

**Table 56. Women Principal Operators – Selected Farm Characteristics: 2012 and 2007**

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

Characteristics	Principal operator		Characteristics	Principal operator	
	2012	2007		2012	2007
<b>FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS</b>			<b>FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM (NAICS) - Con.</b>		
Farms ..... number	5,282	6,130	Other crop farming (1119) - Con.		
Land in farms ..... acres	915,677	1,092,940	Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199) .....	2,471	2,786
<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>			Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111) .....	1,140	1,354
1 to 9 acres .....	313	411	Cattle feedlots (112112) .....	2	19
10 to 49 acres .....	1,389	1,590	Dairy cattle and milk production (11212) .....	12	30
50 to 179 acres .....	2,123	2,500	Hog and pig farming (1122) .....	21	30
180 to 499 acres .....	1,135	1,222	Poultry and egg production (1123) .....	300	382
500 acres or more .....	322	407	Sheep and goat farming (1124) .....	135	106
<b>OWNED AND RENTED LAND IN FARMS</b>			Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129) .....	706	938
Owned land in farms ..... farms	5,093	5,886	<b>OTHER FARM CHARACTERISTICS</b>		
..... acres	819,341	964,347	Farms by-		
Rented or leased land in farms ..... farms	676	797	Type of organization (see text):		
..... acres	96,336	128,593	Organization with 50 percent or more ownership interest held by operator and/or persons related by blood, marriage, or adoption .....	5,109	(NA)
<b>TENURE</b>			Limited Liability Corporation (see text) .....	242	(NA)
Full owners ..... farms	4,606	5,333	Operation's legal status for tax purposes (see text):		
..... acres	736,189	892,944	Family or individual .....	4,693	5,281
Part owners ..... farms	487	553	Partnerships .....	317	543
..... acres	138,202	131,693	Corporations .....	188	210
Tenants ..... farms	189	244	Other - cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc .....	84	96
..... acres	41,286	68,303	Number of operators:		
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS</b>			1 operator .....	3,226	3,972
Total ..... farms	5,282	6,130	2 operators .....	1,654	1,688
..... \$1,000	357,003	351,735	3 operators .....	310	387
Market value of agricultural products sold ..... farms	5,282	6,130	4 operators .....	57	64
..... \$1,000	342,467	335,048	5 or more operators .....	35	19
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops ..... farms	1,005	918	Number of women operators:		
..... \$1,000	54,582	41,330	1 operator .....	4,817	5,688
Livestock, poultry, and their products ..... farms	1,691	1,937	2 operators .....	402	370
..... \$1,000	287,885	293,718	3 operators .....	54	56
Government payments ..... farms	2,745	3,024	4 operators .....	-	11
..... \$1,000	14,537	16,687	5 or more operators .....	9	5
<b>FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS</b>			Farms reporting-		
Less than \$1,000 .....	1,254	1,873	Internet access .....	3,064	2,200
\$1,000 to \$2,499 .....	1,127	1,327	Dial-up service .....	341	(NA)
\$2,500 to \$4,999 .....	907	987	DSL service .....	1,375	(NA)
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	771	710	Cable modem service .....	469	(NA)
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	574	561	Fiber-optic service .....	67	(NA)
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	232	218	Mobile broadband plan for a computer or a cell phone .....	530	(NA)
\$50,000 or more .....	417	454	Satellite service .....	609	(NA)
<b>COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION (CCC) LOANS AND FEDERAL FARM PROGRAM PAYMENTS</b>			Broadband over Power Lines (BPL) .....	45	(NA)
CCC loans (see text) ..... farms	10	21	Other Internet service .....	31	(NA)
..... \$1,000	463	4,796	Principal operator is a hired manager ..... farms	92	96
Conservation Reserve, Wetlands Reserve, Farmable Wetlands, or Conservation Reserve Enhancement Programs payments ..... farms	2,123	2,422	..... acres	25,344	30,232
..... \$1,000	8,565	9,038	Farms by number of households sharing in net income of farm:		
Other Federal farm program payments ..... farms	1,527	1,610	1 household .....	4,333	4,962
..... \$1,000	5,972	7,649	2 households .....	658	832
<b>FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM (NAICS)</b>			3 households .....	190	184
Oilseed and grain farming (1111) .....	163	141	4 households .....	45	95
Vegetable and melon farming (1112) .....	78	66	5 or more households .....	56	57
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113) .....	120	129	Farms by share of principal operator's total household income from farming:		
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114) .....	102	150	Less than 25 percent .....	4,502	5,237
Other crop farming (1119) .....	2,503	2,815	25 to 49 percent .....	318	353
Tobacco farming (11191) .....	-	-	50 to 74 percent .....	232	266
Cotton farming (11192) .....	32	29	75 to 99 percent .....	106	152
			100 percent .....	124	122