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	42,257	19,858	84	781	1,482	3,128	5,265	9,118
percent	100.0	47.0	0.2	1.8	3.5	7.4	12.5	21.6
Land in farms ..... acres	9,620,836	6,366,239	15,550	232,239	573,742	1,369,952	1,879,928	2,294,828
Average size of farm ..... acres	228	321	185	297	387	438	357	252
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS								
Total ..... farms	42,257	19,858	84	781	1,482	3,128	5,265	9,118
$1,000	9,397,448	8,172,317	20,168	335,701	1,119,285	2,252,755	2,415,251	2,029,158
Average per farm ..... dollars	222,388	411,538	240,094	429,834	755,253	720,190	458,737	222,544
Farms by economic class:								
Less than $1,000 (see text)	10,672	3,576	8	100	256	504	987	1,721
$1,000 to $2,499	5,310	1,608	6	30	74	234	421	843
$2,500 to $4,999	4,971	1,798	14	69	72	185	432	1,026
$5,000 to $9,999	4,766	1,888	5	41	73	168	420	1,181
$10,000 to $24,999	5,167	2,438	13	65	110	243	565	1,442
$25,000 to $49,999	2,340	1,309	6	35	60	151	315	742
$50,000 to $99,999	1,630	1,019	11	66	66	153	284	439
$100,000 to $249,999	1,247	893	3	78	86	142	229	355
$250,000 to $499,999	945	784	6	52	85	154	233	254
$500,000 to $999,999	2,819	2,423	7	160	263	596	729	668
$1,000,000 or more	2,390	2,122	5	85	337	598	650	447
$1,000,000 to $2,499,999	1,662	1,457	3	63	218	414	444	315
$2,500,000 to $4,999,999	526	485	2	21	95	126	158	83
$5,000,000 or more	202	180	-	1	24	58	48	49
Total sales ..... farms	42,257	19,858	84	781	1,482	3,128	5,265	9,118
$1,000	9,255,125	8,060,871	19,585	329,734	1,106,907	2,225,959	2,382,524	1,996,164
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas ..... farms	4,280	3,009	24	223	302	618	816	1,026
$1,000	578,053	525,787	1,762	25,665	62,862	134,116	154,953	146,429
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	1,886	1,661	9	120	180	410	497	445
$1,000	544,843	503,385	1,336	23,750	60,659	130,366	149,368	137,905
Corn ..... farms	2,728	1,991	5	150	207	421	567	641
$1,000	377,266	349,620	(D)	(D)	47,608	87,520	104,860	91,506
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	1,282	1,167	1	91	147	281	356	291
$1,000	359,545	337,115	(D)	(D)	46,565	84,791	101,047	87,576
Wheat ..... farms	1,479	1,126	20	106	112	257	289	342
$1,000	73,414	65,158	729	3,228	6,241	16,506	18,644	19,811
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	454	423	5	16	44	106	147	105
$1,000	55,388	51,444	435	1,942	4,745	13,096	15,798	15,429
Soybeans ..... farms	1,470	1,134	11	85	98	234	302	404
$1,000	102,796	88,977	348	4,058	6,569	24,905	24,169	28,928
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	543	471	1	33	42	116	146	133
$1,000	83,747	73,935	(D)	3,150	(D)	21,916	20,582	22,720
Sorghum ..... farms	432	336	4	27	34	87	96	88
$1,000	14,151	12,706	(D)	(D)	1,910	3,106	4,189	2,730
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	79	74	-	8	8	20	26	12
$1,000	8,607	8,232	-	459	1,421	2,101	3,073	1,179
Barley ..... farms	22	14	-	-	6	-	1	7
$1,000	174	113	-	-	(D)	-	(D)	75
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
$1,000	(D)	(D)	-	-	-	-	-	(D)
Rice ..... farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
$1,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
$1,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas ..... farms	633	459	-	16	32	84	149	178
$1,000	10,251	9,213	-	167	(D)	2,080	(D)	3,379
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	27	25	-	1	2	5	9	8
$1,000	4,839	(D)	-	(D)	(D)	1,167	(D)	1,675
Tobacco ..... farms	102	94	-	7	17	28	27	15
$1,000	39,656	38,942	-	2,753	(D)	(D)	10,986	4,602
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	92	87	-	7	16	25	27	12
$1,000	39,524	38,841	-	2,753	(D)	(D)	10,986	(D)
Cotton and cottonseed ..... farms	2,616	2,234	11	155	276	579	658	555
$1,000	1,041,440	968,164	1,139	69,343	116,890	275,354	302,401	203,037
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	2,218	2,006	10	146	262	524	610	454
$1,000	1,031,529	962,259	(D)	(D)	116,482	273,688	301,210	200,686
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes ..... farms	1,562	859	3	43	79	163	289	282
$1,000	412,339	391,382	43	14,106	45,499	122,846	142,548	66,340
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	330	286	-	16	34	67	102	67
$1,000	401,484	385,552	-	13,634	45,146	121,720	140,536	64,517
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries ..... farms	3,256	1,634	1	43	93	258	436	803
$1,000	308,428	259,936	(D)	(D)	25,853	58,459	106,187	64,163
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	510	362	1	12	31	85	111	122
$1,000	279,612	245,061	(D)	(D)	24,902	56,072	102,406	56,690
Fruits and tree nuts ..... farms	2,694	1,341	-	26	60	209	350	696
$1,000	233,527	202,266	-	2,011	14,832	35,979	93,375	56,070
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	338	252	-	6	21	50	81	94
$1,000	209,656	190,066	-	1,788	14,312	33,916	90,376	49,674
Berries ..... farms	706	383	1	23	37	69	112	141
$1,000	74,901	57,670	(D)	(D)	11,022	22,480	12,812	8,093
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	175	112	1	6	10	36	30	29
$1,000	69,395	54,475	(D)	(D)	10,590	22,025	11,881	6,797
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod (see text) ..... farms	955	526	-	24	46	121	206	129
$1,000	257,714	199,679	-	7,458	32,226	52,279	80,786	26,929
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	331	233	-	18	30	66	78	41
$1,000	249,345	195,197	-	7,346	31,990	51,271	78,995	25,595

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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	22,399	69	908	2,167	5,215	6,999	7,041
percent	53.0	0.2	2.1	5.1	12.3	16.6	16.7
Land in farms ..... acres	3,254,597	3,517	64,528	221,804	625,500	1,096,576	1,242,672
Average size of farm ..... acres	145	51	71	102	120	157	176
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS							
Total ..... farms	22,399	69	908	2,167	5,215	6,999	7,041
$1,000	1,225,130	363	26,012	121,930	356,050	389,822	330,955
Average per farm ..... dollars	54,696	5,257	28,647	56,267	68,274	55,697	47,004
Farms by economic class:							
Less than $1,000 (see text)	7,096	14	252	746	1,703	2,294	2,087
$1,000 to $2,499	3,702	27	184	319	753	1,093	1,326
$2,500 to $4,999	3,173	11	120	274	760	938	1,070
$5,000 to $9,999	2,878	7	124	253	648	920	926
$10,000 to $24,999	2,729	7	94	278	621	844	885
$25,000 to $49,999	1,031	3	45	96	243	353	291
$50,000 to $99,999	611	-	41	62	166	177	165
$100,000 to $249,999	354	-	26	46	88	113	81
$250,000 to $499,999	161	-	8	18	47	63	25
$500,000 to $999,999	396	-	11	44	85	132	124
$1,000,000 or more	268	-	3	31	101	72	61
$1,000,000 to $2,499,999	205	-	3	27	80	49	46
$2,500,000 to $4,999,999	41	-	-	4	14	13	10
$5,000,000 or more	22	-	-	-	7	10	5
Total sales ..... farms	22,399	69	908	2,167	5,215	6,999	7,041
$1,000	1,194,254	342	25,415	118,966	350,133	379,947	319,450
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas ..... farms	1,271	7	87	140	325	384	328
$1,000	52,265	80	2,895	7,345	15,713	12,204	14,027
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	225	-	22	33	59	66	45
$1,000	41,458	-	2,345	6,314	12,718	8,805	11,275
Corn ..... farms	737	4	45	82	210	189	207
$1,000	27,646	39	642	4,648	8,742	5,800	7,776
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	115	-	3	25	34	31	22
$1,000	22,430	-	399	4,264	7,018	4,495	6,254
Wheat ..... farms	353	-	32	51	83	115	72
$1,000	8,256	-	1,011	924	1,730	2,529	2,062
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	31	-	6	3	5	8	9
$1,000	3,944	-	518	505	728	1,082	1,110
Soybeans ..... farms	336	2	32	28	65	111	98
$1,000	13,819	(D)	1,243	(D)	4,152	3,143	(D)
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	72	-	13	9	18	15	17
$1,000	9,812	-	969	1,287	3,431	1,586	2,539
Sorghum ..... farms	96	1	-	14	27	35	19
$1,000	1,446	(D)	-	(D)	580	474	264
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	5	-	-	-	2	2	1
$1,000	375	-	-	-	(D)	(D)	(D)
Barley ..... farms	8	-	-	-	2	5	1
$1,000	61	-	-	-	(D)	53	(D)
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
$1,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rice ..... farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
$1,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
$1,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas ..... farms	174	-	-	13	53	57	51
$1,000	1,038	-	-	(D)	(D)	204	(D)
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	2	-	-	-	1	-	1
$1,000	(D)	-	-	-	(D)	-	(D)
Tobacco ..... farms	8	-	2	2	-	-	4
$1,000	714	-	(D)	(D)	-	-	556
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	5	-	2	-	-	-	3
$1,000	683	-	(D)	-	-	-	(D)
Cotton and cottonseed ..... farms	382	-	17	60	103	116	86
$1,000	73,276	-	990	13,068	21,518	21,856	15,844
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	212	-	4	38	59	64	47
$1,000	69,270	-	641	12,513	20,548	20,563	15,003
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes ..... farms	703	-	42	83	189	231	158
$1,000	20,958	-	227	1,033	2,692	7,682	9,325
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	44	-	-	7	8	15	14
$1,000	15,932	-	-	468	1,354	6,170	7,940
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries ..... farms	1,622	6	47	136	390	544	499
$1,000	48,492	47	695	3,429	16,101	11,069	17,152
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	148	-	6	12	43	45	42
$1,000	34,551	-	437	2,298	12,763	6,163	12,890
Fruits and tree nuts ..... farms	1,353	3	39	97	307	465	442
$1,000	31,261	32	646	1,057	7,464	7,685	14,377
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	86	-	6	3	18	26	33
$1,000	19,590	-	437	225	4,873	3,458	10,596
Berries ..... farms	323	3	8	43	99	99	71
$1,000	17,231	14	49	2,372	8,636	3,384	2,775
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	63	-	-	9	25	19	10
$1,000	14,920	-	-	2,073	7,866	2,704	2,277
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod (see text) ..... farms	429	-	19	41	109	137	123
$1,000	58,035	-	829	2,916	25,804	12,816	15,670
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	98	-	3	8	32	31	24
$1,000	54,148	-	600	2,493	24,813	11,673	14,569

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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	136	65	4	-	2	2	21	36
$1,000	2,866	1,603	(D)	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	241
Sales of $50,000 or more ... farms	10	3	-	-	-	-	3	-
$1,000	1,919	(D)	-	-	-	-	(D)	-
Cut Christmas trees ... farms	102	54	4	-	2	1	14	33
$1,000	1,054	(D)	(D)	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	226
Sales of $50,000 or more ... farms	4	1	-	-	-	-	1	-
$1,000	344	(D)	-	-	-	-	(D)	-
Short-rotation woody crops ... farms	37	14	-	-	-	1	8	5
$1,000	1,811	(D)	-	-	-	(D)	(D)	15
Sales of $50,000 or more ... farms	6	2	-	-	-	-	2	-
$1,000	1,575	(D)	-	-	-	-	(D)	-
Other crops and hay (see text) ... farms	8,896	5,276	16	271	461	987	1,431	2,110
$1,000	1,029,959	923,055	1,971	44,987	121,544	260,005	268,695	225,852
Sales of $50,000 or more ... farms	2,546	2,239	9	149	291	570	670	550
$1,000	978,586	893,328	1,836	42,959	119,739	255,454	261,277	212,064
Maple syrup (see text) ... farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
$1,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sales of $50,000 or more ... farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
$1,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cattle and calves ... farms	13,982	7,698	35	248	437	993	1,864	4,121
$1,000	403,172	316,829	(D)	(D)	26,631	56,344	80,126	140,047
Sales of $50,000 or more ... farms	1,323	1,073	8	42	108	212	333	370
$1,000	269,743	235,981	487	10,857	22,318	45,767	61,606	94,948
Milk from cows (see text) ... farms	243	221	4	3	37	59	84	34
$1,000	299,548	281,683	(D)	(D)	48,004	102,991	82,350	42,581
Sales of $50,000 or more ... farms	236	218	1	3	37	59	84	34
$1,000	299,340	281,536	(D)	(D)	48,004	102,991	82,350	42,581
Hogs and pigs ... farms	600	253	4	8	39	52	70	80
$1,000	56,386	52,853	2	(D)	(D)	16,090	(D)	21,373
Sales of $50,000 or more ... farms	45	38	-	1	2	12	12	11
$1,000	55,317	52,282	-	(D)	(D)	15,986	(D)	21,221
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk (see text) ... farms	2,257	890	3	59	109	158	201	360
$1,000	5,324	2,617	1	481	369	330	660	775
Sales of $50,000 or more ... farms	9	9	-	8	-	-	-	1
$1,000	513	513	-	(D)	-	-	-	(D)
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys ... farms	1,333	579	1	20	51	115	170	222
$1,000	8,310	4,571	(D)	(D)	301	1,930	(D)	1,179
Sales of $50,000 or more ... farms	20	10	-	-	-	2	6	2
$1,000	3,235	2,074	-	-	-	(D)	(D)	(D)
Poultry and eggs ... farms	5,129	3,416	11	179	425	801	952	1,048
$1,000	4,773,837	4,064,031	10,097	141,937	614,377	1,116,159	1,132,232	1,049,228
Sales of $50,000 or more ... farms	3,266	2,686	10	119	338	649	772	798
$1,000	4,771,325	4,062,896	(D)	(D)	614,165	1,115,906	1,132,036	1,048,978
Aquaculture ... farms	128	69	1	1	14	14	21	18
$1,000	26,858	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	1,734	1,412
Sales of $50,000 or more ... farms	29	22	-	1	5	1	10	5
$1,000	26,033	(D)	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	1,581	1,318
Other animals and other animal products (see text) ... farms	714	326	-	10	45	49	109	113
$1,000	11,236	(D)	-	(D)	1,480	(D)	3,693	1,976
Sales of $50,000 or more ... farms	47	37	-	4	6	8	11	8
$1,000	9,212	7,828	-	(D)	1,297	(D)	3,114	1,673
Value of-								
Government payments ... farms	14,533	7,562	45	364	577	1,238	1,988	3,350
$1,000	142,322	111,446	583	5,967	12,378	26,796	32,727	32,995
Landlord's share of total sales (see text) ... farms	458	275	2	19	25	41	81	107
$1,000	11,962	10,879	(D)	(D)	1,236	3,010	3,429	3,070
Agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text) ... farms	2,177	1,091	4	60	108	184	315	420
$1,000	13,197	10,786	56	689	1,113	2,182	4,618	2,128
FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES								
Total farm production expenses [1] ... farms	42,257	19,858	84	781	1,482	3,128	5,265	9,118
$1,000	7,488,510	6,366,188	13,986	269,534	878,257	1,739,200	1,847,082	1,618,129
Average per farm ... dollars	177,213	320,586	166,504	345,114	592,616	556,010	350,823	177,465
Fertilizer, lime, and soil conditioners purchased ... farms	22,061	11,959	47	542	874	1,936	3,268	5,292
$1,000	499,665	442,142	997	22,723	54,205	116,460	138,399	109,358
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $4,999 ...	15,397	6,986	21	206	394	921	1,831	3,613
$5,000 to $24,999 ...	3,486	2,174	19	143	142	294	593	983
$25,000 to $49,999 ...	849	693	1	59	62	129	212	230
$50,000 or more ...	2,329	2,106	6	134	276	592	632	466
Chemicals purchased ... farms	21,334	11,909	47	565	966	2,088	3,298	4,945
$1,000	398,050	361,518	490	19,103	47,755	102,403	113,024	78,744
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $4,999 ...	16,838	8,184	20	284	540	1,206	2,187	3,947
$5,000 to $24,999 ...	1,805	1,298	21	104	124	217	388	444
$25,000 to $49,999 ...	673	576	5	71	72	153	143	132
$50,000 or more ...	2,018	1,851	1	106	230	512	580	422

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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
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS - Con.								
Total - Con.								
Total sales - Con.								
Cut Christmas trees and short-rotation woody crops	farms	71	3	-	5	17	25	21
	$1,000	1,262	(D)	-	(D)	(D)	311	463
Sales of $50,000 or more	farms	7	-	-	-	2	3	2
	$1,000	(D)	-	-	-	(D)	202	(D)
Cut Christmas trees	farms	48	-	-	5	15	18	10
	$1,000	(D)	-	-	(D)	(D)	224	153
Sales of $50,000 or more	farms	3	-	-	-	1	2	-
	$1,000	(D)	-	-	-	(D)	(D)	-
Short-rotation woody crops	farms	23	3	-	-	2	7	11
	$1,000	(D)	(D)	-	-	(D)	87	310
Sales of $50,000 or more	farms	4	-	-	-	1	1	2
	$1,000	(D)	-	-	-	(D)	(D)	(D)
Other crops and hay (see text)	farms	3,620	12	135	341	870	1,138	1,124
	$1,000	106,905	56	1,835	18,921	29,093	32,029	24,971
Sales of $50,000 or more	farms	307	-	9	63	77	106	52
	$1,000	85,258	-	780	16,989	23,788	25,188	18,513
Maple syrup (see text)	farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	$1,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sales of $50,000 or more	farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	$1,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cattle and calves	farms	6,284	29	304	648	1,536	1,921	1,846
	$1,000	86,343	152	3,064	8,270	23,833	26,687	24,336
Sales of $50,000 or more	farms	250	-	12	44	62	63	69
	$1,000	33,762	-	750	3,586	11,411	10,492	7,523
Milk from cows (see text)	farms	22	-	-	1	6	5	10
	$1,000	17,864	-	-	(D)	4,394	(D)	7,289
Sales of $50,000 or more	farms	18	-	-	1	6	3	8
	$1,000	17,804	-	-	(D)	4,394	(D)	(D)
Hogs and pigs	farms	347	4	38	74	122	63	46
	$1,000	3,532	(D)	44	(D)	1,346	(D)	1,688
Sales of $50,000 or more	farms	7	-	-	1	1	1	4
	$1,000	3,035	-	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	1,642
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk (see text)	farms	1,367	2	119	227	378	365	276
	$1,000	2,707	(D)	(D)	440	687	819	503
Sales of $50,000 or more	farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	$1,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	farms	754	-	44	114	244	229	123
	$1,000	3,738	-	138	376	1,077	1,272	875
Sales of $50,000 or more	farms	10	-	-	-	3	4	3
	$1,000	1,161	-	-	-	270	444	447
Poultry and eggs	farms	1,713	-	125	237	518	510	323
	$1,000	709,806	-	14,299	62,440	205,849	241,430	185,788
Sales of $50,000 or more	farms	580	-	21	46	169	194	150
	$1,000	708,430	-	14,106	62,115	205,605	240,967	185,638
Aquaculture	farms	59	-	1	1	12	22	23
	$1,000	(D)	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	455
Sales of $50,000 or more	farms	7	-	-	-	4	2	1
	$1,000	(D)	-	-	-	514	(D)	(D)
Other animals and other animal products (see text)	farms	388	2	26	47	92	124	97
	$1,000	(D)	(D)	6	50	1,094	(D)	508
Sales of $50,000 or more	farms	10	-	-	-	4	4	2
	$1,000	1,384	-	-	-	903	(D)	(D)
Value of-								
Government payments	farms	6,971	19	204	536	1,326	2,097	2,789
	$1,000	30,876	20	596	2,964	5,917	9,874	11,505
Landlord's share of total sales (see text)	farms	183	1	24	22	58	45	33
	$1,000	1,084	(D)	(D)	213	431	256	124
Agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text)	farms	1,086	2	59	157	312	351	205
	$1,000	2,411	(D)	(D)	487	547	757	565
FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES								
Total farm production expenses [1]	farms	22,399	69	908	2,167	5,215	6,999	7,041
	$1,000	1,122,322	621	28,693	107,472	310,291	364,255	310,990
Average per farm	dollars	50,106	9,001	31,600	49,595	59,500	52,044	44,168
Fertilizer, lime, and soil conditioners purchased	farms	10,102	25	467	1,120	2,560	3,310	2,620
	$1,000	57,524	67	1,625	7,922	16,977	16,304	14,629
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $4,999		8,411	22	389	895	2,149	2,795	2,161
$5,000 to $24,999		1,312	3	68	153	311	415	362
$25,000 to $49,999		156	-	7	31	39	33	46
$50,000 or more		223	-	3	41	61	67	51
Chemicals purchased	farms	9,425	27	472	1,083	2,465	2,984	2,394
	$1,000	36,532	12	890	4,699	9,836	11,447	9,648
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $4,999		8,654	27	426	968	2,260	2,763	2,210
$5,000 to $24,999		507	-	41	64	130	139	133
$25,000 to $49,999		97	-	2	28	30	26	11
$50,000 or more		167	-	3	23	45	56	40

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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	14,842	8,476	41	470	688	1,534	2,384	3,359
$1,000	295,102	265,071	465	14,622	35,492	75,718	78,542	60,233
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $999	7,325	3,143	14	102	160	408	841	1,618
$1,000 to $4,999	3,136	1,762	-	77	107	275	508	795
$5,000 to $24,999	1,881	1,301	21	129	117	227	362	445
$25,000 to $49,999	732	634	4	45	90	161	180	154
$50,000 or more	1,768	1,636	2	117	214	463	493	347
Livestock and poultry purchased or leased ..... farms	10,995	6,373	33	279	662	1,246	1,767	2,386
$1,000	927,465	800,124	1,278	26,102	106,548	201,570	198,990	265,635
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $4,999	5,783	2,542	18	105	201	395	668	1,155
$5,000 to $24,999	1,632	926	5	42	88	151	267	373
$25,000 to $99,999	1,474	1,080	6	29	68	218	322	437
$100,000 to $249,999	1,421	1,216	2	70	199	317	334	294
$250,000 or more	685	609	2	33	106	165	176	127
Breeding livestock purchased or leased ..... farms	5,728	3,159	14	139	329	556	892	1,229
$1,000	99,642	81,087	182	6,254	15,154	24,124	20,084	15,289
Other livestock and poultry purchased or leased (see text) ..... farms	6,714	4,067	20	178	463	882	1,105	1,419
$1,000	827,823	719,037	1,096	19,849	91,394	177,446	178,906	250,346
Feed purchased ..... farms	26,118	13,167	47	464	999	2,103	3,503	6,051
$1,000	2,913,851	2,466,054	6,657	95,531	377,930	696,535	690,717	598,684
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $4,999	15,465	6,240	23	210	322	832	1,590	3,263
$5,000 to $24,999	5,468	2,874	13	100	213	404	714	1,430
$25,000 to $99,999	1,779	1,209	-	26	103	175	360	545
$100,000 to $249,999	390	320	-	22	29	54	103	112
$250,000 or more	3,016	2,524	11	106	332	638	736	701
Gasoline, fuels, and oils purchased ..... farms	40,396	19,467	80	768	1,461	3,067	5,187	8,904
$1,000	346,738	293,123	556	14,230	35,856	78,153	89,017	75,311
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $4,999	31,965	12,798	54	389	694	1,532	3,204	6,925
$5,000 to $24,999	5,068	3,671	18	189	341	751	1,067	1,305
$25,000 to $49,999	1,751	1,524	7	113	224	367	452	361
$50,000 or more	1,612	1,474	1	77	202	417	464	313
Utilities ..... farms	26,018	14,428	46	604	1,198	2,514	4,017	6,049
$1,000	185,418	155,204	438	6,493	24,302	40,394	44,446	39,131
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $999	12,404	5,157	23	129	243	586	1,321	2,855
$1,000 to $4,999	7,519	4,150	11	180	272	669	1,154	1,864
$5,000 to $24,999	4,391	3,597	5	220	437	865	1,054	1,016
$25,000 to $49,999	1,065	945	5	51	143	231	326	189
$50,000 or more	639	579	2	24	103	163	162	125
Supplies, repairs, and maintenance costs ..... farms	33,039	16,944	60	704	1,320	2,793	4,580	7,487
$1,000	340,286	287,519	452	10,331	30,886	77,643	89,997	78,210
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $4,999	24,819	10,538	43	345	574	1,363	2,671	5,542
$5,000 to $24,999	5,440	3,959	10	248	416	786	1,106	1,393
$25,000 to $49,999	1,354	1,140	6	67	177	285	346	259
$50,000 or more	1,426	1,307	1	44	153	359	457	293
Hired farm labor ..... farms	12,258	7,728	32	369	727	1,491	2,190	2,919
$1,000	447,136	376,414	529	14,424	44,085	105,120	122,387	89,869
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $4,999	5,592	2,805	20	108	156	405	672	1,444
$5,000 to $24,999	3,461	2,361	8	128	244	489	714	778
$25,000 to $99,999	2,405	1,868	3	103	224	428	566	544
$100,000 to $249,999	518	440	1	19	68	102	157	93
$250,000 or more	282	254	-	11	35	67	81	60
Contract labor ..... farms	4,684	2,712	15	108	267	543	826	953
$1,000	92,896	75,580	103	4,420	8,425	21,958	23,645	17,028
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $999	957	403	-	12	17	45	129	200
$1,000 to $4,999	1,668	878	5	25	89	137	252	370
$5,000 to $24,999	1,322	841	10	36	92	216	260	227
$25,000 to $49,999	333	265	-	11	22	72	77	83
$50,000 or more	404	325	-	24	47	73	108	73
Customwork and custom hauling ..... farms	8,246	5,466	16	281	582	1,090	1,474	2,023
$1,000	109,074	92,714	96	3,598	13,681	27,701	24,156	23,481
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $999	1,879	859	5	26	39	88	224	477
$1,000 to $4,999	2,200	1,286	2	90	103	198	303	590
$5,000 to $24,999	3,122	2,423	9	121	290	560	689	754
$25,000 to $49,999	681	584	-	34	96	156	178	120
$50,000 or more	364	314	-	10	54	88	80	82
Cash rent for land, buildings, and grazing fees ..... farms	8,376	5,613	34	402	594	1,179	1,560	1,844
$1,000	220,440	197,692	1,029	16,580	26,375	55,306	59,786	38,615
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $4,999	4,383	2,276	8	122	168	344	619	1,015
$5,000 to $9,999	933	659	6	62	90	118	155	228
$10,000 to $24,999	1,028	836	9	70	106	182	236	233
$25,000 or more	2,032	1,842	11	148	230	535	550	368

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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
FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES - Con.							
Total farm production expenses [1] - Con.							
Seeds, plants, vines, and trees purchased ..... farms	6,366	17	301	746	1,589	2,069	1,644
$1,000	30,031	19	716	4,139	8,200	8,666	8,291
Farms with expenses of-							
$1 to $999	4,182	15	187	493	1,056	1,364	1,067
$1,000 to $4,999	1,374	-	76	161	315	445	377
$5,000 to $24,999	580	2	35	48	150	187	158
$25,000 to $49,999	98	-	2	17	35	31	13
$50,000 or more	132	-	1	27	33	42	29
Livestock and poultry purchased or leased ..... farms	4,622	15	354	600	1,262	1,315	1,076
$1,000	127,342	37	3,186	9,735	29,251	44,001	41,132
Farms with expenses of-							
$1 to $4,999	3,241	13	255	430	882	915	746
$5,000 to $24,999	706	2	54	102	194	194	160
$25,000 to $99,999	394	-	42	32	93	137	90
$100,000 to $249,999	205	-	3	29	66	39	68
$250,000 or more	76	-	-	7	27	30	12
Breeding livestock purchased or leased ..... farms	2,569	14	226	325	672	701	631
$1,000	18,556	30	1,324	2,513	5,918	4,381	4,390
Other livestock and poultry purchased or leased (see text) ..... farms	2,647	3	169	347	762	778	588
$1,000	108,786	6	1,862	7,222	23,333	39,620	36,742
Feed purchased ..... farms	12,951	45	635	1,428	3,342	4,069	3,432
$1,000	447,797	138	11,581	41,668	139,298	149,139	105,972
Farms with expenses of-							
$1 to $4,999	9,225	39	473	1,053	2,377	2,902	2,381
$5,000 to $24,999	2,594	6	115	277	655	817	724
$25,000 to $99,999	570	-	27	55	147	170	171
$100,000 to $249,999	70	-	-	1	30	24	15
$250,000 or more	492	-	20	42	133	156	141
Gasoline, fuels, and oils purchased ..... farms	20,929	65	876	2,056	4,911	6,557	6,464
$1,000	53,615	64	1,738	5,027	14,328	16,669	15,789
Farms with expenses of-							
$1 to $4,999	19,167	63	808	1,865	4,440	5,997	5,994
$5,000 to $24,999	1,397	2	63	148	368	432	384
$25,000 to $49,999	227	-	3	36	59	86	43
$50,000 or more	138	-	2	7	44	42	43
Utilities ..... farms	11,590	28	432	1,135	2,740	3,709	3,546
$1,000	30,214	30	673	2,507	7,193	10,072	9,740
Farms with expenses of-							
$1 to $999	7,247	20	271	725	1,706	2,314	2,211
$1,000 to $4,999	3,369	8	137	310	771	1,079	1,064
$5,000 to $24,999	794	-	23	75	213	269	214
$25,000 to $49,999	120	-	1	18	34	26	41
$50,000 or more	60	-	-	7	16	21	16
Supplies, repairs, and maintenance costs ..... farms	16,095	43	605	1,558	3,888	5,079	4,922
$1,000	52,767	69	1,261	4,810	12,930	16,410	17,288
Farms with expenses of-							
$1 to $4,999	14,281	42	539	1,376	3,430	4,500	4,394
$5,000 to $24,999	1,481	1	64	143	372	467	434
$25,000 to $49,999	214	-	2	21	58	81	52
$50,000 or more	119	-	-	18	28	31	42
Hired farm labor ..... farms	4,530	-	139	407	1,054	1,456	1,474
$1,000	70,722	-	1,160	4,254	18,071	25,458	21,779
Farms with expenses of-							
$1 to $4,999	2,787	-	94	261	643	862	927
$5,000 to $24,999	1,100	-	39	95	282	334	350
$25,000 to $99,999	537	-	5	47	112	214	159
$100,000 to $249,999	78	-	1	4	9	36	28
$250,000 or more	28	-	-	-	8	10	10
Contract labor ..... farms	1,972	6	76	175	499	571	645
$1,000	17,317	45	722	1,251	4,541	5,025	5,734
Farms with expenses of-							
$1 to $999	554	1	25	56	128	170	174
$1,000 to $4,999	790	2	19	72	186	209	302
$5,000 to $24,999	481	3	23	36	146	146	127
$25,000 to $49,999	68	-	1	5	19	22	21
$50,000 or more	79	-	8	6	20	24	21
Customwork and custom hauling ..... farms	2,780	7	80	257	613	866	957
$1,000	16,360	6	377	1,980	4,123	4,389	5,486
Farms with expenses of-							
$1 to $999	1,020	4	29	88	228	326	345
$1,000 to $4,999	914	3	23	77	181	302	328
$5,000 to $24,999	699	-	27	69	158	205	240
$25,000 to $49,999	97	-	-	18	31	19	29
$50,000 or more	50	-	1	5	15	14	15
Cash rent for land, buildings, and grazing fees ..... farms	2,763	17	209	400	746	817	574
$1,000	22,748	24	830	3,868	5,446	7,180	5,399
Farms with expenses of-							
$1 to $4,999	2,107	17	168	296	559	627	440
$5,000 to $9,999	274	-	17	29	89	69	70
$10,000 to $24,999	192	-	20	33	59	58	22
$25,000 or more	190	-	4	42	39	63	42

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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	2,131	1,391	7	118	178	306	408	374
$1,000	41,086	37,655	85	1,907	6,995	9,083	11,892	7,693
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $999	703	316	-	10	17	50	117	122
$1,000 to $4,999	643	392	1	41	51	83	106	110
$5,000 to $24,999	467	389	6	41	64	93	92	93
$25,000 to $49,999	138	126	-	16	17	37	37	19
$50,000 or more	180	168	-	10	29	43	56	30
Interest expense ..... farms	13,507	7,621	14	398	780	1,549	2,334	2,546
$1,000	228,123	169,845	407	6,433	24,705	41,285	55,770	41,245
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $4,999	5,784	2,734	5	155	192	459	775	1,148
$5,000 to $24,999	5,405	3,039	4	165	315	626	943	986
$25,000 to $99,999	1,999	1,564	4	69	223	392	517	359
$100,000 or more	319	284	1	9	50	72	99	53
Secured by real estate ..... farms	10,810	6,091	6	263	647	1,216	1,904	2,055
$1,000	180,110	130,468	355	4,562	19,188	29,550	43,849	32,964
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $999	984	486	-	32	22	61	159	212
$1,000 to $4,999	3,297	1,584	-	44	137	270	445	688
$5,000 to $24,999	4,663	2,557	1	129	261	532	821	813
$25,000 to $49,999	1,112	825	3	40	113	206	248	215
$50,000 or more	754	639	2	18	114	147	231	127
Not secured by real estate ..... farms	6,844	4,162	13	264	435	843	1,281	1,326
$1,000	48,013	39,378	52	1,872	5,518	11,736	11,921	8,280
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $999	2,117	995	5	42	66	148	298	436
$1,000 to $4,999	2,803	1,673	3	137	182	294	511	546
$5,000 to $24,999	1,534	1,130	5	73	138	298	349	267
$25,000 to $49,999	230	213	-	7	30	53	79	44
$50,000 or more	160	151	-	5	19	50	44	33
Property taxes paid ..... farms	40,365	18,888	49	606	1,378	2,928	5,052	8,875
$1,000	131,712	78,791	103	2,152	7,322	15,665	23,082	30,467
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $4,999	34,643	15,180	47	514	990	2,131	3,925	7,573
$5,000 to $9,999	3,597	2,183	-	48	226	452	657	800
$10,000 to $24,999	1,649	1,164	2	34	119	265	350	394
$25,000 or more	476	361	-	10	43	80	120	108
All other production expenses (see text) ..... farms	21,095	12,176	29	516	1,093	2,228	3,434	4,876
$1,000	311,466	266,744	302	10,885	33,695	74,204	83,233	64,425
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $4,999	14,565	7,007	12	243	462	985	1,850	3,455
$5,000 to $24,999	4,542	3,454	14	190	419	822	1,030	979
$25,000 to $49,999	889	748	2	33	83	183	224	223
$50,000 to $99,999	555	487	1	25	59	113	185	104
$100,000 or more	544	480	-	25	70	125	145	115
Production expenses paid by landlords [1] ..... farms	788	588	-	16	66	96	191	219
$1,000	6,359	5,844	-	129	670	1,617	2,069	1,358
Depreciation expenses claimed ..... farms	18,534	10,928	28	470	987	1,996	3,064	4,383
$1,000	475,999	395,595	1,307	17,910	55,439	101,119	118,468	101,351
NET CASH FARM INCOME (SEE TEXT)								
Net cash farm income of operations ..... farms	42,257	19,858	84	781	1,482	3,128	5,265	9,118
$1,000	2,128,848	1,950,540	6,698	73,943	251,983	547,263	612,689	457,965
Average per farm ..... dollars	50,379	98,224	79,741	94,677	170,029	174,956	116,370	50,226
Farms with net gains [2] ..... number	16,743	9,655	46	471	791	1,784	2,554	4,009
Average net gain ..... dollars	157,622	234,050	158,637	191,538	365,830	344,744	272,992	139,842
Gain of-								
Less than $1,000	1,582	506	-	19	22	47	114	304
$1,000 to $4,999	3,269	1,327	5	45	51	131	288	807
$5,000 to $9,999	1,775	769	10	20	36	85	170	448
$10,000 to $24,999	2,524	1,244	5	58	61	180	290	650
$25,000 to $49,999	1,456	827	1	40	43	120	220	403
$50,000 or more	6,137	4,982	25	289	578	1,221	1,472	1,397
Farms with net losses ..... number	25,514	10,203	38	310	691	1,344	2,711	5,109
Average net loss ..... dollars	19,997	30,306	15,766	52,489	54,108	50,417	31,182	20,094
Loss of-								
Less than $1,000	2,082	673	5	15	22	71	137	423
$1,000 to $4,999	7,718	2,596	18	63	129	302	640	1,444
$5,000 to $9,999	5,583	2,126	4	48	125	290	567	1,092
$10,000 to $24,999	5,900	2,469	6	73	173	315	673	1,229
$25,000 to $49,999	2,601	1,285	1	41	105	182	375	581
$50,000 or more	1,630	1,054	4	70	137	184	319	340
Net cash farm income of operators ..... farms	42,257	19,858	84	781	1,482	3,128	5,265	9,118
$1,000	1,498,097	1,418,190	5,283	61,180	173,877	410,788	447,162	319,901
Average per farm ..... dollars	35,452	71,417	62,891	78,335	117,326	131,326	84,931	35,085
Operators reporting net gains [2] ..... farms	16,603	9,552	47	482	814	1,779	2,500	3,930
Average net gain ..... dollars	121,876	182,060	124,240	160,721	258,891	269,760	214,874	108,882

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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	740	4	54	76	170	226	210
	$1,000	3,432	4	168	184	1,067	975	1,034
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $999		387	2	34	39	85	109	118
$1,000 to $4,999		251	2	9	27	61	82	70
$5,000 to $24,999		78	-	10	9	15	30	14
$25,000 to $49,999		12	-	-	1	5	3	3
$50,000 or more		12	-	1	-	4	2	5
Interest expense	farms	5,886	14	271	627	1,481	1,839	1,654
	$1,000	58,278	32	1,665	5,266	17,178	17,288	16,848
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $4,999		3,050	13	171	304	752	947	863
$5,000 to $24,999		2,366	1	98	280	591	751	645
$25,000 to $99,999		435	-	2	41	127	131	134
$100,000 or more		35	-	-	2	11	10	12
Secured by real estate	farms	4,719	6	188	516	1,169	1,494	1,346
	$1,000	49,643	26	1,324	4,510	14,777	14,675	14,332
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $999		498	-	16	37	111	165	169
$1,000 to $4,999		1,713	5	86	192	413	527	490
$5,000 to $24,999		2,106	1	84	248	518	692	563
$25,000 to $49,999		287	-	2	33	93	69	90
$50,000 or more		115	-	-	6	34	41	34
Not secured by real estate	farms	2,682	9	136	266	673	809	789
	$1,000	8,635	6	342	756	2,401	2,613	2,517
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $999		1,122	8	50	123	247	343	351
$1,000 to $4,999		1,130	1	71	99	317	343	299
$5,000 to $24,999		404	-	15	40	100	115	134
$25,000 to $49,999		17	-	-	3	6	4	4
$50,000 or more		9	-	-	1	3	4	1
Property taxes paid	farms	21,477	43	767	2,026	5,001	6,783	6,857
	$1,000	52,921	68	1,213	3,922	11,793	17,452	18,474
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $4,999		19,463	39	726	1,914	4,594	6,094	6,096
$5,000 to $9,999		1,414	4	37	91	298	462	522
$10,000 to $24,999		485	-	4	18	92	183	188
$25,000 or more		115	-	-	3	17	44	51
All other production expenses (see text)	farms	8,919	18	330	925	2,232	2,828	2,586
	$1,000	44,723	7	888	6,240	10,059	13,781	13,748
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $4,999		7,558	18	288	784	1,894	2,379	2,195
$5,000 to $24,999		1,088	-	39	98	274	365	312
$25,000 to $49,999		141	-	-	17	37	43	44
$50,000 to $99,999		68	-	3	13	12	22	18
$100,000 or more		64	-	-	13	15	19	17
Production expenses paid by landlords [1]	farms	200	-	5	30	61	54	50
	$1,000	515	-	5	87	154	111	159
Depreciation expenses claimed	farms	7,606	26	228	667	1,775	2,424	2,486
	$1,000	80,405	72	1,546	6,723	23,202	25,849	23,013
NET CASH FARM INCOME (SEE TEXT)								
Net cash farm income of operations	farms	22,399	69	908	2,167	5,215	6,999	7,041
	$1,000	178,308	-192	-1,728	18,152	56,568	52,092	53,415
Average per farm	dollars	7,961	-2,777	-1,903	8,376	10,847	7,443	7,586
Farms with net gains [2]	number	7,088	23	255	610	1,602	2,194	2,404
Average net gain	dollars	53,513	3,649	22,726	61,072	64,407	54,091	47,552
Gain of-								
Less than $1,000		1,076	5	29	114	230	322	376
$1,000 to $4,999		1,942	13	73	150	456	581	669
$5,000 to $9,999		1,006	5	49	74	212	302	364
$10,000 to $24,999		1,280	-	31	113	282	424	430
$25,000 to $49,999		629	-	27	52	135	196	219
$50,000 or more		1,155	-	46	107	287	369	346
Farms with net losses	number	15,311	46	653	1,557	3,613	4,805	4,637
Average net loss	dollars	13,128	5,990	11,521	12,269	12,901	13,857	13,133
Loss of-								
Less than $1,000		1,409	5	87	128	275	423	491
$1,000 to $4,999		5,122	16	193	550	1,148	1,609	1,606
$5,000 to $9,999		3,457	19	182	367	848	1,042	999
$10,000 to $24,999		3,431	6	111	329	892	1,137	956
$25,000 to $49,999		1,316	-	58	138	333	402	385
$50,000 or more		576	-	22	45	117	192	200
Net cash farm income of operators	farms	22,399	69	908	2,167	5,215	6,999	7,041
	$1,000	79,907	-195	-3,359	8,436	24,465	20,000	30,560
Average per farm	dollars	3,567	-2,828	-3,700	3,893	4,691	2,858	4,340
Operators reporting net gains [2]	farms	7,051	23	250	612	1,600	2,180	2,386
Average net gain	dollars	40,344	3,649	16,564	44,809	45,404	40,363	38,634

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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
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	1,602	517	-	23	24	47	110	313
$1,000 to $4,999	3,287	1,337	5	42	51	127	301	811
$5,000 to $9,999	1,840	812	10	22	42	98	180	460
$10,000 to $24,999	2,762	1,413	5	66	63	202	339	738
$25,000 to $49,999	1,928	1,198	2	59	83	199	329	526
$50,000 or more	5,184	4,275	25	270	551	1,106	1,241	1,082
Operators reporting net losses ... farms	25,654	10,306	37	299	668	1,349	2,765	5,188
Average net loss ... dollars	20,480	31,132	15,039	54,474	55,181	51,234	32,558	20,818
Loss of-								
Less than $1,000	2,080	682	4	14	27	66	141	430
$1,000 to $4,999	7,739	2,603	19	64	117	301	648	1,454
$5,000 to $9,999	5,597	2,142	4	48	120	300	572	1,098
$10,000 to $24,999	5,972	2,524	6	65	177	331	682	1,263
$25,000 to $49,999	2,568	1,242	-	37	84	164	388	569
$50,000 or more	1,698	1,113	4	71	143	187	334	374
COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS (SEE TEXT)								
Total ... farms	653	547	6	33	62	131	171	144
$1,000	117,078	105,888	1	3,042	12,403	33,809	35,512	21,120
INCOME FROM FARM-RELATED SOURCES								
Total income from farm-related sources, gross before taxes and expenses (see text) ... farms	12,069	6,353	31	274	548	1,051	1,734	2,715
$1,000	219,910	144,411	517	7,776	10,955	33,708	44,521	46,935
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	1,782	1,229	25	99	138	234	361	372
$1,000	29,982	25,816	366	3,269	2,475	6,010	6,821	6,876
Gross cash rent or share payments ... farms	4,369	1,959	5	35	107	255	492	1,065
$1,000	45,143	23,002	89	321	965	3,910	5,805	11,913
Sales of forest products, excluding Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops, and maple products ... farms	2,233	1,032	4	11	69	155	285	508
$1,000	60,466	30,067	(D)	(D)	1,799	5,378	8,566	14,058
Agri-tourism and recreational services (see text) ... farms	944	471	-	19	25	83	139	205
$1,000	26,044	17,017	-	1,103	979	5,098	8,107	1,730
Patronage dividends and refunds from cooperatives ... farms	2,356	1,557	6	66	175	345	467	498
$1,000	8,719	7,159	(D)	(D)	901	1,789	2,436	1,817
Crop and livestock insurance payments received ... farms	956	697	-	41	101	108	216	231
$1,000	25,613	23,708	-	830	2,055	6,060	8,918	5,845
Amount from state and local government agricultural program payments ... farms	325	168	-	8	8	20	44	88
$1,000	1,900	1,567	-	123	48	275	355	766
Other farm-related income sources (see text) ... farms	1,439	720	5	43	67	127	203	275
$1,000	22,042	16,075	9	1,701	1,732	5,188	3,513	3,931
LAND USE								
Total cropland ... farms	28,360	14,288	53	606	1,018	2,251	3,818	6,542
acres	4,190,918	3,420,582	7,944	172,531	374,005	861,081	1,038,300	966,721
Harvested cropland ... farms	22,347	12,214	51	536	887	1,990	3,249	5,501
acres	3,609,788	3,128,287	7,551	162,272	346,855	811,987	958,761	840,861
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 49 acres	14,754	6,605	20	182	358	808	1,682	3,555
50 to 99 acres	2,512	1,439	6	71	87	218	353	704
100 to 199 acres	1,637	1,117	11	85	65	187	299	470
200 to 499 acres	1,263	1,023	12	74	135	207	280	315
500 to 999 acres	1,275	1,175	2	86	142	341	360	244
1,000 to 1,999 acres	620	581	-	28	65	158	183	147
2,000 acres or more	286	274	-	10	35	71	92	66
Cropland-								
Other pasture and grazing land that could have been used for crops without additional improvements (see text) ... farms	2,704	1,308	2	50	131	224	304	597
acres	130,564	87,232	(D)	(D)	9,263	14,059	24,635	36,878
On which all crops failed or were abandoned ... farms	1,258	595	1	22	27	85	180	280
acres	40,490	25,042	(D)	(D)	4,941	3,157	5,871	10,275
Idle or used for cover crops or soil improvement, but not harvested and not pastured or grazed (see text) ... farms	6,867	2,744	6	93	161	389	730	1,365
acres	359,889	145,369	208	5,546	7,972	27,491	39,651	64,501
In cultivated summer fallow ... farms	1,121	601	7	16	46	94	148	290
acres	50,187	34,652	118	1,585	4,974	4,387	9,382	14,206
Total woodland ... farms	26,154	12,129	45	318	777	1,711	3,276	6,002
acres	3,475,854	1,773,336	3,820	25,448	118,699	306,430	513,392	805,547
Woodland pastured ... farms	10,336	5,299	30	167	306	695	1,319	2,782
acres	370,185	221,041	522	3,705	11,306	30,875	63,364	111,269
Woodland not pastured ... farms	19,886	8,917	23	190	588	1,301	2,499	4,316
acres	3,105,669	1,552,295	3,298	21,743	107,393	275,555	450,028	694,278

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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	1,085	5	29	112	231	330	378
$1,000 to $4,999	1,950	13	70	150	456	590	671
$5,000 to $9,999	1,028	5	49	75	216	307	376
$10,000 to $24,999	1,349	-	39	113	312	443	442
$25,000 to $49,999	730	-	33	65	170	215	247
$50,000 or more	909	-	30	97	215	295	272
Operators reporting net losses ... farms	15,348	46	658	1,555	3,615	4,819	4,655
Average net loss ... dollars	13,328	6,066	11,399	12,210	13,328	14,109	13,238
Loss of-							
Less than $1,000	1,398	5	84	130	273	420	486
$1,000 to $4,999	5,136	16	200	546	1,150	1,608	1,616
$5,000 to $9,999	3,455	18	182	367	844	1,048	996
$10,000 to $24,999	3,448	7	111	331	893	1,138	968
$25,000 to $49,999	1,326	-	61	138	335	404	388
$50,000 or more	585	-	20	43	120	201	201
COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS (SEE TEXT)							
Total ... farms	106	-	4	18	31	26	27
$1,000	11,190	-	8	1,749	2,345	2,374	4,715
INCOME FROM FARM-RELATED SOURCES							
Total income from farm-related sources, gross before taxes and expenses (see text) ... farms	5,716	13	177	455	1,211	1,916	1,944
$1,000	75,499	67	953	3,694	10,810	26,525	33,451
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	553	6	33	73	132	179	130
$1,000	4,166	49	80	554	854	1,347	1,284
Gross cash rent or share payments ... farms	2,410	3	55	144	408	795	1,005
$1,000	22,141	5	286	787	2,985	6,379	11,699
Sales of forest products, excluding Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops, and maple products ... farms	1,201	3	26	92	254	400	426
$1,000	30,399	2	253	1,284	3,979	10,255	14,626
Agri-tourism and recreational services (see text) ... farms	473	-	7	33	90	170	173
$1,000	9,027	-	80	100	740	4,368	3,739
Patronage dividends and refunds from cooperatives ... farms	799	-	49	76	202	242	230
$1,000	1,560	-	32	101	394	686	348
Crop and livestock insurance payments received ... farms	259	4	31	26	46	95	57
$1,000	1,905	10	140	237	410	716	392
Amount from state and local government agricultural program payments ... farms	157	-	9	19	14	47	68
$1,000	333	-	65	35	26	84	125
Other farm-related income sources (see text) ... farms	719	-	8	80	198	272	161
$1,000	5,968	-	18	597	1,422	2,691	1,239
LAND USE							
Total cropland ... farms	14,072	35	519	1,293	3,179	4,484	4,562
acres	770,336	945	21,888	74,030	194,210	234,098	245,165
Harvested cropland ... farms	10,133	24	411	968	2,442	3,287	3,001
acres	481,501	469	16,380	59,067	121,723	150,889	132,973
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 49 acres	8,149	22	314	734	1,973	2,663	2,443
50 to 99 acres	1,073	2	59	101	245	320	346
100 to 199 acres	520	-	20	78	106	185	131
200 to 499 acres	240	-	13	30	84	68	45
500 to 999 acres	100	-	5	15	22	34	24
1,000 to 1,999 acres	39	-	-	9	9	14	7
2,000 acres or more	12	-	-	1	3	3	5
Cropland-							
Other pasture and grazing land that could have been used for crops without additional improvements (see text) ... farms	1,396	7	60	156	348	431	394
acres	43,332	70	1,302	2,919	10,301	14,297	14,443
On which all crops failed or were abandoned ... farms	663	2	30	57	185	201	188
acres	15,448	(D)	(D)	634	3,509	4,631	6,019
Idle or used for cover crops or soil improvement, but not harvested and not pastured or grazed (see text) ... farms	4,123	3	112	318	781	1,284	1,625
acres	214,520	(D)	(D)	10,619	55,237	60,153	85,663
In cultivated summer fallow ... farms	520	7	28	43	95	152	195
acres	15,535	183	926	791	3,440	4,128	6,067
Total woodland ... farms	14,025	32	487	1,212	3,124	4,506	4,664
acres	1,702,518	1,012	20,811	86,094	272,064	604,641	717,896
Woodland pastured ... farms	5,037	21	228	463	1,231	1,622	1,472
acres	149,144	521	4,278	9,151	32,478	49,663	53,053
Woodland not pastured ... farms	10,969	16	328	918	2,362	3,546	3,799
acres	1,553,374	491	16,533	76,943	239,586	554,978	664,843

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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	24,360	11,785	40	383	751	1,752	3,027	5,832
acres	1,373,836	830,315	3,507	22,331	57,288	139,541	229,509	378,139
Land in farmsteads, homes, buildings, livestock facilities, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. ... farms	27,744	13,390	37	459	964	2,096	3,605	6,229
acres	580,228	342,006	279	11,929	23,750	62,900	98,727	144,421
Irrigated land ... farms	5,230	3,507	11	256	378	769	1,144	949
acres	1,125,355	1,039,311	2,483	75,183	131,471	290,965	336,655	202,554
Harvested cropland ... farms	4,990	3,409	11	245	369	755	1,113	916
acres	1,112,359	1,029,028	2,483	74,677	130,732	288,708	332,214	200,214
Pastureland and other land ... farms	386	194	-	12	19	38	70	55
acres	12,996	10,283	-	506	739	2,257	4,441	2,340
CONSERVATION AND CROP INSURANCE								
Land enrolled in Conservation Reserve, Wetlands Reserve, Farmable Wetlands, or Conservation Reserve Enhancement Programs ... farms	4,878	1,635	2	10	75	175	380	993
acres	301,635	107,010	(D)	(D)	4,154	13,247	24,539	63,149
Land enrolled in crop insurance programs (see text) ... farms	4,909	3,720	26	254	372	823	1,073	1,172
acres	2,466,702	2,233,924	4,736	124,190	257,744	625,672	678,082	543,500
ORGANIC AGRICULTURE								
Total organic commodity sales (see text) ... farms	90	57	-	4	4	9	26	14
$1,000	5,725	5,174	-	463	(D)	3,024	446	(D)
VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS								
Estimated market value of land and buildings ... farms	42,257	19,858	84	781	1,482	3,128	5,265	9,118
$1,000	29,676,310	19,464,977	41,357	713,773	1,783,877	4,133,395	5,688,219	7,104,356
Average per farm ... dollars	702,282	980,208	492,343	913,922	1,203,695	1,321,418	1,080,384	779,157
Average per acre ... dollars	3,085	3,058	2,660	3,073	3,109	3,017	3,026	3,096
Farms by value group:								
$1 to $49,999 ...	3,202	1,165	19	42	57	193	296	558
$50,000 to $99,999 ...	3,690	1,379	6	57	106	217	320	673
$100,000 to $199,999 ...	7,692	2,927	17	124	178	402	755	1,451
$200,000 to $499,999 ...	13,801	5,813	16	196	412	696	1,497	2,996
$500,000 to $999,999 ...	7,221	3,836	13	146	264	600	1,020	1,793
$1,000,000 to $1,999,999 ...	3,636	2,382	11	123	220	464	657	907
$2,000,000 to $4,999,999 ...	2,238	1,731	1	77	185	408	505	555
$5,000,000 to $9,999,999 ...	563	446	1	13	41	103	156	132
$10,000,000 or more ...	214	179	-	3	19	45	59	53
VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT								
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ... farms	42,256	19,858	84	781	1,482	3,128	5,265	9,118
$1,000	3,935,960	2,924,535	7,971	185,227	338,635	660,466	875,168	857,069
Farms by value group:								
$1 to $4,999 ...	3,937	1,309	13	29	51	173	307	736
$5,000 to $9,999 ...	4,190	1,435	3	31	65	170	319	847
$10,000 to $19,999 ...	6,899	2,479	23	60	131	303	654	1,308
$20,000 to $49,999 ...	12,089	5,163	12	148	363	674	1,307	2,659
$50,000 to $99,999 ...	6,934	3,553	12	176	238	499	946	1,682
$100,000 to $199,999 ...	3,840	2,390	3	111	201	429	651	995
$200,000 to $499,999 ...	2,836	2,128	15	114	241	529	629	600
$500,000 or more ...	1,531	1,401	3	112	192	351	452	291
SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT								
Trucks, including pickups (see text) ... farms	32,908	17,220	66	708	1,325	2,695	4,643	7,783
number	64,831	40,118	136	1,621	3,370	7,627	11,457	15,907
Tractors, all ... farms	35,583	17,737	55	680	1,286	2,773	4,736	8,207
number	75,010	44,663	130	1,674	3,487	7,919	12,280	19,173
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) ... farms	15,242	7,221	19	200	479	971	1,862	3,690
number	19,481	9,598	19	260	669	1,252	2,432	4,966
40 to 99 horsepower (PTO) ... farms	25,360	12,989	42	478	858	2,014	3,422	6,175
number	39,887	22,787	76	765	1,568	3,787	6,079	10,512
100 horsepower (PTO) or more ... farms	7,472	5,115	22	329	509	1,099	1,449	1,707
number	15,642	12,278	35	649	1,250	2,880	3,769	3,695
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled ... farms	2,410	1,870	19	143	171	376	542	619
number	2,762	2,170	19	157	188	442	617	747
Cotton pickers and strippers, self-propelled ... farms	1,989	1,727	10	101	210	468	530	408
number	2,392	2,112	16	111	231	587	639	528
Forage harvesters, self-propelled ... farms	349	213	1	5	31	41	60	75
number	397	236	(D)	(D)	36	48	64	81
Hay balers ... farms	8,936	5,176	10	191	312	775	1,355	2,533
number	11,099	6,542	10	235	397	986	1,703	3,211

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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	12,575	34	575	1,308	3,139	3,988	3,531
acres	543,521	1,194	18,384	47,190	110,499	181,473	184,781
Land in farmsteads, homes, buildings, livestock facilities, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. ... farms	14,354	28	495	1,386	3,516	4,519	4,410
acres	238,222	366	3,445	14,490	48,727	76,364	94,830
Irrigated land ... farms	1,723	3	60	254	462	527	417
acres	86,044	3	1,051	12,465	23,499	23,048	25,978
Harvested cropland ... farms	1,581	3	56	235	418	477	392
acres	83,331	3	1,023	12,003	23,077	22,046	25,179
Pastureland and other land ... farms	192	-	5	29	60	64	34
acres	2,713	-	28	462	422	1,002	799
CONSERVATION AND CROP INSURANCE							
Land enrolled in Conservation Reserve, Wetlands Reserve, Farmable Wetlands, or Conservation Reserve Enhancement Programs ... farms	3,243	2	61	182	505	963	1,530
acres	194,625	(D)	(D)	11,125	26,140	58,696	96,167
Land enrolled in crop insurance programs (see text) ... farms	1,189	8	95	146	306	338	296
acres	232,778	584	11,105	28,872	58,181	71,087	62,949
ORGANIC AGRICULTURE							
Total organic commodity sales (see text) ... farms	33	-	-	6	8	13	6
$1,000	550	-	-	(D)	30	(D)	99
VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS							
Estimated market value of land and buildings ... farms	22,399	69	908	2,167	5,215	6,999	7,041
$1,000	10,211,334	11,489	256,493	749,491	2,209,006	3,424,353	3,560,502
Average per farm ... dollars	455,883	166,504	282,482	345,866	423,587	489,263	505,681
Average per acre ... dollars	3,138	3,267	3,975	3,379	3,532	3,123	2,865
Farms by value group:							
$1 to $49,999 ...	2,037	18	128	247	425	629	590
$50,000 to $99,999 ...	2,311	19	151	265	568	687	621
$100,000 to $199,999 ...	4,765	13	186	483	1,141	1,471	1,471
$200,000 to $499,999 ...	7,988	14	315	790	1,911	2,464	2,494
$500,000 to $999,999 ...	3,385	4	97	260	793	1,091	1,140
$1,000,000 to $1,999,999 ...	1,254	1	26	87	245	419	476
$2,000,000 to $4,999,999 ...	507	-	4	24	110	175	194
$5,000,000 to $9,999,999 ...	117	-	1	10	14	50	42
$10,000,000 or more ...	35	-	-	1	8	13	13
VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT							
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ... farms	22,398	69	908	2,167	5,215	6,998	7,041
$1,000	1,011,425	2,290	42,651	105,765	249,695	317,471	293,553
Farms by value group:							
$1 to $4,999 ...	2,628	12	79	237	515	795	990
$5,000 to $9,999 ...	2,755	4	81	218	659	808	985
$10,000 to $19,999 ...	4,420	13	205	389	1,019	1,363	1,431
$20,000 to $49,999 ...	6,926	24	275	701	1,591	2,241	2,094
$50,000 to $99,999 ...	3,381	12	161	376	857	1,039	936
$100,000 to $199,999 ...	1,450	4	69	151	364	481	381
$200,000 to $499,999 ...	708	-	35	82	181	220	190
$500,000 or more ...	130	-	3	13	29	51	34
SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT							
Trucks, including pickups (see text) ... farms	15,688	49	660	1,665	3,811	4,962	4,541
number	24,713	85	1,002	2,580	6,151	7,872	7,023
Tractors, all ... farms	17,846	60	678	1,733	4,200	5,749	5,426
number	30,347	94	1,109	2,710	6,923	9,889	9,622
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) ... farms	8,021	21	255	729	1,770	2,657	2,589
number	9,883	27	307	846	2,160	3,260	3,283
40 to 99 horsepower (PTO) ... farms	12,371	48	499	1,176	2,981	3,920	3,747
number	17,100	59	667	1,553	3,961	5,503	5,357
100 horsepower (PTO) or more ... farms	2,357	5	113	239	560	763	677
number	3,364	8	135	311	802	1,126	982
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled ... farms	540	1	36	62	131	178	132
number	592	(D)	(D)	65	135	201	154
Cotton pickers and strippers, self-propelled ... farms	262	-	11	32	76	81	62
number	280	-	11	34	82	83	70
Forage harvesters, self-propelled ... farms	136	-	5	16	32	48	35
number	161	-	5	17	43	57	39
Hay balers ... farms	3,760	14	125	336	917	1,250	1,118
number	4,557	14	154	409	1,107	1,542	1,331

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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	17,221	9,742	33	484	739	1,629	2,691	4,166
acres treated	3,393,219	2,958,109	6,928	157,171	328,869	774,055	901,546	789,540
Manure used ... farms	6,562	3,987	24	205	303	714	1,067	1,674
acres treated	633,534	509,754	3,811	28,619	56,207	128,763	143,217	149,137
Acres treated to control-								
Insects ... farms	8,719	5,686	29	396	561	1,155	1,597	1,948
acres	2,178,419	1,986,530	5,836	129,606	236,488	542,187	612,166	460,247
Weeds, grass, or brush ... farms	15,329	9,035	38	475	759	1,628	2,579	3,556
acres	3,395,168	2,985,486	8,461	162,407	335,085	788,472	909,041	782,020
Nematodes ... farms	2,547	1,913	10	153	211	407	584	548
acres	1,112,678	1,011,996	2,857	71,457	120,282	248,595	323,064	245,741
Diseases in crops and orchards ... farms	3,674	2,580	5	172	271	551	764	817
acres	961,566	892,511	1,723	41,042	110,702	238,598	287,927	212,519
Chemicals used to control growth, thin fruit, ripen, or defoliate ... farms	2,562	2,010	10	157	234	525	590	494
acres on which used	1,128,744	1,046,688	2,552	77,826	117,752	294,631	337,376	216,551
LAND USE PRACTICES								
Land drained by tile ... farms	1,397	1,005	1	69	91	190	299	355
acres	107,145	92,446	(D)	(D)	12,014	25,921	26,850	20,246
Land artificially drained by ditches ... farms	2,779	1,567	6	74	133	263	476	615
acres	221,416	173,964	300	7,367	11,397	33,723	64,094	57,083
Land under conservation easement ... farms	4,966	2,162	3	46	139	324	594	1,056
acres	729,393	352,627	(D)	(D)	26,759	54,660	78,955	188,153
Cropland on which no-till practices were used ... farms	2,743	1,908	18	115	176	415	512	672
acres	699,406	626,117	1,524	38,076	52,832	171,759	180,581	181,345
Cropland on which conservation tillage, including no till, practices were used ... farms	2,355	1,794	13	135	213	399	529	505
acres	905,147	841,006	1,668	45,513	114,586	228,979	275,848	174,412
Cropland on which conventional tillage practices were used ... farms	6,001	3,709	28	260	358	683	1,038	1,342
acres	1,346,435	1,215,960	3,082	65,833	145,860	327,671	359,126	314,388
Cropland planted to a cover crop (excluding CRP) ... farms	2,235	1,516	11	107	119	336	445	498
acres	370,137	335,129	2,110	25,911	31,251	94,440	100,629	80,788
ENERGY								
Renewable energy producing systems ... farms	343	182	-	15	13	25	57	72
Solar panels ... farms	247	125	-	12	10	14	37	52
Wind turbines ... farms	10	7	-	-	-	-	3	4
Methane digesters ... farms	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	-
Geoexchange systems ... farms	50	25	-	3	1	-	10	11
Small hydro systems ... farms	13	7	-	-	-	4	2	1
Biodiesel ... farms	36	21	-	-	1	2	9	9
Ethanol ... farms	16	7	-	-	-	2	3	2
Other ... farms	8	3	-	-	-	-	-	3
Wind rights leased to others ... farms	5	3	-	-	-	1	1	1
TENURE								
Full owners ... farms	31,544	13,155	30	297	792	1,769	3,431	6,836
Part owners ... farms	8,660	5,626	14	257	549	1,094	1,619	2,093
Tenants ... farms	2,053	1,077	40	227	141	265	215	189
OWNED AND RENTED LAND								
Land owned ... farms	40,244	18,806	44	554	1,346	2,865	5,053	8,944
acres	7,507,808	4,347,133	5,959	76,698	303,974	781,675	1,252,789	1,926,038
Owned land in farms ... farms	40,204	18,781	44	554	1,341	2,863	5,050	8,929
acres	6,924,984	4,088,047	5,839	73,156	292,983	738,035	1,195,149	1,782,885
Land rented or leased from others ... farms	10,784	6,739	57	484	692	1,361	1,843	2,302
acres	2,716,249	2,293,267	9,981	159,353	282,039	634,627	689,764	517,503
Rented or leased land in farms ... farms	10,713	6,703	54	484	690	1,359	1,834	2,282
acres	2,695,852	2,278,192	9,711	159,083	280,759	631,917	684,779	511,943
Land rented or leased to others ... farms	4,595	2,000	5	36	103	252	525	1,079
acres	603,221	274,161	390	3,812	12,271	46,350	62,625	148,713
NUMBER OF OPERATORS								
Total operators ... number	61,859	28,629	116	1,153	2,178	4,615	7,760	12,807
Farms by number of operators:								
1 operator ...	26,061	12,592	61	488	890	1,900	3,195	6,058
2 operators ...	13,596	6,105	14	230	514	1,015	1,772	2,560
3 operators ...	2,120	960	9	54	61	182	227	427
4 operators ...	329	135	-	5	14	22	40	54
5 or more operators ...	151	66	-	4	3	9	31	19
Total women operators ... number	18,065	7,600	22	253	618	1,324	2,088	3,295
Farms by number of women operators:								
1 operator ...	15,988	6,816	22	223	557	1,169	1,874	2,971
2 operators ...	794	300	-	15	24	59	72	130
3 operators ...	136	50	-	-	3	11	18	18
4 operators ...	9	3	-	-	1	1	1	-
5 or more operators ...	8	4	-	-	-	-	2	2

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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	7,479	17	366	852	1,923	2,424	1,897
	acres treated	435,110	528	17,898	57,604	108,819	129,678	120,583
Manure used	farms	2,575	6	149	292	701	832	595
	acres treated	123,780	161	7,195	14,132	31,577	40,236	30,479
Acres treated to control-								
Insects	farms	3,033	14	186	366	790	965	712
	acres	191,889	317	10,864	24,456	55,005	56,337	44,910
Weeds, grass, or brush	farms	6,294	20	339	735	1,741	1,965	1,494
	acres	409,682	381	18,957	54,778	110,566	125,289	99,711
Nematodes	farms	634	-	26	91	158	175	184
	acres	100,682	-	1,642	16,367	24,586	25,786	32,301
Diseases in crops and orchards	farms	1,094	3	56	130	265	351	289
	acres	69,055	3	2,407	7,955	16,641	20,189	21,860
Chemicals used to control growth, thin fruit, ripen, or defoliate	farms	552	-	29	71	140	166	146
	acres on which used	82,056	-	1,558	9,366	21,996	29,240	19,896
LAND USE PRACTICES								
Land drained by tile	farms	392	-	14	59	83	147	89
	acres	14,699	-	706	2,506	2,882	5,237	3,368
Land artificially drained by ditches	farms	1,212	-	48	163	323	366	312
	acres	47,452	-	2,057	4,046	8,914	17,472	14,963
Land under conservation easement	farms	2,804	9	106	273	636	941	839
	acres	376,766	898	5,612	22,651	58,583	154,381	134,641
Cropland on which no-till practices were used	farms	835	1	47	77	202	266	242
	acres	73,289	(D)	(D)	8,646	16,459	21,047	23,277
Cropland on which conservation tillage, including no till, practices were used	farms	561	3	32	95	136	159	136
	acres	64,141	6	1,973	19,606	10,783	22,197	9,576
Cropland on which conventional tillage practices were used	farms	2,292	14	150	226	562	724	616
	acres	130,475	378	4,709	10,465	44,719	36,192	34,012
Cropland planted to a cover crop (excluding CRP)	farms	719	-	29	82	203	234	171
	acres	35,008	-	456	7,839	9,245	10,043	7,425
ENERGY								
Renewable energy producing systems	farms	161	-	-	16	49	65	31
Solar panels	farms	122	-	-	11	39	52	20
Wind turbines	farms	3	-	-	-	2	1	-
Methane digesters	farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Geoexchange systems	farms	25	-	-	5	-	8	12
Small hydro systems	farms	6	-	-	3	1	-	2
Biodiesel	farms	15	-	-	3	8	2	2
Ethanol	farms	9	-	-	-	7	2	-
Other	farms	5	-	-	-	-	3	2
Wind rights leased to others	farms	2	-	-	-	-	2	-
TENURE								
Full owners	farms	18,389	31	553	1,569	4,145	5,818	6,273
Part owners	farms	3,034	11	187	438	814	961	623
Tenants	farms	976	27	168	160	256	220	145
OWNED AND RENTED LAND								
Land owned	farms	21,438	42	740	2,008	4,959	6,790	6,899
	acres	3,160,675	2,219	40,539	169,849	565,276	1,045,748	1,337,044
Owned land in farms	farms	21,423	42	740	2,007	4,959	6,779	6,896
	acres	2,836,937	2,099	36,585	158,901	520,904	961,699	1,156,749
Land rented or leased from others	farms	4,045	38	357	598	1,078	1,192	782
	acres	422,982	1,418	27,945	63,129	105,639	137,305	87,546
Rented or leased land in farms	farms	4,010	38	355	598	1,070	1,181	768
	acres	417,660	1,418	27,943	62,903	104,596	134,877	85,923
Land rented or leased to others	farms	2,595	3	66	160	426	863	1,077
	acres	329,060	120	3,956	11,174	45,415	86,477	181,918
NUMBER OF OPERATORS								
Total operators	number	33,230	104	1,440	3,372	8,102	10,427	9,785
Farms by number of operators:								
1 operator		13,469	42	462	1,111	2,842	4,170	4,842
2 operators		7,491	19	391	940	1,989	2,400	1,752
3 operators		1,160	8	38	92	299	344	379
4 operators		194	-	10	21	57	56	50
5 or more operators		85	-	7	3	28	29	18
Total women operators	number	10,465	22	449	1,078	2,725	3,271	2,920
Farms by number of women operators:								
1 operator		9,172	14	422	969	2,314	2,901	2,552
2 operators		494	4	9	47	171	140	123
3 operators		86	-	3	5	23	21	34
4 operators		6	-	-	-	-	1	5
5 or more operators		4	-	-	-	-	4	-

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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	35,853	17,172	75	696	1,220	2,583	4,552	8,046
Female	6,404	2,686	9	85	262	545	713	1,072
Primary occupation:								
Farming	19,858	19,858	84	781	1,482	3,128	5,265	9,118
Other	22,399	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Place of residence:								
On farm operated	32,751	16,496	52	547	1,140	2,536	4,446	7,775
Not on farm operated	9,506	3,362	32	234	342	592	819	1,343
Days worked off farm:								
None	17,798	13,224	33	342	762	1,770	3,251	7,066
Any	24,459	6,634	51	439	720	1,358	2,014	2,052
1 to 49 days	3,017	1,452	12	66	126	217	431	600
50 to 99 days	1,804	826	13	37	55	140	267	314
100 to 199 days	3,439	1,112	10	59	117	209	380	337
200 days or more	16,199	3,244	16	277	422	792	936	801
Years on present farm:								
2 years or less	1,397	502	28	76	88	89	116	105
3 or 4 years	2,255	846	43	154	146	180	191	132
5 to 9 years	6,331	2,511	13	308	400	542	611	637
10 years or more	32,274	15,999	-	243	848	2,317	4,347	8,244
Average years on present farm	22.0	24.6	3.0	7.5	12.0	17.8	22.5	31.9
Years operating any farm (see text):								
2 years or less	1,032	353	25	59	51	72	80	66
3 or 4 years	1,836	667	42	109	126	151	138	101
5 to 9 years	5,504	2,121	17	293	344	465	522	480
10 years or more	33,885	16,717	-	320	961	2,440	4,525	8,471
Average years operating any farm	23.7	26.6	3.3	8.6	13.3	19.4	24.6	34.2
Age group:								
Under 25 years	153	84	84	-	-	-	-	-
25 to 34 years	1,689	781	-	781	-	-	-	-
35 to 44 years	3,649	1,482	-	-	1,482	-	-	-
45 to 49 years	3,535	1,315	-	-	-	1,315	-	-
50 to 54 years	4,808	1,813	-	-	-	1,813	-	-
55 to 59 years	6,052	2,481	-	-	-	-	2,481	-
60 to 64 years	6,212	2,784	-	-	-	-	2,784	-
65 to 69 years	5,995	3,257	-	-	-	-	-	3,257
70 years and over	10,164	5,861	-	-	-	-	-	5,861
Average age	59.9	61.6	21.0	30.8	40.3	49.9	59.7	73.1
Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin (see text)	443	184	7	4	30	24	50	69
Race:								
American Indian or Alaska Native	127	55	-	-	6	8	22	19
Asian	239	192	2	2	36	53	61	38
Black or African American	1,986	935	5	32	19	107	241	531
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	12	2	-	1	-	-	1	-
White	39,736	18,592	77	743	1,416	2,944	4,917	8,495
More than one race reported	157	82	-	3	5	16	23	35
Farms by number of persons living in operator's household:								
1 person	5,791	2,852	25	109	130	342	618	1,628
2 people	22,496	11,235	16	197	236	1,122	3,277	6,387
3 people	6,184	2,694	20	160	283	699	834	698
4 people	5,137	2,073	14	229	545	639	374	272
5 or more people	2,649	1,004	9	86	288	326	162	133
Percent of operator's total household income from farming:								
Less than 25 percent	31,824	11,631	39	299	626	1,441	2,825	6,401
25 to 49 percent	2,774	1,670	16	45	97	186	412	914
50 to 74 percent	3,129	2,446	5	160	220	390	586	1,085
75 to 99 percent	2,213	1,898	8	139	201	362	476	712
100 percent	2,317	2,213	16	138	338	749	966	6
Operator is a hired manager ... farms	1,164	836	3	82	118	217	233	183
acres	881,169	716,901	(D)	(D)	87,469	247,976	213,816	139,866
Farms with-								
Internet access	29,395	13,293	71	628	1,248	2,460	3,942	4,944
Dial-up service	1,954	946	12	23	78	131	284	418
DSL service	17,631	7,949	29	373	762	1,483	2,355	2,947
Cable modem service	3,679	1,550	8	69	118	252	426	677
Fiber-optic service	1,147	521	-	19	42	96	168	196
Mobile broadband plan for a computer or cell phone	4,585	2,047	19	166	234	432	583	613
Satellite service	3,610	1,810	11	56	145	350	544	704
Broadband over Power Lines (BPL)	536	263	-	8	19	34	88	114
Other Internet service	228	91	-	4	10	15	31	31
Farms by number of households sharing in net income of operation:								
1 household	34,620	15,642	70	624	1,219	2,459	4,142	7,128
2 households	5,887	3,270	4	116	176	440	881	1,653
3 households	1,052	569	6	26	17	133	159	228
4 households	397	220	3	10	44	51	45	67
5 or more households	301	157	1	5	26	45	38	42

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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	18,681	61	794	1,923	4,427	5,865	5,611
Female	3,718	8	114	244	788	1,134	1,430
Primary occupation:							
Farming	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other	22,399	69	908	2,167	5,215	6,999	7,041
Place of residence:							
On farm operated	16,255	45	655	1,594	3,919	5,202	4,840
Not on farm operated	6,144	24	253	573	1,296	1,797	2,201
Days worked off farm:							
None	4,574	4	45	120	342	1,015	3,048
Any	17,825	65	863	2,047	4,873	5,984	3,993
1 to 49 days	1,565	6	52	140	264	547	556
50 to 99 days	978	16	34	83	162	364	319
100 to 199 days	2,327	4	131	252	511	751	678
200 days or more	12,955	39	646	1,572	3,936	4,322	2,440
Years on present farm:							
2 years or less	895	15	171	184	223	191	111
3 or 4 years	1,409	25	204	249	385	341	205
5 to 9 years	3,820	29	324	708	1,088	1,133	538
10 years or more	16,275	-	209	1,026	3,519	5,334	6,187
Average years on present farm	19.6	4.2	6.5	10.0	14.9	19.5	28.0
Years operating any farm (see text):							
2 years or less	679	12	137	131	160	144	95
3 or 4 years	1,169	28	171	211	321	269	169
5 to 9 years	3,383	29	310	683	945	963	453
10 years or more	17,168	-	290	1,142	3,789	5,623	6,324
Average years operating any farm	21.2	4.3	7.4	11.1	16.4	21.2	29.8
Age group:							
Under 25 years	69	69	-	-	-	-	-
25 to 34 years	908	-	908	-	-	-	-
35 to 44 years	2,167	-	-	2,167	-	-	-
45 to 49 years	2,220	-	-	-	2,220	-	-
50 to 54 years	2,995	-	-	-	2,995	-	-
55 to 59 years	3,571	-	-	-	-	3,571	-
60 to 64 years	3,428	-	-	-	-	3,428	-
65 to 69 years	2,738	-	-	-	-	-	2,738
70 years and over	4,303	-	-	-	-	-	4,303
Average age	58.3	21.7	31.2	40.3	50.0	59.4	72.9
Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin (see text)	259	-	9	43	85	60	62
Race:							
American Indian or Alaska Native	72	3	-	7	26	27	9
Asian	47	-	1	7	11	17	11
Black or African American	1,051	-	33	54	191	349	424
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	10	-	-	-	6	3	1
White	21,144	66	874	2,093	4,961	6,580	6,570
More than one race reported	75	-	-	6	20	23	26
Farms by number of persons living in operator's household:							
1 person	2,939	16	76	134	442	857	1,414
2 people	11,261	13	189	409	1,753	4,330	4,567
3 people	3,490	18	251	396	1,164	1,041	620
4 people	3,064	15	295	763	1,176	536	279
5 or more people	1,645	7	97	465	680	235	161
Percent of operator's total household income from farming:							
Less than 25 percent	20,193	62	819	1,940	4,723	6,310	6,339
25 to 49 percent	1,104	5	51	113	248	318	369
50 to 74 percent	683	2	20	51	166	220	224
75 to 99 percent	315	-	13	49	44	100	109
100 percent	104	-	5	14	34	51	-
Operator is a hired manager ... farms	328	-	26	32	79	103	88
acres	164,268	-	2,786	4,136	62,228	57,070	38,048
Farms with-							
Internet access	16,102	57	755	1,833	4,230	5,073	4,154
Dial-up service	1,008	4	29	81	209	305	380
DSL service	9,682	23	427	1,135	2,588	3,058	2,451
Cable modem service	2,129	5	97	191	493	704	639
Fiber-optic service	626	-	16	58	149	225	178
Mobile broadband plan for a computer or cell phone	2,538	19	183	379	726	692	539
Satellite service	1,800	10	69	167	478	575	501
Broadband over Power Lines (BPL)	273	4	9	23	72	104	61
Other Internet service	137	-	4	28	33	41	31
Farms by number of households sharing in net income of operation:							
1 household	18,978	60	774	1,881	4,536	5,904	5,823
2 households	2,617	3	104	183	490	862	975
3 households	483	6	9	38	110	165	155
4 households	177	-	13	35	45	42	42
5 or more households	144	-	8	30	34	26	46

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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	40,891	19,159	74	732	1,413	2,982	5,076	8,882
	acres	8,906,536	5,883,467	10,782	212,693	532,286	1,254,555	1,712,930	2,160,221
Limited Liability Corporation	farms	2,380	1,297	9	76	162	228	355	467
	acres	968,604	606,191	2,085	27,220	74,052	132,026	176,893	193,915
LEGAL STATUS FOR TAX PURPOSES (SEE TEXT)									
Family or individual	farms	36,863	16,868	71	666	1,188	2,494	4,411	8,038
	acres	6,610,516	4,280,768	10,696	183,220	396,513	839,137	1,222,783	1,628,419
Partnership	farms	2,535	1,384	3	68	137	253	348	575
	acres	1,654,763	1,215,306	528	30,892	96,905	302,699	367,481	416,801
Registered under state law	farms	1,836	1,025	-	61	107	183	266	408
	acres	1,250,430	876,742	-	25,658	72,756	211,448	281,618	285,262
Corporation	farms	2,410	1,443	9	39	144	351	465	435
	acres	1,192,077	788,484	(D)	(D)	74,584	203,715	259,461	231,756
Family held	farms	2,152	1,310	9	33	129	320	415	404
	acres	1,079,965	744,724	(D)	(D)	70,982	196,750	235,503	223,898
More than 10 stockholders	farms	54	33	-	2	2	5	12	12
10 or less stockholders	farms	2,098	1,277	9	31	127	315	403	392
Other than family held	farms	258	133	-	6	15	31	50	31
	acres	112,112	43,760	-	1,377	3,602	6,965	23,958	7,858
More than 10 stockholders	farms	21	14	-	4	2	2	2	4
10 or less stockholders	farms	237	119	-	2	13	29	48	27
Other-cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc	farms	449	163	1	8	13	30	41	70
	acres	163,480	81,681	(D)	(D)	5,740	24,401	30,203	17,852
HIRED FARM LABOR									
Hired farm labor	farms	12,258	7,728	32	369	727	1,491	2,190	2,919
	workers	51,156	39,093	69	1,688	4,247	9,671	12,279	11,139
Workers by days worked:									
150 days or more	farms	6,030	4,405	7	219	512	965	1,306	1,396
	workers	18,439	14,968	18	615	1,704	3,672	5,179	3,780
Less than 150 days	farms	8,348	4,989	27	236	408	915	1,371	2,032
	workers	32,717	24,125	51	1,073	2,543	5,999	7,100	7,359
Migrant farm labor on farms with hired labor (see text)	farms	460	389	-	30	38	89	114	118
Migrant farm labor on farms reporting only contract labor (see text)	farms	93	50	-	2	2	19	19	8
Unpaid workers (see text)	farms	17,399	7,822	43	249	617	1,241	2,102	3,570
	workers	37,675	16,379	104	562	1,344	2,648	4,370	7,351
FARMS BY SIZE									
1 to 9 acres		3,025	1,133	10	48	129	224	339	383
10 to 49 acres		13,834	5,464	23	215	425	873	1,426	2,502
50 to 69 acres		4,202	1,743	5	55	105	218	448	912
70 to 99 acres		4,061	1,874	8	45	110	218	485	1,008
100 to 139 acres		3,992	1,825	-	87	107	205	453	973
140 to 179 acres		2,416	1,226	9	41	71	146	296	663
180 to 219 acres		1,845	892	3	32	44	111	209	493
220 to 259 acres		1,213	640	5	18	36	110	136	335
260 to 499 acres		3,276	1,801	15	88	130	255	474	839
500 to 999 acres		2,284	1,593	4	106	147	366	452	518
1,000 to 1,999 acres		1,375	1,083	2	30	120	253	360	318
2,000 acres or more		734	584	-	16	58	149	187	174
FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM (NAICS)									
Oilseed and grain farming (1111)		1,940	1,085	14	79	79	179	257	477
Vegetable and melon farming (1112)		1,081	515	3	32	44	88	182	166
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113)		2,931	1,214	1	20	56	170	329	638
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114)		1,015	513	4	21	45	98	183	162
Other crop farming (1119)		11,856	5,007	13	231	379	830	1,342	2,212
Tobacco farming (11191)		28	25	-	4	4	6	6	5
Cotton farming (11192)		1,175	992	3	101	96	267	282	243
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193,11194,11199)		10,653	3,990	10	126	279	557	1,054	1,964
Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111)		12,858	5,948	28	160	245	553	1,348	3,614
Cattle feedlots (112112)		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212)		232	202	7	3	37	47	78	30
Hog and pig farming (1122)		247	91	-	3	6	15	39	28
Poultry and egg production (1123)		4,158	3,010	10	138	371	720	835	936
Sheep and goat farming (1124)		1,912	616	3	52	61	104	143	253
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129)		4,027	1,657	1	42	159	324	529	602
LIVESTOCK									
Cattle and calves inventory	farms	17,188	8,946	43	294	542	1,192	2,245	4,630
	number	1,033,717	767,634	3,123	20,554	71,995	160,190	221,663	290,109
Farms with-									
1 to 9		3,749	1,360	10	51	110	178	391	620
10 to 49		8,939	4,451	23	146	200	481	984	2,617
50 to 99		2,349	1,436	3	53	79	206	337	758
100 to 199		1,214	885	6	18	70	150	257	384

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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
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	21,732	65	888	2,121	5,092	6,768	6,798
	acres	3,023,069	3,313	61,430	204,710	597,057	988,669	1,167,890
Limited Liability Corporation	farms	1,083	3	41	119	240	329	351
	acres	362,413	393	5,941	28,950	60,917	119,011	147,201
LEGAL STATUS FOR TAX PURPOSES (SEE TEXT)								
Family or individual	farms	19,995	63	845	1,995	4,684	6,203	6,205
	acres	2,329,748	3,283	54,515	174,175	442,740	756,277	898,758
Partnership	farms	1,151	2	27	81	233	377	431
	acres	439,457	(D)	(D)	34,707	68,827	148,029	182,739
Registered under state law	farms	811	-	13	60	173	270	295
	acres	373,688	-	2,437	32,595	54,121	129,214	155,321
Corporation	farms	967	4	26	66	248	329	294
	acres	403,593	(D)	(D)	11,752	102,694	155,673	128,991
Family held	farms	842	4	21	49	223	286	259
	acres	335,241	(D)	(D)	10,248	94,810	111,278	114,772
More than 10 stockholders	farms	21	-	3	1	-	6	11
10 or less stockholders	farms	821	4	18	48	223	280	248
Other than family held	farms	125	-	5	17	25	43	35
	acres	68,352	-	350	1,504	7,884	44,395	14,219
More than 10 stockholders	farms	7	-	-	-	2	4	1
10 or less stockholders	farms	118	-	5	17	23	39	34
Other-cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc	farms	286	-	10	25	50	90	111
	acres	81,799	-	609	1,170	11,239	36,597	32,184
HIRED FARM LABOR								
Hired farm labor	farms	4,530	-	139	407	1,054	1,456	1,474
	workers	12,063	-	284	1,094	2,940	3,873	3,872
Workers by days worked:								
150 days or more	farms	1,625	-	44	136	361	577	507
	workers	3,471	-	54	293	785	1,242	1,097
Less than 150 days	farms	3,359	-	102	323	792	1,018	1,124
	workers	8,592	-	230	801	2,155	2,631	2,775
Migrant farm labor on farms with hired labor (see text)	farms	71	-	2	10	18	15	26
Migrant farm labor on farms reporting only contract labor (see text)	farms	43	-	4	10	12	8	9
Unpaid workers (see text)	farms	9,577	36	429	1,053	2,448	2,955	2,656
	workers	21,296	83	982	2,804	5,795	6,184	5,448
FARMS BY SIZE								
1 to 9 acres		1,892	14	134	277	533	542	392
10 to 49 acres		8,370	33	415	949	2,100	2,582	2,291
50 to 69 acres		2,459	10	109	209	585	776	770
70 to 99 acres		2,187	1	51	175	522	712	726
100 to 139 acres		2,167	3	87	186	443	662	786
140 to 179 acres		1,190	6	31	89	258	358	448
180 to 219 acres		953	1	29	62	187	332	342
220 to 259 acres		573	-	9	38	122	174	230
260 to 499 acres		1,475	-	31	100	280	484	580
500 to 999 acres		691	1	10	62	120	214	284
1,000 to 1,999 acres		292	-	1	15	44	103	129
2,000 acres or more		150	-	1	5	21	60	63
FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM (NAICS)								
Oilseed and grain farming (1111)		855	6	64	83	214	258	230
Vegetable and melon farming (1112)		566	-	33	64	148	195	126
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113)		1,717	6	46	171	417	563	514
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114)		502	-	19	43	137	156	147
Other crop farming (1119)		6,849	15	141	512	1,315	2,094	2,772
Tobacco farming (11191)		3	-	2	-	-	-	1
Cotton farming (11192)		183	-	11	25	50	56	41
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193,11194,11199)		6,663	15	128	487	1,265	2,038	2,730
Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111)		6,910	29	345	696	1,620	2,153	2,067
Cattle feedlots (112112)		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212)		30	-	-	1	8	4	17
Hog and pig farming (1122)		156	4	18	22	49	31	32
Poultry and egg production (1123)		1,148	-	70	143	322	360	253
Sheep and goat farming (1124)		1,296	2	97	210	331	358	298
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129)		2,370	7	75	222	654	827	585
LIVESTOCK								
Cattle and calves inventory	farms	8,242	33	398	859	1,959	2,560	2,433
	number	266,083	510	9,575	27,424	63,032	82,386	83,156
Farms with-								
1 to 9		2,389	15	138	282	556	754	644
10 to 49		4,488	17	201	431	1,095	1,384	1,360
50 to 99		913	1	48	90	204	285	285
100 to 199		329	-	10	42	69	100	108

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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
LIVESTOCK - Con.								
Cattle and calves inventory - Con.								
Farms with- - Con.								
200 to 499	699	591	-	23	50	119	208	191
500 or more	238	223	1	3	33	58	68	60
Cows and heifers that calved ... farms	15,413	8,110	36	260	490	1,051	2,007	4,266
number	549,434	391,730	1,933	8,117	34,889	81,646	113,042	152,103
Beef cows ... farms	15,175	7,907	32	257	457	994	1,936	4,231
number	469,942	317,240	(D)	(D)	23,553	54,857	88,971	141,618
Farms with-								
1 to 9	4,865	1,943	11	82	120	199	496	1,035
10 to 49	7,891	4,178	13	132	198	454	962	2,419
50 to 99	1,586	1,091	8	35	78	175	274	521
100 to 199	540	451	-	2	36	111	122	180
200 to 499	256	211	-	6	22	48	68	67
500 or more	37	33	-	-	3	7	14	9
Milk cows ... farms	348	284	7	3	46	74	93	61
number	79,492	74,490	(D)	(D)	11,336	26,789	24,071	10,485
Farms with-								
1 to 9	98	56	3	-	7	15	8	23
10 to 49	35	32	3	-	10	6	7	6
50 to 99	36	32	-	1	7	11	8	5
100 to 199	104	92	-	-	10	24	43	15
200 to 499	43	43	-	2	6	10	16	9
500 or more	32	29	1	-	6	8	11	3
Other cattle (see text) ... farms	13,963	7,526	34	245	445	983	1,899	3,920
number	484,283	375,904	1,190	12,437	37,106	78,544	108,621	138,006
Cattle and calves sold ... farms	13,982	7,698	35	248	437	993	1,864	4,121
number	537,089	414,847	1,647	15,786	33,682	79,385	108,444	175,903
$1,000	403,172	316,829	(D)	(D)	26,631	56,344	80,126	140,047
Calves weighing less than 500 pounds ... farms	9,651	5,350	16	169	289	701	1,227	2,948
number	185,321	134,249	713	2,567	9,307	33,839	36,648	51,175
Cattle, including calves weighing 500 pounds or more ... farms	11,302	6,350	28	207	335	805	1,559	3,416
number	351,768	280,598	934	13,219	24,375	45,546	71,796	124,728
Cattle on feed (see text) ... farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
number	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hogs and pigs inventory ... farms	866	368	1	21	52	67	115	112
number	153,733	142,671	(D)	(D)	(D)	40,063	39,923	56,367
Farms with-								
1 to 24	704	270	1	20	41	45	80	83
25 to 49	65	28	-	-	1	2	16	9
50 to 99	38	17	-	-	-	7	5	5
100 to 199	19	18	-	-	8	1	4	5
200 to 499	5	3	-	-	1	-	2	-
500 or more	35	32	-	1	1	12	8	10
Used or to be used for breeding ... farms	522	219	-	4	24	38	85	68
number	21,114	19,250	-	10	350	7,402	7,790	3,698
Other hogs and pigs ... farms	686	286	1	19	44	53	82	87
number	132,619	123,421	(D)	(D)	(D)	32,661	32,133	52,669
Hogs and pigs sold ... farms	600	253	4	8	39	52	70	80
number	696,608	658,063	15	(D)	(D)	234,576	215,182	194,050
$1,000	56,386	52,853	2	(D)	(D)	16,090	(D)	21,373
Sheep and lambs inventory (see text) ... farms	688	261	-	6	31	46	84	94
number	21,798	10,825	-	661	875	793	5,564	2,932
Ewes 1 year old or older ... farms	500	194	-	4	16	36	63	75
number	10,492	4,974	-	640	489	445	1,693	1,707
Sheep and lambs sold ... farms	417	158	-	4	19	24	53	58
number	8,591	3,792	-	500	264	352	1,382	1,294
Total horses and ponies inventory ... farms	9,502	3,901	7	144	346	688	1,147	1,569
number	69,861	39,131	31	1,020	2,808	4,949	19,051	11,272
Owned horses and ponies inventory ... farms	9,051	3,712	5	131	333	675	1,109	1,459
number	51,033	23,874	10	726	1,954	3,958	7,564	9,662
Owned horses and ponies sold ... farms	1,160	505	1	18	47	112	148	179
number	3,056	1,406	(D)	(D)	155	297	416	495
Goats, all inventory ... farms	3,329	1,266	4	80	141	243	297	501
number	71,709	25,292	58	2,156	2,811	3,824	6,642	9,801
Goats, all sold ... farms	1,933	767	3	53	99	144	159	309
number	30,172	12,266	30	1,266	1,331	1,673	3,138	4,828
POULTRY								
Layers inventory (see text) ... farms	3,483	1,529	9	94	177	348	389	512
number	17,445,067	16,155,679	(D)	(D)	2,815,904	5,084,523	3,865,932	3,632,553
Farms with-								
1 to 399	3,044	1,151	8	60	104	236	289	454
400 to 3,199	24	10	-	4	-	2	4	-
3,200 to 9,999	37	27	-	-	3	7	9	8
10,000 to 19,999	112	96	-	8	10	29	33	16
20,000 to 49,999	229	213	1	21	56	59	47	29
50,000 to 99,999	14	12	-	1	1	7	2	1
100,000 or more	23	20	-	-	3	8	5	4
Pullets for laying flock replacement inventory ... farms	613	320	-	18	47	66	83	106
number	7,718,153	5,700,656	-	404,598	866,934	1,495,028	1,363,776	1,570,320

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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	108	-	1	14	31	32	30
500 or more	15	-	-	-	4	5	6
Cows and heifers that calved ... farms	7,303	29	322	737	1,703	2,300	2,212
number	157,704	416	5,452	15,321	36,028	48,685	51,802
Beef cows ... farms	7,268	29	322	732	1,692	2,295	2,198
number	152,702	416	5,452	15,190	34,738	47,198	49,708
Farms with-							
1 to 9	2,922	14	138	316	687	934	833
10 to 49	3,713	15	166	345	876	1,168	1,143
50 to 99	495	-	16	57	102	151	169
100 to 199	89	-	2	9	15	28	35
200 to 499	45	-	-	5	11	13	16
500 or more	4	-	-	-	1	1	2
Milk cows ... farms	64	-	-	8	21	11	24
number	5,002	-	-	131	1,290	1,487	2,094
Farms with-							
1 to 9	42	-	-	7	15	7	13
10 to 49	3	-	-	-	-	1	2
50 to 99	4	-	-	-	-	-	4
100 to 199	12	-	-	1	5	2	4
200 to 499	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
500 or more	3	-	-	-	1	1	1
Other cattle (see text) ... farms	6,437	21	302	701	1,538	2,010	1,865
number	108,379	94	4,123	12,103	27,004	33,701	31,354
Cattle and calves sold ... farms	6,284	29	304	648	1,536	1,921	1,846
number	122,242	237	3,969	12,295	31,392	36,967	37,382
$1,000	86,343	152	3,064	8,270	23,833	26,687	24,336
Calves weighing less than 500 pounds ... farms	4,301	19	187	426	1,041	1,306	1,322
number	51,072	150	1,527	5,041	11,465	15,010	17,879
Cattle, including calves weighing 500 pounds or more ... farms	4,952	24	249	522	1,161	1,518	1,478
number	71,170	87	2,442	7,254	19,927	21,957	19,503
Cattle on feed (see text) ... farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
number	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hogs and pigs inventory ... farms	498	6	65	100	167	91	69
number	11,062	28	689	945	1,876	2,025	5,499
Farms with-							
1 to 24	434	6	58	90	153	74	53
25 to 49	37	-	-	6	7	12	12
50 to 99	21	-	7	4	7	3	-
100 to 199	1	-	-	-	-	1	-
200 to 499	2	-	-	-	-	-	2
500 or more	3	-	-	-	-	1	2
Used or to be used for breeding ... farms	303	6	46	47	101	54	49
number	1,864	28	266	279	375	343	573
Other hogs and pigs ... farms	400	-	47	85	142	77	49
number	9,198	-	423	666	1,501	1,682	4,926
Hogs and pigs sold ... farms	347	4	38	74	122	63	46
number	38,545	44	(D)	1,003	(D)	2,380	9,974
$1,000	3,532	(D)	44	(D)	1,346	(D)	1,688
Sheep and lambs inventory (see text) ... farms	427	-	30	70	117	135	75
number	10,973	-	473	1,533	2,114	4,045	2,808
Ewes 1 year old or older ... farms	306	-	25	43	72	118	48
number	5,518	-	331	837	1,020	2,653	677
Sheep and lambs sold ... farms	259	-	20	54	67	80	38
number	4,799	-	342	677	775	1,589	1,416
Total horses and ponies inventory ... farms	5,601	14	234	612	1,621	1,866	1,254
number	30,730	81	984	3,045	8,744	10,548	7,328
Owned horses and ponies inventory ... farms	5,339	14	214	601	1,581	1,776	1,153
number	27,159	65	915	2,748	7,908	9,357	6,166
Owned horses and ponies sold ... farms	655	-	42	107	213	192	101
number	1,650	-	94	267	473	512	304
Goats, all inventory ... farms	2,063	7	135	329	584	550	458
number	46,417	144	1,979	5,237	9,936	14,982	14,139
Goats, all sold ... farms	1,166	2	107	183	326	301	247
number	17,906	(D)	(D)	2,400	3,855	4,747	5,362
POULTRY							
Layers inventory (see text) ... farms	1,954	-	157	312	609	548	328
number	1,289,388	-	17,095	139,363	619,031	408,673	105,226
Farms with-							
1 to 399	1,893	-	156	299	589	531	318
400 to 3,199	14	-	-	6	-	7	1
3,200 to 9,999	10	-	-	1	2	3	4
10,000 to 19,999	16	-	1	4	6	2	3
20,000 to 49,999	16	-	-	2	9	3	2
50,000 to 99,999	2	-	-	-	2	-	-
100,000 or more	3	-	-	-	1	2	-
Pullets for laying flock replacement inventory ... farms	293	-	25	51	93	78	46
number	2,017,497	-	(D)	(D)	444,639	896,991	496,825

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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	1,033	597	2	52	96	151	166	130
number	14,372,977	13,257,123	(D)	(D)	2,416,731	4,348,285	3,535,736	2,176,001
Pullets for laying flock replacement sold ..... farms	257	169	-	8	23	50	48	40
number	13,371,144	9,755,391	-	713,264	1,104,702	2,649,818	2,219,498	3,068,109
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold ..... farms	2,743	2,194	9	90	253	504	630	708
number	1,369,162,943	1,163,502,585	3,362,000	39,867,299	180,122,380	315,508,762	337,426,730	287,215,414
Farms with-								
1 to 1,999	145	54	-	3	6	13	14	18
2,000 to 59,999	27	24	-	6	6	8	1	3
60,000 to 99,999	62	44	-	4	-	1	9	30
100,000 or more	2,509	2,072	9	77	241	482	606	657
Turkeys inventory (see text) ..... farms	326	120	-	-	9	33	30	48
number	2,661	1,122	-	-	108	190	244	580
Turkeys sold (see text) ..... farms	77	20	-	3	3	5	5	4
number	3,110	969	-	14	40	(D)	410	(D)
CROPS HARVESTED								
Barley for grain ..... farms	22	14	-	-	6	-	1	7
acres	646	562	-	-	162	-	(D)	(D)
bushels	32,210	22,400	-	-	(D)	-	(D)	12,080
Irrigated ..... farms	13	10	-	-	6	-	-	4
acres	271	(D)	-	-	162	-	-	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres	10	2	-	-	-	-	-	2
25 to 99 acres	11	11	-	-	6	-	1	4
100 to 249 acres	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
250 to 499 acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
500 acres or more	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Corn for grain ..... farms	2,619	1,916	5	147	205	401	541	617
acres	311,125	286,287	465	14,111	35,294	71,594	84,151	80,672
bushels	52,451,141	48,842,263	(D)	(D)	6,647,864	12,214,669	14,556,686	12,869,806
Irrigated ..... farms	1,207	1,050	1	102	144	256	325	222
acres	179,983	170,836	(D)	(D)	25,651	44,094	51,465	38,025
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres	947	467	-	30	38	61	106	232
25 to 99 acres	718	563	4	59	55	131	155	159
100 to 249 acres	610	556	-	52	59	129	182	134
250 to 499 acres	230	221	1	5	38	47	71	59
500 acres or more	114	109	-	1	15	33	27	33
Corn for silage or greenchop ..... farms	238	188	1	13	16	51	68	39
acres	31,216	27,947	(D)	(D)	2,870	9,533	10,361	4,705
tons	653,545	590,058	(D)	(D)	55,368	214,425	223,726	87,051
Irrigated ..... farms	103	91	1	9	13	17	41	10
acres	17,467	15,904	(D)	(D)	2,379	4,796	6,175	2,156
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres	73	53	-	12	2	11	12	16
25 to 99 acres	64	53	-	-	9	12	21	11
100 to 249 acres	68	51	1	1	2	19	21	7
250 to 499 acres	19	17	-	-	1	6	8	2
500 acres or more	14	14	-	-	2	3	6	3
Cotton, all ..... farms	2,616	2,234	11	155	276	579	658	555
acres	1,279,400	1,188,354	1,468	78,706	142,419	331,911	377,356	256,494
bales	2,719,600	2,531,483	3,188	180,171	308,126	722,198	791,638	526,162
Irrigated ..... farms	1,330	1,202	6	113	153	330	360	240
acres	402,259	379,401	445	37,120	43,539	108,358	125,053	64,886
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres	114	56	-	2	2	13	13	26
25 to 99 acres	396	259	2	11	26	62	50	108
100 to 249 acres	478	406	9	34	53	89	125	96
250 to 499 acres	683	626	-	58	82	151	190	145
500 acres or more	945	887	-	50	113	264	280	180
Oats for grain ..... farms	316	234	-	15	15	46	67	91
acres	20,087	18,042	-	1,280	1,154	3,599	6,309	5,700
bushels	992,230	891,435	-	48,640	68,847	187,040	326,225	260,683
Irrigated ..... farms	54	50	-	1	3	16	21	9
acres	2,893	(D)	-	(D)	212	1,060	1,154	295
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres	116	62	-	2	2	14	11	33
25 to 99 acres	145	117	-	6	12	22	37	40
100 to 249 acres	48	48	-	7	-	9	17	15
250 to 499 acres	5	5	-	-	1	-	1	3
500 acres or more	2	2	-	-	-	1	1	-
Peanuts for nuts ..... farms	2,833	2,422	13	179	293	589	698	650
acres	731,946	673,680	1,714	34,422	84,482	193,692	191,599	167,771
pounds	3,236,937,533	2,972,958,826	7,740,003	159,044,236	385,552,909	859,988,147	854,712,017	705,921,514
Irrigated ..... farms	1,388	1,224	6	113	164	333	370	238
acres	270,783	252,185	905	16,033	32,741	79,754	75,433	47,319
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres	219	125	3	6	5	14	38	59
25 to 99 acres	582	441	4	46	38	72	126	155
100 to 249 acres	953	860	2	85	108	223	240	202
250 to 499 acres	768	703	4	31	111	185	202	170
500 acres or more	311	293	-	11	31	95	92	64
Sorghum for grain ..... farms	371	285	4	22	29	65	83	82
acres	39,082	35,332	88	1,680	3,131	8,330	12,308	9,795
bushels	1,924,241	1,740,909	5,028	107,576	197,652	394,618	558,961	477,074

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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	436	-	71	97	133	90	45
	number	1,115,854	-	25,728	189,658	529,220	244,661	126,587
Pullets for laying flock replacement sold	farms	88	-	8	16	28	24	12
	number	3,615,753	-	(D)	(D)	1,301,183	1,095,247	919,856
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold	farms	549	-	31	53	158	174	133
	number	205,660,358	-	5,147,380	17,986,441	64,240,578	70,380,811	47,905,148
Farms with-								
1 to 1,999		91	-	12	20	32	21	6
2,000 to 59,999		3	-	-	1	-	2	-
60,000 to 99,999		18	-	-	-	15	3	-
100,000 or more		437	-	19	32	111	148	127
Turkeys inventory (see text)	farms	206	-	26	53	60	45	22
	number	1,539	-	129	404	397	398	211
Turkeys sold (see text)	farms	57	-	10	20	12	7	8
	number	2,141	-	44	1,829	43	155	70
CROPS HARVESTED								
Barley for grain	farms	8	-	-	-	2	5	1
	acres	84	-	-	-	(D)	(D)	(D)
	bushels	9,810	-	-	-	(D)	8,430	(D)
Irrigated	farms	3	-	-	-	-	2	1
	acres	(D)	-	-	-	-	(D)	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres		8	-	-	-	2	5	1
25 to 99 acres		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
100 to 249 acres		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
250 to 499 acres		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
500 acres or more		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Corn for grain	farms	703	4	41	76	197	187	198
	acres	24,838	48	930	3,363	7,970	5,781	6,746
	bushels	3,608,878	4,700	88,840	556,329	1,159,616	797,659	1,001,734
Irrigated	farms	157	-	5	17	48	47	40
	acres	9,147	-	64	1,576	3,259	1,909	2,339
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres		480	4	33	48	138	117	140
25 to 99 acres		155	-	5	20	34	54	42
100 to 249 acres		54	-	3	6	20	16	9
250 to 499 acres		9	-	-	1	2	-	6
500 acres or more		5	-	-	1	3	-	1
Corn for silage or greenchop	farms	50	-	4	7	19	6	14
	acres	3,269	-	24	602	1,769	175	699
	tons	63,487	-	32	14,914	29,181	3,593	15,767
Irrigated	farms	12	-	-	6	2	-	4
	acres	1,563	-	-	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres		20	-	4	1	3	3	9
25 to 99 acres		11	-	-	-	4	3	4
100 to 249 acres		17	-	-	6	11	-	-
250 to 499 acres		2	-	-	-	1	-	1
500 acres or more		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cotton, all	farms	382	-	17	60	103	116	86
	acres	91,046	-	1,274	17,244	23,986	28,442	20,100
	bales	188,117	-	2,643	30,557	54,353	59,418	41,146
Irrigated	farms	128	-	2	22	46	34	24
	acres	22,858	-	(D)	(D)	7,710	7,742	4,208
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres		58	-	3	8	15	17	15
25 to 99 acres		137	-	13	14	38	40	32
100 to 249 acres		72	-	-	20	20	13	19
250 to 499 acres		57	-	-	9	17	27	4
500 acres or more		58	-	1	9	13	19	16
Oats for grain	farms	82	-	-	2	31	31	18
	acres	2,045	-	-	(D)	1,027	750	(D)
	bushels	100,795	-	-	(D)	59,756	32,306	(D)
Irrigated	farms	4	-	-	-	-	3	1
	acres	(D)	-	-	-	-	(D)	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres		54	-	-	2	13	23	16
25 to 99 acres		28	-	-	-	18	8	2
100 to 249 acres		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
250 to 499 acres		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
500 acres or more		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Peanuts for nuts	farms	411	1	25	79	110	110	86
	acres	58,266	(D)	(D)	11,107	16,964	17,503	11,868
	pounds	263,978,707	(D)	(D)	52,489,570	74,074,639	77,986,843	56,235,778
Irrigated	farms	164	-	4	41	45	46	28
	acres	18,598	-	40	3,095	5,746	5,242	4,475
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres		94	1	13	10	25	18	27
25 to 99 acres		141	-	11	28	39	31	32
100 to 249 acres		93	-	1	30	26	26	10
250 to 499 acres		65	-	-	10	11	31	13
500 acres or more		18	-	-	1	9	4	4
Sorghum for grain	farms	86	1	-	14	21	32	18
	acres	3,750	(D)	-	(D)	939	1,270	874
	bushels	183,332	(D)	-	(D)	57,095	54,946	50,028

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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	79	61	-	2	10	8	29	12
acres	6,519	5,778	-	(D)	1,300	1,372	2,469	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres	90	44	4	2	8	7	16	7
25 to 99 acres	153	125	-	12	11	24	29	49
100 to 249 acres	96	86	-	7	6	28	28	17
250 to 499 acres	22	20	-	1	3	5	3	8
500 acres or more	10	10	-	-	1	1	7	1
Soybeans for beans ..... farms	1,470	1,134	11	85	98	234	302	404
acres	215,133	187,190	1,104	9,660	12,850	49,441	49,278	64,857
bushels	7,808,576	6,781,411	24,671	309,855	499,413	1,845,812	1,803,713	2,297,947
Irrigated ..... farms	318	279	1	20	36	57	88	77
acres	39,738	34,849	(D)	(D)	4,556	6,288	10,464	9,726
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres	224	125	-	15	19	19	28	44
25 to 99 acres	620	458	6	32	31	86	110	193
100 to 249 acres	397	342	5	31	31	68	106	101
250 to 499 acres	138	129	-	2	16	38	38	35
500 acres or more	91	80	-	5	1	23	20	31
Sunflower seed, all ..... farms	22	17	-	-	-	1	6	10
acres	1,301	1,168	-	-	-	(D)	(D)	(D)
pounds	1,271,852	1,156,616	-	-	-	(D)	(D)	139,608
Irrigated ..... farms	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
acres	(D)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres	19	15	-	-	-	-	5	10
25 to 99 acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
100 to 249 acres	2	1	-	-	-	1	-	-
250 to 499 acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
500 acres or more	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	-
Tobacco ..... farms	102	94	-	7	17	28	27	15
acres	9,882	9,700	-	660	1,282	3,435	3,108	1,215
pounds	22,710,058	22,289,962	-	1,462,324	3,139,669	8,241,160	6,835,611	2,611,198
Irrigated ..... farms	50	49	-	3	6	16	18	6
acres	4,962	(D)	-	(D)	598	2,108	1,709	361
Farms by acres harvested:								
0.1 to 0.9 acres	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	2
1.0 to 1.9 acres	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2.0 to 2.9 acres	1	1	-	-	-	1	-	-
3.0 to 4.9 acres	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5.0 to 9.9 acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
10.0 to 24.9 acres	10	7	-	-	1	2	1	3
25.0 acres or more	86	84	-	7	16	25	26	10
Wheat for grain, all ..... farms	1,480	1,127	20	106	113	257	289	342
acres	227,087	199,659	2,445	11,858	19,336	48,547	56,022	61,451
bushels	10,870,821	9,639,646	105,743	492,848	918,296	2,420,994	2,748,561	2,953,204
Irrigated ..... farms	316	276	1	39	46	59	78	53
acres	39,042	36,278	(D)	(D)	5,485	8,077	9,437	8,139
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres	210	101	-	17	9	13	20	42
25 to 99 acres	537	369	10	47	29	80	69	134
100 to 249 acres	454	395	6	30	47	110	116	86
250 to 499 acres	209	200	4	9	24	35	66	62
500 acres or more	70	62	-	3	4	19	18	18
Forage-land used for all hay and all haylage, grass silage, and greenchop (see text) ..... farms	13,404	7,113	20	223	435	978	1,824	3,633
acres	602,994	398,390	1,454	14,348	33,801	69,512	116,417	162,858
tons, dry	1,486,225	1,031,061	5,130	35,747	97,968	192,722	309,528	389,966
Irrigated ..... farms	510	349	1	14	35	57	127	115
acres	26,915	22,742	(D)	(D)	2,495	4,134	6,983	7,187
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres	6,706	3,026	9	74	171	335	708	1,729
25 to 99 acres	5,206	2,974	10	99	170	422	785	1,488
100 to 249 acres	1,191	869	-	42	66	166	242	353
250 to 499 acres	242	195	-	6	20	45	69	55
500 acres or more	59	49	1	2	8	10	20	8
Alfalfa hay ..... farms	67	37	-	1	3	3	8	22
acres	1,599	865	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	121	335
tons, dry	3,429	2,012	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	860
Irrigated ..... farms	11	7	-	1	-	-	3	3
acres	268	86	-	(D)	-	-	(D)	(D)
Other tame hay ..... farms	11,629	6,220	17	168	368	860	1,614	3,193
acres	509,520	334,044	679	10,914	26,520	59,061	98,494	138,376
tons, dry	1,281,119	878,047	2,345	29,463	76,261	164,023	266,008	339,947
Irrigated ..... farms	429	297	-	13	31	45	106	102
acres	17,976	14,578	-	938	810	2,668	5,108	5,054
Field and grass seed crops, all ..... farms	14	9	-	-	-	3	2	4
acres	3,668	3,639	-	-	-	(D)	(D)	(D)
Irrigated ..... farms	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
acres	(D)	(D)	-	-	-	-	-	(D)
Land in vegetables (see text) ..... farms	1,562	861	3	45	78	163	290	282
acres	92,811	87,562	18	3,440	8,528	21,779	35,213	18,584
Irrigated ..... farms	597	373	-	31	35	81	125	101
acres	51,931	50,736	-	2,149	5,452	13,856	20,289	8,990
Farms by acres harvested:								
0.1 to 4.9 acres	1,008	448	-	14	37	83	133	181

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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	-	-	1	9	8	-
acres	741	-	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	-
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres	46	1	-	8	8	21	8
25 to 99 acres	28	-	-	4	9	9	6
100 to 249 acres	10	-	-	2	4	-	4
250 to 499 acres	2	-	-	-	-	2	-
500 acres or more	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Soybeans for beans ..... farms	336	2	32	28	65	111	98
acres	27,943	(D)	4,028	(D)	6,670	6,799	7,975
bushels	1,027,165	(D)	(D)	114,053	289,845	240,410	273,849
Irrigated ..... farms	39	-	5	10	3	8	13
acres	4,889	-	193	1,383	402	218	2,693
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres	99	-	10	6	22	31	30
25 to 99 acres	162	2	8	17	26	61	48
100 to 249 acres	55	-	10	4	10	17	14
250 to 499 acres	9	-	4	-	3	1	1
500 acres or more	11	-	-	1	4	1	5
Sunflower seed, all ..... farms	5	-	-	-	-	3	2
acres	133	-	-	-	-	(D)	(D)
pounds	115,236	-	-	-	-	(D)	(D)
Irrigated ..... farms	2	-	-	-	-	1	1
acres	(D)	-	-	-	-	(D)	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres	4	-	-	-	-	2	2
25 to 99 acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
100 to 249 acres	1	-	-	-	-	1	-
250 to 499 acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
500 acres or more	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tobacco ..... farms	8	-	2	2	-	-	4
acres	182	-	(D)	(D)	-	-	148
pounds	420,096	-	(D)	(D)	-	-	327,022
Irrigated ..... farms	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
acres	(D)	-	-	-	-	-	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:							
0.1 to 0.9 acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1.0 to 1.9 acres	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
2.0 to 2.9 acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3.0 to 4.9 acres	2	-	-	2	-	-	-
5.0 to 9.9 acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
10.0 to 24.9 acres	3	-	2	-	-	-	1
25.0 acres or more	2	-	-	-	-	-	2
Wheat for grain, all ..... farms	353	-	32	51	83	115	72
acres	27,428	-	3,300	3,067	5,281	9,404	6,376
bushels	1,231,175	-	145,983	136,992	272,896	381,145	294,159
Irrigated ..... farms	40	-	4	5	12	7	12
acres	2,764	-	(D)	(D)	288	709	679
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres	109	-	-	17	35	34	23
25 to 99 acres	168	-	20	30	31	56	31
100 to 249 acres	59	-	12	3	14	18	12
250 to 499 acres	9	-	-	-	2	5	2
500 acres or more	8	-	-	1	1	2	4
Forage-land used for all hay and all haylage, grass silage, and greenchop (see text) ..... farms	6,291	14	235	548	1,495	2,068	1,931
acres	204,604	208	7,215	19,365	47,755	68,155	61,906
tons, dry	455,164	477	15,537	45,442	108,550	156,074	129,084
Irrigated ..... farms	161	-	5	20	41	51	44
acres	4,173	-	100	473	917	1,279	1,404
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres	3,680	14	149	314	897	1,202	1,104
25 to 99 acres	2,232	-	67	190	518	738	719
100 to 249 acres	322	-	19	36	66	106	95
250 to 499 acres	47	-	-	7	11	18	11
500 acres or more	10	-	-	1	3	4	2
Alfalfa hay ..... farms	30	-	-	5	9	10	6
acres	734	-	-	67	61	376	230
tons, dry	1,417	-	-	109	188	727	393
Irrigated ..... farms	4	-	-	-	1	-	3
acres	182	-	-	-	(D)	-	(D)
Other tame hay ..... farms	5,409	11	201	491	1,263	1,779	1,664
acres	175,476	119	6,312	16,865	41,258	57,619	53,303
tons, dry	403,072	379	13,472	40,972	96,123	138,569	113,557
Irrigated ..... farms	132	-	3	19	37	40	33
acres	3,398	-	20	436	833	1,010	1,099
Field and grass seed crops, all ..... farms	5	-	-	-	2	2	1
acres	29	-	-	-	(D)	(D)	(D)
Irrigated ..... farms	2	-	-	-	-	1	1
acres	(D)	-	-	-	-	(D)	(D)
Land in vegetables (see text) ..... farms	701	-	42	83	188	232	156
acres	5,249	-	78	257	796	2,125	1,993
Irrigated ..... farms	224	-	9	42	66	71	36
acres	1,195	-	16	131	178	244	626
Farms by acres harvested:							
0.1 to 4.9 acres	560	-	41	67	154	187	111

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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.								
Land in vegetables (see text) - Con.								
Farms by acres harvested: - Con.								
5.0 to 24.9 acres	288	171	3	18	14	24	70	42
25.0 to 99.9 acres	100	84	-	5	8	19	29	23
100.0 to 249.9 acres	72	70	-	4	9	17	24	16
250.0 acres or more	94	88	-	4	10	20	34	20
Beans, snap ... farms	599	305	3	25	25	55	99	98
acres	11,212	10,195	3	239	947	4,596	3,255	1,156
Harvested for processing ... farms	65	37	-	6	1	7	11	12
acres	1,880	1,807	-	(D)	(D)	633	947	157
Peas, green ... farms	51	25	-	1	-	6	11	7
acres	365	(D)	-	(D)	-	92	171	(D)
Harvested for processing ... farms	1	1	-	-	-	1	-	-
acres	(D)	(D)	-	-	-	(D)	-	-
Potatoes ... farms	323	159	3	18	17	18	51	52
acres	3,634	3,563	6	5	(D)	6	(D)	84
Harvested for processing ... farms	23	16	-	-	2	4	4	6
acres	(D)	(D)	-	-	(D)	1	(D)	24
Farms by acres harvested:								
0.1 to 4.9 acres	313	149	3	18	15	18	46	49
5.0 to 24.9 acres	6	6	-	-	-	-	3	3
25.0 to 99.9 acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
100.0 to 249.9 acres	2	2	-	-	-	-	2	-
250.0 acres or more	2	2	-	-	2	-	-	-
Sweet corn ... farms	685	334	3	18	30	53	103	127
acres	21,450	20,579	6	780	279	4,950	9,335	5,229
Harvested for processing ... farms	83	34	-	6	-	7	8	13
acres	164	118	-	6	-	8	17	87
Sweet potatoes ... farms	76	40	-	7	8	5	11	9
acres	934	918	-	7	2	(D)	(D)	(D)
Harvested for processing ... farms	2	2	-	-	-	-	2	-
acres	(D)	(D)	-	-	-	-	(D)	-
Tomatoes in the open ... farms	661	338	-	21	23	63	115	116
acres	2,888	2,691	-	15	73	357	1,644	602
Harvested for processing ... farms	53	25	-	1	-	8	3	13
acres	42	32	-	(D)	-	2	(D)	29
Land in orchards ... farms	3,353	1,583	-	30	75	251	430	797
acres	139,111	107,925	-	1,432	9,371	18,823	44,377	33,923
Irrigated ... farms	918	475	-	16	34	78	146	201
acres	71,308	58,289	-	544	4,887	13,662	23,844	15,352
Farms by bearing and nonbearing acres:								
0.1 to 4.9 acres	1,207	494	-	6	14	72	129	273
5.0 to 24.9 acres	1,503	687	-	18	27	104	181	357
25.0 to 99.9 acres	448	244	-	1	15	48	73	107
100.0 to 249.9 acres	89	66	-	3	7	9	15	32
250.0 acres or more	106	92	-	2	12	18	32	28
Apples ... farms	233	109	-	1	4	14	30	60
bearing and nonbearing acres	795	622	-	(D)	(D)	130	97	302
Grapes ... farms	387	198	-	7	6	34	62	89
bearing and nonbearing acres	1,941	1,561	-	23	16	641	657	225
Peaches, all ... farms	225	125	-	4	4	18	38	61
bearing and nonbearing acres	12,318	12,037	-	(D)	13	3,266	5,366	(D)
Citrus fruit, all ... farms	17	9	-	-	1	2	2	4
bearing and nonbearing acres	25	19	-	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Almonds ... farms	8	2	-	-	-	-	-	2
bearing and nonbearing acres	1	(D)	-	-	-	-	-	(D)
Pecans ... farms	2,913	1,339	-	23	67	196	364	689
bearing and nonbearing acres	123,415	93,298	-	1,044	9,238	14,717	38,123	30,176
Walnuts, English ... farms	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
bearing and nonbearing acres	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Land in berries (see text) ... farms	871	452	1	31	37	78	133	172
acres	14,374	10,507	(D)	(D)	1,786	3,453	2,666	2,016

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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.								
Land in vegetables (see text) - Con.								
Farms by acres harvested: - Con.								
5.0 to 24.9 acres		117	-	1	15	30	35	36
25.0 to 99.9 acres		16	-	-	1	3	7	5
100.0 to 249.9 acres		2	-	-	-	1	-	1
250.0 acres or more		6	-	-	-	-	3	3
Beans, snap	farms	294	-	12	42	77	100	63
	acres	1,016	-	6	58	237	174	540
Harvested for processing	farms	28	-	-	4	5	15	4
	acres	73	-	-	(D)	48	14	(D)
Peas, green	farms	26	-	-	2	7	6	11
	acres	(D)	-	-	(D)	12	(D)	21
Harvested for processing	farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Potatoes	farms	164	-	5	28	47	54	30
	acres	71	-	1	12	21	20	16
Harvested for processing	farms	7	-	-	2	3	2	-
	acres	3	-	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	-
Farms by acres harvested:								
0.1 to 4.9 acres		164	-	5	28	47	54	30
5.0 to 24.9 acres		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
25.0 to 99.9 acres		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
100.0 to 249.9 acres		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
250.0 acres or more		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sweet corn	farms	351	-	20	53	85	117	76
	acres	871	-	25	57	121	460	207
Harvested for processing	farms	49	-	3	11	12	15	8
	acres	47	-	2	19	7	8	10
Sweet potatoes	farms	36	-	-	6	5	15	10
	acres	17	-	-	3	2	10	2
Harvested for processing	farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tomatoes in the open	farms	323	-	5	46	96	115	61
	acres	197	-	3	36	45	68	45
Harvested for processing	farms	28	-	-	2	5	14	7
	acres	10	-	-	(D)	(D)	4	3
Land in orchards	farms	1,770	3	52	159	407	597	552
	acres	31,186	30	438	2,361	6,482	9,312	12,563
Irrigated	farms	443	-	16	62	103	137	125
	acres	13,020	-	169	1,145	2,024	2,927	6,754
Farms by bearing and nonbearing acres:								
0.1 to 4.9 acres		713	-	27	65	160	253	208
5.0 to 24.9 acres		816	3	19	71	205	258	260
25.0 to 99.9 acres		204	-	6	20	36	73	69
100.0 to 249.9 acres		23	-	-	2	4	9	8
250.0 acres or more		14	-	-	1	2	4	7
Apples	farms	124	-	5	7	30	49	33
	bearing and nonbearing acres	174	-	2	5	28	38	101
Grapes	farms	189	-	4	9	45	85	46
	bearing and nonbearing acres	380	-	(D)	(D)	143	95	91
Peaches, all	farms	100	-	6	11	20	45	18
	bearing and nonbearing acres	281	-	7	7	14	83	171
Citrus fruit, all	farms	8	-	-	-	1	7	-
	bearing and nonbearing acres	6	-	-	-	(D)	(D)	-
Almonds	farms	6	-	-	-	3	2	1
	bearing and nonbearing acres	(D)	-	-	-	(Z)	(D)	(D)
Pecans	farms	1,574	3	45	149	350	522	505
	bearing and nonbearing acres	30,117	30	382	2,329	6,254	8,980	12,141
Walnuts, English	farms	5	-	-	-	-	2	3
	bearing and nonbearing acres	2	-	-	-	-	(D)	(D)
Land in berries (see text)	farms	419	3	9	51	129	137	90
	acres	3,867	3	31	404	1,743	935	751

[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.