

SUBJECT: LAND USE
 CATEGORY: BROAD LAND COVER/USE
 QUALIFIERS: NONE
 REPORTING UNIT: AREA (ACRES IN THOUSANDS)
 GEOGRAPHIC UNIT: STATE OF MISSOURI

TABLE: 1997 BROAD LAND COVER/USE ACREAGE ESTIMATES BY
 SELECTED NRI REPORTING CATEGORIES*

<u>DEVELOPED LAND</u> – 2517.0 ACRES		DEVELOPED LAND INCLUDES:	Urban Land	1664.0
			Rural Transportation Land	853.0
Developed land is intended to identify lands that have been permanently removed from the rural land base. Urban land includes all urban and built-up land.			TOTAL	2517.0
Rural Transportation Land includes all highway, road, and railroad rights-of way outside urban areas, logging roads, driveways, and other private roads. It excludes field lanes and roads.				
 <u>RURAL LAND</u> – 39350.4 ACRES		RURAL LAND INCLUDES:	Cropland	13747.3
			Pastureland	10848.7
Rural land represents the six primary component of nonfederal rural Land. Cropland is classified as irrigated and nonirrigated cultivated acreage, permanent hayland acreage and horticultural cropland.			Rangeland	87.5
Minor land includes farmsteads, field windbreaks, barren land and marshland.			Forest Land	12427.0
			Minor Land	633.8
			Conservation Reserve Program	1606.1
			TOTAL	39350.4
 <u>OTHER RURAL LAND</u> – 633.8 ACRES		OTHER RURAL LAND INCLUDES:	Minor Land	633.8
			TOTAL	633.8
 <u>CROPLAND</u> – 13747.3 ACRES		CROPLAND INCLUDES:	Cultivated Cropland	10513.3
			Noncultivated Cropland	3234.0
			TOTAL	13747.3**

* NRI reporting categories are typically individual data collection categories or combinations of data collection categories. Reporting categories can also be a combination of data collection categories and reporting categories. RURAL LAND combines reporting categories Cropland and Minor Land with data reporting categories Pastureland, Rangeland, Forest Land and Conservation Reserve Program (CRP).

** Reporting category totals adjusted to Missouri's historical NRI total surface area of 44,606,100 acres.

SOURCE: NATIONAL RESOURCES INVENTORY REVISED (DECEMBER 2000)