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CONTACT RECORD		
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### INTRODUCTION:

[Introduce yourself, and ask for the operator.]

The information you provide will be used for statistical purposes only. Your response will be kept confidential and any person who willfully discloses ANY identifiable information about you or your operation is subject to a jail term, a fine, or both. This survey is conducted in accordance with the Confidential Information Protection and Statistical Efficiency Act of 2018, Title III of Pub. L. No. 115-435, codified in 44 U.S.C. Ch. 35 and other applicable Federal laws. For more information on how we protect your information please visit: <https://www.nass.usda.gov/confidentiality>.

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The National Agriculture Statistics Service (NASS) is collecting information on land management and conservation practices. The information collected will be used by the Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) to assess the environmental benefits associated with the implementation and installation of conservation practices.

We need your help to make the information as accurate as possible. All conservation practices that are in place should be reported - whether they were installed as part of a Federal or State Cost-Share program, an industry or non-profit program, or by you (the operator) with no outside support. We encourage you to refer to your farm records during the interview.

Response is Voluntary.

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Beginning Time

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**A****FIELD CHARACTERISTICS — SELECTED FIELD****A**

1. In 2025, how many acres in the selected field and conservation area containing the sample point were:

a. planted or cropped, EXCLUDING greenhouse and nursery crops

(selected field)? .....

Acres

0017	+	_____
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b. in field borders, grassed waterways, buffers, and other uses associated with conservation practices but not cropped? .....

0018	+	_____
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c. idle cropland or summer fallow (selected field)? .....

0019	+	_____
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d. greenhouse and nursery crops? .....

0020	+	_____
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e. pasture (selected field)? .....

0021	+	_____
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f. continuous conservation cover (selected field)? .....

0016	+	_____
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g. non-ag (such as dwellings, buildings, structures, roads, woodland and wasteland not in a conservation practice)? .....

0022	+	_____
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2. The TOTAL acres in the selected field and conservation area  
(1a + 1b + 1c + 1d + 1e + 1f + 1g) are .....

Acres

0023	=	_____
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Enumerator Action: If any acres are reported in Item 1a (planted or cropped) or item 1c (idle cropland or summer fallow) Continue, else Go to Conclusion, page 43.

3. During 2025, was any portion of the selected field and/or conservation area of interest enrolled in the continuous Conservation Reserve Program (CRP), the Farmable Wetland Program (FWP), or in the Conservation Reserve Enhancement Program (CREP)?

☐ Yes — Enter 1

☐ No — Enter 3 .....

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4. Are the acres in the selected field certified organic or transitioning into certified organic production, as determined by the USDA National Organic Program (NOP) standards? ...

Yes, Certified Organic = 1  
Yes, Transitioning = 2  
No = 3

2025	2024	2023
3382	3381	3380

5. Were the majority of the acres in this field  
(reported in Items 1a or 1c) .....

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| 1 Owned by this operation?                                     |
| 2 Rented for fixed CASH payment?                               |
| 3 Rented for a flexible CASH payment?                          |
| 4 Rented for a SHARE of the crop?                              |
| 5 Rented for some combination of CASH and a SHARE of the crop? |
| 6 Used RENT-FREE?  |
| 7 Not operated?  |

2025	2024	2023
0504	0503	0502

**B****CONSERVATION PLAN — SELECTED FIELD/CONSERVATION AREA****B**

1. Do you have a written Conservation Plan(s) for the selected field and/or conservation area?

[A "written plan" is a plan prepared in accordance with Federal, State, and/or Conservation District standards.]

This INCLUDES a Conservation Plan, Conservation Compliance (HEL) Plan, or Conservation Plan written as a result of participating in a conservation program, such as:

- Conservation Stewardship Program (CSP)
- Conservation Reserve Program (CRP)
- Conservation Reserve Enhancement Program (CREP)
- Environmental Quality Incentive Program (EQIP)
- Farmable Wetland Program (FWP)
- Agricultural Conservation Easement Program (ACEP)
- Regional Conservation Partnership Program (RCP)

☐ Yes — [Enter 1 and continue with Item 1a.]

☐ Don't Know — [Enter 2, then go to Item 2.]

☐ No — [Enter 3, then go to Item 2.] .....

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[Encourage the respondent to get their Conservation Plan to answer the following questions.]

- a. Does the written plan include any of the following? (Select all that apply.)

Code

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|--|---------|------|
| i. Practices to reduce soil erosion .....  | Yes = 1 | 0702 |
|  | No = 3  |      |
| ii. Nutrient management plan practices .....   | Yes = 1 | 0703 |
|  | No = 3  |      |
| iii. Pest management plan practices .....  | Yes = 1 | 0704 |
|  | No = 3  |      |
| iv. Irrigation water management plan practices .....                                 | Yes = 1 | 0705 |
|  | No = 3  |      |
| v. Wildlife habitat enhancement practices .....                                      | Yes = 1 | 0706 |
|  | No = 3  |      |
| vi. Manure management and handling practices .....                                   | Yes = 1 | 0771 |
|  | No = 3  |      |
| vii. Agricultural water management plan that meets state or local requirements ..... | Yes = 1 | 0742 |
|  | No = 3  |      |
| viii. Soil health management plan practices .....                                    | Yes = 1 | 0785 |
|  | No = 3  |      |

2. Did you receive cost share or incentive payments in 2025, 2024, or 2023 for any conservation practices implemented on this field and/or conservation area?

[Be sure to include payments for establishing grassed waterways and filter strips or riparian buffers on or adjoining the field.]

☐ Yes — [Enter 1 and continue.]

☐ No — [Enter 3, then go to Item 3.]

Code

0707

- a. If Yes, for what program? (Select all that apply.)

Code

- |                 |         |      |
|-----------------|---------|------|
| i. CSP .....    | Yes = 1 | 0786 |
|                 | No = 3  |      |
| ii. CRP .....   | Yes = 1 | 0708 |
|                 | No = 3  |      |
| iii. CREP ..... | Yes = 1 | 0787 |
|                 | No = 3  |      |
| iv. EQIP .....  | Yes = 1 | 0710 |
|                 | No = 3  |      |
| v. FWP .....    | Yes = 1 | 0788 |
|                 | No = 3  |      |

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vi. ACEP .....  
 vii. RCPP .....  
 viii. State Programs .....  
 ix. Other .....  
 (Specify) 0791 .....

Yes = 1  
 No = 3  
 Yes = 1  
 No = 3  
 Yes = 1  
 No = 3  
 Yes = 1  
 No = 3

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 0790  
 0711  
 0712

3. Did you receive any help or assistance with the development of:

a. Conservation Plan for this field/conservation area?

[Ask only if there is a written conservation plan for this field, Item 1 = 1 (Yes).]

0780 1 ☐ Yes 3 ☐ No

b. Conservation practices currently in place on this field/conservation area?

0781 1 ☐ Yes 3 ☐ No

c. If Yes to Item 3a or 3b, please identify who provided the assistance for the development of the Conservation Plan and/or conservation practice(s) on the field/conservation area.

INCLUDE:

- assistance for planning, installing, maintaining, or using conservation practices or systems for this land.
- grassed waterways and filter strips or riparian buffers on or adjoining this field.
- assistance from any source whether paid for or free.

Source	Select all that apply  Yes = 1	Were you charged for the service?  Yes = 1	Which of these was your PRIMARY source of assistance  Select only 1  Yes = 1
NRCS .....	0714	0720	0726
Conservation District .....	0715	0721	0727
Technical Service Providers (NRCS certified) .....	0716	0722	0728
Private Consultant (Not NRCS certified) .....	0747	0760	0762
Trade Organizations .....	0751	0761	0763
University Extension .....	0717	0723	0729
State Agencies .....	0718	0724	0730
Other ..... (Specify) 0792 .....	0719	0725	0731

Completion Code for Conservation Plan

1 = Incomplete/Refusal 0700

4. In 2025, did the selected field and/or conservation area have any of the following conservation practices?  
[May or may not be included in the conservation plan.]

Enumerator Action : If the respondent reports "Yes" to any practice, complete the additional questions about that practice.  
Otherwise, Go to the next practice.

a. Terraces? .....	Yes = 1 No = 3	1328
i. Were these terraces? .....	Code	1329
<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; display: inline-block;">           1 = primarily grassed            2 = primarily cropped         </div>		
b. Riparian (stream side) forest buffer? .....	Yes = 1 No = 3	1333
i. Width of buffer .....	Feet	3320
ii. Species .....	Code	3321
<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; display: inline-block;">           1 = evergreen            2 = deciduous            3 = mixed         </div>		
c. Riparian (stream side) herbaceous non-woody plants buffer? .....	Yes = 1 No = 3	1334
i. Width of buffer? .....	Feet	3322
ii. Is the buffer maintained, for example, by fertilizing, mowing, or repairing any gullies? .....	Yes = 1 No = 3	3323
iii. Is the buffer designed to capture —		
(a) sediment? .....	Yes = 1 No = 3	3330
(b) nutrients? .....	Yes = 1 No = 3	3331
(c) pesticide residue? .....	Yes = 1 No = 3	3332
d. Field borders? .....	Yes = 1 No = 3	1337
i. Width of field border? .....	Feet	3333
ii. Is the field border maintained, for example, by fertilizing, mowing, or repairing any gullies? .....	Yes = 1 No = 3	3334
iii. Is the field border designed to capture —		
(a) sediment? .....	Yes = 1 No = 3	3341
(b) nutrients? .....	Yes = 1 No = 3	3342
(c) pesticide residue? .....	Yes = 1 No = 3	3343
e. Filter strips? .....	Yes = 1 No = 3	1338
i. Width of filter strip? .....	Feet	3344
ii. Is the filter strip maintained, for example, by fertilizing, mowing, or repairing any gullies? ....	Yes = 1 No = 3	3350
iii. Is the filter strip designed to capture —		
(a) sediment? .....	Yes = 1 No = 3	3352
(b) nutrients? .....	Yes = 1 No = 3	3353
(c) pesticide residue? .....	Yes = 1 No = 3	3354

		Code
f. Grassed waterways? .....	Yes = 1 No = 3	1330
g. Vegetative barriers (in-field)? .....	Yes = 1 No = 3	1331
h. Hedgerow plantings? .....	Yes = 1 No = 3	1332
i. Windbreak? .....	Yes = 1 No = 3	1335
j. Herbaceous wind barrier? .....	Yes = 1 No = 3	3360
k. Contour buffers (in-field)? .....	Yes = 1 No = 3	1336
l. Critical area planting? .....	Yes = 1 No = 3	1339
m. Grade stabilization structure? .....	Yes = 1 No = 3	1340
n. Drainage water management? .....	Yes = 1 No = 3	3361
o. Irrigation tailwater recovery system? .....	Yes = 1 No = 3	3373
p. Contour farming? .....	Yes = 1 No = 3	3362
q. Strip cropping? .....	Yes = 1 No = 3	3363
r. Alley cropping? .....	Yes = 1 No = 3	0793
s. Use continuous no-till? .....	Yes = 1 No = 3	0794

[If Yes — Continue with Item (i.). If No — Go to Item t.]

- (i.) How many years has the land been continuously managed as a no-till system? .....

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[Go to Item u.]

t. Use reduced, mulch till, or seasonal no-till? .....	Yes = 1 No = 3	0796
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[If Yes — Continue with Item (i.), If No — Go to Item 5].

- (i.) How many years has the land been continuously managed as a reduced, mulch till, or seasonal no-till system? .....

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- u. What was the primary purpose of shifting to conservation tillage (continuous no-till, seasonal no-till, reduced till, or mulch till)?

1	Soil health
2	Pest management
3	Cost
4	Fuel use
5	Carbon sequestration

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5. Have you modified or added any conservation practices for the selected field SPECIFICALLY to improve the quality of fish or wildlife (including pollinators) habitat?

☐ Yes = 1      ☐ No = 3      ☐ Not Applicable = 4

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6. Do you manage the vegetative cover for wildlife (including pollinators) purposes?

☐ Yes = 1      ☐ No = 3      ☐ Not Applicable = 4

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7. Have you installed practices to restore, enhance, or create wetlands?

☐ Yes = 1      ☐ No = 3      ☐ Not Applicable = 4

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1. Now I'd like to ask you about the field where the point is located and obtain the cropping and land use history for the past 3 years. (Please include all crops planted for cover crop, double crop, multiple crop, replanting of same crop and if strip cropped, all crops in the strip crop scheme. [Use a separate column for each use of the field in each year.]

		1	2	3
Let's begin with the 2025 crop year. What was/were the:		2025	2025	2025
Crop(s) planted or Land Use?	Crop			
a. Crop(s) code or Land Use Code. [See Respondent Booklet pgs. 4 - 7 for codes.]	Code	1005	1037	1069
b. Intended use of Crop(s). [See Respondent Booklet pg. 7 for codes.]	Code	1006	1038	1070
c. Acres planted? [Include previous planted crops.]	Acres	1007 .____	1039 .____	1071 .____
d. Date planted, transplanted, or established? (MM DD YY)	Date	1008 __ __ __ __ __ __	1040 __ __ __ __ __ __	1072 __ __ __ __ __ __
e. Row Width (for row crops)?	Inches	1011 .____	1043 .____	1075 .____
f. Was precision technology used to change seeding rate within the field?	Yes = 1 No = 3	0800	0801	0802
g. Was precision technology used to change crop variety within the field?	Yes = 1 No = 3	0803	0804	0805
h. Was a soil test performed on this field prior to planting (anytime from harvest of previous year's crop to planting of current year's crop) to determine crop nutrient or soil health needs?	Yes = 1 No = 3	0806	0807	0808
i. Did you apply soil carbon amendments (e.g., biochar, compost, compost teas, etc.) to improve soil health?	Yes = 1 No = 3	0809	0810	0811
j. Was this crop irrigated?	Yes = 1 No = 3	1029	1061	1093
k. EXPECTED yield/acre at planting (yield goal)?	Number	1012 .____	1044 .____	1076 .____
(1) Unit: [See Respondent Booklet pg. 7 for codes]	Code	1013	1045	1077
l. Acres harvested?	Acres	1015 .____	1047 .____	1079 .____
(1) Date harvested? (MM DD YY)	Date	1016 __ __ __ __ __ __	1048 __ __ __ __ __ __	1080 __ __ __ __ __ __
m. ACTUAL yield at harvest/acre?	Number	1017 .____	1049 .____	1081 .____
(1) Unit: [See Respondent Booklet pg. 7 for codes.]	Code	1018	1050	1082
n. Acres Abandoned or NOT harvested?	Acres	1019 .____	1051 .____	1083 .____
o. Was the grass vegetation, straw, or stubble harvested?	Yes = 1 No = 3	1020	1052	1084
p. Was the field grazed? [If Yes — Enter 1 and continue. If No — Enter 3, then Go to Item t.]	Yes = 1 No = 3	1023	1055	1087
q. What type of livestock grazed the field (primarily)? [See Respondent Booklet pg. 7 for codes.]	Code	1024	1056	1088
r. Regardless of ownership, how many head of _____ grazed this field BEFORE harvest or termination?	Head	1025	1057	1089
(1) How many TOTAL days was the field grazed BEFORE harvest or termination?	Days	1026	1058	1090
s. Regardless of ownership, how many head of _____ grazed this field AFTER harvest or termination?	Head	1027	1059	1091
(1) How many TOTAL days was the field grazed AFTER harvest or termination?	Days	1028	1060	1092
t. Was any forage intentionally left behind for wildlife use, cover, and/or shelter?	Yes = 1 No = 3	2610	2611	2612
		Completion Code for 2025 Cropping History		
		1 = Inaccessible/Refusal		1004

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		2024	2024	2024
<b>Let's continue with the 2024 crop year.</b>				
Did you make day-to-day farming/ranching decisions for this field in 2024? If Yes — Continue. If No — Go to page 9.	Yes = 1 No = 3	0010		
What was/were the :				
Crop(s) planted or Land Use?	Crop			
a. Crop(s) code or Land Use Code. [See Respondent Booklet pgs. 4 - 7 for codes.]	Code	1101	1133	1165
b. Intended use of Crop(s). [See Respondent Booklet pg. 7 for codes.]	Code	1102	1134	1166
c. Acres planted? [Include previous planted crops.]	Acres	1103 .____	1135 .____	1167 .____
d. Date planted, transplanted, or established? (MM DD YY)	Date	1104 _ _ _ _ _	1136 _ _ _ _ _	1168 _ _ _ _ _
e. Row Width (for row crops)?	Inches	1107 .____	1139 .____	1171 .____
f. Was precision technology used to change seeding rate within the field?	Yes = 1 No = 3	0812	0813	0814
g. Was precision technology used to change crop variety within the field?	Yes = 1 No = 3	0815	0816	0817
h. Was a soil test performed on this field prior to planting (anytime from harvest of previous year's crop to planting of current year's crop) to determine crop nutrient or soil health needs?	Yes = 1 No = 3	0818	0819	0820
i. Did you apply soil carbon amendments (e.g., biochar, compost, compost teas, etc.) to improve soil health?	Yes = 1 No = 3	0821	0822	0823
j. Was this crop irrigated?	Yes = 1 No = 3	1125	1157	1189
k. EXPECTED yield/acre at planting (yield goal)?	Number	1108 .____	1140 .____	1172 .____
(1) Unit: [See Respondent Booklet pg. 7 for codes.]	Code	1109	1141	1173
l. Acres harvested?	Acres	1111 .____	1143 .____	1175 .____
(1) Date harvested? (MM DD YY)	Date	1112 _ _ _ _ _	1144 _ _ _ _ _	1176 _ _ _ _ _
m. ACTUAL yield at harvest/acre?	Number	1113 .____	1145 .____	1177 .____
(1) Unit: [See Respondent Booklet pg.7 for codes.]	Code	1114	1146	1178
n. Acres Abandoned or NOT harvested?	Acres	1115 .____	1147 .____	1179 .____
o. Was the grass vegetation, straw, or stubble harvested?	Yes = 1 No = 3	1116	1148	1180
p. Was the field grazed? [If Yes — Enter 1 and continue. If No — Enter 3, Go to Item t.]	Yes = 1 No = 3	1119	1151	1183
q. What type of livestock grazed the field (primarily)? [See Respondent Booklet pg. 7 for codes.]	Code	1120	1152	1184
r. Regardless of ownership, how many head of _____ grazed this field BEFORE harvest or termination?	Head	1121	1153	1185
(1) How many TOTAL days was the field grazed BEFORE harvest or termination?	Days	1122	1154	1186
s. Regardless of ownership, how many head of _____ grazed this field AFTER harvest or termination?	Head	1123	1155	1187
(1) How many TOTAL days was the field grazed AFTER harvest or termination?	Days	1124	1156	1188
t. Was any forage intentionally left behind for wildlife use, cover, and/or shelter?	Yes = 1 No = 3	2622	2623	2624
Completion Code for 2024 Cropping History				
1 = Inaccessible/Refusal 3 = Valid Zero				1003



		1	2	3
<b>Let's continue with the 2023 crop year.</b>		<b>2023</b>	<b>2023</b>	<b>2023</b>
Did you make day-to-day farming/ranching decisions for this field in 2023? If Yes, continue. If No, go to page 10.	Yes = 1 No = 3	0011		
What was/were the :				
Crop(s) planted or Land Use?	Crop			
a. Crop(s) code or Land Use Code. [See Respondent Booklet pgs. 4 - 7 for codes.]	Code	1197	1229	1261
b. Intended use of Crop(s). [See Respondent Booklet pg. 7 for codes.]	Code	1198	1230	1262
c. Acres planted? [Include previous planted crops.]	Acres	1199 .____	1231 .____	1263 .____
d. Date planted, transplanted, or established? (MM DD YY)	Date	1200 _ _ _ _ _	1232 _ _ _ _ _	1264 _ _ _ _ _
e. Row width (for row crops)?	Inches	1203 .____	1235 .____	1267 .____
f. Was precision technology used to change seeding rate within the field?	Yes = 1 No = 3	0824	0825	0826
g. Was precision technology used to change crop variety within the field?	Yes = 1 No = 3	0827	0828	0829
h. Was a soil test performed on this field prior to planting (anytime from harvest of previous year's crop to planting of current year's crop) to determine crop nutrient or soil health needs?	Yes = 1 No = 3	0830	0831	0832
i. Did you apply soil carbon amendments (e.g. biochar, compost, compost teas, etc.) to improve soil health?	Yes = 1 No = 3	0833	0834	0835
j. Was this crop irrigated?	Yes = 1 No = 3	1221	1253	1285
k. EXPECTED yield/acre at planting (yield goal)?	Number	1204 .____	1236 .____	1268 .____
(1) Unit: [See Respondent Booklet pg. 7 for codes.]	Code	1205	1237	1269
l. Acres harvested?	Acres	1207 .____	1239 .____	1271 .____
(1) Date harvested? (MM DD YY)	Date	1208 _ _ _ _ _	1240 _ _ _ _ _	1272 _ _ _ _ _
m. ACTUAL yield at harvest/acre?	Number	1209 .____	1241 .____	1273 .____
(1) Unit: [See Respondent Booklet pg. 7 for codes.]	Code	1210	1242	1274
n. Acres Abandoned or NOT harvested?	Acres	1211 .____	1243 .____	1275 .____
o. Was the grass vegetation, straw, or stubble harvested?	Yes = 1 No = 3	1212	1244	1276
p. Was the field grazed? [If Yes — Enter 1 and continue. If No — Enter 3, go to Item t.]	Yes = 1 No = 3	1215	1247	1279
q. What type of livestock grazed the field (primarily)? [See Respondent Booklet pg. 7 for codes.]	Code	1216	1248	1280
r. Regardless of ownership, how many head of _____ grazed this field BEFORE harvest or termination?	Head	1217	1249	1281
(1) How many TOTAL days was the field grazed BEFORE harvest or termination?	Days	1218	1250	1282
s. Regardless of ownership, how many head of _____ grazed this field AFTER harvest or termination?	Head	1219	1251	1283
(1) How many TOTAL days was the field grazed AFTER harvest or termination?	Days	1220	1252	1284
t. Was any forage intentionally left behind for wildlife use, cover, and/or shelter?	Yes = 1 No = 3	2625	2626	2627
		Completion Code for 2023 Cropping Table		
		1 = Incomplete/Refusal 3 = Valid Zero		1002

## 2. Do you have a planned crop rotation for this field?

1343 1 ☐ Yes — Continue3 ☐ No — Go to Item 3.

- a. Let's record your crop rotation plan. Use the crop codes from the Respondent Booklet pgs. 4-7. Use multiple codes to capture strip cropping, double cropping, and cover crops in a planned rotation.

Enter the crop name and crop code for the crops in rotation [only use as many years as are in the rotation scheme.]	Crops	Crop Code	Crop Code	Crop Code
i. 1 <sup>st</sup> year of rotation		1344	1351	1358
ii. 2 <sup>nd</sup> year of rotation		1345	1352	1359
iii. 3 <sup>rd</sup> year of rotation		1346	1353	1360
iv. 4 <sup>th</sup> year of rotation		1347	1354	1361
v. 5 <sup>th</sup> year of rotation		1348	1355	1362
vi. 6 <sup>th</sup> year of rotation		1349	1356	1363

## 3. Was a cover crop planted on this field for the 2025, 2024, or 2023 crop years?

1471 1 ☐ Yes — Continue3 ☐ No — Go to Item 4.

a. When was the cover crop planted?		2025	2024	2023	
		1472	1483	1571	
	MM DD YY	_____	_____	_____	
b. What type of cover crop was planted? (Enter code)	1 Wheat 2 Ryegrass 3 Rye 4 (grain,cereal) Other small grain /winter annual	5 Legume (clover, cowpeas, etc.). 6 Other 7 Mixed	1473	1491	1572
c. What was the primary intended benefit of the cover crop? (Enter code)	1 Soil fertility 2 Soil quality 3 Soil cover 4 Controlling weeds, insects, & diseases	5 Carbon sequestration 6 Other	0836	0837	0838
d. Did you apply commercial fertilizer for the benefit of the cover crop?	Yes = 1 No = 3	0839	0840	0841	
e. Did you apply manure for the benefit of the cover crop?	Yes = 1 No = 3	0842	0843	0844	
f. Did you apply pesticides for the benefit of the cover crop?	Yes = 1 No = 3	0845	0846	0847	
g. Did you irrigate the cover crop?	Yes = 1 No = 3	0848	0849	0850	
h. Was the cover crop grazed?	Yes = 1 No = 3	0851	0852	0853	
i. When was the cover crop terminated?		1481	1492	1573	
	MM DD YY	_____	_____	_____	
j. How was the cover crop terminated? (Enter code)	1 Herbicide 2 Mowed 3 Harvested 4 for forage Tilled in	5 Rolled/crimped 6 Harvested for grain 7 Burned (fire) 8 Winter kill	1482	1493	1581

4. Is the field adjacent (within 100 feet up slope) to a water body, including a stream, intermittent stream, wetland, drainage ditch, or irrigation canal/ditch? .....	Yes = 1 No = 3	<div>Code</div> <div>1327</div>
5. Are irrigation/drainage ditches lined or vegetated to maintain a stable channel? .....	Yes = 1 No = 3	<div>Code</div> <div>1364</div>
6. Does this field have subsurface (tile) drainage? <sub>1</sub> <input type="checkbox"/> Yes — Continue <sub>3</sub> <input type="checkbox"/> No — Go to Item 7. <sub>2</sub> <input type="checkbox"/> Don't Know — Go to Item 7.		<div>Code</div> <div>1341</div>
a. Are the drainage tiles organized in a pattern? ..... [If Yes — Continue. If No — Go to Item 6c.]	Yes = 1 No = 3	<div>Code</div> <div>1781</div>
b. What is the approximate subsurface (tile) drain spacing? ..... <div> <b>1</b> — less than 30 ft.      <b>2</b> — 30-59 ft.      <b>3</b> — 60-100 ft.      <b>4</b> — Greater than 100 ft.         </div>		<div>Code</div> <div>1782</div>
c. Are the surface inlet pipes connected to the subsurface (tile) drains in this field? .....	Yes = 1 No = 3	<div>1783</div>
d. What depth are the subsurface tile drains installed at? .....	Inches	<div>0854</div>
7. Does this field have surface drainage structures? .....	Yes = 1 No = 3	<div>1342</div>

**D****COMMERCIAL FERTILIZER APPLICATION — SELECTED FIELD****D**

1. Were commercial FERTILIZERS applied to the field for:

Code Completion Code

a. The 2025 crop? .....

Yes = 1  
No = 3

0221 0234

b. The 2024 crop? .....

Yes = 1  
No = 3

0235 0233

c. The 2023 crop? .....

Yes = 1  
No = 3

0237 0232

Code

2. Is your soil phosphorus level elevated to a point where no additional phosphorus nutrients can be applied to this field for the 2025 crop year? .....

Yes = 1  
No = 3

0247

3. Were phosphorus nutrients applied to this field as either fertilizer or manure prior to 2023 to supply phosphorus for subsequent years of the crop rotation?

Code

0248

MM DD YY

1 ☐ Yes — Enter 1, then Continue.3 ☐ No — Enter 3, then Go to Item 4 .....

a. When were the phosphorus nutrients applied? .....

0249  
\_ \_ \_ \_ \_

4. What types of information did you use to inform fertilizer application decisions?

Code

a. Fertilizer costs .....

Yes = 1  
No = 3

855

b. Current weather conditions .....

Yes = 1  
No = 3

856

c. Mid to long-term weather forecasts .....

Yes = 1  
No = 3

857

d. Crop market prices .....

Yes = 1  
No = 3

858

e. Nutrient Management Plan (right source, method, rate, and timing for the specific field conditions) .....

Yes = 1  
No = 3

859

f. Availability of application equipment .....

Yes = 1  
No = 3

860

5. In which of the following years (2025, 2024, and/or 2023) were soil amendments other than nutrients (such as lime or gypsum) added to this field? .....

2025 2024 2023

[If Yes — Continue for that year. If No — for all years, Go to Item 6.]

Yes = 1  
No = 3

0283 0285 0287

a. Were the amendments added to address pH, soil structure, or micronutrient-related problems? .....

Yes = 1  
No = 3

0284 0286 0288

6. Were any of the following types of soil or tissue tests performed to determine nutrient need on this field? .....

Code

a. Pre-plant or pre-sidedress nitrate-nitrogen test .....

Yes = 1  
No = 3

0272

b. Deep soil profile nitrate-nitrogen test (greater than one foot deep) .....

Yes = 1  
No = 3

0273

c. Leaf petiole or leaf tissue tests .....

Yes = 1  
No = 3

0274

d. Post-harvest stalk test .....

Yes = 1  
No = 3

0275

e. Chlorophyll analysis (for example leaf color charts, chlorophyll meters, optical sensors, or remote aerial sensing) .....

Yes = 1  
No = 3

0276

	2025	2024	2023
7. In which of the following years (2025, 2024, and/or 2023) was Global Positioning System (GPS) device used to georeference and/or produce a map of the soil properties of this field (such as soil nitrate levels, pH, etc.)? .....	1299	1310	1321
[If Yes — Any crop year, Continue.]			
[If No — All crop years, Go to Item 8.]			
a. Was the map based on random sampling? .....	0277	0279	0281
b. Was the map based on grid sampling? .....	0278	0280	0282
c. Was the map based on an instrument that measured electrical conductivity of the soil? .....	1301	1312	1323
8. Was yield monitoring data used to adjust fertilizer application rates within the field? .....	0861	0862	0863
9. Was in-soil application fertilizer placement (distance from root zone) adjusted for optimal plant availability? .....	0864	0865	0866
10. Was remote sensing used to monitor nutrient needs? .....	0867	0868	0869
[Remote sensing is the use of satellites or aircraft (planes, drones, etc.) to scan a field to obtain information about the plant or soil conditions within the field.]			

Enumerator Action: Was fertilizer applied in 2025? If Yes — Continue. If No — Go to Item 11b.

11a. Now I need to record information for each fertilizer application for the 2025 crop.

Enumerator Action: Probe for applications made in the fall of 2024 (and those made earlier if this field was fallow) for the 2025 crop year.

CHECKLIST									
INCLUDE				EXCLUDE					
<input type="checkbox"/> Custom applied fertilizers <input type="checkbox"/> Sulfur				<input type="checkbox"/> Micronutrients <input type="checkbox"/> Commercially prepared manure <input type="checkbox"/> Unprocessed manure <input type="checkbox"/> Lime and gypsum				Lines in Table	Table 100
0299									
LINE	1 Crop Year	2 Primary crop for which nutrients were intended	3 Crop Code [Enter crop code from Respondent Booklet pgs. 4 - 7.]	4 MATERIALS USED Enter actual pounds of plant nutrients applied per acre and indicate "19" in column 6 (leave column 5 blank). If only fertilizer analysis is known, enter percent analysis in this column, quantity applied per acre in column 5, and the material code in column 6.  [Show Common Fertilizers in Respondent Booklet pgs. 8 - 9.]				5 What quantity was applied per acre?  [Leave the column blank if pounds of actual nutrients were reported in column 4.]	6 Enter material unit. 1 Pounds 3 Tons 12 Gallons 13 Quarts 19 Pounds of actual nutrients
				Nitrogen N	Phosphorus P <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub>	Potassium K <sub>2</sub> O	Sulfur S		Code
01	28 25			31	32	33	34	36	37
02	28 25			31	32	33	34	36	37
03	28 25			31	32	33	34	36	37
04	28 25			31	32	33	34	36	37
05	28 25			31	32	33	34	36	37
06	28 25			31	32	33	34	36	37
07	28 25			31	32	33	34	36	37
08	28 25			31	32	33	34	36	37
09	28 25			31	32	33	34	36	37
10	28 25			31	32	33	34	36	37
11	28 25			31	32	33	34	36	37
12	28 25			31	32	33	34	36	37
13	28 25			31	32	33	34	36	37
14	28 25			31	32	33	34	36	37

APPLICATION CODES FOR COLUMN 8	PRODUCT USED TO SLOW BREAKDOWN OF NITROGEN FOR COLUMN 11	FERTILIZER FORM FOR COLUMN 12
1 Broadcast, ground without incorporation 2 Broadcast, ground with incorporation 3 Broadcast by aircraft 4 In seed furrow 5 In irrigation water (fertigation) 6 Chiseled/injected or knifed in 7 Banded/side-dressed on the soil surface 8 Foliar or directed spray	1 Nitrification inhibitor 2 Urease inhibitor 3 Chemical-coated fertilizers (such as sulfur-coated and polymer-coated urea) 4 Other Inhibitors (specify) _____ 0907 _____ 5 None	1 Ammonia-based 2 Not ammonia-based

L I N E	7	8	9	10	11	12	NOTES
	When was this applied?  MM DD YY	How was this applied? [Enter code from box above.]	How many acres were treated in this application?  Acres	Was variable rate technology (VRT) used?  [Include "on-the-go" sensing.]  Yes = 1 No = 3	Nitrogen slow-breakdown product [Enter code from box above.]	Fertilizer form [Enter code from box above.]	
01	30 _ _ _ _ _	39	40 _ . _ _ _	29	26	27	
02	30 _ _ _ _ _	39	40 _ . _ _ _	29	26	27	
03	30 _ _ _ _ _	39	40 _ . _ _ _	29	26	27	
04	30 _ _ _ _ _	39	40 _ . _ _ _	29	26	27	
05	30 _ _ _ _ _	39	40 _ . _ _ _	29	26	27	
06	30 _ _ _ _ _	39	40 _ . _ _ _	29	26	27	
07	30 _ _ _ _ _	39	40 _ . _ _ _	29	26	27	
08	30 _ _ _ _ _	39	40 _ . _ _ _	29	26	27	
09	30 _ _ _ _ _	39	40 _ . _ _ _	29	26	27	
10	30 _ _ _ _ _	39	40 _ . _ _ _	29	26	27	
11	30 _ _ _ _ _	39	40 _ . _ _ _	29	26	27	
12	30 _ _ _ _ _	39	40 _ . _ _ _	29	26	27	
13	30 _ _ _ _ _	39	40 _ . _ _ _	29	26	27	
14	30 _ _ _ _ _	39	40 _ . _ _ _	29	26	27	

Enumerator Action: Was fertilizer applied in 2024? If Yes - Continue. If No - Go to Item 11c.

11b. Now I need to record information for each fertilizer application for the 2024 crop.

Enumerator Action: Probe for applications made in the fall of 2023 (and those made earlier if this field was fallow) for the 2024 crop year.

CHECKLIST									
INCLUDE				EXCLUDE					
<input type="checkbox"/> Custom applied fertilizers <input type="checkbox"/> Sulfur				<input type="checkbox"/> Micronutrients <input type="checkbox"/> Commercially prepared manure <input type="checkbox"/> Unprocessed manure <input type="checkbox"/> Lime and gypsum				Lines in Table	Table 200
0299									
LINE	1 Crop Year	2 Primary crop for which nutrients were intended	3 Crop Code [Enter crop code from Respondent Booklet pgs. 4 - 7.]	4 MATERIALS USED  Enter actual pounds of plant nutrients applied per acre and indicate "19" in column 6 (leave column 5 blank). If only fertilizer analysis is known, enter percent analysis in this column, quantity applied per acre in column 5, and the material code in column 6.  [Show Common Fertilizers in Respondent Booklet pgs. 8 - 9.]				5 What quantity was applied per acre?  [Leave the column blank if pounds of actual nutrients were reported in column 4.]	6 Enter material unit. 1 Pounds 3 Tons 12 Gallons 13 Quarts 19 Pounds of actual nutrients  CODE
				Nitrogen N	Phosphorus P <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub>	Potassium K <sub>2</sub> O	Sulfur S		
01	28 24			31	32	33	34	36	37
02	28 24			31	32	33	34	36	37
03	28 24			31	32	33	34	36	37
04	28 24			31	32	33	34	36	37
05	28 24			31	32	33	34	36	37
06	28 24			31	32	33	34	36	37
07	28 24			31	32	33	34	36	37
08	28 24			31	32	33	34	36	37
09	28 24			31	32	33	34	36	37
10	28 24			31	32	33	34	36	37
11	28 24			31	32	33	34	36	37
12	28 24			31	32	33	34	36	37
13	28 24			31	32	33	34	36	37
14	28 24			31	32	33	34	36	37



APPLICATION CODES FOR COLUMN 8		PRODUCT USED TO SLOW BREAKDOWN OF NITROGEN FOR COLUMN 11		FERTILIZER FORM FOR COLUMN 12	
1	Broadcast, ground without incorporation	1	Nitrification inhibitor	1	Ammonia-based
2	Broadcast, ground with incorporation	2	Urease inhibitor	2	Not ammonia-based
3	Broadcast by aircraft	3	Chemical-coated fertilizers (such as sulfur-coated and polymer-coated urea)		
4	In seed furrow	4	Other Inhibitors (specify)		
5	In irrigation water (fertigation)		0908 _____		
6	Chiseled/injected or knifed in	5	None		
7	Banded/side-dressed on the soil surface				
8	Foliar or directed spray				

L I N E	7	8	9	10	11	12	NOTES
	When was this applied?  MM DD YY	How was this applied? [Enter code from box above.]	How many acres were treated in this application?  Acres	Was variable rate technology (VRT) used?  [Include "on-the-go" sensing.]  Yes = 1 No = 3	Nitrogen slow- breakdown product [Enter code from box above.]	Fertilizer form [Enter code from box above.]	
01	30 _ _ _ _ _	39	40 _ . _	29	26	27	
02	30 _ _ _ _ _	39	40 _ . _	29	26	27	
03	30 _ _ _ _ _	39	40 _ . _	29	26	27	
04	30 _ _ _ _ _	39	40 _ . _	29	26	27	
05	30 _ _ _ _ _	39	40 _ . _	29	26	27	
06	30 _ _ _ _ _	39	40 _ . _	29	26	27	
07	30 _ _ _ _ _	39	40 _ . _	29	26	27	
08	30 _ _ _ _ _	39	40 _ . _	29	26	27	
09	30 _ _ _ _ _	39	40 _ . _	29	26	27	
10	30 _ _ _ _ _	39	40 _ . _	29	26	27	
11	30 _ _ _ _ _	39	40 _ . _	29	26	27	
12	30 _ _ _ _ _	39	40 _ . _	29	26	27	
13	30 _ _ _ _ _	39	40 _ . _	29	26	27	
14	30 _ _ _ _ _	39	40 _ . _	29	26	27	

Enumerator Action: Was fertilizer applied in 2023? If Yes - Continue. If No - Go to Section E.

11c. Now I need to record information for each fertilizer application for the 2023 crop.

Enumerator Action: Probe for applications made in the fall of 2022 (and those made earlier if this field was fallow) for the 2023 crop year.

CHECKLIST										
INCLUDE				EXCLUDE				Lines in Table	Table 300	0299
<input type="checkbox"/> Custom applied fertilizers  <input type="checkbox"/> Sulfur				<input type="checkbox"/> Micronutrients  <input type="checkbox"/> Commercially prepared manure  <input type="checkbox"/> Unprocessed manure  <input type="checkbox"/> Lime and gypsum						
LINE	1 Crop Year	2 Primary crop for which nutrients were intended	3 Crop Code [Enter crop code from Respondent Booklet pgs. 4 - 7.]	4 MATERIALS USED Enter actual pounds of plant nutrients applied per acre and indicate "19" in column 6 (leave column 5 blank). If only fertilizer analysis is known, enter percent analysis in this column, quantity applied per acre in column 5, and the material code in column 6.  [Show Common Fertilizers in Respondent Booklet pgs. 8 - 9.]				5 What quantity was applied per acre?  [Leave the column blank if pounds of actual nutrients were reported in column 4.]	6 Enter material unit.  1 Pounds 3 Tons 12 Gallons 13 Quarts 19 Pounds of actual nutrients  CODE	
				Nitrogen N	Phosphorus P <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub>	Potassium K <sub>2</sub> O	Sulfur S			
01	28 23			31	32	33	34	36	37	
02	28 23			31	32	33	34	36	37	
03	28 23			31	32	33	34	36	37	
04	28 23			31	32	33	34	36	37	
05	28 23			31	32	33	34	36	37	
06	28 23			31	32	33	34	36	37	
07	28 23			31	32	33	34	36	37	
08	28 23			31	32	33	34	36	37	
09	28 23			31	32	33	34	36	37	
10	28 23			31	32	33	34	36	37	
11	28 23			31	32	33	34	36	37	
12	28 23			31	32	33	34	36	37	
13	28 23			31	32	33	34	36	37	
14	28 23			31	32	33	34	36	37	

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2	Broadcast, ground with incorporation	2 Urease inhibitor	
3	Broadcast by aircraft	3 Chemical-coated fertilizers (such as sulfur-coated and polymer-coated urea)	
4	In seed furrow	4 Other Inhibitors (specify)	
5	In irrigation water (fertigation)	0909 _____	
6	Chiseled/injected or knifed in	5 None	
7	Banded/side-dressed on the soil surface		
8	Foliar or directed spray		

L I N E	7 When was this applied?  MM DD YY	8 How was this applied?  [Enter code from box above.]	9 How many acres were treated in this application?  Acres	10 Was variable rate technology (VRT) used?  [Include "on-the-go" sensing.]  Yes = 1 No = 3	11 Nitrogen slow- breakdown product  [Enter code from box above.]	12 Fertilizer form  [Enter code from box above.]	NOTES
01	30 _ _ _ _ _	39	40 _ . _ _ _	29	26	27	
02	30 _ _ _ _ _	39	40 _ . _ _ _	29	26	27	
03	30 _ _ _ _ _	39	40 _ . _ _ _	29	26	27	
04	30 _ _ _ _ _	39	40 _ . _ _ _	29	26	27	
05	30 _ _ _ _ _	39	40 _ . _ _ _	29	26	27	
06	30 _ _ _ _ _	39	40 _ . _ _ _	29	26	27	
07	30 _ _ _ _ _	39	40 _ . _ _ _	29	26	27	
08	30 _ _ _ _ _	39	40 _ . _ _ _	29	26	27	
09	30 _ _ _ _ _	39	40 _ . _ _ _	29	26	27	
10	30 _ _ _ _ _	39	40 _ . _ _ _	29	26	27	
11	30 _ _ _ _ _	39	40 _ . _ _ _	29	26	27	
12	30 _ _ _ _ _	39	40 _ . _ _ _	29	26	27	
13	30 _ _ _ _ _	39	40 _ . _ _ _	29	26	27	
14	30 _ _ _ _ _	39	40 _ . _ _ _	29	26	27	

**E MANURE APPLICATIONS — SELECTED FIELD****E**

1. Was manure or manure compost applied to this field for the 2025, 2024, or 2023 crop year?

Manure application includes solids and effluents from waste lagoons, waste holding ponds, and waste runoff storage ponds. (Include commercially prepared manure.)

Enumerator Action: Probe for applications made in the fall of 2022, 2023 and 2024 (and those made earlier if this field was fallow) for the 2023, 2024, and 2025 crop years.

1 ☐ Yes — [Enter 1 and continue.]

Code

3 ☐ No — [Enter 3, then Go to SECTION F. ].....

0418

2. Now I need to record information for each manure application.

Lines in Table	Table 001	0599
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L I N E	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
	Crop Year	Primary crop for which nutrients were intended	Crop Code [Enter crop code from Respondent Booklet pgs. 4 - 7.]	What quantity of manure was applied per acre?	Unit (column 4 only)	Where was the manure produced?	How was the manure handled?	Was manure tested before application?	Nitrogen inhibitor applied with manure
	YY		Code		1 Pounds 3 Tons 4 Bushels 12 Gallons 14 Acre - inches	1 On this operation 2 Purchased 3 Obtained at no cost off the operation 4 Obtained with compensation 5 Commercially prepared manure	1 Solid 2 Liquid 3 Slurry	1 Yes 2 Don't Know (DK) 3 No	1 Nitrification inhibitor 2 Urease inhibitor 3 None
					Code	Code	Code	Code	Code
01	42 __ __			44 _____	45	46	47	48	59
02	42 __ __			44 _____	45	46	47	48	59
03	42 __ __			44 _____	45	46	47	48	59
04	42 __ __			44 _____	45	46	47	48	59
05	42 __ __			44 _____	45	46	47	48	59
06	42 __ __			44 _____	45	46	47	48	59
07	42 __ __			44 _____	45	46	47	48	59
08	42 __ __			44 _____	45	46	47	48	59
09	42 __ __			44 _____	45	46	47	48	59
10	42 __ __			44 _____	45	46	47	48	59

CODES FOR UNIT COLUMN 11	CODES FOR MANURE SOURCE COLUMN 12	CODES FOR APPLICATION COLUMN 16
15 lbs/acre-inch 19 lbs of actual nutrients/acres 29 % by weight 31 lbs/ton 121 lbs/1000 gallons	1 Beef cattle 2 Dairy cattle 3 Hogs 4 Sheep/goats 5 Broiler 6 Layer 7 Poultry Breeder 8 Turkey 9 Poultry (other) 10 Equine 11 Bio solids 12 Other (specify) 0911 _____ 13 Don't Know	1 Dry broadcast, without incorporation 2 Dry broadcast, with incorporation 3 Liquid broadcast, without incorporation 4 Liquid broadcast, with incorporation 5 Chiseled/injected or knifed in 6 Furrow or basin irrigated 7 Sprinkler irrigated

LINE	10 Results from manure analysis test OR actual amount of nutrients applied  [Leave this column blank if column 8=2 or 3.]			11 Unit (column 10 only)  [Enter code from box above.]	12 Major source of manure  [Enter code from box above.]	13 Was manure composted before application?  1 Yes 2 DK 3 No	14 Composting Method?  [Leave this column blank if column 13 = 2 or 3.]  1 Windrow 2 Static pile 3 In-Vessel 4 Other	15 When was this applied?  MM DD YY	16 How was this applied?  [Enter code from box above.]	17 How many acres were treated in this application?
	Nitrogen N	Phosphorus P <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub>	Potassium K <sub>2</sub> O	Code	Code	Code	Code		Code	Acres
01	49	50	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58
02	49	50	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58
03	49	50	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58
04	49	50	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58
05	49	50	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58
06	49	50	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58
07	49	50	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58
08	49	50	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58
09	49	50	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58
10	49	50	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58

## Manure Table Completion Codes

1 = Inaccessible/Refusal 3 = Valid Zero

2025	2024	2023
0454	0453	0452

3. Were the manure application rates to this field influenced by State or local restrictions, by your conservation plan, Nutrient Management Plan (NMP), or Comprehensive Nutrient Management Plan (CNMP)? [If Yes — Enter 1 and continue. If No — Enter 3, then Go to Item 4.] ..... Code  
0419

a. What nutrient requirement basis was used to determine these manure applications? ..... Code  
1 Nitrogen 0420  
2 Phosphorus

b. What was the soil test phosphorus level in the field before the manure application occurred? ..... Code  
Soil Test P 0459 Unit Codes 0460  
1 mg/Kg P  
2 ppm P  
3 lbs/acre

4. Was the use of commercial fertilizers adjusted on this field in years when manure was applied? [If Yes — Enter 1 and continue. If No — Enter 3, then Go to Item 5.] ..... Code  
0421

a. Was commercial nitrogen reduced? ..... Yes = 1 0422  
No = 3

b. Was commercial phosphorus reduced? ..... Yes = 1 0423  
No = 3

5. How often do you plan to apply manure to this field in future years? ..... Code  
0424  
1 No plans to apply manure again  
2 At least once per month  
3 4 times per year  
4 Twice a year  
5 Once a year  
6 Once every 2 years  
7 Once every 3 years or more

6. Was any manure applied to the selected field produced on this operation?

Enumerator Action: Manure applied on this field that was produced on this operation should have been reported in Item 2, column 6.

☐ Yes — [Enter 1 and continue.] ..... Code  
☐ No — [Enter 3, then Go to Section F.] ..... 0425

7. For each form of manure applied to this field, what type of storage and/or treatment system is used for the bulk of that manure?.....

Solid	Slurry	Liquid
1 stacking slab (open storage)	7 concrete or steel tank, basin or pit	10 single stage lagoon
2 covered slab	8 earthen storage facility	11 single stage holding pond
3 manure pack	9 other (specify) 0871 _____	12 2-stage lagoon system with the 2nd stage being a lagoon
4 barn, shed or house		13 2-stage lagoon system with the 2nd stage being a holding pond
5 other (specify) 0870 _____		14 run off storage pond used only for collection of open-lot run off
6 none		15 other (specify) 0872 _____

Code	Code	Code
0468	0469	0470

8. For liquid manure stored in lagoon, is a methane digester being used? ..... Yes = 1 0873  
No = 3 0874

9. Were bulking agents (e.g., straw, wood chips, and/or other materials) in addition to existing bedding material added to manure in housing, storage, or during composting? ..... Yes = 1  
No = 3

**F****PEST CONTROL APPLICATIONS — SELECTED FIELD****F**

	2025	2024	2023
1. In which of the following years (2025, 2024, and/or 2023) were any products applied to this field to control weeds, insects, or diseases? [INCLUDE herbicides, insecticides, fungicides, bio-control agents, bio-pesticides, seed treatments, and other conventional or organic products.] ..... Yes = 1 No = 3	0315	0345	0346
Enumerator Action: If pesticides applied in any year, continue. Complete table for only year(s) specified, else Go to SECTION G.	Completion Code	0344	0343
2. In which of the following years (2025, 2024, and/or 2023) did you select and plant crop cultivars with genetically engineered traits for:	2025	2024	2023
a. tolerances to specific herbicides(e.g., glyphosate, glufosinate, dicamba or 2,4-D Choline)? ..... Yes = 1 No = 3	0350	0360	0361
b. insect resistance (Bt)? ..... Yes = 1 No = 3	0912	0913	0914

Enumerator Action: For questions 3 - 8 regarding pesticide applications, please report activities done in 2025, 2024, or 2023.

	Code
3. Did you alter any of your pesticide applications specifically to protect honey bees and/or native pollinators? (For example, utilize an IPM program that specifically protects pollinators, only apply insecticides outside of the bloom period, only apply insecticides at night, etc.) ..... Yes = 1 No = 3	0348
4. Were pesticides with different mechanisms of action ROTATED for the PRIMARY PURPOSE of keeping pests from becoming resistant to pesticides? ..... Yes = 1 No = 3	0875
5. Were pesticides with different mechanisms of action TANK MIXED for the PRIMARY PURPOSE of keeping pests from becoming resistant to pesticides? ..... Yes = 1 No = 3	0876
6. Did you select and plant crop seeds that had been commercially treated with fungicides or insecticides? ..... Yes = 1 No = 3	0349
7. Did you apply practices to reduce potential drift, runoff, or leaching? ..... Yes = 1 No = 3	0877
8. Did you use precision technology such as GPS, variable rate application, or smart or robotic sprayers? ..... Yes = 1 No = 3	0878

Enumerator Action: Were any pest control products applied in 2025? If Yes — Continue.  
If No — Go to Item 10b.

9. Other than cost and product effectiveness, which of the following factors did you consider in determining which pest control product to use in 2025?

Source	Code
a. Potential health risk to applicator or farm worker? ..... Yes = 1 No = 3	0352
b. Risk to populations of beneficial organisms (earthworms, bees, ladybugs, etc)? ..... Yes = 1 No = 3	0353
c. Risk to natural resources (drinking water, wildlife, fish, etc.)? ..... Yes = 1 No = 3	0354
d. Pest resistance management? ..... Yes = 1 No = 3	0355
e. Crop safety? ..... Yes = 1 No = 3	0356
f. Impacts on soil health? ..... Yes = 1 No = 3	0879
g. None? ..... Yes = 1 No = 3	0880

10a. Including both custom applications and applications made by this operation, list all the pest control products used on this field for the 2025 crop(s).

Enumerator Action: Probe for applications made in the fall of 2024 (and those made earlier if this field was fallow) for the 2025 crop year.

INCLUDE: herbicides, insecticides, fungicides, defoliants, growth regulators, microbial agents, miticides, nematocides, rodenticides, soil fumigants, and seed treatments. INCLUDE biological and botanical pest control products.					EXCLUDE: fertilizers and adjuvants, (e.g. wetting agents, stickers, spreaders, etc.).		
					Lines in Table	Table 100	0399
PRODUCT NAME	LINE	1 Crop Year	2 Primary crop for which control agent was intended.	3 Crop Code [Enter crop code from Respondent Booklet pgs. 4 - 7.]	4 What products were applied to this field? [Enter product code from Respondent Booklet pgs. 10 - 36.]	5 Was this product bought in liquid or dry form? [Enter L or D.]	6 Was this part of a tank mix? [If tank mix, enter line number of first product in mix.]
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	06	60 25			61		63
	07	60 25			61		63
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	10	60 25			61		63
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09	83	65		73	74	76	84	77
10	83	65		73	74	76	84	77
11	83	65		73	74	76	84	77
12	83	65		73	74	76	84	77
13	83	65		73	74	76	84	77
14	83	65		73	74	76	84	77
15	83	65		73	74	76	84	77

Enumerator Action: Were pest control products applied in 2024? If Yes — Continue, If No — Go to Item 10c.

10b. Including both custom applications and applications made by this operation, list all the pest control products used on this field for the 2024 crop(s).

Enumerator Action: Probe for applications made in the fall of 2023 (and those made earlier if this field was fallow) for the 2024 crop year.

INCLUDE: herbicides, insecticides, fungicides, defoliant, growth regulators, microbial agents, miticides, nematocides, rodenticides, soil fumigants, and seed treatments. INCLUDE biological and botanical pest control products.					EXCLUDE: fertilizers and adjuvants, (e.g. wetting agents, stickers, spreaders, etc.).		
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Enumerator Action: Were pest control products applied in 2023? If Yes — Continue, If No — Go to SECTION G.

10c. Including both custom applications and applications made by this operation, list all the pest control products used on this field for the 2023 crop(s).

Enumerator Action: Probe for applications made in the fall of 2022 (and those made earlier if this field was fallow) for the 2023 crop year.

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15	83 ____	65 ____		73 ____	74 ____	76 ____	84 ____	77 ____

Now I have some questions about the pest management decisions and practices used on this field during the 2025 crop year. By pests, we mean INSECTS, WEEDS, and PLANT DISEASES.

1. During 2025, how was this field primarily scouted for pests and/or beneficial organisms? .....	1 By conducting general observations while performing routine tasks. [Enter 1, then Go to Item 3.] 2 By deliberately going to the field specifically for scouting activities. [Enter 2, then Go to Item 2.] 3 This field was not scouted for pests. [Enter 3, then Go to Item 8.]	..... Code <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; display: inline-block;">1701</div>
2. Was an established scouting process used in this field (systematic sampling, recording counts, use of insect traps, etc.)? .....	Yes = 1 No = 3	..... Code <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; display: inline-block;">1702</div>
3. Was scouting for pests done in this field due to:		..... Code
a. a pre-determined schedule or calendar? .....	Yes = 1 No = 3	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; display: inline-block;">1773</div>
b. a pest development model based on degree days, maximum or minimum temperatures, or wetness? .....	Yes = 1 No = 3	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; display: inline-block;">1703</div>
c. a pest advisory warning? .....	Yes = 1 No = 3	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; display: inline-block;">1704</div>
4. Were scouting data compared to published information on infestation thresholds to determine when to take measures to manage pests in this field? .....	Yes = 1 No = 3	..... Code <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; display: inline-block;">1714</div>
5. Was this field scouted for:		

1	2	3	4
	Yes = 1 No = 3  Code	If Column 2 = Yes, Ask—  Who did the majority of the scouting for Column 1 —  1 Operator, partner or family member 2 An employee 3 Farm supply or chemical dealer 4 Independent crop consultant or commercial scout  Code	If Column 2 = Yes, Ask—  Based on the scouting report and compared to published threshold level, rate the pest pressure as —  1 Low 2 Medium 3 High  Code
a. weeds? .....	1705	1709	1774
b. insects or mites? .....	1706	1710	1775
c. diseases? .....	1707	1711	1776
d. other (specify) 0881 .....	1708	1712	1777

		Code
6. Was scouting for pests done in the field after a pest control application to evaluate degree of control? .....	Yes = 1 No = 3	1778
7. Were either written or electronic records kept for this field to track the activity or numbers of weeds, insects, or diseases? .....	Yes = 1 No = 3	1713
8. Was field mapping data (including from unmanned aerial vehicle (UAV) or drone) used for making pest management decisions on this field? .....	Yes = 1 No = 3	1715
9. Were the services of a diagnostic laboratory used for pest identification or soil or plant tissue pest analysis for this field? .....	Yes = 1 No = 3	1716
10. Did you conduct any of the following activities for the crops grown in 2025 SPECIFICALLY for the purpose of managing pests or reducing the spread of pests —		
a. remove, plow down, or burn any crop or crop residue? .....	Yes = 1 No = 3	1717
b. alter crop rotation? .....	Yes = 1 No = 3	1718
c. maintain ground covers, mulches, or other physical barriers? .....	Yes = 1 No = 3	1719
d. use no-till or reduced till? .....	Yes = 1 No = 3	1720
e. adjust spacing or plant density? .....	Yes = 1 No = 3	1721
f. chop, spray, mow, plow, or burn field edges, lanes, ditches, roadways, or fence lines? .....	Yes = 1 No = 3	1723
g. clean equipment and field implements after completing field work? .....	Yes = 1 No = 3	1725
h. cultivate for weed control during the growing season? .....	Yes = 1 No = 3	1727
i. choose not to plant a crop in certain areas of the field to avoid a specific pest? .....	Yes = 1 No = 3	1779
j. adjust planting or harvesting dates? .....	Yes = 1 No = 3	1730
11. Were weather data used to assist in determining either the "need for" or "when to" apply a pest management practice? .....		
	Yes = 1 No = 3	1731
12. Other than pesticide applicator training, have you (the operator) attended any training sessions on pest identification and management in the past 3 years? .....		
	Yes = 1 No = 3	1746
13. Were floral lures, attractants, repellants, pheromone traps, or other biological pest controls used on this field? .....		
	Yes = 1 No = 3	1756

Completion Code for Pest Management Data	
1 = Incomplete/Refusal	1700

**H** **IRRIGATION — SELECTED FIELD** **H**

Enumerator Action: Confirm if Irrigation was utilized on the selected field, Section C. Cropping History and Conservation Practices, Item j = Yes on pages 7,8,9. If no Irrigation was reported for any crop years in SECTION C, Go to SECTION I.

1. Now, I have some questions about the irrigation of this field for the [years of irrigation] crops(s).

a. What type of irrigation system(s) were used to irrigate this field?

[Show System Type Codes in RESPONDENT BOOKLET pg. 38. If more than 1 system was used, enter System Type Code for the system most-used during the irrigation season as the Primary System and the next most-used system during the season as the Secondary System. If only 1 type of system was used, report under the Primary System and then skip to 1b.]

	2025 SYSTEM TYPE	2024 SYSTEM TYPE	2023 SYSTEM TYPE
i. Primary Irrigation System ..... Code	1505	1506	1507
ii. Secondary Irrigation System ..... Code	1511	1513	1515
b. Were any major changes made to the way the field was irrigated during the period from 2023 to 2025 (INCLUDE irrigation system type, source of water, and major changes to scheduling or monitoring)? .....	Yes = 1 No = 3		1593

Enumerator Action: If an irrigation system reported in 1a for any year is a gravity system (code 10 - 19) then continue; else , Go to Item 4.

2. What gravity irrigation system source was used? .....

- |   |                      |
|---|----------------------|
| 1 | furrow               |
| 2 | border               |
| 3 | basin                |
| 4 | contour levee        |
| 5 | meadow or wild flood |

	2025	2024	2023
Primary System Code	1508	1509	1510
Secondary System Code	1517	1518	1519

3. In which of the following years (2025, 2024, or 2023.)

a. Did you use mid-season drainage? .....

	2025	2024	2023
Yes = 1 No = 3	0882	0883	0884
Yes = 1 No = 3	0885	0886	0887
Yes = 1 No = 3	0888	0889	0890

b. Did you practice winter flooding? .....

c. Did you practice alternate wetting and drying? .....

4. In 2025, 2024, and 2023 which of these water management approaches best describes the irrigation water management of the selected field? .....

- |   |                    |
|---|--------------------|
| 1 | Permanent flooding |
| 2 | Pinpoint flooding  |
| 3 | Delayed flooding   |
| 4 | None of the above  |

	2025	2024	2023
Code	0891	0892	0893

5. Irrigation runoff from the field is primarily? .....  
[See Respondent Booklet pg. 38 for codes.]

	2025	2024	2023
Code	1536	1537	1538

6. If the amount of water applied is known, what was the total amount of water applied? .....

	2025	2024	2023
Inches per Acre	3407	3408	3409



Amount / Acre

1541

7. If there is a limit on water availability or supply for this field, what is the maximum annual application amount? [If no maximum annual application amount, enter 99.] .....

Inches

Code

1542

8. Has the irrigation water supply been tested for either nitrogen content or salinity? [If Yes — Continue. If No — Go to Question 9.] .....

Yes = 1  
No = 3

Please provide the following information for the last test performed on this field:

Salinity	Unit	Nitrate-Nitrogen (NO <sub>3</sub> - N)	Unit
Test Value	1 ppm 2 mg/L 3 microseimens/cm	Test Value	1 ppm 2 mg/L
a. Surface water .....	1543 1544	1547	1548
b. Ground water .....	1545 1546	1549	1550

Enumerator Action: If irrigation system reported in Item 1a, for any year, is a pressure system (Code 1 - 9), then Continue, else Go to Item 10.

Code

1551

9. Did you take steps to evaluate or improve the uniformity of water application of your pressure system? .....

Yes = 1  
No = 3

10. Which of the following are sources of your irrigation water? (Select all that apply)

Code

Yes = 1  
No = 3

1552

Yes = 1  
No = 3

1553

Yes = 1  
No = 3

1554

Yes = 1  
No = 3

1555

- a. Well .....
- b. Irrigation district .....
- c. River or stream .....
- d. Other Specify: 0894 .....

[If Item 10b = 1, Continue, Else — Go to Item 12.]

Code

Yes = 1  
No = 3

1556

Yes = 1  
No = 3

1557

Yes = 1  
No = 3

1558

11. Which one of the following best describes how you receive your water from the irrigation district?

- a. I receive it when it's my turn .....
- b. I receive it by calling one or more days ahead of when I want it .....
- c. I receive it anytime I want it .....

Code

1559

12. Does the source of your water limit your selection of irrigation methods, such as a conversion to a pressurized system? .....

Yes = 1  
No = 3

13. Which of the following are ways you decide when to irrigate? (Select all that apply)

Code

a. When plants appear dry or stressed .....	Yes = 1 No = 3	1560
b. When indicated by the calendar or schedule of field operations .....	Yes = 1 No = 3	1561
c. When water is available .....	Yes = 1 No = 3	1562
d. On the soil surface appearance, feel, or current weather conditions .....	Yes = 1 No = 3	1563
e. When a target "dryness" value, such as inches depleted, centibars of tension, percent remaining, etc, from soil moisture monitoring devices is reached .....	Yes = 1 No = 3	1564
f. When a target water use value, such as inches of evapotranspiration (ET) since last irrigation, from root zone water budget and current weather data (California Irrigation Management Information System (CIMIS)) is reached .....	Yes = 1 No = 3	1568
g. When a target measured plant stress level, such as pressure bomb, canopy temperature, etc., is reached .....	Yes = 1 No = 3	1569

14. Which of the following are ways you decide how long to apply water at each field location (e.g., set time for manually moved or fixed systems, or speed of automated pressure systems, like a center-pivot)? (Select all that apply)

Code

a. Observe when the right amount of time has passed, the furrows or border checks appear to be adequately wet, or the water has reached the end of the field .....	Yes = 1 No = 3	1574
b. Run times based on past experience and schedule of required field operations .....	Yes = 1 No = 3	1575
c. When the target amount of water (inches or gallons) is applied, the system moves automatically or manually, or is shutoff. (May be calculated from the run time and flow rate.) ...	Yes = 1 No = 3	1576
d. Field collected data such as from an observation well or soil moisture probe .....	Yes = 1 No = 3	0895

15. Which of the following are ways you determine how much water is applied? (Select all that apply)

Code

a. Irrigation district record, report, or bill .....	Yes = 1 No = 3	1579
b. A flow measuring device .....	Yes = 1 No = 3	1580
c. Measuring the flows to the field .....	Yes = 1 No = 3	1582
d. Measuring the flows at the water supply .....	Yes = 1 No = 3	1583
e. The runtime plus a known system application rate .....	Yes = 1 No = 3	1584
f. A pump test flow rate and runtime .....	Yes = 1 No = 3	1585

Code

16. Do you know how much water the crop(s) removed from the soil? .....	Yes = 1 No = 3	1587
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[If Yes, Continue. If No, Go to Item 18.]

17. How did you determine how much water the crop(s) removed from the soil?  
(Select all that apply)

Code

- |   |                   |      |
|---|-------------------|------|
| a. The current (real time) measurements such as CIMIS .....                               | Yes = 1<br>No = 3 | 1588 |
| b. Historic ET data through CIMIS, Cooperative Extension publications, etc .....          | Yes = 1<br>No = 3 | 1589 |
| c. Tracking root zone soil moisture changes with electronic probes or other devices ..... | Yes = 1<br>No = 3 | 1590 |

18. In addition to replacing water used by the crop, which of the following were reasons you irrigated? (Select all that apply)

Code

- |  |                   |      |
|--|-------------------|------|
| a. Pre-planting irrigation to refill root zone .....       | Yes = 1<br>No = 3 | 1592 |
| b. Apply moisture for seed germination and emergence ..... | Yes = 1<br>No = 3 | 1594 |
| c. Freeze protection or crop cooling .....                 | Yes = 1<br>No = 3 | 1595 |
| d. To apply fertilizer or other chemicals .....            | Yes = 1<br>No = 3 | 1596 |
| e. Ground water recharge .....                             | Yes = 1<br>No = 3 | 1597 |

19. If other practices were used to improve water applications, what were the three primary practices?

List up to three practices. [See Respondent Booklet pg. 38 for codes.]

1565

1566

1567

20. During and after each irrigation, do you defer grazing animals from the field until soil is no longer saturated? .....

Code

Yes = 1 No = 3	3410
Yes = 1 No = 3	1539

21. Do you manage irrigation to address salinity problems in this field? .....

Completion Code for Irrigation			
1 = Inaccessible/Refusal 3 = Valid Zero	2025	2024	2023
	1504	1503	1502

# FIELD OPERATIONS — SELECTED FIELD

1. Including custom operations, what operations were performed by hand or machines on this field for the 2025, 2024, and 2023 crop years?

- Begin with the first field operation for the 2025 crop (after harvesting of 2024 crop)
- List the operations in order by crop year, through harvest
- Maintain the order of tandem hook-ups
- Include field operations performed by hand

a. Let's start with the 2025 crop year.

CHECK LIST									
INCLUDE all field work done by hand or using machines for						EXCLUDE all field work done by hand or using machines for			
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14	86 25	87				88	99	96	97
15	86 25	87				88	99	96	97

Completion Code 2025 Field Operations	
1 = Inaccessible/Refusal 3 = Valid Zero	3004

b. Now let's continue with the 2024 crop year.

- Begin with the first field operation for the 2024 crop (after harvesting of 2023 crop.)

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15	86 24	87				88	99	96	97

Completion Code 2024 Field Operations	
1 = Inaccessible/Refusal 3 = Valid Zero	3003

c. Now let's continue with the 2023 crop year.

- Begin with the first field operation for the 2023 crop (after harvesting of 2022 crop.)

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15	86 23	87				88	99	96	97
						Completion Code 2023 Field Operations			
						1 = Inaccessible/Refusal 3 = Valid Zero			3002

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## WHOLE FARM

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## TOTAL ACRES IN THIS OPERATING ARRANGEMENT

Now I'm going to ask you a few general questions about your entire operation. (INCLUDE the farmstead, all cropland, pastureland, wasteland, woodland, wetland, and government program land. INCLUDE land in other states.)

1. During the 2025 crop year, how many total acres did this operation:

Acres

a. Own? .....

+

1901	_____
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b. Rent FROM others? (EXCLUDE land used on an AUM (Animal Unit Month) basis.) .....

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1902	_____
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c. Rent TO others? (INCLUDE privately owned/rented land administered by a public agency through exchange-of-use.) .....

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1903	_____
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2. Then the TOTAL acres in this operation including the farmstead, all cropland, pastureland, wasteland, wetland, woodland and government program land is: (Total of 1a + 1b - 1c) .....

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1904	_____
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a. Have I accounted for the farmstead, all cropland, pastureland, wasteland, wetland, woodland and government program land in this operation?

<sub>1</sub> ☐ Yes — Continue

<sub>3</sub> ☐ No — Make corrections, then continue.

Acres

3. Of the total (Item 2) acres operated, how many acres are considered cropland, including land in hay and cropland in government programs? .....

1905	_____
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4. Of the total (Item 2) acres operated, how many acres are considered pastureland? .....

1906	_____
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# K OPERATOR AND OPERATION CHARACTERISTICS

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1. In 2025, was this operation's  
LEGAL STATUS.....

- 1 Individual (Sole/Family Proprietorship)?
- 2 A Legal Partnership?
- 3 A Family-Held Corporation?
- 4 A Non-Family Corporation?
- 5 Other (including estates, trusts, and cooperatives)?  
(specify) 0896 \_\_\_\_\_

Code

1912

2. What is the highest level of formal  
education you (the operator) have  
completed?.....

- 1 Less than a high school diploma
- 2 High school diploma or equivalency (GED)
- 3 Some college
- 4 Completed a 4 year degree (BA or BS)
- 5 Graduate school

Code

1914

3. In what year did you (the operator) begin making day-to-day decisions for any farm/ranch? .....

YYYY

1915

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## 4. What is your race and/or ethnicity?

Select all that apply.0902 ☐ White

For example English, German, Irish, Italian, Polish, Scottish, etc.

0897 ☐ Hispanic or Latino

For example, Mexican, Puerto Rican, Salvadoran, Cuban, Dominican, Guatemalan, etc.

0900 ☐ Black or African American

For example, African American, Jamaican, Haitian, Nigerian, Ethiopian, Somali, etc.

0899 ☐ Asian

For example, Chinese, Asian Indian, Filipino, Vietnamese, Korean, Japanese, etc.

0898 ☐ American Indian or Alaska Native

For example, Navajo Nation, Blackfeet Tribe of the Blackfeet Indian Reservation of Montana, Native Village of Barrow Inupiat Traditional Government, Nome Eskimo Community, Aztec, Maya, etc.

0901 ☐ Middle Eastern or North African

For example, Lebanese, Iranian, Egyptian, Syrian, Iraqi, Israeli, etc.

0910 ☐ Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander

For example, Native Hawaiian, Samoan, Chamorro, Tongan, Fijian, Marshallese, etc.

## 5. What code represents the respondent's military status in the U.S. Armed Forces, Reserves, or National Guard?

- a. Never served in the military
- b. Only on active duty for training in the Reserves or National Guard
- c. Now on active duty
- d. On active duty in the past, but not now

Code	
	0905

0906

6. How many years have you been continuously managing a forest, farm, or ranch operation? .....

Mark One

7. At what occupation did the operator spend the majority (50 percent or more) of his/her time in 2025? .....

0920

- 1 ☐ Forestry, farm, or ranch work
- 2 ☐ Work other than forestry, farm, or ranch work

8. Now I would like to classify the total acres operated in terms of total gross value of sales.

Considering —

- all crops sold,
- all livestock, poultry (including commercial broilers), and products (milk, eggs, etc.) sold,
- all sales of crops, livestock, or poultry produced under contract,
- all sales of any miscellaneous agricultural products,
- all government payments received, and
- landlord's share of government payments and crops sold in 2023.

What code represents the total gross value of sales for this operation in 2023?

- 99 ☐ None during 2023
- 1 ☐ \$1 — \$999
- 2 ☐ \$1,000 — \$2,499
- 3 ☐ \$2,500 — \$4,999
- 4 ☐ \$5,000 — \$9,999
- 5 ☐ \$10,000 — \$24,999
- 6 ☐ \$25,000 — \$49,999
- 7 ☐ \$50,000 — \$99,999
- 8 ☐ \$100,000 — \$249,999
- 9 ☐ \$250,000 — \$499,999
- 10 ☐ \$500,000 — \$999,999
- 11 ☐ \$1,000,000 — \$2,499,999
- 12 ☐ \$2,500,000 — \$4,999,999
- 13 ☐ \$5,000,000 and over

Code

1916

9. Of the farm income reported, which of these categories represents the largest portion of the gross income from the operation? .....

1917

## Farm Type Codes

1	Grains, Oilseeds, Dry Beans, and Dry Peas	9	Hogs and Pigs
2	Tobacco	10	Milk and Other Dairy Products from Cows
3	Cotton and Cottonseed	11	Cattle and Calves
4	Vegetables, Melons, Potatoes, and Sweet Potatoes	12	Sheep, Goats, and their Products
5	Fruit, Tree Nuts, Grapes, Citrus, and Berries	13	Horses, Ponies, and Mules
6	Nursery, Greenhouse, Floriculture, and Sod	14	Poultry and Eggs
7	Cut Christmas Trees and Short Rotation Woody Crops	15	Aquaculture
8	Other Crops and Hay, CRP, and Pasture	16	Other Animals and Other Animal Products

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## CONCLUSION

### RECORDS USE

1. Did respondent use farm/ranch records to report:

		Code
a. fertilizer data? .....	Yes = 1 No = 3	0026
b. pest control data? .....	Yes = 1 No = 3	0027
c. manure data? .....	Yes = 1 No = 3	0028
d. livestock grazing data? .....	Yes = 1 No = 3	0035

		Code
2. Did respondent use a written Conservation Plan to complete Section B? .....	Yes=1 No =3	0029

Supplements Used:

		Number
Fertilizer Applications		0030
Pest Control Applications		0031
Field Operations		0032
Manure Applications		0033
Crop History Supplement		0034

		Military Time HHMM
Ending Time (Military) .....		0005 ____

		Total Time HHMM
		0008 ____

9910	MM	DD	YY
Date: _____			

## 3. Comments related to the information you reported:

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OFFICE USE ONLY									
Response		Respondent		Mode		Enum.	Eval.	Change	Office Use for POID
1-Comp 2-R 3-Inac 4-Office Hold 5-R – Est 6-Inac – Est 7-Off Hold – Est	9901	1-Op/Mgr 2-Spouse 3-Acct/Bkpr 4-Partner 9-Other	9902	1-PASI (Mail) 2-PATI (Tel) 3-PAPI (Face-to-Face) 6-Email 7-Fax 19-Other	9903	9998	9900	9985	9989
							R. Unit		
							9921		
									Optional Use
									9907 9908 9906 9916
S/E Name									