

Table 43. Grain Storage Capacity: 2012 and 2007

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

Grain storage capacity	2012		2007 ¹	
	Farms	Bushels	Farms	Bushels
Grain storage capacity (see text)	34,239	1,778,876,784	40,092	1,761,362,028
Average capacity per farm	(X)	51,955	(X)	43,933
Capacity by bushels:				
1 to 4,999 bushels	2,560	6,253,338	3,610	9,073,148
5,000 to 9,999 bushels	3,630	25,093,344	4,604	32,449,458
10,000 to 19,999 bushels	6,279	85,441,706	8,201	112,964,144
20,000 to 29,999 bushels	4,565	107,175,490	5,561	131,665,911
30,000 to 49,999 bushels	5,872	219,380,803	6,913	258,836,575
50,000 to 99,999 bushels	6,452	434,482,412	6,921	464,468,863
100,000 to 249,999 bushels	4,095	577,368,558	3,682	517,227,772
250,000 bushels or more	786	323,681,133	600	234,676,157
Capacity by land in farms:				
1 to 9 acres	393	8,471,231	792	10,927,562
10 to 49 acres	1,775	25,953,714	2,021	28,901,571
50 to 69 acres	622	9,517,662	712	9,083,002
70 to 99 acres	1,313	17,559,359	1,602	20,095,895
100 to 139 acres	1,501	18,919,762	1,892	23,937,659
140 to 179 acres	2,106	32,150,697	2,699	37,390,520
180 to 219 acres	1,547	25,954,838	2,088	35,406,552
220 to 259 acres	1,621	32,827,331	2,143	39,994,862
260 to 499 acres	7,475	219,684,978	9,471	254,550,332
500 to 999 acres	8,916	481,293,770	9,936	491,834,729
1,000 to 1,999 acres	5,541	566,604,416	5,331	511,450,988
2,000 to 4,999 acres	1,310	268,626,726	1,336	259,011,700
5,000 acres or more	119	71,312,300	69	38,776,656
Capacity by harvested cropland:				
0 to 9 acres	2,389	55,971,344	3,343	62,263,652
10 to 49 acres	1,624	16,020,648	2,061	20,483,777
50 to 69 acres	821	7,759,025	1,010	10,441,979
70 to 99 acres	1,432	17,884,353	1,782	21,193,565
100 to 139 acres	1,882	25,115,052	2,350	29,348,871
140 to 179 acres	2,014	34,631,656	2,612	41,391,077
180 to 219 acres	1,626	32,547,718	2,093	37,962,455
220 to 259 acres	1,469	33,531,283	1,896	39,810,382
260 to 499 acres	7,269	241,082,949	8,656	270,871,797
500 to 999 acres	8,045	494,522,890	8,834	496,417,181
1,000 to 1,999 acres	4,534	520,245,590	4,380	473,903,824
2,000 to 4,999 acres	1,042	240,018,976	1,022	223,020,812
5,000 acres or more	92	59,545,300	53	34,252,656
Capacity by North American Industry Classification System (NAICS):				
Crop production (111)	27,347	1,496,925,347	29,823	1,399,781,022
Animal production and aquaculture (112)	6,892	281,951,437	10,269	361,581,006

¹ 2007 data may not include storage capacity for pulse crops.