

Table 11. Selected Characteristics of Irrigated and Nonirrigated Farms: 2012 and 2007

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

Characteristics	All farms		Irrigated farms				Nonirrigated farms	
			Any land irrigated		All harvested cropland irrigated			
	2012	2007	2012	2007	2012	2007	2012	2007
Farmsnumber	58,695	60,938	2,598	2,391	580	643	56,097	58,547
Land in farmsacres	14,720,396	14,773,184	1,743,659	1,688,753	24,686	29,987	12,976,737	13,084,431
Estimated market value of land and buildings:								
Average per farmdollars	1,342,826	868,699	3,673,120	2,499,710	346,138	308,484	1,234,904	802,090
Average per acredollars	5,354	3,583	5,473	3,539	8,133	6,615	5,338	3,589
Irrigated landacres	437,445	397,113	437,445	397,113	15,260	21,386	(X)	(X)
Land in farms according to use:								
Total croplandfarms	48,851	51,283	2,568	2,357	580	643	46,283	48,926
.....acres	12,590,633	12,716,037	1,620,627	1,587,520	16,537	23,216	10,970,006	11,128,517
Harvested croplandfarms	41,965	41,743	2,554	2,332	580	643	39,411	39,411
.....acres	12,146,538	12,108,940	1,593,123	1,564,502	15,163	21,353	10,553,415	10,544,438
Pastureland, excluding woodland pasturedfarms	26,422	28,256	898	673	159	144	25,524	27,583
.....acres	631,539	824,958	31,500	24,072	1,096	1,512	600,039	800,886
Land enrolled in Conservation Reserve, Wetlands Reserve, Farmable Wetlands, or Conservation Reserve Enhancement Programsfarms	12,167	14,127	392	430	26	31	11,775	13,697
.....acres	248,481	365,321	9,207	11,374	505	525	239,274	353,947
Owned and rented land in farms:								
Owned land in farmsfarms	55,444	56,730	2,379	2,171	526	582	53,065	54,559
.....acres	6,860,194	6,743,493	718,166	623,631	16,728	21,704	6,142,028	6,119,862
Rented or leased land in farmsfarms	19,930	20,388	1,384	1,278	100	113	18,546	19,110
.....acres	7,860,202	8,029,691	1,025,493	1,065,122	7,958	8,283	6,834,709	6,964,569
Market value of agricultural products sold (see text)\$1,000	11,210,818	8,271,291	1,717,001	1,333,710	102,706	93,859	9,493,817	6,937,581
Average per farmdollars	191,001	135,733	660,894	557,804	177,079	145,971	169,239	118,496
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse cropsfarms	35,577	36,142	2,481	2,245	563	627	33,096	33,897
.....\$1,000	7,530,097	5,319,019	1,307,635	925,181	(D)	78,721	6,222,462	4,393,838
Livestock, poultry, and their productsfarms	22,409	23,677	871	778	138	133	21,538	22,899
.....\$1,000	3,680,721	2,952,272	409,366	408,529	(D)	15,138	3,271,355	2,543,743
Total farm production expenses\$1,000	9,117,075	6,280,596	1,357,873	979,276	76,807	70,394	7,759,202	5,301,320
Average per farmdollars	155,330	103,065	522,661	409,568	132,426	109,478	138,318	90,548
Fertilizer, lime, and soil conditioners purchasedfarms	33,039	36,853	2,288	2,077	435	458	30,751	34,776
.....\$1,000	1,444,469	888,112	222,911	124,526	3,566	2,712	1,221,558	763,586
Chemicals purchasedfarms	31,140	29,009	2,225	1,845	415	373	28,915	27,154
.....\$1,000	564,224	373,897	85,959	59,290	1,928	1,248	478,265	314,607
Seeds, plants, vines, and trees purchasedfarms	30,680	29,538	2,249	1,980	465	482	28,431	27,558
.....\$1,000	927,802	514,775	137,779	90,580	8,756	15,269	790,023	424,195
Livestock and poultry purchased or leasedfarms	14,009	11,645	635	472	88	64	13,374	11,173
.....\$1,000	508,824	511,239	43,878	40,733	2,573	2,531	464,945	470,506
Feed purchasedfarms	28,754	24,908	990	726	165	126	27,764	24,182
.....\$1,000	1,592,005	1,092,067	172,697	129,396	9,499	7,712	1,419,307	962,671
Gasoline, fuels, and oils purchasedfarms	54,389	58,717	2,518	2,364	547	635	51,871	56,353
.....\$1,000	457,781	344,253	71,264	54,369	3,775	4,444	386,517	289,884
Utilitiesfarms	36,555	27,459	2,112	1,939	407	438	34,443	25,520
.....\$1,000	151,613	106,869	26,102	20,731	2,838	1,914	125,511	86,138
Repairs, supplies, and maintenance costsfarms	45,575	53,959	2,345	2,311	465	625	43,230	51,648
.....\$1,000	523,094	423,721	78,441	71,503	5,247	4,227	444,653	352,218
Hired farm laborfarms	14,350	11,240	1,292	1,185	220	221	13,058	10,055
.....\$1,000	445,331	320,902	115,065	108,067	17,020	13,674	330,266	212,835
Contract laborfarms	3,528	2,665	319	323	53	42	3,209	2,342
.....\$1,000	42,078	31,559	12,513	12,461	2,749	1,738	29,565	19,098
Customwork and custom haulingfarms	14,018	10,229	773	573	55	35	13,245	9,656
.....\$1,000	127,704	62,518	26,623	11,606	1,835	(D)	101,081	50,912
Cash rent for land, buildings, and grazing feesfarms	16,307	15,678	1,202	1,101	64	69	15,105	14,577
.....\$1,000	1,052,072	701,777	159,066	109,941	3,342	1,800	893,006	591,836
Rent and lease expenses for machinery, equipment, and farm share of vehiclesfarms	4,107	3,224	451	341	51	30	3,656	2,883
.....\$1,000	69,524	40,697	15,633	8,622	768	(D)	53,892	32,075
Interest expensefarms	26,887	20,451	1,585	1,279	251	182	25,302	19,172
.....\$1,000	375,856	316,937	53,163	51,450	2,935	2,214	322,693	265,487
Property taxes paidfarms	56,571	56,576	2,470	2,258	532	591	54,101	54,318
.....\$1,000	260,733	207,559	30,332	21,023	1,798	2,128	230,402	186,537
All other production expenses (see text)farms	32,126	30,546	1,876	1,817	289	340	30,250	28,729
.....\$1,000	573,964	343,714	106,447	64,979	8,178	5,836	467,517	278,735
Commodity Credit Corporation loans (see text)farms	680	2,756	74	265	2	4	606	2,491
.....\$1,000	92,094	293,157	13,890	48,608	(D)	220	78,204	244,549
Government payments receivedfarms	32,083	35,864	1,328	1,346	92	145	30,755	34,518
.....\$1,000	267,287	260,809	29,521	29,331	503	444	237,766	231,478
Income from farm-related sources (see text)farms	25,319	21,501	1,246	1,052	173	150	24,073	20,449
.....\$1,000	741,644	247,380	84,887	22,464	2,173	1,443	656,757	224,916
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipmentfarms	58,688	60,933	2,598	2,391	580	643	56,090	58,542
.....\$1,000	8,407,178	6,302,106	1,039,310	734,383	42,004	32,972	7,367,867	5,567,723
Average per farmdollars	143,252	103,427	400,042	307,145	72,421	51,278	131,358	95,106
Livestock inventory:								
Cattle and calvesfarms	17,370	18,483	583	517	41	73	16,787	17,966
.....number	821,265	875,350	86,734	90,248	1,159	4,623	734,531	785,102
Milk cowsfarms	2,401	2,023	184	161	13	17	2,217	1,862
.....number	174,141	166,149	39,961	40,499	146	(D)	134,180	125,650
Hogs and pigsfarms	2,757	3,420	144	156	11	6	2,613	3,264
.....number	3,747,352	3,669,057	316,881	310,953	81	(D)	3,430,471	3,358,104
Sheep and lambsfarms	2,109	1,968	85	60	9	9	2,024	1,908
.....number	52,169	49,021	2,310	1,860	194	212	49,859	47,161