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

[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 AND LAND IN FARMS** | | | | | | | | |
| Farms ..... number | 58,695 | 25,630 | 168 | 1,720 | 2,897 | 4,901 | 7,057 | 8,887 |
| percent | 100.0 | 43.7 | 0.3 | 2.9 | 4.9 | 8.3 | 12.0 | 15.1 |
| Land in farms ..... acres | 14,720,396 | 11,881,820 | 40,327 | 521,125 | 1,340,460 | 2,932,230 | 4,092,116 | 2,955,562 |
| Average size of farm ..... acres | 251 | 464 | 240 | 303 | 463 | 598 | 580 | 333 |
| **MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS** | | | | | | | | |
| Total ..... farms | 58,695 | 25,630 | 168 | 1,720 | 2,897 | 4,901 | 7,057 | 8,887 |
| $1,000 | 11,478,105 | 10,014,556 | 41,435 | 514,672 | 1,503,010 | 2,710,235 | 3,265,705 | 1,979,498 |
| Average per farm ..... dollars | 195,555 | 390,736 | 246,640 | 299,228 | 518,816 | 552,996 | 462,761 | 222,741 |
| Farms by economic class: | | | | | | | | |
| Less than $1,000 (see text) ..... | 9,595 | 2,449 | 10 | 77 | 207 | 461 | 683 | 1,011 |
| $1,000 to $2,499 ..... | 6,990 | 1,630 | 6 | 40 | 150 | 264 | 457 | 713 |
| $2,500 to $4,999 ..... | 6,390 | 1,668 | 3 | 85 | 161 | 273 | 417 | 729 |
| $5,000 to $9,999 ..... | 6,348 | 1,852 | 13 | 106 | 154 | 276 | 438 | 865 |
| $10,000 to $24,999 ..... | 6,327 | 2,255 | 14 | 134 | 206 | 338 | 527 | 1,036 |
| $25,000 to $49,999 ..... | 4,237 | 1,869 | 15 | 163 | 192 | 269 | 413 | 817 |
| $50,000 to $99,999 ..... | 4,241 | 2,363 | 27 | 247 | 280 | 387 | 536 | 886 |
| $100,000 to $249,999 ..... | 5,490 | 3,687 | 43 | 400 | 504 | 650 | 911 | 1,179 |
| $250,000 to $499,999 ..... | 3,646 | 2,889 | 22 | 222 | 351 | 606 | 915 | 773 |
| $500,000 to $999,999 ..... | 2,679 | 2,366 | 6 | 123 | 334 | 611 | 874 | 418 |
| $1,000,000 or more ..... | 2,752 | 2,602 | 9 | 123 | 358 | 766 | 886 | 460 |
| $1,000,000 to $2,499,999 ..... | 2,112 | 1,985 | 7 | 91 | 254 | 589 | 688 | 356 |
| $2,500,000 to $4,999,999 ..... | 453 | 441 | 1 | 29 | 70 | 126 | 143 | 72 |
| $5,000,000 or more ..... | 187 | 176 | 1 | 3 | 34 | 51 | 55 | 32 |
| Total sales ..... farms | 58,695 | 25,630 | 168 | 1,720 | 2,897 | 4,901 | 7,057 | 8,887 |
| $1,000 | 11,210,818 | 9,803,808 | 40,736 | 506,126 | 1,480,241 | 2,658,791 | 3,191,874 | 1,926,040 |
| Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas ..... farms | 28,011 | 16,510 | 126 | 1,250 | 1,881 | 3,277 | 4,781 | 5,195 |
| $1,000 | 7,217,854 | 6,367,495 | 20,667 | 286,407 | 722,732 | 1,613,388 | 2,268,017 | 1,456,286 |
| Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms | 14,896 | 11,322 | 84 | 746 | 1,140 | 2,421 | 3,623 | 3,308 |
| $1,000 | 7,019,183 | 6,279,019 | 20,008 | 279,486 | 712,232 | 1,600,196 | 2,247,868 | 1,419,230 |
| Corn ..... farms | 23,144 | 14,613 | 111 | 1,088 | 1,685 | 3,002 | 4,299 | 4,428 |
| $1,000 | 4,071,150 | 3,609,373 | 11,879 | 172,886 | 420,146 | 910,752 | 1,285,748 | 807,962 |
| Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms | 11,366 | 9,170 | 68 | 566 | 961 | 2,083 | 3,058 | 2,434 |
| $1,000 | 3,884,710 | 3,512,303 | 11,279 | 164,849 | 409,985 | 895,631 | 1,262,016 | 768,543 |
| Wheat ..... farms | 4,272 | 3,138 | 12 | 125 | 303 | 688 | 1,056 | 954 |
| $1,000 | 140,114 | 122,657 | 322 | 3,695 | 13,555 | 32,150 | 47,031 | 25,905 |
| Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms | 733 | 665 | 2 | 17 | 83 | 182 | 252 | 129 |
| $1,000 | 88,098 | 82,211 | (D) | (D) | 9,962 | 23,252 | 33,163 | 13,706 |
| Soybeans ..... farms | 21,841 | 13,806 | 97 | 915 | 1,390 | 2,731 | 4,185 | 4,488 |
| $1,000 | 2,956,767 | 2,589,231 | 8,466 | 109,237 | 285,999 | 656,624 | 918,187 | 610,718 |
| Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms | 11,042 | 8,984 | 53 | 492 | 926 | 2,030 | 3,046 | 2,437 |
| $1,000 | 2,758,154 | 2,486,092 | 7,729 | 99,429 | 277,178 | 641,129 | 893,139 | 567,488 |
| Sorghum ..... farms | 100 | 69 | - | 5 | 11 | 15 | 20 | 18 |
| $1,000 | 3,294 | 2,674 | - | 81 | 236 | 518 | 1,228 | 612 |
| Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms | 16 | 12 | - | 1 | 1 | 3 | 4 | 3 |
| $1,000 | 2,323 | 1,879 | - | (D) | (D) | (D) | 969 | 435 |
| Barley ..... farms | 34 | 24 | - | - | 7 | 6 | 6 | 5 |
| $1,000 | 517 | 466 | - | - | 14 | 73 | 362 | 17 |
| 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 | 829 | 524 | - | 38 | 102 | 133 | 136 | 115 |
| $1,000 | 46,013 | 43,095 | - | 508 | 2,782 | 13,270 | 15,462 | 11,073 |
| Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms | 114 | 105 | - | 2 | 8 | 31 | 36 | 28 |
| $1,000 | 43,542 | 41,465 | - | (D) | (D) | 12,937 | 14,985 | 10,669 |
| Tobacco ..... farms | 158 | 87 | - | 8 | 11 | 24 | 19 | 25 |
| $1,000 | 7,653 | 5,542 | - | (D) | (D) | 2,458 | 573 | (D) |
| Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms | 43 | 33 | - | 3 | 6 | 9 | 6 | 9 |
| $1,000 | 5,801 | 4,643 | - | 296 | 850 | 2,194 | 453 | 850 |
| Cotton and cottonseed ..... farms | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| $1,000 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| $1,000 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes ..... farms | 1,399 | 791 | 2 | 79 | 139 | 189 | 208 | 174 |
| $1,000 | 104,411 | 91,701 | (D) | (D) | 16,886 | 27,509 | 23,563 | 17,654 |
| Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms | 212 | 190 | - | 23 | 30 | 49 | 58 | 30 |
| $1,000 | 93,301 | 84,763 | - | 5,291 | 15,492 | 25,599 | 22,093 | 16,288 |
| Fruits, tree nuts, and berries ..... farms | 600 | 282 | - | 25 | 48 | 47 | 66 | 96 |
| $1,000 | 10,897 | 8,576 | - | 66 | 1,209 | 3,762 | 1,556 | 1,983 |
| Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms | 33 | 26 | - | - | 5 | 7 | 7 | 7 |
| $1,000 | 7,710 | 6,926 | - | - | 971 | 3,441 | 1,190 | 1,324 |
| Fruits and tree nuts ..... farms | 289 | 133 | - | 6 | 21 | 20 | 37 | 49 |
| $1,000 | 6,999 | 5,496 | - | 21 | 526 | 2,902 | 699 | 1,347 |
| Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms | 18 | 14 | - | - | 1 | 5 | 4 | 4 |
| $1,000 | 5,019 | 4,421 | - | - | (D) | 2,726 | (D) | 873 |
| Berries ..... farms | 365 | 178 | - | 19 | 31 | 34 | 35 | 59 |
| $1,000 | 3,898 | 3,080 | - | 46 | 683 | 859 | 857 | 635 |
| Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms | 17 | 14 | - | - | 4 | 4 | 3 | 3 |
| $1,000 | 2,642 | 2,457 | - | - | 573 | 714 | (D) | (D) |
| Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod (see text) ..... farms | 888 | 453 | - | 36 | 75 | 114 | 132 | 96 |
| $1,000 | 110,838 | 88,074 | - | 3,180 | 3,592 | 22,978 | 48,225 | 10,100 |
| Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms | 259 | 154 | - | 10 | 13 | 44 | 55 | 32 |
| $1,000 | 102,576 | 83,934 | - | 2,801 | 2,634 | 21,708 | 47,432 | 9,358 |

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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 AND LAND IN FARMS** | | | | | | | |
| Farms ..... number | 33,065 | 147 | 2,729 | 4,921 | 8,860 | 9,376 | 7,032 |
| percent | 56.3 | 0.3 | 4.6 | 8.4 | 15.1 | 16.0 | 12.0 |
| Land in farms ..... acres | 2,838,576 | 7,390 | 169,193 | 378,706 | 739,836 | 885,716 | 657,735 |
| Average size of farm ..... acres | 86 | 50 | 62 | 77 | 84 | 94 | 94 |
| **MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS** | | | | | | | |
| Total ..... farms | 33,065 | 147 | 2,729 | 4,921 | 8,860 | 9,376 | 7,032 |
| $1,000 | 1,463,549 | 7,370 | 126,086 | 266,316 | 414,373 | 382,185 | 267,220 |
| Average per farm ..... dollars | 44,263 | 50,138 | 46,202 | 54,118 | 46,769 | 40,762 | 38,001 |
| Farms by economic class: | | | | | | | |
| Less than $1,000 (see text) ..... | 7,146 | 13 | 517 | 1,031 | 2,133 | 2,054 | 1,398 |
| $1,000 to $2,499 ..... | 5,360 | 21 | 314 | 669 | 1,365 | 1,629 | 1,362 |
| $2,500 to $4,999 ..... | 4,722 | 15 | 365 | 667 | 1,182 | 1,329 | 1,164 |
| $5,000 to $9,999 ..... | 4,496 | 36 | 384 | 624 | 1,125 | 1,262 | 1,065 |
| $10,000 to $24,999 ..... | 4,072 | 23 | 382 | 572 | 1,092 | 1,183 | 820 |
| $25,000 to $49,999 ..... | 2,368 | 8 | 268 | 412 | 617 | 579 | 484 |
| $50,000 to $99,999 ..... | 1,878 | 12 | 198 | 369 | 503 | 474 | 322 |
| $100,000 to $249,999 ..... | 1,803 | 15 | 191 | 333 | 509 | 521 | 234 |
| $250,000 to $499,999 ..... | 757 | 3 | 72 | 157 | 216 | 210 | 99 |
| $500,000 to $999,999 ..... | 313 | - | 26 | 58 | 78 | 91 | 60 |
| $1,000,000 or more ..... | 150 | 1 | 12 | 29 | 40 | 44 | 24 |
| $1,000,000 to $2,499,999 ..... | 127 | 1 | 11 | 26 | 33 | 39 | 17 |
| $2,500,000 to $4,999,999 ..... | 12 | - | 1 | 1 | 3 | 3 | 4 |
| $5,000,000 or more ..... | 11 | - | - | 2 | 4 | 2 | 3 |
| Total sales ..... farms | 33,065 | 147 | 2,729 | 4,921 | 8,860 | 9,376 | 7,032 |
| $1,000 | 1,407,010 | 7,181 | 123,455 | 259,791 | 400,666 | 364,724 | 251,194 |
| Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas ..... farms | 11,501 | 75 | 1,101 | 1,912 | 3,039 | 3,205 | 2,169 |
| $1,000 | 850,359 | 2,818 | 60,827 | 129,619 | 235,091 | 269,397 | 152,607 |
| Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms | 3,574 | 18 | 306 | 602 | 991 | 1,072 | 585 |
| $1,000 | 740,165 | 2,056 | 49,456 | 111,879 | 206,416 | 240,363 | 129,995 |
| Corn ..... farms | 8,531 | 48 | 846 | 1,489 | 2,315 | 2,365 | 1,468 |
| $1,000 | 461,778 | 1,616 | 33,874 | 70,160 | 124,344 | 145,611 | 86,173 |
| Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms | 2,196 | 10 | 168 | 353 | 624 | 673 | 368 |
| $1,000 | 372,408 | 1,000 | 24,091 | 54,544 | 101,113 | 121,017 | 70,643 |
| Wheat ..... farms | 1,134 | 8 | 63 | 190 | 312 | 340 | 221 |
| $1,000 | 17,456 | 56 | (D) | 2,613 | 5,071 | 5,924 | (D) |
| Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms | 68 | - | 1 | 10 | 26 | 24 | 7 |
| $1,000 | 5,888 | - | (D) | (D) | 1,998 | 2,435 | (D) |
| Soybeans ..... farms | 8,035 | 41 | 697 | 1,268 | 2,171 | 2,351 | 1,507 |
| $1,000 | 367,536 | 1,145 | 25,843 | 56,462 | 103,816 | 117,305 | 62,965 |
| Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms | 2,058 | 10 | 155 | 338 | 585 | 663 | 307 |
| $1,000 | 272,062 | 763 | 16,419 | 41,096 | 78,644 | 91,181 | 43,959 |
| Sorghum ..... farms | 31 | - | 3 | 4 | 11 | 8 | 5 |
| $1,000 | 620 | - | 1 | 71 | (D) | (D) | (D) |
| Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms | 4 | - | - | 1 | 2 | 1 | - |
| $1,000 | 444 | - | - | (D) | (D) | (D) | - |
| Barley ..... farms | 10 | - | 2 | 5 | 2 | 1 | - |
| $1,000 | 52 | - | (D) | 4 | (D) | (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 | 305 | 3 | 37 | 74 | 65 | 86 | 40 |
| $1,000 | 2,918 | 1 | (D) | 309 | (D) | (D) | (D) |
| Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms | 9 | - | 2 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 1 |
| $1,000 | 2,077 | - | (D) | (D) | 1,289 | (D) | (D) |
| Tobacco ..... farms | 71 | - | 9 | 8 | 25 | 14 | 15 |
| $1,000 | 2,111 | - | 153 | 399 | 413 | 806 | 341 |
| Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms | 10 | - | - | 1 | - | 6 | 3 |
| $1,000 | 1,158 | - | - | (D) | - | 700 | (D) |
| Cotton and cottonseed ..... farms | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| $1,000 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| $1,000 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes ..... farms | 608 | 2 | 97 | 115 | 155 | 150 | 89 |
| $1,000 | 12,710 | (D) | 547 | (D) | (D) | (D) | (D) |
| Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms | 22 | - | 2 | 5 | 5 | 6 | 4 |
| $1,000 | 8,537 | - | (D) | 1,480 | (D) | (D) | (D) |
| Fruits, tree nuts, and berries ..... farms | 318 | - | 43 | 41 | 79 | 93 | 62 |
| $1,000 | 2,321 | - | 67 | 178 | 520 | 630 | 927 |
| Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms | 7 | - | - | - | 2 | 2 | 3 |
| $1,000 | 784 | - | - | - | (D) | (D) | 514 |
| Fruits and tree nuts ..... farms | 156 | - | 16 | 14 | 36 | 54 | 36 |
| $1,000 | 1,503 | - | 34 | 35 | 302 | 451 | 681 |
| Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms | 4 | - | - | - | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| $1,000 | 598 | - | - | - | (D) | (D) | (D) |
| Berries ..... farms | 187 | - | 29 | 32 | 52 | 42 | 32 |
| $1,000 | 818 | - | 33 | 144 | 218 | 179 | 245 |
| Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms | 3 | - | - | - | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| $1,000 | 186 | - | - | - | (D) | (D) | (D) |
| Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod (see text) ..... farms | 435 | - | 66 | 65 | 117 | 116 | 71 |
| $1,000 | 22,764 | - | 1,191 | 2,437 | 6,468 | 7,012 | 5,656 |
| Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms | 105 | - | 3 | 13 | 34 | 33 | 22 |
| $1,000 | 18,643 | - | 410 | 1,761 | 5,665 | 5,882 | 4,925 |

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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 |
| **MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS** - Con. | | | | | | | | |
| Total - Con. | | | | | | | | |
| Total sales - Con. | | | | | | | | |
| Cut Christmas trees and short-rotation woody crops ... farms | 189 | 67 | - | 5 | 4 | 12 | 16 | 30 |
| $1,000 | 1,976 | 836 | - | 14 | 12 | 372 | 244 | 194 |
| Sales of $50,000 or more ... farms | 5 | 2 | - | - | - | 1 | 1 | - |
| $1,000 | 930 | (D) | - | - | - | (D) | (D) | - |
| Cut Christmas trees ... farms | 161 | 59 | - | - | 4 | 12 | 16 | 27 |
| $1,000 | 1,859 | 817 | - | - | 12 | 372 | 241 | 192 |
| Sales of $50,000 or more ... farms | 5 | 2 | - | - | - | 1 | 1 | - |
| $1,000 | 930 | (D) | - | - | - | (D) | (D) | - |
| Short-rotation woody crops ... farms | 38 | 11 | - | 5 | - | - | 3 | 3 |
| $1,000 | 117 | 19 | - | 14 | - | - | 3 | 2 |
| Sales of $50,000 or more ... farms | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| $1,000 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Other crops and hay (see text) ... farms | 9,339 | 3,924 | 17 | 180 | 343 | 655 | 1,063 | 1,666 |
| $1,000 | 76,467 | 52,814 | (D) | (D) | 6,627 | 9,886 | 20,491 | 12,532 |
| Sales of $50,000 or more ... farms | 196 | 161 | 1 | 13 | 27 | 40 | 48 | 32 |
| $1,000 | 33,008 | 29,064 | (D) | (D) | 4,058 | 5,517 | 13,914 | 3,930 |
| Maple syrup (see text) ... farms | 167 | 82 | - | 12 | 20 | 17 | 12 | 21 |
| $1,000 | 454 | 237 | - | 7 | 106 | 37 | 18 | 69 |
| Sales of $50,000 or more ... farms | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| $1,000 | (D) | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Cattle and calves ... farms | 14,106 | 7,070 | 51 | 551 | 950 | 1,437 | 1,745 | 2,336 |
| $1,000 | 522,694 | 376,331 | 2,620 | 40,022 | 72,074 | 104,004 | 91,583 | 66,029 |
| Sales of $50,000 or more ... farms | 1,437 | 1,057 | 6 | 100 | 192 | 269 | 280 | 210 |
| $1,000 | 400,066 | 304,698 | 2,014 | 35,133 | 62,802 | 88,529 | 72,707 | 43,512 |
| Milk from cows (see text) ... farms | 1,709 | 1,403 | 15 | 214 | 384 | 365 | 293 | 132 |
| $1,000 | 659,314 | 633,851 | 6,483 | 38,712 | 140,498 | 216,423 | 198,676 | 33,059 |
| Sales of $50,000 or more ... farms | 1,351 | 1,187 | 11 | 175 | 312 | 322 | 262 | 105 |
| $1,000 | 652,371 | 628,865 | 6,463 | 37,785 | 138,853 | 215,296 | 197,952 | 32,516 |
| Hogs and pigs ... farms | 2,823 | 1,508 | 15 | 149 | 300 | 394 | 386 | 264 |
| $1,000 | 1,273,099 | 1,162,027 | 8,932 | 76,151 | 231,247 | 338,557 | 337,479 | 169,660 |
| Sales of $50,000 or more ... farms | 1,044 | 845 | 8 | 65 | 152 | 230 | 248 | 142 |
| $1,000 | 1,263,689 | 1,156,140 | 8,746 | 75,743 | 230,420 | 337,104 | 335,933 | 168,194 |
| Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk (see text) ... farms | 2,966 | 1,021 | 11 | 97 | 172 | 211 | 243 | 287 |
| $1,000 | 10,099 | 4,926 | 16 | 430 | 1,138 | 929 | 1,474 | 939 |
| Sales of $50,000 or more ... farms | 10 | 6 | - | - | 2 | 1 | 2 | 1 |
| $1,000 | 1,566 | 1,124 | - | - | (D) | (D) | (D) | (D) |
| Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys ... farms | 3,496 | 1,294 | 6 | 165 | 286 | 306 | 261 | 270 |
| $1,000 | 23,899 | (D) | 17 | (D) | 3,728 | 2,100 | (D) | 1,592 |
| Sales of $50,000 or more ... farms | 78 | 31 | - | 2 | 8 | 4 | 9 | 8 |
| $1,000 | 8,589 | (D) | - | (D) | 2,490 | 600 | (D) | 459 |
| Poultry and eggs ... farms | 3,949 | 1,652 | 3 | 220 | 412 | 387 | 385 | 245 |
| $1,000 | 1,164,199 | 992,287 | 5 | 50,423 | 277,775 | 315,211 | 196,448 | 152,425 |
| Sales of $50,000 or more ... farms | 610 | 437 | - | 52 | 129 | 123 | 93 | 40 |
| $1,000 | 1,159,823 | 990,041 | - | 50,124 | 277,059 | 314,674 | 195,985 | 152,198 |
| Aquaculture ... farms | 26 | 13 | 1 | - | 3 | 3 | 5 | 1 |
| $1,000 | 5,120 | 4,671 | (D) | - | (D) | (D) | (D) | (D) |
| Sales of $50,000 or more ... farms | 9 | 7 | 1 | - | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 |
| $1,000 | 5,054 | (D) | (D) | - | (D) | (D) | (D) | (D) |
| Other animals and other animal products (see text) ... farms | 1,548 | 568 | - | 67 | 127 | 136 | 118 | 120 |
| $1,000 | 22,297 | (D) | - | 115 | 451 | (D) | (D) | (D) |
| Sales of $50,000 or more ... farms | 13 | 8 | - | - | 1 | 2 | 4 | 1 |
| $1,000 | 18,965 | (D) | - | - | (D) | (D) | (D) | (D) |
| Value of- | | | | | | | | |
| Government payments ... farms | 32,083 | 16,738 | 112 | 957 | 1,582 | 3,177 | 4,930 | 5,980 |
| $1,000 | 267,287 | 210,748 | 699 | 8,546 | 22,768 | 51,444 | 73,832 | 53,458 |
| Landlord's share of total sales (see text) ... farms | 4,723 | 3,478 | 15 | 168 | 344 | 772 | 1,264 | 915 |
| $1,000 | 363,488 | 325,222 | 702 | 10,363 | 36,203 | 84,574 | 130,837 | 62,542 |
| Agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text) ... farms | 3,673 | 1,549 | 7 | 143 | 246 | 320 | 398 | 435 |
| $1,000 | 26,900 | 19,724 | 2 | 1,804 | 3,128 | 5,061 | 5,659 | 4,071 |
| **FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES** | | | | | | | | |
| Total farm production expenses [1] ... farms | 58,695 | 25,630 | 168 | 1,720 | 2,897 | 4,901 | 7,057 | 8,887 |
| $1,000 | 9,117,075 | 7,804,073 | 29,019 | 401,885 | 1,177,143 | 2,096,056 | 2,585,496 | 1,514,474 |
| Average per farm ... dollars | 155,330 | 304,490 | 172,734 | 233,654 | 406,332 | 427,679 | 366,373 | 170,415 |
| Fertilizer, lime, and soil conditioners purchased ... farms | 33,039 | 18,380 | 128 | 1,360 | 2,072 | 3,543 | 5,275 | 6,002 |
| $1,000 | 1,444,469 | 1,264,957 | 3,913 | 55,467 | 145,126 | 321,304 | 452,951 | 286,196 |
| Farms with expenses of- | | | | | | | | |
| $1 to $4,999 ... | 14,393 | 5,166 | 37 | 423 | 645 | 788 | 1,241 | 2,032 |
| $5,000 to $24,999 ... | 8,044 | 4,459 | 40 | 454 | 516 | 699 | 1,028 | 1,722 |
| $25,000 to $49,999 ... | 3,530 | 2,497 | 31 | 177 | 228 | 435 | 759 | 867 |
| $50,000 or more ... | 7,072 | 6,258 | 20 | 306 | 683 | 1,621 | 2,247 | 1,381 |
| Chemicals purchased ... farms | 31,140 | 17,618 | 128 | 1,281 | 1,938 | 3,434 | 5,145 | 5,692 |
| $1,000 | 564,224 | 492,618 | 1,651 | 22,294 | 57,159 | 116,102 | 178,928 | 116,483 |
| Farms with expenses of- | | | | | | | | |
| $1 to $4,999 ... | 17,779 | 7,278 | 66 | 674 | 833 | 1,100 | 1,772 | 2,833 |
| $5,000 to $24,999 ... | 7,477 | 5,088 | 48 | 374 | 498 | 979 | 1,483 | 1,706 |
| $25,000 to $49,999 ... | 2,816 | 2,406 | 7 | 110 | 278 | 622 | 823 | 566 |
| $50,000 or more ... | 3,068 | 2,846 | 7 | 123 | 329 | 733 | 1,067 | 587 |

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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 |
| **MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS** - Con. | | | | | | | | |
| Total - Con. | | | | | | | | |
| Total sales - Con. | | | | | | | | |
| Cut Christmas trees and short-rotation woody crops | farms | 122 | - | 4 | 11 | 27 | 38 | 42 |
| | $1,000 | 1,139 | - | 19 | 14 | 116 | 268 | 722 |
| Sales of $50,000 or more | farms | 3 | - | - | - | - | 1 | 2 |
| | $1,000 | (D) | - | - | - | - | (D) | (D) |
| Cut Christmas trees | farms | 102 | - | 2 | 5 | 20 | 35 | 40 |
| | $1,000 | 1,041 | - | (D) | 6 | 100 | 217 | (D) |
| Sales of $50,000 or more | farms | 3 | - | - | - | - | 1 | 2 |
| | $1,000 | (D) | - | - | - | - | (D) | (D) |
| Short-rotation woody crops | farms | 27 | - | 2 | 6 | 8 | 9 | 2 |
| | $1,000 | 98 | - | (D) | 7 | 16 | 52 | (D) |
| Sales of $50,000 or more | farms | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| | $1,000 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Other crops and hay (see text) | farms | 5,415 | 15 | 402 | 729 | 1,482 | 1,627 | 1,160 |
| | $1,000 | 23,653 | 32 | 2,752 | 3,057 | 6,864 | 6,439 | 4,508 |
| Sales of $50,000 or more | farms | 35 | - | 6 | 4 | 11 | 11 | 3 |
| | $1,000 | 3,944 | - | 1,072 | 336 | 1,506 | 750 | 280 |
| Maple syrup (see text) | farms | 85 | 2 | 9 | 29 | 17 | 14 | 14 |
| | $1,000 | 217 | (D) | (D) | (D) | (D) | 57 | 36 |
| Sales of $50,000 or more | farms | 1 | - | - | 1 | - | - | - |
| | $1,000 | (D) | - | - | (D) | - | - | - |
| Cattle and calves | farms | 7,036 | 40 | 725 | 1,347 | 2,068 | 1,884 | 972 |
| | $1,000 | 146,364 | 1,283 | 23,757 | 36,004 | 44,983 | 26,641 | 13,695 |
| Sales of $50,000 or more | farms | 380 | 8 | 89 | 106 | 63 | 80 | 34 |
| | $1,000 | 95,369 | 1,095 | 18,467 | 26,789 | 29,760 | 12,793 | 6,466 |
| Milk from cows (see text) | farms | 306 | 2 | 43 | 77 | 123 | 43 | 18 |
| | $1,000 | 25,463 | (D) | (D) | 4,063 | 9,373 | 5,392 | 3,615 |
| Sales of $50,000 or more | farms | 164 | 2 | 20 | 31 | 70 | 28 | 13 |
| | $1,000 | 23,506 | (D) | 2,341 | 3,179 | 8,796 | 5,163 | (D) |
| Hogs and pigs | farms | 1,315 | 8 | 170 | 420 | 417 | 228 | 72 |
| | $1,000 | 111,072 | 2,433 | 10,825 | 45,298 | 24,532 | 16,600 | 11,385 |
| Sales of $50,000 or more | farms | 199 | 4 | 27 | 71 | 55 | 28 | 14 |
| | $1,000 | 107,549 | 2,403 | 10,380 | 44,265 | 23,498 | 15,914 | 11,090 |
| Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk (see text) | farms | 1,945 | 2 | 223 | 457 | 659 | 433 | 171 |
| | $1,000 | 5,173 | (D) | 493 | 959 | 1,922 | 1,370 | (D) |
| Sales of $50,000 or more | farms | 4 | - | - | - | 2 | 2 | - |
| | $1,000 | 441 | - | - | - | (D) | (D) | - |
| Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys | farms | 2,202 | 22 | 350 | 506 | 644 | 482 | 198 |
| | $1,000 | (D) | 89 | 2,235 | 3,563 | 4,290 | (D) | 1,111 |
| Sales of $50,000 or more | farms | 47 | - | 6 | 15 | 17 | 5 | 4 |
| | $1,000 | (D) | - | 853 | 1,384 | 1,174 | 265 | (D) |
| Poultry and eggs | farms | 2,297 | 2 | 284 | 607 | 731 | 492 | 181 |
| | $1,000 | 171,912 | (D) | (D) | 31,319 | 61,371 | 24,578 | 36,927 |
| Sales of $50,000 or more | farms | 173 | - | 32 | 48 | 52 | 25 | 16 |
| | $1,000 | 169,782 | - | 17,589 | 30,298 | 60,927 | 24,209 | 36,759 |
| Aquaculture | farms | 13 | - | - | 4 | 2 | 6 | 1 |
| | $1,000 | 448 | - | - | (D) | (D) | (D) | (D) |
| Sales of $50,000 or more | farms | 2 | - | - | - | - | 1 | 1 |
| | $1,000 | (D) | - | - | - | - | (D) | (D) |
| Other animals and other animal products (see text) | farms | 980 | 13 | 168 | 203 | 283 | 208 | 105 |
| | $1,000 | (D) | (D) | 313 | (D) | (D) | 383 | (D) |
| Sales of $50,000 or more | farms | 5 | - | - | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| | $1,000 | (D) | - | - | (D) | (D) | (D) | (D) |
| Value of- | | | | | | | | |
| Government payments | farms | 15,345 | 65 | 881 | 1,817 | 3,724 | 4,577 | 4,281 |
| | $1,000 | 56,539 | 189 | 2,631 | 6,525 | 13,707 | 17,461 | 16,026 |
| Landlord's share of total sales (see text) | farms | 1,245 | 5 | 118 | 229 | 372 | 388 | 133 |
| | $1,000 | 38,266 | 32 | 2,953 | 5,855 | 12,364 | 13,095 | 3,966 |
| Agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text) | farms | 2,124 | - | 272 | 519 | 646 | 500 | 187 |
| | $1,000 | 7,176 | - | 551 | 1,979 | 2,037 | 1,646 | 963 |
| **FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES** | | | | | | | | |
| Total farm production expenses [1] | farms | 33,065 | 147 | 2,729 | 4,921 | 8,860 | 9,376 | 7,032 |
| | $1,000 | 1,313,002 | 5,768 | 109,470 | 235,967 | 382,347 | 340,270 | 239,179 |
| Average per farm | dollars | 39,710 | 39,241 | 40,114 | 47,951 | 43,154 | 36,292 | 34,013 |
| Fertilizer, lime, and soil conditioners purchased | farms | 14,659 | 89 | 1,506 | 2,399 | 3,998 | 4,067 | 2,600 |
| | $1,000 | 179,512 | 510 | 13,874 | 28,010 | 50,335 | 54,803 | 31,981 |
| Farms with expenses of- | | | | | | | | |
| $1 to $4,999 | | 9,227 | 64 | 1,029 | 1,512 | 2,465 | 2,490 | 1,667 |
| $5,000 to $24,999 | | 3,585 | 18 | 332 | 579 | 985 | 1,030 | 641 |
| $25,000 to $49,999 | | 1,033 | 7 | 79 | 180 | 302 | 303 | 162 |
| $50,000 or more | | 814 | - | 66 | 128 | 246 | 244 | 130 |
| Chemicals purchased | farms | 13,522 | 73 | 1,313 | 2,180 | 3,712 | 3,749 | 2,495 |
| | $1,000 | 71,606 | 262 | 5,029 | 10,993 | 19,440 | 23,338 | 12,544 |
| Farms with expenses of- | | | | | | | | |
| $1 to $4,999 | | 10,501 | 59 | 1,076 | 1,666 | 2,841 | 2,849 | 2,010 |
| $5,000 to $24,999 | | 2,389 | 12 | 197 | 408 | 694 | 701 | 377 |
| $25,000 to $49,999 | | 410 | 2 | 27 | 70 | 119 | 124 | 68 |
| $50,000 or more | | 222 | - | 13 | 36 | 58 | 75 | 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 | 30,680 | 17,504 | 124 | 1,310 | 2,010 | 3,437 | 5,112 | 5,511 |
| $1,000 | 927,802 | 810,778 | 2,380 | 38,399 | 94,977 | 205,899 | 290,615 | 178,509 |
| Farms with expenses of- | | | | | | | | |
| $1 to $999 | 6,526 | 2,056 | 12 | 156 | 216 | 322 | 550 | 800 |
| $1,000 to $4,999 | 7,092 | 3,028 | 27 | 291 | 462 | 483 | 681 | 1,084 |
| $5,000 to $24,999 | 8,352 | 4,931 | 55 | 456 | 509 | 772 | 1,262 | 1,877 |
| $25,000 to $49,999 | 3,266 | 2,484 | 20 | 170 | 238 | 534 | 780 | 742 |
| $50,000 or more | 5,444 | 5,005 | 10 | 237 | 585 | 1,326 | 1,839 | 1,008 |
| Livestock and poultry purchased or leased ..... farms | 14,009 | 6,340 | 54 | 624 | 1,086 | 1,376 | 1,626 | 1,574 |
| $1,000 | 508,824 | 405,544 | 2,657 | 31,191 | 79,130 | 119,100 | 108,306 | 65,161 |
| Farms with expenses of- | | | | | | | | |
| $1 to $4,999 | 9,066 | 3,317 | 19 | 287 | 488 | 672 | 872 | 979 |
| $5,000 to $24,999 | 2,956 | 1,521 | 25 | 186 | 255 | 316 | 350 | 389 |
| $25,000 to $99,999 | 1,086 | 712 | 4 | 74 | 179 | 174 | 185 | 96 |
| $100,000 to $249,999 | 465 | 401 | - | 38 | 86 | 108 | 111 | 58 |
| $250,000 or more | 436 | 389 | 6 | 39 | 78 | 106 | 108 | 52 |
| Breeding livestock purchased or leased ..... farms | 6,826 | 3,287 | 22 | 300 | 543 | 719 | 869 | 834 |
| $1,000 | 84,804 | 55,039 | 714 | 4,442 | 9,834 | 16,268 | 16,148 | 7,632 |
| Other livestock and poultry purchased or leased (see text) ..... farms | 9,346 | 4,121 | 34 | 453 | 778 | 911 | 1,005 | 940 |
| $1,000 | 424,019 | 350,505 | 1,943 | 26,748 | 69,296 | 102,831 | 92,158 | 57,529 |
| Feed purchased ..... farms | 28,754 | 12,109 | 77 | 904 | 1,652 | 2,584 | 3,087 | 3,805 |
| $1,000 | 1,592,005 | 1,380,572 | 6,833 | 88,847 | 328,342 | 414,286 | 371,022 | 171,241 |
| Farms with expenses of- | | | | | | | | |
| $1 to $4,999 | 17,721 | 5,930 | 23 | 309 | 554 | 1,090 | 1,551 | 2,403 |
| $5,000 to $24,999 | 6,898 | 3,182 | 32 | 245 | 434 | 692 | 822 | 957 |
| $25,000 to $99,999 | 2,298 | 1,496 | 11 | 193 | 316 | 390 | 328 | 258 |
| $100,000 to $249,999 | 807 | 604 | 5 | 65 | 146 | 159 | 144 | 85 |
| $250,000 or more | 1,030 | 897 | 6 | 92 | 202 | 253 | 242 | 102 |
| Gasoline, fuels, and oils purchased ..... farms | 54,389 | 24,594 | 153 | 1,634 | 2,752 | 4,694 | 6,768 | 8,593 |
| $1,000 | 457,781 | 387,100 | 1,188 | 17,648 | 46,239 | 103,238 | 130,991 | 87,796 |
| Farms with expenses of- | | | | | | | | |
| $1 to $4,999 | 39,861 | 13,284 | 90 | 907 | 1,351 | 2,046 | 3,191 | 5,699 |
| $5,000 to $24,999 | 9,985 | 7,068 | 54 | 565 | 875 | 1,431 | 2,059 | 2,084 |
| $25,000 to $49,999 | 2,576 | 2,365 | 6 | 95 | 301 | 675 | 841 | 447 |
| $50,000 or more | 1,967 | 1,877 | 3 | 67 | 225 | 542 | 677 | 363 |
| Utilities ..... farms | 36,555 | 19,514 | 99 | 1,159 | 2,157 | 3,867 | 5,583 | 6,649 |
| $1,000 | 151,613 | 123,904 | 588 | 5,506 | 17,950 | 32,899 | 40,172 | 26,790 |
| Farms with expenses of- | | | | | | | | |
| $1 to $999 | 16,090 | 5,946 | 30 | 345 | 612 | 919 | 1,456 | 2,584 |
| $1,000 to $4,999 | 14,461 | 8,435 | 42 | 515 | 895 | 1,569 | 2,426 | 2,988 |
| $5,000 to $24,999 | 5,127 | 4,312 | 21 | 263 | 514 | 1,171 | 1,409 | 934 |
| $25,000 to $49,999 | 568 | 529 | 4 | 24 | 77 | 132 | 199 | 93 |
| $50,000 or more | 309 | 292 | 2 | 12 | 59 | 76 | 93 | 50 |
| Supplies, repairs, and maintenance costs ..... farms | 45,575 | 22,222 | 121 | 1,468 | 2,516 | 4,328 | 6,217 | 7,572 |
| $1,000 | 523,094 | 437,972 | 1,337 | 18,957 | 60,064 | 112,904 | 145,301 | 99,410 |
| Farms with expenses of- | | | | | | | | |
| $1 to $4,999 | 29,732 | 10,362 | 64 | 704 | 1,075 | 1,630 | 2,506 | 4,383 |
| $5,000 to $24,999 | 10,569 | 7,087 | 43 | 566 | 879 | 1,436 | 1,994 | 2,169 |
| $25,000 to $49,999 | 3,001 | 2,628 | 12 | 129 | 285 | 677 | 943 | 582 |
| $50,000 or more | 2,273 | 2,145 | 2 | 69 | 277 | 585 | 774 | 438 |
| Hired farm labor ..... farms | 14,350 | 9,091 | 47 | 556 | 1,004 | 2,075 | 2,774 | 2,635 |
| $1,000 | 445,331 | 395,578 | 1,231 | 13,469 | 60,394 | 112,337 | 137,702 | 70,445 |
| Farms with expenses of- | | | | | | | | |
| $1 to $4,999 | 8,116 | 4,044 | 28 | 289 | 382 | 738 | 1,121 | 1,486 |
| $5,000 to $24,999 | 3,065 | 2,267 | 12 | 138 | 276 | 566 | 678 | 597 |
| $25,000 to $99,999 | 2,316 | 1,993 | 4 | 95 | 252 | 554 | 688 | 400 |
| $100,000 to $249,999 | 612 | 562 | 1 | 25 | 55 | 149 | 208 | 124 |
| $250,000 or more | 241 | 225 | 2 | 9 | 39 | 68 | 79 | 28 |
| Contract labor ..... farms | 3,528 | 1,898 | 7 | 122 | 256 | 395 | 574 | 544 |
| $1,000 | 42,078 | 33,560 | 27 | 1,637 | 4,439 | 11,156 | 11,163 | 5,140 |
| Farms with expenses of- | | | | | | | | |
| $1 to $999 | 995 | 381 | 3 | 16 | 44 | 63 | 121 | 134 |
| $1,000 to $4,999 | 1,241 | 633 | 3 | 44 | 72 | 108 | 200 | 206 |
| $5,000 to $24,999 | 1,015 | 643 | 1 | 45 | 106 | 146 | 183 | 162 |
| $25,000 to $49,999 | 148 | 125 | - | 9 | 21 | 37 | 36 | 22 |
| $50,000 or more | 129 | 116 | - | 8 | 13 | 41 | 34 | 20 |
| Customwork and custom hauling ..... farms | 14,018 | 7,618 | 44 | 620 | 1,047 | 1,458 | 2,066 | 2,383 |
| $1,000 | 127,704 | 105,866 | 778 | 9,058 | 16,505 | 27,619 | 30,740 | 21,165 |
| Farms with expenses of- | | | | | | | | |
| $1 to $999 | 4,901 | 1,819 | 7 | 118 | 214 | 318 | 419 | 743 |
| $1,000 to $4,999 | 5,271 | 2,837 | 12 | 233 | 394 | 513 | 745 | 940 |
| $5,000 to $24,999 | 3,063 | 2,263 | 18 | 199 | 321 | 450 | 683 | 592 |
| $25,000 to $49,999 | 441 | 382 | 1 | 46 | 60 | 93 | 125 | 57 |
| $50,000 or more | 342 | 317 | 6 | 24 | 58 | 84 | 94 | 51 |
| Cash rent for land, buildings, and grazing fees ..... farms | 16,307 | 10,843 | 93 | 981 | 1,371 | 2,462 | 3,406 | 2,530 |
| $1,000 | 1,052,072 | 947,850 | 3,562 | 57,482 | 131,414 | 256,833 | 338,548 | 160,010 |
| Farms with expenses of- | | | | | | | | |
| $1 to $4,999 | 4,734 | 2,057 | 22 | 209 | 295 | 394 | 503 | 634 |
| $5,000 to $9,999 | 1,826 | 1,047 | 11 | 122 | 154 | 180 | 279 | 301 |
| $10,000 to $24,999 | 2,826 | 1,844 | 27 | 214 | 198 | 399 | 527 | 479 |
| $25,000 or more | 6,921 | 5,895 | 33 | 436 | 724 | 1,489 | 2,097 | 1,116 |

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

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

| Item | Other occupations | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Total | Age of operator (years) | | | | | |
| | | Under 25 | 25 to 34 | 35 to 44 | 45 to 54 | 55 to 64 | 65 and over |
| **FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES** - Con. | | | | | | | |
| Total farm production expenses [1] - Con. | | | | | | | |
| Seeds, plants, vines, and trees purchased ..... farms | 13,176 | 78 | 1,246 | 2,122 | 3,587 | 3,762 | 2,381 |
| $1,000 | 117,023 | 415 | 9,117 | 19,047 | 32,835 | 35,057 | 20,554 |
| Farms with expenses of- | | | | | | | |
| $1 to $999 | 4,470 | 26 | 385 | 682 | 1,262 | 1,324 | 791 |
| $1,000 to $4,999 | 4,064 | 28 | 441 | 672 | 1,027 | 1,100 | 796 |
| $5,000 to $24,999 | 3,421 | 22 | 342 | 569 | 932 | 961 | 595 |
| $25,000 to $49,999 | 782 | 2 | 49 | 125 | 248 | 233 | 125 |
| $50,000 or more | 439 | - | 29 | 74 | 118 | 144 | 74 |
| Livestock and poultry purchased or leased ..... farms | 7,669 | 48 | 1,044 | 1,682 | 2,325 | 1,780 | 790 |
| $1,000 | 103,279 | 930 | 9,612 | 25,149 | 30,756 | 11,718 | 25,113 |
| Farms with expenses of- | | | | | | | |
| $1 to $4,999 | 5,749 | 35 | 730 | 1,271 | 1,773 | 1,353 | 587 |
| $5,000 to $24,999 | 1,435 | 9 | 240 | 271 | 406 | 349 | 160 |
| $25,000 to $99,999 | 374 | 3 | 62 | 106 | 111 | 62 | 30 |
| $100,000 to $249,999 | 64 | - | 9 | 19 | 22 | 10 | 4 |
| $250,000 or more | 47 | 1 | 3 | 15 | 13 | 6 | 9 |
| Breeding livestock purchased or leased ..... farms | 3,539 | 28 | 452 | 762 | 1,082 | 827 | 388 |
| $1,000 | 29,765 | 89 | 2,198 | 6,580 | 15,718 | 3,342 | 1,839 |
| Other livestock and poultry purchased or leased (see text) ..... farms | 5,225 | 29 | 760 | 1,184 | 1,590 | 1,167 | 495 |
| $1,000 | 73,514 | 841 | 7,414 | 18,569 | 15,039 | 8,377 | 23,274 |
| Feed purchased ..... farms | 16,645 | 91 | 1,688 | 3,081 | 5,047 | 4,457 | 2,281 |
| $1,000 | 211,432 | 1,771 | 26,044 | 50,566 | 66,910 | 40,529 | 25,613 |
| Farms with expenses of- | | | | | | | |
| $1 to $4,999 | 11,791 | 51 | 1,158 | 2,051 | 3,624 | 3,248 | 1,659 |
| $5,000 to $24,999 | 3,716 | 29 | 353 | 718 | 1,112 | 989 | 515 |
| $25,000 to $99,999 | 802 | 3 | 121 | 203 | 228 | 173 | 74 |
| $100,000 to $249,999 | 203 | 7 | 32 | 72 | 48 | 28 | 16 |
| $250,000 or more | 133 | 1 | 24 | 37 | 35 | 19 | 17 |
| Gasoline, fuels, and oils purchased ..... farms | 29,795 | 130 | 2,324 | 4,507 | 8,158 | 8,483 | 6,193 |
| $1,000 | 70,680 | 180 | 5,158 | 11,302 | 19,922 | 21,073 | 13,045 |
| Farms with expenses of- | | | | | | | |
| $1 to $4,999 | 26,577 | 119 | 2,061 | 3,954 | 7,228 | 7,548 | 5,667 |
| $5,000 to $24,999 | 2,917 | 11 | 243 | 510 | 853 | 832 | 468 |
| $25,000 to $49,999 | 211 | - | 16 | 35 | 56 | 67 | 37 |
| $50,000 or more | 90 | - | 4 | 8 | 21 | 36 | 21 |
| Utilities ..... farms | 17,041 | 70 | 1,109 | 2,572 | 4,726 | 4,989 | 3,575 |
| $1,000 | 27,709 | 80 | 1,730 | 4,617 | 7,566 | 7,723 | 5,994 |
| Farms with expenses of- | | | | | | | |
| $1 to $999 | 10,144 | 42 | 678 | 1,485 | 2,770 | 2,927 | 2,242 |
| $1,000 to $4,999 | 6,026 | 26 | 348 | 950 | 1,716 | 1,824 | 1,162 |
| $5,000 to $24,999 | 815 | 2 | 80 | 134 | 227 | 219 | 153 |
| $25,000 to $49,999 | 39 | - | 2 | 1 | 8 | 14 | 14 |
| $50,000 or more | 17 | - | 1 | 2 | 5 | 5 | 4 |
| Supplies, repairs, and maintenance costs ..... farms | 23,353 | 92 | 1,825 | 3,575 | 6,437 | 6,603 | 4,821 |
| $1,000 | 85,122 | 202 | 6,167 | 13,370 | 24,273 | 25,281 | 15,829 |
| Farms with expenses of- | | | | | | | |
| $1 to $4,999 | 19,370 | 83 | 1,529 | 2,903 | 5,273 | 5,422 | 4,160 |
| $5,000 to $24,999 | 3,482 | 9 | 251 | 607 | 1,020 | 1,020 | 575 |
| $25,000 to $49,999 | 373 | - | 36 | 55 | 114 | 113 | 55 |
| $50,000 or more | 128 | - | 9 | 10 | 30 | 48 | 31 |
| Hired farm labor ..... farms | 5,259 | 28 | 290 | 680 | 1,449 | 1,595 | 1,217 |
| $1,000 | 49,753 | 22 | 2,216 | 8,133 | 13,357 | 13,316 | 12,710 |
| Farms with expenses of- | | | | | | | |
| $1 to $4,999 | 4,072 | 28 | 231 | 518 | 1,096 | 1,250 | 949 |
| $5,000 to $24,999 | 798 | - | 40 | 96 | 255 | 230 | 177 |
| $25,000 to $99,999 | 323 | - | 15 | 57 | 82 | 97 | 72 |
| $100,000 to $249,999 | 50 | - | 4 | 7 | 12 | 14 | 13 |
| $250,000 or more | 16 | - | - | 2 | 4 | 4 | 6 |
| Contract labor ..... farms | 1,630 | - | 83 | 198 | 457 | 509 | 383 |
| $1,000 | 8,518 | - | 247 | 1,162 | 2,001 | 2,587 | 2,520 |
| Farms with expenses of- | | | | | | | |
| $1 to $999 | 614 | - | 33 | 66 | 209 | 180 | 126 |
| $1,000 to $4,999 | 608 | - | 37 | 83 | 125 | 215 | 148 |
| $5,000 to $24,999 | 372 | - | 13 | 39 | 114 | 105 | 101 |
| $25,000 to $49,999 | 23 | - | - | 7 | 5 | 7 | 4 |
| $50,000 or more | 13 | - | - | 3 | 4 | 2 | 4 |
| Customwork and custom hauling ..... farms | 6,400 | 39 | 643 | 1,007 | 1,681 | 1,703 | 1,327 |
| $1,000 | 21,838 | 116 | 1,519 | 2,764 | 5,188 | 5,401 | 6,850 |
| Farms with expenses of- | | | | | | | |
| $1 to $999 | 3,082 | 20 | 343 | 478 | 850 | 792 | 599 |
| $1,000 to $4,999 | 2,434 | 12 | 232 | 408 | 596 | 662 | 524 |
| $5,000 to $24,999 | 800 | 7 | 57 | 109 | 219 | 236 | 172 |
| $25,000 to $49,999 | 59 | - | 9 | 9 | 10 | 7 | 24 |
| $50,000 or more | 25 | - | 2 | 3 | 6 | 6 | 8 |
| Cash rent for land, buildings, and grazing fees ..... farms | 5,464 | 56 | 743 | 1,080 | 1,609 | 1,419 | 557 |
| $1,000 | 104,222 | 571 | 10,581 | 18,784 | 32,754 | 29,756 | 11,776 |
| Farms with expenses of- | | | | | | | |
| $1 to $4,999 | 2,677 | 37 | 366 | 503 | 771 | 709 | 291 |
| $5,000 to $9,999 | 779 | 5 | 117 | 190 | 218 | 183 | 66 |
| $10,000 to $24,999 | 982 | 4 | 149 | 187 | 309 | 248 | 85 |
| $25,000 or more | 1,026 | 10 | 111 | 200 | 311 | 279 | 115 |

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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. | | | | | | | | |
| Rent and lease expenses for machinery, equipment, and farm share of vehicles ..... farms | 4,107 | 2,609 | 14 | 272 | 407 | 607 | 761 | 548 |
| $1,000 | 69,524 | 60,596 | 127 | 4,146 | 12,423 | 14,263 | 20,633 | 9,003 |
| Farms with expenses of- | | | | | | | | |
| $1 to $999 | 1,392 | 615 | 5 | 71 | 84 | 138 | 158 | 159 |
| $1,000 to $4,999 | 1,077 | 666 | 3 | 75 | 105 | 128 | 196 | 159 |
| $5,000 to $24,999 | 1,001 | 761 | 4 | 76 | 105 | 202 | 222 | 152 |
| $25,000 to $49,999 | 314 | 274 | 2 | 25 | 53 | 68 | 93 | 33 |
| $50,000 or more | 323 | 293 | - | 25 | 60 | 71 | 92 | 45 |
| Interest expense ..... farms | 26,887 | 13,662 | 64 | 1,044 | 1,810 | 3,027 | 4,036 | 3,681 |
| $1,000 | 375,856 | 277,768 | 1,002 | 15,127 | 37,021 | 71,329 | 91,199 | 62,090 |
| Farms with expenses of- | | | | | | | | |
| $1 to $4,999 | 12,414 | 5,062 | 14 | 386 | 555 | 984 | 1,371 | 1,752 |
| $5,000 to $24,999 | 11,108 | 5,835 | 43 | 514 | 851 | 1,282 | 1,740 | 1,405 |
| $25,000 to $99,999 | 2,883 | 2,315 | 6 | 127 | 351 | 629 | 780 | 422 |
| $100,000 or more | 482 | 450 | 1 | 17 | 53 | 132 | 145 | 102 |
| Secured by real estate ..... farms | 22,208 | 10,977 | 58 | 778 | 1,482 | 2,479 | 3,260 | 2,920 |
| $1,000 | 275,088 | 193,879 | 814 | 10,876 | 25,280 | 48,937 | 61,143 | 46,828 |
| Farms with expenses of- | | | | | | | | |
| $1 to $999 | 2,357 | 887 | 1 | 55 | 80 | 129 | 252 | 370 |
| $1,000 to $4,999 | 7,937 | 3,240 | 14 | 196 | 400 | 700 | 928 | 1,002 |
| $5,000 to $24,999 | 9,497 | 4,899 | 36 | 429 | 708 | 1,133 | 1,434 | 1,159 |
| $25,000 to $49,999 | 1,488 | 1,118 | 6 | 63 | 180 | 285 | 370 | 214 |
| $50,000 or more | 929 | 833 | 1 | 35 | 114 | 232 | 276 | 175 |
| Not secured by real estate ..... farms | 14,565 | 8,467 | 32 | 703 | 1,140 | 1,923 | 2,557 | 2,112 |
| $1,000 | 100,769 | 83,889 | 188 | 4,251 | 11,741 | 22,391 | 30,056 | 15,262 |
| Farms with expenses of- | | | | | | | | |
| $1 to $999 | 4,566 | 1,875 | 3 | 152 | 246 | 360 | 493 | 621 |
| $1,000 to $4,999 | 6,007 | 3,336 | 19 | 339 | 477 | 712 | 931 | 858 |
| $5,000 to $24,999 | 3,205 | 2,535 | 9 | 179 | 331 | 638 | 874 | 504 |
| $25,000 to $49,999 | 511 | 464 | - | 22 | 52 | 141 | 167 | 82 |
| $50,000 or more | 276 | 257 | 1 | 11 | 34 | 72 | 92 | 47 |
| Property taxes paid ..... farms | 56,571 | 24,686 | 123 | 1,460 | 2,732 | 4,747 | 6,883 | 8,741 |
| $1,000 | 260,733 | 183,091 | 570 | 6,514 | 20,612 | 39,239 | 60,163 | 55,993 |
| Farms with expenses of- | | | | | | | | |
| $1 to $4,999 | 44,517 | 15,794 | 94 | 1,130 | 1,828 | 2,780 | 4,037 | 5,925 |
| $5,000 to $9,999 | 6,586 | 4,270 | 22 | 190 | 476 | 894 | 1,235 | 1,453 |
| $10,000 to $24,999 | 3,971 | 3,254 | 6 | 115 | 289 | 744 | 1,106 | 994 |
| $25,000 or more | 1,497 | 1,368 | 1 | 25 | 139 | 329 | 505 | 369 |
| All other production expenses (see text) ..... farms | 32,126 | 17,459 | 94 | 1,161 | 2,088 | 3,626 | 5,052 | 5,438 |
| $1,000 | 573,964 | 496,318 | 1,177 | 16,142 | 65,348 | 137,548 | 177,061 | 99,041 |
| Farms with expenses of- | | | | | | | | |
| $1 to $4,999 | 21,051 | 8,806 | 45 | 626 | 1,011 | 1,522 | 2,245 | 3,357 |
| $5,000 to $24,999 | 7,346 | 5,313 | 39 | 389 | 659 | 1,164 | 1,626 | 1,436 |
| $25,000 to $49,999 | 1,812 | 1,571 | 7 | 71 | 174 | 418 | 572 | 329 |
| $50,000 to $99,999 | 1,129 | 1,019 | 1 | 55 | 138 | 312 | 327 | 186 |
| $100,000 or more | 788 | 750 | 2 | 20 | 106 | 210 | 282 | 130 |
| Production expenses paid by landlords [1] ..... farms | 3,882 | 2,956 | 13 | 113 | 287 | 669 | 1,102 | 772 |
| $1,000 | 128,528 | 115,160 | 123 | 3,126 | 13,816 | 29,144 | 47,937 | 21,014 |
| Depreciation expenses claimed ..... farms | 29,395 | 16,584 | 78 | 1,072 | 1,863 | 3,410 | 4,890 | 5,271 |
| $1,000 | 856,800 | 728,575 | 2,205 | 35,640 | 93,945 | 198,012 | 244,699 | 154,075 |
| **NET CASH FARM INCOME (SEE TEXT)** | | | | | | | | |
| Net cash farm income of operations ..... farms | 58,695 | 25,630 | 168 | 1,720 | 2,897 | 4,901 | 7,057 | 8,887 |
| $1,000 | 3,102,675 | 2,783,848 | 13,983 | 146,082 | 392,470 | 766,191 | 867,144 | 597,978 |
| Average per farm ..... dollars | 52,861 | 108,617 | 83,231 | 84,931 | 135,475 | 156,334 | 122,877 | 67,287 |
| Farms with net gains [2] ..... number | 31,001 | 16,489 | 128 | 1,165 | 1,910 | 3,191 | 4,562 | 5,533 |
| Average net gain ..... dollars | 120,881 | 193,390 | 119,228 | 146,076 | 238,145 | 267,935 | 220,974 | 123,883 |
| Gain of- | | | | | | | | |
| Less than $1,000 | 2,133 | 502 | 2 | 21 | 37 | 78 | 118 | 246 |
| $1,000 to $4,999 | 5,034 | 1,488 | 12 | 80 | 118 | 232 | 331 | 715 |
| $5,000 to $9,999 | 3,345 | 1,188 | 5 | 60 | 120 | 162 | 277 | 564 |
| $10,000 to $24,999 | 5,010 | 2,204 | 20 | 172 | 195 | 363 | 555 | 899 |
| $25,000 to $49,999 | 4,031 | 2,227 | 19 | 208 | 269 | 356 | 532 | 843 |
| $50,000 or more | 11,448 | 8,880 | 70 | 624 | 1,171 | 2,000 | 2,749 | 2,266 |
| Farms with net losses ..... number | 27,694 | 9,141 | 40 | 555 | 987 | 1,710 | 2,495 | 3,354 |
| Average net loss ..... dollars | 23,281 | 44,302 | 31,962 | 43,417 | 63,209 | 51,924 | 56,489 | 26,079 |
| Loss of- | | | | | | | | |
| Less than $1,000 | 2,237 | 534 | - | 21 | 29 | 109 | 131 | 244 |
| $1,000 to $4,999 | 8,290 | 2,213 | 8 | 126 | 207 | 326 | 608 | 938 |
| $5,000 to $9,999 | 6,138 | 1,729 | 7 | 90 | 152 | 296 | 466 | 718 |
| $10,000 to $24,999 | 6,496 | 2,202 | 11 | 140 | 263 | 410 | 599 | 779 |
| $25,000 to $49,999 | 2,485 | 1,065 | 9 | 77 | 125 | 219 | 279 | 356 |
| $50,000 or more | 2,048 | 1,398 | 5 | 101 | 211 | 350 | 412 | 319 |
| Net cash farm income of operators ..... farms | 58,695 | 25,630 | 168 | 1,720 | 2,897 | 4,901 | 7,057 | 8,887 |
| $1,000 | 2,441,600 | 2,217,359 | 10,548 | 99,764 | 278,317 | 623,533 | 702,736 | 502,461 |
| Average per farm ..... dollars | 41,598 | 86,514 | 62,784 | 58,002 | 96,071 | 127,226 | 99,580 | 56,539 |
| Operators reporting net gains [2] ..... farms | 30,485 | 16,160 | 123 | 1,131 | 1,858 | 3,124 | 4,462 | 5,462 |
| Average net gain ..... dollars | 102,800 | 164,850 | 98,345 | 110,966 | 185,760 | 231,692 | 192,544 | 109,537 |

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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 | 1,498 | 9 | 164 | 267 | 412 | 391 | 255 |
| $1,000 | 8,929 | 14 | 1,140 | 1,306 | 2,405 | 2,605 | 1,459 |
| Farms with expenses of- | | | | | | | |
| $1 to $999 | 777 | 6 | 76 | 135 | 198 | 216 | 146 |
| $1,000 to $4,999 | 411 | 2 | 45 | 69 | 130 | 98 | 67 |
| $5,000 to $24,999 | 240 | 1 | 35 | 47 | 63 | 58 | 36 |
| $25,000 to $49,999 | 40 | - | 4 | 14 | 10 | 10 | 2 |
| $50,000 or more | 30 | - | 4 | 2 | 11 | 9 | 4 |
| Interest expense ..... farms | 13,225 | 68 | 1,298 | 2,157 | 3,754 | 3,664 | 2,284 |
| $1,000 | 98,089 | 427 | 8,449 | 17,603 | 27,218 | 25,815 | 18,577 |
| Farms with expenses of- | | | | | | | |
| $1 to $4,999 | 7,352 | 41 | 680 | 1,095 | 2,065 | 2,120 | 1,351 |
| $5,000 to $24,999 | 5,273 | 27 | 581 | 945 | 1,523 | 1,381 | 816 |
| $25,000 to $99,999 | 568 | - | 37 | 108 | 160 | 155 | 108 |
| $100,000 or more | 32 | - | - | 9 | 6 | 8 | 9 |
| Secured by real estate ..... farms | 11,231 | 54 | 1,101 | 1,854 | 3,223 | 3,090 | 1,909 |
| $1,000 | 81,209 | 345 | 7,256 | 14,492 | 22,402 | 21,089 | 15,624 |
| Farms with expenses of- | | | | | | | |
| $1 to $999 | 1,470 | 10 | 114 | 188 | 382 | 462 | 314 |
| $1,000 to $4,999 | 4,697 | 17 | 440 | 732 | 1,361 | 1,326 | 821 |
| $5,000 to $24,999 | 4,598 | 27 | 516 | 847 | 1,352 | 1,176 | 680 |
| $25,000 to $49,999 | 370 | - | 24 | 69 | 101 | 102 | 74 |
| $50,000 or more | 96 | - | 7 | 18 | 27 | 24 | 20 |
| Not secured by real estate ..... farms | 6,098 | 29 | 603 | 1,004 | 1,717 | 1,672 | 1,073 |
| $1,000 | 16,880 | 82 | 1,193 | 3,111 | 4,816 | 4,726 | 2,952 |
| Farms with expenses of- | | | | | | | |
| $1 to $999 | 2,691 | 14 | 305 | 427 | 746 | 712 | 487 |
| $1,000 to $4,999 | 2,671 | 12 | 237 | 464 | 772 | 741 | 445 |
| $5,000 to $24,999 | 670 | 3 | 61 | 102 | 177 | 196 | 131 |
| $25,000 to $49,999 | 47 | - | - | 7 | 18 | 16 | 6 |
| $50,000 or more | 19 | - | - | 4 | 4 | 7 | 4 |
| Property taxes paid ..... farms | 31,885 | 107 | 2,475 | 4,705 | 8,618 | 9,114 | 6,866 |
| $1,000 | 77,642 | 140 | 4,412 | 10,644 | 19,892 | 23,227 | 19,327 |
| Farms with expenses of- | | | | | | | |
| $1 to $4,999 | 28,723 | 104 | 2,367 | 4,323 | 7,790 | 8,124 | 6,015 |
| $5,000 to $9,999 | 2,316 | 3 | 83 | 282 | 672 | 708 | 568 |
| $10,000 to $24,999 | 717 | - | 22 | 81 | 135 | 248 | 231 |
| $25,000 or more | 129 | - | 3 | 19 | 21 | 34 | 52 |
| All other production expenses (see text) ..... farms | 14,667 | 65 | 1,195 | 2,371 | 4,105 | 4,227 | 2,704 |
| $1,000 | 77,646 | 129 | 4,176 | 12,518 | 27,496 | 18,040 | 15,287 |
| Farms with expenses of- | | | | | | | |
| $1 to $4,999 | 12,245 | 60 | 1,032 | 1,991 | 3,349 | 3,528 | 2,285 |
| $5,000 to $24,999 | 2,033 | 5 | 125 | 307 | 643 | 593 | 360 |
| $25,000 to $49,999 | 241 | - | 21 | 41 | 75 | 67 | 37 |
| $50,000 to $99,999 | 110 | - | 15 | 26 | 27 | 27 | 15 |
| $100,000 or more | 38 | - | 2 | 6 | 11 | 12 | 7 |
| Production expenses paid by landlords [1] ..... farms | 926 | 3 | 83 | 153 | 274 | 297 | 116 |
| $1,000 | 13,368 | 5 | 950 | 2,103 | 3,969 | 4,983 | 1,358 |
| Depreciation expenses claimed ..... farms | 12,811 | 51 | 925 | 1,883 | 3,494 | 3,736 | 2,722 |
| $1,000 | 128,225 | 355 | 10,965 | 24,097 | 35,948 | 35,062 | 21,799 |
| **NET CASH FARM INCOME (SEE TEXT)** | | | | | | | |
| Net cash farm income of operations ..... farms | 33,065 | 147 | 2,729 | 4,921 | 8,860 | 9,376 | 7,032 |
| $1,000 | 318,827 | 1,889 | 24,095 | 49,970 | 70,280 | 91,777 | 80,815 |
| Average per farm ..... dollars | 9,642 | 12,849 | 8,829 | 10,155 | 7,932 | 9,789 | 11,492 |
| Farms with net gains [2] ..... number | 14,512 | 77 | 1,111 | 1,877 | 3,511 | 4,214 | 3,722 |
| Average net gain ..... dollars | 38,493 | 34,207 | 40,293 | 49,490 | 39,701 | 37,352 | 32,651 |
| Gain of- | | | | | | | |
| Less than $1,000 | 1,631 | 15 | 122 | 177 | 396 | 491 | 430 |
| $1,000 to $4,999 | 3,546 | 10 | 253 | 384 | 860 | 1,059 | 980 |
| $5,000 to $9,999 | 2,157 | 17 | 154 | 275 | 541 | 609 | 561 |
| $10,000 to $24,999 | 2,806 | 14 | 217 | 355 | 672 | 803 | 745 |
| $25,000 to $49,999 | 1,804 | 2 | 159 | 270 | 390 | 495 | 488 |
| $50,000 or more | 2,568 | 19 | 206 | 416 | 652 | 757 | 518 |
| Farms with net losses ..... number | 18,553 | 70 | 1,618 | 3,044 | 5,349 | 5,162 | 3,310 |
| Average net loss ..... dollars | 12,924 | 10,645 | 12,775 | 14,101 | 12,920 | 12,713 | 12,300 |
| Loss of- | | | | | | | |
| Less than $1,000 | 1,703 | 4 | 97 | 233 | 447 | 512 | 410 |
| $1,000 to $4,999 | 6,077 | 17 | 535 | 960 | 1,712 | 1,733 | 1,120 |
| $5,000 to $9,999 | 4,409 | 34 | 451 | 759 | 1,274 | 1,173 | 718 |
| $10,000 to $24,999 | 4,294 | 6 | 400 | 750 | 1,299 | 1,168 | 671 |
| $25,000 to $49,999 | 1,420 | 9 | 71 | 228 | 411 | 421 | 280 |
| $50,000 or more | 650 | - | 64 | 114 | 206 | 155 | 111 |
| Net cash farm income of operators ..... farms | 33,065 | 147 | 2,729 | 4,921 | 8,860 | 9,376 | 7,032 |
| $1,000 | 224,241 | 1,324 | 8,112 | 24,672 | 48,990 | 69,417 | 71,726 |
| Average per farm ..... dollars | 6,782 | 9,009 | 2,973 | 5,014 | 5,529 | 7,404 | 10,200 |
| Operators reporting net gains [2] ..... farms | 14,325 | 74 | 1,058 | 1,815 | 3,475 | 4,192 | 3,711 |
| Average net gain ..... dollars | 32,801 | 28,191 | 28,081 | 38,351 | 34,272 | 32,546 | 30,435 |

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

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

| Item | Total farming and other occupations | Farming | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Total | Age of operator (years) | | | | | |
| | | | Under 25 | 25 to 34 | 35 to 44 | 45 to 54 | 55 to 64 | 65 and over |
| **NET CASH FARM INCOME (SEE TEXT)** - Con. | | | | | | | | |
| Net cash farm income of operators - Con. | | | | | | | | |
| Operators reporting net gains [2] - Con. | | | | | | | | |
| Gain of- | | | | | | | | |
| Less than $1,000 | 2,149 | 507 | 2 | 20 | 37 | 82 | 118 | 248 |
| $1,000 to $4,999 | 5,098 | 1,523 | 12 | 92 | 127 | 237 | 336 | 719 |
| $5,000 to $9,999 | 3,424 | 1,225 | 8 | 76 | 127 | 171 | 279 | 564 |
| $10,000 to $24,999 | 5,120 | 2,280 | 16 | 168 | 227 | 375 | 575 | 919 |
| $25,000 to $49,999 | 4,109 | 2,322 | 24 | 221 | 299 | 387 | 530 | 861 |
| $50,000 or more | 10,585 | 8,303 | 61 | 554 | 1,041 | 1,872 | 2,624 | 2,151 |
| Operators reporting net losses ... farms | 28,210 | 9,470 | 45 | 589 | 1,039 | 1,777 | 2,595 | 3,425 |
| Average net loss ... dollars | 24,539 | 47,161 | 34,418 | 43,699 | 64,316 | 56,428 | 60,268 | 27,980 |
| Loss of- | | | | | | | | |
| Less than $1,000 | 2,229 | 535 | - | 23 | 28 | 106 | 136 | 242 |
| $1,000 to $4,999 | 8,354 | 2,235 | 8 | 128 | 215 | 330 | 608 | 946 |
| $5,000 to $9,999 | 6,201 | 1,758 | 7 | 99 | 164 | 300 | 463 | 725 |
| $10,000 to $24,999 | 6,622 | 2,265 | 13 | 145 | 269 | 414 | 622 | 802 |
| $25,000 to $49,999 | 2,552 | 1,116 | 9 | 85 | 131 | 232 | 294 | 365 |
| $50,000 or more | 2,252 | 1,561 | 8 | 109 | 232 | 395 | 472 | 345 |
| **COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS (SEE TEXT)** | | | | | | | | |
| Total ... farms | 680 | 588 | 9 | 40 | 58 | 166 | 208 | 107 |
| $1,000 | 92,094 | 87,711 | 434 | 2,658 | 12,442 | 25,436 | 31,930 | 14,812 |
| **INCOME FROM FARM-RELATED SOURCES** | | | | | | | | |
| Total income from farm-related sources, gross before taxes and expenses (see text) ... farms | 25,319 | 13,074 | 70 | 839 | 1,365 | 2,532 | 3,757 | 4,511 |
| $1,000 | 741,644 | 573,365 | 1,567 | 33,294 | 66,604 | 152,011 | 186,935 | 132,954 |
| Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms | 3,606 | 2,468 | 20 | 185 | 340 | 565 | 793 | 565 |
| $1,000 | 51,420 | 45,170 | 352 | 3,023 | 7,026 | 10,116 | 16,623 | 8,030 |
| Gross cash rent or share payments ... farms | 11,806 | 4,440 | 4 | 155 | 327 | 677 | 1,170 | 2,107 |
| $1,000 | 190,906 | 93,494 | 15 | 1,861 | 6,634 | 13,144 | 25,885 | 45,954 |
| Sales of forest products, excluding Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops, and maple products ... farms | 1,245 | 625 | 5 | 40 | 64 | 130 | 157 | 229 |
| $1,000 | 11,260 | 5,455 | 1 | 278 | 357 | 1,200 | 1,051 | 2,569 |
| Agri-tourism and recreational services (see text) ... farms | 277 | 136 | 1 | 12 | 21 | 34 | 39 | 29 |
| $1,000 | 4,544 | 3,268 | (D) | 628 | (D) | 536 | 432 | 1,400 |
| Patronage dividends and refunds from cooperatives ... farms | 8,095 | 5,790 | 26 | 296 | 528 | 1,118 | 1,883 | 1,939 |
| $1,000 | 18,246 | 15,742 | 44 | 532 | 1,844 | 4,085 | 5,930 | 3,307 |
| Crop and livestock insurance payments received ... farms | 5,406 | 3,920 | 37 | 300 | 421 | 939 | 1,260 | 963 |
| $1,000 | 428,064 | 383,711 | 919 | 24,620 | 47,865 | 113,460 | 129,888 | 66,960 |
| Amount from state and local government agricultural program payments ... farms | 693 | 341 | 7 | 26 | 20 | 69 | 106 | 113 |
| $1,000 | 3,054 | 2,173 | (D) | 153 | (D) | 509 | 861 | 456 |
| Other farm-related income sources (see text) ... farms | 2,400 | 1,231 | 8 | 125 | 188 | 283 | 307 | 320 |
| $1,000 | 34,141 | 24,344 | 147 | 2,199 | 2,499 | 8,963 | 6,258 | 4,278 |
| **LAND USE** | | | | | | | | |
| Total cropland ... farms | 48,851 | 22,846 | 157 | 1,548 | 2,528 | 4,321 | 6,386 | 7,906 |
| acres | 12,590,633 | 10,703,292 | 37,228 | 485,005 | 1,230,942 | 2,704,012 | 3,747,794 | 2,498,311 |
| Harvested cropland ... farms | 41,965 | 21,232 | 151 | 1,499 | 2,387 | 4,050 | 5,976 | 7,169 |
| acres | 12,146,538 | 10,492,164 | 36,464 | 476,149 | 1,210,317 | 2,662,842 | 3,688,104 | 2,418,288 |
| Farms by acres harvested: | | | | | | | | |
| 1 to 49 acres | 21,132 | 6,730 | 51 | 476 | 775 | 1,085 | 1,652 | 2,691 |
| 50 to 99 acres | 4,996 | 2,503 | 19 | 249 | 371 | 408 | 506 | 950 |
| 100 to 199 acres | 4,158 | 2,378 | 33 | 227 | 228 | 341 | 553 | 996 |
| 200 to 499 acres | 4,961 | 3,506 | 25 | 269 | 312 | 626 | 1,035 | 1,239 |
| 500 to 999 acres | 3,153 | 2,727 | 18 | 152 | 288 | 642 | 974 | 653 |
| 1,000 to 1,999 acres | 2,346 | 2,201 | 3 | 88 | 275 | 598 | 827 | 410 |
| 2,000 acres or more | 1,219 | 1,187 | 2 | 38 | 138 | 350 | 429 | 230 |
| Cropland- | | | | | | | | |
| Other pasture and grazing land that could have been used for crops without additional improvements (see text) ... farms | 4,257 | 1,950 | 17 | 194 | 363 | 400 | 435 | 541 |
| acres | 80,318 | 49,410 | 548 | 4,008 | 6,928 | 11,934 | 12,889 | 13,103 |
| On which all crops failed or were abandoned ... farms | 1,603 | 745 | 5 | 42 | 83 | 149 | 203 | 263 |
| acres | 39,067 | 24,544 | 64 | 610 | 3,070 | 5,841 | 6,917 | 8,042 |
| Idle or used for cover crops or soil improvement, but not harvested and not pastured or grazed (see text) ... farms | 11,241 | 4,445 | 10 | 148 | 330 | 831 | 1,360 | 1,766 |
| acres | 309,461 | 128,425 | 152 | 3,961 | 10,009 | 21,674 | 37,943 | 54,686 |
| In cultivated summer fallow ... farms | 892 | 462 | - | 28 | 36 | 86 | 107 | 205 |
| acres | 15,249 | 8,749 | - | 277 | 618 | 1,721 | 1,941 | 4,192 |
| Total woodland ... farms | 26,560 | 11,680 | 58 | 496 | 1,051 | 2,032 | 3,323 | 4,720 |
| acres | 1,048,632 | 553,502 | 1,065 | 13,806 | 41,348 | 100,029 | 168,173 | 229,081 |
| Woodland pastured ... farms | 6,694 | 3,027 | 17 | 132 | 280 | 554 | 795 | 1,249 |
| acres | 131,080 | 71,955 | 248 | 1,671 | 4,376 | 13,405 | 20,690 | 31,565 |
| Woodland not pastured ... farms | 22,482 | 9,972 | 44 | 412 | 891 | 1,716 | 2,890 | 4,019 |
| acres | 917,552 | 481,547 | 817 | 12,135 | 36,972 | 86,624 | 147,483 | 197,516 |

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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 |
| **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 | 1,642 | 15 | 123 | 179 | 402 | 492 | 431 |
| $1,000 to $4,999 | 3,575 | 12 | 272 | 385 | 853 | 1,068 | 985 |
| $5,000 to $9,999 | 2,199 | 15 | 152 | 285 | 562 | 620 | 565 |
| $10,000 to $24,999 | 2,840 | 14 | 228 | 367 | 667 | 810 | 754 |
| $25,000 to $49,999 | 1,787 | 2 | 140 | 251 | 419 | 503 | 472 |
| $50,000 or more | 2,282 | 16 | 143 | 348 | 572 | 699 | 504 |
| Operators reporting net losses ... farms | 18,740 | 73 | 1,671 | 3,106 | 5,385 | 5,184 | 3,321 |
| Average net loss ... dollars | 13,107 | 10,436 | 12,925 | 14,467 | 13,019 | 12,927 | 12,412 |
| Loss of- | | | | | | | |
| Less than $1,000 | 1,694 | 4 | 103 | 224 | 445 | 509 | 409 |
| $1,000 to $4,999 | 6,119 | 17 | 557 | 970 | 1,715 | 1,735 | 1,125 |
| $5,000 to $9,999 | 4,443 | 37 | 451 | 771 | 1,294 | 1,173 | 717 |
| $10,000 to $24,999 | 4,357 | 6 | 412 | 783 | 1,295 | 1,176 | 685 |
| $25,000 to $49,999 | 1,436 | 9 | 82 | 233 | 420 | 422 | 270 |
| $50,000 or more | 691 | - | 66 | 125 | 216 | 169 | 115 |
| **COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS (SEE TEXT)** | | | | | | | |
| Total ... farms | 92 | 3 | 2 | 13 | 22 | 30 | 22 |
| $1,000 | 4,383 | (D) | (D) | 437 | 1,135 | 1,733 | 694 |
| **INCOME FROM FARM-RELATED SOURCES** | | | | | | | |
| Total income from farm-related sources, gross before taxes and expenses (see text) ... farms | 12,245 | 51 | 881 | 1,580 | 3,040 | 3,535 | 3,158 |
| $1,000 | 168,279 | 287 | 7,479 | 19,621 | 38,255 | 49,863 | 52,775 |
| Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms | 1,138 | 10 | 147 | 215 | 334 | 262 | 170 |
| $1,000 | 6,250 | 7 | 797 | 1,585 | 1,435 | 1,504 | 921 |
| Gross cash rent or share payments ... farms | 7,366 | 20 | 349 | 734 | 1,697 | 2,243 | 2,323 |
| $1,000 | 97,412 | 71 | 1,358 | 6,314 | 17,995 | 30,233 | 41,440 |
| Sales of forest products, excluding Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops, and maple products ... farms | 620 | - | 63 | 63 | 149 | 188 | 157 |
| $1,000 | 5,805 | - | 308 | 602 | 1,024 | 2,416 | 1,455 |
| Agri-tourism and recreational services (see text) ... farms | 141 | - | 8 | 22 | 36 | 50 | 25 |
| $1,000 | 1,277 | - | 70 | 454 | 174 | 494 | 85 |
| Patronage dividends and refunds from cooperatives ... farms | 2,305 | 6 | 134 | 329 | 588 | 715 | 533 |
| $1,000 | 2,505 | 20 | 77 | 333 | 577 | 553 | 945 |
| Crop and livestock insurance payments received ... farms | 1,486 | 14 | 188 | 289 | 396 | 371 | 228 |
| $1,000 | 44,353 | 174 | 4,354 | 8,951 | 14,147 | 10,721 | 6,005 |
| Amount from state and local government agricultural program payments ... farms | 352 | - | 35 | 57 | 96 | 68 | 96 |
| $1,000 | 882 | - | 39 | 143 | 220 | 127 | 352 |
| Other farm-related income sources (see text) ... farms | 1,169 | 13 | 134 | 204 | 322 | 308 | 188 |
| $1,000 | 9,797 | 15 | 475 | 1,240 | 2,683 | 3,813 | 1,571 |
| **LAND USE** | | | | | | | |
| Total cropland ... farms | 26,005 | 98 | 2,087 | 3,725 | 6,723 | 7,542 | 5,830 |
| acres | 1,887,341 | 5,244 | 130,683 | 278,390 | 512,880 | 578,084 | 382,060 |
| Harvested cropland ... farms | 20,733 | 98 | 1,897 | 3,275 | 5,654 | 5,904 | 3,905 |
| acres | 1,654,374 | 5,083 | 122,583 | 258,759 | 466,207 | 508,090 | 293,652 |
| Farms by acres harvested: | | | | | | | |
| 1 to 49 acres | 14,402 | 73 | 1,351 | 2,259 | 3,904 | 4,036 | 2,779 |
| 50 to 99 acres | 2,493 | 8 | 238 | 377 | 645 | 727 | 498 |
| 100 to 199 acres | 1,780 | 12 | 162 | 285 | 520 | 498 | 303 |
| 200 to 499 acres | 1,455 | 5 | 110 | 256 | 412 | 452 | 220 |
| 500 to 999 acres | 426 | - | 24 | 73 | 134 | 126 | 69 |
| 1,000 to 1,999 acres | 145 | - | 12 | 25 | 27 | 54 | 27 |
| 2,000 acres or more | 32 | - | - | - | 12 | 11 | 9 |
| Cropland- | | | | | | | |
| Other pasture and grazing land that could have been used for crops without additional improvements (see text) ... farms | 2,307 | 5 | 318 | 454 | 595 | 557 | 378 |
| acres | 30,908 | 21 | 3,142 | 5,446 | 7,408 | 8,710 | 6,181 |
| On which all crops failed or were abandoned ... farms | 858 | 8 | 64 | 130 | 217 | 245 | 194 |
| acres | 14,523 | 80 | 750 | 1,714 | 3,362 | 4,255 | 4,362 |
| Idle or used for cover crops or soil improvement, but not harvested and not pastured or grazed (see text) ... farms | 6,796 | 3 | 218 | 629 | 1,411 | 2,187 | 2,348 |
| acres | 181,036 | 60 | 3,970 | 11,852 | 34,377 | 55,197 | 75,580 |
| In cultivated summer fallow ... farms | 430 | - | 28 | 44 | 93 | 124 | 141 |
| acres | 6,500 | - | 238 | 619 | 1,526 | 1,832 | 2,285 |
| Total woodland ... farms | 14,880 | 41 | 828 | 1,861 | 3,945 | 4,619 | 3,586 |
| acres | 495,130 | 717 | 14,720 | 43,800 | 109,043 | 168,418 | 158,432 |
| Woodland pastured ... farms | 3,667 | 17 | 249 | 516 | 961 | 1,140 | 784 |
| acres | 59,125 | 270 | 2,052 | 5,744 | 15,148 | 19,516 | 16,395 |
| Woodland not pastured ... farms | 12,510 | 32 | 648 | 1,508 | 3,362 | 3,892 | 3,068 |
| acres | 436,005 | 447 | 12,668 | 38,056 | 93,895 | 148,902 | 142,037 |

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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 |
| **LAND USE** - Con. | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent pasture and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pastured (see text) ... farms | 24,124 | 9,546 | 41 | 540 | 1,100 | 1,844 | 2,489 | 3,532 |
| acres | 551,221 | 309,008 | 1,288 | 11,502 | 36,576 | 62,980 | 77,621 | 119,041 |
| Land in farmsteads, homes, buildings, livestock facilities, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. ... farms | 41,035 | 17,567 | 73 | 961 | 1,879 | 3,279 | 4,838 | 6,537 |
| acres | 529,910 | 316,018 | 746 | 10,812 | 31,594 | 65,209 | 98,528 | 109,129 |
| Irrigated land ... farms | 2,598 | 1,686 | 9 | 168 | 250 | 409 | 511 | 339 |
| acres | 437,445 | 406,625 | 1,216 | 28,074 | 48,156 | 93,099 | 153,718 | 82,362 |
| Harvested cropland ... farms | 2,510 | 1,655 | 9 | 163 | 250 | 396 | 502 | 335 |
| acres | 436,004 | 405,654 | 1,216 | 27,950 | 48,063 | 92,603 | 153,574 | 82,248 |
| Pastureland and other land ... farms | 136 | 67 | - | 11 | 6 | 23 | 19 | 8 |
| acres | 1,441 | 971 | - | 124 | 93 | 496 | 144 | 114 |
| **CONSERVATION AND CROP INSURANCE** | | | | | | | | |
| Land enrolled in Conservation Reserve, Wetlands Reserve, Farmable Wetlands, or Conservation Reserve Enhancement Programs ... farms | 12,167 | 5,322 | 9 | 134 | 399 | 1,019 | 1,700 | 2,061 |
| acres | 248,481 | 94,617 | 227 | 2,622 | 5,312 | 15,259 | 29,039 | 42,158 |
| Land enrolled in crop insurance programs (see text) ... farms | 13,132 | 9,223 | 87 | 716 | 1,028 | 2,011 | 2,910 | 2,471 |
| acres | 8,489,828 | 7,619,281 | 23,204 | 352,807 | 940,456 | 2,013,767 | 2,744,973 | 1,544,074 |
| **ORGANIC AGRICULTURE** | | | | | | | | |
| Total organic commodity sales (see text) ... farms | 283 | 198 | 3 | 49 | 65 | 48 | 22 | 11 |
| $1,000 | 35,695 | 21,221 | 231 | 5,304 | 7,443 | 4,994 | 2,905 | 344 |
| **VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS** | | | | | | | | |
| Estimated market value of land and buildings ... farms | 58,695 | 25,630 | 168 | 1,720 | 2,897 | 4,901 | 7,057 | 8,887 |
| $1,000 | 78,817,157 | 63,478,695 | 215,396 | 2,863,295 | 7,566,395 | 15,569,462 | 22,205,090 | 15,059,056 |
| Average per farm ... dollars | 1,342,826 | 2,476,734 | 1,282,121 | 1,664,706 | 2,611,804 | 3,176,793 | 3,146,534 | 1,694,504 |
| Average per acre ... dollars | 5,354 | 5,343 | 5,341 | 5,494 | 5,645 | 5,310 | 5,426 | 5,095 |
| Farms by value group: | | | | | | | | |
| $1 to $49,999 ... | 4,023 | 1,125 | 12 | 99 | 109 | 231 | 257 | 417 |
| $50,000 to $99,999 ... | 4,812 | 1,302 | 5 | 64 | 102 | 230 | 354 | 547 |
| $100,000 to $199,999 ... | 10,949 | 3,022 | 12 | 188 | 338 | 472 | 745 | 1,267 |
| $200,000 to $499,999 ... | 17,718 | 5,906 | 51 | 449 | 681 | 964 | 1,449 | 2,312 |
| $500,000 to $999,999 ... | 7,721 | 3,782 | 36 | 301 | 539 | 665 | 823 | 1,418 |
| $1,000,000 to $1,999,999 ... | 4,769 | 3,012 | 18 | 260 | 332 | 505 | 793 | 1,104 |
| $2,000,000 to $4,999,999 ... | 4,700 | 3,741 | 26 | 230 | 338 | 837 | 1,237 | 1,073 |
| $5,000,000 to $9,999,999 ... | 2,402 | 2,200 | 7 | 92 | 257 | 558 | 825 | 461 |
| $10,000,000 or more ... | 1,601 | 1,540 | 1 | 37 | 201 | 439 | 574 | 288 |
| **VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT** | | | | | | | | |
| Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ... farms | 58,688 | 25,627 | 168 | 1,720 | 2,897 | 4,901 | 7,055 | 8,886 |
| $1,000 | 8,407,178 | 6,634,572 | 32,720 | 397,068 | 811,018 | 1,638,927 | 2,203,372 | 1,551,466 |
| Farms by value group: | | | | | | | | |
| $1 to $4,999 ... | 6,263 | 1,567 | 9 | 120 | 175 | 245 | 383 | 635 |
| $5,000 to $9,999 ... | 5,512 | 1,542 | 7 | 74 | 167 | 299 | 363 | 632 |
| $10,000 to $19,999 ... | 8,796 | 2,490 | 26 | 144 | 280 | 384 | 602 | 1,054 |
| $20,000 to $49,999 ... | 14,384 | 5,045 | 26 | 346 | 580 | 802 | 1,219 | 2,072 |
| $50,000 to $99,999 ... | 8,365 | 3,724 | 38 | 324 | 437 | 618 | 896 | 1,411 |
| $100,000 to $199,999 ... | 5,506 | 3,224 | 22 | 254 | 331 | 582 | 883 | 1,152 |
| $200,000 to $499,999 ... | 5,360 | 4,007 | 21 | 232 | 424 | 903 | 1,310 | 1,117 |
| $500,000 or more ... | 4,502 | 4,028 | 19 | 226 | 503 | 1,068 | 1,399 | 813 |
| **SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT** | | | | | | | | |
| Trucks, including pickups (see text) ... farms | 39,901 | 20,239 | 126 | 1,176 | 1,913 | 3,823 | 5,819 | 7,382 |
| number | 85,048 | 54,183 | 264 | 2,742 | 5,178 | 11,879 | 17,330 | 16,790 |
| Tractors, all ... farms | 45,322 | 21,854 | 116 | 1,289 | 2,233 | 4,125 | 6,177 | 7,914 |
| number | 123,402 | 74,939 | 297 | 3,591 | 7,001 | 15,350 | 23,245 | 25,455 |
| Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) ... farms | 21,152 | 9,226 | 27 | 446 | 814 | 1,604 | 2,575 | 3,760 |
| number | 29,812 | 13,867 | 41 | 666 | 1,159 | 2,405 | 3,782 | 5,814 |
| 40 to 99 horsepower (PTO) ... farms | 30,589 | 15,391 | 71 | 767 | 1,489 | 2,854 | 4,478 | 5,732 |
| number | 48,187 | 26,514 | 101 | 1,134 | 2,353 | 4,882 | 7,959 | 10,085 |
| 100 horsepower (PTO) or more ... farms | 19,720 | 13,179 | 81 | 786 | 1,334 | 2,750 | 4,081 | 4,147 |
| number | 45,403 | 34,558 | 155 | 1,791 | 3,489 | 8,063 | 11,504 | 9,556 |
| Grain and bean combines, self-propelled ... farms | 15,584 | 11,174 | 45 | 556 | 1,058 | 2,369 | 3,629 | 3,517 |
| number | 17,275 | 12,518 | 51 | 630 | 1,166 | 2,633 | 4,097 | 3,941 |
| Cotton pickers and strippers, self-propelled ... farms | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| number | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Forage harvesters, self-propelled ... farms | 1,067 | 658 | 7 | 49 | 85 | 153 | 191 | 173 |
| number | 1,160 | 720 | 7 | 59 | 97 | 160 | 217 | 180 |
| Hay balers ... farms | 15,258 | 7,620 | 26 | 483 | 868 | 1,507 | 2,075 | 2,661 |
| number | 18,980 | 9,773 | 30 | 584 | 1,067 | 1,942 | 2,705 | 3,445 |

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

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

| Item | Other occupations | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Total | Age of operator (years) | | | | | |
| | | Under 25 | 25 to 34 | 35 to 44 | 45 to 54 | 55 to 64 | 65 and over |
| **LAND USE** - Con. | | | | | | | |
| Permanent pasture and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pastured (see text) ... farms | 14,578 | 79 | 1,272 | 2,398 | 4,329 | 4,122 | 2,378 |
| acres | 242,213 | 1,208 | 14,828 | 32,265 | 65,234 | 75,420 | 53,258 |
| Land in farmsteads, homes, buildings, livestock facilities, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. ... farms | 23,468 | 70 | 1,913 | 3,477 | 6,381 | 6,691 | 4,936 |
| acres | 213,892 | 221 | 8,962 | 24,251 | 52,679 | 63,794 | 63,985 |
| Irrigated land ... farms | 912 | - | 139 | 154 | 255 | 217 | 147 |
| acres | 30,820 | - | 1,093 | 4,266 | 11,808 | 6,046 | 7,607 |
| Harvested cropland ... farms | 855 | - | 135 | 144 | 233 | 204 | 139 |
| acres | 30,350 | - | 1,051 | 4,241 | 11,652 | 5,902 | 7,504 |
| Pastureland and other land ... farms | 69 | - | 4 | 10 | 30 | 15 | 10 |
| acres | 470 | - | 42 | 25 | 156 | 144 | 103 |
| **CONSERVATION AND CROP INSURANCE** | | | | | | | |
| Land enrolled in Conservation Reserve, Wetlands Reserve, Farmable Wetlands, or Conservation Reserve Enhancement Programs ... farms | 6,845 | 4 | 195 | 604 | 1,478 | 2,150 | 2,414 |
| acres | 153,864 | 20 | 3,288 | 10,417 | 28,401 | 47,410 | 64,328 |
| Land enrolled in crop insurance programs (see text) ... farms | 3,909 | 33 | 418 | 702 | 996 | 1,099 | 661 |
| acres | 870,547 | 3,715 | 70,840 | 141,275 | 246,009 | 269,330 | 139,378 |
| **ORGANIC AGRICULTURE** | | | | | | | |
| Total organic commodity sales (see text) ... farms | 85 | - | 19 | 17 | 15 | 27 | 7 |
| $1,000 | 14,474 | - | 232 | 555 | (D) | (D) | 129 |
| **VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS** | | | | | | | |
| Estimated market value of land and buildings ... farms | 33,065 | 147 | 2,729 | 4,921 | 8,860 | 9,376 | 7,032 |
| $1,000 | 15,338,463 | 41,566 | 1,065,433 | 2,210,870 | 4,191,695 | 4,727,327 | 3,101,571 |
| Average per farm ... dollars | 463,888 | 282,763 | 390,412 | 449,273 | 473,103 | 504,194 | 441,065 |
| Average per acre ... dollars | 5,404 | 5,625 | 6,297 | 5,838 | 5,666 | 5,337 | 4,716 |
| Farms by value group: | | | | | | | |
| $1 to $49,999 ... | 2,898 | 13 | 214 | 452 | 734 | 806 | 679 |
| $50,000 to $99,999 ... | 3,510 | 26 | 246 | 472 | 890 | 1,019 | 857 |
| $100,000 to $199,999 ... | 7,927 | 44 | 683 | 1,140 | 2,122 | 2,235 | 1,703 |
| $200,000 to $499,999 ... | 11,812 | 42 | 1,113 | 1,833 | 3,230 | 3,251 | 2,343 |
| $500,000 to $999,999 ... | 3,939 | 14 | 307 | 574 | 1,057 | 1,126 | 861 |
| $1,000,000 to $1,999,999 ... | 1,757 | 8 | 109 | 275 | 500 | 513 | 352 |
| $2,000,000 to $4,999,999 ... | 959 | - | 40 | 152 | 259 | 324 | 184 |
| $5,000,000 to $9,999,999 ... | 202 | - | 15 | 13 | 51 | 84 | 39 |
| $10,000,000 or more ... | 61 | - | 2 | 10 | 17 | 18 | 14 |
| **VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT** | | | | | | | |
| Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ... farms | 33,061 | 147 | 2,729 | 4,921 | 8,860 | 9,374 | 7,030 |
| $1,000 | 1,772,606 | 4,578 | 158,128 | 289,212 | 482,274 | 517,564 | 320,850 |
| Farms by value group: | | | | | | | |
| $1 to $4,999 ... | 4,696 | 24 | 445 | 682 | 1,182 | 1,261 | 1,102 |
| $5,000 to $9,999 ... | 3,970 | 7 | 332 | 560 | 1,056 | 1,032 | 983 |
| $10,000 to $19,999 ... | 6,306 | 35 | 420 | 870 | 1,721 | 1,838 | 1,422 |
| $20,000 to $49,999 ... | 9,339 | 46 | 777 | 1,370 | 2,464 | 2,733 | 1,949 |
| $50,000 to $99,999 ... | 4,641 | 27 | 412 | 705 | 1,234 | 1,347 | 916 |
| $100,000 to $199,999 ... | 2,282 | 8 | 166 | 408 | 680 | 644 | 376 |
| $200,000 to $499,999 ... | 1,353 | - | 125 | 248 | 405 | 368 | 207 |
| $500,000 or more ... | 474 | - | 52 | 78 | 118 | 151 | 75 |
| **SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT** | | | | | | | |
| Trucks, including pickups (see text) ... farms | 19,662 | 78 | 1,363 | 2,939 | 5,591 | 5,816 | 3,875 |
| number | 30,865 | 100 | 2,075 | 4,599 | 9,191 | 9,187 | 5,713 |
| Tractors, all ... farms | 23,468 | 88 | 1,510 | 3,375 | 6,540 | 6,988 | 4,967 |
| number | 48,463 | 154 | 3,061 | 6,866 | 13,680 | 14,682 | 10,020 |
| Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) ... farms | 11,926 | 39 | 660 | 1,615 | 3,317 | 3,611 | 2,684 |
| number | 15,945 | 44 | 879 | 2,050 | 4,431 | 4,821 | 3,720 |
| 40 to 99 horsepower (PTO) ... farms | 15,198 | 49 | 960 | 2,139 | 4,243 | 4,654 | 3,153 |
| number | 21,673 | 51 | 1,328 | 2,958 | 6,061 | 6,728 | 4,547 |
| 100 horsepower (PTO) or more ... farms | 6,541 | 41 | 547 | 1,101 | 1,914 | 1,844 | 1,094 |
| number | 10,845 | 59 | 854 | 1,858 | 3,188 | 3,133 | 1,753 |
| Grain and bean combines, self-propelled ... farms | 4,410 | 15 | 330 | 783 | 1,268 | 1,310 | 704 |
| number | 4,757 | 17 | 354 | 830 | 1,382 | 1,413 | 761 |
| Cotton pickers and strippers, self-propelled ... farms | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| number | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Forage harvesters, self-propelled ... farms | 409 | 7 | 41 | 70 | 134 | 98 | 59 |
| number | 440 | 9 | 48 | 74 | 141 | 104 | 64 |
| Hay balers ... farms | 7,638 | 36 | 598 | 1,292 | 2,334 | 2,179 | 1,199 |
| number | 9,207 | 36 | 710 | 1,541 | 2,828 | 2,647 | 1,445 |

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

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

| Item | 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 | 30,260 | 17,449 | 122 | 1,309 | 1,941 | 3,411 | 5,066 | 5,600 |
| acres treated | 9,732,948 | 8,465,676 | 26,195 | 412,215 | 999,068 | 2,145,594 | 2,981,901 | 1,900,703 |
| Manure used ... farms | 10,403 | 5,757 | 40 | 531 | 857 | 1,267 | 1,591 | 1,471 |
| acres treated | 640,150 | 543,930 | 3,151 | 33,491 | 89,152 | 156,444 | 160,526 | 101,166 |
| Acres treated to control- | | | | | | | | |
| Insects ... farms | 12,114 | 7,955 | 70 | 694 | 963 | 1,710 | 2,332 | 2,186 |
| acres | 4,024,293 | 3,552,160 | 16,873 | 173,836 | 425,564 | 866,815 | 1,252,594 | 816,478 |
| Weeds, grass, or brush ... farms | 27,317 | 16,336 | 124 | 1,193 | 1,797 | 3,238 | 4,810 | 5,174 |
| acres | 11,309,277 | 9,919,051 | 34,651 | 442,327 | 1,156,417 | 2,526,307 | 3,504,264 | 2,255,085 |
| Nematodes ... farms | 2,210 | 1,448 | 12 | 125 | 174 | 289 | 410 | 438 |
| acres | 667,152 | 591,334 | 4,270 | 30,370 | 118,532 | 127,208 | 186,652 | 124,302 |
| Diseases in crops and orchards ... farms | 2,650 | 1,700 | 25 | 162 | 241 | 376 | 491 | 405 |
| acres | 720,191 | 645,199 | 4,360 | 29,590 | 88,756 | 169,163 | 238,684 | 114,646 |
| Chemicals used to control growth, thin fruit, ripen, or defoliate ... farms | 495 | 250 | 5 | 14 | 32 | 40 | 67 | 92 |
| acres on which used | 25,882 | 18,695 | 112 | 597 | 2,341 | 3,785 | 7,013 | 4,847 |
| **LAND USE PRACTICES** | | | | | | | | |
| Land drained by tile ... farms | 22,645 | 12,346 | 95 | 905 | 1,359 | 2,376 | 3,664 | 3,947 |
| acres | 5,672,188 | 4,896,497 | 18,807 | 216,348 | 564,739 | 1,229,470 | 1,741,780 | 1,125,353 |
| Land artificially drained by ditches ... farms | 10,250 | 5,368 | 44 | 385 | 581 | 997 | 1,564 | 1,797 |
| acres | 1,894,351 | 1,651,147 | 7,058 | 77,598 | 237,387 | 389,309 | 566,553 | 373,242 |
| Land under conservation easement ... farms | 3,213 | 1,482 | 5 | 49 | 131 | 275 | 465 | 557 |
| acres | 127,617 | 75,372 | 15 | 2,072 | 10,207 | 13,469 | 30,606 | 19,003 |
| Cropland on which no-till practices were used ... farms | 16,693 | 10,284 | 63 | 691 | 1,100 | 2,129 | 3,190 | 3,111 |
| acres | 4,952,131 | 4,291,613 | 13,951 | 183,126 | 491,912 | 1,115,091 | 1,530,796 | 956,737 |
| Cropland on which conservation tillage, including no till, practices were used ... farms | 9,122 | 6,096 | 31 | 369 | 628 | 1,315 | 1,929 | 1,824 |
| acres | 3,055,030 | 2,759,600 | 6,774 | 117,006 | 274,445 | 685,797 | 1,062,158 | 613,420 |
| Cropland on which conventional tillage practices were used ... farms | 16,042 | 9,411 | 97 | 852 | 1,287 | 1,909 | 2,566 | 2,700 |
| acres | 3,677,690 | 3,167,460 | 14,179 | 159,716 | 413,438 | 801,554 | 1,016,435 | 762,138 |
| Cropland planted to a cover crop (excluding CRP) ... farms | 5,271 | 3,412 | 25 | 347 | 554 | 714 | 993 | 779 |
| acres | 596,062 | 517,573 | 2,514 | 29,335 | 77,253 | 138,711 | 180,093 | 89,667 |
| **ENERGY** | | | | | | | | |
| Renewable energy producing systems ... farms | 2,397 | 981 | 7 | 121 | 190 | 200 | 238 | 225 |
| Solar panels ... farms | 1,314 | 398 | 7 | 86 | 107 | 88 | 73 | 37 |
| Wind turbines ... farms | 425 | 237 | 3 | 21 | 40 | 50 | 62 | 61 |
| Methane digesters ... farms | 9 | 6 | - | - | 3 | 3 | - | - |
| Geoexchange systems ... farms | 540 | 228 | - | 1 | 12 | 34 | 93 | 88 |
| Small hydro systems ... farms | 14 | 3 | - | - | - | - | - | 3 |
| Biodiesel ... farms | 282 | 173 | - | 19 | 40 | 43 | 23 | 48 |
| Ethanol ... farms | 138 | 113 | - | 11 | 22 | 32 | 20 | 28 |
| Other ... farms | 20 | 9 | - | 3 | 1 | 2 | - | 3 |
| Wind rights leased to others ... farms | 496 | 360 | 2 | 5 | 58 | 74 | 118 | 103 |
| **TENURE** | | | | | | | | |
| Full owners ... farms | 38,765 | 13,065 | 55 | 605 | 1,309 | 2,137 | 3,191 | 5,768 |
| Part owners ... farms | 16,679 | 10,882 | 64 | 742 | 1,302 | 2,435 | 3,493 | 2,846 |
| Tenants ... farms | 3,251 | 1,683 | 49 | 373 | 286 | 329 | 373 | 273 |
| **OWNED AND RENTED LAND** | | | | | | | | |
| Land owned ... farms | 55,648 | 24,039 | 119 | 1,351 | 2,617 | 4,587 | 6,706 | 8,659 |
| acres | 8,037,816 | 5,507,231 | 14,595 | 138,798 | 455,914 | 1,111,679 | 1,790,863 | 1,995,382 |
| Owned land in farms ... farms | 55,444 | 23,947 | 119 | 1,347 | 2,611 | 4,572 | 6,684 | 8,614 |
| acres | 6,860,194 | 4,962,481 | 12,878 | 129,499 | 418,145 | 1,037,548 | 1,645,754 | 1,718,657 |
| Land rented or leased from others ... farms | 20,076 | 12,626 | 113 | 1,122 | 1,592 | 2,774 | 3,877 | 3,148 |
| acres | 7,892,288 | 6,935,643 | 27,449 | 393,046 | 925,673 | 1,898,101 | 2,449,313 | 1,242,061 |
| Rented or leased land in farms ... farms | 19,930 | 12,565 | 113 | 1,115 | 1,588 | 2,764 | 3,866 | 3,119 |
| acres | 7,860,202 | 6,919,339 | 27,449 | 391,626 | 922,315 | 1,894,682 | 2,446,362 | 1,236,905 |
| Land rented or leased to others ... farms | 12,444 | 4,581 | 9 | 150 | 346 | 702 | 1,213 | 2,161 |
| acres | 1,209,708 | 561,054 | 1,717 | 10,719 | 41,127 | 77,550 | 148,060 | 281,881 |
| **NUMBER OF OPERATORS** | | | | | | | | |
| Total operators ... number | 89,818 | 39,247 | 235 | 2,713 | 4,514 | 7,629 | 10,897 | 13,259 |
| Farms by number of operators: | | | | | | | | |
| 1 operator ... | 33,481 | 14,890 | 119 | 881 | 1,598 | 2,842 | 3,987 | 5,463 |
| 2 operators ... | 21,164 | 8,673 | 34 | 730 | 1,079 | 1,616 | 2,507 | 2,707 |
| 3 operators ... | 3,037 | 1,601 | 12 | 93 | 160 | 318 | 444 | 574 |
| 4 operators ... | 678 | 311 | 3 | 9 | 37 | 81 | 81 | 100 |
| 5 or more operators ... | 335 | 155 | - | 7 | 23 | 44 | 38 | 43 |
| Total women operators ... number | 24,706 | 9,323 | 43 | 737 | 1,216 | 1,783 | 2,558 | 2,986 |
| Farms by number of women operators: | | | | | | | | |
| 1 operator ... | 21,920 | 8,339 | 39 | 677 | 1,063 | 1,530 | 2,328 | 2,702 |
| 2 operators ... | 1,038 | 396 | 2 | 24 | 55 | 101 | 89 | 125 |
| 3 operators ... | 151 | 41 | - | 4 | 13 | 9 | 6 | 9 |
| 4 operators ... | 25 | 8 | - | - | 1 | 6 | 1 | - |
| 5 or more operators ... | 25 | 6 | - | - | - | - | 5 | 1 |

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

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

| Item | Other occupations | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Total | Age of operator (years) | | | | | |
| | | Under 25 | 25 to 34 | 35 to 44 | 45 to 54 | 55 to 64 | 65 and over |
| **FERTILIZERS AND CHEMICALS** | | | | | | | |
| Commercial fertilizer, lime, and soil conditioners used ... farms | 12,811 | 80 | 1,312 | 2,114 | 3,519 | 3,533 | 2,253 |
| acres treated | 1,267,272 | 4,719 | 100,300 | 202,569 | 365,170 | 379,752 | 214,762 |
| Manure used ... farms | 4,646 | 26 | 666 | 998 | 1,328 | 1,112 | 516 |
| acres treated | 96,220 | 480 | 11,130 | 22,836 | 28,313 | 22,182 | 11,279 |
| Acres treated to control- | | | | | | | |
| Insects ... farms | 4,159 | 25 | 490 | 759 | 1,111 | 1,052 | 722 |
| acres | 472,133 | 1,199 | 43,390 | 91,116 | 117,758 | 141,639 | 77,031 |
| Weeds, grass, or brush ... farms | 10,981 | 67 | 1,103 | 1,804 | 3,000 | 3,020 | 1,987 |
| acres | 1,390,226 | 4,326 | 105,324 | 218,316 | 396,294 | 425,695 | 240,271 |
| Nematodes ... farms | 762 | 7 | 99 | 142 | 199 | 170 | 145 |
| acres | 75,818 | 762 | 5,296 | 16,077 | 20,305 | 21,385 | 11,993 |
| Diseases in crops and orchards ... farms | 950 | 7 | 151 | 190 | 228 | 216 | 158 |
| acres | 74,992 | 408 | 4,711 | 23,203 | 15,851 | 20,376 | 10,443 |
| Chemicals used to control growth, thin fruit, ripen, or defoliate ... farms | 245 | - | 29 | 41 | 73 | 52 | 50 |
| acres on which used | 7,187 | - | 631 | 1,216 | 2,219 | 1,728 | 1,393 |
| **LAND USE PRACTICES** | | | | | | | |
| Land drained by tile ... farms | 10,299 | 53 | 1,022 | 1,556 | 2,800 | 2,937 | 1,931 |
| acres | 775,691 | 3,308 | 62,849 | 119,742 | 211,387 | 239,316 | 139,089 |
| Land artificially drained by ditches ... farms | 4,882 | 28 | 407 | 723 | 1,286 | 1,418 | 1,020 |
| acres | 243,204 | 1,166 | 16,323 | 40,704 | 63,133 | 71,719 | 50,159 |
| Land under conservation easement ... farms | 1,731 | - | 79 | 179 | 462 | 504 | 507 |
| acres | 52,245 | - | 1,461 | 6,857 | 13,357 | 15,134 | 15,436 |
| Cropland on which no-till practices were used ... farms | 6,409 | 39 | 549 | 997 | 1,735 | 1,871 | 1,218 |
| acres | 660,518 | 3,632 | 44,274 | 100,588 | 198,930 | 205,870 | 107,224 |
| Cropland on which conservation tillage, including no till, practices were used ... farms | 3,026 | 24 | 283 | 477 | 757 | 930 | 555 |
| acres | 295,430 | 578 | 14,931 | 41,722 | 80,938 | 100,468 | 56,793 |
| Cropland on which conventional tillage practices were used ... farms | 6,631 | 30 | 791 | 1,230 | 1,746 | 1,697 | 1,137 |
| acres | 510,230 | 462 | 48,366 | 88,381 | 130,124 | 146,245 | 96,652 |
| Cropland planted to a cover crop (excluding CRP) ... farms | 1,859 | 10 | 244 | 328 | 499 | 504 | 274 |
| acres | 78,489 | 819 | 8,528 | 13,130 | 22,417 | 19,869 | 13,726 |
| **ENERGY** | | | | | | | |
| Renewable energy producing systems ... farms | 1,416 | 13 | 356 | 313 | 324 | 253 | 157 |
| Solar panels ... farms | 916 | 13 | 292 | 255 | 194 | 114 | 48 |
| Wind turbines ... farms | 188 | 6 | 44 | 26 | 45 | 46 | 21 |
| Methane digesters ... farms | 3 | - | 3 | - | - | - | - |
| Geoexchange systems ... farms | 312 | - | 15 | 37 | 78 | 97 | 85 |
| Small hydro systems ... farms | 11 | - | - | - | - | 7 | 4 |
| Biodiesel ... farms | 109 | - | 36 | 9 | 31 | 26 | 7 |
| Ethanol ... farms | 25 | - | 9 | 6 | 1 | 7 | 2 |
| Other ... farms | 11 | - | - | - | 5 | 3 | 3 |
| Wind rights leased to others ... farms | 136 | 4 | 15 | 4 | 39 | 29 | 45 |
| **TENURE** | | | | | | | |
| Full owners ... farms | 25,700 | 79 | 1,763 | 3,482 | 6,719 | 7,408 | 6,249 |
| Part owners ... farms | 5,797 | 22 | 644 | 1,122 | 1,734 | 1,621 | 654 |
| Tenants ... farms | 1,568 | 46 | 322 | 317 | 407 | 347 | 129 |
| **OWNED AND RENTED LAND** | | | | | | | |
| Land owned ... farms | 31,609 | 101 | 2,414 | 4,615 | 8,479 | 9,076 | 6,924 |
| acres | 2,530,585 | 3,505 | 85,198 | 248,513 | 562,119 | 812,786 | 818,464 |
| Owned land in farms ... farms | 31,497 | 101 | 2,407 | 4,604 | 8,453 | 9,029 | 6,903 |
| acres | 1,897,713 | 3,028 | 73,675 | 211,138 | 444,063 | 608,242 | 557,567 |
| Land rented or leased from others ... farms | 7,450 | 68 | 971 | 1,448 | 2,165 | 1,999 | 799 |
| acres | 956,645 | 4,362 | 95,885 | 168,661 | 303,433 | 280,922 | 103,382 |
| Rented or leased land in farms ... farms | 7,365 | 68 | 966 | 1,439 | 2,141 | 1,968 | 783 |
| acres | 940,863 | 4,362 | 95,518 | 167,568 | 295,773 | 277,474 | 100,168 |
| Land rented or leased to others ... farms | 7,863 | 20 | 374 | 812 | 1,841 | 2,381 | 2,435 |
| acres | 648,654 | 477 | 11,890 | 38,468 | 125,716 | 207,992 | 264,111 |
| **NUMBER OF OPERATORS** | | | | | | | |
| Total operators ... number | 50,571 | 263 | 4,284 | 7,926 | 13,833 | 13,840 | 10,425 |
| Farms by number of operators: | | | | | | | |
| 1 operator ... | 18,591 | 75 | 1,324 | 2,382 | 4,723 | 5,588 | 4,499 |
| 2 operators ... | 12,491 | 62 | 1,296 | 2,267 | 3,587 | 3,287 | 1,992 |
| 3 operators ... | 1,436 | 8 | 73 | 153 | 411 | 382 | 409 |
| 4 operators ... | 367 | - | 31 | 89 | 90 | 90 | 67 |
| 5 or more operators ... | 180 | 2 | 5 | 30 | 49 | 29 | 65 |
| Total women operators ... number | 15,383 | 62 | 1,275 | 2,606 | 4,394 | 4,026 | 3,020 |
| Farms by number of women operators: | | | | | | | |
| 1 operator ... | 13,581 | 62 | 1,203 | 2,299 | 3,827 | 3,697 | 2,493 |
| 2 operators ... | 642 | - | 33 | 119 | 208 | 139 | 143 |
| 3 operators ... | 110 | - | 2 | 14 | 32 | 17 | 45 |
| 4 operators ... | 17 | - | - | 3 | 7 | - | 7 |
| 5 or more operators ... | 19 | - | - | 3 | 4 | - | 12 |

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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 | 52,950 | 23,538 | 157 | 1,622 | 2,684 | 4,485 | 6,435 | 8,155 |
| Female | 5,745 | 2,092 | 11 | 98 | 213 | 416 | 622 | 732 |
| Primary occupation: | | | | | | | | |
| Farming | 25,630 | 25,630 | 168 | 1,720 | 2,897 | 4,901 | 7,057 | 8,887 |
| Other | 33,065 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Place of residence: | | | | | | | | |
| On farm operated | 47,869 | 21,567 | 108 | 1,227 | 2,323 | 4,118 | 6,025 | 7,766 |
| Not on farm operated | 10,826 | 4,063 | 60 | 493 | 574 | 783 | 1,032 | 1,121 |
| Days worked off farm: | | | | | | | | |
| None | 20,864 | 16,073 | 70 | 711 | 1,304 | 2,644 | 4,420 | 6,924 |
| Any | 37,831 | 9,557 | 98 | 1,009 | 1,593 | 2,257 | 2,637 | 1,963 |
| 1 to 49 days | 4,451 | 2,497 | 22 | 204 | 365 | 510 | 717 | 679 |
| 50 to 99 days | 1,992 | 1,031 | 4 | 89 | 158 | 213 | 297 | 270 |
| 100 to 199 days | 4,657 | 1,707 | 14 | 163 | 273 | 413 | 502 | 342 |
| 200 days or more | 26,731 | 4,322 | 58 | 553 | 797 | 1,121 | 1,121 | 672 |
| Years on present farm: | | | | | | | | |
| 2 years or less | 1,739 | 540 | 38 | 151 | 116 | 93 | 89 | 53 |
| 3 or 4 years | 2,457 | 743 | 67 | 270 | 156 | 107 | 69 | 74 |
| 5 to 9 years | 7,100 | 2,195 | 63 | 660 | 516 | 366 | 350 | 240 |
| 10 years or more | 47,399 | 22,152 | - | 639 | 2,109 | 4,335 | 6,549 | 8,520 |
| Average years on present farm | 24.1 | 28.3 | 4.2 | 8.0 | 14.0 | 22.8 | 29.7 | 39.2 |
| Years operating any farm (see text): | | | | | | | | |
| 2 years or less | 1,265 | 382 | 33 | 113 | 72 | 73 | 53 | 38 |
| 3 or 4 years | 1,977 | 570 | 63 | 234 | 106 | 75 | 51 | 41 |
| 5 to 9 years | 6,099 | 1,786 | 72 | 630 | 407 | 267 | 245 | 165 |
| 10 years or more | 49,354 | 22,892 | - | 743 | 2,312 | 4,486 | 6,708 | 8,643 |
| Average years operating any farm | 26.0 | 30.4 | 4.4 | 8.7 | 15.5 | 24.6 | 31.9 | 42.1 |
| Age group: | | | | | | | | |
| Under 25 years | 315 | 168 | 168 | - | - | - | - | - |
| 25 to 34 years | 4,449 | 1,720 | - | 1,720 | - | - | - | - |
| 35 to 44 years | 7,818 | 2,897 | - | - | 2,897 | - | - | - |
| 45 to 49 years | 6,075 | 2,043 | - | - | - | 2,043 | - | - |
| 50 to 54 years | 7,686 | 2,858 | - | - | - | 2,858 | - | - |
| 55 to 59 years | 8,897 | 3,487 | - | - | - | - | 3,487 | - |
| 60 to 64 years | 7,536 | 3,570 | - | - | - | - | 3,570 | - |
| 65 to 69 years | 5,788 | 3,193 | - | - | - | - | - | 3,193 |
| 70 years and over | 10,131 | 5,694 | - | - | - | - | - | 5,694 |
| Average age | 55.8 | 57.9 | 22.4 | 30.5 | 39.7 | 50.0 | 59.6 | 72.9 |
| Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin (see text) | 276 | 88 | - | 3 | 8 | 24 | 24 | 29 |
| Race: | | | | | | | | |
| American Indian or Alaska Native | 91 | 36 | - | 1 | 4 | 6 | 17 | 8 |
| Asian | 30 | 15 | - | - | 4 | - | 8 | 3 |
| Black or African American | 53 | 21 | - | - | - | 5 | 12 | 4 |
| Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander | 3 | 1 | - | - | - | 1 | - | - |
| White | 58,408 | 25,507 | 168 | 1,719 | 2,886 | 4,883 | 6,998 | 8,853 |
| More than one race reported | 110 | 50 | - | - | 3 | 6 | 22 | 19 |
| Farms by number of persons living in operator's household: | | | | | | | | |
| 1 person | 7,263 | 3,389 | 69 | 173 | 193 | 517 | 952 | 1,485 |
| 2 people | 26,875 | 13,218 | 46 | 359 | 380 | 1,560 | 4,457 | 6,416 |
| 3 people | 8,102 | 3,042 | 27 | 315 | 261 | 893 | 921 | 625 |
| 4 people | 7,321 | 2,615 | 20 | 356 | 716 | 913 | 400 | 210 |
| 5 or more people | 9,134 | 3,366 | 6 | 517 | 1,347 | 1,018 | 327 | 151 |
| Percent of operator's total household income from farming: | | | | | | | | |
| Less than 25 percent | 38,302 | 10,819 | 61 | 632 | 1,044 | 1,845 | 2,651 | 4,586 |
| 25 to 49 percent | 5,561 | 2,822 | 19 | 176 | 315 | 436 | 621 | 1,255 |
| 50 to 74 percent | 6,248 | 4,206 | 18 | 298 | 478 | 740 | 1,051 | 1,621 |
| 75 to 99 percent | 4,786 | 4,174 | 25 | 301 | 521 | 785 | 1,128 | 1,414 |
| 100 percent | 3,798 | 3,609 | 45 | 313 | 539 | 1,095 | 1,606 | 11 |
| Operator is a hired manager ... farms | 1,509 | 1,049 | 7 | 93 | 152 | 266 | 320 | 211 |
| acres | 903,025 | 819,655 | 1,767 | 36,126 | 114,163 | 203,530 | 299,354 | 164,715 |
| Farms with- | | | | | | | | |
| Internet access | 38,403 | 16,635 | 119 | 1,183 | 1,828 | 3,447 | 5,085 | 4,973 |
| Dial-up service | 4,132 | 1,822 | 1 | 52 | 149 | 328 | 533 | 759 |
| DSL service | 14,389 | 5,992 | 32 | 413 | 697 | 1,241 | 1,844 | 1,765 |
| Cable modem service | 4,265 | 1,761 | 14 | 124 | 150 | 342 | 571 | 560 |
| Fiber-optic service | 1,566 | 634 | - | 38 | 62 | 137 | 201 | 196 |
| Mobile broadband plan for a computer or cell phone | 8,640 | 3,894 | 53 | 398 | 515 | 832 | 1,166 | 930 |
| Satellite service | 7,633 | 3,723 | 35 | 224 | 346 | 800 | 1,183 | 1,135 |
| Broadband over Power Lines (BPL) | 1,161 | 545 | - | 33 | 57 | 123 | 145 | 187 |
| Other Internet service | 1,282 | 558 | 4 | 51 | 67 | 111 | 179 | 146 |
| Farms by number of households sharing in net income of operation: | | | | | | | | |
| 1 household | 46,007 | 18,851 | 148 | 1,397 | 2,238 | 3,628 | 5,025 | 6,415 |
| 2 households | 9,273 | 4,852 | 17 | 229 | 415 | 822 | 1,441 | 1,928 |
| 3 households | 1,949 | 1,139 | 1 | 47 | 111 | 260 | 354 | 366 |
| 4 households | 740 | 411 | 2 | 13 | 50 | 107 | 136 | 103 |
| 5 or more households | 726 | 377 | - | 34 | 83 | 84 | 101 | 75 |

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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 | 29,412 | 144 | 2,612 | 4,531 | 7,932 | 8,339 | 5,854 |
| Female | 3,653 | 3 | 117 | 390 | 928 | 1,037 | 1,178 |
| Primary occupation: | | | | | | | |
| Farming | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Other | 33,065 | 147 | 2,729 | 4,921 | 8,860 | 9,376 | 7,032 |
| Place of residence: | | | | | | | |
| On farm operated | 26,302 | 77 | 2,124 | 4,035 | 7,332 | 7,501 | 5,233 |
| Not on farm operated | 6,763 | 70 | 605 | 886 | 1,528 | 1,875 | 1,799 |
| Days worked off farm: | | | | | | | |
| None | 4,791 | 2 | 84 | 173 | 501 | 1,095 | 2,936 |
| Any | 28,274 | 145 | 2,645 | 4,748 | 8,359 | 8,281 | 4,096 |
| 1 to 49 days | 1,954 | 8 | 134 | 229 | 364 | 578 | 641 |
| 50 to 99 days | 961 | 10 | 56 | 114 | 213 | 272 | 296 |
| 100 to 199 days | 2,950 | 9 | 226 | 407 | 632 | 1,040 | 636 |
| 200 days or more | 22,409 | 118 | 2,229 | 3,998 | 7,150 | 6,391 | 2,523 |
| Years on present farm: | | | | | | | |
| 2 years or less | 1,199 | 41 | 360 | 272 | 257 | 197 | 72 |
| 3 or 4 years | 1,714 | 51 | 594 | 401 | 362 | 211 | 95 |
| 5 to 9 years | 4,905 | 55 | 1,104 | 1,233 | 1,317 | 853 | 343 |
| 10 years or more | 25,247 | - | 671 | 3,015 | 6,924 | 8,115 | 6,522 |
| Average years on present farm | 20.8 | 4.1 | 6.8 | 12.1 | 17.6 | 23.3 | 33.4 |
| Years operating any farm (see text): | | | | | | | |
| 2 years or less | 883 | 38 | 276 | 189 | 175 | 153 | 52 |
| 3 or 4 years | 1,407 | 50 | 518 | 327 | 283 | 156 | 73 |
| 5 to 9 years | 4,313 | 59 | 1,129 | 1,076 | 1,076 | 680 | 293 |
| 10 years or more | 26,462 | - | 806 | 3,329 | 7,326 | 8,387 | 6,614 |
| Average years operating any farm | 22.5 | 4.2 | 7.5 | 13.2 | 19.3 | 25.5 | 35.5 |
| Age group: | | | | | | | |
| Under 25 years | 147 | 147 | - | - | - | - | - |
| 25 to 34 years | 2,729 | - | 2,729 | - | - | - | - |
| 35 to 44 years | 4,921 | - | - | 4,921 | - | - | - |
| 45 to 49 years | 4,032 | - | - | - | 4,032 | - | - |
| 50 to 54 years | 4,828 | - | - | - | 4,828 | - | - |
| 55 to 59 years | 5,410 | - | - | - | - | 5,410 | - |
| 60 to 64 years | 3,966 | - | - | - | - | 3,966 | - |
| 65 to 69 years | 2,595 | - | - | - | - | - | 2,595 |
| 70 years and over | 4,437 | - | - | - | - | - | 4,437 |
| Average age | 54.2 | 22.7 | 30.7 | 40.1 | 49.9 | 59.1 | 73.0 |
| Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin (see text) | 188 | - | 13 | 19 | 46 | 49 | 61 |
| Race: | | | | | | | |
| American Indian or Alaska Native | 55 | - | 5 | 6 | 21 | 13 | 10 |
| Asian | 15 | - | 3 | 2 | 3 | - | 7 |
| Black or African American | 32 | - | 7 | - | 5 | 7 | 13 |
| Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander | 2 | - | - | - | - | 2 | - |
| White | 32,901 | 147 | 2,713 | 4,903 | 8,812 | 9,338 | 6,988 |
| More than one race reported | 60 | - | 1 | 10 | 19 | 16 | 14 |
| Farms by number of persons living in operator's household: | | | | | | | |
| 1 person | 3,874 | 33 | 244 | 292 | 782 | 1,063 | 1,460 |
| 2 people | 13,657 | 49 | 464 | 644 | 2,454 | 5,519 | 4,527 |
| 3 people | 5,060 | 32 | 409 | 708 | 1,846 | 1,482 | 583 |
| 4 people | 4,706 | 23 | 666 | 1,322 | 1,798 | 657 | 240 |
| 5 or more people | 5,768 | 10 | 946 | 1,955 | 1,980 | 655 | 222 |
| Percent of operator's total household income from farming: | | | | | | | |
| Less than 25 percent | 27,483 | 118 | 2,242 | 4,140 | 7,533 | 7,835 | 5,615 |
| 25 to 49 percent | 2,739 | 4 | 226 | 391 | 678 | 783 | 657 |
| 50 to 74 percent | 2,042 | 20 | 198 | 300 | 452 | 504 | 568 |
| 75 to 99 percent | 612 | 3 | 51 | 70 | 141 | 158 | 189 |
| 100 percent | 189 | 2 | 12 | 20 | 56 | 96 | 3 |
| Operator is a hired manager ... farms | 460 | 5 | 31 | 58 | 130 | 138 | 98 |
| acres | 83,370 | 305 | 3,433 | 8,439 | 24,968 | 31,199 | 15,026 |
| Farms with- | | | | | | | |
| Internet access | 21,768 | 85 | 1,499 | 3,305 | 6,308 | 6,579 | 3,992 |
| Dial-up service | 2,310 | 1 | 72 | 221 | 577 | 821 | 618 |
| DSL service | 8,397 | 34 | 479 | 1,341 | 2,523 | 2,490 | 1,530 |
| Cable modem service | 2,504 | 9 | 132 | 310 | 622 | 857 | 574 |
| Fiber-optic service | 932 | 2 | 57 | 124 | 244 | 302 | 203 |
| Mobile broadband plan for a computer or cell phone | 4,746 | 32 | 593 | 885 | 1,334 | 1,257 | 645 |
| Satellite service | 3,910 | 22 | 216 | 526 | 1,192 | 1,221 | 733 |
| Broadband over Power Lines (BPL) | 616 | 2 | 33 | 102 | 196 | 159 | 124 |
| Other Internet service | 724 | 2 | 51 | 144 | 210 | 205 | 112 |
| Farms by number of households sharing in net income of operation: | | | | | | | |
| 1 household | 27,156 | 118 | 2,354 | 4,217 | 7,399 | 7,609 | 5,459 |
| 2 households | 4,421 | 29 | 266 | 499 | 1,045 | 1,396 | 1,186 |
| 3 households | 810 | - | 33 | 77 | 220 | 218 | 262 |
| 4 households | 329 | - | 12 | 53 | 92 | 102 | 70 |
| 5 or more households | 349 | - | 64 | 75 | 104 | 51 | 55 |

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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 | 56,778 | 24,722 | 164 | 1,672 | 2,767 | 4,700 | 6,781 | 8,638 |
| acres | 13,765,625 | 11,078,700 | 38,751 | 493,676 | 1,179,776 | 2,722,504 | 3,827,742 | 2,816,251 |
| Limited Liability Corporation ... farms | 2,124 | 1,114 | 4 | 105 | 161 | 219 | 295 | 330 |
| acres | 877,479 | 719,764 | (D) | (D) | 98,342 | 166,297 | 216,097 | 178,631 |
| **LEGAL STATUS FOR TAX PURPOSES (SEE TEXT)** | | | | | | | | |
| Family or individual ... farms | 50,997 | 21,187 | 154 | 1,508 | 2,420 | 3,918 | 5,663 | 7,524 |
| acres | 10,006,936 | 7,719,491 | 32,127 | 370,544 | 852,121 | 1,936,776 | 2,562,508 | 1,965,415 |
| Partnership ... farms | 3,376 | 1,884 | 6 | 105 | 226 | 379 | 570 | 598 |
| acres | 2,191,875 | 1,932,819 | 2,331 | 100,012 | 245,563 | 454,846 | 707,380 | 422,687 |
| Registered under state law ... farms | 2,257 | 1,295 | 6 | 77 | 166 | 290 | 404 | 352 |
| acres | 1,705,060 | 1,526,113 | 2,331 | 90,592 | 190,471 | 371,131 | 564,077 | 307,511 |
| Corporation ... farms | 3,266 | 2,177 | 5 | 102 | 223 | 551 | 730 | 566 |
| acres | 2,312,284 | 2,086,117 | (D) | (D) | 218,085 | 523,519 | 767,653 | 524,457 |
| Family held ... farms | 3,030 | 2,047 | 5 | 91 | 204 | 508 | 696 | 543 |
| acres | 2,215,043 | 2,012,270 | (D) | (D) | 215,584 | 499,536 | 741,276 | 504,514 |
| More than 10 stockholders ... farms | 56 | 40 | - | 4 | 5 | 13 | 12 | 6 |
| 10 or less stockholders ... farms | 2,974 | 2,007 | 5 | 87 | 199 | 495 | 684 | 537 |
| Other than family held ... farms | 236 | 130 | - | 11 | 19 | 43 | 34 | 23 |
| acres | 97,241 | 73,847 | - | 1,043 | 2,501 | 23,983 | 26,377 | 19,943 |
| More than 10 stockholders ... farms | 16 | 10 | - | - | - | 6 | 3 | 1 |
| 10 or less stockholders ... farms | 220 | 120 | - | 11 | 19 | 37 | 31 | 22 |
| Other-cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc ... farms | 1,056 | 382 | 3 | 5 | 28 | 53 | 94 | 199 |
| acres | 209,301 | 143,393 | (D) | (D) | 24,691 | 17,089 | 54,575 | 43,003 |
| **HIRED FARM LABOR** | | | | | | | | |
| Hired farm labor ... farms | 14,350 | 9,091 | 47 | 556 | 1,004 | 2,075 | 2,774 | 2,635 |
| workers | 46,590 | 33,031 | 198 | 1,849 | 4,245 | 8,283 | 10,404 | 8,052 |
| Workers by days worked: | | | | | | | | |
| 150 days or more ... farms | 5,930 | 4,525 | 26 | 253 | 561 | 1,158 | 1,465 | 1,062 |
| workers | 15,733 | 13,040 | 76 | 556 | 1,801 | 3,524 | 4,538 | 2,545 |
| Less than 150 days ... farms | 10,918 | 6,667 | 31 | 399 | 713 | 1,522 | 2,002 | 2,000 |
| workers | 30,857 | 19,991 | 122 | 1,293 | 2,444 | 4,759 | 5,866 | 5,507 |
| Migrant farm labor on farms with hired labor (see text) ... farms | 188 | 156 | 2 | 6 | 18 | 43 | 44 | 43 |
| Migrant farm labor on farms reporting only contract labor (see text) ... farms | 21 | 15 | - | - | 1 | 4 | 5 | 5 |
| Unpaid workers (see text) ... farms | 23,247 | 9,571 | 64 | 735 | 1,331 | 1,975 | 2,451 | 3,015 |
| workers | 57,799 | 23,099 | 125 | 2,022 | 4,393 | 5,114 | 5,106 | 6,339 |
| **FARMS BY SIZE** | | | | | | | | |
| 1 to 9 acres | 6,607 | 1,687 | 17 | 156 | 204 | 366 | 426 | 518 |
| 10 to 49 acres | 20,770 | 5,715 | 41 | 381 | 696 | 1,017 | 1,438 | 2,142 |
| 50 to 69 acres | 4,617 | 1,595 | 8 | 108 | 188 | 257 | 372 | 662 |
| 70 to 99 acres | 5,118 | 2,060 | 9 | 171 | 271 | 313 | 435 | 861 |
| 100 to 139 acres | 4,168 | 1,939 | 23 | 181 | 252 | 302 | 417 | 764 |
| 140 to 179 acres | 2,493 | 1,275 | 11 | 94 | 148 | 168 | 278 | 576 |
| 180 to 219 acres | 1,767 | 977 | 10 | 97 | 90 | 137 | 228 | 415 |
| 220 to 259 acres | 1,378 | 817 | 6 | 73 | 61 | 124 | 218 | 335 |
| 260 to 499 acres | 4,275 | 2,888 | 19 | 170 | 245 | 529 | 832 | 1,093 |
| 500 to 999 acres | 3,562 | 2,973 | 18 | 151 | 307 | 674 | 1,045 | 778 |
| 1,000 to 1,999 acres | 2,544 | 2,357 | 4 | 96 | 277 | 623 | 884 | 473 |
| 2,000 acres or more | 1,396 | 1,347 | 2 | 42 | 158 | 391 | 484 | 270 |
| **FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM (NAICS)** | | | | | | | | |
| Oilseed and grain farming (1111) | 24,002 | 14,007 | 104 | 942 | 1,354 | 2,672 | 4,200 | 4,735 |
| Vegetable and melon farming (1112) | 688 | 336 | - | 41 | 62 | 69 | 83 | 81 |
| Fruit and tree nut farming (1113) | 402 | 135 | - | 2 | 8 | 19 | 40 | 66 |
| Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114) | 794 | 326 | - | 26 | 26 | 79 | 110 | 85 |
| Other crop farming (1119) | 11,636 | 2,991 | 7 | 81 | 207 | 448 | 749 | 1,499 |
| Tobacco farming (11191) | 86 | 39 | - | 3 | 3 | 11 | 8 | 14 |
| Cotton farming (11192) | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193,11194,11199) | 11,550 | 2,952 | 7 | 78 | 204 | 437 | 741 | 1,485 |
| Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111) | 8,394 | 2,832 | 20 | 170 | 290 | 408 | 666 | 1,278 |
| Cattle feedlots (112112) | 319 | 159 | 3 | 22 | 27 | 20 | 33 | 54 |
| Dairy cattle and milk production (11212) | 1,459 | 1,183 | 11 | 192 | 332 | 321 | 234 | 93 |
| Hog and pig farming (1122) | 1,301 | 675 | 11 | 70 | 157 | 160 | 181 | 96 |
| Poultry and egg production (1123) | 1,336 | 604 | - | 61 | 157 | 156 | 153 | 77 |
| Sheep and goat farming (1124) | 1,719 | 474 | 11 | 25 | 67 | 106 | 112 | 153 |
| Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129) | 6,645 | 1,908 | 1 | 88 | 210 | 443 | 496 | 670 |
| **LIVESTOCK** | | | | | | | | |
| Cattle and calves inventory ... farms | 17,370 | 8,175 | 55 | 621 | 1,101 | 1,635 | 2,070 | 2,693 |
| number | 821,265 | 616,862 | 3,522 | 43,963 | 111,360 | 176,806 | 172,850 | 108,361 |
| Farms with- | | | | | | | | |
| 1 to 9 | 6,397 | 1,954 | 6 | 145 | 246 | 382 | 470 | 705 |
| 10 to 49 | 7,628 | 3,695 | 38 | 230 | 373 | 637 | 942 | 1,475 |
| 50 to 99 | 1,804 | 1,312 | 5 | 134 | 261 | 297 | 321 | 294 |
| 100 to 199 | 892 | 660 | 3 | 65 | 111 | 151 | 184 | 146 |

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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 | 32,056 | 145 | 2,645 | 4,811 | 8,614 | 9,050 | 6,791 |
| | acres | 2,686,925 | 7,356 | 161,650 | 356,894 | 704,663 | 830,625 | 625,737 |
| Limited Liability Corporation | farms | 1,010 | 4 | 62 | 132 | 271 | 286 | 255 |
| | acres | 157,715 | 652 | 6,994 | 29,695 | 39,932 | 42,668 | 37,774 |
| **LEGAL STATUS FOR TAX PURPOSES (SEE TEXT)** | | | | | | | | |
| Family or individual | farms | 29,810 | 143 | 2,533 | 4,557 | 8,130 | 8,438 | 6,009 |
| | acres | 2,287,445 | 7,270 | 149,497 | 319,177 | 625,106 | 702,455 | 483,940 |
| Partnership | farms | 1,492 | 2 | 100 | 168 | 344 | 435 | 443 |
| | acres | 259,056 | (D) | (D) | 30,503 | 54,540 | 78,941 | 83,903 |
| Registered under state law | farms | 962 | 2 | 52 | 125 | 220 | 273 | 290 |
| | acres | 178,947 | (D) | (D) | 24,422 | 35,412 | 49,330 | 64,055 |
| Corporation | farms | 1,089 | - | 62 | 145 | 282 | 309 | 291 |
| | acres | 226,167 | - | 6,768 | 24,297 | 51,560 | 79,669 | 63,873 |
| Family held | farms | 983 | - | 56 | 136 | 252 | 274 | 265 |
| | acres | 202,773 | - | 5,984 | 23,123 | 44,078 | 68,591 | 60,997 |
| More than 10 stockholders | farms | 16 | - | - | - | 5 | 6 | 5 |
| 10 or less stockholders | farms | 967 | - | 56 | 136 | 247 | 268 | 260 |
| Other than family held | farms | 106 | - | 6 | 9 | 30 | 35 | 26 |
| | acres | 23,394 | - | 784 | 1,174 | 7,482 | 11,078 | 2,876 |
| More than 10 stockholders | farms | 6 | - | - | 1 | - | 3 | 2 |
| 10 or less stockholders | farms | 100 | - | 6 | 8 | 30 | 32 | 24 |
| Other-cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc | farms | 674 | 2 | 34 | 51 | 104 | 194 | 289 |
| | acres | 65,908 | (D) | (D) | 4,729 | 8,630 | 24,651 | 26,019 |
| **HIRED FARM LABOR** | | | | | | | | |
| Hired farm labor | farms | 5,259 | 28 | 290 | 680 | 1,449 | 1,595 | 1,217 |
| | workers | 13,559 | 51 | 736 | 1,969 | 3,679 | 4,079 | 3,045 |
| Workers by days worked: | | | | | | | | |
| 150 days or more | farms | 1,405 | 9 | 77 | 218 | 364 | 399 | 338 |
| | workers | 2,693 | 9 | 123 | 480 | 678 | 723 | 680 |
| Less than 150 days | farms | 4,251 | 19 | 234 | 517 | 1,194 | 1,316 | 971 |
| | workers | 10,866 | 42 | 613 | 1,489 | 3,001 | 3,356 | 2,365 |
| Migrant farm labor on farms with hired labor (see text) | farms | 32 | - | - | 6 | 6 | 14 | 6 |
| Migrant farm labor on farms reporting only contract labor (see text) | farms | 6 | - | - | 1 | 2 | 1 | 2 |
| Unpaid workers (see text) | farms | 13,676 | 62 | 1,238 | 2,316 | 4,092 | 3,612 | 2,356 |
| | workers | 34,700 | 143 | 3,312 | 6,977 | 10,928 | 8,250 | 5,090 |
| **FARMS BY SIZE** | | | | | | | | |
| 1 to 9 acres | | 4,920 | 30 | 615 | 908 | 1,471 | 1,202 | 694 |
| 10 to 49 acres | | 15,055 | 76 | 1,300 | 2,288 | 4,059 | 4,262 | 3,070 |
| 50 to 69 acres | | 3,022 | 9 | 220 | 420 | 756 | 876 | 741 |
| 70 to 99 acres | | 3,058 | 10 | 182 | 377 | 740 | 903 | 846 |
| 100 to 139 acres | | 2,229 | 8 | 139 | 295 | 580 | 641 | 566 |
| 140 to 179 acres | | 1,218 | 4 | 63 | 145 | 324 | 379 | 303 |
| 180 to 219 acres | | 790 | 5 | 49 | 115 | 182 | 228 | 211 |
| 220 to 259 acres | | 561 | - | 39 | 63 | 152 | 178 | 129 |
| 260 to 499 acres | | 1,387 | 5 | 83 | 188 | 372 | 438 | 301 |
| 500 to 999 acres | | 589 | - | 25 | 90 | 174 | 184 | 116 |
| 1,000 to 1,999 acres | | 187 | - | 12 | 31 | 34 | 67 | 43 |
| 2,000 acres or more | | 49 | - | 2 | 1 | 16 | 18 | 12 |
| **FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM (NAICS)** | | | | | | | | |
| Oilseed and grain farming (1111) | | 9,995 | 64 | 899 | 1,522 | 2,626 | 2,861 | 2,023 |
| Vegetable and melon farming (1112) | | 352 | 2 | 50 | 61 | 86 | 99 | 54 |
| Fruit and tree nut farming (1113) | | 267 | - | 22 | 30 | 54 | 86 | 75 |
| Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114) | | 468 | - | 45 | 59 | 119 | 142 | 103 |
| Other crop farming (1119) | | 8,645 | 11 | 377 | 716 | 1,951 | 2,705 | 2,885 |
| Tobacco farming (11191) | | 47 | - | 5 | 4 | 18 | 8 | 12 |
| Cotton farming (11192) | | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193,11194,11199) | | 8,598 | 11 | 372 | 712 | 1,933 | 2,697 | 2,873 |
| Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111) | | 5,562 | 25 | 585 | 1,002 | 1,597 | 1,478 | 875 |
| Cattle feedlots (112112) | | 160 | 5 | 17 | 23 | 41 | 46 | 28 |
| Dairy cattle and milk production (11212) | | 276 | 2 | 31 | 69 | 98 | 47 | 29 |
| Hog and pig farming (1122) | | 626 | 8 | 82 | 212 | 169 | 123 | 32 |
| Poultry and egg production (1123) | | 732 | - | 80 | 181 | 210 | 192 | 69 |
| Sheep and goat farming (1124) | | 1,245 | - | 119 | 252 | 435 | 301 | 138 |
| Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129) | | 4,737 | 30 | 422 | 794 | 1,474 | 1,296 | 721 |
| **LIVESTOCK** | | | | | | | | |
| Cattle and calves inventory | farms | 9,195 | 59 | 970 | 1,736 | 2,721 | 2,437 | 1,272 |
| | number | 204,403 | 1,696 | 26,822 | 44,052 | 51,693 | 51,881 | 28,259 |
| Farms with- | | | | | | | | |
| 1 to 9 | | 4,443 | 21 | 488 | 905 | 1,389 | 1,107 | 533 |
| 10 to 49 | | 3,933 | 28 | 361 | 673 | 1,107 | 1,132 | 632 |
| 50 to 99 | | 492 | 2 | 42 | 84 | 175 | 119 | 70 |
| 100 to 199 | | 232 | 8 | 58 | 50 | 38 | 53 | 25 |

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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 | 468 | 392 | 2 | 33 | 80 | 116 | 105 | 56 |
| 500 or more | 181 | 162 | 1 | 14 | 30 | 52 | 48 | 17 |
| Cows and heifers that calved ... farms | 13,344 | 6,583 | 39 | 467 | 833 | 1,291 | 1,682 | 2,271 |
| number | 356,768 | 278,128 | 2,254 | 14,814 | 45,260 | 79,560 | 86,024 | 50,216 |
| Beef cows ... farms | 11,218 | 5,112 | 26 | 239 | 421 | 897 | 1,397 | 2,132 |
| number | 182,627 | 113,099 | 563 | 3,698 | 9,259 | 25,071 | 33,725 | 40,783 |
| Farms with- | | | | | | | | |
| 1 to 9 | 5,758 | 1,994 | 11 | 121 | 182 | 331 | 515 | 834 |
| 10 to 49 | 4,786 | 2,603 | 13 | 109 | 191 | 442 | 702 | 1,146 |
| 50 to 99 | 500 | 369 | 1 | 7 | 34 | 73 | 137 | 117 |
| 100 to 199 | 130 | 110 | - | 1 | 9 | 39 | 32 | 29 |
| 200 to 499 | 41 | 34 | 1 | 1 | 5 | 11 | 10 | 6 |
| 500 or more | 3 | 2 | - | - | - | 1 | 1 | - |
| Milk cows ... farms | 2,401 | 1,619 | 15 | 244 | 435 | 427 | 322 | 176 |
| number | 174,141 | 165,029 | 1,691 | 11,116 | 36,001 | 54,489 | 52,299 | 9,433 |
| Farms with- | | | | | | | | |
| 1 to 9 | 901 | 329 | 4 | 49 | 80 | 86 | 47 | 63 |
| 10 to 49 | 927 | 768 | 7 | 131 | 254 | 204 | 121 | 51 |
| 50 to 99 | 323 | 280 | 2 | 45 | 68 | 61 | 74 | 30 |
| 100 to 199 | 142 | 138 | 1 | 13 | 17 | 41 | 42 | 24 |
| 200 to 499 | 66 | 62 | - | 4 | 7 | 20 | 24 | 7 |
| 500 or more | 42 | 42 | 1 | 2 | 9 | 15 | 14 | 1 |
| Other cattle (see text) ... farms | 14,412 | 7,030 | 48 | 555 | 993 | 1,422 | 1,774 | 2,238 |
| number | 464,497 | 338,734 | 1,268 | 29,149 | 66,100 | 97,246 | 86,826 | 58,145 |
| Cattle and calves sold ... farms | 14,106 | 7,070 | 51 | 551 | 950 | 1,437 | 1,745 | 2,336 |
| number | 665,418 | 476,028 | 3,760 | 45,402 | 109,333 | 147,366 | 99,581 | 70,586 |
| $1,000 | 522,694 | 376,331 | 2,620 | 40,022 | 72,074 | 104,004 | 91,583 | 66,029 |
| Calves weighing less than 500 pounds ... farms | 6,386 | 3,311 | 27 | 331 | 537 | 672 | 781 | 963 |
| number | 324,538 | 229,761 | 1,879 | 24,321 | 68,488 | 80,802 | 32,375 | 21,896 |
| Cattle, including calves weighing 500 pounds or more ... farms | 11,829 | 6,053 | 44 | 463 | 786 | 1,242 | 1,509 | 2,009 |
| number | 340,880 | 246,267 | 1,881 | 21,081 | 40,845 | 66,564 | 67,206 | 48,690 |
| Cattle on feed (see text) ... farms | 1,133 | 829 | 4 | 43 | 98 | 185 | 244 | 255 |
| number | 98,613 | 85,205 | 210 | 6,661 | 14,245 | 22,672 | 21,279 | 20,138 |
| Hogs and pigs inventory ... farms | 2,757 | 1,489 | 20 | 147 | 286 | 384 | 391 | 261 |
| number | 3,747,352 | 3,394,856 | 33,544 | 214,914 | 634,251 | 1,063,792 | 989,509 | 458,846 |
| Farms with- | | | | | | | | |
| 1 to 24 | 1,344 | 422 | 8 | 54 | 102 | 117 | 74 | 67 |
| 25 to 49 | 169 | 86 | - | 15 | 9 | 16 | 29 | 17 |
| 50 to 99 | 137 | 93 | 4 | 17 | 14 | 13 | 28 | 17 |
| 100 to 199 | 103 | 66 | - | 3 | 11 | 15 | 11 | 26 |
| 200 to 499 | 194 | 130 | - | 10 | 29 | 29 | 40 | 22 |
| 500 or more | 810 | 692 | 8 | 48 | 121 | 194 | 209 | 112 |
| Used or to be used for breeding ... farms | 1,375 | 742 | 4 | 56 | 123 | 193 | 211 | 155 |
| number | 280,559 | 244,099 | 50 | 6,996 | 41,444 | 93,304 | 71,557 | 30,748 |
| Other hogs and pigs ... farms | 2,328 | 1,347 | 20 | 135 | 251 | 347 | 358 | 236 |
| number | 3,466,793 | 3,150,757 | 33,494 | 207,918 | 592,807 | 970,488 | 917,952 | 428,098 |
| Hogs and pigs sold ... farms | 2,823 | 1,508 | 15 | 149 | 300 | 394 | 386 | 264 |
| number | 10,551,241 | 9,096,666 | 52,563 | 550,872 | 1,712,293 | 3,233,721 | 2,408,029 | 1,139,188 |
| $1,000 | 1,273,099 | 1,162,027 | 8,932 | 76,151 | 231,247 | 338,557 | 337,479 | 169,660 |
| Sheep and lambs inventory (see text) ... farms | 2,109 | 731 | 6 | 63 | 115 | 161 | 167 | 219 |
| number | 52,169 | 22,702 | 90 | 2,050 | 3,777 | 4,941 | 5,307 | 6,537 |
| Ewes 1 year old or older ... farms | 1,707 | 619 | 6 | 45 | 97 | 138 | 149 | 184 |
| number | 32,765 | 14,961 | 60 | 1,203 | 2,446 | 3,415 | 3,411 | 4,426 |
| Sheep and lambs sold ... farms | 1,519 | 530 | 6 | 48 | 85 | 110 | 115 | 166 |
| number | 33,975 | 14,778 | 24 | 1,024 | 2,371 | 3,459 | 3,621 | 4,279 |
| Total horses and ponies inventory ... farms | 13,677 | 4,675 | 18 | 463 | 839 | 1,079 | 1,056 | 1,220 |
| number | 97,383 | 38,273 | 102 | 4,030 | 7,638 | 9,931 | 8,119 | 8,453 |
| Owned horses and ponies inventory ... farms | 13,408 | 4,548 | 18 | 455 | 834 | 1,053 | 1,020 | 1,168 |
| number | 88,331 | 33,887 | 102 | 3,518 | 6,972 | 8,635 | 7,130 | 7,530 |
| Owned horses and ponies sold ... farms | 3,383 | 1,241 | 6 | 162 | 281 | 301 | 244 | 247 |
| number | 11,110 | 4,632 | 10 | 465 | 1,608 | 1,016 | 766 | 767 |
| Goats, all inventory ... farms | 2,883 | 912 | 5 | 77 | 172 | 204 | 239 | 215 |
| number | 38,632 | 16,405 | 120 | 856 | 4,334 | 3,602 | 4,292 | 3,201 |
| Goats, all sold ... farms | 1,586 | 544 | 5 | 55 | 99 | 111 | 137 | 137 |
| number | 18,665 | 8,538 | 111 | 857 | 2,611 | 1,491 | 1,703 | 1,765 |
| **POULTRY** | | | | | | | | |
| Layers inventory (see text) ... farms | 5,584 | 1,896 | 7 | 244 | 412 | 426 | 432 | 375 |
| number | 25,587,222 | 24,446,750 | 127 | (D) | 7,549,576 | 7,062,218 | (D) | 6,071,193 |
| Farms with- | | | | | | | | |
| 1 to 399 | 5,468 | 1,804 | 7 | 235 | 386 | 395 | 416 | 365 |
| 400 to 3,199 | 25 | 20 | - | 7 | 5 | 5 | 2 | 1 |
| 3,200 to 9,999 | 2 | 2 | - | 1 | - | 1 | - | - |
| 10,000 to 19,999 | 12 | 9 | - | - | 2 | 3 | 3 | 1 |
| 20,000 to 49,999 | 41 | 29 | - | - | 12 | 10 | 5 | 2 |
| 50,000 to 99,999 | 7 | 5 | - | - | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| 100,000 or more | 29 | 27 | - | 1 | 6 | 11 | 5 | 4 |
| Pullets for laying flock replacement inventory ... farms | 693 | 294 | 5 | 34 | 56 | 65 | 72 | 62 |
| number | 7,566,860 | 6,805,893 | 306 | 176,092 | 1,746,145 | 1,033,675 | 2,667,044 | 1,182,631 |

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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 | farms | 76 | - | 17 | 17 | 9 | 23 | 10 |
| 500 or more | farms | 19 | - | 4 | 7 | 3 | 3 | 2 |
| Cows and heifers that calved | farms | 6,761 | 41 | 590 | 1,167 | 2,064 | 1,840 | 1,059 |
| | number | 78,640 | 398 | 5,421 | 11,100 | 23,180 | 23,994 | 14,547 |
| Beef cows | farms | 6,106 | 36 | 504 | 956 | 1,886 | 1,716 | 1,008 |
| | number | 69,528 | 282 | 4,418 | 9,371 | 19,912 | 22,178 | 13,367 |
| Farms with- | | | | | | | | |
| 1 to 9 | farms | 3,764 | 26 | 366 | 650 | 1,191 | 979 | 552 |
| 10 to 49 | farms | 2,183 | 10 | 128 | 284 | 662 | 679 | 420 |
| 50 to 99 | farms | 131 | - | 8 | 21 | 27 | 45 | 30 |
| 100 to 199 | farms | 20 | - | 2 | - | 5 | 10 | 3 |
| 200 to 499 | farms | 7 | - | - | 1 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 500 or more | farms | 1 | - | - | - | - | 1 | - |
| Milk cows | farms | 782 | 5 | 101 | 239 | 219 | 154 | 64 |
| | number | 9,112 | 116 | 1,003 | 1,729 | 3,268 | 1,816 | 1,180 |
| Farms with- | | | | | | | | |
| 1 to 9 | farms | 572 | 3 | 78 | 191 | 132 | 118 | 50 |
| 10 to 49 | farms | 159 | - | 16 | 45 | 69 | 24 | 5 |
| 50 to 99 | farms | 43 | 2 | 6 | 3 | 16 | 11 | 5 |
| 100 to 199 | farms | 4 | - | - | - | 1 | - | 3 |
| 200 to 499 | farms | 4 | - | 1 | - | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| 500 or more | farms | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Other cattle (see text) | farms | 7,382 | 49 | 836 | 1,426 | 2,175 | 1,954 | 942 |
| | number | 125,763 | 1,298 | 21,401 | 32,952 | 28,513 | 27,887 | 13,712 |
| Cattle and calves sold | farms | 7,036 | 40 | 725 | 1,347 | 2,068 | 1,884 | 972 |
| | number | 189,390 | 1,440 | 34,085 | 49,246 | 50,571 | 36,845 | 17,203 |
| | $1,000 | 146,364 | 1,283 | 23,757 | 36,004 | 44,983 | 26,641 | 13,695 |
| Calves weighing less than 500 pounds | farms | 3,075 | 19 | 354 | 594 | 855 | 829 | 424 |
| | number | 94,777 | 798 | 23,981 | 28,166 | 15,276 | 19,461 | 7,095 |
| Cattle, including calves weighing 500 pounds or more | farms | 5,776 | 36 | 555 | 1,089 | 1,733 | 1,556 | 807 |
| | number | 94,613 | 642 | 10,104 | 21,080 | 35,295 | 17,384 | 10,108 |
| Cattle on feed (see text) | farms | 304 | 5 | 34 | 55 | 84 | 84 | 42 |
| | number | 13,408 | 489 | 1,058 | 2,842 | 2,714 | 2,841 | 3,464 |
| Hogs and pigs inventory | farms | 1,268 | 5 | 178 | 374 | 386 | 248 | 77 |
| | number | 352,496 | (D) | 35,994 | 144,593 | 76,110 | 63,908 | (D) |
| Farms with- | | | | | | | | |
| 1 to 24 | farms | 922 | 2 | 125 | 274 | 286 | 187 | 48 |
| 25 to 49 | farms | 83 | 2 | 13 | 15 | 26 | 19 | 8 |
| 50 to 99 | farms | 44 | - | 7 | 8 | 14 | 10 | 5 |
| 100 to 199 | farms | 37 | - | 4 | 13 | 15 | 4 | 1 |
| 200 to 499 | farms | 64 | - | 13 | 22 | 21 | 5 | 3 |
| 500 or more | farms | 118 | 1 | 16 | 42 | 24 | 23 | 12 |
| Used or to be used for breeding | farms | 633 | 2 | 75 | 188 | 196 | 136 | 36 |
| | number | 36,460 | (D) | 2,136 | 22,436 | 6,511 | 3,548 | (D) |
| Other hogs and pigs | farms | 981 | 5 | 145 | 295 | 295 | 181 | 60 |
| | number | 316,036 | (D) | 33,858 | 122,157 | 69,599 | 60,360 | (D) |
| Hogs and pigs sold | farms | 1,315 | 8 | 170 | 420 | 417 | 228 | 72 |
| | number | 1,454,575 | 13,972 | 101,152 | 767,740 | 304,716 | 199,473 | 67,522 |
| | $1,000 | 111,072 | 2,433 | 10,825 | 45,298 | 24,532 | 16,600 | 11,385 |
| Sheep and lambs inventory (see text) | farms | 1,378 | 2 | 175 | 291 | 419 | 327 | 164 |
| | number | 29,467 | (D) | (D) | 5,589 | 9,436 | 8,055 | (D) |
| Ewes 1 year old or older | farms | 1,088 | - | 130 | 233 | 324 | 264 | 137 |
| | number | 17,804 | - | 1,852 | 3,544 | 5,499 | 5,040 | 1,869 |
| Sheep and lambs sold | farms | 989 | - | 114 | 223 | 325 | 238 | 89 |
| | number | 19,197 | - | 2,137 | 3,478 | 6,215 | 5,815 | 1,552 |
| Total horses and ponies inventory | farms | 9,002 | 46 | 1,060 | 1,660 | 2,734 | 2,340 | 1,162 |
| | number | 59,110 | 281 | 6,006 | 11,845 | 18,191 | 15,308 | 7,479 |
| Owned horses and ponies inventory | farms | 8,860 | 44 | 1,040 | 1,646 | 2,682 | 2,319 | 1,129 |
| | number | 54,444 | 271 | 5,653 | 11,049 | 16,652 | 14,080 | 6,739 |
| Owned horses and ponies sold | farms | 2,142 | 22 | 345 | 496 | 624 | 468 | 187 |
| | number | 6,478 | 47 | 994 | 1,763 | 2,012 | 1,080 | 582 |
| Goats, all inventory | farms | 1,971 | 6 | 210 | 452 | 680 | 422 | 201 |
| | number | 22,227 | 52 | 1,996 | 4,927 | 8,468 | 4,659 | 2,125 |
| Goats, all sold | farms | 1,042 | 2 | 123 | 275 | 364 | 206 | 72 |
| | number | 10,127 | (D) | 804 | 2,607 | 3,820 | 2,118 | (D) |
| **POULTRY** | | | | | | | | |
| Layers inventory (see text) | farms | 3,688 | 10 | 508 | 892 | 1,148 | 821 | 309 |
| | number | 1,140,472 | 112 | 42,012 | 185,926 | 713,195 | 168,996 | 30,231 |
| Farms with- | | | | | | | | |
| 1 to 399 | farms | 3,664 | 10 | 507 | 883 | 1,139 | 818 | 307 |
| 400 to 3,199 | farms | 5 | - | - | 1 | 3 | - | 1 |
| 3,200 to 9,999 | farms | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 10,000 to 19,999 | farms | 3 | - | - | 1 | 2 | - | - |
| 20,000 to 49,999 | farms | 12 | - | 1 | 7 | 2 | 1 | 1 |
| 50,000 to 99,999 | farms | 2 | - | - | - | - | 2 | - |
| 100,000 or more | farms | 2 | - | - | - | 2 | - | - |
| Pullets for laying flock replacement inventory | farms | 399 | 5 | 61 | 92 | 130 | 83 | 28 |
| | number | 760,967 | 164 | 44,828 | (D) | 237,861 | (D) | (D) |

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

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

| Item | Total farming and other occupations | Farming | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Total | Age of operator (years) | | | | | |
| | | | Under 25 | 25 to 34 | 35 to 44 | 45 to 54 | 55 to 64 | 65 and over |
| **POULTRY** - Con. | | | | | | | | |
| Layers sold (see text) ..... farms | 918 | 362 | - | 57 | 94 | 78 | 78 | 55 |
| number | 10,096,783 | 9,491,824 | - | 83,627 | 1,342,738 | 4,475,153 | 2,276,329 | 1,313,977 |
| Pullets for laying flock replacement sold ..... farms | 141 | 65 | - | 5 | 18 | 14 | 15 | 13 |
| number | 16,769,406 | 15,658,122 | - | (D) | 4,673,279 | 4,412,725 | (D) | 3,753,073 |
| Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold ..... farms | 674 | 292 | - | 52 | 110 | 62 | 52 | 16 |
| number | 41,579,130 | 33,872,935 | - | 5,567,996 | 16,255,066 | 8,081,108 | (D) | (D) |
| Farms with- | | | | | | | | |
| 1 to 1,999 ..... | 515 | 189 | - | 33 | 64 | 40 | 39 | 13 |
| 2,000 to 59,999 ..... | 23 | 15 | - | 6 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 1 |
| 60,000 to 99,999 ..... | 11 | 9 | - | 4 | 3 | 1 | 1 | - |
| 100,000 or more ..... | 125 | 79 | - | 9 | 41 | 19 | 8 | 2 |
| Turkeys inventory (see text) ..... farms | 663 | 331 | 3 | 24 | 81 | 85 | 94 | 44 |
| number | 5,084,794 | 4,444,619 | 150 | 246,533 | 798,882 | 1,696,814 | 1,236,735 | 465,505 |
| Turkeys sold (see text) ..... farms | 389 | 243 | 3 | 26 | 61 | 64 | 62 | 27 |
| number | 13,642,595 | 12,101,808 | 150 | 757,078 | 2,366,209 | 3,875,048 | 3,612,243 | 1,491,080 |
| **CROPS HARVESTED** | | | | | | | | |
| Barley for grain ..... farms | 38 | 26 | - | - | 9 | 6 | 6 | 5 |
| acres | 760 | 639 | - | - | 79 | 184 | 333 | 43 |
| bushels | 49,253 | 43,521 | - | - | 4,027 | 13,657 | 22,842 | 2,995 |
| Irrigated ..... farms | 1 | 1 | - | - | - | - | 1 | - |
| acres | (D) | (D) | - | - | - | - | (D) | - |
| Farms by acres harvested: | | | | | | | | |
| 1 to 24 acres ..... | 30 | 19 | - | - | 9 | 3 | 2 | 5 |
| 25 to 99 acres ..... | 7 | 6 | - | - | - | 3 | 3 | - |
| 100 to 249 acres ..... | 1 | 1 | - | - | - | - | 1 | - |
| 250 to 499 acres ..... | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 500 acres or more ..... | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Corn for grain ..... farms | 22,985 | 14,583 | 111 | 1,085 | 1,686 | 2,998 | 4,295 | 4,408 |
| acres | 6,036,712 | 5,322,910 | 17,883 | 248,369 | 640,998 | 1,362,702 | 1,879,536 | 1,173,422 |
| bushels | 597,271,090 | 530,151,977 | 1,801,529 | 24,850,858 | 63,388,178 | 134,381,887 | 188,657,537 | 117,071,988 |
| Irrigated ..... farms | 1,108 | 916 | 7 | 82 | 118 | 215 | 313 | 181 |
| acres | 295,168 | 274,766 | 840 | 21,244 | 31,853 | 60,458 | 105,842 | 54,529 |
| Farms by acres harvested: | | | | | | | | |
| 1 to 24 acres ..... | 5,583 | 2,254 | 24 | 267 | 402 | 453 | 459 | 649 |
| 25 to 99 acres ..... | 6,493 | 3,352 | 37 | 284 | 324 | 456 | 800 | 1,451 |
| 100 to 249 acres ..... | 4,412 | 3,096 | 27 | 256 | 287 | 545 | 897 | 1,084 |
| 250 to 499 acres ..... | 2,871 | 2,452 | 16 | 139 | 254 | 566 | 881 | 596 |
| 500 acres or more ..... | 3,626 | 3,429 | 7 | 139 | 419 | 978 | 1,258 | 628 |
| Corn for silage or greenchop ..... farms | 2,496 | 1,868 | 14 | 231 | 415 | 452 | 470 | 286 |
| acres | 137,801 | 122,438 | 864 | 7,984 | 19,843 | 34,044 | 36,859 | 22,844 |
| tons | 1,775,267 | 1,578,994 | 11,119 | 111,264 | 257,699 | 432,942 | 456,129 | 309,841 |
| Irrigated ..... farms | 68 | 59 | - | 10 | 16 | 14 | 13 | 6 |
| acres | 6,036 | 5,506 | - | (D) | 729 | 1,655 | 548 | (D) |
| Farms by acres harvested: | | | | | | | | |
| 1 to 24 acres ..... | 1,492 | 1,003 | 8 | 162 | 266 | 236 | 204 | 127 |
| 25 to 99 acres ..... | 689 | 572 | 5 | 54 | 114 | 134 | 160 | 105 |
| 100 to 249 acres ..... | 213 | 196 | - | 10 | 24 | 51 | 73 | 38 |
| 250 to 499 acres ..... | 65 | 62 | - | 3 | 8 | 18 | 22 | 11 |
| 500 acres or more ..... | 37 | 35 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 13 | 11 | 5 |
| Dry edible beans, excluding limas ..... farms | 8 | 6 | - | 2 | 2 | - | - | 2 |
| acres | 71 | (D) | - | (D) | (D) | - | - | (D) |
| cwt | 710 | (D) | - | (D) | (D) | - | - | (D) |
| Irrigated ..... farms | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| acres | (D) | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Farms by acres harvested: | | | | | | | | |
| 1 to 24 acres ..... | 8 | 6 | - | 2 | 2 | - | - | 2 |
| 25 to 99 acres ..... | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 100 to 249 acres ..... | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 250 to 499 acres ..... | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 500 acres or more ..... | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Oats for grain ..... farms | 538 | 312 | - | 31 | 66 | 78 | 70 | 67 |
| acres | 4,874 | 3,368 | - | 281 | 581 | 859 | 780 | 867 |
| bushels | 270,728 | 193,523 | - | 14,409 | 25,641 | 53,791 | 45,825 | 53,857 |
| Irrigated ..... farms | 10 | 9 | - | - | 6 | 2 | 1 | - |
| acres | (D) | (D) | - | - | 14 | (D) | (D) | - |
| Farms by acres harvested: | | | | | | | | |
| 1 to 24 acres ..... | 513 | 290 | - | 30 | 64 | 74 | 62 | 60 |
| 25 to 99 acres ..... | 24 | 21 | - | 1 | 2 | 4 | 8 | 6 |
| 100 to 249 acres ..... | 1 | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | 1 |
| 250 to 499 acres ..... | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 500 acres or more ..... | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Sorghum for grain ..... farms | 64 | 46 | - | 2 | 4 | 9 | 17 | 14 |
| acres | 7,282 | 5,735 | - | (D) | (D) | 1,192 | 2,324 | 1,510 |
| bushels | 439,074 | 363,164 | - | (D) | (D) | 68,385 | 173,953 | 75,733 |
| Irrigated ..... farms | 1 | 1 | - | - | 1 | - | - | - |
| acres | (D) | (D) | - | - | (D) | - | - | - |
| Farms by acres harvested: | | | | | | | | |
| 1 to 24 acres ..... | 19 | 12 | - | 1 | - | 1 | 5 | 5 |
| 25 to 99 acres ..... | 22 | 16 | - | - | 3 | 3 | 5 | 5 |
| 100 to 249 acres ..... | 14 | 12 | - | 1 | - | 4 | 4 | 3 |
| 250 to 499 acres ..... | 7 | 4 | - | - | 1 | 1 | 2 | - |
| 500 acres or more ..... | 2 | 2 | - | - | - | - | 1 | 1 |
| Soybeans for beans ..... farms | 21,905 | 13,844 | 97 | 915 | 1,396 | 2,738 | 4,199 | 4,499 |
| acres | 5,144,179 | 4,467,788 | 15,304 | 193,583 | 488,411 | 1,131,632 | 1,581,398 | 1,057,460 |
| bushels | 218,928,307 | 191,558,187 | 654,765 | 8,196,279 | 21,038,467 | 48,411,073 | 68,107,848 | 45,149,755 |

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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 | 556 | - | 60 | 160 | 177 | 117 | 42 |
| number | 604,959 | - | (D) | 110,030 | 264,737 | (D) | (D) |
| Pullets for laying flock replacement sold ..... farms | 76 | 2 | 22 | 16 | 23 | 10 | 3 |
| number | 1,111,284 | (D) | 145,158 | (D) | 423,707 | (D) | (D) |
| Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold ..... farms | 382 | - | 64 | 103 | 132 | 63 | 20 |
| number | 7,706,195 | - | 1,871,405 | 2,522,126 | 2,013,364 | 676,805 | 622,495 |
| Farms with- | | | | | | | |
| 1 to 1,999 ..... | 326 | - | 52 | 85 | 118 | 57 | 14 |
| 2,000 to 59,999 ..... | 8 | - | 1 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 2 |
| 60,000 to 99,999 ..... | 2 | - | - | 2 | - | - | - |
| 100,000 or more ..... | 46 | - | 11 | 14 | 13 | 4 | 4 |
| Turkeys inventory (see text) ..... farms | 332 | 2 | 27 | 74 | 119 | 72 | 38 |
| number | 640,175 | (D) | (D) | 95,356 | 335,997 | 149,123 | (D) |
| Turkeys sold (see text) ..... farms | 146 | 2 | 16 | 39 | 45 | 31 | 13 |
| number | 1,540,787 | (D) | (D) | 201,138 | 736,232 | 356,946 | 148,693 |
| **CROPS HARVESTED** | | | | | | | |
| Barley for grain ..... farms | 12 | - | 2 | 7 | 2 | 1 | - |
| acres | 121 | - | (D) | 32 | (D) | (D) | - |
| bushels | 5,732 | - | (D) | 1,410 | (D) | (D) | - |
| Irrigated ..... farms | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| acres | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Farms by acres harvested: | | | | | | | |
| 1 to 24 acres ..... | 11 | - | 2 | 7 | 1 | 1 | - |
| 25 to 99 acres ..... | 1 | - | - | - | 1 | - | - |
| 100 to 249 acres ..... | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 250 to 499 acres ..... | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 500 acres or more ..... | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Corn for grain ..... farms | 8,402 | 48 | 834 | 1,455 | 2,280 | 2,338 | 1,447 |
| acres | 713,802 | 2,357 | 53,762 | 114,880 | 196,598 | 217,800 | 128,405 |
| bushels | 67,119,113 | 253,631 | 5,048,155 | 10,253,209 | 18,115,919 | 20,958,391 | 12,489,808 |
| Irrigated ..... farms | 192 | - | 20 | 27 | 61 | 42 | 42 |
| acres | 20,402 | - | 257 | 2,834 | 8,032 | 3,812 | 5,467 |
| Farms by acres harvested: | | | | | | | |
| 1 to 24 acres ..... | 3,329 | 25 | 360 | 628 | 880 | 880 | 556 |
| 25 to 99 acres ..... | 3,141 | 13 | 324 | 498 | 860 | 868 | 578 |
| 100 to 249 acres ..... | 1,316 | 10 | 115 | 219 | 367 | 396 | 209 |
| 250 to 499 acres ..... | 419 | - | 23 | 75 | 125 | 130 | 66 |
| 500 acres or more ..... | 197 | - | 12 | 35 | 48 | 64 | 38 |
| Corn for silage or greenchop ..... farms | 628 | 5 | 80 | 150 | 198 | 134 | 61 |
| acres | 15,363 | 99 | 1,358 | 1,917 | 6,267 | 3,709 | 2,013 |
| tons | 196,273 | 1,305 | 17,325 | 26,614 | 84,073 | 43,996 | 22,960 |
| Irrigated ..... farms | 9 | - | 2 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 1 |
| acres | 530 | - | (D) | (D) | (D) | (D) | (D) |
| Farms by acres harvested: | | | | | | | |
| 1 to 24 acres ..... | 489 | 3 | 67 | 134 | 151 | 94 | 40 |
| 25 to 99 acres ..... | 117 | 2 | 13 | 15 | 40 | 31 | 16 |
| 100 to 249 acres ..... | 17 | - | - | - | 3 | 9 | 5 |
| 250 to 499 acres ..... | 3 | - | - | 1 | 2 | - | - |
| 500 acres or more ..... | 2 | - | - | - | 2 | - | - |
| Dry edible beans, excluding limas ..... farms | 2 | - | - | - | - | 1 | 1 |
| acres | (D) | - | - | - | - | (D) | (D) |
| cwt | (D) | - | - | - | - | (D) | (D) |
| Irrigated ..... farms | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | 1 |
| acres | (D) | - | - | - | - | - | (D) |
| Farms by acres harvested: | | | | | | | |
| 1 to 24 acres ..... | 2 | - | - | - | - | 1 | 1 |
| 25 to 99 acres ..... | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 100 to 249 acres ..... | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 250 to 499 acres ..... | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 500 acres or more ..... | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Oats for grain ..... farms | 226 | 3 | 23 | 59 | 54 | 64 | 23 |
| acres | 1,506 | 21 | 111 | 350 | 457 | 387 | 180 |
| bushels | 77,205 | 1,770 | 4,940 | 14,856 | 28,002 | 19,000 | 8,637 |
| Irrigated ..... farms | 1 | - | - | 1 | - | - | - |
| acres | (D) | - | - | (D) | - | - | - |
| Farms by acres harvested: | | | | | | | |
| 1 to 24 acres ..... | 223 | 3 | 23 | 58 | 52 | 64 | 23 |
| 25 to 99 acres ..... | 3 | - | - | 1 | 2 | - | - |
| 100 to 249 acres ..... | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 250 to 499 acres ..... | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 500 acres or more ..... | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Sorghum for grain ..... farms | 18 | - | 3 | 2 | 6 | 3 | 4 |
| acres | 1,547 | - | 3 | (D) | 885 | (D) | 119 |
| bushels | 75,910 | - | 78 | (D) | 42,306 | (D) | (D) |
| Irrigated ..... farms | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| acres | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Farms by acres harvested: | | | | | | | |
| 1 to 24 acres ..... | 7 | - | 3 | 1 | - | 1 | 2 |
| 25 to 99 acres ..... | 6 | - | - | - | 3 | 1 | 2 |
| 100 to 249 acres ..... | 2 | - | - | 1 | 1 | - | - |
| 250 to 499 acres ..... | 3 | - | - | - | 2 | 1 | - |
| 500 acres or more ..... | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Soybeans for beans ..... farms | 8,061 | 41 | 705 | 1,273 | 2,177 | 2,355 | 1,510 |
| acres | 676,391 | 2,027 | 49,295 | 104,987 | 190,509 | 213,384 | 116,189 |
| bushels | 27,370,120 | 82,087 | 1,980,251 | 4,207,875 | 7,730,482 | 8,674,092 | 4,695,333 |

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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. | | | | | | | | |
| Soybeans for beans - Con. | | | | | | | | |
| Irrigated ..... farms | 693 | 586 | 3 | 44 | 71 | 134 | 208 | 126 |
| acres | 98,026 | 92,372 | 300 | 4,582 | 10,576 | 21,750 | 33,489 | 21,675 |
| Farms by acres harvested: | | | | | | | | |
| 1 to 24 acres | 4,110 | 1,376 | 23 | 133 | 161 | 183 | 317 | 559 |
| 25 to 99 acres | 6,796 | 3,433 | 24 | 307 | 287 | 486 | 811 | 1,518 |
| 100 to 249 acres | 4,867 | 3,470 | 33 | 242 | 316 | 645 | 1,038 | 1,196 |
| 250 to 499 acres | 3,006 | 2,579 | 11 | 137 | 283 | 601 | 902 | 645 |
| 500 acres or more | 3,126 | 2,986 | 6 | 96 | 349 | 823 | 1,131 | 581 |
| Sunflower seed, all ..... farms | 5 | 1 | - | - | - | 1 | - | - |
| acres | 50 | (D) | - | - | - | (D) | - | - |
| pounds | 35,000 | (D) | - | - | - | (D) | - | - |
| Irrigated ..... farms | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| acres | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Farms by acres harvested: | | | | | | | | |
| 1 to 24 acres | 5 | 1 | - | - | - | 1 | - | - |
| 25 to 99 acres | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 100 to 249 acres | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 250 to 499 acres | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 500 acres or more | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Tobacco ..... farms | 158 | 87 | - | 8 | 11 | 24 | 19 | 25 |
| acres | 2,348 | 1,599 | - | 106 | 265 | 653 | 147 | 429 |
| pounds | 4,194,749 | 2,928,270 | - | 181,200 | 520,822 | 1,278,355 | 297,440 | 650,453 |
| Irrigated ..... farms | 7 | 4 | - | - | 2 | 1 | - | 1 |
| acres | 141 | (D) | - | - | (D) | (D) | - | (D) |
| Farms by acres harvested: | | | | | | | | |
| 0.1 to 0.9 acres | 9 | 4 | - | - | - | - | 4 | - |
| 1.0 to 1.9 acres | 10 | 5 | - | - | - | - | 1 | 4 |
| 2.0 to 2.9 acres | 26 | 9 | - | - | 1 | 4 | 2 | 2 |
| 3.0 to 4.9 acres | 16 | 9 | - | 1 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 1 |
| 5.0 to 9.9 acres | 31 | 17 | - | 4 | - | 6 | 3 | 4 |
| 10.0 to 24.9 acres | 42 | 26 | - | 1 | 3 | 5 | 7 | 10 |
| 25.0 acres or more | 24 | 17 | - | 2 | 4 | 7 | - | 4 |
| Wheat for grain, all ..... farms | 4,290 | 3,152 | 12 | 125 | 304 | 689 | 1,062 | 960 |
| acres | 300,707 | 260,798 | 893 | 8,565 | 29,390 | 67,825 | 97,851 | 56,274 |
| bushels | 19,857,371 | 17,372,969 | 48,957 | 535,068 | 1,942,617 | 4,554,651 | 6,618,530 | 3,673,146 |
| Irrigated ..... farms | 86 | 79 | 2 | 5 | 12 | 21 | 31 | 8 |
| acres | 6,358 | 5,772 | (D) | (D) | 908 | 1,472 | 2,614 | 379 |
| Farms by acres harvested: | | | | | | | | |
| 1 to 24 acres | 1,632 | 964 | 2 | 41 | 83 | 176 | 297 | 365 |
| 25 to 99 acres | 1,858 | 1,468 | 8 | 65 | 137 | 319 | 486 | 453 |
| 100 to 249 acres | 567 | 495 | 1 | 12 | 51 | 124 | 197 | 110 |
| 250 to 499 acres | 160 | 156 | 1 | 4 | 27 | 49 | 53 | 22 |
| 500 acres or more | 73 | 69 | - | 3 | 6 | 21 | 29 | 10 |
| Forage-land used for all hay and all haylage, grass silage, and greenchop (see text) ..... farms | 20,442 | 8,998 | 47 | 548 | 1,059 | 1,716 | 2,360 | 3,268 |
| acres | 510,435 | 307,626 | 1,618 | 17,545 | 35,184 | 68,331 | 88,528 | 96,420 |
| tons, dry | 1,198,007 | 799,424 | 4,222 | 48,714 | 93,037 | 191,130 | 241,843 | 220,478 |
| Irrigated ..... farms | 229 | 140 | - | 15 | 32 | 36 | 37 | 20 |
| acres | 4,668 | 3,983 | - | 145 | 704 | 708 | 2,200 | 226 |
| Farms by acres harvested: | | | | | | | | |
| 1 to 24 acres | 14,517 | 5,282 | 30 | 322 | 597 | 926 | 1,362 | 2,045 |
| 25 to 99 acres | 5,131 | 3,104 | 14 | 196 | 403 | 625 | 805 | 1,061 |
| 100 to 249 acres | 692 | 530 | 1 | 25 | 50 | 140 | 167 | 147 |
| 250 to 499 acres | 80 | 66 | 2 | 5 | 6 | 18 | 23 | 12 |
| 500 acres or more | 22 | 16 | - | - | 3 | 7 | 3 | 3 |
| Alfalfa hay ..... farms | 11,550 | 5,412 | 32 | 416 | 794 | 1,152 | 1,397 | 1,621 |
| acres | 223,793 | 142,052 | 975 | 10,466 | 20,871 | 34,272 | 38,182 | 37,286 |
| tons, dry | 598,979 | 412,358 | 2,487 | 31,126 | 59,466 | 102,877 | 113,659 | 102,743 |
| Irrigated ..... farms | 171 | 112 | - | 12 | 27 | 31 | 27 | 15 |
| acres | 2,040 | 1,570 | - | 104 | 285 | 498 | 513 | 170 |
| Other tame hay ..... farms | 8,150 | 3,454 | 8 | 128 | 252 | 567 | 938 | 1,561 |
| acres | 205,000 | 113,215 | 127 | 3,437 | 8,125 | 21,977 | 33,183 | 46,366 |
| tons, dry | 382,277 | 218,351 | 359 | 6,095 | 15,426 | 45,040 | 67,581 | 83,850 |
| Irrigated ..... farms | 47 | 24 | - | 2 | 3 | 3 | 9 | 7 |
| acres | 361 | 227 | - | (D) | (D) | (D) | 28 | 56 |
| Field and grass seed crops, all ..... farms | 3 | 2 | - | - | 1 | - | 1 | - |
| acres | 152 | (D) | - | - | (D) | - | (D) | - |
| Irrigated ..... farms | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| acres | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Land in vegetables (see text) ..... farms | 1,376 | 781 | 2 | 79 | 133 | 186 | 205 | 176 |
| acres | 37,498 | 32,249 | (D) | (D) | 4,870 | 9,306 | 10,445 | 6,097 |
| Irrigated ..... farms | 547 | 341 | 2 | 46 | 71 | 81 | 83 | 58 |
| acres | 13,537 | 12,770 | (D) | (D) | 3,112 | 3,284 | 3,517 | 2,128 |
| Farms by acres harvested: | | | | | | | | |
| 0.1 to 4.9 acres | 944 | 438 | 2 | 39 | 82 | 94 | 111 | 110 |
| 5.0 to 24.9 acres | 262 | 189 | - | 29 | 28 | 52 | 40 | 40 |
| 25.0 to 99.9 acres | 78 | 71 | - | 7 | 10 | 19 | 20 | 15 |
| 100.0 to 249.9 acres | 52 | 48 | - | 3 | 6 | 14 | 20 | 5 |
| 250.0 acres or more | 40 | 35 | - | 1 | 7 | 7 | 14 | 6 |
| Beans, snap ..... farms | 408 | 228 | - | 19 | 46 | 49 | 61 | 53 |
| acres | 3,901 | 3,076 | - | 20 | 170 | 1,428 | 1,399 | 60 |
| Harvested for processing ..... farms | 51 | 30 | - | 2 | 10 | 5 | 9 | 4 |
| acres | 2,804 | (D) | - | (D) | (D) | (D) | (D) | 1 |
| Peas, green ..... farms | 10 | 4 | - | - | - | 2 | 2 | - |
| acres | 2 | 1 | - | - | - | (D) | (D) | - |

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

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

| Item | 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. | | | | | | | |
| Soybeans for beans - Con. | | | | | | | |
| Irrigated ..... farms | 107 | - | 9 | 20 | 26 | 24 | 28 |
| acres | 5,654 | - | 467 | 494 | 2,295 | 952 | 1,446 |
| Farms by acres harvested: | | | | | | | |
| 1 to 24 acres | 2,734 | 22 | 247 | 434 | 705 | 775 | 551 |
| 25 to 99 acres | 3,363 | 12 | 328 | 514 | 911 | 949 | 649 |
| 100 to 249 acres | 1,397 | 7 | 95 | 238 | 410 | 439 | 208 |
| 250 to 499 acres | 427 | - | 28 | 67 | 117 | 137 | 78 |
| 500 acres or more | 140 | - | 7 | 20 | 34 | 55 | 24 |
| Sunflower seed, all ..... farms | 4 | - | - | - | - | 4 | - |
| acres | (D) | - | - | - | - | (D) | - |
| pounds | (D) | - | - | - | - | (D) | - |
| Irrigated ..... farms | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| acres | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Farms by acres harvested: | | | | | | | |
| 1 to 24 acres | 4 | - | - | - | - | 4 | - |
| 25 to 99 acres | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 100 to 249 acres | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 250 to 499 acres | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 500 acres or more | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Tobacco ..... farms | 71 | - | 9 | 8 | 25 | 14 | 15 |
| acres | 750 | - | 48 | 109 | 119 | 286 | 188 |
| pounds | 1,266,479 | - | 88,456 | 177,528 | 223,143 | 455,471 | 321,881 |
| Irrigated ..... farms | 3 | - | - | 1 | - | - | 2 |
| acres | (D) | - | - | (D) | - | - | (D) |
| Farms by acres harvested: | | | | | | | |
| 0.1 to 0.9 acres | 5 | - | - | - | 2 | 2 | 1 |
| 1.0 to 1.9 acres | 5 | - | 2 | - | 3 | - | - |
| 2.0 to 2.9 acres | 17 | - | 2 | - | 7 | 2 | 6 |
| 3.0 to 4.9 acres | 7 | - | 2 | 3 | 2 | - | - |
| 5.0 to 9.9 acres | 14 | - | - | 2 | 6 | 4 | 2 |
| 10.0 to 24.9 acres | 16 | - | 3 | 2 | 5 | 2 | 4 |
| 25.0 acres or more | 7 | - | - | 1 | - | 4 | 2 |
| Wheat for grain, all ..... farms | 1,138 | 8 | 63 | 192 | 312 | 341 | 222 |
| acres | 39,909 | 126 | 1,831 | 5,983 | 11,502 | 13,024 | 7,443 |
| bushels | 2,484,402 | 7,428 | 114,801 | 369,518 | 708,834 | 841,517 | 442,304 |
| Irrigated ..... farms | 7 | - | - | 3 | 1 | 2 | 1 |
| acres | 586 | - | - | 108 | (D) | (D) | (D) |
| Farms by acres harvested: | | | | | | | |
| 1 to 24 acres | 668 | 8 | 40 | 113 | 187 | 203 | 117 |
| 25 to 99 acres | 390 | - | 22 | 68 | 101 | 105 | 94 |
| 100 to 249 acres | 72 | - | 1 | 11 | 21 | 29 | 10 |
| 250 to 499 acres | 4 | - | - | - | 1 | 3 | - |
| 500 acres or more | 4 | - | - | - | 2 | 1 | 1 |
| Forage-land used for all hay and all haylage, grass silage, and greenchop (see text) ..... farms | 11,444 | 33 | 976 | 1,868 | 3,246 | 3,371 | 1,950 |
| acres | 202,809 | 491 | 15,907 | 29,979 | 60,693 | 59,236 | 36,503 |
| tons, dry | 398,583 | 729 | 38,375 | 58,862 | 119,948 | 114,308 | 66,361 |
| Irrigated ..... farms | 89 | - | 20 | 12 | 24 | 25 | 8 |
| acres | 685 | - | 37 | 16 | 254 | 276 | 102 |
| Farms by acres harvested: | | | | | | | |
| 1 to 24 acres | 9,235 | 27 | 816 | 1,570 | 2,599 | 2,716 | 1,507 |
| 25 to 99 acres | 2,027 | 6 | 148 | 270 | 582 | 607 | 414 |
| 100 to 249 acres | 162 | - | 10 | 26 | 54 | 44 | 28 |
| 250 to 499 acres | 14 | - | 1 | 1 | 9 | 2 | 1 |
| 500 acres or more | 6 | - | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 | - |
| Alfalfa hay ..... farms | 6,138 | 22 | 642 | 1,176 | 1,718 | 1,707 | 873 |
| acres | 81,741 | 291 | 8,375 | 13,463 | 24,536 | 23,061 | 12,015 |
| tons, dry | 186,621 | 556 | 20,671 | 30,998 | 56,064 | 52,042 | 26,290 |
| Irrigated ..... farms | 59 | - | 9 | 10 | 17 | 19 | 4 |
| acres | 470 | - | 15 | (D) | 206 | 159 | (D) |
| Other tame hay ..... farms | 4,696 | 12 | 319 | 638 | 1,380 | 1,480 | 867 |
| acres | 91,785 | 144 | 5,999 | 12,649 | 26,843 | 28,042 | 18,108 |
| tons, dry | 163,926 | 132 | 14,383 | 21,668 | 47,287 | 49,865 | 30,591 |
| Irrigated ..... farms | 23 | - | 8 | 2 | 4 | 5 | 4 |
| acres | 134 | - | (D) | (D) | 45 | 59 | 18 |
| Field and grass seed crops, all ..... farms | 1 | - | - | 1 | - | - | - |
| acres | (D) | - | - | (D) | - | - | - |
| Irrigated ..... farms | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| acres | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Land in vegetables (see text) ..... farms | 595 | 2 | 92 | 115 | 152 | 149 | 85 |
| acres | 5,249 | (D) | 166 | (D) | 1,576 | 1,515 | 1,009 |
| Irrigated ..... farms | 206 | - | 54 | 53 | 42 | 41 | 16 |
| acres | 767 | - | 71 | 266 | 144 | 143 | 144 |
| Farms by acres harvested: | | | | | | | |
| 0.1 to 4.9 acres | 506 | 2 | 86 | 92 | 132 | 125 | 69 |
| 5.0 to 24.9 acres | 73 | - | 6 | 19 | 17 | 18 | 13 |
| 25.0 to 99.9 acres | 7 | - | - | 1 | 2 | 3 | 1 |
| 100.0 to 249.9 acres | 4 | - | - | 1 | - | 2 | 1 |
| 250.0 acres or more | 5 | - | - | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Beans, snap ..... farms | 180 | - | 32 | 30 | 57 | 42 | 19 |
| acres | 825 | - | 4 | 9 | (D) | (D) | (D) |
| Harvested for processing ..... farms | 21 | - | - | 6 | 6 | 8 | 1 |
| acres | (D) | - | - | 1 | 1 | (D) | (D) |
| Peas, green ..... farms | 6 | - | - | 1 | 2 | 3 | - |
| acres | 1 | - | - | (D) | (D) | (Z) | - |

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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. | | | | | | | | | |
| Peas, green - Con. | | | | | | | | | |
| Harvested for processing | farms | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| | acres | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Potatoes | farms | 339 | 185 | - | 23 | 34 | 45 | 42 | 41 |
| | acres | 3,539 | 3,234 | - | 11 | (D) | (D) | 439 | (D) |
| Harvested for processing | farms | 40 | 24 | - | 2 | 5 | 7 | 7 | 3 |
| | acres | 2,482 | (D) | - | (D) | (D) | (D) | (D) | (Z) |
| Farms by acres harvested: | | | | | | | | | |
| 0.1 to 4.9 acres | | 320 | 172 | - | 23 | 33 | 40 | 38 | 38 |
| 5.0 to 24.9 acres | | 9 | 5 | - | - | - | 2 | 2 | 1 |
| 25.0 to 99.9 acres | | 1 | 1 | - | - | - | 1 | - | - |
| 100.0 to 249.9 acres | | 5 | 3 | - | - | - | 1 | 2 | - |
| 250.0 acres or more | | 4 | 4 | - | - | 1 | 1 | - | 2 |
| Sweet corn | farms | 558 | 326 | - | 28 | 54 | 78 | 82 | 84 |
| | acres | 6,050 | 5,370 | - | 191 | 903 | 1,405 | 1,596 | 1,276 |
| Harvested for processing | farms | 69 | 36 | - | 4 | 11 | 6 | 8 | 7 |
| | acres | 1,066 | 1,032 | - | 1 | (D) | 5 | (D) | (D) |
| Sweet potatoes | farms | 23 | 18 | - | 5 | 3 | 4 | 3 | 3 |
| | acres | 10 | (D) | - | (D) | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Harvested for processing | farms | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| | acres | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Tomatoes in the open | farms | 687 | 400 | 2 | 36 | 74 | 85 | 111 | 92 |
| | acres | 10,410 | 9,093 | (D) | (D) | 2,092 | 1,189 | 4,177 | (D) |
| Harvested for processing | farms | 82 | 59 | - | 3 | 12 | 9 | 19 | 16 |
| | acres | 9,979 | 8,788 | - | (D) | 2,041 | (D) | 4,112 | 1,250 |
| Land in orchards | farms | 588 | 244 | - | 18 | 32 | 38 | 69 | 87 |
| | acres | 3,386 | 2,284 | - | 92 | 177 | 575 | 435 | 1,004 |
| Irrigated | farms | 99 | 36 | - | - | 1 | 10 | 9 | 16 |
| | acres | 367 | 251 | - | - | (D) | 130 | (D) | 107 |
| Farms by bearing and nonbearing acres: | | | | | | | | | |
| 0.1 to 4.9 acres | | 441 | 157 | - | 15 | 26 | 24 | 42 | 50 |
| 5.0 to 24.9 acres | | 123 | 67 | - | 2 | 5 | 8 | 24 | 28 |
| 25.0 to 99.9 acres | | 20 | 16 | - | 1 | 1 | 4 | 3 | 7 |
| 100.0 to 249.9 acres | | 4 | 4 | - | - | - | 2 | - | 2 |
| 250.0 acres or more | | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Apples | farms | 379 | 153 | - | 16 | 20 | 19 | 43 | 55 |
| | bearing and nonbearing acres | 1,809 | 1,438 | - | 64 | 126 | 286 | 219 | 744 |
| Grapes | farms | 198 | 75 | - | 6 | 7 | 13 | 27 | 22 |
| | bearing and nonbearing acres | 617 | 322 | - | 5 | 25 | 114 | 115 | 62 |
| Peaches, all | farms | 203 | 86 | - | 10 | 14 | 14 | 22 | 26 |
| | bearing and nonbearing acres | 429 | 276 | - | 11 | 9 | 123 | 51 | 83 |
| Pecans | farms | 22 | 10 | - | - | - | 1 | 1 | 8 |
| | bearing and nonbearing acres | 94 | 49 | - | - | - | (D) | (D) | 47 |
| Walnuts, English | farms | 22 | 6 | - | - | 2 | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| | bearing and nonbearing acres | 107 | 8 | - | - | (D) | (D) | (D) | (D) |
| Land in berries (see text) | farms | 488 | 226 | - | 27 | 36 | 41 | 48 | 74 |
| | acres | 1,172 | 765 | - | 13 | 165 | 144 | 249 | 194 |

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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. | | | | | | | | |
| Peas, green - Con. | | | | | | | | |
| Harvested for processing | farms | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| | acres | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Potatoes | farms | 154 | 2 | 18 | 37 | 37 | 37 | 23 |
| | acres | 305 | (D) | 22 | 117 | 22 | (D) | 126 |
| Harvested for processing | farms | 16 | - | - | 8 | 4 | 2 | 2 |
| | acres | (D) | - | - | (D) | (D) | (D) | (D) |
| Farms by acres harvested: | | | | | | | | |
| 0.1 to 4.9 acres | | 148 | 2 | 16 | 36 | 36 | 37 | 21 |
| 5.0 to 24.9 acres | | 4 | - | 2 | - | 1 | - | 1 |
| 25.0 to 99.9 acres | | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 100.0 to 249.9 acres | | 2 | - | - | 1 | - | - | 1 |
| 250.0 acres or more | | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Sweet corn | farms | 232 | - | 26 | 45 | 73 | 55 | 33 |
| | acres | 680 | - | 37 | 345 | 152 | 69 | 78 |
| Harvested for processing | farms | 33 | - | 2 | 6 | 14 | 6 | 5 |
| | acres | 33 | - | (D) | 10 | (D) | (D) | 6 |
| Sweet potatoes | farms | 5 | - | - | - | - | 3 | 2 |
| | acres | (D) | - | - | - | - | (Z) | (D) |
| Harvested for processing | farms | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| | acres | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Tomatoes in the open | farms | 287 | 2 | 35 | 59 | 75 | 71 | 45 |
| | acres | 1,316 | (D) | 11 | (D) | 32 | (D) | (D) |
| Harvested for processing | farms | 23 | - | 3 | 6 | 6 | 5 | 3 |
| | acres | 1,191 | - | 1 | (D) | 2 | (D) | (D) |
| Land in orchards | farms | 344 | - | 26 | 54 | 72 | 115 | 77 |
| | acres | 1,102 | - | 24 | 113 | 259 | 384 | 323 |
| Irrigated | farms | 63 | - | 7 | 13 | 12 | 19 | 12 |
| | acres | 116 | - | 7 | 17 | 21 | 40 | 30 |
| Farms by bearing and nonbearing acres: | | | | | | | | |
| 0.1 to 4.9 acres | | 284 | - | 26 | 50 | 59 | 87 | 62 |
| 5.0 to 24.9 acres | | 56 | - | - | 4 | 11 | 27 | 14 |
| 25.0 to 99.9 acres | | 4 | - | - | - | 2 | 1 | 1 |
| 100.0 to 249.9 acres | | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 250.0 acres or more | | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Apples | farms | 226 | - | 20 | 40 | 44 | 73 | 49 |
| | bearing and nonbearing acres | 371 | - | 9 | 27 | 94 | 139 | 103 |
| Grapes | farms | 123 | - | 6 | 23 | 17 | 50 | 27 |
| | bearing and nonbearing acres | 295 | - | 4 | 13 | 79 | 88 | 112 |
| Peaches, all | farms | 117 | - | 19 | 25 | 21 | 32 | 20 |
| | bearing and nonbearing acres | 153 | - | 8 | 9 | 24 | 62 | 51 |
| Pecans | farms | 12 | - | - | 2 | 5 | 5 | - |
| | bearing and nonbearing acres | 46 | - | - | (D) | (D) | 39 | - |
| Walnuts, English | farms | 16 | - | - | 5 | 1 | 2 | 8 |
| | bearing and nonbearing acres | 99 | - | - | 47 | (D) | (D) | (D) |
| Land in berries (see text) | farms | 262 | - | 35 | 43 | 70 | 65 | 49 |
| | acres | 407 | - | 23 | 57 | 109 | 71 | 148 |

[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.