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Print the information below for the person completing this form:

9912 Respondent Name

9911 Respondent Phone

 - - Check if
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1095 Respondent E-mail

9910 Date Completed (MM-DD-YYYY)

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9937 Operation E-mail (if different from above)

9936 Operation Phone

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SECTION 1 ACREAGE IN 2025

Report land owned, rented, or used by you, your spouse, or by the partnership, corporation, or organization named on the front of this form. Include ALL LAND, REGARDLESS OF LOCATION OR USE - cropland, Conservation Reserve Program (CRP) and Wetlands Reserve Program (WRP) land, pastureland, rangeland, woodland, idle land, farmsteads, etc.

1. Number of acres OWNED. 0043 ☐ Mark "X" if None 2. Total number of acres RENTED or LEASED FROM OTHERS <u>INCLUDE</u> • land worked by you on shares • land used rent free in exchange for services, payment of taxes, etc. • Federal, State, and railroad land leased on a per acre basis • land rented or leased by you for cash <u>EXCLUDE</u> • land used on a fee per head or animal unit month (AUM) basis. 0044 ☐ 3. Number of acres RENTED or LEASED TO OTHERS <u>INCLUDE ACRES</u> • worked on shares by others • subleased • rented or leased to others for cash • used rent free in exchange for services, payment of taxes, etc. <u>EXCLUDE ACRES:</u> • enrolled in Conservation Reserve Program (CRP) • enrolled in Wetlands Reserve Program (WRP) • enrolled in Farmable Wetlands Program (FWP) • enrolled in Conservation Reserve Enhancement Program (CREP) • rented or leased to others part of the year • used on a fee per head or animal unit month (AUM) basis. 0045 ☐ a. How many acres rented or leased to others (Box C above) did this operation own? 0053 ☐ Mark "X" if None	BOX A BOX B BOX C BOX D																		
4. Enter the figures from the boxes above to determine your total acres operated: <table style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="border: 1px solid black; background-color: #d9ead3; text-align: center; width: 20%;">BOX A</td> <td style="width: 10%; text-align: center;">+</td> <td style="border: 1px solid black; background-color: #d9ead3; text-align: center; width: 20%;">BOX B</td> <td style="width: 10%; text-align: center;">-</td> <td style="border: 1px solid black; background-color: #d9ead3; text-align: center; width: 20%;">BOX C</td> <td style="width: 10%; text-align: center;">=</td> <td style="width: 10%; text-align: center;">0046</td> <td style="border: 1px solid black; background-color: #d9ead3; text-align: center; width: 20%;">BOX D</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="border: 1px solid black; height: 20px;"></td> <td></td> <td style="border: 1px solid black; height: 20px;"></td> <td></td> <td style="border: 1px solid black; height: 20px;"></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td style="border: 1px solid black; height: 20px;"></td> </tr> </table>	BOX A	+	BOX B	-	BOX C	=	0046	BOX D											
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5. Does the figure in Box D = 0 or do you rent all your land to someone else? ☐ Yes - Refer to the instruction sheet to complete this form ☐ No - Continue																			
6. Did this operation pay on a fee per head or animal unit month (AUM) basis to use any land? 0040 ☐ Yes - Continue ☐ No - Go to item 7 ☐ Don't Know a. If yes, how many acres? 1160 ☐ 0041 b. DO NOT include these acres in the boxes above. If you did, GO BACK and EXCLUDE them from the boxes above and recalculate BOX D.	Number of Acres																		
7. Considering the total acres in Box D above, in what county was the largest value of this operation's agricultural products raised or produced? <table style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="width: 40%; border: 1px solid black; background-color: #d9ead3; text-align: center;">Principal County Name</td> <td style="width: 10%; border: 1px solid black; background-color: #d9ead3; text-align: center;">State</td> <td style="width: 50%; border: 1px solid black; background-color: #d9ead3; text-align: center;">Number of Acres</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="border: 1px solid black; height: 20px;"></td> <td style="border: 1px solid black; height: 20px;"></td> <td style="border: 1px solid black; height: 20px;"></td> </tr> </table> a. If this operation had agricultural activity in any other county, enter the county name(s), etc. <table style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="width: 40%; border: 1px solid black; background-color: #d9ead3; text-align: center;">Other County Name(s)</td> <td style="width: 10%; border: 1px solid black; background-color: #d9ead3; text-align: center;">State</td> <td style="width: 50%; border: 1px solid black; background-color: #d9ead3; text-align: center;">Number of Acres</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="border: 1px solid black; height: 20px;"></td> <td style="border: 1px solid black; height: 20px;"></td> <td style="border: 1px solid black; height: 20px;"></td> </tr> <tr> <td style="border: 1px solid black; height: 20px;"></td> <td style="border: 1px solid black; height: 20px;"></td> <td style="border: 1px solid black; height: 20px;"></td> </tr> <tr> <td style="border: 1px solid black; height: 20px;"></td> <td style="border: 1px solid black; height: 20px;"></td> <td style="border: 1px solid black; height: 20px;"></td> </tr> </table>	Principal County Name	State	Number of Acres				Other County Name(s)	State	Number of Acres										
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SECTION 2 LAND USE IN 2025

Report how the acres in Box D on the previous page were used.

- Report acres in the first item that applies.
- Report acres only once.
- Report acres in CRP, WRP, FWP, and CREP in the most appropriate land use below.

1. Cropland

a. Cropland harvested

INCLUDE

- land from which field crops were harvested or hay was cut
- land used for vegetables
- land used for nursery and greenhouses (rounded to the nearest acre)
- land used for orchards, vineyards, citrus groves, Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops, fruits, nuts, and berries (bearing and nonbearing) 0787

Mark "X"
if None

Number of Acres

b. Cropland on which all crops failed or were abandoned – Exclude land in orchards and vineyards 0790

c. Cropland in summer fallow (cultivated cropland on which no crops or hay were harvested during the 2025 growing season) 0791

d. Cropland idle or used for cover crops or soil-improvement but not harvested and not pastured or grazed. 1062

2. Pasture

a. Permanent pasture and rangeland 0796

b. Woodland pastured 0794

c. Other pasture and grazing land (including rotational pasture) that could have been used for crops without additional improvements. 0788

3. Woodland not pastured

INCLUDE

- woodlots
- timber tracts
- sugarbush. 0795

4. All other land

INCLUDE

- farmsteads, home, and buildings
- home gardens
- livestock facilities
- ponds
- roads
- wasteland, etc. 0797

5. TOTAL ACRES - Add items 1-4 to determine your total acres operated. 0798

6. Does Box E above = Box D on the previous page?

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Yes - Continue

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No - Go back and correct your figures. These figures should be the same.

The acres in Box E will be referred to as "this operation"
for the remainder of this form.



SECTION 3 LAND RENTED OR LEASED FROM OTHERS FOR CASH

1. In 2025, did this operation **rent or lease** any cropland or pasture acres from others **for cash**? Exclude land rented or leased on a share basis, per head or AUM basis, free of charge, and rent that includes buildings, such as barns.

3420 1 ☐ **Yes** - Complete this section 3 ☐ **No** - Go to SECTION 4

Mark "X"
if None

2. How many acres of **non-irrigated cropland** were rented or leased for cash? Include fruit, nut, berry, vineyard, nursery, and hay land. 3421
3. How many acres of **irrigated cropland** were rented or leased for cash? Include fruit, nut, berry, vineyard, nursery, and hay land. 3424
4. How many acres of **permanent pasture, grazing, or grassland** were rented or leased for cash? Exclude Federal, State, and other types of land rented or leased on an animal unit month (AUM) basis 3427

Number of Acres

SECTION 4 LAND USE PRACTICES

1. During 2025, considering the **total acres** on this operation, how many acres –
- a. Were drained by tile? 3450
- b. Were artificially drained by ditches? 3451
- c. Were under a conservation easement? 3452
2. During 2025, considering the **cropland acres** on this operation, [on] how many acres –
- a. Were no-till practices used? 3455
- b. Were conservation or reduced tillage, excluding no-till, practices used? 3454
- c. Were intensive or conventional tillage practices used? 3453
- d. Were planted to a cover crop? (Cover crops are planted primarily for managing soil fertility, soil quality, and controlling weeds, pests, and diseases.) Exclude CRP acres 3456
3. During 2025, how many acres were used for rotational or management-intensive grazing? xxxx

Mark "X"
if None

Number of Acres

Number of Acres

SECTION 5 IRRIGATION

1. Were any acres irrigated on this operation or were there any irrigation systems or irrigation equipment available on this operation in 2025?

INCLUDE

- Sprinklers, drip or trickle irrigation, etc.
- Ditches or furrows, controlled and uncontrolled flooding, etc.

EXCLUDE

- Water used exclusively for home use
- Water used exclusively for aquaculture

1166 1 ☐ **Yes** - Continue 3 ☐ **No** - Go to SECTION 6

Mark "X"
if None

2. How many acres of harvested cropland were irrigated? 0680
3. How many acres of all other land were irrigated? Include pasture and rangeland, CRP and failed cropland, and all other non-harvested cropland 0681
4. How many acres on this operation have irrigation systems or equipment? Include all acres irrigated in 2025 and acres that could have been irrigated in 2025 using the existing irrigation systems available on the operation, regardless of water rights. 1167

Number of Acres



SECTION 15 CATTLE AND CALVES

1. Did you or anyone else have any cattle or calves, including beef, dairy, and other cattle and calves, on this operation in 2025?

INCLUDE

- cattle on this operation
- cattle on public or industrial property under a grazing permit
- cattle on land used rent free by this operation
- cattle grown or fed on this operation for others on a custom or contract basis

EXCLUDE

- cattle grown or fed by someone else on a custom or contract basis

1201 1 ☐ **Yes** - Complete this section 3 ☐ **No** - Go to SECTION 16

2. How many cattle and calves were sold or moved from this operation during 2025 –

Mark "X" if None

Total number sold or moved in 2025

a. Weighing less than 500 pounds? 0808 ☐

b. Weighing 500 pounds or more? 0810 ☐

3. Report gross value of sales of cattle and calves in 2025. Include the value of your landlord's share, marketing charges, taxes, hauling, etc. Exclude dollars for items produced under production contracts.

INCLUDE

- beef and dairy cattle for breeding stock, and beef and dairy cull animals
- fed cattle, stockers, and feeders
- veal calves, etc.
- farm gate value of cattle that were processed into value added products such as meat

EXCLUDE

- sales of value added products such as meat and other beef products. Report those sales in Section 27, Question 1a 1339

Mark "X" if None

Gross Value of Sales (Dollars)

4. Sales of milk from cows 1380 ☐

5. Raise or sell veal calves? 1728 1 ☐ **Yes** 3 ☐ **No**

6. On December 31, 2025, how many cattle or calves were on hand that were –

Mark "X" if None

Number on this operation December 31, 2025

a. Beef cows? Include beef heifers that had calved. Exclude heifers that had not calved, steers, calves, and bulls. 0804 ☐

b. Milk cows kept for production of milk? Include dry milk cows and milk heifers that had calved 0805 ☐

c. Other cattle and calves? Include heifers that had not calved, steers, calves, and bulls. 1206 ☐

d. **TOTAL** cattle and calves on hand December 31, 2025. Add items 2a, 2b, and 2c. 0803 ☐

7. CATTLE IN FEEDLOTS FOR SLAUGHTER MARKET

INCLUDE

- steers and heifers for slaughter market fed a ration of grain or other concentrates that are expected to produce a carcass that will grade select or better

EXCLUDE

- cows and bulls
- cattle being backgrounded, pastured only, fed for home use, or veal

Mark "X" if None

Number on this operation December 31, 2025

a. How many steers and heifers reported in item 2c above were on feed December 31, 2025, and were or will be shipped directly from your feedlot to slaughter market? Exclude cattle being backgrounded. 1207 ☐

b. How many of the steers and heifers sold during 2025 reported in item 3b above were shipped directly from your feedlot to a slaughter market? Exclude any of your cattle custom fed in feedlots operated by others. Exclude cattle sold as feeders 0812 ☐

Number sold or moved in 2025



SECTION 18 SHEEP AND GOATS

1. Did this operation own or custom feed for others any sheep, lambs, goats, or kids in 2025, regardless of location?

INCLUDE

- sheep and goats on public or industrial property under a grazing permit
- sheep and goats on land used rent free by this operation
- sheep and goats grown or fed on this operation for others on a custom or contract basis

EXCLUDE

- sheep and goats grown or fed by someone else on a custom or contract basis

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- 1 ☐ **Yes** - Complete this section 3 ☐ **No** - Go to SECTION 19

2. For the sheep and goats owned or custom fed, what was the number in each category owned on December 31, 2025, the number sold or moved in 2025, and the gross value of sales in 2025?

	Mark "X" if None	Number owned or custom fed on December 31, 2025	Total number sold or moved in 2025	Gross Value of Sales (Dollars)
a. Angora goats and kids 0847	☐			\$.00
b. Milk goats and kids. 0843	☐			\$.00
c. Meat and other goats and kids 0851	☐			\$.00
d. Sheep and lambs. 0824	☐			\$.00

3. Of the number of sheep and lambs owned or custom fed on December 31, 2025 (reported in line 2d above), how many were hair sheep and hair crosses? 0818

Mark "X" if None

Number

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4. What sheep and goat PRODUCTS did this operation produce and sell in 2025 and what was the gross value of sales?

Mark "X" if None

	Mark "X" if None	Total amount produced in 2025	Total amount sold or moved in 2025	Gross Value of Sales (Dollars)
a. Wool shorn 0828	☐	lbs.	lbs.	\$.00
b. Mohair clipped 0849	☐	lbs.	lbs.	\$.00
c. Milk from sheep and goats . . . 1389	☐			\$.00

SECTION 19 AQUACULTURE

1. Did you or anyone else have any aquaculture on this operation in 2025?

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- 1 ☐ **Yes** - Complete this section 3 ☐ **No** - Go to SECTION 20

2. Fill in the columns below for all aquaculture raised on this operation in 2025. Report aquatic plants in SECTION 12.

- Include all aquaculture production, production for others on a contract basis, and products which were produced and released into the the wild for restoration, conservation, enhancement, or recreational purposes, even if the operation was not paid
- Include food size, fingerlings, fry, and eggs.
- Include all sizes for each type.
- Include the value of your landlord's share, marketing charges, taxes, hauling, etc.
- Exclude wild-caught products.

Enter Aquaculture Type	Enter Code	Total pounds sold or moved in 2025		Total number sold or moved in 2025	Gross Value of Sales (Dollars)
			OR		\$.00
			OR		\$.00
			OR		\$.00
			OR		\$.00

If more space is needed, use a separate sheet of paper.

AQUACULTURE	CODE	AQUACULTURE	CODE	AQUACULTURE	CODE
Catfish	0860	Crustaceans (crawfish for food, shrimp, softshell crabs, etc.)	0902	Sport or game fish	0984
Trout	0863	Mollusks (clams, oysters, etc.)	0978	Other aquaculture products - include algae, alligators, caviar, turtles, etc., specify above	0869
Other food fish - include salmon, specify in table	0896	Ornamental fish	0980		
Baitfish - include crawfish for bait	0900				



SECTION 27 VALUE-ADDED PRODUCTS

Processed or value-added products are agricultural production that have been altered or packaged into goods worth more than the commodity in its original form.

1. During 2025, did this operation produce and sell any processed or value-added products from its own agricultural production

INCLUDE

- jam, wine, cheese, meat, floral arrangements, cider, etc.

EXCLUDE

- products purchased and resold
- live animals

1726 1 ☐ **Yes - Continue**

3 ☐ **No - Go to SECTION 28**

a. How much was received in 2025 for the sales of the processed or value-added product(s)? 2727

Gross Value of Sales (Dollars)	
\$	.00

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b. Please specify the processed or value added product(s).

SECTION 28 FOOD MARKETING PRACTICES

1. During 2025, did this operation **produce and sell** any agricultural products as food for humans to eat or drink **directly to**:

- Include unprocessed and processed food products produced by this operation.
- Exclude products that are not edible for humans.
- Exclude commodities produced under production contracts.
- Exclude anything purchased and re-sold.

a. **Consumers** (individuals who purchased your products from farmers markets, on-farm stores or farm stands, roadside stands or stores, CSA [Community Supported Agriculture], online marketplaces, etc.)?

4159 1 ☐ **Yes →**
3 ☐ **No**

4160 \$.00

b. **Retail markets** (supermarkets, supercenters, restaurants, caterers, independently owned grocery stores, food cooperatives, etc.)?

4162 1 ☐ **Yes →**
3 ☐ **No**

4163 \$.00

c. **Institutions** (k-12 schools, colleges or universities, hospitals, workplace cafeterias, prisons, foodbanks, etc.)?

4164 1 ☐ **Yes →**
3 ☐ **No**

4165 \$.00

d. **Intermediate markets** (businesses or organizations in the middle of the supply chain marketing locally- and/or regionally-branded products, such as distributors, food hubs, brokers, wholesale and terminal markets, food processors, etc.)?

4166 1 ☐ **Yes →**
3 ☐ **No**

4167 \$.00

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2. Specify products sold reported above:

SECTION 32 FARM LABOR

1. What was the total number of farm or ranch workers that were directly HIRED and paid, including paid family members and office workers, who –

a. Worked less than 150 days on this operation in 2025? Exclude contract labor 0941

b. Worked 150 days or more on this operation in 2025? Exclude contract labor 0942

Mark "X" if None

Number of Workers

2. What was the number of foreign and domestic MIGRANT workers on this operation in 2025? A migrant worker is a farm worker, including but not limited to H2A workers, whose employment required travel that prevented the migrant worker from returning to his/her permanent place of residence the same day. Include hired and contract workers. 3402

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3. What was the number of UNPAID farm or ranch workers, including family members and office workers, who worked on this farm or ranch? 3401

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