

**Table 8. Land: 2007 and 2002**

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

| All farms                          | 2007      |                  | 2002      | All farms                              | 2007         |                  | 2002      |
|------------------------------------|-----------|------------------|-----------|--|--------------|------------------|-----------|
|                                    | Total     | Percent of total |           |  | Total        | Percent of total |           |
| <b>LAND USE</b>                    |           |                  |           | <b>LAND USE - Con.</b>                 |              |                  |           |
| Farms .....                        | 23,618    | 100.0            | 20,812    | Total cropland - Con.                  |              |                  |           |
| Land in farms .....                | 3,697,606 | 100.0            | 3,584,668 | Other cropland - Con.                  |              |                  |           |
| Total cropland .....               | 19,446    | 82.3             | 17,821    | Cropland in cultivated                 |              |                  |           |
| Harvested cropland .....           | 942,132   | 25.5             | 1,173,032 | summer fallow .....                    | farms 269    | 1.1              | 271       |
| Farms by acres harvested:          |           |                  |           | acres 1,591                            | (Z)          |                  | 1,816     |
| 1 to 49 acres .....                | 13,647    | 57.8             | 12,121    | Total woodland .....                   | farms 17,381 | 73.6             | 15,994    |
| 1 to 9 acres .....                 | 3,224     | 13.7             | 3,212     | acres 1,461,714                        | 39.5         |                  | 1,482,067 |
| 10 to 19 acres .....               | 4,358     | 18.5             | 3,717     | Woodland pastured .....                | farms 9,195  | 38.9             | 8,817     |
| 20 to 29 acres .....               | 2,942     | 12.5             | 2,459     | acres 454,177                          | 12.3         |                  | 493,806   |
| 30 to 49 acres .....               | 3,123     | 13.2             | 2,733     | Woodland not pastured .....            | farms 12,288 | 52.0             | 11,187    |
| 50 to 99 acres .....               | 2,370     | 10.0             | 2,270     | acres 1,007,537                        | 27.2         |                  | 988,261   |
| 100 to 199 acres .....             | 1,029     | 4.4              | 986       | Permanent pasture and rangeland,       |              |                  |           |
| 200 to 499 acres .....             | 381       | 1.6              | 390       | other than cropland and woodland       |              |                  |           |
| 500 to 999 acres .....             | 51        | 0.2              | 45        | pastured (see text) .....              | farms 17,106 | 72.4             | 10,854    |
| 1,000 to 1,999 acres .....         | 16        | 0.1              | 14        | acres 1,105,292                        | 29.9         |                  | 754,045   |
| 2,000 acres or more .....          | -         | -                | 1         | Land in farmsteads, buildings,         |              |                  |           |
| Cropland used only for             |           |                  |           | livestock facilities, ponds,           |              |                  |           |
| pasture or grazing .....           | 4,578     | 19.4             | 9,171     | roads, wasteland, etc .....            | farms 13,489 | 57.1             | 12,684    |
| acres 191,707                      | 5.2       |                  | 472,310   | acres 188,468                          | 5.1          |                  | 175,524   |
| Other cropland .....               | 2,620     | 11.1             | 2,351     | <b>CONSERVATION PRACTICES AND</b>      |              |                  |           |
| acres 58,422                       | 1.6       |                  | 52,087    | <b>CROP INSURANCE</b>                  |              |                  |           |
| Cropland idle or used for          |           |                  |           | Land enrolled in Conservation Reserve, |              |                  |           |
| cover crops or soil-improvement    |           |                  |           | Wetlands Reserve, Farmable Wetlands,   |              |                  |           |
| but not harvested and not          |           |                  |           | or Conservation Reserve Enhancement    |              |                  |           |
| pastured or grazed .....           | 1,978     | 8.4              | 1,778     | Programs (see text) <sup>1</sup> ..... | farms 225    | (X)              | 383       |
| acres 50,063                       | 1.4       |                  | 45,126    | acres 4,667                            | (X)          |                  | 12,658    |
| Cropland on which all crops failed |           |                  |           | Land enrolled in crop insurance        |              |                  |           |
| or were abandoned .....            | 700       | 3.0              | 549       | programs (see text) .....              | farms 369    | (X)              | 652       |
| acres 6,768                        | 0.2       |                  | 5,145     | acres 44,745                           | (X)          |                  | 54,856    |

<sup>1</sup> 2002 data do not include farms with land in Farmable Wetlands or Conservation Reserve Enhancement Programs.