 operators	10	9	11	18	18	17	22
4 operators	5	8	5	3	6	5	7
5 or more operators	2	2	3	-	1	3	2
Total women operators	number 114	123	136	79	179	169	99
Farms by number of women operators:							
1 operator	106	111	111	71	161	143	89
2 operators	4	6	11	4	7	13	5
3 operators	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
4 operators	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
5 or more operators	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
PRINCIPAL OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS							
Sex of operator:							
Male	farms, 2002 385	368	259	245	506	563	251
	1997 392	429	285	303	545	586	289
	acres, 2002 235,033	578,758	935,634	514,580	334,570	637,856	1,159,232
	1997 241,635	597,306	900,675	550,400	366,973	561,482	1,285,135
Female	farms, 2002 9	18	19	20	42	24	17
	1997 11	20	28	17	28	20	20
	acres, 2002 1,808	6,471	46,648	20,215	15,729	13,041	62,380
	1997 4,188	10,368	48,749	15,246	4,433	11,757	31,782
Primary occupation:							
Farming	2002 303	298	216	230	395	472	228
	1997 320	330	209	261	413	464	251
Other	2002 91	88	62	35	153	115	40
	1997 83	119	104	59	160	142	58
Place of residence ¹ :							
On farm operated	2002 336	280	239	210	449	482	220
	1997 306	303	236	226	427	424	206
Not on farm operated	2002 58	106	39	55	99	105	48
	1997 55	112	56	59	102	140	66
Days worked off farm ¹ :							
None	2002 237	229	162	162	325	310	169
	1997 238	236	147	190	306	316	173
Any	2002 157	157	116	103	223	277	99
	1997 132	173	149	100	225	247	105
1 to 49 days	2002 30	25	17	22	28	66	19
	1997 26	36	27	23	34	51	33
50 to 99 days	2002 15	6	9	14	12	19	7
	1997 14	9	11	13	19	26	13
100 to 199 days	2002 23	20	33	12	31	32	21
	1997 (NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
200 days or more	2002 89	106	57	55	152	160	52
	1997 68	96	84	53	131	131	48

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Table 40. Tenure, Number of Operators, Type of Organization, and Principal Operator Characteristics: 2002 and 1997 - Con.

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

Item	Hamlin	Hand	Hanson	Harding	Hughes	Hutchinson	Hyde
FARMS							
Land in farms	451	480	319	223	258	768	187
farms, 2002	451	480	319	223	258	768	187
1997	448	487	352	265	284	868	227
acres, 2002	307,193	868,379	248,732	1,674,112	367,653	505,603	468,836
1997	287,986	788,078	238,279	1,664,977	383,146	496,122	519,966
Harvested cropland	336	374	260	89	168	643	133
farms, 2002	336	374	260	89	168	643	133
1997	377	394	308	199	209	763	186
acres, 2002	210,281	339,596	184,346	37,048	101,441	365,953	92,820
1997	192,944	346,411	159,200	127,355	190,509	346,057	172,934
TENURE							
Full owners	246	212	140	67	157	314	78
farms, 2002	246	212	140	67	157	314	78
1997	168	156	121	81	150	301	94
acres, 2002	89,229	217,897	57,804	341,191	128,168	109,282	136,902
1997	42,262	112,776	41,508	168,175	119,051	83,735	122,197
Harvested cropland	139	118	88	29	87	205	47
farms, 2002	139	118	88	29	87	205	47
1997	111	85	90	44	90	210	55
acres, 2002	49,173	69,722	38,374	14,327	37,645	72,817	33,151
1997	25,142	53,201	24,793	21,492	57,109	50,356	50,916
Part owners	175	220	153	135	84	394	76
farms, 2002	175	220	153	135	84	394	76
1997	215	268	176	149	100	474	98
acres, 2002	193,732	606,890	179,248	1,192,222	221,353	373,858	300,699
1997	215,783	616,774	176,388	1,346,912	226,387	377,232	371,978
Owned land in farms	81,364	313,234	85,508	783,000	110,023	161,136	197,708
acres, 2002	81,364	313,234	85,508	783,000	110,023	161,136	197,708
1997	100,191	342,370	80,504	861,090	114,235	168,444	246,756
Rented land in farms	112,368	293,656	93,740	409,222	111,330	212,722	102,991
acres, 2002	112,368	293,656	93,740	409,222	111,330	212,722	102,991
1997	115,592	274,404	95,884	485,822	112,152	208,788	125,222
Harvested cropland	170	214	147	57	73	383	68
farms, 2002	170	214	147	57	73	383	68
1997	208	263	166	137	92	465	98
acres, 2002	142,692	253,372	136,517	21,708	58,040	276,175	52,006
1997	144,004	268,909	117,911	96,946	109,625	267,593	108,598
Tenants	30	48	26	21	17	60	33
farms, 2002	30	48	26	21	17	60	33
1997	65	63	55	35	34	93	35
acres, 2002	24,232	43,592	11,680	140,699	18,132	22,463	31,235
1997	29,941	58,528	20,383	149,890	37,708	35,155	25,791
Harvested cropland	27	42	25	3	8	55	18
farms, 2002	27	42	25	3	8	55	18
1997	58	46	52	18	27	88	33
acres, 2002	18,416	16,502	9,455	1,013	5,756	16,961	7,663
1997	23,798	24,301	16,496	8,917	23,775	28,108	13,420
2002 NUMBER OF ALL OPERATORS							
Total operators	658	734	459	410	385	1,076	279
Farms by number of operators:							
1 operator	294	288	210	86	155	521	116
2 operators	126	152	96	103	88	209	55
3 operators	18	28	7	23	9	25	13
4 operators	8	7	1	8	4	7	1
5 or more operators	5	5	5	3	2	6	2
Total women operators	156	150	90	139	89	227	63
Farms by number of women operators:							
1 operator	127	142	88	114	87	213	59
2 operators	10	4	1	11	1	7	2
3 operators	3	-	-	1	-	-	-
4 operators	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5 or more operators	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
PRINCIPAL OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS							
Sex of operator:							
Male	416	453	310	198	236	725	175
farms, 2002	416	453	310	198	236	725	175
1997	432	472	344	243	269	837	218
acres, 2002	302,690	852,572	(D)	1,559,656	353,962	490,777	456,738
1997	(D)	781,924	234,282	1,581,828	372,351	489,899	500,709
Female	35	27	9	25	22	43	12
farms, 2002	35	27	9	25	22	43	12
1997	16	15	8	22	15	31	9
acres, 2002	4,503	15,807	(D)	114,456	13,691	14,826	12,098
1997	(D)	6,154	3,997	83,149	10,795	6,223	19,257
Primary occupation:							
Farming	313	381	237	203	172	606	151
2002	313	381	237	203	172	606	151
1997	333	389	264	219	196	688	181
Other	138	99	82	20	86	162	36
2002	138	99	82	20	86	162	36
1997	115	98	88	46	88	180	46
Place of residence ¹ :							
On farm operated	347	391	276	196	183	637	145
2002	347	391	276	196	183	637	145
1997	349	370	255	202	169	673	141
Not on farm operated	104	89	43	27	75	131	42
2002	104	89	43	27	75	131	42
1997	81	84	68	45	75	145	52
Days worked off farm ¹ :							
None	232	277	202	135	131	470	112
2002	232	277	202	135	131	470	112
1997	240	263	169	164	116	515	125
Any	219	203	117	88	127	298	75
2002	219	203	117	88	127	298	75
1997	179	189	146	87	141	304	77
1 to 49 days	38	36	18	32	20	42	13
2002	38	36	18	32	20	42	13
1997	36	56	28	25	33	80	25
50 to 99 days	21	19	6	11	7	23	9
2002	21	19	6	11	7	23	9
1997	11	22	10	7	10	33	3
100 to 199 days	24	32	15	21	14	46	9
2002	24	32	15	21	14	46	9
1997	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
200 days or more	136	116	78	24	86	187	44
2002	136	116	78	24	86	187	44
1997	113	80	88	36	86	142	37

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Table 40. Tenure, Number of Operators, Type of Organization, and Principal Operator Characteristics: 2002 and 1997 - Con.

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

Item	Jackson	Jerauld	Jones	Kingsbury	Lake	Lawrence	Lincoln	Lyman
FARMS								
Land in farms	farms, 2002 308	272	163	599	513	239	841	420
	1997 289	278	206	625	556	304	900	410
	acres, 2002 1,190,603	336,424	516,489	518,642	325,134	140,703	309,552	885,332
	1997 1,322,818	333,905	576,074	499,829	326,205	172,318	344,924	915,269
Harvested cropland	farms, 2002 175	186	108	471	399	140	698	252
	1997 221	233	150	515	473	223	797	315
	acres, 2002 76,114	133,642	77,183	322,736	227,586	17,861	266,005	211,234
	1997 158,897	128,226	111,921	321,633	239,537	33,205	296,450	242,551
TENURE								
Full owners	farms, 2002 152	132	90	281	248	156	423	216
	1997 139	109	104	219	234	192	372	176
	acres, 2002 618,449	77,821	212,240	162,670	86,559	51,445	70,078	290,925
	1997 687,677	50,384	235,616	72,858	77,313	57,504	58,150	321,947
Harvested cropland	farms, 2002 81	69	53	180	150	80	299	88
	1997 93	74	59	133	163	130	289	108
	acres, 2002 37,345	26,440	25,611	93,965	54,239	6,382	50,019	76,349
	1997 78,340	14,623	36,998	38,648	52,409	12,457	43,359	58,897
Part owners	farms, 2002 119	89	58	239	210	66	327	140
	1997 110	126	66	276	240	91	375	163
	acres, 2002 527,025	229,850	277,788	306,285	217,630	79,938	210,589	437,292
	1997 484,549	238,215	271,703	341,632	217,023	105,355	237,500	484,980
Owned land in farms	acres, 2002 262,425	108,376	145,297	126,174	101,390	33,351	76,574	228,727
	1997 280,424	119,362	167,577	135,464	86,497	53,934	83,495	262,194
Rented land in farms	acres, 2002 264,600	121,474	132,491	180,111	116,240	46,587	134,015	208,565
	1997 204,125	118,853	104,126	206,168	130,526	51,421	154,005	222,786
Harvested cropland	farms, 2002 81	87	45	228	199	48	320	121
	1997 102	124	64	270	233	78	367	159
	acres, 2002 35,984	97,350	44,563	192,737	156,221	10,239	189,985	106,968
	1997 73,071	92,920	54,060	219,430	160,594	19,094	208,608	149,115
Tenants	farms, 2002 37	51	15	79	55	17	91	64
	1997 40	43	36	130	82	21	153	71
	acres, 2002 45,129	28,753	26,461	49,687	20,945	9,320	28,885	157,115
	1997 150,592	45,306	68,755	85,339	31,869	9,459	49,274	108,342
Harvested cropland	farms, 2002 13	30	10	63	50	12	79	43
	1997 26	35	27	112	77	15	141	48
	acres, 2002 2,785	9,852	7,009	36,034	17,126	1,240	26,001	27,917
	1997 7,486	20,683	20,863	63,555	26,534	1,654	44,483	34,539
2002 NUMBER OF ALL OPERATORS								
Total operators	number 465	368	248	800	722	388	1,160	624
Farms by number of operators:								
1 operator	188	189	101	424	346	125	576	267
2 operators	95	71	47	154	137	95	224	118
3 operators	16	11	8	17	23	8	30	21
4 operators	7	1	6	3	3	6	9	13
5 or more operators	2	-	1	1	4	5	2	1
Total women operators	number 120	73	49	146	153	138	226	159
Farms by number of women operators:								
1 operator	105	71	45	140	148	113	208	129
2 operators	6	1	2	3	1	11	3	6
3 operators	1	-	-	-	1	1	4	6
4 operators	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5 or more operators	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
PRINCIPAL OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS								
Sex of operator:								
Male	farms, 2002 281	256	153	561	483	212	805	369
	1997 271	261	188	605	542	272	871	383
	acres, 2002 1,141,088	329,037	501,121	512,643	317,686	(D)	306,066	841,309
	1997 1,268,125	329,139	552,532	493,045	320,088	(D)	340,445	890,610
Female	farms, 2002 27	16	10	38	30	27	36	51
	1997 18	17	18	20	14	32	29	27
	acres, 2002 49,515	7,387	15,368	5,999	7,448	(D)	3,486	44,023
	1997 54,693	4,766	23,542	6,784	6,117	(D)	4,479	24,659
Primary occupation:								
Farming	2002 259	194	144	460	339	130	540	297
	1997 236	200	158	460	383	171	578	288
Other	2002 49	78	19	139	174	109	301	123
	1997 53	78	48	165	173	133	322	122
Place of residence ¹ :								
On farm operated	2002 257	202	127	485	429	216	694	266
	1997 212	190	125	468	421	236	695	235
Not on farm operated	2002 51	70	36	114	84	23	147	154
	1997 57	72	61	111	83	56	141	141
Days worked off farm ¹ :								
None	2002 197	138	98	310	251	106	373	233
	1997 169	130	115	335	241	138	391	213
Any	2002 111	134	65	289	262	133	468	187
	1997 93	132	70	246	262	153	449	169
1 to 49 days	2002 29	30	23	48	22	12	59	23
	1997 28	33	19	46	30	17	69	35
50 to 99 days	2002 6	3	5	58	32	17	38	23
	1997 9	3	3	23	29	7	39	10
100 to 199 days	2002 17	13	9	42	41	11	44	20
	1997 (NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
200 days or more	2002 59	88	28	141	167	93	327	121
	1997 36	65	36	139	162	95	268	93

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Table 40. Tenure, Number of Operators, Type of Organization, and Principal Operator Characteristics: 2002 and 1997 - Con.

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

Item	McCook	McPherson	Marshall	Meade	Mellette	Miner	Minnehaha	Moody
FARMS								
Land in farms								
farms, 2002	539	413	529	895	200	370	1,209	580
1997	601	402	505	863	213	400	1,270	601
acres, 2002	345,010	536,730	524,688	2,228,839	660,456	291,066	421,946	282,751
1997	331,232	552,223	496,892	2,011,994	625,407	293,606	430,967	292,847
Harvested cropland								
farms, 2002	430	276	360	601	136	292	932	422
1997	505	321	382	666	164	315	1,037	527
acres, 2002	251,961	175,150	250,770	204,793	58,623	167,112	327,595	209,051
1997	231,204	210,820	234,174	286,078	87,684	161,831	329,898	212,660
TENURE								
Full owners								
farms, 2002	278	223	264	528	68	167	668	320
1997	249	163	206	435	63	167	583	234
acres, 2002	97,267	142,684	124,965	766,281	170,531	79,854	107,459	73,567
1997	67,399	118,077	97,982	560,900	100,867	59,224	77,247	48,272
Harvested cropland								
farms, 2002	181	98	110	331	37	105	427	174
1997	165	97	109	304	42	102	391	172
acres, 2002	65,038	36,314	41,473	81,460	12,507	42,234	68,678	41,672
1997	39,783	33,975	29,908	97,917	17,021	34,161	45,710	28,835
Part owners								
farms, 2002	222	175	224	308	100	156	442	207
1997	282	199	242	332	115	175	493	267
acres, 2002	229,544	378,559	361,871	1,349,670	449,580	190,712	283,282	191,491
1997	241,690	403,372	366,923	1,312,566	459,538	205,179	299,783	217,154
Owned land in farms								
acres, 2002	97,742	226,770	190,430	872,723	235,990	79,858	101,698	67,625
1997	103,508	234,754	175,486	841,601	242,710	86,070	103,685	88,855
Rented land in farms								
acres, 2002	131,802	151,789	171,441	476,947	213,590	110,854	181,584	123,866
1997	138,182	168,618	191,437	470,965	216,828	119,109	196,098	128,299
Harvested cropland								
farms, 2002	216	166	217	239	80	151	428	202
1997	275	193	233	303	170	170	477	260
acres, 2002	172,754	132,622	183,389	116,705	39,346	111,959	233,150	153,707
1997	173,735	164,686	185,558	172,579	65,777	110,050	239,224	160,717
Tenants								
farms, 2002	39	15	41	59	32	47	99	53
1997	70	40	57	96	35	58	194	100
acres, 2002	18,199	15,487	37,852	112,888	40,345	20,500	31,205	17,693
1997	22,143	30,774	31,987	138,528	65,002	29,203	53,937	27,421
Harvested cropland								
farms, 2002	33	12	33	31	19	36	77	46
1997	65	31	40	59	17	43	169	95
acres, 2002	14,169	6,214	25,908	6,628	6,770	12,919	25,767	13,672
1997	17,686	12,159	18,708	15,582	4,886	17,620	44,964	23,108
2002 NUMBER OF ALL OPERATORS								
Total operators	775	605	748	1,397	315	534	1,678	771
Farms by number of operators:								
1 operator	369	257	361	497	116	234	804	426
2 operators	130	129	134	330	65	115	360	131
3 operators	30	22	25	42	10	16	33	16
4 operators	6	2	5	17	6	3	9	4
5 or more operators	4	3	4	9	3	2	3	3
Total women operators	158	127	130	418	92	115	371	172
Farms by number of women operators:								
1 operator	137	119	124	359	76	104	347	155
2 operators	9	4	3	23	8	4	9	6
3 operators	1	-	-	3	-	1	2	-
4 operators	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
5 or more operators	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
PRINCIPAL OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS								
Sex of operator:								
Male								
farms, 2002	513	395	505	808	176	357	1,150	543
1997	579	392	472	801	198	389	1,212	584
acres, 2002	341,915	531,371	514,895	2,142,183	634,272	287,476	414,866	276,370
1997	327,920	547,888	468,283	1,929,960	591,573	291,760	425,008	289,422
Female								
farms, 2002	26	18	24	87	24	13	59	37
1997	22	10	33	62	15	11	58	17
acres, 2002	3,095	5,359	9,793	86,656	26,184	3,590	7,080	6,381
1997	3,312	4,335	28,609	82,034	33,834	1,846	5,959	3,425
Primary occupation:								
Farming								
2002	406	285	417	656	169	264	748	401
1997	458	314	383	585	167	288	696	419
Other								
2002	133	128	112	239	31	106	461	179
1997	143	88	122	278	46	112	574	182
Place of residence ¹ :								
On farm operated								
2002	430	276	420	796	158	284	1,039	480
1997	452	271	366	696	151	296	964	446
Not on farm operated								
2002	109	137	109	99	42	86	170	100
1997	105	104	103	118	48	74	200	118
Days worked off farm ¹ :								
None								
2002	303	255	328	420	126	185	505	274
1997	340	215	269	377	108	212	478	267
Any								
2002	236	158	201	475	74	185	704	306
1997	214	155	189	428	89	158	712	291
1 to 49 days								
2002	25	43	29	76	14	19	82	39
1997	33	35	35	88	27	28	83	46
50 to 99 days								
2002	21	7	15	56	5	10	53	13
1997	19	20	20	23	4	9	29	25
100 to 199 days								
2002	38	17	40	66	8	35	90	40
1997	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
200 days or more								
2002	152	91	117	277	47	121	479	214
1997	117	68	100	243	41	94	494	179

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Table 40. Tenure, Number of Operators, Type of Organization, and Principal Operator Characteristics: 2002 and 1997 - Con.

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

Item	Pennington	Perkins	Potter	Roberts	Sanborn	Shannon	Spink	Stanley
FARMS								
Land in farms	farms, 2002 696	452	256	936	394	200	682	166
	1997 686	533	280	865	395	185	673	190
	acres, 2002 1,209,981	1,781,628	452,912	592,893	380,039	1,266,655	911,373	866,345
	1997 1,024,512	1,672,797	515,359	582,013	339,286	1,471,864	870,523	875,660
Harvested cropland	farms, 2002 448	222	172	666	317	77	527	82
	1997 485	418	225	726	325	103	556	135
	acres, 2002 158,373	98,540	165,419	364,578	183,772	32,745	618,985	66,985
	1997 176,094	270,801	253,336	376,235	146,641	61,166	564,138	141,769
TENURE								
Full owners	farms, 2002 449	217	127	472	179	73	277	103
	1997 400	233	93	319	155	95	200	89
	acres, 2002 585,198	570,591	133,177	128,223	94,471	685,609	190,987	356,607
	1997 334,350	396,343	69,032	92,428	68,621	(D)	115,659	229,484
Harvested cropland	farms, 2002 258	96	64	227	112	32	142	39
	1997 254	154	55	214	106	41	113	55
	acres, 2002 63,971	46,589	47,080	54,306	37,643	10,005	106,768	18,665
	1997 59,206	74,588	28,002	46,488	26,688	14,398	62,341	32,014
Part owners	farms, 2002 208	190	95	378	175	83	329	77
	1997 213	230	128	420	178	56	367	44
	acres, 2002 551,865	963,275	288,803	426,864	262,735	495,904	654,771	372,081
	1997 550,678	1,021,177	386,334	437,609	243,918	238,376	671,098	406,509
Owned land in farms	acres, 2002 336,621	610,370	182,227	192,028	137,177	114,848	269,447	267,542
	1997 349,799	676,235	216,672	191,106	123,976	91,026	300,051	237,879
Rented land in farms	acres, 2002 215,244	352,905	106,576	234,836	125,558	381,056	385,324	104,539
	1997 200,879	344,942	169,662	246,503	119,942	147,350	371,047	168,630
Harvested cropland	farms, 2002 165	111	88	361	169	36	322	32
	1997 190	217	125	406	170	45	354	62
	acres, 2002 81,999	48,950	100,670	279,886	134,147	20,190	461,821	32,420
	1997 105,736	175,440	184,277	291,644	106,277	32,732	441,040	59,914
Tenants	farms, 2002 39	45	34	86	40	44	76	19
	1997 73	70	59	126	62	34	106	29
	acres, 2002 72,918	247,762	30,932	37,806	22,833	85,142	65,615	137,657
	1997 139,484	255,277	59,993	51,976	26,747	(D)	83,766	239,667
Harvested cropland	farms, 2002 25	15	20	78	36	9	63	11
	1997 41	47	45	106	49	17	89	18
	acres, 2002 12,403	3,001	17,669	30,386	11,982	2,550	50,396	15,900
	1997 11,152	20,773	41,057	38,103	13,676	14,036	60,757	49,841
2002 NUMBER OF ALL OPERATORS								
Total operators	number 1,106	701	399	1,266	528	330	984	249
Farms by number of operators:								
1 operator	364	258	163	678	287	120	457	102
2 operators	274	155	73	209	87	53	180	53
3 operators	40	27	16	38	15	12	24	5
4 operators	16	9	3	7	3	10	17	4
5 or more operators	2	3	1	4	2	5	4	2
Total women operators	number 377	186	78	290	103	97	189	66
Farms by number of women operators:								
1 operator	317	154	63	266	101	77	177	52
2 operators	27	13	2	8	1	10	6	7
3 operators	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
4 operators	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-
5 or more operators	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
PRINCIPAL OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS								
Sex of operator:								
Male	farms, 2002 579	423	241	828	365	167	650	147
	1997 616	489	266	835	372	163	647	172
	acres, 2002 1,109,790	1,567,736	447,778	572,464	367,546	1,142,766	897,862	775,116
	1997 919,623	1,423,384	507,843	572,546	332,669	1,421,380	860,217	763,072
Female	farms, 2002 117	29	15	108	29	33	32	19
	1997 70	44	14	30	23	22	26	18
	acres, 2002 100,191	213,892	5,134	20,429	12,493	123,889	13,511	91,229
	1997 104,889	249,413	7,516	9,467	6,617	50,484	10,306	112,588
Primary occupation:								
Farming	2002 454	376	206	722	264	135	519	119
	1997 416	418	214	623	268	129	515	132
Other	2002 242	76	50	214	130	65	163	47
	1997 270	115	66	242	127	56	158	58
Place of residence ¹ :								
On farm operated	2002 580	359	152	737	331	168	510	123
	1997 517	379	152	668	299	137	471	99
Not on farm operated	2002 116	93	104	199	63	32	172	43
	1997 132	119	92	140	76	29	153	66
Days worked off farm ¹ :								
None	2002 314	263	142	453	209	101	391	99
	1997 293	297	145	445	203	80	382	84
Any	2002 382	189	114	483	185	99	291	67
	1997 345	191	103	371	174	84	239	77
1 to 49 days	2002 45	41	19	52	28	8	44	13
	1997 75	46	21	79	22	17	51	12
50 to 99 days	2002 30	18	8	17	12	1	17	7
	1997 16	21	14	40	20	3	19	5
100 to 199 days	2002 53	38	12	77	29	24	41	7
	1997 (NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
200 days or more	2002 254	92	75	337	116	66	189	40
	1997 198	81	54	190	104	43	132	54

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Table 40. Tenure, Number of Operators, Type of Organization, and Principal Operator Characteristics: 2002 and 1997 - Con.

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

Item	Sully	Todd	Tripp	Turner	Union	Walworth	Yankton	Ziebach
FARMS								
Land in farms	228	249	666	713	522	299	690	227
1997	253	218	669	932	553	339	730	259
acres, 2002	573,429	916,619	1,053,698	347,559	276,588	427,303	342,058	1,172,918
1997	591,076	1,079,624	899,661	381,606	283,279	418,783	299,903	1,470,060
Harvested cropland	154	198	518	615	444	197	563	74
1997	215	181	513	817	493	260	609	192
acres, 2002	240,483	132,227	343,637	284,849	236,679	153,671	269,915	40,848
1997	369,220	147,245	310,529	308,026	241,646	166,802	214,691	136,115
TENURE								
Full owners	108	101	302	306	233	158	348	89
1997	93	62	292	387	193	154	335	113
acres, 2002	225,928	348,625	244,630	89,006	59,499	122,164	88,743	347,053
1997	143,045	555,313	218,038	75,371	39,653	100,757	65,239	747,087
Harvested cropland	59	71	193	222	161	77	235	24
1997	60	41	185	281	140	95	233	69
acres, 2002	105,946	29,902	77,073	66,189	44,742	39,039	61,232	17,089
1997	88,444	33,543	64,737	54,008	28,764	32,114	36,352	40,720
Part owners	86	110	294	333	220	117	285	109
1997	127	129	292	419	256	144	286	101
acres, 2002	297,973	451,131	754,569	228,937	188,196	270,773	226,666	715,921
1997	397,812	434,339	640,230	255,625	200,137	273,254	195,191	593,135
Owned land in farms	139,202	163,862	401,161	95,570	72,065	128,732	99,111	300,989
1997	196,389	215,966	358,052	105,087	67,249	140,552	76,484	278,875
Rented land in farms	158,771	287,269	353,408	133,367	116,131	142,041	127,555	414,932
1997	201,423	218,373	282,178	150,538	132,888	132,702	118,707	314,260
Harvested cropland	74	100	281	326	218	104	278	43
1997	124	125	280	412	253	134	281	93
acres, 2002	114,682	79,908	248,059	193,341	165,602	97,079	186,996	21,147
1997	250,418	106,823	232,576	210,714	175,177	111,195	147,577	68,365
Tenants	34	38	70	74	69	24	57	29
1997	33	27	85	126	104	41	109	45
acres, 2002	49,528	116,863	54,499	29,616	28,893	34,366	26,649	109,944
1997	50,219	89,972	41,393	50,610	43,489	44,772	39,473	129,838
Harvested cropland	21	27	44	67	65	16	50	7
1997	31	15	48	124	100	31	95	30
acres, 2002	19,855	22,417	18,505	25,319	26,335	17,553	21,687	2,612
1997	30,358	6,879	13,216	43,304	37,705	23,493	30,762	27,030
2002 NUMBER OF ALL OPERATORS								
Total operators	340	369	1,028	995	720	447	980	369
Farms by number of operators:								
1 operator	152	152	385	490	364	177	474	122
2 operators	59	84	225	182	127	101	173	78
3 operators	7	7	38	29	23	16	34	20
4 operators	5	5	14	7	7	5	3	5
5 or more operators	5	1	4	5	1	-	6	2
Total women operators	64	97	249	185	116	99	168	97
Farms by number of women operators:								
1 operator	56	91	213	160	102	94	154	85
2 operators	4	3	13	8	7	1	7	6
3 operators	-	-	-	3	-	1	-	-
4 operators	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
5 or more operators	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
PRINCIPAL OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS								
Sex of operator:								
Male	212	225	633	700	503	282	656	207
1997	233	200	640	905	539	317	705	242
acres, 2002	550,317	896,010	1,027,712	346,500	274,311	423,729	335,051	1,086,072
1997	562,024	1,060,376	877,014	376,288	282,162	406,489	292,735	1,419,788
Female	16	24	33	13	19	17	34	20
1997	20	18	29	27	14	22	25	17
acres, 2002	23,112	20,609	25,986	1,059	2,277	3,574	7,007	86,846
1997	29,052	19,248	22,647	5,318	1,117	12,294	7,168	50,272
Primary occupation:								
Farming	160	199	501	525	385	211	499	180
1997	204	184	471	645	378	236	489	196
Other	68	50	165	188	137	88	191	47
1997	49	34	198	287	175	103	241	63
Place of residence ¹ :								
On farm operated	138	206	527	620	410	221	596	185
1997	141	166	465	729	406	209	556	178
Not on farm operated	90	43	139	93	112	78	94	42
1997	82	36	152	152	112	84	121	69
Days worked off farm ¹ :								
None	149	146	381	358	283	155	321	124
1997	129	122	364	449	290	157	333	129
Any	79	103	285	355	239	144	369	103
1997	97	78	262	430	222	146	343	116
1 to 49 days	18	21	37	57	29	13	45	14
1997	25	21	44	92	23	26	47	25
50 to 99 days	3	9	23	29	24	12	28	12
1997	4	15	15	16	11	11	30	14
100 to 199 days	22	16	54	42	18	22	70	18
1997	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
200 days or more	36	57	171	227	168	97	226	59
1997	46	31	160	259	146	85	221	61

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Table 40. Tenure, Number of Operators, Type of Organization, and Principal Operator Characteristics: 2002 and 1997 - Con.

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

Item		South Dakota	Aurora	Beadle	Bennett	Bon Homme	Brookings	Brown
PRINCIPAL OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS - Con.								
Years on present farm ¹ :								
2 years or less	2002	956	11	22	13	14	30	33
	1997	1,373	16	34	19	44	42	25
3 or 4 years	2002	1,564	18	46	7	24	55	70
	1997	1,673	14	43	14	39	58	46
5 to 9 years	2002	4,498	68	126	27	72	169	147
	1997	3,809	56	69	28	70	138	136
10 years or more	2002	24,718	304	534	184	555	708	905
	1997	21,122	272	475	148	488	631	682
Average years on present farm	2002	23.8	24.1	22.5	23.5	25.1	21.9	24.6
	1997	22.4	23.0	21.8	21.9	21.6	20.8	22.7
Age group:								
Under 25 years	2002	414	5	11	4	8	14	11
	1997	716	8	26	7	30	35	14
25 to 34 years	2002	2,249	22	66	13	53	73	76
	1997	3,142	42	62	16	84	93	98
35 to 44 years	2002	6,307	96	141	48	152	192	211
	1997	7,969	107	197	62	182	252	274
45 to 54 years	2002	9,097	118	233	65	201	288	336
	1997	7,720	96	201	54	164	220	236
55 to 59 years	2002	3,386	43	71	23	77	91	101
	1997	3,080	35	49	22	69	89	121
60 to 64 years	2002	2,931	31	72	20	53	71	142
	1997	3,018	34	60	32	76	99	110
65 to 69 years	2002	2,507	29	48	22	47	80	103
	1997	2,951	45	66	27	69	93	83
70 years and over	2002	4,845	57	86	36	74	153	175
	1997	4,595	58	101	35	79	110	137
Average age	2002	53.3	52.6	51.9	53.9	51.4	52.9	54.2
	1997	51.7	51.5	50.8	52.6	50.1	50.7	51.6
TYPE OF ORGANIZATION								
Family or individual	farms, 2002	28,189	372	662	202	622	850	1,027
	1997	28,906	395	679	204	693	876	924
	acres, 2002	31,509,607	(D)	634,110	(D)	310,648	316,139	865,631
	1997	29,264,636	301,801	567,059	369,514	311,149	342,529	775,838
Partnership	farms, 2002	2,163	22	39	14	28	44	64
	1997	2,694	23	56	34	51	61	81
	acres, 2002	6,141,716	55,707	115,342	76,292	20,410	47,180	152,810
	1997	5,349,410	21,717	69,874	98,156	21,540	34,126	152,425
Corporation:								
Family-held	farms, 2002	983	4	16	12	11	45	49
	1997	1,229	3	15	12	6	43	62
	acres, 2002	3,230,464	(D)	48,367	89,674	9,599	47,447	117,432
	1997	4,029,502	4,698	41,541	(D)	3,844	55,063	142,884
Other than family held	farms, 2002	83	-	3	1	-	2	3
	1997	92	1	4	-	1	4	2
	acres, 2002	126,140	-	700	(D)	-	(D)	120
	1997	188,438	(D)	(D)	-	(D)	(D)	(D)
Other - cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc.	farms, 2002	318	3	8	2	4	21	12
	1997	270	3	8	5	2	7	4
	acres, 2002	2,777,152	(D)	11,016	(D)	4,061	(D)	19,349
	1997	5,309,906	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)

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Table 40. Tenure, Number of Operators, Type of Organization, and Principal Operator Characteristics: 2002 and 1997 - Con.

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

Item		Brule	Buffalo	Butte	Campbell	Charles Mix	Clark	Clay
PRINCIPAL OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS - Con.								
Years on present farm ¹ :								
2 years or less	2002	16	3	31	5	19	21	10
	1997	14	1	51	7	25	34	21
3 or 4 years	2002	17	4	42	19	32	38	22
	1997	13	6	59	19	32	24	23
5 to 9 years	2002	59	6	123	27	97	95	81
	1997	49	11	115	18	80	61	39
10 years or more	2002	273	60	443	242	607	434	423
	1997	223	46	282	183	527	394	325
Average years on present farm	2002	23.6	27.4	18.1	28.0	25.3	23.8	23.5
	1997	24.0	23.6	16.5	25.0	24.6	23.8	22.4
Age group:								
Under 25 years	2002	8	1	6	4	8	10	2
	1997	4	3	8	3	21	26	14
25 to 34 years	2002	36	6	35	12	62	53	44
	1997	39	7	51	29	74	57	52
35 to 44 years	2002	66	17	148	60	156	99	125
	1997	79	16	155	69	165	138	136
45 to 54 years	2002	99	11	215	67	180	175	168
	1997	80	20	156	55	127	108	108
55 to 59 years	2002	34	10	85	27	85	67	58
	1997	46	11	46	36	89	48	46
60 to 64 years	2002	38	8	41	26	78	53	49
	1997	24	6	43	27	75	54	39
65 to 69 years	2002	26	8	36	27	87	43	28
	1997	32	5	54	21	76	43	41
70 years and over	2002	58	12	73	70	99	88	62
	1997	75	11	83	38	87	96	44
Average age	2002	52.7	54.3	51.6	56.3	53.2	53.4	51.3
	1997	53.5	51.4	51.9	51.9	51.4	51.5	49.4
TYPE OF ORGANIZATION								
Family or individual	farms, 2002	312	57	565	252	677	519	476
	1997	331	65	511	233	692	523	422
	acres, 2002	(D)	(D)	916,243	331,931	(D)	389,577	304,034
	1997	356,471	119,382	687,765	312,220	548,063	421,309	251,807
Partnership	farms, 2002	34	10	40	22	53	48	51
	1997	28	2	59	28	57	48	45
	acres, 2002	58,645	66,861	181,166	29,320	105,404	94,816	63,190
	1997	30,164	(D)	235,293	22,836	62,295	56,444	34,115
Corporation:								
Family-held	farms, 2002	15	2	27	15	17	11	5
	1997	15	8	22	11	28	10	6
	acres, 2002	33,530	(D)	117,128	20,796	60,922	24,651	4,648
	1997	44,109	49,842	(D)	23,942	81,570	27,464	(D)
Other than family held	farms, 2002	1	-	-	-	-	5	1
	1997	-	-	-	3	1	4	-
	acres, 2002	(D)	-	-	-	-	(D)	(D)
	1997	-	-	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	-
Other - cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc.	farms, 2002	3	4	7	4	8	5	3
	1997	5	4	4	3	2	4	7
	acres, 2002	(D)	(D)	47,853	9,174	(D)	(D)	(D)
	1997	7,460	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)

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Table 40. Tenure, Number of Operators, Type of Organization, and Principal Operator Characteristics: 2002 and 1997 - Con.

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

Item		Codington	Corson	Custer	Davison	Day	Deuel	Dewey
PRINCIPAL OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS - Con.								
Years on present farm ¹ :								
2 years or less	2002	15	10	12	15	25	14	3
	1997	30	14	12	35	23	31	17
3 or 4 years	2002	48	13	20	40	30	32	11
	1997	50	13	34	31	28	27	18
5 to 9 years	2002	111	38	59	88	83	98	57
	1997	98	41	54	61	77	63	43
10 years or more	2002	520	283	212	338	566	439	287
	1997	401	273	210	277	497	397	248
Average years on present farm	2002	21.4	26.4	19.0	20.4	26.9	24.3	24.1
	1997	19.9	24.9	19.0	19.4	24.2	22.5	21.7
Age group:								
Under 25 years	2002	11	3	6	17	15	10	1
	1997	14	7	3	9	11	17	11
25 to 34 years	2002	41	24	6	36	50	62	28
	1997	90	42	16	49	84	83	39
35 to 44 years	2002	155	54	28	117	122	120	80
	1997	174	91	48	153	157	127	99
45 to 54 years	2002	219	100	80	137	167	153	90
	1997	156	100	85	114	157	133	82
55 to 59 years	2002	63	33	58	53	69	46	37
	1997	51	38	39	40	60	58	33
60 to 64 years	2002	62	26	29	44	60	62	33
	1997	71	38	36	38	65	52	42
65 to 69 years	2002	52	35	30	34	48	44	41
	1997	50	38	43	38	70	52	38
70 years and over	2002	91	69	66	43	173	86	48
	1997	72	76	72	45	126	88	44
Average age	2002	52.2	55.3	57.7	50.3	55.5	51.9	53.3
	1997	49.8	53.0	57.2	49.1	52.4	50.8	51.0
TYPE OF ORGANIZATION								
Family or individual	farms, 2002	617	295	270	437	644	540	311
	1997	563	388	286	450	652	551	326
	acres, 2002	(D)	988,011	(D)	(D)	433,101	(D)	1,051,461
	1997	292,887	982,876	331,552	253,814	441,060	272,639	718,268
Partnership	farms, 2002	43	25	20	31	38	30	26
	1997	74	19	36	28	52	47	28
	acres, 2002	44,135	228,547	61,658	48,505	48,830	28,675	155,396
	1997	52,602	57,713	51,282	(D)	52,636	32,719	(D)
Corporation:								
Family-held	farms, 2002	22	13	10	11	11	10	9
	1997	30	15	13	7	17	9	15
	acres, 2002	56,131	138,336	53,890	7,987	30,783	31,936	98,050
	1997	47,562	67,459	53,122	7,419	41,558	15,255	115,397
Other than family held	farms, 2002	2	1	-	-	2	-	-
	1997	4	2	2	1	3	1	2
	acres, 2002	(D)	(D)	-	-	(D)	-	-
	1997	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	2,728	(D)	(D)
Other - cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc.	farms, 2002	10	10	3	2	9	3	12
	1997	7	6	5	-	6	2	17
	acres, 2002	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	63,185
	1997	(D)	(D)	(D)	-	2,975	(D)	895,762

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Table 40. Tenure, Number of Operators, Type of Organization, and Principal Operator Characteristics: 2002 and 1997 - Con.

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

Item	Douglas	Edmunds	Fall River	Faulk	Grant	Gregory	Haakon
PRINCIPAL OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS - Con.							
Years on present farm ¹ :							
2 years or less	2002 6	10	5	4	16	18	11
	1997 17	12	15	4	23	22	9
3 or 4 years	2002 18	7	14	12	13	15	16
	1997 30	30	26	20	26	20	16
5 to 9 years	2002 46	66	45	43	92	58	34
	1997 35	39	47	34	68	70	23
10 years or more	2002 324	303	214	206	427	496	207
	1997 247	288	177	196	367	400	203
Average years on present farm	2002 24.7	26.2	23.0	24.6	24.6	25.6	24.7
	1997 21.5	23.9	20.1	23.4	22.3	23.8	25.1
Age group:							
Under 25 years	2002 1	4	1	5	9	8	15
	1997 19	18	7	5	9	2	6
25 to 34 years	2002 33	27	18	25	33	21	21
	1997 44	41	15	31	65	44	21
35 to 44 years	2002 100	97	36	57	105	91	42
	1997 115	103	55	77	166	149	64
45 to 54 years	2002 113	80	73	72	157	213	67
	1997 85	93	90	73	119	151	71
55 to 59 years	2002 31	45	37	33	65	59	32
	1997 31	45	33	24	49	60	31
60 to 64 years	2002 27	32	24	16	53	64	28
	1997 36	49	30	35	52	55	30
65 to 69 years	2002 37	28	23	16	36	51	20
	1997 26	34	30	32	50	48	29
70 years and over	2002 52	73	66	41	90	80	43
	1997 47	66	53	43	63	97	57
Average age	2002 51.9	53.6	57.2	51.7	53.7	54.5	52.9
	1997 48.8	51.6	54.2	51.8	50.2	52.9	54.2
TYPE OF ORGANIZATION							
Family or individual	farms, 2002 371	340	245	209	481	544	223
	1997 372	385	270	269	497	550	252
	acres, 2002 217,354	427,323	510,136	360,376	(D)	539,108	(D)
	1997 216,306	438,495	580,638	407,739	288,725	462,304	954,326
Partnership	farms, 2002 9	25	18	34	46	33	37
	1997 15	40	25	30	44	40	40
	acres, 2002 7,001	87,715	103,328	115,611	42,940	53,590	267,939
	1997 (D)	98,140	136,475	90,410	32,045	71,434	274,334
Corporation:							
Family-held	farms, 2002 7	14	10	17	17	9	5
	1997 13	21	12	17	28	7	13
	acres, 2002 11,563	52,264	(D)	37,832	20,580	(D)	24,855
	1997 19,143	51,526	78,290	59,427	44,676	37,272	66,892
Other than family held	farms, 2002 6	2	1	2	1	-	-
	1997 2	2	2	1	1	3	1
	acres, 2002 (D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
	1997 (D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Other - cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc.	farms, 2002 1	5	4	3	3	1	3
	1997 1	1	4	3	3	6	3
	acres, 2002 (D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	2,093	(D)	(D)
	1997 (D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)

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Table 40. Tenure, Number of Operators, Type of Organization, and Principal Operator Characteristics: 2002 and 1997 - Con.

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

Item		Hamlin	Hand	Hanson	Harding	Hughes	Hutchinson	Hyde
PRINCIPAL OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS - Con.								
Years on present farm ¹ :								
2 years or less	2002	8	11	2	5	12	13	5
	1997	12	21	12	9	13	32	9
3 or 4 years	2002	34	17	16	11	15	29	10
	1997	16	23	12	11	15	30	3
5 to 9 years	2002	45	70	36	26	27	92	23
	1997	63	46	38	26	53	93	21
10 years or more	2002	364	382	265	181	204	634	149
	1997	304	323	225	182	146	593	143
Average years on present farm	2002	23.9	25.8	24.6	24.5	23.2	25.2	25.2
	1997	21.6	24.0	22.4	23.8	19.3	23.6	25.0
Age group:								
Under 25 years	2002	3	9	5	-	1	9	2
	1997	11	9	7	1	4	20	5
25 to 34 years	2002	37	28	29	8	14	55	12
	1997	47	44	44	23	33	101	19
35 to 44 years	2002	85	114	54	55	47	189	51
	1997	112	120	85	63	63	227	50
45 to 54 years	2002	124	126	80	63	70	212	43
	1997	125	90	76	59	61	176	47
55 to 59 years	2002	41	29	37	25	22	67	20
	1997	42	46	40	22	39	82	17
60 to 64 years	2002	46	45	43	19	39	84	10
	1997	38	52	37	23	28	80	15
65 to 69 years	2002	30	37	37	11	22	45	11
	1997	31	50	24	22	29	80	35
70 years and over	2002	85	92	34	42	43	107	38
	1997	42	76	39	52	27	102	39
Average age	2002	53.8	53.3	53.1	54.1	54.9	52.0	53.4
	1997	49.6	52.6	50.1	53.5	51.2	50.3	53.8
TYPE OF ORGANIZATION								
Family or individual	farms, 2002	410	402	292	179	213	709	160
	1997	403	403	315	212	227	792	190
	acres, 2002	(D)	533,493	192,643	1,114,532	272,745	427,396	304,023
	1997	231,409	535,305	189,405	903,395	277,347	419,974	337,556
Partnership	farms, 2002	26	58	13	27	33	39	15
	1997	35	60	20	31	37	43	20
	acres, 2002	34,935	234,960	26,875	235,178	76,366	34,251	108,863
	1997	(D)	138,942	25,765	287,935	72,528	30,562	89,162
Corporation:								
Family-held	farms, 2002	10	14	9	12	6	15	8
	1997	9	19	14	17	15	29	13
	acres, 2002	28,009	91,351	18,201	195,036	8,981	29,153	51,070
	1997	13,297	108,978	22,069	333,620	27,270	40,637	83,958
Other than family held	farms, 2002	4	1	-	-	1	3	-
	1997	1	1	-	-	1	1	-
	acres, 2002	499	(D)	(D)	-	(D)	(D)	-
	1997	(D)	(D)	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	-
Other - cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc.	farms, 2002	1	5	4	5	5	2	4
	1997	-	4	3	4	4	3	4
	acres, 2002	(D)	(D)	(D)	129,366	(D)	(D)	4,880
	1997	-	(D)	1,040	(D)	(D)	(D)	9,290

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Table 40. Tenure, Number of Operators, Type of Organization, and Principal Operator Characteristics: 2002 and 1997 - Con.

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

Item	Jackson	Jerauld	Jones	Kingsbury	Lake	Lawrence	Lincoln	Lyman
PRINCIPAL OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS - Con.								
Years on present farm ¹ :								
2 years or less	2002 9	21	7	11	11	12	25	12
	1997 15	7	5	25	17	14	29	28
3 or 4 years	2002 10	24	4	21	21	9	48	23
	1997 14	15	11	35	37	13	35	10
5 to 9 years	2002 52	38	14	89	92	42	109	72
	1997 29	36	21	85	74	60	93	44
10 years or more	2002 237	189	138	478	389	176	659	313
	1997 188	183	120	387	339	171	595	247
Average years on present farm	2002 23.9	21.0	27.9	25.1	22.9	20.3	23.5	23.7
	1997 22.7	22.2	24.7	22.3	20.6	20.1	22.9	23.2
Age group:								
Under 25 years	2002 9	9	-	14	7	1	14	5
	1997 3	8	5	22	15	2	13	7
25 to 34 years	2002 21	31	11	46	45	10	53	30
	1997 26	18	19	70	74	7	88	44
35 to 44 years	2002 46	51	15	130	104	23	177	101
	1997 56	78	40	154	140	54	225	93
45 to 54 years	2002 82	90	43	152	147	79	272	108
	1997 71	73	46	129	123	57	216	80
55 to 59 years	2002 29	34	16	71	39	30	97	36
	1997 28	17	14	57	50	38	79	41
60 to 64 years	2002 44	11	11	50	65	27	58	44
	1997 34	28	16	46	55	35	85	33
65 to 69 years	2002 30	16	20	72	35	15	62	20
	1997 27	24	24	59	45	37	85	32
70 years and over	2002 47	30	47	64	71	54	108	76
	1997 44	32	42	88	54	74	109	80
Average age	2002 54.4	50.0	58.3	52.2	52.5	57.0	52.3	53.1
	1997 53.6	50.8	54.0	50.6	49.4	58.2	51.3	53.3
TYPE OF ORGANIZATION								
Family or individual	farms, 2002 272	256	134	551	464	205	776	342
	1997 247	251	161	566	504	258	812	347
	acres, 2002 (D)	293,806	(D)	(D)	269,579	113,040	261,269	618,356
	1997 697,279	272,524	402,821	420,877	272,401	131,375	298,085	601,193
Partnership	farms, 2002 17	10	18	28	31	12	39	55
	1997 16	18	26	36	34	25	61	41
	acres, 2002 98,436	20,807	102,182	73,270	32,662	8,660	17,947	170,398
	1997 48,651	32,114	81,371	47,881	32,984	26,025	24,820	138,045
Corporation:								
Family-held	farms, 2002 11	5	9	14	12	14	24	14
	1997 19	7	15	19	14	18	20	16
	acres, 2002 34,163	(D)	31,365	22,291	(D)	9,321	(D)	47,438
	1997 (D)	(D)	67,340	28,863	20,152	(D)	20,548	62,802
Other than family held	farms, 2002 -	-	1	1	3	-	-	1
	1997 -	-	3	-	2	-	2	3
	acres, 2002 -	-	(D)	(D)	102	-	-	(D)
	1997 -	-	(D)	-	(D)	-	(D)	(D)
Other - cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc.	farms, 2002 8	1	1	5	3	8	2	8
	1997 7	2	1	4	2	3	5	3
	acres, 2002 (D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	9,682	(D)	(D)
	1997 (D)	(D)	(D)	2,208	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)

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Table 40. Tenure, Number of Operators, Type of Organization, and Principal Operator Characteristics: 2002 and 1997 - Con.

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

Item	McCook	McPherson	Marshall	Meade	Mellette	Miner	Minnehaha	Moody
PRINCIPAL OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS - Con.								
Years on present farm ¹ :								
2 years or less	2002 20	12	16	26	9	8	35	18
	1997 23	21	14	51	2	17	71	33
3 or 4 years	2002 22	18	30	48	6	15	71	25
	1997 22	18	14	60	8	18	67	43
5 to 9 years	2002 57	63	54	141	25	66	180	86
	1997 44	40	42	107	24	37	176	76
10 years or more	2002 440	320	429	680	160	281	923	451
	1997 434	248	354	519	150	270	769	368
Average years on present farm	2002 26.4	25.2	26.7	21.9	25.7	22.0	21.1	23.2
	1997 24.8	23.4	26.1	20.2	25.7	22.4	19.4	20.1
Age group:								
Under 25 years	2002 9	1	8	7	-	2	6	10
	1997 15	15	8	13	1	14	19	25
25 to 34 years	2002 54	21	28	61	10	40	73	38
	1997 51	25	38	64	17	46	109	64
35 to 44 years	2002 89	75	94	155	30	83	275	141
	1997 155	84	102	193	40	100	368	159
45 to 54 years	2002 139	100	132	274	52	111	404	170
	1997 127	90	120	228	52	95	321	141
55 to 59 years	2002 47	60	71	97	22	41	123	65
	1997 58	48	50	72	21	20	121	55
60 to 64 years	2002 51	43	50	75	26	23	126	44
	1997 45	42	42	79	27	30	105	48
65 to 69 years	2002 49	42	28	80	21	25	83	48
	1997 68	35	63	70	22	44	108	43
70 years and over	2002 101	71	118	146	39	45	119	64
	1997 82	63	82	144	33	51	119	66
Average age	2002 53.8	55.5	55.5	54.2	56.8	50.8	52.0	51.6
	1997 51.7	52.8	54.0	53.0	54.2	50.2	50.2	49.2
TYPE OF ORGANIZATION								
Family or individual	farms, 2002 499	363	448	810	179	328	1,111	535
	1997 522	343	410	756	182	363	1,145	554
acres, 2002	298,701	416,805	(D)	(D)	552,802	235,181	347,923	239,621
	1997 279,627	416,246	310,428	1,513,685	469,215	255,593	358,048	252,407
Partnership	farms, 2002 26	32	39	56	15	30	49	26
	1997 56	33	49	70	20	26	81	30
acres, 2002	22,283	71,399	81,184	312,347	87,293	36,971	40,888	27,343
	1997 33,854	66,059	67,776	209,696	96,083	25,810	47,852	29,488
Corporation:								
Family-held	farms, 2002 11	11	32	23	3	6	39	11
	1997 16	17	41	30	6	6	37	12
acres, 2002	(D)	33,809	75,915	175,828	(D)	(D)	27,036	13,498
	1997 17,065	51,137	(D)	238,393	45,445	11,182	23,462	9,973
Other than family held	farms, 2002 1	1	6	-	2	3	2	5
	1997 1	3	-	2	2	3	1	1
acres, 2002	(D)	(D)	6,571	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	319
	1997 (D)	(D)	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Other - cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc.	farms, 2002 2	6	4	6	1	3	8	3
	1997 6	6	5	5	3	2	6	4
acres, 2002	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	1,970
	1997 (D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)

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Table 40. Tenure, Number of Operators, Type of Organization, and Principal Operator Characteristics: 2002 and 1997 - Con.

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

Item	Pennington	Perkins	Potter	Roberts	Sanborn	Shannon	Spink	Stanley
PRINCIPAL OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS - Con.								
Years on present farm ¹ :								
2 years or less	2002 37	15	24	29	8	7	24	8
	1997 45	24	7	32	6	11	25	3
3 or 4 years	2002 41	20	6	42	30	16	29	6
	1997 45	26	14	45	18	6	38	8
5 to 9 years	2002 137	68	28	103	65	34	103	17
	1997 103	51	29	78	48	17	71	10
10 years or more	2002 481	349	198	762	291	143	526	135
	1997 387	344	173	589	265	119	431	123
Average years on present farm	2002 20.6	24.0	25.2	27.1	23.4	22.4	23.9	23.9
	1997 19.9	25.2	24.0	23.3	23.3	21.2	23.2	24.1
Age group:								
Under 25 years	2002 8	7	2	6	2	-	14	5
	1997 7	9	6	17	8	2	14	-
25 to 34 years	2002 25	38	30	64	45	11	45	13
	1997 48	40	25	91	49	16	79	18
35 to 44 years	2002 139	91	40	160	63	38	124	30
	1997 133	93	63	217	90	39	165	41
45 to 54 years	2002 177	109	65	244	124	42	254	40
	1997 171	135	70	201	83	45	177	35
55 to 59 years	2002 84	59	34	104	32	26	68	10
	1997 68	50	27	91	35	23	56	19
60 to 64 years	2002 63	35	20	96	41	29	51	14
	1997 73	43	23	72	30	20	65	14
65 to 69 years	2002 72	32	22	69	31	17	56	12
	1997 82	37	25	77	35	12	43	15
70 years and over	2002 128	81	43	193	56	37	70	42
	1997 104	126	41	99	65	28	74	48
Average age	2002 55.5	53.8	54.1	55.4	52.2	56.4	51.8	55.2
	1997 54.5	55.4	51.7	50.8	51.6	52.8	50.2	54.9
TYPE OF ORGANIZATION								
Family or individual	farms, 2002 597	382	199	849	360	184	590	140
	1997 589	426	194	776	360	154	563	157
acres, 2002	(D)	1,219,902	(D)	485,891	(D)	(D)	703,232	539,540
	1997 718,946	1,085,700	230,987	490,088	260,482	310,121	639,904	462,747
Partnership	farms, 2002 52	36	31	58	30	8	40	19
	1997 53	64	36	71	23	19	56	25
acres, 2002	153,098	218,168	133,246	64,672	68,558	104,996	92,664	149,332
	1997 166,337	199,655	117,263	68,094	(D)	64,537	91,077	181,483
Corporation:								
Family-held	farms, 2002 36	27	22	18	2	2	43	4
	1997 38	37	43	15	12	4	46	5
acres, 2002	98,916	160,405	87,787	33,132	(D)	(D)	108,523	(D)
	1997 71,349	(D)	157,147	21,761	(D)	(D)	136,765	107,485
Other than family held	farms, 2002 2	-	1	3	-	-	2	-
	1997 2	-	1	-	-	-	1	1
acres, 2002	(D)	-	(D)	470	-	-	(D)	-
	1997 (D)	-	(D)	-	-	-	(D)	(D)
Other - cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc.	farms, 2002 9	7	3	8	2	6	7	3
	1997 4	6	6	3	-	8	7	2
acres, 2002	(D)	183,153	(D)	8,728	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
	1997 (D)	(D)	(D)	2,070	-	(D)	(D)	(D)

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Table 40. Tenure, Number of Operators, Type of Organization, and Principal Operator Characteristics: 2002 and 1997 - Con.

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

Item	Sully	Todd	Tripp	Turner	Union	Walworth	Yankton	Ziebach
PRINCIPAL OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS - Con.								
Years on present farm ¹ :								
2 years or less	2002 3	13	21	22	20	5	18	2
	1997 7	7	33	35	17	6	26	12
3 or 4 years	2002 12	12	34	35	26	7	30	8
	1997 7	4	33	36	39	14	41	10
5 to 9 years	2002 29	24	97	62	69	40	78	30
	1997 24	23	75	109	62	44	83	31
10 years or more	2002 184	200	514	594	407	247	564	187
	1997 162	146	419	647	358	212	468	164
Average years on present farm	2002 24.2	24.9	23.8	24.8	23.1	25.5	22.5	26.0
	1997 23.4	25.1	24.1	22.2	21.4	23.6	20.8	24.3
Age group:								
Under 25 years	2002 2	3	12	7	4	2	8	3
	1997 1	2	15	18	11	5	18	4
25 to 34 years	2002 18	11	57	42	39	22	43	15
	1997 28	7	61	86	45	17	60	33
35 to 44 years	2002 33	33	133	161	109	48	148	58
	1997 51	45	129	255	136	71	214	56
45 to 54 years	2002 55	82	179	234	154	87	254	47
	1997 59	60	157	232	156	85	179	53
55 to 59 years	2002 33	39	86	59	69	30	79	22
	1997 17	15	62	90	49	33	61	28
60 to 64 years	2002 15	18	62	70	38	30	47	26
	1997 31	26	55	74	66	37	44	14
65 to 69 years	2002 22	26	49	56	43	32	35	15
	1997 27	23	49	74	45	31	63	23
70 years and over	2002 50	37	88	84	66	48	76	41
	1997 39	40	141	103	45	60	91	48
Average age	2002 55.9	55.0	52.6	52.3	52.5	54.5	51.4	53.8
	1997 53.3	55.2	53.9	50.2	50.4	54.2	50.4	51.9
TYPE OF ORGANIZATION								
Family or individual	farms, 2002 175	213	583	650	460	239	609	201
	1997 196	185	558	827	466	260	649	224
acres, 2002	(D)	465,782	816,301	284,003	210,428	(D)	(D)	(D)
1997	381,162	398,294	634,296	319,526	212,085	249,952	238,064	779,551
Partnership	farms, 2002 33	21	65	38	40	35	61	18
	1997 37	21	84	67	66	41	47	25
acres, 2002	173,824	106,483	184,034	36,375	49,718	70,587	71,670	147,780
1997	159,021	132,205	162,320	37,068	53,092	(D)	30,077	135,205
Corporation:								
Family-held	farms, 2002 19	8	13	21	14	24	19	4
	1997 17	9	23	27	14	37	30	5
acres, 2002	58,825	75,166	44,596	(D)	14,611	96,560	25,306	31,620
1997	46,592	(D)	(D)	22,475	16,375	108,010	(D)	(D)
Other than family held	farms, 2002 -	1	3	1	1	-	-	-
	1997 2	-	-	5	3	1	-	1
acres, 2002	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
1997	(D)	-	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
Other - cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc.	farms, 2002 1	6	2	3	7	1	1	4
	1997 1	3	4	6	4	-	4	4
acres, 2002	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
1997	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	-	(D)	(D)

¹ Data for 1997 do not include imputation for item nonresponse.