

Table 8. Land: 2012 and 2007

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

All farms	2012		2007	All farms	2012		2007
	Total	Percent of total in 2012			Total	Percent of total in 2012	
LAND USE				LAND USE - Con.			
Farms	59,309	100.0	63,163	Total cropland - Con.			
Land in farms	7,704,444	100.0	7,809,244	Other cropland - Con.			
Total cropland	49,838	84.0	54,772	Cropland in cultivated			
Harvested cropland	4,546,052	59.0	4,870,287	summer fallow	1,972	3.3	1,857
Farms by acres harvested:	42,981	72.5	44,269	acres	42,044	0.5	36,115
1 to 49 acres	3,957,000	51.4	3,942,079	Total woodland	35,896	60.5	37,457
1 to 9 acres	24,756	41.7	26,351	acres	1,804,157	23.4	1,717,791
10 to 19 acres	8,716	14.7	8,538	Woodland pastured	8,420	14.2	9,224
20 to 29 acres	5,665	9.6	6,563	acres	134,964	1.8	150,184
30 to 49 acres	4,246	7.2	4,772	Woodland not pastured	32,282	54.4	33,448
50 to 99 acres	6,129	10.3	6,478	acres	1,669,193	21.7	1,567,607
100 to 199 acres	8,415	14.2	8,020	Permanent pasture and rangeland,			
200 to 499 acres	5,168	8.7	5,063	other than cropland and woodland			
500 to 999 acres	3,392	5.7	3,534	pastured (see text)	35,646	60.1	33,803
1,000 to 1,999 acres	867	1.5	967	acres	814,210	10.6	732,275
2,000 acres or more	298	0.5	263	Land in farmsteads, buildings,			
Other pasture and grazing land that	85	0.1	71	livestock facilities, ponds,			
could have been used for crops without				roads, wasteland, etc	45,840	77.3	42,287
additional improvement (see text).....	4,962	8.4	12,985	acres	540,025	7.0	488,891
Other cropland	118,049	1.5	397,131	CONSERVATION AND CROP			
Cropland idle or used for	14,763	24.9	16,826	INSURANCE			
cover crops or soil-improvement	471,003	6.1	531,077	Land enrolled in Conservation Reserve,			
but not harvested and not				Wetlands Reserve, Farmable Wetlands,			
pastured or grazed	11,720	19.8	13,619	or Conservation Reserve Enhancement			
Cropland on which all crops failed	383,267	5.0	443,785	Programs	6,547	(X)	6,784
or were abandoned	2,560	4.3	3,107	acres	194,234	(X)	232,543
acres	45,692	0.6	51,177	Land enrolled in crop insurance			
				programs	5,092	(X)	5,982
				acres	1,181,661	(X)	1,133,314