

Table 2a. Number and Area of Farms by Main Use of the Land and Province: 1991 and 2002

Main Use of the Land	Region VIII			Biliran	Eastern Samar		Leyte		Northern Samar		Samar		Southern Leyte	
	2002	1991	Percent Change	2002	2002	1991	2002	1991	2002	1991	2002	1991	2002	1991
Number of Farms														
All Classes	331,954	321,456	3.27	12,389	35,856	29,848	137,206	154,805	50,057	41656	57,069	53,168	39,377	41,978
Homelot	207,599	139,995	48.29	8,486	19,026	13,052	88,984	51,386	28,331	20921	31,948	29,420	30,824	25,216
Under Temporary Crops	179,329	201,242	-10.89	7,248	16,722	16,428	81,199	104,153	20,004	19987	37,851	39,437	16,305	21,236
Under Permanent Crops	182,616	191,217	-4.50	6,105	24,502	21,877	61,348	80,386	38,641	32854	24,442	23,770	27,578	32,330
Temporarily Fallow	840	2,051	-59.04	9	92	117	449	1,417	82	111	129	256	79	150
Under Temporary Meadows and Pasture	544	1,100	-50.55	35	45	70	272	415	51	40	89	421	52	154
Under Permanent Meadows and Pasture	520	379	37.20	4	29	27	147	223	247	27	25	27	68	75
Woodland and Forest (Not Commercial)	576	1,138	-49.38	4	74	129	132	179	179	625	67	140	120	64
All Other Lands	498	3,070	-83.78	10	61	150	209	1,838	35	626	71	363	112	92
Not Reported	2,503	0		143	243		969		623		218		307	
Area of Farms														
All Classes	725,310	695,711	4.25	19,483	101,255	77,001	260,521	292,197	179,856	152445	101,974	104,913	62,220	69,155
Homelot	34,945	3,305	957.34	1,213	4,771	268	17,206	1,435	2,917	457	4,986	474	3,851	671
Under Temporary Crops	229,405	248,391	-7.64	6,346	25,471	21,633	99,859	129,088	43,362	38191	44,307	46,706	10,059	12,773
Under Permanent Crops	439,299	428,071	2.62	10,784	69,868	53,452	129,989	155,304	130,074	109149	51,350	55,254	47,233	54,912
Temporarily Fallow	1,417	2,618	-45.87	7	140	196	763	1,665	141	145	256	405	110	207
Under Temporary Meadows and Pasture	1,296	2,165	-40.14	11	41	195	778	479	121	156	154	1,069	190	267
Under Permanent Meadows and Pasture	8,022	2,827	183.76	920	117	145	6,089	2,374	709	59	66	64	121	185
Woodland and Forest (Not Commercial)	2,320	6,152	-62.29	10	235	845	440	776	886	3895	456	538	294	99
All Other Lands	4,320	2,182	97.98	11	174	267	3,903	1,078	62	393	103	403	67	40
Not Reported	4,287	0		181	437		1,493		1,584		297		295	

Source: National Statistics Office: 1991 Census of Agriculture and Fisheries
2002 Census of Agriculture