IV Farm Management

Explanation

Statistics on farm management, production costs, records of payments related to the farming income stabilization measures, etc., number of certified farmers and situation of basic plans formulation are recorded in this part.

Brief explanations for respective statistics are as follows:

1 Farm Management

"Statistics on Management by Type of Management" and "Statistics on Management by Farming Type" among "Statistical Survey on Farm Management" by the Statistics Department of MAFF are recorded.

These are conducted to clarify the actual situation of management to agricultural entities which sell agricultural products.

- (1) Statistics on Management by Farming Type (Individual Management)
 - a. Farming Types and Classification Standards
 - Farming types and classification standards are as follows:

Farming Type	Classification Standards	
Paddy field farming	Farming whose sales income totaling all the crops (rice, wheat and barley,	
	miscellaneous cereals, potatoes, beans and industrial crops) cultivated in paddy	
	fields is the largest, compared to that from other types of farming	
Upland field farming	Farming whose sales income totaling all the crops (rice, wheat and barley,	
	miscellaneous cereals, potatoes, beans and industrial crops) cultivated in upland	
	fields is the largest, compared to that from other types of farming	
Vegetable farming	Farming whose sales income from vegetables is the largest, compared to that	
	from other types of farming	
- Outdoor grown	- Farming whose sales income from outdoor grown vegetables exceeds that	
vegetables	from greenhouse grown vegetables	
- Greenhouse	- Farming whose sales income from greenhouse grown vegetables exceeds that	
grown vegetables	from outdoor grown vegetables	
Fruit farming	Farming whose sales income from fruit is the largest, compared to that from	
	other types of farming	
Flower farming	Farming whose sales income from flowers is the largest, compared to that from	
	other types of farming	
- Outdoor grown	- Farming whose sales income from outdoor grown flowers exceeds that from	
flowers	greenhouse grown flowers	
- Greenhouse	- Farming whose sales income from greenhouse grown flowers exceeds that	
grown flowers	from outdoor grown flowers	
Dairy farming	Farming whose sales income from dairy farming is the largest, compared to that	
	from other types of farming	
Beef cattle farming	Farming whose sales income from beef cattle farming is the largest, compared	
	to that from other types of farming	
- Breeding cattle	- Farming where the number of breeding cattle farmed exceeds that of those	
	being fattened among the beef cattle farming operation	
- Fattening cattle	- Farming where the number of cattle being fattened exceeds that of the	
	breeding cattle being farmed among the beef cattle farming operation	

Pig farming	Farming whose sales income from pig farming is the largest, compared to that
	from other types of farming
Poultry farming	Farming whose sales income from poultry farming is the largest, compared to
	that from other types of farming
Broiler farming	Farming whose sales income from broiler farming is the largest, compared to
	that from other types of farming
Other farming	Farming that is not classified into any of the above types

b. Sectors and Standards to Grasp Income and Expenditure in "Statistics on Management by Farming Type"

Sectors to grasp income and expenditure by farming type are as follows, limited for each farm household to the top two sectors (as for upland field farming in Hokkaido, only potato farming) whose sales income accounted for over 10% of the total.

Sectors for Statistics on Management by Farming Type (Individual Management)			
Farming Type	Sectors		
Upland field farming	sweet potato farming, potato farming, tea farming		
Outdoor grown	Outdoor grown cucumber farming, outdoor grown tomato (large) farming,		
vegetable farming	outdoor grown eggplant farming, outdoor grown cabbage farming, outdoor		
	grown spinach farming, outdoor grown onion farming, outdoor grown lettuce		
	farming, outdoor grown Chinese cabbage farming, Outdoor grown welsh onion		
	(white) farming, outdoor grown Japanese radish farming, outdoor grown carrot		
	farming		
Greenhouse grown	Greenhouse grown cucumber farming, greenhouse grown tomato (large)		
vegetable farming	farming, greenhouse grown mini tomato farming, greenhouse grown eggplant		
	farming		
Fruit farming	Apple farming, outdoor grown mandarin orange farming, greenhouse grown		
	mandarin orange farming, outdoor grown grape farming, greenhouse grown		
	grape farming, nashi pear farming, peach farming, persimmon farming, plum		
	farming, cherry farming, kiwifruit farming, Japanese plum farming		
Greenhouse grown	Greenhouse grown flower (rose) farming		
flower farming			

(2) Statistics on Management by Farming Type (Management of Corporate organization)

a. Farming types and classification standards

It is classified based on the same classification standards.

As for management of Corporate organization, is divided into 13 types of farming, excluding "Other farming," as listed in the classification standards.

(3) Statistics on Management by Type of Management (Individual Management)

This is compiled by the data of agriculture management entities classified into each farming type, from paddy field farming to broiler farming, as classified farming type, besides adding the farm households classified into other farm households to the data.

As for definition of "Status of Farming Business," see page 199, explanation of "III Farm Households."

(4) Statistics on Management by Type of Management (Management of Corporate organization)

This is compiled by the data of agriculture management entities classified into each farming type, from paddy field farming to broiler farming, as classified farming type.

2 Production costs

(1) Production cost of crops

"Statistics on Farm Management by Type of Management" among "Statistical Survey on Farm Management and Economy" by the Statistics Department of MAFF is recorded.

This is conducted to grasp concerning Production costs of rice and wheat etc.

a. Production costs of rice

Production cost of 60 kg of paddy field brown rice by years and by agricultural regions are shown, and those by prefectures are shown per planted area 10 ares, by cost elements.

Estimated unit for Production costs are as follows:

Item	Unit
Wheat, naked barley	husked wheat per 60 kg
Two-row barley, six-row barley	husked wheat per 50 kg
Sweet potato (for processing), Potato (for processing)	100 kg
Soybean, rape seeds	60 kg
Sugar cane, sugar beet	1 t
Buckwheat	45 kg

 b. Production Costs of Wheat, Two-Row Barley, Six-Row Barley, and Naked Barley Statistics show production cost of wheat, two-row barley, six-row barley, and naked barely per unit, and per planted area 10 ares by cost elements.

- c. Production Costs of Potatoes, Soybeans, and Industrial Crops Statistics show production cost of sweet potatoes (for processing), potatoes (for processing), soybeans, sugar cane, sugar beet, rape seeds and buckwheat per unit, and per planted area 10 ares by cost elements.
- d. The Survey Period of Production Costs

The survey period of production costs of crops cultivation is one year from the start of cultivation to the end of the harvest of the relevant crops.

(2) Statistics on Production Cost of livestock

"Statistics on Farm Management and Economy by Type of Management" of which, "Statistical Survey on Farm Management and Economy" by the Statistics Department of MAFF is recorded.

This is conducted to grasp concerning Production costs of Milk and Beef Cattle etc.

a. Production Costs of Milk

Statistics show production cost of raw milk per 100 kg by cost elements.

b. Production Costs of Beef Cattle

Statistics show production cost for fattening castrated young cattle, fattening dairy bulls, fattening hybrid type cattle, raising dairy bulls, raising hybrid type cattle and raising calves, per head by cost elements.

c. Production Costs of Fattening Pigs

Statistics show production cost for fattening pigs, per head by cost elements.

d. The Survey Period of Production Costs

The survey period of production costs of livestock is one year, from April of that year to March of the following year.

3 Results of Payments under Farming Income Stabilization Measures, etc.

The data from the Crop Production Bureau of MAFF is recorded.

This is compiled results of nationwide payments of grants under farming income stabilization measures (in

2011 and 2012, individual income support allowance system for farming).

- 4 Number of Certified Farmers and Status of Basic Plans Formulation The data from the Management Improvement Bureau of MAFF is recorded.
- (1) Certified Farmers

It means the total number of farmers who received approval for their respective improvement plans, submitted to municipalities based on the Agricultural Management Framework Reinforcement Act, plus the number of specially designated agricultural corporations considered equivalent to certified farmers.

(2) Basic Plan

It means that the goal for the effective and stable farming management is planned by the actual situation of each municipality based on the Agricultural Management Framework Reinforcement Act.