Table 69. **Summary by Age and Primary Occupation of Principal Operator: 2012**

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Item	Total farming and other occupations	Farming						
		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS								
Farms ..... number	45,071	21,315	101	936	1,859	3,511	5,499	9,409
percent	100.0	47.3	0.2	2.1	4.1	7.8	12.2	20.9
Land in farms ..... acres	13,810,786	10,343,566	29,113	478,401	1,323,067	2,260,952	3,062,967	3,189,066
Average size of farm ..... acres	306	485	288	511	712	644	557	339
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS								
Total ..... farms	45,071	21,315	101	936	1,859	3,511	5,499	9,409
$1,000	10,038,726	8,968,756	19,746	455,394	1,434,421	2,536,135	2,688,276	1,834,783
Average per farm ..... dollars	222,731	420,772	195,506	486,532	771,609	722,340	488,866	195,003
Farms by economic class:								
Less than $1,000 (see text)	9,032	2,715	7	119	224	391	703	1,271
$1,000 to $2,499	4,352	1,292	13	64	73	181	322	639
$2,500 to $4,999	5,006	1,593	2	65	69	216	385	856
$5,000 to $9,999	5,888	2,217	19	37	139	265	523	1,234
$10,000 to $24,999	7,223	3,363	17	97	181	377	758	1,933
$25,000 to $49,999	3,724	2,037	2	68	103	242	516	1,106
$50,000 to $99,999	2,167	1,431	12	47	79	190	350	753
$100,000 to $249,999	1,403	1,055	8	82	120	181	268	396
$250,000 to $499,999	1,100	917	2	83	113	182	267	270
$500,000 to $999,999	1,536	1,326	14	91	179	335	384	323
$1,000,000 or more	3,640	3,369	5	183	579	951	1,023	628
$1,000,000 to $2,499,999	2,922	2,695	5	156	470	746	823	495
$2,500,000 to $4,999,999	578	548	-	24	90	160	156	118
$5,000,000 or more	140	126	-	3	19	45	44	15
Total sales ..... farms	45,071	21,315	101	936	1,859	3,511	5,499	9,409
$1,000	9,775,758	8,742,004	19,042	440,916	1,401,314	2,480,123	2,620,152	1,780,457
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas ..... farms	4,629	3,783	28	318	611	844	1,060	922
$1,000	4,214,355	4,041,164	11,883	254,523	683,379	1,104,816	1,200,172	786,391
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	3,739	3,356	28	295	554	762	967	750
$1,000	4,197,447	4,032,229	11,883	253,876	682,227	1,103,326	1,198,186	782,730
Corn ..... farms	1,741	1,567	10	141	292	372	448	304
$1,000	802,551	763,608	819	61,196	145,319	224,407	203,588	128,279
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	1,499	1,413	9	134	268	342	412	248
$1,000	797,232	759,692	(D)	(D)	144,648	223,606	202,673	126,948
Wheat ..... farms	1,630	1,373	9	91	213	316	392	352
$1,000	170,891	160,064	(D)	(D)	20,599	46,391	47,482	37,332
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	853	807	5	47	121	210	234	190
$1,000	154,162	146,697	312	6,567	18,175	43,745	43,828	34,069
Soybeans ..... farms	4,154	3,504	25	297	561	799	1,007	815
$1,000	1,853,360	1,776,111	5,288	101,401	291,967	473,769	554,137	349,549
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	3,258	3,024	20	261	498	704	898	643
$1,000	1,835,309	1,765,180	5,121	100,490	290,787	471,687	551,454	345,640
Sorghum ..... farms	549	497	2	34	87	111	175	88
$1,000	70,861	66,333	(D)	(D)	11,125	20,369	23,772	(D)
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	349	323	-	18	55	90	118	42
$1,000	66,570	62,389	-	2,764	10,351	19,989	22,444	6,841
Barley ..... farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
$1,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
$1,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rice ..... farms	2,345	2,137	17	177	378	502	623	440
$1,000	1,314,526	1,272,932	5,367	80,425	214,185	339,092	370,565	263,298
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	2,149	2,005	15	168	353	476	590	403
$1,000	1,308,474	1,268,788	(D)	80,206	(D)	338,259	369,542	262,107
Other grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas ..... farms	46	39	-	2	7	6	14	10
$1,000	2,166	2,116	-	(D)	184	788	629	(D)
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	14	14	-	2	2	4	6	-
$1,000	1,784	1,784	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	527	-
Tobacco ..... farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
$1,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
$1,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cotton and cottonseed ..... farms	701	663	2	67	108	151	187	148
$1,000	445,812	434,167	(D)	(D)	76,969	107,697	137,422	86,598
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	638	612	2	64	98	141	175	132
$1,000	443,955	432,667	(D)	(D)	76,652	107,382	137,079	86,154
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes ..... farms	634	329	-	21	33	62	82	131
$1,000	36,577	33,832	-	242	8,934	6,009	15,260	3,387
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	62	55	-	2	8	12	20	13
$1,000	31,630	31,015	-	(D)	8,608	5,501	14,518	(D)
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries ..... farms	496	262	-	20	26	31	65	120
$1,000	15,600	10,261	-	(D)	(D)	1,433	1,721	4,992
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	57	35	-	2	2	5	7	19
$1,000	11,364	7,760	-	(D)	(D)	1,248	845	3,900
Fruits and tree nuts ..... farms	368	195	-	9	18	24	55	89
$1,000	12,386	7,835	-	261	593	1,328	1,447	4,206
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	52	31	-	2	2	5	5	17
$1,000	9,203	5,958	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	663	3,433
Berries ..... farms	169	92	-	14	9	11	14	44
$1,000	3,214	2,426	-	(D)	(D)	105	274	786
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	10	6	-	2	-	1	1	2
$1,000	2,069	1,709	-	(D)	-	(D)	(D)	(D)
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod (see text) ..... farms	286	165	-	5	16	50	46	48
$1,000	41,784	29,111	-	106	3,842	8,681	8,742	7,740
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	91	61	-	1	7	23	17	13
$1,000	39,540	27,837	-	(D)	(D)	8,414	8,394	7,283

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Table 69. **Summary by Age and Primary Occupation of Principal Operator: 2012** (continued)

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Item	Other occupations						
	Total	Age of operator (years)					
		Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS							
Farms ..... number	23,756	91	1,465	3,099	6,275	6,935	5,891
percent	52.7	0.2	3.3	6.9	13.9	15.4	13.1
Land in farms ..... acres	3,467,220	10,104	154,031	396,572	879,679	1,104,274	922,560
Average size of farm ..... acres	146	111	105	128	140	159	157
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS							
Total ..... farms	23,756	91	1,465	3,099	6,275	6,935	5,891
$1,000	1,069,970	4,405	72,617	195,410	298,933	326,558	172,045
Average per farm ..... dollars	45,040	48,412	49,568	63,056	47,639	47,088	29,205
Farms by economic class:							
Less than $1,000 (see text)	6,317	13	347	848	1,605	1,829	1,675
$1,000 to $2,499	3,060	10	205	423	799	844	779
$2,500 to $4,999	3,413	22	220	439	905	976	851
$5,000 to $9,999	3,671	18	269	449	921	1,075	939
$10,000 to $24,999	3,860	12	220	444	1,060	1,180	944
$25,000 to $49,999	1,687	4	96	219	488	514	366
$50,000 to $99,999	736	3	45	115	201	213	159
$100,000 to $249,999	348	3	29	51	86	106	73
$250,000 to $499,999	183	3	9	32	56	48	35
$500,000 to $999,999	210	3	4	33	67	69	34
$1,000,000 or more	271	-	21	46	87	81	36
$1,000,000 to $2,499,999	227	-	18	37	76	67	29
$2,500,000 to $4,999,999	30	-	1	7	9	8	5
$5,000,000 or more	14	-	2	2	2	6	2
Total sales ..... farms	23,756	91	1,465	3,099	6,275	6,935	5,891
$1,000	1,033,755	4,090	71,228	191,303	290,234	315,546	161,354
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas ..... farms	846	11	57	109	235	257	177
$1,000	173,191	2,148	8,273	28,494	42,523	64,835	26,917
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	383	8	26	60	94	129	66
$1,000	165,218	2,139	7,678	27,705	40,044	62,473	25,179
Corn ..... farms	174	2	18	35	37	53	29
$1,000	38,943	(D)	(D)	6,736	9,880	12,904	5,709
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	86	2	11	16	14	29	14
$1,000	37,540	(D)	(D)	6,488	9,588	12,554	5,360
Wheat ..... farms	257	3	3	35	70	81	65
$1,000	10,827	(D)	(D)	(D)	2,988	3,414	(D)
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	46	3	-	3	12	17	11
$1,000	7,466	(D)	-	1,040	2,204	2,423	(D)
Soybeans ..... farms	650	9	46	82	183	197	133
$1,000	77,249	1,510	2,516	12,350	17,994	29,490	13,390
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	234	6	4	33	65	81	45
$1,000	70,129	1,501	1,580	11,465	15,961	27,349	12,275
Sorghum ..... farms	52	-	1	8	14	22	7
$1,000	4,528	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	2,627	(D)
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	26	-	1	6	4	14	1
$1,000	4,181	-	(D)	1,141	(D)	2,498	(D)
Barley ..... farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
$1,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
$1,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rice ..... farms	208	3	13	32	63	54	43
$1,000	41,594	35	2,301	6,482	11,053	16,401	5,322
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	144	-	13	24	37	42	28
$1,000	39,686	-	2,301	6,244	10,224	16,042	4,875
Other grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas ..... farms	7	-	-	2	4	-	1
$1,000	50	-	-	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
$1,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tobacco ..... farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
$1,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
$1,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cotton and cottonseed ..... farms	38	2	5	3	9	10	9
$1,000	11,645	(D)	(D)	198	1,946	4,315	3,216
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	26	2	2	1	5	8	8
$1,000	11,288	(D)	(D)	(D)	1,833	(D)	(D)
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes ..... farms	305	-	37	23	73	103	69
$1,000	2,744	-	375	174	589	1,024	581
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	7	-	2	-	1	3	1
$1,000	616	-	(D)	-	(D)	219	(D)
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries ..... farms	234	-	22	14	64	88	46
$1,000	5,339	-	(D)	(D)	2,005	1,494	673
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	22	-	3	1	8	8	2
$1,000	3,605	-	469	(D)	1,501	852	(D)
Fruits and tree nuts ..... farms	173	-	15	12	43	66	37
$1,000	4,551	-	(D)	(D)	1,811	1,283	619
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	21	-	3	1	8	7	2
$1,000	3,245	-	(D)	(D)	1,501	794	(D)
Berries ..... farms	77	-	10	3	26	28	10
$1,000	788	-	323	5	194	211	55
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	4	-	3	-	-	1	-
$1,000	360	-	(D)	-	-	(D)	-
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod (see text) ..... farms	121	-	5	8	40	47	21
$1,000	12,673	-	(D)	(D)	2,350	3,124	(D)
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	30	-	-	5	8	13	4
$1,000	11,702	-	-	(D)	2,001	2,809	(D)

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Item	Total farming and other occupations	Farming						
		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS - Con.								
Total - Con.								
Total sales - Con.								
Cut Christmas trees and short-rotation woody crops ..... farms	31	8	-	-	2	-	3	3
$1,000	379	110	-	-	(D)	-	(D)	(D)
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
$1,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cut Christmas trees ..... farms	21	6	-	-	2	-	3	1
$1,000	217	(D)	-	-	(D)	-	(D)	(D)
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
$1,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Short-rotation woody crops ..... farms	10	2	-	-	-	-	-	2
$1,000	162	(D)	-	-	-	-	-	(D)
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
$1,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other crops and hay (see text) ..... farms	9,303	4,148	13	129	297	582	1,031	2,096
$1,000	80,371	51,884	143	3,338	6,036	12,474	13,661	16,231
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	146	107	-	6	19	24	32	26
$1,000	26,857	23,791	-	2,474	3,830	8,185	6,469	2,834
Maple syrup (see text) ..... farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
$1,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
$1,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cattle and calves ..... farms	22,116	11,092	51	344	681	1,541	2,767	5,708
$1,000	766,476	557,193	857	21,539	55,552	85,417	152,870	240,957
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	2,728	2,057	7	65	168	347	545	925
$1,000	521,182	422,051	498	17,599	48,216	67,687	119,284	168,767
Milk from cows (see text) ..... farms	123	105	-	2	5	29	35	34
$1,000	28,225	25,978	-	(D)	2,117	9,000	(D)	6,707
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	96	82	-	2	5	23	27	25
$1,000	27,529	(D)	-	(D)	2,117	8,783	(D)	6,563
Hogs and pigs ..... farms	540	258	1	32	43	64	67	51
$1,000	47,178	44,670	(D)	(D)	4,878	19,466	13,179	7,054
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	77	71	-	-	11	27	25	8
$1,000	46,386	44,255	-	-	4,770	19,420	13,113	6,952
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk (see text) ..... farms	1,693	701	6	51	108	147	165	224
$1,000	3,954	2,027	7	(D)	(D)	359	514	700
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
$1,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys ..... farms	2,242	849	-	49	81	156	236	327
$1,000	11,699	5,499	-	446	333	1,039	1,143	2,538
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	18	13	-	-	-	1	1	11
$1,000	1,743	1,370	-	-	-	(D)	(D)	(D)
Poultry and eggs ..... farms	4,520	3,071	6	133	406	823	924	779
$1,000	4,011,725	3,441,535	4,954	133,126	551,630	1,103,355	1,048,710	599,759
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	2,844	2,398	6	99	338	684	735	536
$1,000	4,010,205	3,440,775	4,954	133,063	551,515	1,103,254	1,048,487	599,502
Aquaculture ..... farms	127	94	1	4	10	37	17	25
$1,000	67,453	61,230	(D)	(D)	6,276	19,569	18,540	15,949
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	69	57	1	2	9	22	9	14
$1,000	66,700	60,635	(D)	(D)	(D)	19,371	18,427	15,751
Other animals and other animal products (see text) ..... farms	489	214	-	5	15	42	64	88
$1,000	4,169	3,341	-	(D)	(D)	807	(D)	(D)
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	13	9	-	-	1	2	3	3
$1,000	2,867	2,614	-	-	(D)	(D)	538	(D)
Value of-								
Government payments ..... farms	13,140	7,825	47	469	831	1,413	2,157	2,908
$1,000	262,967	226,752	705	14,478	33,107	56,012	68,124	54,326
Landlord's share of total sales (see text) ..... farms	2,865	2,333	18	217	405	541	646	506
$1,000	433,390	421,913	1,389	32,628	77,675	118,816	119,700	71,704
Agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text) ..... farms	1,391	642	-	45	52	131	160	254
$1,000	6,369	4,321	-	619	234	671	984	1,814
FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES								
Total farm production expenses [1] ..... farms	45,071	21,315	101	936	1,859	3,511	5,499	9,409
$1,000	7,701,266	6,687,275	13,734	340,109	1,013,173	1,898,415	2,007,302	1,414,542
Average per farm ..... dollars	170,870	313,736	135,982	363,364	545,010	540,705	365,030	150,339
Fertilizer, lime, and soil conditioners purchased ..... farms	19,900	11,264	47	526	1,064	1,857	3,023	4,747
$1,000	629,255	586,272	1,662	42,243	93,862	151,864	175,516	121,124
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $4,999	13,394	6,074	24	159	395	842	1,544	3,110
$5,000 to $24,999	3,306	2,229	8	117	173	322	592	1,017
$25,000 to $49,999	666	568	5	45	72	108	171	167
$50,000 or more	2,534	2,393	10	205	424	585	716	453
Chemicals purchased ..... farms	20,001	11,708	47	595	1,216	2,072	3,165	4,613
$1,000	505,519	482,027	1,547	31,901	77,906	132,117	140,715	97,842
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $4,999	15,790	7,990	24	272	608	1,216	2,082	3,788
$5,000 to $24,999	1,293	960	12	98	124	187	265	274
$25,000 to $49,999	588	520	2	68	77	107	143	123
$50,000 or more	2,330	2,238	9	157	407	562	675	428

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Item		Other occupations						
		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS - Con.								
Total - Con.								
Total sales - Con.								
Cut Christmas trees and short-rotation woody crops	farms	23	-	-	-	6	9	8
	$1,000	269	-	-	-	97	83	89
Sales of $50,000 or more	farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	$1,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cut Christmas trees	farms	15	-	-	-	4	6	5
	$1,000	(D)	-	-	-	(D)	29	(D)
Sales of $50,000 or more	farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	$1,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Short-rotation woody crops	farms	8	-	-	-	2	3	3
	$1,000	(D)	-	-	-	(D)	55	(D)
Sales of $50,000 or more	farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	$1,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other crops and hay (see text)	farms	5,155	6	266	637	1,313	1,499	1,434
	$1,000	28,487	23	1,494	3,498	7,277	8,478	7,717
Sales of $50,000 or more	farms	39	-	1	9	7	12	10
	$1,000	3,067	-	(D)	(D)	770	974	699
Maple syrup (see text)	farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	$1,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sales of $50,000 or more	farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	$1,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cattle and calves	farms	11,024	58	854	1,581	3,135	3,202	2,194
	$1,000	209,283	667	10,617	29,376	52,811	68,356	47,457
Sales of $50,000 or more	farms	671	3	40	124	170	187	147
	$1,000	99,131	224	3,295	14,857	20,727	34,944	25,084
Milk from cows (see text)	farms	18	-	5	1	3	3	6
	$1,000	2,247	-	489	(D)	(D)	(D)	562
Sales of $50,000 or more	farms	14	-	5	1	2	2	4
	$1,000	(D)	-	489	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Hogs and pigs	farms	282	-	44	77	97	50	14
	$1,000	2,508	-	37	(D)	552	(D)	(D)
Sales of $50,000 or more	farms	6	-	-	2	2	1	1
	$1,000	2,132	-	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk (see text)	farms	992	6	100	197	321	249	119
	$1,000	1,927	3	149	313	614	593	256
Sales of $50,000 or more	farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	$1,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	farms	1,393	8	137	247	433	376	192
	$1,000	6,200	18	799	682	1,894	1,567	1,241
Sales of $50,000 or more	farms	5	-	-	-	-	1	4
	$1,000	373	-	-	-	-	(D)	(D)
Poultry and eggs	farms	1,449	6	124	268	465	417	169
	$1,000	570,190	(D)	(D)	119,630	176,881	158,435	67,628
Sales of $50,000 or more	farms	446	1	25	78	152	129	61
	$1,000	569,430	(D)	(D)	119,512	176,720	158,174	67,464
Aquaculture	farms	33	-	-	4	5	16	8
	$1,000	6,222	-	-	(D)	(D)	2,104	3,454
Sales of $50,000 or more	farms	12	-	-	2	1	3	6
	$1,000	6,065	-	-	(D)	(D)	2,024	(D)
Other animals and other animal products (see text)	farms	275	-	14	52	87	73	49
	$1,000	828	-	11	199	140	269	209
Sales of $50,000 or more	farms	4	-	-	2	-	1	1
	$1,000	253	-	-	(D)	-	(D)	(D)
Value of-								
Government payments	farms	5,315	23	289	621	1,249	1,509	1,624
	$1,000	36,215	316	1,389	4,107	8,699	11,012	10,691
Landlord's share of total sales (see text)	farms	532	6	80	91	136	143	76
	$1,000	11,478	238	930	1,082	2,010	3,388	3,830
Agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text)	farms	749	2	56	124	246	222	99
	$1,000	2,048	(D)	221	(D)	712	631	247
FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES								
Total farm production expenses [1]	farms	23,756	91	1,465	3,099	6,275	6,935	5,891
	$1,000	1,013,991	4,063	63,633	171,162	292,353	308,057	174,723
Average per farm	dollars	42,684	44,649	43,435	55,231	46,590	44,421	29,659
Fertilizer, lime, and soil conditioners purchased	farms	8,636	33	629	1,168	2,474	2,643	1,689
	$1,000	42,983	204	2,029	5,305	12,213	15,111	8,120
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $4,999		7,320	28	561	987	2,122	2,209	1,413
$5,000 to $24,999		1,077	3	58	155	284	350	227
$25,000 to $49,999		98	-	5	9	31	41	12
$50,000 or more		141	2	5	17	37	43	37
Chemicals purchased	farms	8,293	37	600	1,156	2,460	2,579	1,461
	$1,000	23,492	518	1,797	2,925	6,897	7,574	3,780
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $4,999		7,800	29	561	1,078	2,319	2,444	1,369
$5,000 to $24,999		333	3	20	58	99	94	59
$25,000 to $49,999		68	-	13	11	15	13	16
$50,000 or more		92	5	6	9	27	28	17

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Table 69. **Summary by Age and Primary Occupation of Principal Operator: 2012** (continued)

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text.]

Item	Total farming and other occupations	Farming						
		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES - Con.								
Total farm production expenses [1] - Con.								
Seeds, plants, vines, and trees purchased ..... farms	14,043	8,514	30	484	919	1,567	2,351	3,163
$1,000	489,451	463,802	1,365	32,585	77,562	124,055	141,427	86,807
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $999	6,423	2,806	-	93	191	381	690	1,451
$1,000 to $4,999	3,235	1,907	5	69	139	331	551	812
$5,000 to $24,999	1,331	944	7	74	96	169	271	327
$25,000 to $49,999	600	519	3	62	80	88	140	146
$50,000 or more	2,454	2,338	15	186	413	598	699	427
Livestock and poultry purchased or leased ..... farms	12,996	6,866	31	305	689	1,401	1,885	2,555
$1,000	891,909	763,498	692	26,643	130,568	238,277	233,258	134,059
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $4,999	6,949	2,824	22	111	210	416	739	1,326
$5,000 to $24,999	2,506	1,170	3	54	96	188	302	527
$25,000 to $99,999	1,327	947	2	50	89	222	278	306
$100,000 to $249,999	1,520	1,316	4	60	200	373	379	300
$250,000 or more	694	609	-	30	94	202	187	96
Breeding livestock purchased or leased ..... farms	7,686	3,831	21	156	343	687	1,049	1,575
$1,000	108,357	75,877	154	3,644	9,867	19,810	23,825	18,577
Other livestock and poultry purchased or leased (see text) ..... farms	7,155	4,074	15	228	498	969	1,113	1,251
$1,000	783,552	687,621	538	22,999	120,702	218,467	209,434	115,482
Feed purchased ..... farms	32,540	15,319	70	539	1,166	2,455	3,911	7,178
$1,000	2,617,016	2,189,489	3,419	88,247	312,911	669,143	643,702	472,068
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $4,999	18,616	7,052	44	232	461	881	1,735	3,699
$5,000 to $24,999	8,883	4,347	14	165	240	629	1,032	2,267
$25,000 to $99,999	1,929	1,290	6	31	107	193	360	593
$100,000 to $249,999	558	444	1	16	38	114	135	140
$250,000 or more	2,554	2,186	5	95	320	638	649	479
Gasoline, fuels, and oils purchased ..... farms	43,591	21,031	96	910	1,832	3,452	5,461	9,280
$1,000	510,909	454,203	1,211	26,397	70,419	116,539	136,178	103,458
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $4,999	34,225	13,565	59	465	835	1,773	3,301	7,132
$5,000 to $24,999	5,685	4,071	26	221	420	788	1,159	1,457
$25,000 to $49,999	1,203	1,036	5	59	165	269	312	226
$50,000 or more	2,478	2,359	6	165	412	622	689	465
Utilities ..... farms	27,221	15,147	46	621	1,480	2,726	4,101	6,173
$1,000	199,956	174,285	277	8,659	26,239	49,124	53,092	36,895
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $999	12,989	5,501	14	141	308	670	1,366	3,002
$1,000 to $4,999	8,359	4,596	11	180	402	712	1,209	2,082
$5,000 to $24,999	3,696	3,058	20	186	442	779	901	730
$25,000 to $49,999	1,327	1,188	1	68	189	322	390	218
$50,000 or more	850	804	-	46	139	243	235	141
Supplies, repairs, and maintenance costs ..... farms	36,413	18,479	76	793	1,668	3,138	4,890	7,914
$1,000	370,875	319,002	889	13,734	43,749	78,825	103,848	77,957
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $4,999	27,333	11,311	55	390	734	1,501	2,781	5,850
$5,000 to $24,999	5,950	4,296	13	262	496	904	1,171	1,450
$25,000 to $49,999	1,292	1,131	2	71	177	275	361	245
$50,000 or more	1,838	1,741	6	70	261	458	577	369
Hired farm labor ..... farms	11,715	7,570	29	349	899	1,578	2,129	2,586
$1,000	342,712	299,858	448	14,011	41,639	79,552	92,655	71,552
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $4,999	5,648	2,768	12	91	231	401	735	1,298
$5,000 to $24,999	2,757	1,906	8	102	238	458	505	595
$25,000 to $99,999	2,512	2,147	9	124	316	514	664	520
$100,000 to $249,999	634	599	-	30	99	158	178	134
$250,000 or more	164	150	-	2	15	47	47	39
Contract labor ..... farms	4,767	2,956	5	153	322	658	795	1,023
$1,000	49,179	39,560	120	1,836	5,728	11,050	10,240	10,586
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $999	994	442	-	17	34	79	107	205
$1,000 to $4,999	1,800	1,043	1	61	90	215	284	392
$5,000 to $24,999	1,473	1,046	2	57	126	249	287	325
$25,000 to $49,999	314	265	2	10	47	71	71	64
$50,000 or more	186	160	-	8	25	44	46	37
Customwork and custom hauling ..... farms	9,038	6,085	28	282	695	1,281	1,717	2,082
$1,000	132,549	117,402	329	7,060	15,403	32,570	35,995	26,045
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $999	2,477	1,155	5	28	55	122	309	636
$1,000 to $4,999	2,487	1,468	4	57	103	232	389	683
$5,000 to $24,999	2,926	2,412	14	135	378	639	702	544
$25,000 to $49,999	594	540	5	37	88	145	174	91
$50,000 or more	554	510	-	25	71	143	143	128
Cash rent for land, buildings, and grazing fees ..... farms	10,566	6,108	37	405	715	1,198	1,681	2,072
$1,000	259,535	235,148	1,052	18,090	36,893	60,904	74,229	43,979
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $4,999	6,916	3,176	18	161	258	498	872	1,369
$5,000 to $9,999	1,019	683	-	60	74	150	162	237
$10,000 to $24,999	905	692	8	60	120	157	194	153
$25,000 or more	1,726	1,557	11	124	263	393	453	313

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Table 69. **Summary by Age and Primary Occupation of Principal Operator: 2012** (continued)

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text.]

Item	Other occupations						
	Total	Age of operator (years)					
		Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES - Con.							
Total farm production expenses [1] - Con.							
Seeds, plants, vines, and trees purchased ..... farms	5,529	17	415	777	1,600	1,687	1,033
$1,000	25,649	568	1,105	3,434	7,128	9,298	4,117
Farms with expenses of-							
$1 to $999	3,617	5	291	522	1,033	1,083	683
$1,000 to $4,999	1,328	4	90	171	403	411	249
$5,000 to $24,999	387	3	26	53	110	129	66
$25,000 to $49,999	81	-	4	16	25	25	11
$50,000 or more	116	5	4	15	29	39	24
Livestock and poultry purchased or leased ..... farms	6,130	36	590	1,005	1,797	1,693	1,009
$1,000	128,411	137	6,471	19,622	37,068	45,540	19,574
Farms with expenses of-							
$1 to $4,999	4,125	34	411	670	1,200	1,130	680
$5,000 to $24,999	1,336	1	130	204	399	377	225
$25,000 to $99,999	380	1	32	79	96	104	68
$100,000 to $249,999	204	-	16	39	70	56	23
$250,000 or more	85	-	1	13	32	26	13
Breeding livestock purchased or leased ..... farms	3,855	20	362	627	1,148	1,046	652
$1,000	32,480	42	2,857	4,047	10,981	8,742	5,811
Other livestock and poultry purchased or leased (see text) ..... farms	3,081	19	306	538	902	830	486
$1,000	95,931	95	3,614	15,575	26,087	36,798	13,762
Feed purchased ..... farms	17,221	77	1,227	2,466	4,902	5,075	3,474
$1,000	427,527	680	31,509	79,880	133,166	118,783	63,508
Farms with expenses of-							
$1 to $4,999	11,564	51	879	1,661	3,287	3,384	2,302
$5,000 to $24,999	4,536	25	281	616	1,305	1,378	931
$25,000 to $99,999	639	-	42	107	158	166	166
$100,000 to $249,999	114	-	4	12	27	37	34
$250,000 or more	368	1	21	70	125	110	41
Gasoline, fuels, and oils purchased ..... farms	22,560	87	1,403	2,934	6,005	6,636	5,495
$1,000	56,707	405	3,246	7,351	15,223	19,036	11,445
Farms with expenses of-							
$1 to $4,999	20,660	78	1,306	2,630	5,443	6,083	5,120
$5,000 to $24,999	1,614	4	83	266	479	456	326
$25,000 to $49,999	167	3	6	26	51	58	23
$50,000 or more	119	2	8	12	32	39	26
Utilities ..... farms	12,074	34	731	1,415	3,305	3,696	2,893
$1,000	25,670	83	1,762	3,628	7,102	8,318	4,777
Farms with expenses of-							
$1 to $999	7,488	25	469	837	1,985	2,298	1,874
$1,000 to $4,999	3,763	-	208	453	1,096	1,142	864
$5,000 to $24,999	638	9	41	101	155	205	127
$25,000 to $49,999	139	-	7	17	58	37	20
$50,000 or more	46	-	6	7	11	14	8
Supplies, repairs, and maintenance costs ..... farms	17,934	59	1,068	2,226	4,844	5,369	4,368
$1,000	51,873	261	3,057	7,635	13,720	16,153	11,047
Farms with expenses of-							
$1 to $4,999	16,022	49	959	1,973	4,302	4,799	3,940
$5,000 to $24,999	1,654	8	92	219	474	487	374
$25,000 to $49,999	161	2	12	19	43	61	24
$50,000 or more	97	-	5	15	25	22	30
Hired farm labor ..... farms	4,145	9	194	474	1,089	1,289	1,090
$1,000	42,854	144	2,343	7,876	9,003	13,714	9,775
Farms with expenses of-							
$1 to $4,999	2,880	4	126	337	762	896	755
$5,000 to $24,999	851	-	35	81	244	269	222
$25,000 to $99,999	365	5	31	48	71	108	102
$100,000 to $249,999	35	-	-	5	11	11	8
$250,000 or more	14	-	2	3	1	5	3
Contract labor ..... farms	1,811	5	96	214	487	530	479
$1,000	9,619	7	583	1,300	2,476	2,761	2,492
Farms with expenses of-							
$1 to $999	552	3	31	59	174	159	126
$1,000 to $4,999	757	2	32	104	195	221	203
$5,000 to $24,999	427	-	31	41	97	130	128
$25,000 to $49,999	49	-	-	4	14	11	20
$50,000 or more	26	-	2	6	7	9	2
Customwork and custom hauling ..... farms	2,953	9	145	357	848	896	698
$1,000	15,147	144	624	1,854	4,093	5,625	2,805
Farms with expenses of-							
$1 to $999	1,322	3	64	137	393	409	316
$1,000 to $4,999	1,019	-	49	121	278	283	288
$5,000 to $24,999	514	3	29	87	152	166	77
$25,000 to $49,999	54	3	2	10	16	16	7
$50,000 or more	44	-	1	2	9	22	10
Cash rent for land, buildings, and grazing fees ..... farms	4,458	38	440	820	1,331	1,171	658
$1,000	24,388	477	1,561	5,367	6,965	6,529	3,489
Farms with expenses of-							
$1 to $4,999	3,740	31	387	685	1,100	990	547
$5,000 to $9,999	336	-	26	57	120	78	55
$10,000 to $24,999	213	1	19	44	66	55	28
$25,000 or more	169	6	8	34	45	48	28

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		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES - Con.								
Total farm production expenses [1] - Con.								
Rent and lease expenses for machinery, equipment, and farm share of vehicles ..... farms	2,565	1,722	5	106	264	339	507	501
$1,000	83,442	77,642	93	4,028	12,912	23,720	23,134	13,755
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $999	818	404	1	6	38	51	136	172
$1,000 to $4,999	658	391	-	21	51	68	114	137
$5,000 to $24,999	539	414	3	37	68	89	120	97
$25,000 to $49,999	201	184	-	23	37	45	43	36
$50,000 or more	349	329	1	19	70	86	94	59
Interest expense ..... farms	17,809	9,326	26	491	1,041	1,918	2,793	3,057
$1,000	245,943	182,071	251	9,771	26,300	46,702	55,820	43,227
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $4,999	8,478	3,653	12	192	260	551	1,081	1,557
$5,000 to $24,999	6,838	3,577	11	181	444	780	1,101	1,060
$25,000 to $99,999	2,196	1,829	3	103	299	511	533	380
$100,000 or more	297	267	-	15	38	76	78	60
Secured by real estate ..... farms	13,297	6,510	11	280	714	1,400	1,976	2,129
$1,000	162,544	111,622	148	5,335	15,294	29,453	33,185	28,208
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $999	1,524	620	-	15	48	75	185	297
$1,000 to $4,999	4,673	1,885	1	102	160	329	575	718
$5,000 to $24,999	5,520	2,734	9	99	323	622	851	830
$25,000 to $49,999	939	746	1	38	98	225	223	161
$50,000 or more	641	525	-	26	85	149	142	123
Not secured by real estate ..... farms	10,390	5,973	22	341	696	1,211	1,783	1,920
$1,000	83,399	70,449	103	4,436	11,007	17,249	22,635	15,020
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $999	3,177	1,414	11	74	106	192	396	635
$1,000 to $4,999	4,285	2,167	6	115	188	441	660	757
$5,000 to $24,999	2,071	1,583	3	106	266	362	477	369
$25,000 to $49,999	528	493	2	36	79	127	154	95
$50,000 or more	329	316	-	10	57	89	96	64
Property taxes paid ..... farms	43,088	20,233	62	774	1,676	3,288	5,283	9,150
$1,000	86,682	58,909	67	2,061	6,420	11,853	17,145	21,363
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $4,999	39,844	17,634	58	681	1,320	2,693	4,482	8,400
$5,000 to $9,999	1,936	1,492	4	41	208	343	458	438
$10,000 to $24,999	1,025	852	-	43	125	191	261	232
$25,000 or more	283	255	-	9	23	61	82	80
All other production expenses (see text) ..... farms	25,082	14,158	52	586	1,388	2,569	3,874	5,689
$1,000	286,334	244,108	311	12,844	34,661	72,121	70,346	53,826
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $4,999	18,337	8,623	33	275	582	1,198	2,228	4,307
$5,000 to $24,999	4,236	3,259	17	188	450	754	951	899
$25,000 to $49,999	1,182	1,050	2	65	156	271	323	233
$50,000 to $99,999	787	726	-	35	121	185	230	155
$100,000 or more	540	500	-	23	79	161	142	95
Production expenses paid by landlords [1] ..... farms	1,523	1,235	6	79	202	277	361	310
$1,000	59,535	58,263	20	5,518	10,402	15,245	16,681	10,397
Depreciation expenses claimed ..... farms	22,009	12,690	40	537	1,269	2,334	3,551	4,959
$1,000	492,983	404,202	745	21,343	57,484	108,688	120,079	95,864
NET CASH FARM INCOME (SEE TEXT)								
Net cash farm income of operations ..... farms	45,071	21,315	101	936	1,859	3,511	5,499	9,409
$1,000	2,544,441	2,435,070	6,539	120,972	442,010	672,591	728,148	464,810
Average per farm ..... dollars	56,454	114,242	64,747	129,243	237,768	191,567	132,415	49,401
Farms with net gains [2] ..... number	19,608	11,508	71	561	1,140	2,003	2,950	4,783
Average net gain ..... dollars	156,003	239,217	95,049	240,680	413,065	373,789	276,672	120,294
Gain of-								
Less than $1,000	1,732	595	6	8	32	56	134	359
$1,000 to $4,999	4,318	1,716	18	79	73	171	381	994
$5,000 to $9,999	2,595	1,168	2	23	49	129	250	715
$10,000 to $24,999	3,046	1,620	11	69	94	192	380	874
$25,000 to $49,999	1,667	1,077	10	35	94	141	249	548
$50,000 or more	6,250	5,332	24	347	798	1,314	1,556	1,293
Farms with net losses ..... number	25,463	9,807	30	375	719	1,508	2,549	4,626
Average net loss ..... dollars	20,204	32,410	6,968	37,466	40,173	50,470	34,537	23,899
Loss of-								
Less than $1,000	2,189	719	-	16	32	80	181	410
$1,000 to $4,999	7,804	2,633	15	77	161	324	642	1,414
$5,000 to $9,999	5,850	2,182	10	92	161	341	514	1,064
$10,000 to $24,999	5,992	2,347	4	107	172	372	672	1,020
$25,000 to $49,999	2,204	962	1	33	84	175	273	396
$50,000 or more	1,424	964	-	50	109	216	267	322
Net cash farm income of operators ..... farms	45,071	21,315	101	936	1,859	3,511	5,499	9,409
$1,000	1,656,731	1,630,525	4,383	74,882	301,191	453,804	479,446	316,819
Average per farm ..... dollars	36,758	76,497	43,396	80,002	162,018	129,252	87,188	33,672
Operators reporting net gains [2] ..... farms	19,286	11,263	72	538	1,089	1,990	2,852	4,722
Average net gain ..... dollars	112,702	173,329	63,971	166,222	309,824	260,488	200,068	91,445

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Table 69. **Summary by Age and Primary Occupation of Principal Operator: 2012** (continued)

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text.]

Item		Other occupations						
		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES - Con.								
Total farm production expenses [1] - Con.								
Rent and lease expenses for machinery, equipment, and farm share of vehicles	farms	843	3	57	139	238	245	161
	$1,000	5,800	111	260	1,487	1,212	1,971	759
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $999		414	1	25	71	124	130	63
$1,000 to $4,999		267	-	20	39	80	72	56
$5,000 to $24,999		125	-	10	20	23	36	36
$25,000 to $49,999		17	-	2	6	5	1	3
$50,000 or more		20	2	-	3	6	6	3
Interest expense	farms	8,483	27	564	1,256	2,414	2,412	1,810
	$1,000	63,872	139	3,776	9,497	18,880	17,791	13,789
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $4,999		4,825	20	326	665	1,346	1,408	1,060
$5,000 to $24,999		3,261	7	217	533	949	895	660
$25,000 to $99,999		367	-	20	54	109	101	83
$100,000 or more		30	-	1	4	10	8	7
Secured by real estate	farms	6,787	21	422	1,046	1,953	1,968	1,377
	$1,000	50,922	52	3,049	7,651	15,309	14,046	10,816
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $999		904	10	64	134	222	264	210
$1,000 to $4,999		2,788	8	162	412	819	850	537
$5,000 to $24,999		2,786	3	178	461	814	770	560
$25,000 to $49,999		193	-	11	21	63	58	40
$50,000 or more		116	-	7	18	35	26	30
Not secured by real estate	farms	4,417	11	306	623	1,302	1,204	971
	$1,000	12,950	87	728	1,847	3,571	3,744	2,973
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $999		1,763	3	128	252	511	498	371
$1,000 to $4,999		2,118	4	150	294	631	558	481
$5,000 to $24,999		488	4	25	66	153	134	106
$25,000 to $49,999		35	-	2	9	3	10	11
$50,000 or more		13	-	1	2	4	4	2
Property taxes paid	farms	22,855	65	1,285	2,952	6,088	6,743	5,722
	$1,000	27,773	53	1,400	3,366	7,063	8,415	7,476
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $4,999		22,210	62	1,258	2,881	5,935	6,550	5,524
$5,000 to $9,999		444	3	21	54	108	128	130
$10,000 to $24,999		173	-	4	12	42	58	57
$25,000 or more		28	-	2	5	3	7	11
All other production expenses (see text)	farms	10,924	43	633	1,430	3,030	3,376	2,412
	$1,000	42,226	132	2,109	10,635	10,144	11,437	7,769
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $4,999		9,714	35	573	1,269	2,641	3,033	2,163
$5,000 to $24,999		977	8	52	123	316	280	198
$25,000 to $49,999		132	-	5	14	47	37	29
$50,000 to $99,999		61	-	1	11	18	16	15
$100,000 or more		40	-	2	13	8	10	7
Production expenses paid by landlords [1]	farms	288	2	31	56	79	76	44
	$1,000	1,272	(D)	220	(D)	436	288	183
Depreciation expenses claimed	farms	9,319	26	428	1,214	2,560	2,893	2,198
	$1,000	88,780	330	4,929	13,787	24,943	27,584	17,209
NET CASH FARM INCOME (SEE TEXT)								
Net cash farm income of operations	farms	23,756	91	1,465	3,099	6,275	6,935	5,891
	$1,000	109,371	370	10,599	29,311	16,750	37,261	15,080
Average per farm	dollars	4,604	4,070	7,235	9,458	2,669	5,373	2,560
Farms with net gains [2]	number	8,100	30	464	936	1,986	2,405	2,279
Average net gain	dollars	37,777	24,265	47,295	58,234	36,398	39,043	27,482
Gain of-								
Less than $1,000		1,137	-	67	119	275	339	337
$1,000 to $4,999		2,602	8	153	293	636	774	738
$5,000 to $9,999		1,427	6	95	153	308	446	419
$10,000 to $24,999		1,426	7	73	161	371	389	425
$25,000 to $49,999		590	2	25	69	152	168	174
$50,000 or more		918	7	51	141	244	289	186
Farms with net losses	number	15,656	61	1,001	2,163	4,289	4,530	3,612
Average net loss	dollars	12,559	5,862	11,335	11,649	12,949	12,503	13,165
Loss of-								
Less than $1,000		1,470	8	116	162	351	410	423
$1,000 to $4,999		5,171	32	291	726	1,430	1,525	1,167
$5,000 to $9,999		3,668	11	243	570	1,035	1,039	770
$10,000 to $24,999		3,645	6	259	460	1,004	1,095	821
$25,000 to $49,999		1,242	4	71	206	337	321	303
$50,000 or more		460	-	21	39	132	140	128
Net cash farm income of operators	farms	23,756	91	1,465	3,099	6,275	6,935	5,891
	$1,000	26,206	54	7,209	14,266	-6,328	11,051	-46
Average per farm	dollars	1,103	594	4,921	4,603	-1,008	1,593	-8
Operators reporting net gains [2]	farms	8,023	28	458	922	1,965	2,388	2,262
Average net gain	dollars	27,591	19,845	40,606	43,228	23,773	28,377	21,165

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Table 69. **Summary by Age and Primary Occupation of Principal Operator: 2012** (continued)

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text.]

Item	Total farming and other occupations	Farming						
		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
NET CASH FARM INCOME (SEE TEXT) - Con.								
Net cash farm income of operators - Con.								
Operators reporting net gains [2] - Con.								
Gain of-								
Less than $1,000	1,743	606	8	9	35	57	140	357
$1,000 to $4,999	4,350	1,745	20	72	78	186	384	1,005
$5,000 to $9,999	2,630	1,191	2	24	56	143	247	719
$10,000 to $24,999	3,212	1,776	14	95	106	232	428	901
$25,000 to $49,999	2,010	1,367	10	49	118	236	344	610
$50,000 or more	5,341	4,578	18	289	696	1,136	1,309	1,130
Operators reporting net losses ... farms	25,785	10,052	29	398	770	1,521	2,647	4,687
Average net loss ... dollars	20,044	32,001	7,685	36,547	47,023	42,450	34,434	24,533
Loss of-								
Less than $1,000	2,198	715	-	14	33	76	186	406
$1,000 to $4,999	7,850	2,663	15	85	169	329	646	1,419
$5,000 to $9,999	5,872	2,201	9	92	164	350	517	1,069
$10,000 to $24,999	6,043	2,391	4	113	174	363	702	1,035
$25,000 to $49,999	2,265	1,004	-	33	92	182	291	406
$50,000 or more	1,557	1,078	1	61	138	221	305	352
COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS (SEE TEXT)								
Total ... farms	494	458	-	39	82	96	141	100
$1,000	124,563	121,674	-	7,389	25,023	26,160	38,660	24,442
INCOME FROM FARM-RELATED SOURCES								
Total income from farm-related sources, gross before taxes and expenses (see text) ... farms	15,139	8,447	45	347	869	1,469	2,277	3,440
$1,000	206,982	153,590	527	5,686	20,763	34,871	47,173	44,569
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	1,543	1,051	4	74	141	217	287	328
$1,000	27,088	23,679	(D)	1,873	(D)	5,729	7,169	5,527
Gross cash rent or share payments ... farms	3,031	1,414	3	30	110	180	320	771
$1,000	67,196	36,489	36	592	4,008	5,792	11,901	14,160
Sales of forest products, excluding Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops, and maple products ... farms	1,445	663	-	25	35	71	205	327
$1,000	15,899	8,437	-	190	422	819	3,799	3,208
Agri-tourism and recreational services (see text) ... farms	389	215	-	-	15	50	69	81
$1,000	3,653	2,733	-	-	547	626	631	928
Patronage dividends and refunds from cooperatives ... farms	6,607	4,159	17	177	467	816	1,194	1,488
$1,000	25,024	23,022	37	754	3,234	5,955	6,452	6,590
Crop and livestock insurance payments received ... farms	1,362	1,014	9	66	144	204	287	304
$1,000	34,815	31,056	334	1,251	6,314	7,952	7,898	7,308
Amount from state and local government agricultural program payments ... farms	2,837	1,575	19	54	94	198	416	794
$1,000	2,696	2,030	(D)	(D)	(D)	502	594	722
Other farm-related income sources (see text) ... farms	1,439	800	1	21	116	169	236	257
$1,000	30,611	26,144	(D)	(D)	2,774	7,496	8,730	6,127
LAND USE								
Total cropland ... farms	29,380	15,286	64	681	1,377	2,467	4,035	6,662
acres	7,931,111	6,873,459	21,922	381,744	1,079,865	1,701,090	2,055,431	1,633,407
Harvested cropland ... farms	25,535	14,088	63	638	1,271	2,273	3,740	6,103
acres	7,316,469	6,539,680	20,959	369,773	1,029,457	1,646,770	1,975,057	1,497,664
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 49 acres	13,371	5,708	26	161	348	727	1,426	3,020
50 to 99 acres	4,667	2,543	12	86	178	358	639	1,270
100 to 199 acres	2,816	1,777	4	74	128	305	471	795
200 to 499 acres	1,687	1,241	4	110	133	189	358	447
500 to 999 acres	749	656	10	67	93	134	188	164
1,000 to 1,999 acres	1,117	1,065	5	89	201	264	324	182
2,000 acres or more	1,128	1,098	2	51	190	296	334	225
Cropland-								
Other pasture and grazing land that could have been used for crops without additional improvements (see text) ... farms	2,049	986	2	38	98	177	220	451
acres	180,875	116,362	(D)	(D)	25,354	19,300	25,712	40,248
On which all crops failed or were abandoned ... farms	1,631	822	5	36	93	134	209	345
acres	88,764	56,430	(D)	(D)	9,872	11,971	13,488	19,133
Idle or used for cover crops or soil improvement, but not harvested and not pastured or grazed (see text) ... farms	4,121	1,597	5	59	148	263	416	706
acres	312,068	137,534	251	4,333	11,315	17,251	35,543	68,841
In cultivated summer fallow ... farms	537	319	-	35	45	50	84	105
acres	32,935	23,453	-	636	3,867	5,798	5,631	7,521
Total woodland ... farms	25,132	11,428	23	347	777	1,670	3,041	5,570
acres	2,258,259	1,233,411	865	27,788	75,709	171,400	409,223	548,426
Woodland pastured ... farms	13,537	6,521	15	190	421	912	1,677	3,306
acres	742,185	442,492	535	13,023	24,722	60,540	123,908	219,764
Woodland not pastured ... farms	15,474	6,735	15	210	473	989	1,868	3,180
acres	1,516,074	790,919	330	14,765	50,987	110,860	285,315	328,662

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Item	Other occupations						
	Total	Age of operator (years)					
		Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
NET CASH FARM INCOME (SEE TEXT) - Con.							
Net cash farm income of operators - Con.							
Operators reporting net gains [2] - Con.							
Gain of-							
Less than $1,000	1,137	-	73	119	272	341	332
$1,000 to $4,999	2,605	8	140	289	637	789	742
$5,000 to $9,999	1,439	6	94	151	314	449	425
$10,000 to $24,999	1,436	7	75	174	368	384	428
$25,000 to $49,999	643	-	32	69	188	181	173
$50,000 or more	763	7	44	120	186	244	162
Operators reporting net losses ... farms	15,733	63	1,007	2,177	4,310	4,547	3,629
Average net loss ... dollars	12,404	7,962	11,309	11,755	12,307	12,473	13,205
Loss of-							
Less than $1,000	1,483	8	121	166	358	406	424
$1,000 to $4,999	5,187	32	296	726	1,431	1,531	1,171
$5,000 to $9,999	3,671	11	242	572	1,040	1,037	769
$10,000 to $24,999	3,652	6	258	461	1,005	1,101	821
$25,000 to $49,999	1,261	4	69	202	347	327	312
$50,000 or more	479	2	21	50	129	145	132
COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS (SEE TEXT)							
Total ... farms	36	2	-	6	10	15	3
$1,000	2,889	(D)	-	(D)	795	1,360	380
INCOME FROM FARM-RELATED SOURCES							
Total income from farm-related sources, gross before taxes and expenses (see text) ... farms	6,692	17	397	907	1,710	1,942	1,719
$1,000	53,392	28	1,614	5,063	10,170	18,760	17,758
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	492	4	49	76	140	131	92
$1,000	3,409	20	295	480	877	996	743
Gross cash rent or share payments ... farms	1,617	1	41	132	294	493	656
$1,000	30,707	(D)	(D)	2,360	4,633	12,118	11,336
Sales of forest products, excluding Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops, and maple products ... farms	782	2	42	94	196	233	215
$1,000	7,462	(D)	(D)	614	1,596	2,191	2,801
Agri-tourism and recreational services (see text) ... farms	174	-	-	23	48	55	48
$1,000	921	-	-	75	337	281	227
Patronage dividends and refunds from cooperatives ... farms	2,448	7	172	374	661	719	515
$1,000	2,002	1	90	332	539	663	377
Crop and livestock insurance payments received ... farms	348	-	29	58	93	96	72
$1,000	3,759	-	216	527	1,126	1,260	631
Amount from state and local government agricultural program payments ... farms	1,262	5	101	210	385	363	198
$1,000	666	(D)	(D)	111	199	179	137
Other farm-related income sources (see text) ... farms	639	1	50	89	161	168	170
$1,000	4,467	(D)	(D)	564	863	1,071	1,506
LAND USE							
Total cropland ... farms	14,094	47	748	1,665	3,658	4,164	3,812
acres	1,057,652	5,085	47,889	129,737	275,630	325,175	274,136
Harvested cropland ... farms	11,447	40	658	1,426	3,128	3,444	2,751
acres	776,789	4,784	40,067	106,401	211,062	250,251	164,224
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 49 acres	7,663	26	442	933	2,071	2,289	1,902
50 to 99 acres	2,124	1	116	247	590	657	513
100 to 199 acres	1,039	2	64	154	294	307	218
200 to 499 acres	446	11	27	71	123	133	81
500 to 999 acres	93	-	6	9	29	30	19
1,000 to 1,999 acres	52	-	3	8	14	15	12
2,000 acres or more	30	-	-	4	7	13	6
Cropland-							
Other pasture and grazing land that could have been used for crops without additional improvements (see text) ... farms	1,063	7	93	129	296	302	236
acres	64,513	165	4,763	5,106	16,845	17,995	19,639
On which all crops failed or were abandoned ... farms	809	3	42	102	210	271	181
acres	32,334	30	1,053	5,235	7,492	10,129	8,395
Idle or used for cover crops or soil improvement, but not harvested and not pastured or grazed (see text) ... farms	2,524	5	45	189	519	697	1,069
acres	174,534	106	1,872	12,321	38,458	43,735	78,042
In cultivated summer fallow ... farms	218	-	10	20	57	62	69
acres	9,482	-	134	674	1,773	3,065	3,836
Total woodland ... farms	13,704	45	763	1,712	3,592	4,230	3,362
acres	1,024,848	1,878	35,518	90,431	240,072	349,412	307,537
Woodland pastured ... farms	7,016	31	439	863	1,937	2,178	1,568
acres	299,693	466	13,224	29,303	78,740	96,320	81,640
Woodland not pastured ... farms	8,739	26	447	1,065	2,203	2,770	2,228
acres	725,155	1,412	22,294	61,128	161,332	253,092	225,897

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Item	Total farming and other occupations	Farming						
		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
LAND USE - Con.								
Permanent pasture and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pastured (see text) ... farms	30,490	14,085	63	470	1,006	2,046	3,605	6,895
acres	3,123,642	1,930,109	5,717	60,869	145,864	322,660	519,987	875,012
Land in farmsteads, homes, buildings, livestock facilities, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. ... farms	24,209	11,611	39	404	900	1,920	2,943	5,405
acres	497,774	306,587	609	8,000	21,629	65,802	78,326	132,221
Irrigated land ... farms	5,084	4,019	27	346	628	919	1,118	981
acres	4,803,902	4,621,589	13,181	290,080	801,553	1,243,274	1,373,999	899,502
Harvested cropland ... farms	4,896	3,936	27	344	621	893	1,101	950
acres	4,795,969	4,616,112	13,181	290,030	800,633	1,241,512	1,373,093	897,663
Pastureland and other land ... farms	287	159	-	3	22	46	38	50
acres	7,933	5,477	-	50	920	1,762	906	1,839
CONSERVATION AND CROP INSURANCE								
Land enrolled in Conservation Reserve, Wetlands Reserve, Farmable Wetlands, or Conservation Reserve Enhancement Programs ... farms	2,643	947	1	35	64	128	280	439
acres	238,619	90,689	(D)	(D)	7,391	14,363	25,093	41,836
Land enrolled in crop insurance programs (see text) ... farms	5,128	3,945	24	287	542	803	1,099	1,190
acres	4,758,509	4,440,229	15,049	258,474	744,371	1,152,145	1,354,553	915,637
ORGANIC AGRICULTURE								
Total organic commodity sales (see text) ... farms	32	18	-	4	3	-	8	3
$1,000	789	744	-	47	95	-	505	97
VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS								
Estimated market value of land and buildings ... farms	45,071	21,315	101	936	1,859	3,511	5,499	9,409
$1,000	36,415,777	27,595,045	71,238	1,314,353	3,763,516	6,273,998	8,337,573	7,834,366
Average per farm ... dollars	807,965	1,294,630	705,327	1,404,223	2,024,484	1,786,955	1,516,198	832,646
Average per acre ... dollars	2,637	2,668	2,447	2,747	2,845	2,775	2,722	2,457
Farms by value group:								
$1 to $49,999	2,834	886	7	65	80	160	219	355
$50,000 to $99,999	4,580	1,493	15	79	140	232	328	699
$100,000 to $199,999	9,081	3,261	18	120	210	438	793	1,682
$200,000 to $499,999	14,880	6,425	25	188	424	900	1,539	3,349
$500,000 to $999,999	6,876	3,866	13	187	290	643	993	1,740
$1,000,000 to $1,999,999	3,107	2,140	11	108	205	374	622	820
$2,000,000 to $4,999,999	2,192	1,812	12	115	280	387	556	462
$5,000,000 to $9,999,999	1,099	1,035	-	66	164	266	325	214
$10,000,000 or more	422	397	-	8	66	111	124	88
VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT								
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ... farms	45,070	21,314	101	936	1,859	3,511	5,498	9,409
$1,000	5,202,799	4,007,492	9,339	231,075	538,813	982,990	1,185,467	1,059,809
Farms by value group:								
$1 to $4,999	3,038	925	9	36	57	162	196	465
$5,000 to $9,999	3,288	1,085	13	46	83	155	215	573
$10,000 to $19,999	6,432	2,373	5	75	145	334	556	1,258
$20,000 to $49,999	13,480	5,476	36	157	383	773	1,314	2,813
$50,000 to $99,999	8,893	4,307	14	175	296	581	1,130	2,111
$100,000 to $199,999	5,033	3,060	9	166	267	549	870	1,199
$200,000 to $499,999	2,799	2,100	8	151	280	422	614	625
$500,000 or more	2,107	1,988	7	130	348	535	603	365
SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT								
Trucks, including pickups (see text) ... farms	36,430	18,865	80	794	1,658	3,117	4,983	8,233
number	73,304	45,485	152	1,863	4,662	9,078	12,626	17,104
Tractors, all ... farms	38,294	19,237	68	723	1,616	3,133	5,082	8,615
number	80,054	48,083	134	1,691	4,350	8,786	13,312	19,810
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) ... farms	14,672	6,903	21	190	449	1,045	1,791	3,407
number	17,975	8,765	25	213	558	1,347	2,232	4,390
40 to 99 horsepower (PTO) ... farms	28,333	14,433	48	459	1,085	2,255	3,839	6,747
number	43,923	24,320	58	651	1,754	3,947	6,538	11,372
100 horsepower (PTO) or more ... farms	7,618	5,346	20	335	688	1,123	1,530	1,650
number	18,156	14,998	51	827	2,038	3,492	4,542	4,048
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled ... farms	3,461	3,032	17	208	509	688	911	699
number	4,544	4,059	26	253	670	928	1,244	938
Cotton pickers and strippers, self-propelled ... farms	625	591	2	44	94	135	175	141
number	860	818	(D)	47	126	191	235	(D)
Forage harvesters, self-propelled ... farms	279	151	-	20	24	23	36	48
number	331	175	-	22	26	28	43	56
Hay balers ... farms	13,564	7,452	15	199	479	1,064	1,980	3,715
number	16,085	8,914	16	236	596	1,310	2,384	4,372

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Table 69. **Summary by Age and Primary Occupation of Principal Operator: 2012** (continued)

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text.]

Item	Other occupations						
	Total	Age of operator (years)					
		Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
LAND USE - Con.							
Permanent pasture and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pastured (see text) ... farms	16,405	62	1,063	2,284	4,581	4,851	3,564
acres	1,193,533	2,942	63,763	157,254	319,633	363,926	286,015
Land in farmsteads, homes, buildings, livestock facilities, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. ... farms	12,598	43	740	1,649	3,252	3,899	3,015
acres	191,187	199	6,861	19,150	44,344	65,761	54,872
Irrigated land ... farms	1,065	5	99	145	302	340	174
acres	182,313	1,062	10,063	32,319	44,337	68,648	25,884
Harvested cropland ... farms	960	5	89	126	263	316	161
acres	179,857	1,062	9,771	32,031	43,509	68,169	25,315
Pastureland and other land ... farms	128	-	18	21	45	29	15
acres	2,456	-	292	288	828	479	569
CONSERVATION AND CROP INSURANCE							
Land enrolled in Conservation Reserve, Wetlands Reserve, Farmable Wetlands, or Conservation Reserve Enhancement Programs ... farms	1,696	2	32	124	312	458	768
acres	147,930	(D)	(D)	12,685	29,681	39,417	64,202
Land enrolled in crop insurance programs (see text) ... farms	1,183	10	89	139	356	353	236
acres	318,280	3,637	14,871	42,286	87,679	113,348	56,459
ORGANIC AGRICULTURE							
Total organic commodity sales (see text) ... farms	14	-	3	2	2	6	1
$1,000	45	-	6	(D)	(D)	12	(D)
VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS							
Estimated market value of land and buildings ... farms	23,756	91	1,465	3,099	6,275	6,935	5,891
$1,000	8,820,732	28,525	429,287	1,069,805	2,255,118	2,774,354	2,263,643
Average per farm ... dollars	371,305	313,460	293,029	345,210	359,381	400,051	384,255
Average per acre ... dollars	2,544	2,823	2,787	2,698	2,564	2,512	2,454
Farms by value group:							
$1 to $49,999 ...	1,948	9	163	294	482	509	491
$50,000 to $99,999 ...	3,087	18	227	423	777	895	747
$100,000 to $199,999 ...	5,820	28	393	735	1,606	1,631	1,427
$200,000 to $499,999 ...	8,455	24	513	1,124	2,258	2,483	2,053
$500,000 to $999,999 ...	3,010	-	135	357	760	978	780
$1,000,000 to $1,999,999 ...	967	12	15	113	277	296	254
$2,000,000 to $4,999,999 ...	380	-	13	48	98	106	115
$5,000,000 to $9,999,999 ...	64	-	5	3	14	25	17
$10,000,000 or more ...	25	-	1	2	3	12	7
VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT							
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ... farms	23,756	91	1,465	3,099	6,275	6,935	5,891
$1,000	1,195,306	8,262	71,892	166,336	316,133	379,151	253,533
Farms by value group:							
$1 to $4,999 ...	2,113	10	91	239	475	592	706
$5,000 to $9,999 ...	2,203	12	107	289	509	610	676
$10,000 to $19,999 ...	4,059	9	251	485	1,084	1,142	1,088
$20,000 to $49,999 ...	8,004	22	528	1,028	2,110	2,377	1,939
$50,000 to $99,999 ...	4,586	24	326	642	1,314	1,353	927
$100,000 to $199,999 ...	1,973	9	111	307	557	604	385
$200,000 to $499,999 ...	699	3	48	91	195	217	145
$500,000 or more ...	119	2	3	18	31	40	25
SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT							
Trucks, including pickups (see text) ... farms	17,565	70	1,192	2,375	4,912	5,116	3,900
number	27,819	106	1,913	3,751	7,909	8,331	5,809
Tractors, all ... farms	19,057	67	1,121	2,400	5,204	5,725	4,540
number	31,971	127	1,726	3,787	8,546	10,021	7,764
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) ... farms	7,769	25	408	869	2,051	2,351	2,065
number	9,210	34	471	959	2,380	2,867	2,499
40 to 99 horsepower (PTO) ... farms	13,900	45	783	1,771	3,838	4,283	3,180
number	19,603	66	1,041	2,422	5,319	6,197	4,558
100 horsepower (PTO) or more ... farms	2,272	11	174	296	615	664	512
number	3,158	27	214	406	847	957	707
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled ... farms	429	8	23	45	126	142	85
number	485	8	23	49	146	167	92
Cotton pickers and strippers, self-propelled ... farms	34	2	5	-	9	9	9
number	42	(D)	5	-	(D)	12	12
Forage harvesters, self-propelled ... farms	128	-	16	28	27	38	19
number	156	-	24	39	30	42	21
Hay balers ... farms	6,112	18	388	807	1,703	1,885	1,311
number	7,171	18	440	960	1,993	2,272	1,488

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Table 69. **Summary by Age and Primary Occupation of Principal Operator: 2012** (continued)

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text.]

Item	Total farming and other occupations	Farming						
		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
FERTILIZERS AND CHEMICALS								
Commercial fertilizer, lime, and soil conditioners used ... farms	15,557	9,273	41	472	933	1,537	2,511	3,779
acres treated	5,505,592	4,962,151	16,907	308,251	791,980	1,273,228	1,450,687	1,121,098
Manure used ... farms	6,237	3,695	9	186	332	627	1,023	1,518
acres treated	730,365	542,055	710	27,147	65,471	128,587	158,051	162,089
Acres treated to control-								
Insects ... farms	7,398	5,249	25	354	716	1,075	1,456	1,623
acres	3,674,791	3,457,131	11,626	238,097	578,838	928,084	1,018,713	681,773
Weeds, grass, or brush ... farms	14,384	8,964	42	502	1,016	1,603	2,511	3,290
acres	6,186,811	5,660,296	19,613	338,140	901,271	1,426,542	1,744,618	1,230,112
Nematodes ... farms	653	542	1	55	101	124	126	135
acres	415,881	392,421	(D)	(D)	94,432	104,334	95,159	64,268
Diseases in crops and orchards ... farms	2,377	1,974	3	206	313	473	551	428
acres	1,752,635	1,673,930	1,680	150,016	265,575	484,838	482,875	288,946
Chemicals used to control growth, thin fruit, ripen, or defoliate ... farms	963	837	2	83	143	199	233	177
acres on which used	676,603	656,750	(D)	(D)	113,680	173,216	205,293	125,461
LAND USE PRACTICES								
Land drained by tile ... farms	863	593	7	80	88	133	149	136
acres	386,308	366,542	1,720	50,053	85,938	100,059	85,448	43,324
Land artificially drained by ditches ... farms	4,750	3,067	28	247	400	586	862	944
acres	3,025,901	2,815,051	9,407	196,390	431,260	716,464	907,427	554,103
Land under conservation easement ... farms	612	267	-	5	21	53	78	110
acres	119,551	77,136	-	915	4,558	27,354	16,932	27,377
Cropland on which no-till practices were used ... farms	2,474	1,843	6	156	311	374	478	518
acres	981,157	933,790	2,851	60,886	181,183	239,919	257,876	191,075
Cropland on which conservation tillage, including no till, practices were used ... farms	1,790	1,544	7	114	259	327	460	377
acres	1,590,692	1,535,396	3,036	82,092	279,481	394,506	487,662	288,619
Cropland on which conventional tillage practices were used ... farms	4,981	3,630	28	294	511	806	995	996
acres	3,547,939	3,352,474	13,506	201,942	510,148	900,214	1,027,721	698,943
Cropland planted to a cover crop (excluding CRP) ... farms	991	612	-	31	75	101	168	237
acres	136,859	122,711	-	12,185	22,073	32,037	36,260	20,156
ENERGY								
Renewable energy producing systems ... farms	372	198	-	14	28	44	46	66
Solar panels ... farms	200	96	-	3	14	21	21	37
Wind turbines ... farms	15	7	-	-	-	2	1	4
Methane digesters ... farms	7	6	-	-	-	-	2	4
Geoexchange systems ... farms	62	20	-	-	-	2	6	12
Small hydro systems ... farms	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Biodiesel ... farms	79	67	-	11	13	17	15	11
Ethanol ... farms	23	17	-	-	4	4	5	4
Other ... farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wind rights leased to others ... farms	20	16	-	3	3	2	-	8
TENURE								
Full owners ... farms	30,753	13,044	36	341	858	1,871	3,232	6,706
Part owners ... farms	11,259	6,353	10	294	652	1,205	1,860	2,332
Tenants ... farms	3,059	1,918	55	301	349	435	407	371
OWNED AND RENTED LAND								
Land owned ... farms	42,137	19,484	46	638	1,518	3,092	5,115	9,075
acres	8,132,436	5,174,474	5,565	116,615	409,551	831,693	1,536,172	2,274,878
Owned land in farms ... farms	42,012	19,397	46	635	1,510	3,076	5,092	9,038
acres	7,311,338	4,738,833	5,160	108,561	363,927	775,264	1,401,806	2,084,115
Land rented or leased from others ... farms	14,364	8,293	65	595	1,004	1,642	2,273	2,714
acres	6,536,400	5,628,333	23,953	369,840	963,050	1,488,028	1,672,873	1,110,589
Rented or leased land in farms ... farms	14,318	8,271	65	595	1,001	1,640	2,267	2,703
acres	6,499,448	5,604,733	23,953	369,840	959,140	1,485,688	1,661,161	1,104,951
Land rented or leased to others ... farms	3,047	1,432	3	44	114	177	331	763
acres	858,050	459,241	405	8,054	49,534	58,769	146,078	196,401
NUMBER OF OPERATORS								
Total operators ... number	69,704	33,071	155	1,487	3,005	5,758	8,757	13,909
Farms by number of operators:								
1 operator ...	24,077	11,473	62	469	920	1,719	2,746	5,557
2 operators ...	18,319	8,464	28	412	807	1,472	2,385	3,360
3 operators ...	2,048	1,034	7	35	90	249	267	386
4 operators ...	440	237	4	13	27	36	78	79
5 or more operators ...	187	107	-	7	15	35	23	27
Total women operators ... number	22,637	10,239	38	461	950	1,846	2,824	4,120
Farms by number of women operators:								
1 operator ...	20,557	9,241	14	413	851	1,641	2,556	3,766
2 operators ...	860	418	6	21	41	86	116	148
3 operators ...	102	51	4	2	4	11	12	18
4 operators ...	11	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
5 or more operators ...	2	1	-	-	1	-	-	-

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Table 69. **Summary by Age and Primary Occupation of Principal Operator: 2012** (continued)

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text.]

Item	Other occupations						
	Total	Age of operator (years)					
		Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
FERTILIZERS AND CHEMICALS							
Commercial fertilizer, lime, and soil conditioners used ... farms	6,284	21	449	861	1,787	1,961	1,205
acres treated	543,441	1,723	30,844	78,252	141,210	182,149	109,263
Manure used ... farms	2,542	16	199	383	793	757	394
acres treated	188,310	624	13,441	29,492	59,073	52,445	33,235
Acres treated to control-							
Insects ... farms	2,149	8	155	280	657	670	379
acres	217,660	1,965	14,809	37,545	55,283	70,343	37,715
Weeds, grass, or brush ... farms	5,420	25	415	771	1,636	1,686	887
acres	526,515	4,433	32,155	78,470	153,147	171,118	87,192
Nematodes ... farms	111	-	14	11	19	43	24
acres	23,460	-	4,773	(D)	3,824	4,814	(D)
Diseases in crops and orchards ... farms	403	6	29	47	132	114	75
acres	78,705	2,337	5,212	19,243	15,079	24,072	12,762
Chemicals used to control growth, thin fruit, ripen, or defoliate ... farms	126	2	7	11	37	36	33
acres on which used	19,853	(D)	(D)	942	3,453	6,871	6,149
LAND USE PRACTICES							
Land drained by tile ... farms	270	-	19	38	71	83	59
acres	19,766	-	295	2,967	6,730	5,607	4,167
Land artificially drained by ditches ... farms	1,683	17	113	204	417	523	409
acres	210,850	2,551	17,691	36,400	56,913	53,913	43,382
Land under conservation easement ... farms	345	-	9	44	83	111	98
acres	42,415	-	1,299	6,574	8,783	10,492	15,267
Cropland on which no-till practices were used ... farms	631	5	27	83	185	190	141
acres	47,367	558	1,598	6,222	11,870	15,943	11,176
Cropland on which conservation tillage, including no till, practices were used ... farms	246	8	26	30	72	52	58
acres	55,296	2,787	7,758	9,786	13,995	8,879	12,091
Cropland on which conventional tillage practices were used ... farms	1,351	3	96	164	386	411	291
acres	195,465	42	4,529	26,911	50,025	81,417	32,541
Cropland planted to a cover crop (excluding CRP) ... farms	379	-	21	40	114	128	76
acres	14,148	-	363	2,169	2,500	5,122	3,994
ENERGY							
Renewable energy producing systems ... farms	174	-	9	22	57	58	28
Solar panels ... farms	104	-	5	14	36	38	11
Wind turbines ... farms	8	-	-	-	4	3	1
Methane digesters ... farms	1	-	-	-	-	1	-
Geoexchange systems ... farms	42	-	-	4	13	14	11
Small hydro systems ... farms	5	-	-	-	-	5	-
Biodiesel ... farms	12	-	-	3	7	2	-
Ethanol ... farms	6	-	-	2	2	2	-
Other ... farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wind rights leased to others ... farms	4	-	-	1	2	-	1
TENURE							
Full owners ... farms	17,709	30	817	2,005	4,446	5,355	5,056
Part owners ... farms	4,906	24	398	876	1,538	1,369	701
Tenants ... farms	1,141	37	250	218	291	211	134
OWNED AND RENTED LAND							
Land owned ... farms	22,653	54	1,215	2,888	5,993	6,738	5,765
acres	2,957,962	2,238	91,694	265,911	673,635	993,436	931,048
Owned land in farms ... farms	22,615	54	1,215	2,881	5,984	6,724	5,757
acres	2,572,505	2,214	79,504	238,566	603,293	867,273	781,655
Land rented or leased from others ... farms	6,071	61	653	1,094	1,835	1,586	842
acres	908,067	7,890	74,907	158,045	278,546	240,008	148,671
Rented or leased land in farms ... farms	6,047	61	648	1,094	1,829	1,580	835
acres	894,715	7,890	74,527	158,006	276,386	237,001	140,905
Land rented or leased to others ... farms	1,615	1	44	116	294	511	649
acres	398,809	(D)	(D)	27,384	72,502	129,170	157,159
NUMBER OF OPERATORS							
Total operators ... number	36,633	151	2,416	5,014	9,958	10,731	8,363
Farms by number of operators:							
1 operator ...	12,604	46	598	1,417	3,132	3,622	3,789
2 operators ...	9,855	32	796	1,517	2,730	2,967	1,813
3 operators ...	1,014	11	59	120	324	265	235
4 operators ...	203	2	11	32	64	54	40
5 or more operators ...	80	-	1	13	25	27	14
Total women operators ... number	12,398	43	852	1,720	3,460	3,627	2,696
Farms by number of women operators:							
1 operator ...	11,316	39	778	1,604	3,105	3,365	2,425
2 operators ...	442	2	33	45	142	101	119
3 operators ...	51	-	-	6	18	16	11
4 operators ...	10	-	2	2	3	3	-
5 or more operators ...	1	-	-	-	1	-	-

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Table 69. **Summary by Age and Primary Occupation of Principal Operator: 2012** (continued)

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text.]

Item	Total farming and other occupations	Farming						
		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
PRINCIPAL OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS								
Sex of operator:								
Male	39,586	18,908	90	843	1,652	3,045	4,857	8,421
Female	5,485	2,407	11	93	207	466	642	988
Primary occupation:								
Farming	21,315	21,315	101	936	1,859	3,511	5,499	9,409
Other	23,756	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Place of residence:								
On farm operated	35,537	17,265	56	577	1,297	2,740	4,504	8,091
Not on farm operated	9,534	4,050	45	359	562	771	995	1,318
Days worked off farm:								
None	18,308	14,460	41	369	986	1,913	3,586	7,565
Any	26,763	6,855	60	567	873	1,598	1,913	1,844
1 to 49 days	2,492	1,340	14	87	125	268	382	464
50 to 99 days	1,766	858	11	64	92	176	261	254
100 to 199 days	3,648	1,247	9	93	165	282	361	337
200 days or more	18,857	3,410	26	323	491	872	909	789
Years on present farm:								
2 years or less	1,550	543	37	135	101	83	92	95
3 or 4 years	2,394	905	43	191	169	174	180	148
5 to 9 years	6,724	2,505	21	320	478	577	595	514
10 years or more	34,403	17,362	-	290	1,111	2,677	4,632	8,652
Average years on present farm	22.0	25.2	3.4	7.2	12.0	18.2	23.7	33.2
Years operating any farm (see text):								
2 years or less	1,068	331	30	86	49	49	59	58
3 or 4 years	1,905	652	46	156	120	110	109	111
5 to 9 years	5,763	2,042	25	311	408	467	455	376
10 years or more	36,335	18,290	-	383	1,282	2,885	4,876	8,864
Average years operating any farm	24.2	27.8	3.6	8.2	13.6	20.2	26.7	36.2
Age group:								
Under 25 years	192	101	101	-	-	-	-	-
25 to 34 years	2,401	936	-	936	-	-	-	-
35 to 44 years	4,958	1,859	-	-	1,859	-	-	-
45 to 49 years	4,115	1,480	-	-	-	1,480	-	-
50 to 54 years	5,671	2,031	-	-	-	2,031	-	-
55 to 59 years	6,053	2,421	-	-	-	-	2,421	-
60 to 64 years	6,381	3,078	-	-	-	-	3,078	-
65 to 69 years	5,788	3,348	-	-	-	-	-	3,348
70 years and over	9,512	6,061	-	-	-	-	-	6,061
Average age	58.1	60.8	21.6	30.6	40.1	50.0	59.9	72.9
Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin (see text)	509	238	1	6	50	51	48	82
Race:								
American Indian or Alaska Native	507	212	-	27	29	28	52	76
Asian	354	275	-	7	76	101	69	22
Black or African American	1,064	510	-	16	25	77	155	237
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
White	42,866	20,189	101	880	1,722	3,290	5,180	9,016
More than one race reported	280	129	-	6	7	15	43	58
Farms by number of persons living in operator's household:								
1 person	5,757	2,869	21	109	152	344	659	1,584
2 people	24,321	12,607	19	162	338	1,504	3,759	6,825
3 people	6,674	2,755	34	240	352	735	702	692
4 people	5,402	2,023	14	303	662	592	252	200
5 or more people	2,917	1,061	13	122	355	336	127	108
Percent of operator's total household income from farming:								
Less than 25 percent	32,317	11,282	44	417	764	1,486	2,741	5,830
25 to 49 percent	3,860	2,333	12	79	161	307	524	1,250
50 to 74 percent	3,709	2,887	21	140	258	533	631	1,304
75 to 99 percent	2,744	2,478	10	152	249	496	554	1,017
100 percent	2,441	2,335	14	148	427	689	1,049	8
Operator is a hired manager ... farms	1,189	851	9	75	112	215	256	184
acres	1,116,296	1,003,975	1,800	55,619	127,073	253,741	379,950	185,792
Farms with-								
Internet access	30,201	13,698	65	757	1,492	2,667	3,918	4,799
Dial-up service	3,002	1,491	8	36	86	208	478	675
DSL service	14,300	6,286	26	328	710	1,263	1,753	2,206
Cable modem service	4,057	1,710	3	100	179	307	473	648
Fiber-optic service	544	233	-	3	20	31	79	100
Mobile broadband plan for a computer or cell phone	5,689	2,614	16	246	405	603	691	653
Satellite service	5,305	2,836	9	133	286	526	861	1,021
Broadband over Power Lines (BPL)	424	183	2	13	21	19	49	79
Other Internet service	384	178	1	16	34	30	42	55
Farms by number of households sharing in net income of operation:								
1 household	36,793	16,585	69	780	1,469	2,701	4,282	7,284
2 households	6,619	3,766	25	121	269	575	924	1,852
3 households	970	577	3	17	48	134	197	178
4 households	446	255	4	10	49	67	62	63
5 or more households	243	132	-	8	24	34	34	32

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Table 69. **Summary by Age and Primary Occupation of Principal Operator: 2012** (continued)

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text.]

Item	Other occupations						
	Total	Age of operator (years)					
		Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
PRINCIPAL OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS							
Sex of operator:							
Male	20,678	76	1,316	2,809	5,540	6,112	4,825
Female	3,078	15	149	290	735	823	1,066
Primary occupation:							
Farming	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other	23,756	91	1,465	3,099	6,275	6,935	5,891
Place of residence:							
On farm operated	18,272	45	976	2,359	5,085	5,550	4,257
Not on farm operated	5,484	46	489	740	1,190	1,385	1,634
Days worked off farm:							
None	3,848	-	47	118	398	877	2,408
Any	19,908	91	1,418	2,981	5,877	6,058	3,483
1 to 49 days	1,152	6	61	130	252	314	389
50 to 99 days	908	6	52	118	171	275	286
100 to 199 days	2,401	5	115	313	638	789	541
200 days or more	15,447	74	1,190	2,420	4,816	4,680	2,267
Years on present farm:							
2 years or less	1,007	29	211	218	246	192	111
3 or 4 years	1,489	37	330	349	372	280	121
5 to 9 years	4,219	25	556	925	1,262	965	486
10 years or more	17,041	-	368	1,607	4,395	5,498	5,173
Average years on present farm	19.1	3.6	6.7	10.6	15.6	20.4	29.2
Years operating any farm (see text):							
2 years or less	737	21	161	170	177	139	69
3 or 4 years	1,253	40	290	303	285	213	122
5 to 9 years	3,721	30	560	812	1,087	809	423
10 years or more	18,045	-	454	1,814	4,726	5,774	5,277
Average years operating any farm	20.9	3.9	7.4	11.9	17.3	22.5	31.2
Age group:							
Under 25 years	91	91	-	-	-	-	-
25 to 34 years	1,465	-	1,465	-	-	-	-
35 to 44 years	3,099	-	-	3,099	-	-	-
45 to 49 years	2,635	-	-	-	2,635	-	-
50 to 54 years	3,640	-	-	-	3,640	-	-
55 to 59 years	3,632	-	-	-	-	3,632	-
60 to 64 years	3,303	-	-	-	-	3,303	-
65 to 69 years	2,440	-	-	-	-	-	2,440
70 years and over	3,451	-	-	-	-	-	3,451
Average age	55.7	22.3	30.9	40.2	50.0	59.4	72.5
Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin (see text)	271	-	15	46	82	70	58
Race:							
American Indian or Alaska Native	295	-	29	49	123	63	31
Asian	79	-	9	16	18	27	9
Black or African American	554	-	9	65	124	167	189
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
White	22,677	91	1,414	2,951	5,954	6,638	5,629
More than one race reported	151	-	4	18	56	40	33
Farms by number of persons living in operator's household:							
1 person	2,888	12	110	200	551	849	1,166
2 people	11,714	31	312	455	2,548	4,506	3,862
3 people	3,919	30	379	648	1,344	999	519
4 people	3,379	5	447	1,128	1,231	351	217
5 or more people	1,856	13	217	668	601	230	127
Percent of operator's total household income from farming:							
Less than 25 percent	21,035	74	1,320	2,799	5,586	6,047	5,209
25 to 49 percent	1,527	11	85	177	415	478	361
50 to 74 percent	822	5	39	78	205	256	239
75 to 99 percent	266	1	18	33	46	86	82
100 percent	106	-	3	12	23	68	-
Operator is a hired manager ... farms	338	-	19	52	97	79	91
acres	112,321	-	1,801	13,750	43,169	34,580	19,021
Farms with-							
Internet access	16,503	69	1,138	2,436	4,789	4,872	3,199
Dial-up service	1,511	6	45	177	389	491	403
DSL service	8,014	28	544	1,220	2,418	2,311	1,493
Cable modem service	2,347	12	146	246	636	751	556
Fiber-optic service	311	-	7	49	91	96	68
Mobile broadband plan for a computer or cell phone	3,075	15	341	600	876	788	455
Satellite service	2,469	12	129	354	724	752	498
Broadband over Power Lines (BPL)	241	-	9	25	63	98	46
Other Internet service	206	3	14	39	50	44	56
Farms by number of households sharing in net income of operation:							
1 household	20,208	77	1,292	2,749	5,378	5,919	4,793
2 households	2,853	14	147	233	680	851	928
3 households	393	-	13	30	124	117	109
4 households	191	-	9	66	57	25	34
5 or more households	111	-	4	21	36	23	27

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Table 69. **Summary by Age and Primary Occupation of Principal Operator: 2012** (continued)

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text.]

Item	Total farming and other occupations	Farming						
		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION (SEE TEXT)								
Operation with 50 percent or more ownership interest held by operator and/or persons related by blood, marriage, or adoption ... farms	43,698	20,508	101	920	1,784	3,336	5,244	9,123
acres	12,182,635	8,907,695	29,113	449,714	1,150,508	1,890,648	2,513,761	2,873,951
Limited Liability Corporation ... farms	1,485	807	6	67	86	177	226	245
acres	989,018	790,298	2,385	58,603	101,573	220,617	232,118	175,002
LEGAL STATUS FOR TAX PURPOSES (SEE TEXT)								
Family or individual ... farms	39,351	17,715	93	768	1,442	2,720	4,434	8,258
acres	8,154,759	5,391,894	23,218	241,734	618,050	1,025,546	1,476,044	2,007,302
Partnership ... farms	3,344	2,267	6	130	275	515	632	709
acres	4,299,853	3,916,894	(D)	(D)	562,408	1,031,013	1,246,302	870,449
Registered under state law ... farms	2,469	1,783	3	111	253	422	532	462
acres	3,803,864	3,509,297	4,015	191,509	532,260	930,202	1,133,889	717,422
Corporation ... farms	1,842	1,124	2	36	132	250	371	333
acres	1,164,901	930,501	(D)	(D)	(D)	178,637	308,508	269,512
Family held ... farms	1,643	1,010	-	30	119	222	336	303
acres	1,047,260	850,210	-	24,702	129,813	162,141	286,545	247,009
More than 10 stockholders ... farms	32	23	-	-	1	7	10	5
10 or less stockholders ... farms	1,611	987	-	30	118	215	326	298
Other than family held ... farms	199	114	2	6	13	28	35	30
acres	117,641	80,291	(D)	(D)	(D)	16,496	21,963	22,503
More than 10 stockholders ... farms	22	19	-	-	4	6	7	2
10 or less stockholders ... farms	177	95	2	6	9	22	28	28
Other-cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc ... farms	534	209	-	2	10	26	62	109
acres	191,273	104,277	-	(D)	(D)	25,756	32,113	41,803
HIRED FARM LABOR								
Hired farm labor ... farms	11,715	7,570	29	349	899	1,578	2,129	2,586
workers	33,104	24,414	109	1,064	3,128	5,726	7,354	7,033
Workers by days worked:								
150 days or more ... farms	5,732	4,371	23	238	606	1,018	1,251	1,235
workers	13,663	11,230	52	548	1,517	2,769	3,483	2,861
Less than 150 days ... farms	8,325	5,195	15	206	584	1,056	1,448	1,886
workers	19,441	13,184	57	516	1,611	2,957	3,871	4,172
Migrant farm labor on farms with hired labor (see text) ... farms	205	191	-	9	26	49	50	57
Migrant farm labor on farms reporting only contract labor (see text) ... farms	24	22	-	-	1	11	7	3
Unpaid workers (see text) ... farms	19,073	8,263	37	408	758	1,455	2,115	3,490
workers	43,305	18,384	112	1,041	2,001	3,367	4,514	7,349
FARMS BY SIZE								
1 to 9 acres ...	1,918	668	4	53	74	126	155	256
10 to 49 acres ...	11,947	4,159	26	194	386	766	1,008	1,779
50 to 69 acres ...	3,827	1,419	2	50	114	225	353	675
70 to 99 acres ...	4,986	2,004	16	95	139	254	500	1,000
100 to 139 acres ...	4,737	1,997	12	49	119	244	497	1,076
140 to 179 acres ...	3,081	1,400	8	34	72	187	331	768
180 to 219 acres ...	2,343	1,190	2	36	66	191	301	594
220 to 259 acres ...	1,654	875	2	25	44	114	208	482
260 to 499 acres ...	4,725	2,892	6	146	214	410	782	1,334
500 to 999 acres ...	2,598	1,831	16	86	172	313	484	760
1,000 to 1,999 acres ...	1,760	1,511	5	108	239	326	460	373
2,000 acres or more ...	1,495	1,369	2	60	220	355	420	312
FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM (NAICS)								
Oilseed and grain farming (1111) ...	4,234	3,445	26	296	543	777	966	837
Vegetable and melon farming (1112) ...	441	209	-	13	19	37	49	91
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113) ...	403	152	-	11	9	10	39	83
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114) ...	252	129	-	2	11	38	36	42
Other crop farming (1119) ...	8,838	2,870	11	106	192	325	734	1,502
Tobacco farming (11191) ...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cotton farming (11192) ...	286	268	2	23	51	58	74	60
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193,11194,11199) ...	8,552	2,602	9	83	141	267	660	1,442
Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111) ...	22,009	10,021	47	320	537	1,210	2,387	5,520
Cattle feedlots (112112) ...	3	2	-	-	1	-	1	-
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212) ...	106	90	-	2	5	27	30	26
Hog and pig farming (1122) ...	228	117	-	4	14	36	36	27
Poultry and egg production (1123) ...	3,298	2,574	6	104	364	718	784	598
Sheep and goat farming (1124) ...	1,111	377	6	40	37	85	89	120
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129) ...	4,148	1,329	5	38	127	248	348	563
LIVESTOCK								
Cattle and calves inventory ... farms	25,866	12,480	54	440	840	1,787	3,142	6,217
number	1,615,774	1,094,598	2,396	44,455	94,173	188,405	300,096	465,073
Farms with-								
1 to 9 ...	5,075	1,723	9	100	131	286	427	770
10 to 49 ...	13,049	5,704	37	170	350	683	1,395	3,069
50 to 99 ...	4,124	2,399	3	63	126	355	600	1,252
100 to 199 ...	2,155	1,491	1	60	103	236	386	705

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Table 69. **Summary by Age and Primary Occupation of Principal Operator: 2012** (continued)

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Item		Other occupations						
		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION (SEE TEXT)								
Operation with 50 percent or more ownership interest held by operator and/or persons related by blood, marriage, or adoption	farms	23,190	91	1,448	3,026	6,163	6,769	5,693
	acres	3,274,940	10,104	151,421	364,068	837,550	1,051,551	860,246
Limited Liability Corporation	farms	678	4	24	92	173	198	187
	acres	198,720	1,622	4,386	24,273	45,187	55,161	68,091
LEGAL STATUS FOR TAX PURPOSES (SEE TEXT)								
Family or individual	farms	21,636	86	1,371	2,875	5,788	6,304	5,212
	acres	2,762,865	8,289	134,676	326,898	714,471	869,231	709,300
Partnership	farms	1,077	-	53	116	240	311	357
	acres	382,959	-	11,804	39,524	87,595	126,681	117,355
Registered under state law	farms	686	-	32	71	165	189	229
	acres	294,567	-	9,722	31,597	69,790	95,325	88,133
Corporation	farms	718	5	37	80	172	219	205
	acres	234,400	1,815	6,632	25,699	45,080	84,997	70,177
Family held	farms	633	3	30	68	155	191	186
	acres	197,050	(D)	(D)	20,038	37,603	71,201	61,028
More than 10 stockholders	farms	9	-	1	-	2	3	3
10 or less stockholders	farms	624	3	29	68	153	188	183
Other than family held	farms	85	2	7	12	17	28	19
	acres	37,350	(D)	(D)	5,661	7,477	13,796	9,149
More than 10 stockholders	farms	3	-	-	1	-	1	1
10 or less stockholders	farms	82	2	7	11	17	27	18
Other-cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc	farms	325	-	4	28	75	101	117
	acres	86,996	-	919	4,451	32,533	23,365	25,728
HIRED FARM LABOR								
Hired farm labor	farms	4,145	9	194	474	1,089	1,289	1,090
	workers	8,690	21	435	1,202	2,287	2,679	2,066
Workers by days worked:								
150 days or more	farms	1,361	2	63	150	366	412	368
	workers	2,433	(D)	(D)	412	591	726	574
Less than 150 days	farms	3,130	7	144	360	826	991	802
	workers	6,257	(D)	(D)	790	1,696	1,953	1,492
Migrant farm labor on farms with hired labor (see text)	farms	14	-	-	3	-	2	9
Migrant farm labor on farms reporting only contract labor (see text)	farms	2	-	-	1	-	1	-
Unpaid workers (see text)	farms	10,810	46	749	1,611	3,034	3,025	2,345
	workers	24,921	116	1,873	4,215	7,091	6,762	4,864
FARMS BY SIZE								
1 to 9 acres		1,250	5	134	198	388	310	215
10 to 49 acres		7,788	26	550	1,055	2,064	2,213	1,880
50 to 69 acres		2,408	14	85	328	673	705	603
70 to 99 acres		2,982	12	243	399	739	845	744
100 to 139 acres		2,740	17	157	340	709	815	702
140 to 179 acres		1,681	2	95	213	378	520	473
180 to 219 acres		1,153	1	54	140	316	343	299
220 to 259 acres		779	3	37	106	215	228	190
260 to 499 acres		1,833	11	81	198	512	573	458
500 to 999 acres		767	-	18	84	193	249	223
1,000 to 1,999 acres		249	-	7	28	63	83	68
2,000 acres or more		126	-	4	10	25	51	36
FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM (NAICS)								
Oilseed and grain farming (1111)		789	9	49	103	223	234	171
Vegetable and melon farming (1112)		232	-	25	18	57	76	56
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113)		251	-	22	20	73	89	47
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114)		123	-	8	8	32	47	28
Other crop farming (1119)		5,968	8	194	595	1,248	1,664	2,259
Tobacco farming (11191)		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cotton farming (11192)		18	2	2	2	2	4	6
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193,11194,11199)		5,950	6	192	593	1,246	1,660	2,253
Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111)		11,988	59	892	1,680	3,353	3,503	2,501
Cattle feedlots (112112)		1	-	-	-	-	1	-
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212)		16	-	5	1	3	3	4
Hog and pig farming (1122)		111	-	18	26	43	21	3
Poultry and egg production (1123)		724	1	46	121	223	241	92
Sheep and goat farming (1124)		734	6	70	143	225	192	98
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129)		2,819	8	136	384	795	864	632
LIVESTOCK								
Cattle and calves inventory	farms	13,386	69	1,043	1,930	3,759	3,879	2,706
	number	521,176	1,800	29,461	72,840	147,194	159,184	110,697
Farms with-								
1 to 9		3,352	9	299	556	951	892	645
10 to 49		7,345	44	593	995	2,055	2,171	1,487
50 to 99		1,725	16	104	231	457	539	378
100 to 199		664	-	35	95	208	204	122

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Item	Total farming and other occupations	Farming						
		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
LIVESTOCK - Con.								
Cattle and calves inventory - Con.								
Farms with- - Con.								
200 to 499	1,070	843	4	34	91	167	234	313
500 or more	393	320	-	13	39	60	100	108
Cows and heifers that calved ... farms	23,442	11,473	53	377	714	1,638	2,894	5,797
number	822,222	536,754	1,416	21,503	42,192	93,512	140,507	237,624
Beef cows ... farms	23,385	11,421	53	375	710	1,625	2,872	5,786
number	813,250	528,359	1,416	(D)	(D)	90,708	137,983	235,594
Farms with-								
1 to 9	6,343	2,215	14	106	119	344	568	1,064
10 to 49	12,663	6,128	34	157	352	758	1,475	3,352
50 to 99	2,809	1,840	-	60	125	298	480	877
100 to 199	1,122	880	5	32	82	157	255	349
200 to 499	369	293	-	7	24	52	82	128
500 or more	79	65	-	13	8	16	12	16
Milk cows ... farms	100	91	-	2	7	24	29	29
number	8,972	8,395	-	(D)	(D)	2,804	2,524	2,030
Farms with-								
1 to 9	10	9	-	-	2	-	-	7
10 to 49	28	25	-	-	2	7	8	8
50 to 99	31	28	-	1	1	7	11	8
100 to 199	21	19	-	1	-	6	8	4
200 to 499	10	10	-	-	2	4	2	2
500 or more	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other cattle (see text) ... farms	22,119	11,071	38	382	741	1,569	2,784	5,557
number	793,552	557,844	980	22,952	51,981	94,893	159,589	227,449
Cattle and calves sold ... farms	22,116	11,092	51	344	681	1,541	2,767	5,708
number	954,433	677,747	1,081	24,160	65,291	107,865	185,999	293,351
$1,000	766,476	557,193	857	21,539	55,552	85,417	152,870	240,957
Calves weighing less than 500 pounds ... farms	14,953	7,447	32	200	414	1,047	1,895	3,859
number	262,630	167,148	471	4,050	10,634	31,024	44,925	76,044
Cattle, including calves weighing 500 pounds or more ... farms	18,889	9,680	35	294	583	1,335	2,413	5,020
number	691,803	510,599	610	20,110	54,657	76,841	141,074	217,307
Cattle on feed (see text) ... farms	4	3	-	-	1	1	1	-
number	168	(D)	-	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	-
Hogs and pigs inventory ... farms	752	346	1	39	53	89	92	72
number	109,316	100,763	(D)	(D)	10,358	42,229	31,662	16,171
Farms with-								
1 to 24	632	250	1	36	40	56	63	54
25 to 49	33	18	-	2	2	2	4	8
50 to 99	7	7	-	1	-	4	1	1
100 to 199	4	3	-	-	-	1	1	1
200 to 499	9	5	-	-	1	1	3	-
500 or more	67	63	-	-	10	25	20	8
Used or to be used for breeding ... farms	468	231	1	15	41	59	62	53
number	57,816	52,414	(D)	(D)	3,452	25,710	13,810	9,314
Other hogs and pigs ... farms	603	299	1	38	44	73	79	64
number	51,500	48,349	(D)	(D)	6,906	16,519	17,852	6,857
Hogs and pigs sold ... farms	540	258	1	32	43	64	67	51
number	1,144,573	1,100,013	(D)	(D)	84,452	476,144	347,869	191,110
$1,000	47,178	44,670	(D)	(D)	4,878	19,466	13,179	7,054
Sheep and lambs inventory (see text) ... farms	778	321	-	25	44	58	94	100
number	18,808	8,951	-	688	770	1,034	3,036	3,423
Ewes 1 year old or older ... farms	556	226	-	18	23	34	67	84
number	10,237	5,053	-	397	316	553	1,582	2,205
Sheep and lambs sold ... farms	488	200	-	7	37	31	58	67
number	9,374	4,829	-	390	517	473	1,977	1,472
Total horses and ponies inventory ... farms	10,820	4,231	26	199	430	801	1,145	1,630
number	61,090	26,080	104	975	2,482	5,566	7,142	9,811
Owned horses and ponies inventory ... farms	10,476	4,094	26	195	425	779	1,111	1,558
number	56,317	23,741	82	911	2,228	4,980	6,636	8,904
Owned horses and ponies sold ... farms	2,099	800	-	49	80	147	220	304
number	6,500	2,784	-	110	185	550	786	1,153
Goats, all inventory ... farms	2,450	937	6	70	138	203	230	290
number	41,610	20,657	108	1,194	1,937	4,043	5,220	8,155
Goats, all sold ... farms	1,311	543	6	46	76	121	120	174
number	19,128	10,747	132	755	1,086	2,377	2,061	4,336
POULTRY								
Layers inventory (see text) ... farms	3,549	1,560	3	87	155	329	421	565
number	12,545,952	9,517,132	(D)	(D)	2,175,312	2,927,672	2,680,319	1,447,022
Farms with-								
1 to 399	3,105	1,187	2	76	104	223	303	479
400 to 3,199	6	2	-	-	-	-	1	1
3,200 to 9,999	54	44	-	1	6	11	8	18
10,000 to 19,999	187	152	1	2	16	41	48	44
20,000 to 49,999	180	162	-	8	27	50	55	22
50,000 to 99,999	10	9	-	-	1	1	6	1
100,000 or more	7	4	-	-	1	3	-	-
Pullets for laying flock replacement inventory ... farms	623	350	-	29	34	69	100	118
number	6,749,434	5,416,770	-	609,486	1,084,954	1,195,707	1,695,010	831,613

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Table 69. **Summary by Age and Primary Occupation of Principal Operator: 2012** (continued)

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text.]

Item	Other occupations						
	Total	Age of operator (years)					
		Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
LIVESTOCK - Con.							
Cattle and calves inventory - Con.							
Farms with- - Con.							
200 to 499	227	-	12	45	65	49	56
500 or more	73	-	-	8	23	24	18
Cows and heifers that calved ... farms	11,969	51	886	1,696	3,381	3,504	2,451
number	285,468	907	17,140	38,150	81,227	87,102	60,942
Beef cows ... farms	11,964	51	886	1,695	3,379	3,502	2,451
number	284,891	907	17,140	(D)	81,003	(D)	(D)
Farms with-							
1 to 9	4,128	18	354	651	1,165	1,159	781
10 to 49	6,535	33	469	859	1,830	1,926	1,418
50 to 99	969	-	55	127	282	330	175
100 to 199	242	-	5	49	76	58	54
200 to 499	76	-	3	9	21	22	21
500 or more	14	-	-	-	5	7	2
Milk cows ... farms	9	-	-	1	3	3	2
number	577	-	-	(D)	224	(D)	(D)
Farms with-							
1 to 9	1	-	-	-	-	1	-
10 to 49	3	-	-	-	-	1	2
50 to 99	3	-	-	1	2	-	-
100 to 199	2	-	-	-	1	1	-
200 to 499	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
500 or more	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other cattle (see text) ... farms	11,048	60	879	1,619	3,140	3,210	2,140
number	235,708	893	12,321	34,690	65,967	72,082	49,755
Cattle and calves sold ... farms	11,024	58	854	1,581	3,135	3,202	2,194
number	276,686	896	14,403	38,742	72,181	90,796	59,668
$1,000	209,283	667	10,617	29,376	52,811	68,356	47,457
Calves weighing less than 500 pounds ... farms	7,506	35	560	1,035	2,182	2,241	1,453
number	95,482	365	5,036	12,449	27,078	30,007	20,547
Cattle, including calves weighing 500 pounds or more ... farms	9,209	45	672	1,310	2,624	2,738	1,820
number	181,204	531	9,367	26,293	45,103	60,789	39,121
Cattle on feed (see text) ... farms	1	-	-	-	-	1	-
number	(D)	-	-	-	-	(D)	-
Hogs and pigs inventory ... farms	406	-	50	107	139	82	28
number	8,553	-	303	3,234	2,332	1,033	1,651
Farms with-							
1 to 24	382	-	50	101	129	77	25
25 to 49	15	-	-	4	7	4	-
50 to 99	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
100 to 199	1	-	-	-	1	-	-
200 to 499	4	-	-	1	-	1	2
500 or more	4	-	-	1	2	-	1
Used or to be used for breeding ... farms	237	-	29	60	72	55	21
number	5,402	-	102	2,581	1,279	717	723
Other hogs and pigs ... farms	304	-	41	83	111	54	15
number	3,151	-	201	653	1,053	316	928
Hogs and pigs sold ... farms	282	-	44	77	97	50	14
number	44,560	-	493	(D)	12,614	8,154	(D)
$1,000	2,508	-	37	(D)	552	(D)	(D)
Sheep and lambs inventory (see text) ... farms	457	4	30	90	138	123	72
number	9,857	68	817	1,455	2,980	2,929	1,608
Ewes 1 year old or older ... farms	330	3	22	52	108	90	55
number	5,184	21	390	825	1,737	1,278	933
Sheep and lambs sold ... farms	288	4	13	59	96	73	43
number	4,545	17	188	671	1,436	1,502	731
Total horses and ponies inventory ... farms	6,589	17	479	1,125	1,949	1,870	1,149
number	35,010	66	2,168	5,350	10,188	10,426	6,812
Owned horses and ponies inventory ... farms	6,382	17	470	1,091	1,911	1,815	1,078
number	32,576	62	2,082	4,896	9,631	9,676	6,229
Owned horses and ponies sold ... farms	1,299	8	134	234	396	352	175
number	3,716	14	326	539	1,029	1,059	749
Goats, all inventory ... farms	1,513	5	170	310	460	368	200
number	20,953	85	2,130	3,761	6,102	5,652	3,223
Goats, all sold ... farms	768	2	89	158	248	190	81
number	8,381	(D)	(D)	1,400	2,486	2,755	986
POULTRY							
Layers inventory (see text) ... farms	1,989	14	162	362	659	543	249
number	3,028,820	228	987,407	1,170,872	385,814	372,849	111,650
Farms with-							
1 to 399	1,918	14	154	351	637	524	238
400 to 3,199	4	-	-	1	-	-	3
3,200 to 9,999	10	-	-	1	2	3	4
10,000 to 19,999	35	-	1	8	13	10	3
20,000 to 49,999	18	-	5	-	7	5	1
50,000 to 99,999	1	-	-	-	-	1	-
100,000 or more	3	-	2	1	-	-	-
Pullets for laying flock replacement inventory ... farms	273	-	23	50	76	81	43
number	1,332,664	-	(D)	(D)	341,131	485,341	258,259

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Table 69. **Summary by Age and Primary Occupation of Principal Operator: 2012** (continued)

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text.]

Item	Total farming and other occupations	Farming						
		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
POULTRY - Con.								
Layers sold (see text) ..... farms	928	557	1	25	80	141	164	146
number	11,339,920	9,110,631	(D)	(D)	1,779,363	2,960,447	2,619,269	1,459,831
Pullets for laying flock replacement sold ..... farms	230	170	-	9	20	37	57	47
number	11,365,371	9,071,409	-	641,815	1,052,970	1,959,440	3,640,217	1,776,967
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold ..... farms	2,109	1,730	5	77	251	485	520	392
number	975,950,973	838,100,143	1,472,767	33,007,564	136,373,534	256,768,196	252,096,692	158,381,390
Farms with-								
1 to 1,999	119	56	-	4	5	14	16	17
2,000 to 59,999	28	21	-	4	1	2	8	6
60,000 to 99,999	47	37	-	-	1	7	12	17
100,000 or more	1,915	1,616	5	69	244	462	484	352
Turkeys inventory (see text) ..... farms	458	288	-	18	32	90	78	70
number	8,821,769	7,853,838	-	639,349	1,094,720	2,628,067	2,187,878	1,303,824
Turkeys sold (see text) ..... farms	278	221	-	11	29	73	72	36
number	27,939,333	25,180,368	-	1,460,350	2,758,183	8,928,004	7,492,857	4,540,974
CROPS HARVESTED								
Corn for grain ..... farms	1,712	1,544	10	139	290	370	443	292
acres	695,003	660,090	992	49,993	123,186	195,232	177,906	112,781
bushels	124,688,804	118,621,351	122,319	9,494,656	22,519,427	35,130,740	31,373,804	19,980,405
Irrigated ..... farms	1,436	1,317	10	130	260	314	365	238
acres	591,157	564,384	992	46,236	103,077	168,099	149,351	96,629
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres	91	44	1	1	4	8	9	21
25 to 99 acres	297	239	5	31	53	45	57	48
100 to 249 acres	394	368	4	28	66	80	116	74
250 to 499 acres	412	394	-	40	81	91	123	59
500 acres or more	518	499	-	39	86	146	138	90
Corn for silage or greenchop ..... farms	47	36	-	2	3	7	7	17
acres	4,208	3,717	-	(D)	(D)	560	241	2,335
tons	29,156	26,685	-	(D)	(D)	6,480	1,181	16,012
Irrigated ..... farms	13	11	-	-	1	1	4	5
acres	652	(D)	-	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	324
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres	7	5	-	-	1	-	4	-
25 to 99 acres	22	14	-	1	1	3	3	6
100 to 249 acres	15	14	-	1	-	4	-	9
250 to 499 acres	3	3	-	-	1	-	-	2
500 acres or more	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cotton, all ..... farms	701	663	2	67	108	151	187	148
acres	586,351	572,092	(D)	(D)	102,092	141,729	176,575	118,500
bales	1,253,037	1,221,042	(D)	(D)	213,673	307,003	385,310	243,423
Irrigated ..... farms	635	601	2	61	99	141	170	128
acres	498,860	486,025	(D)	(D)	90,929	118,549	151,452	95,307
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres	8	5	-	-	-	2	1	2
25 to 99 acres	68	57	-	6	10	9	13	19
100 to 249 acres	118	114	-	18	9	23	37	27
250 to 499 acres	140	133	-	23	25	27	29	29
500 acres or more	367	354	2	20	64	90	107	71
Oats for grain ..... farms	45	38	-	2	7	6	13	10
acres	6,006	5,747	-	(D)	502	2,180	1,650	(D)
bushels	578,583	564,947	-	(D)	49,350	203,240	169,584	(D)
Irrigated ..... farms	5	4	-	-	-	-	4	-
acres	(D)	(D)	-	-	-	-	(D)	-
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres	13	10	-	-	2	-	2	6
25 to 99 acres	13	10	-	-	3	-	3	4
100 to 249 acres	11	10	-	-	2	2	6	-
250 to 499 acres	5	5	-	-	-	3	2	-
500 acres or more	3	3	-	2	-	1	-	-
Peanuts for nuts ..... farms	36	32	-	5	8	11	7	1
acres	13,594	13,331	-	1,993	(D)	5,598	3,521	(D)
pounds	59,109,271	(D)	-	8,780,546	(D)	(D)	15,645,675	(D)
Irrigated ..... farms	36	32	-	5	8	11	7	1
acres	13,441	13,178	-	1,993	(D)	5,568	3,398	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres	2	1	-	-	-	1	-	-
25 to 99 acres	6	4	-	-	4	-	-	-
100 to 249 acres	6	5	-	2	-	1	2	-
250 to 499 acres	11	11	-	1	3	4	2	1
500 acres or more	11	11	-	2	1	5	3	-
Rice ..... farms	2,345	2,137	17	177	378	502	623	440
acres	1,285,381	1,242,986	5,140	79,783	211,273	333,503	358,184	255,103
cwt	96,847,596	93,753,328	395,667	5,975,000	15,858,945	25,069,405	27,253,860	19,200,451
Irrigated ..... farms	2,345	2,137	17	177	378	502	623	440
acres	1,285,381	1,242,986	5,140	79,783	211,273	333,503	358,184	255,103
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres	43	31	2	3	4	7	6	9
25 to 99 acres	313	226	-	21	38	42	63	62
100 to 249 acres	461	404	10	47	70	68	118	91
250 to 499 acres	547	521	2	43	103	120	166	87
500 acres or more	981	955	3	63	163	265	270	191
Sorghum for grain ..... farms	525	477	2	33	86	108	171	77
acres	133,660	125,264	(D)	(D)	22,311	37,666	43,642	15,196
bushels	11,426,434	10,705,771	(D)	(D)	1,763,186	3,291,835	3,880,218	1,237,774

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Table 69. **Summary by Age and Primary Occupation of Principal Operator: 2012** (continued)

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text.]

Item		Other occupations						
		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
POULTRY - Con.								
Layers sold (see text)	farms	371	2	45	85	126	88	25
	number	2,229,289	(D)	698,960	669,376	391,794	370,262	(D)
Pullets for laying flock replacement sold	farms	60	-	2	15	17	19	7
	number	2,293,962	-	(D)	(D)	677,951	729,262	482,494
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold	farms	379	3	22	74	133	100	47
	number	137,850,830	(D)	(D)	26,172,282	47,911,171	37,469,290	19,364,661
Farms with-								
1 to 1,999		63	2	8	10	24	15	4
2,000 to 59,999		7	-	-	1	3	-	3
60,000 to 99,999		10	-	1	2	3	1	3
100,000 or more		299	1	13	61	103	84	37
Turkeys inventory (see text)	farms	170	3	17	36	57	37	20
	number	967,931	9	35	(D)	274,776	537,889	(D)
Turkeys sold (see text)	farms	57	-	3	8	19	18	9
	number	2,758,965	-	36	(D)	967,362	1,316,575	(D)
CROPS HARVESTED								
Corn for grain	farms	168	2	18	33	35	51	29
	acres	34,913	(D)	(D)	5,657	8,431	12,324	5,115
	bushels	6,067,453	(D)	(D)	1,042,821	1,543,294	2,031,274	912,390
Irrigated	farms	119	2	13	29	17	35	23
	acres	26,773	(D)	(D)	5,595	6,313	8,161	4,028
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres		47	-	2	11	13	11	10
25 to 99 acres		58	-	10	13	10	15	10
100 to 249 acres		26	2	4	4	4	10	2
250 to 499 acres		18	-	-	2	2	10	4
500 acres or more		19	-	2	3	6	5	3
Corn for silage or greenchop	farms	11	-	5	2	2	2	-
	acres	491	-	150	(D)	(D)	(D)	-
	tons	2,471	-	800	(D)	(D)	(D)	-
Irrigated	farms	2	-	-	2	-	-	-
	acres	(D)	-	-	(D)	-	-	-
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres		2	-	-	-	-	2	-
25 to 99 acres		8	-	5	2	1	-	-
100 to 249 acres		1	-	-	-	1	-	-
250 to 499 acres		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
500 acres or more		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cotton, all	farms	38	2	5	3	9	10	9
	acres	14,259	(D)	1,073	196	(D)	5,218	4,650
	bales	31,995	(D)	3,354	(D)	(D)	11,889	9,221
Irrigated	farms	34	2	5	3	6	10	8
	acres	12,835	(D)	1,073	196	2,180	4,913	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres		3	-	-	-	3	-	-
25 to 99 acres		11	-	4	2	-	4	1
100 to 249 acres		4	-	-	1	1	1	1
250 to 499 acres		7	2	-	-	3	-	2
500 acres or more		13	-	1	-	2	5	5
Oats for grain	farms	7	-	-	2	4	-	1
	acres	259	-	-	(D)	216	-	(D)
	bushels	13,636	-	-	(D)	11,142	-	(D)
Irrigated	farms	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
	acres	(D)	-	-	-	-	-	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres		3	-	-	2	-	-	1
25 to 99 acres		3	-	-	-	3	-	-
100 to 249 acres		1	-	-	-	1	-	-
250 to 499 acres		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
500 acres or more		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Peanuts for nuts	farms	4	-	-	1	2	1	-
	acres	263	-	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	-
	pounds	(D)	-	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	-
Irrigated	farms	4	-	-	1	2	1	-
	acres	263	-	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	-
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres		1	-	-	-	1	-	-
25 to 99 acres		2	-	-	1	1	-	-
100 to 249 acres		1	-	-	-	-	1	-
250 to 499 acres		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
500 acres or more		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rice	farms	208	3	13	32	63	54	43
	acres	42,395	36	2,324	6,547	11,911	15,910	5,667
	cwt	3,094,268	2,769	175,333	478,119	836,719	1,213,913	387,415
Irrigated	farms	208	3	13	32	63	54	43
	acres	42,395	36	2,324	6,547	11,911	15,910	5,667
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres		12	3	-	1	2	2	4
25 to 99 acres		87	-	3	12	29	19	24
100 to 249 acres		57	-	8	9	21	12	7
250 to 499 acres		26	-	2	8	3	8	5
500 acres or more		26	-	-	2	8	13	3
Sorghum for grain	farms	48	-	1	8	12	20	7
	acres	8,396	-	(D)	2,187	1,208	4,589	(D)
	bushels	720,663	-	(D)	181,700	90,895	419,245	(D)

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Table 69. **Summary by Age and Primary Occupation of Principal Operator: 2012** (continued)

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text.]

Item	Total farming and other occupations	Farming						
		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
CROPS HARVESTED - Con.								
Sorghum for grain - Con.								
Irrigated ..... farms	260	242	-	17	47	52	88	38
acres	57,462	54,002	-	2,774	10,915	15,623	16,469	8,221
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres	27	20	-	-	4	3	11	2
25 to 99 acres	117	102	2	16	18	11	31	24
100 to 249 acres	181	169	-	8	30	45	58	28
250 to 499 acres	135	121	-	7	23	24	50	17
500 acres or more	65	65	-	2	11	25	21	6
Soybeans for beans ..... farms	4,154	3,504	25	297	561	799	1,007	815
acres	3,154,061	3,006,480	10,787	166,322	480,721	777,081	956,356	615,213
bushels	136,482,368	130,847,592	379,952	7,447,624	21,435,260	34,918,292	40,886,825	25,779,639
Irrigated ..... farms	3,182	2,837	18	245	485	653	834	602
acres	2,299,218	2,211,823	5,807	127,907	373,489	590,622	683,938	430,060
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres	193	87	-	8	14	17	16	32
25 to 99 acres	562	318	2	23	51	66	71	105
100 to 249 acres	627	481	5	69	61	91	110	145
250 to 499 acres	654	577	8	73	84	101	173	138
500 acres or more	2,118	2,041	10	124	351	524	637	395
Wheat for grain, all ..... farms	1,631	1,373	9	91	213	316	392	352
acres	448,235	415,898	1,536	20,513	53,025	114,832	122,829	103,163
bushels	25,253,539	23,633,437	51,446	1,153,401	3,041,029	6,825,239	6,972,547	5,589,775
Irrigated ..... farms	234	206	-	13	51	40	42	60
acres	57,357	55,390	-	2,882	12,481	11,256	12,265	16,506
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres	118	61	3	3	3	10	19	23
25 to 99 acres	439	320	-	20	52	61	84	103
100 to 249 acres	466	413	3	41	78	94	109	88
250 to 499 acres	344	331	3	18	45	82	107	76
500 acres or more	264	248	-	9	35	69	73	62
Forage-land used for all hay and all haylage, grass silage, and greenchop (see text) ..... farms	20,158	10,051	33	291	663	1,382	2,619	5,063
acres	1,286,688	783,969	1,564	26,795	68,161	128,263	218,370	340,816
tons, dry	1,639,109	1,020,452	2,007	34,455	86,967	172,426	285,247	439,350
Irrigated ..... farms	372	229	1	10	27	57	65	69
acres	14,090	10,529	(D)	(D)	2,058	2,218	2,177	3,577
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres	6,727	2,621	9	78	181	314	663	1,376
25 to 99 acres	9,746	4,980	22	132	282	645	1,255	2,644
100 to 249 acres	2,965	1,934	2	61	133	330	544	864
250 to 499 acres	555	396	-	9	49	67	118	153
500 acres or more	165	120	-	11	18	26	39	26
Alfalfa hay ..... farms	141	78	-	-	3	12	26	37
acres	4,943	2,837	-	-	116	393	863	1,465
tons, dry	11,532	6,809	-	-	(D)	(D)	1,872	3,570
Irrigated ..... farms	2	2	-	-	-	1	-	1
acres	(D)	(D)	-	-	-	(D)	-	(D)
Other tame hay ..... farms	16,018	8,293	26	255	574	1,181	2,194	4,063
acres	1,087,515	678,785	1,256	24,501	61,496	114,823	194,192	282,517
tons, dry	1,400,299	890,541	1,663	31,377	78,309	154,377	254,437	370,378
Irrigated ..... farms	308	186	1	10	21	41	57	56
acres	12,237	9,082	(D)	(D)	1,644	1,693	2,079	3,167
Field and grass seed crops, all ..... farms	11	8	-	-	2	2	1	3
acres	1,849	1,645	-	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	1,200
Irrigated ..... farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Land in vegetables (see text) ..... farms	625	327	-	21	33	62	83	128
acres	10,960	9,924	-	69	2,371	1,840	4,323	1,321
Irrigated ..... farms	304	171	-	10	15	32	45	69
acres	5,491	5,157	-	21	1,013	1,355	2,378	389
Farms by acres harvested:								
0.1 to 4.9 acres	468	218	-	17	20	42	48	91
5.0 to 24.9 acres	118	74	-	3	9	11	23	28
25.0 to 99.9 acres	17	13	-	1	2	4	2	4
100.0 to 249.9 acres	13	13	-	-	-	3	5	5
250.0 acres or more	9	9	-	-	2	2	5	-
Beans, snap ..... farms	208	100	-	9	4	21	30	36
acres	2,297	2,132	-	(D)	1	(D)	1,094	713
Harvested for processing ..... farms	33	20	-	1	-	5	6	8
acres	2,235	(D)	-	(D)	-	(D)	1,082	704
Peas, green ..... farms	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
acres	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Harvested for processing ..... farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Potatoes ..... farms	173	91	-	7	6	20	24	34
acres	60	34	-	2	1	10	9	13
Harvested for processing ..... farms	8	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
acres	1	(D)	-	-	-	-	-	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:								
0.1 to 4.9 acres	173	91	-	7	6	20	24	34
5.0 to 24.9 acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
25.0 to 99.9 acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
100.0 to 249.9 acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
250.0 acres or more	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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Table 69. **Summary by Age and Primary Occupation of Principal Operator: 2012** (continued)

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text.]

Item	Other occupations						
	Total	Age of operator (years)					
		Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
CROPS HARVESTED - Con.							
Sorghum for grain - Con.							
Irrigated ..... farms	18	-	-	7	2	7	2
acres	3,460	-	-	(D)	(D)	1,257	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres	7	-	-	-	2	3	2
25 to 99 acres	15	-	-	2	8	1	4
100 to 249 acres	12	-	1	1	1	8	1
250 to 499 acres	14	-	-	5	1	8	-
500 acres or more	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Soybeans for beans ..... farms	650	9	46	82	183	197	133
acres	147,581	2,421	6,087	21,242	38,053	53,444	26,334
bushels	5,634,776	110,094	178,639	897,522	1,281,528	2,159,847	1,007,146
Irrigated ..... farms	345	3	28	49	99	109	57
acres	87,395	426	3,590	16,719	21,367	35,400	9,893
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres	106	-	5	11	29	25	36
25 to 99 acres	244	3	24	28	67	77	45
100 to 249 acres	146	-	10	28	40	43	25
250 to 499 acres	77	6	4	4	26	25	12
500 acres or more	77	-	3	11	21	27	15
Wheat for grain, all ..... farms	258	3	3	35	70	81	66
acres	32,337	426	230	5,132	8,714	10,366	7,469
bushels	1,620,102	29,976	12,200	277,169	438,501	517,402	344,854
Irrigated ..... farms	28	-	-	3	4	12	9
acres	1,967	-	-	225	400	642	700
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres	57	-	-	2	15	19	21
25 to 99 acres	119	-	3	24	33	35	24
100 to 249 acres	53	3	-	6	15	13	16
250 to 499 acres	13	-	-	-	2	8	3
500 acres or more	16	-	-	3	5	6	2
Forage-land used for all hay and all haylage, grass silage, and greenchop (see text) ..... farms	10,107	29	552	1,285	2,755	3,019	2,467
acres	502,719	1,427	26,969	66,710	139,318	151,531	116,764
tons, dry	618,657	1,211	35,129	81,232	171,011	186,144	143,930
Irrigated ..... farms	143	-	12	30	31	44	26
acres	3,561	-	107	517	897	1,375	665
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres	4,106	17	228	529	1,038	1,244	1,050
25 to 99 acres	4,766	7	253	576	1,366	1,409	1,155
100 to 249 acres	1,031	5	63	146	302	298	217
250 to 499 acres	159	-	4	30	37	56	32
500 acres or more	45	-	4	4	12	12	13
Alfalfa hay ..... farms	63	-	5	8	25	11	14
acres	2,106	-	95	207	1,108	261	435
tons, dry	4,723	-	132	233	2,857	517	984
Irrigated ..... farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other tame hay ..... farms	7,725	23	451	1,079	2,094	2,318	1,760
acres	408,730	1,137	22,599	57,586	111,618	124,886	90,904
tons, dry	509,758	917	30,185	71,222	138,036	155,502	113,896
Irrigated ..... farms	122	-	10	28	22	38	24
acres	3,155	-	96	390	681	1,339	649
Field and grass seed crops, all ..... farms	3	-	-	-	2	1	-
acres	204	-	-	-	(D)	(D)	-
Irrigated ..... farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Land in vegetables (see text) ..... farms	298	-	37	22	72	99	68
acres	1,037	-	140	104	173	373	246
Irrigated ..... farms	133	-	22	9	31	48	23
acres	334	-	38	15	88	151	42
Farms by acres harvested:							
0.1 to 4.9 acres	250	-	28	19	63	83	57
5.0 to 24.9 acres	44	-	9	2	9	14	10
25.0 to 99.9 acres	4	-	-	1	-	2	1
100.0 to 249.9 acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
250.0 acres or more	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Beans, snap ..... farms	108	-	23	4	23	34	24
acres	165	-	3	(D)	9	65	(D)
Harvested for processing ..... farms	13	-	3	2	1	4	3
acres	(D)	-	(Z)	(D)	(D)	(D)	1
Peas, green ..... farms	3	-	-	-	2	1	-
acres	1	-	-	-	(D)	(D)	-
Harvested for processing ..... farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Potatoes ..... farms	82	-	15	1	25	30	11
acres	26	-	3	(D)	7	13	(D)
Harvested for processing ..... farms	7	-	3	-	2	1	1
acres	(D)	-	(Z)	-	(D)	(D)	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:							
0.1 to 4.9 acres	82	-	15	1	25	30	11
5.0 to 24.9 acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
25.0 to 99.9 acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
100.0 to 249.9 acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
250.0 acres or more	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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Table 69. **Summary by Age and Primary Occupation of Principal Operator: 2012** (continued)

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Item	Total farming and other occupations	Farming						
		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
CROPS HARVESTED - Con.								
Land in vegetables (see text) - Con.								
Sweet corn ..... farms	186	109	-	4	10	19	27	49
acres	345	302	-	1	5	97	161	39
Harvested for processing ..... farms	27	18	-	-	6	-	3	9
acres	7	6	-	-	1	-	(Z)	5
Sweet potatoes ..... farms	17	13	-	-	4	4	3	2
acres	2,410	2,400	-	-	(D)	(D)	(Z)	(D)
Harvested for processing ..... farms	2	1	-	-	-	1	-	-
acres	(D)	(D)	-	-	-	(D)	-	-
Tomatoes in the open ..... farms	373	191	-	10	16	38	45	82
acres	1,103	1,022	-	12	69	367	493	81
Harvested for processing ..... farms	27	14	-	-	5	2	5	2
acres	34	(D)	-	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Land in orchards ..... farms	536	249	2	9	21	32	74	111
acres	13,681	7,658	(D)	(D)	1,261	1,201	1,351	3,674
Irrigated ..... farms	168	76	-	2	5	16	19	34
acres	1,826	1,317	-	(D)	(D)	231	134	708
Farms by bearing and nonbearing acres:								
0.1 to 4.9 acres	283	116	2	7	8	19	33	47
5.0 to 24.9 acres	167	71	-	-	7	7	25	32
25.0 to 99.9 acres	59	44	-	2	2	2	13	25
100.0 to 249.9 acres	18	13	-	-	3	3	3	4
250.0 acres or more	9	5	-	-	1	1	-	3
Apples ..... farms	134	55	2	2	4	7	17	23
bearing and nonbearing acres	296	147	(D)	(D)	3	(D)	11	91
Grapes ..... farms	145	69	2	6	7	12	12	30
bearing and nonbearing acres	919	726	(D)	(D)	80	(D)	38	428
Peaches, all ..... farms	144	70	2	2	3	10	19	34
bearing and nonbearing acres	673	504	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	189	196
Citrus fruit, all ..... farms	4	1	-	-	-	-	1	-
bearing and nonbearing acres	5	(D)	-	-	-	-	(D)	-
Pecans ..... farms	277	132	2	3	12	16	44	55
bearing and nonbearing acres	11,591	6,156	(D)	(D)	1,174	997	1,070	2,908
Walnuts, English ..... farms	3	2	-	-	-	-	1	1
bearing and nonbearing acres	(D)	(D)	-	-	-	-	(D)	(D)
Land in berries (see text) ..... farms	240	124	-	14	11	17	26	56
acres	893	687	-	(D)	(D)	63	99	237

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Item		Other occupations						
		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
CROPS HARVESTED - Con.								
Land in vegetables (see text) - Con.								
Sweet corn	farms	77	-	5	9	22	22	19
	acres	43	-	1	4	15	15	8
Harvested for processing	farms	9	-	3	1	1	2	2
	acres	1	-	(Z)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Sweet potatoes	farms	4	-	-	1	2	1	-
	acres	10	-	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	-
Harvested for processing	farms	1	-	-	-	1	-	-
	acres	(D)	-	-	-	(D)	-	-
Tomatoes in the open	farms	182	-	23	10	48	63	38
	acres	82	-	4	6	14	41	17
Harvested for processing	farms	13	-	3	2	3	2	3
	acres	(D)	-	(Z)	(D)	1	(D)	1
Land in orchards	farms	287	-	21	18	82	110	56
	acres	6,023	-	81	575	3,630	1,120	618
Irrigated	farms	92	-	8	4	35	33	12
	acres	509	-	(D)	(D)	114	154	175
Farms by bearing and nonbearing acres:								
0.1 to 4.9 acres		167	-	16	10	46	68	27
5.0 to 24.9 acres		96	-	5	7	25	32	27
25.0 to 99.9 acres		15	-	-	-	7	8	-
100.0 to 249.9 acres		5	-	-	-	1	2	2
250.0 acres or more		4	-	-	1	3	-	-
Apples	farms	79	-	5	4	22	42	6
	bearing and nonbearing acres	150	-	3	3	41	89	14
Grapes	farms	76	-	10	6	16	34	10
	bearing and nonbearing acres	193	-	21	11	67	84	10
Peaches, all	farms	74	-	5	2	23	38	6
	bearing and nonbearing acres	169	-	31	(D)	27	93	15
Citrus fruit, all	farms	3	-	-	2	-	1	-
	bearing and nonbearing acres	(D)	-	-	(D)	-	(D)	-
Pecans	farms	145	-	12	13	43	43	34
	bearing and nonbearing acres	5,435	-	(D)	(D)	3,468	825	563
Walnuts, English	farms	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
	bearing and nonbearing acres	(D)	-	-	-	-	-	(D)
Land in berries (see text)	farms	116	-	15	9	36	42	14
	acres	206	-	69	11	53	61	13

[1] Landlord production expenses are included with total farm production expenses.
[2] Farms with total production expenses equal to market value of agricultural products sold, government payments, and farm-related income are included as farms with gains of less than $1,000.