



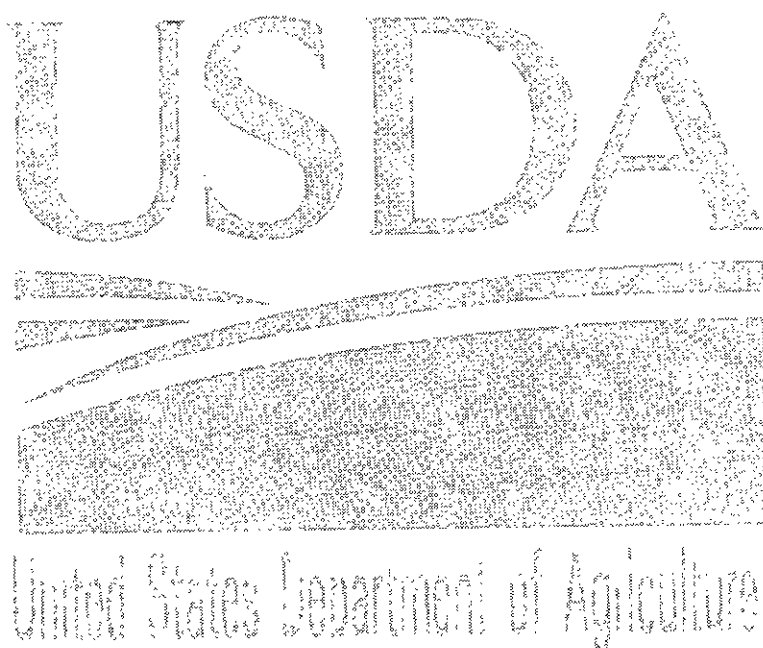
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Production Expenditures Up Nearly 4 Percent in 1996

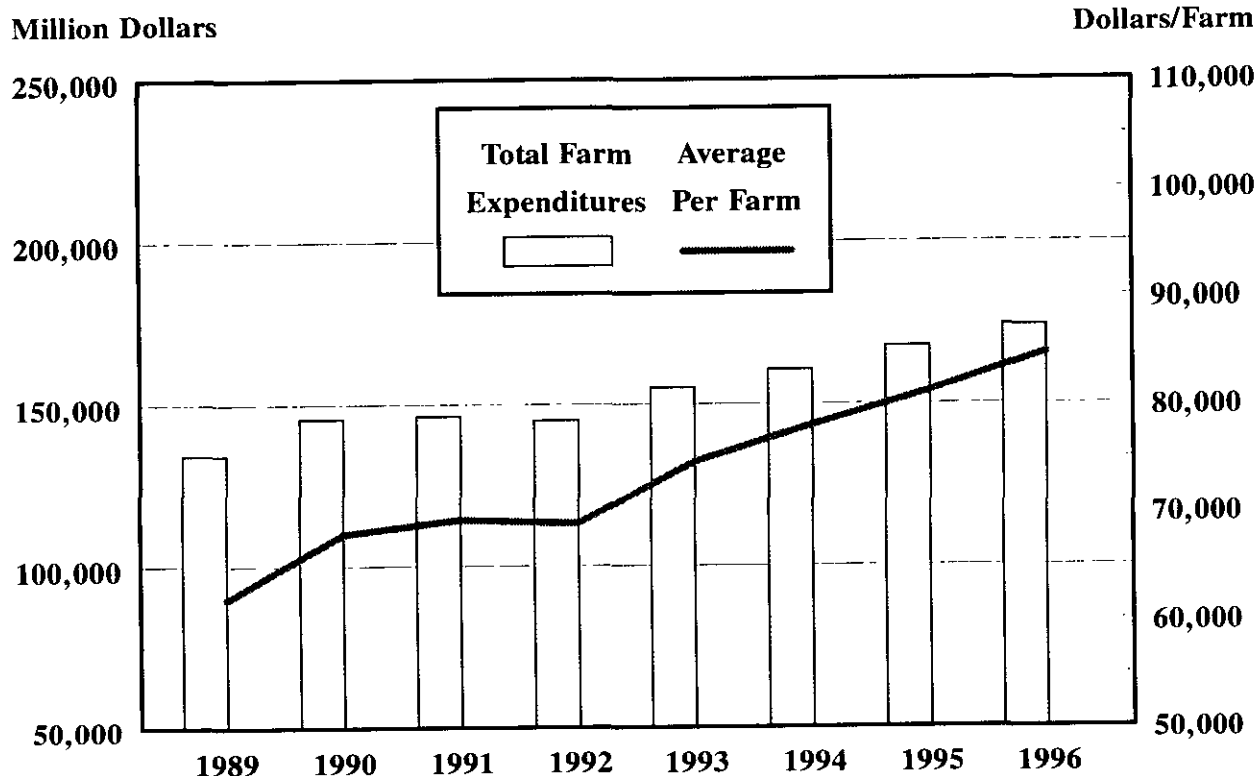
U.S. farm production expenditures totaled \$174.4 billion in 1996, up 3.9 percent from the revised 1995 total of \$167.8 billion. The largest contributors to the increase were rent (up 14.4 percent), farm improvements and construction (up 13.5 percent), seeds (up 11.9 percent), and trucks and autos (up 10.7 percent). The largest two expenditure categories were feed which accounted for 14.5 percent of the U.S. total production expenses and farm services which accounted for 13.5 percent of the total. The farm services category includes expense items such as custom work, utilities, marketing charges, veterinary services, transportation costs, and miscellaneous business expenses.

The average expenditures per U.S. farm in 1996 were \$84,722 compared to \$81,212, as revised for 1995. On the average, U.S. farm operations in 1996 spent \$12,245 on feed; \$11,419 on farm services; \$8,893 on rent; \$8,309 on labor; and \$6,220 on livestock and poultry purchases. Revised estimates for 1995 indicated that U.S. farms spent an average of \$11,519 on feed; \$11,519 on farm services; \$7,744 on rent; \$7,744 on labor; and \$7,260 for livestock and poultry purchases.

The Farm Production Region (as defined on page 22) contributing most to the total 1996 U.S. farm production expenditures was the Corn Belt with expenses of \$33.7 billion, 19.3 percent of the U.S. total. Expenditures in the Corn Belt were up 4.6 percent from the 1995 level of \$32.2 billion. In total expenditures, the Corn Belt was followed by the Pacific Region at \$27.2 billion (1995 - \$26.7 billion); Northern Plains \$20.9 billion (1995 - \$19.4 billion); Lake States \$17.6 billion (1995 - \$17.1 billion); and the Southern Plains at \$15.8 billion (1995 - \$16.2 billion).

U.S. Farm Production Expenditures

Total and Average Per Farm, 1989-96



Farm Production Expenditures: Major Input Items by Value
and Percent of Total, United States, 1995-96 1/

Expenditure - Farm Share :		1995		:	1996	
		Million Dols	Percent		Million Dols	Percent
Total Farm Production Expenditures 2/ 3/	:	167,800	100.0	:	174,350	100.0
Livestock, Poultry & Related Expenses 4/	:	15,000	8.9	:	12,800	7.3
Feed	:	23,800	14.2	:	25,200	14.5
Farm Services 5/	:	23,800	14.2	:	23,500	13.5
Rent 6/	:	16,000	9.5	:	18,300	10.5
Agricultural Chemicals 7/	:	7,700	4.6	:	8,500	4.9
Fertilizer, Lime & Soil Conditioners 7/	:	10,000	6.0	:	10,900	6.3
Interest	:	10,300	6.1	:	10,400	6.0
Taxes (Real Estate & Property)	:	6,400	3.8	:	6,500	3.7
Labor	:	16,000	9.5	:	17,100	9.8
Fuels 15/	:	5,500	3.3	:	6,000	3.4
Farm Supplies & Repairs 8/	:	11,500	6.9	:	11,300	6.5
Farm Improvements & Construction 9/	:	5,200	3.1	:	5,900	3.4
Tractors and Self-Propelled Farm Machinery	:	4,750	2.8	:	5,000	2.9
Other Farm Machinery	:	3,100	1.8	:	3,350	1.9
Seeds & Plants 10/	:	5,450	3.2	:	6,100	3.5
Trucks & Autos	:	2,800	1.7	:	3,100	1.8

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Farm Production Expenditures: Major Input Items, Average
per Farm and Total, United States, 1995-96 1/

Expenditure - Farm Share	Farms		Average		Total	
	Reporting 11/		per Farm 12/		Expenditures	
	1995	1996	1995	1996	1995	1996
	Percent		Dollars		Million Dollars	
Total Farm Production Expenditures 2/ 3/	100.0	100.0	81,212	84,722	167,800	174,350
Livestock, Poultry & Related Expenses 4/	34.7	29.4	7,260	6,220	15,000	12,800
Feed	67.5	64.1	11,519	12,245	23,800	25,200
Farm Services 5/	96.5	96.4	11,519	11,419	23,800	23,500
Rent 6/	39.7	39.8	7,744	8,893	16,000	18,300
Agricultural Chemicals 7/	58.8	54.9	3,727	4,130	7,700	8,500
Fertilizer, Lime & Soil Conditioners 7/	65.4	62.9	4,840	5,297	10,000	10,900
Interest	54.1	51.8	4,985	5,054	10,300	10,400
Taxes (Real Estate & Property)	97.7	95.6	3,097	3,159	6,400	6,500
Labor	41.7	14/	7,744	8,309	16,000	17,100
Fuels 15/	91.3	88.1	2,662	2,916	5,500	6,000
Farm Supplies & Repairs 8/	90.0	84.9	5,566	5,491	11,500	11,300
Farm Improvements & Construction 9/	63.5	62.7	2,517	2,867	5,200	5,900
Tractors and Self-Propelled Farm Machinery	12.5	12.0	2,299	2,430	4,750	5,000
Other Farm Machinery	21.9	25.1	1,500	1,628	3,100	3,350
Seeds & Plants 10/	56.1	51.7	2,638	2,964	5,450	6,100
Trucks & Autos	12.5	14.5	1,355	1,506	2,800	3,100

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Farm Production Expenditures: Major Input Items, Crop Farms,
Average per Farm and Total, United States, 1995-96 1/

Expenditure - Farm Share	Farms		Average		Total	
	Reporting 11/		per Farm 12/		Expenditures	
	1995	1996	1995	1996	1995	1996
	Percent		Dollars		Million Dollars	
Total Farm Production Expenditures 2/ 3/	100.0	100.0	97,426	106,028	85,151	92,732
Livestock, Poultry & Related Expenses 4/	17.9	15.7	1,720	1,812	1,503	1,585
Feed	27.8	29.1	1,559	1,835	1,363	1,605
Farm Services 5/	94.6	93.9	15,119	15,264	13,214	13,350
Rent 6/	47.1	44.4	14,085	16,562	12,310	14,485
Agricultural Chemicals 7/	69.6	70.6	7,434	8,387	6,497	7,335
Fertilizer, Lime & Soil Conditioners 7/	72.6	74.5	8,559	9,576	7,481	8,375
Interest	55.2	56.4	6,189	6,311	5,409	5,520
Taxes (Real Estate & Property)	98.5	97.9	4,067	4,196	3,555	3,670
Labor	41.9	47.2	12,635	13,823	11,043	12,090
Fuels 15/	85.5	87.8	3,738	4,345	3,267	3,800
Farm Supplies & Repairs 8/	86.2	86.4	7,706	7,648	6,735	6,689
Farm Improvements & Construction 9/	47.2	47.2	2,303	2,601	2,013	2,275
Tractors and Self-Propelled Farm Machinery	13.6	14.9	3,327	3,676	2,908	3,215
Other Farm Machinery	23.2	22.3	1,914	2,224	1,673	1,945
Seeds & Plants 10/	72.7	71.2	5,027	5,694	4,394	4,980
Trucks & Autos	13.4	13.0	1,602	1,778	1,400	1,555

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Farm Production Expenditures: Major Input Items, Livestock Farms,
Average per Farm and Total, United States, 1995-96 1/

Expenditure - Farm Share	Farms		Average		Total	
	Reporting 11/		per Farm 12/		Expenditures	
	1995	1996	1995	1996	1995	1996
	Percent		Dollars		Million Dollars	
Total Farm Production Expenditures 2/ 3/	100.0	100.0	69,325	68,975	82,649	81,618
Livestock, Poultry & Related Expenses 4/	50.9	48.6	11,321	9,478	13,497	11,215
Feed	93.9	95.6	18,820	19,940	22,437	23,595
Farm Services 5/	98.3	98.5	8,879	8,578	10,586	10,150
Rent 6/	36.5	36.3	3,095	3,224	3,690	3,815
Agricultural Chemicals 7/	51.3	50.2	1,009	985	1,203	1,165
Fertilizer, Lime & Soil Conditioners 7/	62.0	58.6	2,113	2,134	2,519	2,525
Interest	53.0	52.5	4,103	4,124	4,891	4,880
Taxes (Real Estate & Property)	97.2	97.6	2,386	2,392	2,845	2,830
Labor	36.0	37.6	4,158	4,234	4,957	5,010
Fuels 15/	92.4	93.9	1,873	1,859	2,233	2,200
Farm Supplies & Repairs 8/	91.0	92.7	3,997	3,897	4,765	4,611
Farm Improvements & Construction 9/	73.5	75.5	2,673	3,063	3,187	3,625
Tractors and Self-Propelled Farm Machinery	11.8	10.7	1,545	1,508	1,842	1,785
Other Farm Machinery	24.3	21.6	1,197	1,187	1,427	1,405
Seeds & Plants 10/	46.9	45.0	886	947	1,056	1,120
Trucks & Autos	13.0	12.2	1,174	1,306	1,400	1,545

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Farm Production Expenditures: Major Input Items, Economic Class Gross
Sales \$250,000 and Over, United States, 1995-96 1/

Expenditure - Farm Share	Farms		Average		Total	
	Reporting 11/		per Farm 12/		Expenditures	
	1995	1996	1995	1996	1995	1996
	-- Percent --		--- Dollars ---		Million Dollars	
Total Farm Production Expenditures 2/ 3/	100.0	100.0	696,645	768,864	85,757	96,800
Livestock, Poultry & Related Expenses 4/	51.6	49.7	75,426	65,425	9,285	8,237
Feed	62.0	61.3	124,322	134,726	15,304	16,962
Farm Services 5/	100.0	100.0	93,526	96,108	11,513	12,100
Rent 6/	78.3	78.8	61,024	83,241	7,512	10,480
Agricultural Chemicals 7/	89.4	88.3	32,762	40,445	4,033	5,092
Fertilizer, Lime & Soil Conditioners 7/	86.5	86.0	35,914	44,480	4,421	5,600
Interest	91.2	88.8	32,827	35,663	4,041	4,490
Taxes (Real Estate & Property)	99.3	99.2	14,955	16,307	1,841	2,053
Labor	88.9	88.7	93,461	99,643	11,505	12,545
Fuels 15/	99.5	99.6	17,604	21,525	2,167	2,710
Farm Supplies & Repairs 8/	99.3	99.7	41,868	42,216	5,154	5,315
Farm Improvements & Construction 9/	80.7	79.2	18,522	20,905	2,280	2,632
Tractors and Self-Propelled Farm Machinery	32.8	32.7	15,028	18,467	1,850	2,325
Other Farm Machinery	50.0	46.7	9,245	11,859	1,138	1,493
Seeds & Plants 10/	85.1	84.1	21,543	27,466	2,652	3,458
Trucks & Autos	31.3	30.1	6,052	8,221	745	1,035

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Farm Production Expenditures: Major Input Items, Economic Class Gross
Sales \$100,000 - \$249,999, United States, 1995-96 1/

Expenditure - Farm Share	Farms		Average		Total	
	Reporting 11/		per Farm 12/		Expenditures	
	1995	1996	1995	1996	1995	1996
	-- Percent --		--- Dollars ---		Million Dollars	
Total Farm Production Expenditures 2/ 3/	100.0	100.0	170,883	171,945	37,526	36,160
Livestock, Poultry & Related Expenses 4/	49.9	48.3	11,881	9,748	2,609	2,050
Feed	67.3	66.4	18,720	18,783	4,111	3,950
Farm Services 5/	100.0	99.4	23,834	22,444	5,234	4,720
Rent 6/	79.8	78.5	23,106	23,300	5,074	4,900
Agricultural Chemicals 7/	90.2	89.8	9,422	9,510	2,069	2,000
Fertilizer, Lime & Soil Conditioners 7/	89.9	88.6	12,678	13,314	2,784	2,800
Interest	85.3	84.6	10,847	11,175	2,382	2,350
Taxes (Real Estate & Property)	99.2	98.5	7,263	7,608	1,595	1,600
Labor	75.9	72.2	11,239	12,126	2,468	2,550
Fuels 15/	98.7	97.6	6,466	6,705	1,420	1,410
Farm Supplies & Repairs 8/	98.5	97.9	12,049	11,935	2,646	2,510
Farm Improvements & Construction 9/	73.2	70.2	4,089	5,706	898	1,200
Tractors and Self-Propelled Farm Machinery	24.6	23.7	5,537	5,563	1,216	1,170
Other Farm Machinery	44.7	45.1	3,825	3,804	840	800
Seeds & Plants 10/	89.0	87.5	6,821	7,133	1,498	1,500
Trucks & Autos	21.3	24.9	2,687	2,853	590	600

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Farm Production Expenditures: Major Input Items, Economic Class Gross
Sales \$40,000 - \$99,999, United States, 1995-96 1/

Expenditure - Farm Share	Farms		Average		Total	
	Reporting 11/		per Farm 12/		Expenditures	
	1995	1996	1995	1996	1995	1996
	-- Percent --		--- Dollars ---		Million Dollars	
Total Farm Production Expenditures 2/ 3/	100.0	100.0	77,120	67,297	20,113	17,450
Livestock, Poultry & Related Expenses 4/	42.0	42.1	5,107	4,069	1,332	1,055
Feed	65.0	66.1	7,937	7,713	2,070	2,000
Farm Services 5/	99.5	99.9	11,794	10,509	3,076	2,725
Rent 6/	67.9	64.7	8,244	6,402	2,150	1,660
Agricultural Chemicals 7/	80.7	80.9	3,723	3,008	971	780
Fertilizer, Lime & Soil Conditioners 7/	87.1	84.9	5,514	4,589	1,438	1,190
Interest	71.5	71.3	5,663	4,782	1,477	1,240
Taxes (Real Estate & Property)	99.3	97.0	4,110	3,741	1,072	970
Labor	49.3	61.1	3,995	3,722	1,042	965
Fuels 15/	97.8	97.9	3,344	3,085	872	800
Farm Supplies & Repairs 8/	97.8	98.3	6,564	5,746	1,712	1,490
Farm Improvements & Construction 9/	64.6	68.0	2,117	2,314	552	600
Tractors and Self-Propelled Farm Machinery	18.1	14.4	2,446	2,160	638	560
Other Farm Machinery	33.9	29.1	1,944	1,543	507	400
Seeds & Plants 10/	84.2	81.8	2,906	2,322	758	602
Trucks & Autos	20.3	13.2	1,568	1,485	409	385

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Farm Production Expenditures: Major Input Items, Economic Class Gross
Sales \$10,000 - \$39,999, United States, 1995-96 1/

Expenditure - Farm Share	: Farms		: Average		: Total	
	: Reporting 11/		: per Farm 12/		: Expenditures	
	: 1995	: 1996	: 1995	: 1996	: 1995	: 1996
	: -- Percent --		: --- Dollars ---		: Million Dollars	
Total Farm Production Expenditures 2/ 3/	: 100.0	: 100.0	: 29,738	: 28,276	: 13,483	: 12,580
Livestock, Poultry & Related Expenses 4/	: 37.0	: 35.9	: 2,283	: 1,895	: 1,035	: 843
Feed	: 63.1	: 63.2	: 2,629	: 2,428	: 1,192	: 1,080
Farm Services 5/	: 98.6	: 98.1	: 4,824	: 4,731	: 2,187	: 2,105
Rent 6/	: 40.3	: 42.1	: 2,060	: 2,034	: 934	: 905
Agricultural Chemicals 7/	: 65.7	: 68.8	: 1,041	: 1,063	: 472	: 473
Fertilizer, Lime & Soil Conditioners 7/	: 69.1	: 74.7	: 1,963	: 1,911	: 890	: 850
Interest	: 55.7	: 53.4	: 2,486	: 2,416	: 1,127	: 1,075
Taxes (Real Estate & Property)	: 98.8	: 97.6	: 1,901	: 1,845	: 862	: 821
Labor	: 39.5	: 42.2	: 1,248	: 1,360	: 566	: 605
Fuels 15/	: 93.9	: 92.9	: 1,345	: 1,337	: 610	: 595
Farm Supplies & Repairs 8/	: 93.8	: 93.0	: 2,439	: 2,360	: 1,106	: 1,050
Farm Improvements & Construction 9/	: 63.7	: 61.7	: 1,356	: 1,056	: 615	: 470
Tractors and Self-Propelled Farm Machinery	: 12.3	: 12.9	: 1,385	: 1,135	: 628	: 505
Other Farm Machinery	: 24.1	: 21.6	: 772	: 798	: 350	: 355
Seeds & Plants 10/	: 64.8	: 66.6	: 834	: 820	: 378	: 365
Trucks & Autos	: 13.1	: 12.7	: 1,103	: 1,034	: 500	: 460

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Farm Production Expenditures: Major Input Items, Economic Class Gross
Sales Less Than \$10,000, United States, 1995-96 1/

Expenditure - Farm Share	Farms		Average		Total	
	Reporting 11/		per Farm 12/		Expenditures	
	1995	1996	1995	1996	1995	1996
	-- Percent --		--- Dollars ---		Million Dollars	
Total Farm Production Expenditures 2/ 3/	100.0	100.0	10,820	11,165	10,921	11,360
Livestock, Poultry & Related Expenses 4/	29.6	27.4	732	604	739	615
Feed	65.5	70.7	1,113	1,187	1,123	1,208
Farm Services 5/	93.7	93.9	1,774	1,818	1,790	1,850
Rent 6/	20.6	19.0	327	349	330	355
Agricultural Chemicals 7/	39.5	38.3	154	152	155	155
Fertilizer, Lime & Soil Conditioners 7/	52.0	48.5	463	452	467	460
Interest	36.4	39.1	1,261	1,224	1,273	1,245
Taxes (Real Estate & Property)	96.3	97.6	1,021	1,038	1,030	1,056
Labor	20.4	24.1	415	428	419	435
Fuels 15/	81.5	86.6	427	477	431	485
Farm Supplies & Repairs 8/	80.6	83.7	874	919	882	935
Farm Improvements & Construction 9/	55.5	59.8	847	981	855	998
Tractors and Self-Propelled Farm Machinery	5.8	6.9	414	432	418	440
Other Farm Machinery	12.8	12.1	263	297	265	302
Seeds & Plants 10/	37.5	34.4	162	172	164	175
Trucks & Autos	7.1	7.4	551	609	556	620

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Farm Production Expenditures: Major Input Items, Average per Farm
and Total, Northeast Region, 1995-96 13/

Expenditure - Farm Share	Farms		Average		Total	
	Reporting 11/		per Farm 12/		Expenditures	
	1995	1996	1995	1996	1995	1996
	-- Percent --		--- Dollars ---		Million Dollars	
Total Farm Production Expenditures 2/ 3/	100.0	100.0	78,082	79,985	10,791	11,030
Livestock, Poultry & Related Expenses 4/	38.5	35.8	3,611	3,488	499	481
Feed	65.2	65.8	15,022	16,534	2,076	2,280
Farm Services 5/	98.7	97.4	12,511	11,421	1,729	1,575
Rent 6/	32.4	37.9	2,098	2,139	290	295
Agricultural Chemicals 7/	61.3	56.3	2,279	2,009	315	277
Fertilizer, Lime & Soil Conditioners 7/	73.8	71.1	3,256	3,169	450	437
Interest	49.0	51.8	3,878	4,068	536	561
Taxes (Real Estate & Property)	94.6	96.8	3,886	3,953	537	545
Labor	48.5	14/	10,275	10,905	1,420	1,504
Fuels 15/	97.0	91.8	2,612	2,806	361	387
Farm Supplies & Repairs 8/	97.5	93.0	6,910	6,733	955	929
Farm Improvements & Construction 9/	71.7	60.1	3,726	4,246	515	586
Tractors and Self-Propelled Farm Machinery	14.5	12.2	1,787	1,806	247	249
Other Farm Machinery	28.9	35.7	2,077	2,096	287	289
Seeds & Plants 10/	66.1	62.6	2,656	3,075	367	424
Trucks & Autos	12.0	14.6	1,295	1,292	179	178

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Farm Production Expenditures: Major Input Items, Average per Farm
and Total, Lake States Region, 1995-96 13/

Expenditure - Farm Share	Farms		Average		Total	
	Reporting 11/		per Farm 12/		Expenditures	
	1995	1996	1995	1996	1995	1996
	-- Percent --		--- Dollars ---		Million Dollars	
Total Farm Production Expenditures 2/ 3/	100.0	100.0	77,511	80,251	17,130	17,575
Livestock, Poultry & Related Expenses 4/	40.3	24.0	4,869	4,219	1,076	924
Feed	59.7	54.6	10,706	10,959	2,366	2,400
Farm Services 5/	96.8	93.8	9,891	9,637	2,186	2,111
Rent 6/	37.2	40.9	6,050	6,918	1,337	1,515
Agricultural Chemicals 7/	59.2	58.5	3,543	3,868	783	847
Fertilizer, Lime & Soil Conditioners 7/	62.1	61.3	4,706	4,795	1,040	1,050
Interest	61.6	56.1	5,633	5,667	1,245	1,241
Taxes (Real Estate & Property)	98.1	97.8	4,462	4,542	986	995
Labor	39.9	14/	5,538	6,484	1,224	1,420
Fuels 15/	90.3	82.1	2,584	2,717	571	595
Farm Supplies & Repairs 8/	91.4	80.7	6,955	6,754	1,537	1,479
Farm Improvements & Construction 9/	56.2	55.2	2,602	3,014	575	660
Tractors and Self-Propelled Farm Machinery	17.7	13.9	3,045	3,114	673	682
Other Farm Machinery	31.3	32.8	2,000	2,226	442	487
Seeds & Plants 10/	63.7	59.9	3,398	3,753	751	822
Trucks & Autos	11.9	8.9	1,299	1,324	287	290

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Farm Production Expenditures: Major Input Items, Average per Farm
and Total, Cornbelt Region, 1995-96 13/

Expenditure - Farm Share	Farms		Average		Total	
	Reporting 11/		per Farm 12/		Expenditures	
	1995	1996	1995	1996	1995	1996
	-- Percent --		--- Dollars ---		Million	Dollars
Total Farm Production Expenditures 2/ 3/	100.0	100.0	77,098	82,217	32,227	33,709
Livestock, Poultry & Related Expenses 4/	33.7	30.4	5,737	4,805	2,398	1,970
Feed	63.1	60.9	9,330	9,185	3,900	3,766
Farm Services 5/	96.4	97.5	7,474	7,468	3,124	3,062
Rent 6/	44.0	48.1	13,789	16,408	5,764	6,727
Agricultural Chemicals 7/	66.7	63.2	4,825	5,720	2,017	2,345
Fertilizer, Lime & Soil Conditioners 7/	67.5	68.4	6,493	7,428	2,714	3,045
Interest	64.1	60.4	5,067	4,995	2,118	2,048
Taxes (Real Estate & Property)	99.4	99.2	3,421	3,521	1,430	1,444
Labor	36.3	14/	3,043	3,267	1,272	1,340
Fuels 15/	90.1	92.2	2,278	2,496	952	1,024
Farm Supplies & Repairs 8/	87.6	90.2	4,464	4,515	1,866	1,851
Farm Improvements & Construction 9/	62.1	57.2	2,507	2,715	1,048	1,113
Tractors and Self-Propelled Farm Machinery	14.5	18.9	2,349	2,568	982	1,053
Other Farm Machinery	25.9	25.3	1,522	1,723	636	706
Seeds & Plants 10/	63.1	60.6	3,577	4,131	1,495	1,694
Trucks & Autos	13.5	13.8	1,124	1,166	470	478

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Farm Production Expenditures: Major Input Items, Average per Farm
and Total, Northern Plains Region, 1995-96 13/

Expenditure - Farm Share	Farms		Average		Total	
	Reporting 11/		per Farm 12/		Expenditures	
	1995	1996	1995	1996	1995	1996
	-- Percent --		--- Dollars ---		Million Dollars	
Total Farm Production Expenditures 2/ 3/	100.0	100.0	103,535	112,776	19,361	20,920
Livestock, Poultry & Related Expenses 4/	41.0	38.6	14,834	14,041	2,774	2,605
Feed	63.0	61.8	10,487	11,057	1,961	2,051
Farm Services 5/	96.7	95.3	12,230	11,914	2,287	2,210
Rent 6/	60.5	61.0	14,813	18,709	2,770	3,471
Agricultural Chemicals 7/	68.9	65.6	4,556	5,159	852	957
Fertilizer, Lime & Soil Conditioners 7/	62.7	62.8	6,551	7,709	1,225	1,430
Interest	70.9	73.2	7,401	7,601	1,384	1,410
Taxes (Real Estate & Property)	99.3	97.4	5,134	5,221	960	969
Labor	49.9	14/	3,674	3,962	687	735
Fuels 15/	88.0	91.2	4,059	4,756	759	882
Farm Supplies & Repairs 8/	85.9	86.3	7,267	8,054	1,359	1,494
Farm Improvements & Construction 9/	55.3	68.3	2,214	2,615	414	485
Tractors and Self-Propelled Farm Machinery	13.3	14.8	2,845	3,224	532	598
Other Farm Machinery	28.2	36.7	2,449	2,776	458	515
Seeds & Plants 10/	68.8	59.9	3,134	3,602	586	668
Trucks & Autos	17.5	25.4	1,824	2,287	341	424

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Farm Production Expenditures: Major Input Items, Average per Farm
and Total, Appalachian Region, 1995-96 13/

Expenditure - Farm Share	Farms		Average		Total	
	Reporting 11/		per Farm 12/		Expenditures	
	1995	1996	1995	1996	1995	1996
	-- Percent --		--- Dollars ---		Million Dollars	
Total Farm Production Expenditures 2/ 3/	100.0	100.0	40,220	43,796	11,865	12,876
Livestock, Poultry & Related Expenses 4/	31.1	19.4	4,024	3,572	1,187	1,050
Feed	73.2	61.8	7,936	9,864	2,341	2,900
Farm Services 5/	94.1	97.0	4,729	5,265	1,395	1,548
Rent 6/	32.5	28.7	2,817	2,939	831	864
Agricultural Chemicals 7/	58.0	53.8	1,346	1,497	397	440
Fertilizer, Lime & Soil Conditioners 7/	74.8	75.5	2,458	2,618	725	770
Interest	41.6	39.2	2,010	2,084	593	613
Taxes (Real Estate & Property)	99.6	94.3	1,180	1,214	348	357
Labor	50.3	14/	3,400	3,537	1,003	1,040
Fuels 15/	92.7	90.3	1,515	1,616	447	475
Farm Supplies & Repairs 8/	92.6	82.0	2,631	2,646	776	778
Farm Improvements & Construction 9/	68.4	68.3	1,369	1,580	404	465
Tractors and Self-Propelled Farm Machinery	10.2	8.2	1,722	1,802	508	530
Other Farm Machinery	18.8	26.3	1,068	1,116	315	328
Seeds & Plants 10/	62.6	53.3	1,027	1,042	303	306
Trucks & Autos	10.6	10.7	932	1,318	275	388

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Farm Production Expenditures: Major Input Items, Average per Farm
and Total, Southeast Region, 1995-96 13/

Expenditure - Farm Share	Farms		Average		Total	
	Reporting 11/		per Farm 12/		Expenditures	
	1995	1996	1995	1996	1995	1996
	-- Percent --		--- Dollars ---		Million Dollars	
Total Farm Production Expenditures 2/ 3/	100.0	100.0	75,124	81,224	11,494	12,143
Livestock, Poultry & Related Expenses 4/	24.8	24.8	4,739	3,492	725	522
Feed	68.5	64.0	12,680	16,054	1,940	2,400
Farm Services 5/	94.4	95.8	11,111	11,191	1,700	1,673
Rent 6/	32.8	29.1	2,719	3,010	416	450
Agricultural Chemicals 7/	57.1	57.8	4,549	4,962	696	742
Fertilizer, Lime & Soil Conditioners 7/	75.1	78.2	5,000	5,507	765	823
Interest	40.0	35.1	3,752	3,979	574	595
Taxes (Real Estate & Property)	95.6	95.8	2,085	2,186	319	327
Labor	37.9	14/	10,647	11,779	1,629	1,761
Fuels 15/	91.2	90.2	2,379	2,522	364	377
Farm Supplies & Repairs 8/	87.2	82.8	5,124	4,849	784	725
Farm Improvements & construction 9/	64.7	64.6	2,725	3,140	417	470
Tractors and Self-Propelled Farm Machinery	7.8	9.0	2,163	2,398	331	359
Other Farm Machinery	13.8	15.5	1,059	1,093	162	163
Seeds & Plants 10/	45.6	50.8	2,784	3,174	426	475
Trucks & Autos	7.6	7.5	1,222	1,276	187	191

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Farm Production Expenditures: Major Input Items, Average per Farm
and Total, Delta States Region, 1995-96 13/

Expenditure - Farm Share	Farms		Average		Total	
	Reporting 11/		per Farm 12/		Expenditures	
	1995	1996	1995	1996	1995	1996
	-- Percent --		--- Dollars ---		Million Dollars	
Total Farm Production Expenditures 2/ 3/	100.0	100.0	77,670	82,500	8,699	9,405
Livestock, Poultry & Related Expenses 4/	32.1	20.1	7,589	6,807	850	776
Feed	78.0	72.5	16,295	16,998	1,825	1,938
Farm Services 5/	96.1	95.5	11,991	13,539	1,343	1,543
Rent 6/	31.1	24.0	6,116	6,482	685	739
Agricultural Chemicals 7/	53.1	35.8	5,491	5,882	615	671
Fertilizer, Lime & Soil Conditioners 7/	65.7	59.9	4,205	5,132	471	585
Interest	48.0	36.5	3,643	3,684	408	420
Taxes (Real Estate & Property)	88.6	84.4	1,321	1,347	148	154
Labor	36.4	14/	4,759	5,003	533	570
Fuels 15/	91.0	89.4	2,670	3,024	299	345
Farm Supplies & Repairs 8/	90.4	73.4	4,795	4,617	537	526
Farm Improvements & Construction 9/	68.8	56.6	1,330	1,798	149	205
Tractors and Self-Propelled Farm Machinery	7.9	7.4	2,518	2,671	282	305
Other Farm Machinery	12.0	11.2	1,304	1,386	146	158
Seeds & Plants 10/	50.1	45.4	1,795	2,123	201	242
Trucks & Autos	15.6	8.2	1,634	1,732	183	198

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