

**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
Farms .....number	11,736	11,069	5,739	5,793	3,787	3,779	5,997	5,276
Land in farms .....acres	30,363,641	30,169,526	14,589,838	15,845,482	8,636,248	10,496,772	15,773,803	14,324,044
Estimated market value of land and buildings:								
Average per farm .....dollars	1,759,200	1,397,691	2,005,593	1,610,801	1,907,364	1,643,922	1,523,408	1,163,697
Average per acre .....dollars	680	513	789	589	836	592	579	429
Irrigated land .....acres	1,435,710	1,550,723	1,435,710	1,550,723	1,033,440	1,123,459	(X)	(X)
Land in farms according to use:								
Total cropland .....farms	6,688	6,838	4,820	4,931	3,787	3,779	1,868	1,907
.....acres	2,418,931	2,576,017	1,713,954	1,714,245	1,036,997	1,130,118	704,977	861,772
Harvested cropland .....farms	5,558	5,573	4,627	4,533	3,787	3,779	931	1,040
.....acres	1,440,605	1,536,240	1,224,278	1,215,277	796,401	846,450	216,327	320,963
Pastureland, excluding woodland pastured .....farms	9,445	9,482	4,708	4,892	2,908	3,009	4,737	4,590
.....acres	27,486,660	27,432,041	12,702,726	14,068,794	7,466,714	9,322,635	14,783,934	13,363,247
Land enrolled in Conservation Reserve, Wetlands Reserve, Farmable Wetlands, or Conservation Reserve Enhancement Programs .....farms	510	555	170	156	88	84	340	399
.....acres	207,291	281,307	49,055	64,736	17,427	23,720	158,236	216,571
Owned and rented land in farms:								
Owned land in farms .....farms	10,999	10,400	5,385	5,471	3,542	3,559	5,614	4,929
.....acres	20,336,052	20,950,873	10,313,507	10,947,920	5,918,163	7,278,394	10,022,545	10,002,953
Rented or leased land in farms .....farms	3,944	3,945	2,158	2,292	1,431	1,514	1,786	1,653
.....acres	10,027,589	9,218,653	4,276,331	4,897,562	2,718,085	3,218,378	5,751,258	4,321,091
Market value of agricultural products sold (see text) .....\$1,000	1,689,416	1,157,535	1,257,228	845,043	800,786	561,500	432,187	312,493
Average per farm .....dollars	143,952	104,575	219,068	145,873	211,457	148,584	72,067	59,229
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops .....farms	4,577	3,622	3,789	3,024	3,041	2,507	788	598
.....\$1,000	438,958	213,808	412,956	197,762	312,668	156,752	26,001	16,046
Livestock, poultry, and their products .....farms	6,933	6,797	3,507	3,817	2,227	2,431	3,426	2,980
.....\$1,000	1,250,458	943,728	844,272	647,280	488,118	404,749	406,186	296,447
Total farm production expenses .....\$1,000	1,552,595	970,138	1,088,071	695,298	644,226	449,915	464,524	274,840
Average per farm .....dollars	132,293	87,645	189,592	120,024	170,115	119,057	77,459	52,092
Fertilizer, lime, and soil conditioners purchased .....farms	3,144	3,021	2,738	2,637	2,109	2,008	406	384
.....\$1,000	58,241	31,959	55,912	30,411	42,948	24,984	2,330	1,548
Chemicals purchased .....farms	3,940	3,405	2,912	2,631	2,064	1,848	1,028	774
.....\$1,000	22,200	11,630	20,196	10,340	12,459	8,159	2,004	1,290
Seeds, plants, vines, and trees purchased .....farms	2,729	2,224	2,059	1,746	1,499	1,254	670	478
.....\$1,000	27,539	13,267	24,670	12,404	17,701	9,020	2,868	863
Livestock and poultry purchased or leased .....farms	4,349	3,493	2,231	2,108	1,395	1,341	2,118	1,385
.....\$1,000	316,034	215,888	223,326	155,101	112,659	81,091	92,708	60,787
Feed purchased .....farms	8,484	6,398	3,987	3,335	2,409	1,918	4,497	3,063
.....\$1,000	320,457	150,962	210,833	90,441	109,016	54,264	109,624	60,521
Gasoline, fuels, and oils purchased .....farms	10,974	10,557	5,574	5,717	3,695	3,734	5,400	4,840
.....\$1,000	101,080	66,227	71,463	46,166	47,867	32,486	29,617	20,061
Utilities .....farms	8,083	6,671	4,504	4,538	3,055	3,122	3,579	2,133
.....\$1,000	54,723	32,933	41,026	27,016	27,918	19,086	13,697	5,916
Repairs, supplies, and maintenance costs .....farms	8,910	9,850	4,793	5,459	3,293	3,589	4,117	4,391
.....\$1,000	104,874	77,189	76,417	53,871	49,957	37,550	28,457	23,317
Hired farm labor .....farms	3,133	2,716	1,973	1,909	1,307	1,328	1,160	807
.....\$1,000	133,210	97,820	100,262	80,325	62,538	54,222	32,949	17,495
Contract labor .....farms	1,810	1,400	1,054	942	748	650	756	458
.....\$1,000	16,900	11,202	10,849	8,493	7,875	6,161	6,051	2,709
Customwork and custom hauling .....farms	2,361	1,759	1,522	1,267	1,109	976	839	492
.....\$1,000	24,705	15,994	17,372	12,805	12,560	10,145	7,333	3,189
Cash rent for land, buildings, and grazing fees .....farms	4,417	3,558	2,397	2,084	1,615	1,395	2,020	1,474
.....\$1,000	137,713	71,455	82,662	45,996	48,518	31,002	55,052	25,460
Rent and lease expenses for machinery, equipment, and farm share of vehicles .....farms	816	626	506	450	355	296	310	176
.....\$1,000	6,733	4,634	5,353	3,938	3,506	2,567	1,381	696
Interest expense .....farms	4,756	3,874	2,467	2,364	1,695	1,605	2,289	1,510
.....\$1,000	81,727	68,386	51,794	47,592	31,017	32,764	29,933	20,794
Property taxes paid .....farms	11,090	10,073	5,426	5,344	3,593	3,504	5,664	4,729
.....\$1,000	41,580	30,904	26,908	20,861	17,572	13,932	14,673	10,043
All other production expenses (see text) .....farms	7,417	6,568	3,882	4,017	2,585	2,665	3,535	2,551
.....\$1,000	104,876	69,688	69,028	49,538	40,113	32,481	35,849	20,150
Commodity Credit Corporation loans (see text) .....farms	15	28	13	24	11	23	2	4
.....\$1,000	297	(D)	(D)	(D)	295	309	(D)	(D)
Government payments received .....farms	2,807	2,790	1,635	1,655	1,179	1,191	1,172	1,135
.....\$1,000	28,146	28,157	15,148	16,393	9,285	11,089	12,998	11,765
Income from farm-related sources (see text) .....farms	4,265	3,850	2,353	2,359	1,632	1,662	1,912	1,491
.....\$1,000	71,021	60,157	41,738	40,423	24,985	25,391	29,283	19,734
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment .....farms	11,736	11,069	5,739	5,793	3,787	3,779	5,997	5,276
.....\$1,000	1,340,393	1,077,635	930,014	710,959	635,777	502,341	410,379	366,677
Average per farm .....dollars	114,212	97,356	162,052	122,727	167,884	132,930	68,431	69,499
Livestock inventory:								
Cattle and calves .....farms	6,115	5,625	3,259	3,374	2,200	2,289	2,856	2,251
.....number	1,307,731	1,311,799	867,515	915,669	538,252	606,875	440,216	396,130
Milk cows .....farms	206	122	123	88	76	54	83	34
.....number	6,194	6,644	(D)	6,596	4,579	5,590	(D)	48
Hogs and pigs .....farms	270	272	127	153	75	76	143	119
.....number	85,432	107,180	(D)	(D)	861	1,947	(D)	(D)
Sheep and lambs .....farms	771	902	389	488	262	305	382	414
.....number	354,785	412,804	198,600	262,762	132,117	184,239	156,185	150,042