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

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Item	Total farming and other occupations	Farming						
		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS								
Farms ..... number	38,076	16,355	105	536	1,178	2,469	4,519	7,548
percent	100.0	43.0	0.3	1.4	3.1	6.5	11.9	19.8
Land in farms ..... acres	10,931,080	6,668,805	20,798	257,149	656,724	1,289,405	2,087,371	2,357,358
Average size of farm ..... acres	287	408	198	480	557	522	462	312
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS								
Total ..... farms	38,076	16,355	105	536	1,178	2,469	4,519	7,548
$1,000	6,622,229	5,786,107	14,398	303,226	877,183	1,538,064	1,807,552	1,245,684
Average per farm ..... dollars	173,921	353,782	137,128	565,720	744,637	622,950	399,989	165,035
Farms by economic class:								
Less than $1,000 (see text)	7,616	2,343	13	44	169	321	610	1,186
$1,000 to $2,499	5,476	1,567	3	58	69	199	400	838
$2,500 to $4,999	5,334	1,767	10	45	102	203	460	947
$5,000 to $9,999	5,565	2,162	11	40	115	238	580	1,178
$10,000 to $24,999	5,269	2,346	23	57	115	241	600	1,310
$25,000 to $49,999	2,645	1,360	7	29	62	173	349	740
$50,000 to $99,999	1,340	793	13	21	42	104	189	424
$100,000 to $249,999	920	596	12	22	57	87	198	220
$250,000 to $499,999	660	530	9	43	57	114	167	140
$500,000 to $999,999	1,303	1,117	-	79	136	251	394	257
$1,000,000 or more	1,948	1,774	4	98	254	538	572	308
$1,000,000 to $2,499,999	1,380	1,243	4	73	169	385	408	204
$2,500,000 to $4,999,999	441	414	-	18	62	130	129	75
$5,000,000 or more	127	117	-	7	23	23	35	29
Total sales ..... farms	38,076	16,355	105	536	1,178	2,469	4,519	7,548
$1,000	6,441,025	5,659,636	13,859	297,059	862,806	1,508,147	1,767,697	1,210,068
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas ..... farms	4,190	2,910	30	171	315	617	900	877
$1,000	2,302,071	2,108,103	4,200	124,762	298,336	530,126	709,915	440,763
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	2,563	2,124	10	153	237	495	706	523
$1,000	2,278,234	2,095,782	3,834	124,269	297,001	528,169	706,725	435,784
Corn ..... farms	2,065	1,590	12	129	193	374	496	386
$1,000	837,202	781,977	(D)	(D)	116,136	202,231	262,998	142,496
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	1,357	1,217	6	121	147	317	393	233
$1,000	829,331	777,311	1,792	56,189	115,179	201,482	261,869	140,800
Wheat ..... farms	1,247	979	3	72	100	212	314	278
$1,000	135,162	117,360	30	6,836	12,024	28,365	39,443	30,662
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	702	603	-	43	50	143	210	157
$1,000	124,161	108,852	-	6,097	10,872	26,860	36,725	28,298
Soybeans ..... farms	3,274	2,392	21	134	262	528	755	692
$1,000	1,172,379	1,061,584	2,079	57,768	141,715	254,531	366,554	238,936
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	2,203	1,848	5	125	205	446	618	449
$1,000	1,151,959	1,050,359	1,614	57,503	140,604	252,817	363,323	234,498
Sorghum ..... farms	237	189	-	2	26	58	51	52
$1,000	25,110	22,711	-	(D)	(D)	8,165	5,980	(D)
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	138	124	-	2	15	43	36	28
$1,000	23,610	21,524	-	(D)	3,963	7,878	5,591	(D)
Barley ..... farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
$1,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
$1,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rice ..... farms	259	235	1	14	27	71	77	45
$1,000	131,278	123,674	(D)	3,590	24,305	36,747	(D)	(D)
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	249	227	1	13	27	68	77	41
$1,000	131,068	(D)	(D)	(D)	24,305	(D)	(D)	(D)
Other grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas ..... farms	78	50	-	3	4	7	19	17
$1,000	939	796	-	(D)	(D)	87	(D)	433
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	5	5	-	-	-	-	2	3
$1,000	555	555	-	-	-	-	(D)	(D)
Tobacco ..... farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
$1,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
$1,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cotton and cottonseed ..... farms	822	674	5	60	98	177	182	152
$1,000	367,847	339,658	312	18,623	46,024	107,533	104,431	62,736
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	668	594	2	60	83	167	171	111
$1,000	364,745	337,786	(D)	18,623	(D)	107,244	104,140	61,840
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes ..... farms	1,205	659	3	27	59	123	212	235
$1,000	82,338	68,427	10	3,540	13,588	26,509	17,753	7,027
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	122	93	-	6	17	30	30	10
$1,000	71,723	62,122	-	3,249	13,073	25,345	15,774	4,681
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries ..... farms	890	450	3	7	30	61	136	213
$1,000	23,771	16,574	24	69	1,330	2,869	6,462	5,820
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	107	78	-	-	5	15	30	28
$1,000	16,296	13,182	-	-	1,106	2,608	5,388	4,080
Fruits and tree nuts ..... farms	575	290	3	5	23	32	81	146
$1,000	11,080	6,927	24	42	517	1,013	1,957	3,374
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	48	35	-	-	3	6	12	14
$1,000	6,064	4,784	-	-	366	865	1,350	2,203
Berries ..... farms	409	222	-	4	16	34	72	96
$1,000	12,692	9,647	-	27	813	1,856	4,506	2,445
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	59	43	-	-	3	9	18	13
$1,000	10,109	8,289	-	-	740	1,709	4,023	1,817
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod (see text) ..... farms	457	241	7	4	17	57	68	88
$1,000	61,125	38,138	316	512	3,364	12,726	12,332	8,888
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	142	89	3	2	3	19	33	29
$1,000	57,943	36,612	308	(D)	(D)	12,280	12,055	(D)

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

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Item	Other occupations						
	Total	Age of operator (years)					
		Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS							
Farms ..... number	21,721	54	906	2,280	4,496	6,462	7,523
percent	57.0	0.1	2.4	6.0	11.8	17.0	19.8
Land in farms ..... acres	4,262,275	4,056	136,795	327,472	801,387	1,270,515	1,722,050
Average size of farm ..... acres	196	75	151	144	178	197	229
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS							
Total ..... farms	21,721	54	906	2,280	4,496	6,462	7,523
$1,000	836,122	989	45,460	86,602	221,043	233,749	248,279
Average per farm ..... dollars	38,494	18,322	50,176	37,983	49,164	36,173	33,003
Farms by economic class:							
Less than $1,000 (see text)	5,273	12	203	615	1,104	1,571	1,768
$1,000 to $2,499	3,909	12	131	340	742	1,146	1,538
$2,500 to $4,999	3,567	7	133	337	665	1,043	1,382
$5,000 to $9,999	3,403	3	133	374	733	942	1,218
$10,000 to $24,999	2,923	9	125	280	676	915	918
$25,000 to $49,999	1,285	5	62	147	270	450	351
$50,000 to $99,999	547	4	38	76	119	160	150
$100,000 to $249,999	324	2	40	50	63	90	79
$250,000 to $499,999	130	-	21	12	31	30	36
$500,000 to $999,999	186	-	5	29	44	64	44
$1,000,000 or more	174	-	15	20	49	51	39
$1,000,000 to $2,499,999	137	-	15	19	33	40	30
$2,500,000 to $4,999,999	27	-	-	1	11	10	5
$5,000,000 or more	10	-	-	-	5	1	4
Total sales ..... farms	21,721	54	906	2,280	4,496	6,462	7,523
$1,000	781,389	944	42,667	83,268	211,774	217,994	224,741
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas ..... farms	1,280	5	101	145	257	402	370
$1,000	193,968	86	13,861	15,120	56,520	62,451	45,930
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	439	-	61	61	84	130	103
$1,000	182,452	-	13,500	14,296	54,151	58,181	42,323
Corn ..... farms	475	-	39	50	110	127	149
$1,000	55,224	-	1,096	3,352	18,168	18,495	14,113
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	140	-	11	18	36	44	31
$1,000	52,020	-	825	3,055	17,571	17,576	12,993
Wheat ..... farms	268	-	26	39	62	96	45
$1,000	17,803	-	2,719	962	2,779	8,572	2,771
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	99	-	12	7	16	48	16
$1,000	15,309	-	2,426	496	2,041	8,003	2,343
Soybeans ..... farms	882	5	75	104	175	277	246
$1,000	110,795	86	10,016	10,146	29,830	32,869	27,847
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	355	-	51	47	68	103	86
$1,000	101,600	-	9,646	9,241	27,798	29,682	25,233
Sorghum ..... farms	48	-	3	2	13	17	13
$1,000	2,399	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	826	317
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	14	-	-	-	8	3	3
$1,000	2,086	-	-	-	1,177	635	274
Barley ..... farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
$1,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
$1,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rice ..... farms	24	-	-	3	9	5	7
$1,000	7,604	-	-	639	4,531	1,656	779
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	22	-	-	3	9	4	6
$1,000	(D)	-	-	639	4,531	(D)	(D)
Other grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas ..... farms	28	-	3	5	2	7	11
$1,000	143	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	33	104
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
$1,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tobacco ..... farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
$1,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
$1,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cotton and cottonseed ..... farms	148	-	15	26	18	21	68
$1,000	28,188	-	1,343	1,766	6,008	11,671	7,400
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	74	-	7	19	10	16	22
$1,000	26,959	-	1,165	1,627	5,949	11,626	6,592
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes ..... farms	546	3	35	50	139	154	165
$1,000	13,910	3	2,083	2,170	2,500	2,840	4,315
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	29	-	6	4	7	3	9
$1,000	9,600	-	(D)	1,717	1,297	(D)	3,239
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries ..... farms	440	-	18	38	91	149	144
$1,000	7,197	-	281	410	2,238	(D)	(D)
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	29	-	2	2	11	8	6
$1,000	3,114	-	(D)	(D)	1,414	(D)	(D)
Fruits and tree nuts ..... farms	285	-	1	27	49	104	104
$1,000	4,152	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	1,456
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	13	-	-	2	3	5	3
$1,000	1,280	-	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	264
Berries ..... farms	187	-	17	18	53	50	49
$1,000	3,045	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	16	-	2	-	8	3	3
$1,000	1,820	-	(D)	-	964	(D)	374
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod (see text) ..... farms	216	-	11	27	51	67	60
$1,000	22,987	-	(D)	(D)	11,334	4,091	4,927
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	53	-	1	8	13	14	17
$1,000	21,331	-	(D)	(D)	11,012	3,455	4,418

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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	110	57	-	2	5	1	15	34
	$1,000	1,570	541	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	142	(D)
Sales of $50,000 or more	farms	2	1	-	-	-	1	-	-
	$1,000	(D)	(D)	-	-	-	(D)	-	-
Cut Christmas trees	farms	53	33	-	-	5	-	6	22
	$1,000	371	203	-	-	(D)	-	58	(D)
Sales of $50,000 or more	farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	$1,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Short-rotation woody crops	farms	58	24	-	2	-	1	9	12
	$1,000	1,199	338	-	(D)	-	(D)	84	(D)
Sales of $50,000 or more	farms	2	1	-	-	-	1	-	-
	$1,000	(D)	(D)	-	-	-	(D)	-	-
Other crops and hay (see text)	farms	6,318	2,937	14	65	167	415	813	1,463
	$1,000	134,853	104,921	861	8,153	8,329	21,600	32,906	33,073
Sales of $50,000 or more	farms	277	210	3	18	17	42	71	59
	$1,000	88,320	81,045	634	7,671	6,666	17,714	26,583	21,777
Maple syrup (see text)	farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	$1,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sales of $50,000 or more	farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	$1,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cattle and calves	farms	13,178	6,880	48	206	351	877	1,895	3,503
	$1,000	332,491	239,779	1,267	5,063	34,542	45,550	64,656	88,701
Sales of $50,000 or more	farms	1,031	753	10	18	63	135	206	321
	$1,000	207,057	168,091	964	2,892	31,305	37,357	45,285	50,289
Milk from cows (see text)	farms	159	130	-	2	10	34	43	41
	$1,000	42,690	35,237	-	(D)	2,628	11,686	9,922	(D)
Sales of $50,000 or more	farms	120	105	-	2	8	33	31	31
	$1,000	41,915	34,741	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	9,788	9,852
Hogs and pigs	farms	306	174	-	8	26	23	71	46
	$1,000	141,139	133,293	-	(D)	84,701	10,361	30,056	(D)
Sales of $50,000 or more	farms	39	36	-	1	8	6	16	5
	$1,000	140,682	132,980	-	(D)	84,658	10,316	29,891	(D)
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk (see text)	farms	994	380	4	21	40	53	112	150
	$1,000	2,306	1,159	12	(D)	98	(D)	454	259
Sales of $50,000 or more	farms	2	2	-	2	-	-	-	-
	$1,000	(D)	(D)	-	(D)	-	-	-	-
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	farms	1,903	759	7	50	75	159	188	280
	$1,000	10,013	3,750	17	(D)	(D)	843	869	1,609
Sales of $50,000 or more	farms	27	11	-	-	-	-	2	9
	$1,000	2,031	722	-	-	-	-	(D)	(D)
Poultry and eggs	farms	2,742	1,882	9	93	261	484	581	454
	$1,000	2,744,048	2,404,938	6,159	131,773	355,028	711,684	712,373	487,921
Sales of $50,000 or more	farms	1,625	1,407	3	70	204	401	459	270
	$1,000	2,742,601	2,404,112	6,155	131,724	354,983	711,445	712,107	487,698
Aquaculture	farms	303	199	11	5	30	43	61	49
	$1,000	185,241	158,467	682	2,193	11,951	25,804	63,648	54,190
Sales of $50,000 or more	farms	216	151	5	5	25	35	46	35
	$1,000	184,147	157,620	(D)	2,193	(D)	25,601	63,382	54,054
Other animals and other animal products (see text)	farms	479	234	-	9	19	45	59	102
	$1,000	9,523	6,651	-	8	2,629	592	1,777	1,644
Sales of $50,000 or more	farms	19	9	-	-	3	1	2	3
	$1,000	8,255	5,962	-	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Value of-									
Government payments	farms	16,498	6,944	41	262	445	1,046	1,938	3,212
	$1,000	181,205	126,471	539	6,168	14,377	29,916	39,856	35,615
Landlord's share of total sales (see text)	farms	856	563	2	49	63	142	179	128
	$1,000	47,089	43,280	(D)	(D)	5,058	11,895	14,184	7,230
Agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text)	farms	1,206	629	-	18	60	93	193	265
	$1,000	4,284	2,977	-	115	411	713	1,006	731
FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES									
Total farm production expenses [1]	farms	38,076	16,355	105	536	1,178	2,469	4,519	7,548
	$1,000	5,158,725	4,390,829	13,291	215,599	643,323	1,143,452	1,384,246	990,917
Average per farm	dollars	135,485	268,470	126,580	402,238	546,115	463,124	306,317	131,282
Fertilizer, lime, and soil conditioners purchased	farms	17,951	9,231	78	355	680	1,388	2,710	4,020
	$1,000	353,175	310,976	1,181	17,908	41,959	81,871	103,135	64,922
Farms with expenses of-									
$1 to $4,999		13,298	5,859	48	152	355	727	1,697	2,880
$5,000 to $24,999		2,671	1,632	21	68	135	226	430	752
$25,000 to $49,999		542	427	-	41	47	74	122	143
$50,000 or more		1,440	1,313	9	94	143	361	461	245
Chemicals purchased	farms	16,025	8,625	68	359	726	1,413	2,549	3,510
	$1,000	319,017	291,378	779	17,550	39,195	78,774	96,020	59,059
Farms with expenses of-									
$1 to $4,999		13,121	6,233	51	183	426	863	1,771	2,939
$5,000 to $24,999		1,138	809	9	54	102	145	237	262
$25,000 to $49,999		483	407	2	36	56	89	132	92
$50,000 or more		1,283	1,176	6	86	142	316	409	217

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		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS - Con.								
Total - Con.								
Total sales - Con.								
Cut Christmas trees and short-rotation woody crops	farms	53	-	3	13	16	12	9
	$1,000	1,029	-	2	406	472	71	79
Sales of $50,000 or more	farms	1	-	-	-	1	-	-
	$1,000	(D)	-	-	-	(D)	-	-
Cut Christmas trees	farms	20	-	-	4	2	10	4
	$1,000	168	-	-	54	(D)	(D)	40
Sales of $50,000 or more	farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	$1,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Short-rotation woody crops	farms	34	-	3	9	14	3	5
	$1,000	860	-	2	352	(D)	(D)	39
Sales of $50,000 or more	farms	1	-	-	-	1	-	-
	$1,000	(D)	-	-	-	(D)	-	-
Other crops and hay (see text)	farms	3,381	8	127	395	783	1,090	978
	$1,000	29,932	27	1,200	3,399	6,677	10,461	8,168
Sales of $50,000 or more	farms	67	-	4	8	11	25	19
	$1,000	7,275	-	268	798	1,204	3,002	2,003
Maple syrup (see text)	farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	$1,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sales of $50,000 or more	farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	$1,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cattle and calves	farms	6,298	31	360	859	1,564	2,003	1,481
	$1,000	92,712	547	5,802	11,041	22,922	30,834	21,567
Sales of $50,000 or more	farms	278	4	19	30	76	86	63
	$1,000	38,966	320	2,736	4,294	10,098	13,015	8,503
Milk from cows (see text)	farms	29	-	-	3	3	8	15
	$1,000	7,453	-	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	5,486
Sales of $50,000 or more	farms	15	-	-	1	2	5	7
	$1,000	7,173	-	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	5,311
Hogs and pigs	farms	132	-	19	24	44	25	20
	$1,000	7,846	-	15	23	(D)	(D)	(D)
Sales of $50,000 or more	farms	3	-	-	-	1	1	1
	$1,000	7,702	-	-	-	(D)	(D)	(D)
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk (see text)	farms	614	2	53	86	173	176	124
	$1,000	1,147	(D)	(D)	135	(D)	343	332
Sales of $50,000 or more	farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	$1,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	farms	1,144	-	78	189	347	297	233
	$1,000	6,263	-	527	1,100	2,016	1,807	813
Sales of $50,000 or more	farms	16	-	4	2	6	4	-
	$1,000	1,309	-	400	(D)	381	(D)	-
Poultry and eggs	farms	860	-	46	129	286	247	152
	$1,000	339,110	-	14,461	44,324	87,974	74,519	117,831
Sales of $50,000 or more	farms	218	-	12	39	59	62	46
	$1,000	338,488	-	14,437	44,277	87,771	74,309	117,694
Aquaculture	farms	104	2	6	14	30	35	17
	$1,000	26,774	(D)	(D)	1,734	10,399	9,549	3,505
Sales of $50,000 or more	farms	65	2	6	11	17	19	10
	$1,000	26,527	(D)	(D)	(D)	10,279	(D)	(D)
Other animals and other animal products (see text)	farms	245	-	19	25	76	74	51
	$1,000	2,872	-	(D)	(D)	285	1,881	129
Sales of $50,000 or more	farms	10	-	6	-	1	3	-
	$1,000	2,293	-	(D)	-	(D)	1,650	-
Value of-								
Government payments	farms	9,554	9	272	665	1,577	2,743	4,288
	$1,000	54,734	45	2,793	3,334	9,269	15,755	23,538
Landlord's share of total sales (see text)	farms	293	-	36	45	81	80	51
	$1,000	3,809	-	196	489	796	1,631	697
Agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text)	farms	577	3	40	68	164	176	126
	$1,000	1,307	1	239	143	392	333	201
FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES								
Total farm production expenses [1]	farms	21,721	54	906	2,280	4,496	6,462	7,523
	$1,000	767,896	1,541	39,266	85,795	192,929	217,850	230,514
Average per farm	dollars	35,353	28,544	43,340	37,629	42,911	33,713	30,641
Fertilizer, lime, and soil conditioners purchased	farms	8,720	16	551	1,139	2,160	2,870	1,984
	$1,000	42,199	79	3,088	4,053	10,936	14,179	9,864
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $4,999		7,439	12	448	985	1,849	2,459	1,686
$5,000 to $24,999		1,039	4	82	121	260	326	246
$25,000 to $49,999		115	-	12	22	18	38	25
$50,000 or more		127	-	9	11	33	47	27
Chemicals purchased	farms	7,400	19	455	954	1,807	2,413	1,752
	$1,000	27,639	13	2,789	2,960	6,020	8,695	7,162
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $4,999		6,888	19	401	877	1,708	2,263	1,620
$5,000 to $24,999		329	-	39	46	62	97	85
$25,000 to $49,999		76	-	6	22	15	19	14
$50,000 or more		107	-	9	9	22	34	33

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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
FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES - Con.								
Total farm production expenses [1] - Con.								
Seeds, plants, vines, and trees purchased ..... farms	12,801	6,929	47	286	536	1,168	2,057	2,835
$1,000	295,722	266,642	634	16,805	37,119	67,910	85,317	58,857
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $999	6,717	2,873	16	68	137	382	838	1,432
$1,000 to $4,999	2,836	1,529	8	51	110	226	391	743
$5,000 to $24,999	1,309	797	18	30	101	129	234	285
$25,000 to $49,999	487	410	4	36	31	95	127	117
$50,000 or more	1,452	1,320	1	101	157	336	467	258
Livestock and poultry purchased or leased ..... farms	8,434	4,572	24	181	467	835	1,371	1,694
$1,000	576,540	486,811	1,339	16,656	63,933	122,013	133,936	148,933
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $4,999	4,808	2,126	9	70	161	290	624	972
$5,000 to $24,999	1,616	786	5	34	66	103	217	361
$25,000 to $99,999	647	463	5	17	54	89	159	139
$100,000 to $249,999	906	787	3	35	117	226	250	156
$250,000 or more	457	410	2	25	69	127	121	66
Breeding livestock purchased or leased ..... farms	4,798	2,465	12	97	200	390	706	1,060
$1,000	53,038	37,223	56	1,552	6,624	8,435	11,055	9,502
Other livestock and poultry purchased or leased (see text) ..... farms	4,690	2,689	18	127	324	565	820	835
$1,000	523,503	449,588	1,284	15,104	57,310	113,578	122,881	139,431
Feed purchased ..... farms	22,292	10,594	71	341	746	1,599	2,965	4,872
$1,000	1,715,141	1,470,696	4,204	75,392	230,290	410,584	452,223	298,004
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $4,999	14,203	5,677	44	165	319	707	1,562	2,880
$5,000 to $24,999	5,072	2,629	14	86	153	332	704	1,340
$25,000 to $99,999	1,099	642	10	12	32	102	162	324
$100,000 to $249,999	279	219	-	8	27	42	77	65
$250,000 or more	1,639	1,427	3	70	215	416	460	263
Gasoline, fuels, and oils purchased ..... farms	35,876	16,011	95	524	1,165	2,424	4,432	7,371
$1,000	288,348	241,889	777	10,959	32,701	58,366	79,958	59,128
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $4,999	29,707	11,323	57	260	628	1,373	3,005	6,000
$5,000 to $24,999	3,898	2,647	31	129	277	499	751	960
$25,000 to $49,999	1,036	906	4	67	118	258	299	160
$50,000 or more	1,235	1,135	3	68	142	294	377	251
Utilities ..... farms	20,748	10,623	57	376	878	1,800	3,107	4,405
$1,000	118,827	98,563	404	3,900	14,329	23,962	31,081	24,887
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $999	11,246	4,506	19	103	258	522	1,265	2,339
$1,000 to $4,999	5,900	3,105	17	111	220	507	858	1,392
$5,000 to $24,999	2,407	1,962	17	114	226	454	660	491
$25,000 to $49,999	776	668	2	32	107	207	211	109
$50,000 or more	419	382	2	16	67	110	113	74
Supplies, repairs, and maintenance costs ..... farms	29,496	13,855	87	468	1,080	2,170	3,864	6,186
$1,000	259,323	211,929	950	8,661	27,321	49,816	73,994	51,187
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $4,999	23,396	9,235	67	225	578	1,148	2,419	4,798
$5,000 to $24,999	4,004	2,759	12	141	270	560	818	958
$25,000 to $49,999	943	819	-	48	121	172	255	223
$50,000 or more	1,153	1,042	8	54	111	290	372	207
Hired farm labor ..... farms	10,581	6,075	45	218	541	1,172	1,807	2,292
$1,000	266,511	222,468	794	6,466	33,476	53,382	73,408	54,941
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $4,999	6,004	2,788	15	69	179	411	762	1,352
$5,000 to $24,999	2,616	1,656	16	90	172	354	502	522
$25,000 to $99,999	1,407	1,137	14	44	120	267	381	311
$100,000 to $249,999	370	331	-	11	46	93	107	74
$250,000 or more	184	163	-	4	24	47	55	33
Contract labor ..... farms	3,373	1,702	17	87	160	281	487	670
$1,000	41,510	32,012	237	1,340	11,043	4,393	8,730	6,268
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $999	820	316	2	9	29	51	73	152
$1,000 to $4,999	1,228	525	2	29	24	68	163	239
$5,000 to $24,999	1,018	625	10	34	72	110	179	220
$25,000 to $49,999	178	129	3	8	13	30	41	34
$50,000 or more	129	107	-	7	22	22	31	25
Customwork and custom hauling ..... farms	6,411	4,128	22	200	399	836	1,201	1,470
$1,000	103,287	86,141	108	4,630	10,287	21,990	29,752	19,373
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $999	1,518	704	9	15	24	83	160	413
$1,000 to $4,999	1,833	957	7	36	59	109	265	481
$5,000 to $24,999	2,251	1,753	6	99	220	461	538	429
$25,000 to $49,999	406	359	-	39	54	90	104	72
$50,000 or more	403	355	-	11	42	93	134	75
Cash rent for land, buildings, and grazing fees ..... farms	8,109	4,792	50	267	468	922	1,431	1,654
$1,000	314,180	282,141	1,056	17,346	46,551	73,974	89,844	53,370
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $4,999	5,146	2,440	29	106	176	365	662	1,102
$5,000 to $9,999	662	391	4	20	33	77	121	136
$10,000 to $24,999	656	489	7	30	54	102	154	142
$25,000 or more	1,645	1,472	10	111	205	378	494	274

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

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Item	Other occupations						
	Total	Age of operator (years)					
		Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES - Con.							
Total farm production expenses [1] - Con.							
Seeds, plants, vines, and trees purchased ..... farms	5,872	14	400	746	1,446	1,833	1,433
$1,000	29,079	22	2,032	2,893	7,730	8,448	7,954
Farms with expenses of-							
$1 to $999	3,844	6	239	549	982	1,176	892
$1,000 to $4,999	1,307	8	89	117	326	446	321
$5,000 to $24,999	512	-	51	59	94	149	159
$25,000 to $49,999	77	-	11	5	13	21	27
$50,000 or more	132	-	10	16	31	41	34
Livestock and poultry purchased or leased ..... farms	3,862	31	292	598	1,013	1,149	779
$1,000	89,730	618	3,778	8,620	23,473	18,065	35,175
Farms with expenses of-							
$1 to $4,999	2,682	12	192	400	679	846	553
$5,000 to $24,999	830	11	68	147	237	206	161
$25,000 to $99,999	184	8	24	31	50	43	28
$100,000 to $249,999	119	-	6	11	34	42	26
$250,000 or more	47	-	2	9	13	12	11
Breeding livestock purchased or leased ..... farms	2,333	18	172	367	603	727	446
$1,000	15,815	149	979	2,836	3,683	4,917	3,251
Other livestock and poultry purchased or leased (see text) ..... farms	2,001	21	154	332	547	550	397
$1,000	73,915	468	2,799	5,784	19,791	13,148	31,924
Feed purchased ..... farms	11,698	45	620	1,584	2,894	3,630	2,925
$1,000	244,446	320	11,712	34,742	66,557	67,959	63,157
Farms with expenses of-							
$1 to $4,999	8,526	33	481	1,148	2,120	2,689	2,055
$5,000 to $24,999	2,443	10	101	334	581	737	680
$25,000 to $99,999	457	2	22	59	122	124	128
$100,000 to $249,999	60	-	8	5	14	13	20
$250,000 or more	212	-	8	38	57	67	42
Gasoline, fuels, and oils purchased ..... farms	19,865	51	858	2,169	4,238	5,945	6,604
$1,000	46,460	83	2,444	4,555	10,555	14,838	13,986
Farms with expenses of-							
$1 to $4,999	18,384	46	756	1,998	3,910	5,488	6,186
$5,000 to $24,999	1,251	5	91	145	281	380	349
$25,000 to $49,999	130	-	4	19	29	40	38
$50,000 or more	100	-	7	7	18	37	31
Utilities ..... farms	10,125	18	437	1,062	2,245	3,115	3,248
$1,000	20,264	58	806	2,340	5,021	6,051	5,988
Farms with expenses of-							
$1 to $999	6,740	6	274	687	1,470	2,115	2,188
$1,000 to $4,999	2,795	10	114	283	632	836	920
$5,000 to $24,999	445	2	48	72	98	115	110
$25,000 to $49,999	108	-	-	18	34	34	22
$50,000 or more	37	-	1	2	11	15	8
Supplies, repairs, and maintenance costs ..... farms	15,641	44	707	1,645	3,403	4,674	5,168
$1,000	47,394	59	1,863	4,669	10,231	16,624	13,950
Farms with expenses of-							
$1 to $4,999	14,161	44	623	1,468	3,055	4,207	4,764
$5,000 to $24,999	1,245	-	74	154	302	383	332
$25,000 to $49,999	124	-	5	10	32	37	40
$50,000 or more	111	-	5	13	14	47	32
Hired farm labor ..... farms	4,506	10	215	467	915	1,326	1,573
$1,000	44,043	77	1,817	3,586	10,437	12,012	16,115
Farms with expenses of-							
$1 to $4,999	3,216	5	158	336	635	971	1,111
$5,000 to $24,999	960	5	42	103	208	247	355
$25,000 to $99,999	270	-	13	26	58	90	83
$100,000 to $249,999	39	-	1	-	7	13	18
$250,000 or more	21	-	1	2	7	5	6
Contract labor ..... farms	1,671	4	100	135	366	506	560
$1,000	9,498	10	453	1,084	2,659	2,581	2,711
Farms with expenses of-							
$1 to $999	504	-	27	41	100	144	192
$1,000 to $4,999	703	4	54	39	150	223	233
$5,000 to $24,999	393	-	10	47	101	117	118
$25,000 to $49,999	49	-	9	3	11	17	9
$50,000 or more	22	-	-	5	4	5	8
Customwork and custom hauling ..... farms	2,283	11	140	245	481	710	696
$1,000	17,146	15	744	1,325	4,073	5,306	5,683
Farms with expenses of-							
$1 to $999	814	8	44	76	185	268	233
$1,000 to $4,999	876	3	55	104	166	268	280
$5,000 to $24,999	498	-	39	59	105	141	154
$25,000 to $49,999	47	-	-	3	7	20	17
$50,000 or more	48	-	2	3	18	13	12
Cash rent for land, buildings, and grazing fees ..... farms	3,317	17	284	529	897	964	626
$1,000	32,039	48	2,358	3,659	9,629	9,888	6,458
Farms with expenses of-							
$1 to $4,999	2,706	13	219	438	760	768	508
$5,000 to $9,999	271	4	30	53	62	76	46
$10,000 to $24,999	167	-	16	14	37	65	35
$25,000 or more	173	-	19	24	38	55	37

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		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES - Con.								
Total farm production expenses [1] - Con.								
Rent and lease expenses for machinery, equipment, and farm share of vehicles ..... farms	1,802	1,173	23	95	122	260	293	380
$1,000	64,702	60,065	200	4,768	7,631	17,823	19,848	9,795
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $999	614	284	-	14	19	42	57	152
$1,000 to $4,999	460	254	14	6	13	55	71	95
$5,000 to $24,999	359	296	7	40	41	66	70	72
$25,000 to $49,999	119	109	-	15	18	26	22	28
$50,000 or more	250	230	2	20	31	71	73	33
Interest expense ..... farms	12,235	6,086	22	285	573	1,153	1,821	2,232
$1,000	150,975	108,149	217	5,046	15,126	26,727	34,406	26,627
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $4,999	6,546	2,729	17	120	200	388	751	1,253
$5,000 to $24,999	4,241	2,194	2	106	207	454	709	716
$25,000 to $99,999	1,272	1,013	2	51	138	269	315	238
$100,000 or more	176	150	1	8	28	42	46	25
Secured by real estate ..... farms	9,017	4,319	12	154	396	878	1,301	1,578
$1,000	100,884	66,055	78	2,625	8,345	17,389	20,591	17,027
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $999	1,280	527	-	6	45	71	154	251
$1,000 to $4,999	3,351	1,371	10	53	88	241	387	592
$5,000 to $24,999	3,389	1,654	-	58	165	339	542	550
$25,000 to $49,999	618	462	2	25	49	136	133	117
$50,000 or more	379	305	-	12	49	91	85	68
Not secured by real estate ..... farms	6,904	3,702	15	203	341	643	1,128	1,372
$1,000	50,091	42,094	139	2,422	6,781	9,338	13,815	9,600
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $999	2,520	1,066	7	38	63	138	304	516
$1,000 to $4,999	2,781	1,371	5	80	126	200	401	559
$5,000 to $24,999	1,162	872	2	69	93	215	270	223
$25,000 to $49,999	221	184	-	9	25	38	78	34
$50,000 or more	220	209	1	7	34	52	75	40
Property taxes paid ..... farms	36,071	15,291	68	446	1,056	2,267	4,236	7,218
$1,000	78,273	43,943	128	1,310	3,520	8,515	13,396	17,074
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $4,999	33,012	13,424	62	388	885	1,881	3,631	6,577
$5,000 to $9,999	1,968	1,109	-	37	103	203	376	390
$10,000 to $24,999	838	553	6	14	49	128	170	186
$25,000 or more	253	205	-	7	19	55	59	65
All other production expenses (see text) ..... farms	17,407	9,338	52	358	763	1,626	2,712	3,827
$1,000	213,194	177,027	282	6,860	28,843	43,353	59,199	38,491
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $4,999	12,949	5,896	41	172	359	772	1,612	2,940
$5,000 to $24,999	3,049	2,211	8	121	250	529	673	630
$25,000 to $49,999	606	520	2	29	58	129	188	114
$50,000 to $99,999	422	364	1	19	44	109	119	72
$100,000 or more	381	347	-	17	52	87	120	71
Production expenses paid by landlords [1] ..... farms	433	341	-	20	45	75	110	91
$1,000	7,041	6,586	-	358	533	1,787	1,978	1,931
Depreciation expenses claimed ..... farms	15,657	8,311	37	316	715	1,435	2,401	3,407
$1,000	325,448	263,056	918	15,258	34,240	65,459	80,556	66,625
NET CASH FARM INCOME (SEE TEXT)								
Net cash farm income of operations ..... farms	38,076	16,355	105	536	1,178	2,469	4,519	7,548
$1,000	1,632,266	1,491,185	1,563	92,770	244,326	413,968	450,054	288,505
Average per farm ..... dollars	42,869	91,176	14,885	173,078	207,407	167,666	99,591	38,223
Farms with net gains [2] ..... number	16,768	8,200	52	308	653	1,393	2,298	3,496
Average net gain ..... dollars	118,640	206,771	69,782	317,480	408,210	321,625	227,736	101,886
Gain of-								
Less than $1,000	1,915	618	3	6	21	72	161	355
$1,000 to $4,999	4,256	1,431	8	20	64	152	330	857
$5,000 to $9,999	2,249	855	8	9	23	91	233	491
$10,000 to $24,999	2,564	1,119	13	34	85	126	275	586
$25,000 to $49,999	1,448	726	3	27	41	93	189	373
$50,000 or more	4,336	3,451	17	212	419	859	1,110	834
Farms with net losses ..... number	21,308	8,155	53	228	525	1,076	2,221	4,052
Average net loss ..... dollars	16,758	25,057	38,976	21,990	42,354	31,650	32,995	16,705
Loss of-								
Less than $1,000	2,010	634	11	8	31	57	163	364
$1,000 to $4,999	6,993	2,404	15	77	123	289	636	1,264
$5,000 to $9,999	4,910	1,773	8	62	102	207	492	902
$10,000 to $24,999	4,749	1,965	5	55	145	273	555	932
$25,000 to $49,999	1,653	744	-	8	57	123	184	372
$50,000 or more	993	635	14	18	67	127	191	218
Net cash farm income of operators ..... farms	38,076	16,355	105	536	1,178	2,469	4,519	7,548
$1,000	1,110,971	1,029,759	242	60,846	173,257	271,407	308,418	215,588
Average per farm ..... dollars	29,178	62,963	2,308	113,520	147,077	109,926	68,249	28,562
Operators reporting net gains [2] ..... farms	16,657	8,120	47	301	653	1,379	2,268	3,472
Average net gain ..... dollars	88,693	152,871	55,117	222,440	300,610	223,177	168,713	82,106

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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	629	3	52	91	135	185	163
	$1,000	4,637	1	998	246	543	1,630	1,219
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $999		330	3	23	45	75	114	70
$1,000 to $4,999		206	-	14	34	41	51	66
$5,000 to $24,999		63	-	7	9	18	13	16
$25,000 to $49,999		10	-	1	3	-	4	2
$50,000 or more		20	-	7	-	1	3	9
Interest expense	farms	6,149	23	330	726	1,307	1,699	2,064
	$1,000	42,826	54	2,344	4,519	9,995	12,171	13,743
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $4,999		3,817	19	183	480	801	1,057	1,277
$5,000 to $24,999		2,047	4	132	218	430	552	711
$25,000 to $99,999		259	-	14	27	68	82	68
$100,000 or more		26	-	1	1	8	8	8
Secured by real estate	farms	4,698	10	236	579	973	1,280	1,620
	$1,000	34,829	34	1,606	3,735	8,236	9,812	11,406
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $999		753	-	33	87	171	209	253
$1,000 to $4,999		1,980	6	104	265	384	543	678
$5,000 to $24,999		1,735	4	89	206	353	455	628
$25,000 to $49,999		156	-	5	18	39	47	47
$50,000 or more		74	-	5	3	26	26	14
Not secured by real estate	farms	3,202	13	166	321	692	916	1,094
	$1,000	7,997	20	738	785	1,759	2,359	2,337
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $999		1,454	8	66	137	323	438	482
$1,000 to $4,999		1,410	5	60	160	278	386	521
$5,000 to $24,999		290	-	39	19	80	73	79
$25,000 to $49,999		37	-	-	4	7	17	9
$50,000 or more		11	-	1	1	4	2	3
Property taxes paid	farms	20,780	26	787	2,124	4,304	6,244	7,295
	$1,000	34,330	27	888	2,863	7,100	10,001	13,450
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $4,999		19,588	26	755	2,032	4,100	5,896	6,779
$5,000 to $9,999		859	-	25	70	131	269	364
$10,000 to $24,999		285	-	7	20	62	66	130
$25,000 or more		48	-	-	2	11	13	22
All other production expenses (see text)	farms	8,069	29	386	924	1,910	2,389	2,431
	$1,000	36,168	58	1,152	3,681	7,971	9,405	13,901
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $4,999		7,053	25	325	802	1,669	2,120	2,112
$5,000 to $24,999		838	4	54	101	190	217	272
$25,000 to $49,999		86	-	5	6	31	24	20
$50,000 to $99,999		58	-	2	8	7	20	21
$100,000 or more		34	-	-	7	13	8	6
Production expenses paid by landlords [1]	farms	92	-	1	10	19	38	24
	$1,000	455	-	(D)	(D)	89	295	52
Depreciation expenses claimed	farms	7,346	15	328	759	1,561	2,202	2,481
	$1,000	62,392	156	3,054	6,344	15,605	18,304	18,928
NET CASH FARM INCOME (SEE TEXT)								
Net cash farm income of operations	farms	21,721	54	906	2,280	4,496	6,462	7,523
	$1,000	141,081	-522	8,965	5,948	37,499	39,271	49,921
Average per farm	dollars	6,495	-9,670	9,895	2,609	8,340	6,077	6,636
Farms with net gains [2]	number	8,568	13	343	789	1,601	2,592	3,230
Average net gain	dollars	34,294	8,084	41,710	29,351	46,049	32,511	30,423
Gain of-								
Less than $1,000		1,297	6	26	106	233	411	515
$1,000 to $4,999		2,825	-	111	250	532	824	1,108
$5,000 to $9,999		1,394	2	50	118	260	427	537
$10,000 to $24,999		1,445	5	47	141	262	443	547
$25,000 to $49,999		722	-	40	83	142	225	232
$50,000 or more		885	-	69	91	172	262	291
Farms with net losses	number	13,153	41	563	1,491	2,895	3,870	4,293
Average net loss	dollars	11,613	15,299	9,488	11,542	12,513	11,627	11,261
Loss of-								
Less than $1,000		1,376	5	30	113	277	417	534
$1,000 to $4,999		4,589	4	251	518	938	1,328	1,550
$5,000 to $9,999		3,137	15	116	390	719	955	942
$10,000 to $24,999		2,784	4	119	320	665	833	843
$25,000 to $49,999		909	13	44	114	222	217	299
$50,000 or more		358	-	3	36	74	120	125
Net cash farm income of operators	farms	21,721	54	906	2,280	4,496	6,462	7,523
	$1,000	81,212	-522	5,616	-743	19,875	23,051	33,935
Average per farm	dollars	3,739	-9,670	6,199	-326	4,420	3,567	4,511
Operators reporting net gains [2]	farms	8,537	13	339	792	1,590	2,581	3,222
Average net gain	dollars	27,649	8,084	32,489	20,753	35,611	26,756	25,699

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

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Item	Total farming and other occupations	Farming						
		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
NET CASH FARM INCOME (SEE TEXT) - Con.								
Net cash farm income of operators - Con.								
Operators reporting net gains [2] - Con.								
Gain of-								
Less than $1,000	1,931	627	3	6	22	76	164	356
$1,000 to $4,999	4,265	1,447	5	19	67	154	338	864
$5,000 to $9,999	2,266	865	8	9	20	93	237	498
$10,000 to $24,999	2,637	1,186	13	39	90	145	298	601
$25,000 to $49,999	1,681	916	3	31	68	144	251	419
$50,000 or more	3,877	3,079	15	197	386	767	980	734
Operators reporting net losses ... farms	21,419	8,235	58	235	525	1,090	2,251	4,076
Average net loss ... dollars	17,105	25,690	40,487	25,991	43,888	33,352	32,974	17,047
Loss of-								
Less than $1,000	2,010	636	11	8	31	59	163	364
$1,000 to $4,999	6,989	2,407	15	77	127	286	636	1,266
$5,000 to $9,999	4,944	1,788	8	62	102	207	497	912
$10,000 to $24,999	4,767	1,977	8	55	141	276	568	929
$25,000 to $49,999	1,663	749	-	7	52	124	193	373
$50,000 or more	1,046	678	16	26	72	138	194	232
COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS (SEE TEXT)								
Total ... farms	199	169	-	23	17	50	53	26
$1,000	44,683	42,508	-	5,756	3,949	12,752	12,241	7,811
INCOME FROM FARM-RELATED SOURCES								
Total income from farm-related sources, gross before taxes and expenses (see text) ... farms	12,166	5,754	32	201	456	881	1,606	2,578
$1,000	168,762	95,907	455	5,143	10,466	19,357	26,747	33,738
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	1,154	732	15	56	84	157	193	227
$1,000	21,811	17,455	327	1,921	1,479	4,139	5,101	4,489
Gross cash rent or share payments ... farms	3,743	1,425	-	30	100	179	353	763
$1,000	47,481	23,926	-	758	1,263	3,046	5,762	13,098
Sales of forest products, excluding Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops, and maple products ... farms	1,972	836	-	10	53	98	219	456
$1,000	48,742	16,688	-	34	1,261	1,595	4,810	8,988
Agri-tourism and recreational services (see text) ... farms	497	177	-	4	11	33	42	87
$1,000	5,961	1,861	-	10	412	220	598	620
Patronage dividends and refunds from cooperatives ... farms	4,881	2,720	12	106	201	422	857	1,122
$1,000	15,313	13,264	17	798	1,530	3,925	3,932	3,062
Crop and livestock insurance payments received ... farms	577	402	9	19	44	90	131	109
$1,000	15,897	12,898	75	1,132	1,720	4,569	3,761	1,641
Amount from state and local government agricultural program payments ... farms	370	166	-	11	9	24	50	72
$1,000	1,723	797	-	86	48	143	201	319
Other farm-related income sources (see text) ... farms	970	425	7	15	48	88	96	171
$1,000	11,834	9,018	37	404	2,753	1,719	2,583	1,522
LAND USE								
Total cropland ... farms	23,905	11,288	80	374	781	1,697	3,153	5,203
acres	5,075,579	3,998,829	12,095	204,588	495,575	942,000	1,327,576	1,016,995
Harvested cropland ... farms	17,595	9,507	73	318	669	1,483	2,723	4,241
acres	4,292,113	3,677,910	11,415	198,918	470,357	898,426	1,226,855	871,939
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 49 acres	10,594	4,816	25	107	243	581	1,347	2,513
50 to 99 acres	2,513	1,367	16	23	83	194	322	729
100 to 199 acres	1,602	920	14	20	71	146	266	403
200 to 499 acres	1,072	768	15	44	80	139	229	261
500 to 999 acres	654	559	2	54	68	137	174	124
1,000 to 1,999 acres	603	557	-	49	59	121	213	115
2,000 acres or more	557	520	1	21	65	165	172	96
Cropland-								
Other pasture and grazing land that could have been used for crops without additional improvements (see text) ... farms	2,275	1,074	2	44	96	182	266	484
acres	160,511	95,148	(D)	(D)	11,157	14,236	34,659	33,056
On which all crops failed or were abandoned ... farms	844	397	3	10	30	64	133	157
acres	37,878	24,551	3	808	4,139	3,647	7,727	8,227
Idle or used for cover crops or soil improvement, but not harvested and not pastured or grazed (see text) ... farms	7,073	2,344	11	49	125	301	590	1,268
acres	558,250	185,511	428	2,864	8,257	23,964	50,985	99,013
In cultivated summer fallow ... farms	792	395	3	9	22	50	137	174
acres	26,827	15,709	(D)	(D)	1,665	1,727	7,350	4,760
Total woodland ... farms	23,347	9,758	30	197	557	1,277	2,705	4,992
acres	3,469,315	1,347,649	2,714	22,816	67,818	145,498	377,774	731,029
Woodland pastured ... farms	9,216	4,473	12	84	238	590	1,244	2,305
acres	470,724	247,043	478	3,323	14,105	29,716	68,630	130,791
Woodland not pastured ... farms	17,758	7,103	27	152	409	929	1,951	3,635
acres	2,998,591	1,100,606	2,236	19,493	53,713	115,782	309,144	600,238

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Item	Other occupations						
	Total	Age of operator (years)					
		Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
NET CASH FARM INCOME (SEE TEXT) - Con.							
Net cash farm income of operators - Con.							
Operators reporting net gains [2] - Con.							
Gain of-							
Less than $1,000	1,304	6	26	107	234	414	517
$1,000 to $4,999	2,818	-	111	247	530	823	1,107
$5,000 to $9,999	1,401	2	51	127	261	424	536
$10,000 to $24,999	1,451	5	48	140	269	445	544
$25,000 to $49,999	765	-	39	91	153	245	237
$50,000 or more	798	-	64	80	143	230	281
Operators reporting net losses ... farms	13,184	41	567	1,488	2,906	3,881	4,301
Average net loss ... dollars	11,743	15,299	9,519	11,545	12,645	11,854	11,362
Loss of-							
Less than $1,000	1,374	5	29	113	278	411	538
$1,000 to $4,999	4,582	4	248	514	939	1,329	1,548
$5,000 to $9,999	3,156	15	123	394	721	964	939
$10,000 to $24,999	2,790	4	119	322	668	831	846
$25,000 to $49,999	914	13	45	111	224	221	300
$50,000 or more	368	-	3	34	76	125	130
COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS (SEE TEXT)							
Total ... farms	30	-	2	2	9	3	14
$1,000	2,174	-	(D)	(D)	1,042	739	244
INCOME FROM FARM-RELATED SOURCES							
Total income from farm-related sources, gross before taxes and expenses (see text) ... farms	6,412	18	254	639	1,202	1,915	2,384
$1,000	72,855	30	2,771	5,141	9,385	23,372	32,156
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	422	-	37	84	102	105	94
$1,000	4,356	-	262	830	801	1,099	1,364
Gross cash rent or share payments ... farms	2,318	4	64	139	355	662	1,094
$1,000	23,554	3	1,342	1,871	3,193	5,852	11,293
Sales of forest products, excluding Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops, and maple products ... farms	1,136	-	20	91	195	338	492
$1,000	32,055	-	392	1,482	3,208	10,692	16,281
Agri-tourism and recreational services (see text) ... farms	320	-	7	34	45	103	131
$1,000	4,100	-	16	114	294	2,820	857
Patronage dividends and refunds from cooperatives ... farms	2,161	9	95	305	480	700	572
$1,000	2,049	3	44	309	198	1,118	377
Crop and livestock insurance payments received ... farms	175	-	30	21	27	55	42
$1,000	2,999	-	413	259	967	759	600
Amount from state and local government agricultural program payments ... farms	204	-	7	13	40	43	101
$1,000	926	-	39	105	322	189	271
Other farm-related income sources (see text) ... farms	545	5	21	60	134	163	162
$1,000	2,815	24	263	170	401	843	1,114
LAND USE							
Total cropland ... farms	12,617	22	522	1,228	2,573	3,790	4,482
acres	1,076,750	1,366	52,821	94,236	218,917	314,392	395,018
Harvested cropland ... farms	8,088	19	409	942	1,836	2,620	2,262
acres	614,203	1,246	42,523	63,472	148,501	195,380	163,081
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 49 acres	5,778	7	248	671	1,320	1,855	1,677
50 to 99 acres	1,146	4	60	123	263	396	300
100 to 199 acres	682	8	49	90	163	215	157
200 to 499 acres	304	-	35	41	48	101	79
500 to 999 acres	95	-	9	9	24	28	25
1,000 to 1,999 acres	46	-	3	7	11	12	13
2,000 acres or more	37	-	5	1	7	13	11
Cropland-							
Other pasture and grazing land that could have been used for crops without additional improvements (see text) ... farms	1,201	-	75	148	303	313	362
acres	65,363	-	4,719	6,621	10,125	15,103	28,795
On which all crops failed or were abandoned ... farms	447	-	26	47	101	154	119
acres	13,327	-	550	1,978	3,317	3,823	3,659
Idle or used for cover crops or soil improvement, but not harvested and not pastured or grazed (see text) ... farms	4,729	3	87	280	763	1,316	2,280
acres	372,739	120	4,647	21,161	55,142	96,174	195,495
In cultivated summer fallow ... farms	397	-	14	37	86	116	144
acres	11,118	-	382	1,004	1,832	3,912	3,988
Total woodland ... farms	13,589	6	427	1,252	2,705	4,269	4,930
acres	2,121,666	48	46,640	124,272	357,528	644,428	948,750
Woodland pastured ... farms	4,743	2	193	509	1,122	1,571	1,346
acres	223,681	(D)	(D)	21,094	46,630	69,142	81,002
Woodland not pastured ... farms	10,655	4	311	929	1,994	3,321	4,096
acres	1,897,985	(D)	(D)	103,178	310,898	575,286	867,748

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Item	Total farming and other occupations	Farming						
		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
LAND USE - Con.								
Permanent pasture and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pastured (see text) ... farms	21,345	9,693	50	285	606	1,366	2,632	4,754
acres	1,751,532	985,381	4,499	24,263	66,926	148,643	288,244	452,806
Land in farmsteads, homes, buildings, livestock facilities, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. ... farms	22,888	10,179	54	292	696	1,421	2,813	4,903
acres	634,654	336,946	1,490	5,482	26,405	53,264	93,777	156,528
Irrigated land ... farms	2,454	1,809	12	128	211	412	581	465
acres	1,651,978	1,535,466	2,343	90,450	232,069	389,480	510,126	310,998
Harvested cropland ... farms	2,369	1,779	12	128	206	404	570	459
acres	1,648,601	1,533,942	2,343	90,410	231,874	389,064	509,890	310,361
Pastureland and other land ... farms	126	62	-	5	11	9	20	17
acres	3,377	1,524	-	40	195	416	236	637
CONSERVATION AND CROP INSURANCE								
Land enrolled in Conservation Reserve, Wetlands Reserve, Farmable Wetlands, or Conservation Reserve Enhancement Programs ... farms	9,458	2,774	-	53	115	289	716	1,601
acres	959,724	270,398	-	2,214	11,984	25,964	73,438	156,798
Land enrolled in crop insurance programs (see text) ... farms	2,998	2,274	22	155	255	511	729	602
acres	3,093,164	2,806,308	7,929	178,218	365,291	697,209	966,381	591,280
ORGANIC AGRICULTURE								
Total organic commodity sales (see text) ... farms	11	4	-	-	-	2	2	-
$1,000	68	46	-	-	-	(D)	(D)	-
VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS								
Estimated market value of land and buildings ... farms	38,076	16,355	105	536	1,178	2,469	4,519	7,548
$1,000	24,848,149	15,332,948	48,137	586,168	1,555,740	3,057,468	4,793,269	5,292,165
Average per farm ... dollars	652,593	937,508	458,445	1,093,597	1,320,662	1,238,343	1,060,693	701,135
Average per acre ... dollars	2,273	2,299	2,314	2,279	2,369	2,371	2,296	2,245
Farms by value group:								
$1 to $49,999	3,088	1,047	29	42	88	161	271	456
$50,000 to $99,999	4,136	1,424	13	50	95	238	376	652
$100,000 to $199,999	7,552	2,750	6	70	176	321	735	1,442
$200,000 to $499,999	12,207	4,834	21	139	296	629	1,284	2,465
$500,000 to $999,999	5,851	2,925	23	82	206	432	798	1,384
$1,000,000 to $1,999,999	2,881	1,707	12	77	132	313	499	674
$2,000,000 to $4,999,999	1,664	1,094	-	55	108	218	378	335
$5,000,000 to $9,999,999	463	379	1	14	50	113	116	85
$10,000,000 or more	234	195	-	7	27	44	62	55
VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT								
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ... farms	38,073	16,355	105	536	1,178	2,469	4,519	7,548
$1,000	3,499,554	2,478,788	13,966	136,011	280,602	577,545	752,251	718,414
Farms by value group:								
$1 to $4,999	3,091	901	-	21	49	119	225	487
$5,000 to $9,999	3,061	996	13	26	58	109	264	526
$10,000 to $19,999	6,265	2,133	3	45	108	242	494	1,241
$20,000 to $49,999	11,727	4,460	30	112	232	595	1,196	2,295
$50,000 to $99,999	6,975	3,188	10	74	235	428	890	1,551
$100,000 to $199,999	3,592	2,068	22	108	180	341	619	798
$200,000 to $499,999	2,068	1,432	22	58	159	318	454	421
$500,000 or more	1,294	1,177	5	92	157	317	377	229
SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT								
Trucks, including pickups (see text) ... farms	28,181	13,965	89	481	1,048	2,186	3,929	6,232
number	52,719	30,679	231	1,040	2,643	5,422	9,229	12,114
Tractors, all ... farms	30,985	14,583	84	469	1,062	2,196	4,116	6,656
number	65,334	36,514	237	1,152	2,828	5,847	10,812	15,638
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) ... farms	11,812	5,366	19	119	329	696	1,484	2,719
number	14,665	6,811	28	142	394	831	1,902	3,514
40 to 99 horsepower (PTO) ... farms	22,796	10,831	57	316	759	1,571	3,079	5,049
number	35,454	18,596	116	465	1,338	2,669	5,256	8,752
100 horsepower (PTO) or more ... farms	7,184	4,422	45	208	397	820	1,331	1,621
number	15,215	11,107	93	545	1,096	2,347	3,654	3,372
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled ... farms	2,483	2,001	17	128	225	445	650	536
number	3,241	2,662	19	154	316	599	854	720
Cotton pickers and strippers, self-propelled ... farms	761	628	5	57	88	164	173	141
number	1,078	885	5	67	128	221	257	207
Forage harvesters, self-propelled ... farms	327	176	-	2	11	43	63	57
number	382	206	-	(D)	(D)	52	75	64
Hay balers ... farms	8,335	4,420	29	118	237	612	1,270	2,154
number	10,134	5,450	52	142	300	753	1,581	2,622

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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	11,652	37	552	1,465	2,740	3,613	3,245
	acres	766,151	2,245	30,457	85,820	179,573	223,758	244,298
Land in farmsteads, homes, buildings, livestock facilities, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc.	farms	12,709	23	472	1,332	2,654	3,905	4,323
	acres	297,708	397	6,877	23,144	45,369	87,937	133,984
Irrigated land	farms	645	-	45	91	148	221	140
	acres	116,512	-	8,244	7,225	41,442	34,033	25,568
Harvested cropland	farms	590	-	45	74	135	200	136
	acres	114,659	-	8,244	6,780	41,139	33,378	25,118
Pastureland and other land	farms	64	-	-	20	15	25	4
	acres	1,853	-	-	445	303	655	450
CONSERVATION AND CROP INSURANCE								
Land enrolled in Conservation Reserve, Wetlands Reserve, Farmable Wetlands, or Conservation Reserve Enhancement Programs	farms	6,684	-	122	384	937	1,824	3,417
	acres	689,326	-	14,454	37,141	97,292	188,143	352,296
Land enrolled in crop insurance programs (see text)	farms	724	-	68	86	132	239	199
	acres	286,856	-	18,244	24,758	76,486	93,577	73,791
ORGANIC AGRICULTURE								
Total organic commodity sales (see text)	farms	7	-	-	-	2	4	1
	$1,000	22	-	-	-	(D)	6	(D)
VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS								
Estimated market value of land and buildings	farms	21,721	54	906	2,280	4,496	6,462	7,523
	$1,000	9,515,202	10,746	306,866	786,968	1,907,268	2,907,171	3,596,182
Average per farm	dollars	438,065	199,008	338,705	345,161	424,214	449,887	478,025
Average per acre	dollars	2,232	2,650	2,243	2,403	2,380	2,288	2,088
Farms by value group:								
$1 to $49,999		2,041	19	133	251	476	573	589
$50,000 to $99,999		2,712	10	116	321	583	801	881
$100,000 to $199,999		4,802	7	186	538	998	1,360	1,713
$200,000 to $499,999		7,373	10	313	783	1,486	2,225	2,556
$500,000 to $999,999		2,926	8	104	235	578	922	1,079
$1,000,000 to $1,999,999		1,174	-	42	98	238	381	415
$2,000,000 to $4,999,999		570	-	11	51	115	158	235
$5,000,000 to $9,999,999		84	-	-	3	12	32	37
$10,000,000 or more		39	-	1	-	10	10	18
VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT								
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment	farms	21,718	54	906	2,280	4,496	6,459	7,523
	$1,000	1,020,767	2,698	56,802	111,972	231,088	302,851	315,356
Farms by value group:								
$1 to $4,999		2,190	2	70	156	353	565	1,044
$5,000 to $9,999		2,065	-	63	200	380	645	777
$10,000 to $19,999		4,132	8	139	412	795	1,198	1,580
$20,000 to $49,999		7,267	29	295	762	1,524	2,194	2,463
$50,000 to $99,999		3,787	4	179	458	862	1,204	1,080
$100,000 to $199,999		1,524	11	117	212	371	439	374
$200,000 to $499,999		636	-	35	69	187	180	165
$500,000 or more		117	-	8	11	24	34	40
SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT								
Trucks, including pickups (see text)	farms	14,216	41	694	1,714	3,243	4,412	4,112
	number	22,040	47	1,188	2,649	5,191	6,819	6,146
Tractors, all	farms	16,402	41	699	1,850	3,628	5,171	5,013
	number	28,820	72	1,146	3,090	6,238	9,388	8,886
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO)	farms	6,446	17	169	703	1,278	2,048	2,231
	number	7,854	22	187	839	1,498	2,517	2,791
40 to 99 horsepower (PTO)	farms	11,965	30	514	1,352	2,786	3,786	3,497
	number	16,858	41	688	1,822	3,893	5,486	4,928
100 horsepower (PTO) or more	farms	2,762	9	168	304	586	933	762
	number	4,108	9	271	429	847	1,385	1,167
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled	farms	482	-	39	57	106	165	115
	number	579	-	43	66	131	201	138
Cotton pickers and strippers, self-propelled	farms	133	-	15	24	19	19	56
	number	193	-	20	38	26	28	81
Forage harvesters, self-propelled	farms	151	3	27	15	51	33	22
	number	176	3	33	15	59	39	27
Hay balers	farms	3,915	7	218	507	952	1,286	945
	number	4,684	10	251	606	1,141	1,560	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	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	14,168	7,575	48	306	575	1,190	2,228	3,228
acres treated	3,089,983	2,626,795	6,785	160,419	350,950	646,198	846,731	615,712
Manure used ... farms	3,779	2,159	14	122	199	331	619	874
acres treated	380,456	297,548	1,877	24,191	31,531	52,483	101,405	86,061
Acres treated to control-								
Insects ... farms	5,637	3,672	24	201	352	714	1,151	1,230
acres	2,425,471	2,249,137	7,605	133,310	359,787	560,877	751,453	436,105
Weeds, grass, or brush ... farms	11,118	6,346	53	310	575	1,094	1,901	2,413
acres	3,780,101	3,333,680	10,939	191,019	454,064	814,038	1,136,529	727,091
Nematodes ... farms	852	569	4	31	74	134	159	167
acres	319,154	273,259	4	14,049	28,637	91,712	71,999	66,858
Diseases in crops and orchards ... farms	1,578	1,090	4	56	126	250	334	320
acres	709,504	645,705	890	36,816	108,037	194,840	183,618	121,504
Chemicals used to control growth, thin fruit, ripen, or defoliate ... farms	1,038	811	7	66	110	201	227	200
acres on which used	548,525	499,109	983	28,756	73,914	146,053	154,178	95,225
LAND USE PRACTICES								
Land drained by tile ... farms	404	232	3	16	9	46	53	105
acres	33,013	25,010	3	783	4,631	3,443	8,811	7,339
Land artificially drained by ditches ... farms	4,827	2,661	25	124	218	430	777	1,087
acres	1,661,892	1,429,476	4,653	107,794	213,133	304,943	463,349	335,604
Land under conservation easement ... farms	1,257	488	-	4	13	67	147	257
acres	187,943	82,018	-	(D)	(D)	19,381	30,539	27,109
Cropland on which no-till practices were used ... farms	1,852	1,231	-	69	137	245	383	397
acres	620,535	573,283	-	29,725	83,655	143,170	180,110	136,623
Cropland on which conservation tillage, including no till, practices were used ... farms	1,510	1,092	10	50	117	209	366	340
acres	908,660	828,741	683	39,643	143,960	195,239	272,001	177,215
Cropland on which conventional tillage practices were used ... farms	4,931	3,079	43	155	318	595	916	1,052
acres	2,157,189	1,923,259	7,171	122,162	221,570	501,843	678,889	391,624
Cropland planted to a cover crop (excluding CRP) ... farms	1,019	581	7	18	39	85	181	251
acres	66,069	54,144	495	2,057	5,571	9,889	19,785	16,347
ENERGY								
Renewable energy producing systems ... farms	275	135	3	5	7	19	48	53
Solar panels ... farms	225	104	-	-	5	18	42	39
Wind turbines ... farms	16	7	-	-	2	-	1	4
Methane digesters ... farms	6	3	-	-	-	-	-	3
Geoexchange systems ... farms	23	16	3	-	1	-	4	8
Small hydro systems ... farms	6	6	-	-	-	1	2	3
Biodiesel ... farms	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	-
Ethanol ... farms	14	12	-	5	1	1	2	3
Other ... farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wind rights leased to others ... farms	4	2	-	-	-	1	-	1
TENURE								
Full owners ... farms	27,734	10,605	29	221	637	1,330	2,786	5,602
Part owners ... farms	7,963	4,415	26	188	356	850	1,357	1,638
Tenants ... farms	2,379	1,335	50	127	185	289	376	308
OWNED AND RENTED LAND								
Land owned ... farms	35,763	15,060	55	411	998	2,182	4,147	7,267
acres	7,716,572	3,718,972	4,677	75,298	211,441	511,580	1,106,665	1,809,311
Owned land in farms ... farms	35,697	15,020	55	409	993	2,180	4,143	7,240
acres	6,957,468	3,404,890	4,677	62,240	188,941	476,265	1,030,926	1,641,841
Land rented or leased from others ... farms	10,397	5,775	76	316	543	1,139	1,740	1,961
acres	4,020,008	3,297,798	16,121	194,956	468,357	823,508	1,063,166	731,690
Rented or leased land in farms ... farms	10,342	5,750	76	315	541	1,139	1,733	1,946
acres	3,973,612	3,263,915	16,121	194,909	467,783	813,140	1,056,445	715,517
Land rented or leased to others ... farms	3,900	1,481	-	25	97	184	356	819
acres	805,500	347,965	-	13,105	23,074	45,683	82,460	183,643
NUMBER OF OPERATORS								
Total operators ... number	55,568	23,942	203	810	1,796	3,857	6,695	10,581
Farms by number of operators:								
1 operator ...	23,705	10,172	52	308	684	1,364	2,730	5,034
2 operators ...	12,040	5,147	30	193	399	907	1,482	2,136
3 operators ...	1,869	841	7	25	80	162	262	305
4 operators ...	284	111	10	9	11	16	29	36
5 or more operators ...	178	84	6	1	4	20	16	37
Total women operators ... number	16,124	6,197	48	204	476	1,079	1,727	2,663
Farms by number of women operators:								
1 operator ...	14,200	5,510	24	168	424	915	1,576	2,403
2 operators ...	753	266	12	15	20	60	63	96
3 operators ...	98	25	-	2	1	5	3	14
4 operators ...	12	9	-	-	1	-	4	4
5 or more operators ...	13	7	-	-	1	4	-	2

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

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

Item	Other occupations						
	Total	Age of operator (years)					
		Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
FERTILIZERS AND CHEMICALS							
Commercial fertilizer, lime, and soil conditioners used ... farms	6,593	16	410	899	1,641	2,201	1,426
acres treated	463,188	1,260	33,646	50,946	120,924	156,769	99,643
Manure used ... farms	1,620	3	133	237	421	520	306
acres treated	82,908	300	8,762	9,764	21,065	28,652	14,365
Acres treated to control-							
Insects ... farms	1,965	11	121	245	516	598	474
acres	176,334	620	22,558	18,830	46,411	49,559	38,356
Weeds, grass, or brush ... farms	4,772	9	328	667	1,169	1,523	1,076
acres	446,421	657	36,791	48,180	107,520	142,842	110,431
Nematodes ... farms	283	-	28	40	49	69	97
acres	45,895	-	10,764	4,926	7,105	13,544	9,556
Diseases in crops and orchards ... farms	488	-	43	53	112	139	141
acres	63,799	-	13,886	4,794	14,693	16,390	14,036
Chemicals used to control growth, thin fruit, ripen, or defoliate ... farms	227	-	22	28	39	57	81
acres on which used	49,416	-	11,745	3,750	8,246	14,123	11,552
LAND USE PRACTICES							
Land drained by tile ... farms	172	-	7	22	23	77	43
acres	8,003	-	285	1,344	1,365	3,156	1,853
Land artificially drained by ditches ... farms	2,166	11	122	269	427	674	663
acres	232,416	335	22,958	21,614	51,682	64,757	71,070
Land under conservation easement ... farms	769	-	41	67	130	258	273
acres	105,925	-	5,664	6,975	19,791	31,244	42,251
Cropland on which no-till practices were used ... farms	621	8	61	61	135	167	189
acres	47,252	(D)	(D)	7,540	8,753	13,316	14,185
Cropland on which conservation tillage, including no till, practices were used ... farms	418	-	42	41	76	122	137
acres	79,919	-	4,308	5,550	26,605	22,153	21,303
Cropland on which conventional tillage practices were used ... farms	1,852	7	134	204	392	592	523
acres	233,930	73	23,746	18,907	55,000	77,877	58,327
Cropland planted to a cover crop (excluding CRP) ... farms	438	-	22	54	99	150	113
acres	11,925	-	1,155	898	3,050	4,438	2,384
ENERGY							
Renewable energy producing systems ... farms	140	-	5	26	50	33	26
Solar panels ... farms	121	-	5	25	44	30	17
Wind turbines ... farms	9	-	-	-	3	2	4
Methane digesters ... farms	3	-	-	-	-	-	3
Geoexchange systems ... farms	7	-	-	-	-	5	2
Small hydro systems ... farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Biodiesel ... farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ethanol ... farms	2	-	-	1	-	-	1
Other ... farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wind rights leased to others ... farms	2	-	-	-	2	-	-
TENURE							
Full owners ... farms	17,129	16	500	1,528	3,260	5,142	6,683
Part owners ... farms	3,548	5	244	553	979	1,093	674
Tenants ... farms	1,044	33	162	199	257	227	166
OWNED AND RENTED LAND							
Land owned ... farms	20,703	21	748	2,086	4,240	6,247	7,361
acres	3,997,600	1,034	96,188	254,744	655,172	1,176,874	1,813,588
Owned land in farms ... farms	20,677	21	744	2,081	4,239	6,235	7,357
acres	3,552,578	1,034	80,259	226,631	602,741	1,066,067	1,575,846
Land rented or leased from others ... farms	4,622	38	410	752	1,241	1,323	858
acres	722,210	3,022	56,886	101,211	201,822	209,003	150,266
Rented or leased land in farms ... farms	4,592	38	406	752	1,236	1,320	840
acres	709,697	3,022	56,536	100,841	198,646	204,448	146,204
Land rented or leased to others ... farms	2,419	-	63	146	376	690	1,144
acres	457,535	-	16,279	28,483	55,607	115,362	241,804
NUMBER OF OPERATORS							
Total operators ... number	31,626	85	1,423	3,518	6,798	9,463	10,339
Farms by number of operators:							
1 operator ...	13,533	32	471	1,209	2,576	3,942	5,303
2 operators ...	6,893	19	380	940	1,630	2,147	1,777
3 operators ...	1,028	-	38	99	233	304	354
4 operators ...	173	-	9	28	37	48	51
5 or more operators ...	94	3	8	4	20	21	38
Total women operators ... number	9,927	15	408	1,083	2,137	2,896	3,388
Farms by number of women operators:							
1 operator ...	8,690	9	378	991	1,848	2,535	2,929
2 operators ...	487	3	15	37	128	131	173
3 operators ...	73	-	-	6	11	21	35
4 operators ...	3	-	-	-	-	1	2
5 or more operators ...	6	-	-	-	-	6	-

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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	32,794	14,648	94	489	1,042	2,136	4,102	6,785
Female	5,282	1,707	11	47	136	333	417	763
Primary occupation:								
Farming	16,355	16,355	105	536	1,178	2,469	4,519	7,548
Other	21,721	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Place of residence:								
On farm operated	27,054	12,954	52	333	865	1,851	3,661	6,192
Not on farm operated	11,022	3,401	53	203	313	618	858	1,356
Days worked off farm:								
None	15,119	10,519	27	224	531	1,246	2,712	5,779
Any	22,957	5,836	78	312	647	1,223	1,807	1,769
1 to 49 days	2,668	1,195	28	56	109	176	392	434
50 to 99 days	1,706	730	4	29	81	99	266	251
100 to 199 days	3,757	1,202	20	61	109	269	408	335
200 days or more	14,826	2,709	26	166	348	679	741	749
Years on present farm:								
2 years or less	1,247	448	47	71	63	116	78	73
3 or 4 years	1,844	645	29	110	108	140	129	129
5 to 9 years	5,258	1,920	29	192	349	431	452	467
10 years or more	29,727	13,342	-	163	658	1,782	3,860	6,879
Average years on present farm	23.0	25.3	3.6	7.4	11.5	16.9	23.8	32.6
Years operating any farm (see text):								
2 years or less	864	276	43	45	42	45	51	50
3 or 4 years	1,448	507	24	111	87	100	93	92
5 to 9 years	4,663	1,648	38	177	302	378	376	377
10 years or more	31,101	13,924	-	203	747	1,946	3,999	7,029
Average years operating any farm	24.8	27.5	3.8	8.3	12.7	19.3	26.1	35.0
Age group:								
Under 25 years	159	105	105	-	-	-	-	-
25 to 34 years	1,442	536	-	536	-	-	-	-
35 to 44 years	3,458	1,178	-	-	1,178	-	-	-
45 to 49 years	2,725	981	-	-	-	981	-	-
50 to 54 years	4,240	1,488	-	-	-	1,488	-	-
55 to 59 years	5,286	1,994	-	-	-	-	1,994	-
60 to 64 years	5,695	2,525	-	-	-	-	2,525	-
65 to 69 years	5,179	2,676	-	-	-	-	-	2,676
70 years and over	9,892	4,872	-	-	-	-	-	4,872
Average age	60.4	61.9	21.1	30.4	39.9	50.1	59.9	73.2
Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin (see text)	397	186	2	2	9	23	61	89
Race:								
American Indian or Alaska Native	133	69	-	-	14	28	14	13
Asian	66	50	-	2	7	27	11	3
Black or African American	5,029	2,452	23	16	115	357	794	1,147
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	9	1	-	-	1	-	-	-
White	32,756	13,744	82	517	1,041	2,046	3,689	6,369
More than one race reported	83	39	-	1	-	11	11	16
Farms by number of persons living in operator's household:								
1 person	5,851	2,324	22	59	89	223	573	1,358
2 people	20,043	9,399	32	139	207	919	2,835	5,267
3 people	5,498	2,173	22	122	202	565	674	588
4 people	4,195	1,575	18	147	393	530	280	207
5 or more people	2,489	884	11	69	287	232	157	128
Percent of operator's total household income from farming:								
Less than 25 percent	30,193	10,491	36	264	627	1,264	2,747	5,553
25 to 49 percent	2,498	1,429	29	25	70	198	312	795
50 to 74 percent	2,412	1,747	16	70	142	274	487	758
75 to 99 percent	1,405	1,202	14	66	142	260	280	440
100 percent	1,568	1,486	10	111	197	473	693	2
Operator is a hired manager ... farms	1,051	676	15	36	74	164	205	182
acres	968,857	745,919	4,022	45,830	95,044	172,165	230,038	198,820
Farms with-								
Internet access	23,113	9,586	55	425	916	1,755	2,950	3,485
Dial-up service	2,713	1,350	2	23	117	193	414	601
DSL service	9,980	4,099	20	180	390	746	1,288	1,475
Cable modem service	3,226	1,087	2	38	88	194	313	452
Fiber-optic service	635	220	-	5	13	42	77	83
Mobile broadband plan for a computer or cell phone	4,042	1,669	28	142	210	340	463	486
Satellite service	4,708	2,192	9	83	183	455	662	800
Broadband over Power Lines (BPL)	279	95	-	2	11	23	16	43
Other Internet service	285	117	-	13	16	20	28	40
Farms by number of households sharing in net income of operation:								
1 household	30,414	12,596	84	435	926	1,936	3,420	5,795
2 households	5,805	2,946	11	65	186	379	858	1,447
3 households	1,080	477	10	24	33	71	153	186
4 households	425	181	-	11	17	49	43	61
5 or more households	352	155	-	1	16	34	45	59

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

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

Item	Other occupations						
	Total	Age of operator (years)					
		Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
PRINCIPAL OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS							
Sex of operator:							
Male	18,146	49	791	2,051	3,917	5,548	5,790
Female	3,575	5	115	229	579	914	1,733
Primary occupation:							
Farming	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other	21,721	54	906	2,280	4,496	6,462	7,523
Place of residence:							
On farm operated	14,100	16	594	1,625	3,140	4,295	4,430
Not on farm operated	7,621	38	312	655	1,356	2,167	3,093
Days worked off farm:							
None	4,600	10	42	165	348	865	3,170
Any	17,121	44	864	2,115	4,148	5,597	4,353
1 to 49 days	1,473	7	61	124	219	405	657
50 to 99 days	976	5	34	81	207	284	365
100 to 199 days	2,555	9	167	313	549	805	712
200 days or more	12,117	23	602	1,597	3,173	4,103	2,619
Years on present farm:							
2 years or less	799	23	116	157	190	220	93
3 or 4 years	1,199	14	207	267	319	276	116
5 to 9 years	3,338	17	404	676	907	818	516
10 years or more	16,385	-	179	1,180	3,080	5,148	6,798
Average years on present farm	21.2	3.9	6.5	10.9	15.4	20.5	30.4
Years operating any farm (see text):							
2 years or less	588	23	89	130	139	134	73
3 or 4 years	941	14	169	205	240	219	94
5 to 9 years	3,015	17	408	623	804	699	464
10 years or more	17,177	-	240	1,322	3,313	5,410	6,892
Average years operating any farm	22.7	3.9	7.3	11.9	17.0	22.4	31.7
Age group:							
Under 25 years	54	54	-	-	-	-	-
25 to 34 years	906	-	906	-	-	-	-
35 to 44 years	2,280	-	-	2,280	-	-	-
45 to 49 years	1,744	-	-	-	1,744	-	-
50 to 54 years	2,752	-	-	-	2,752	-	-
55 to 59 years	3,292	-	-	-	-	3,292	-
60 to 64 years	3,170	-	-	-	-	3,170	-
65 to 69 years	2,503	-	-	-	-	-	2,503
70 years and over	5,020	-	-	-	-	-	5,020
Average age	59.3	20.7	30.8	40.3	50.2	59.4	74.1
Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin (see text)	211	2	12	22	46	52	77
Race:							
American Indian or Alaska Native	64	-	-	9	21	17	17
Asian	16	-	-	6	1	4	5
Black or African American	2,577	4	73	184	566	905	845
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	8	-	-	-	2	3	3
White	19,012	50	833	2,078	3,898	5,518	6,635
More than one race reported	44	-	-	3	8	15	18
Farms by number of persons living in operator's household:							
1 person	3,527	7	102	166	471	816	1,965
2 people	10,644	15	230	405	1,462	4,066	4,466
3 people	3,325	17	226	450	1,048	965	619
4 people	2,620	10	204	783	959	390	274
5 or more people	1,605	5	144	476	556	225	199
Percent of operator's total household income from farming:							
Less than 25 percent	19,702	45	811	2,094	4,108	5,822	6,822
25 to 49 percent	1,069	5	37	107	221	336	363
50 to 74 percent	665	-	47	53	118	196	251
75 to 99 percent	203	-	7	16	28	67	85
100 percent	82	4	4	10	21	41	2
Operator is a hired manager ... farms	375	-	44	39	82	100	110
acres	222,938	-	14,869	18,292	61,940	48,059	79,778
Farms with-							
Internet access	13,527	39	675	1,734	3,227	4,216	3,636
Dial-up service	1,363	-	53	133	284	426	467
DSL service	5,881	15	287	770	1,504	1,787	1,518
Cable modem service	2,139	5	45	198	409	751	731
Fiber-optic service	415	-	4	40	95	135	141
Mobile broadband plan for a computer or cell phone	2,373	17	216	407	570	661	502
Satellite service	2,516	6	116	313	639	759	683
Broadband over Power Lines (BPL)	184	-	8	15	46	64	51
Other Internet service	168	-	7	37	34	55	35
Farms by number of households sharing in net income of operation:							
1 household	17,818	45	780	1,947	3,788	5,257	6,001
2 households	2,859	9	111	227	444	909	1,159
3 households	603	-	8	43	151	162	239
4 households	244	-	2	43	70	75	54
5 or more households	197	-	5	20	43	59	70

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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	36,711	15,715	105	515	1,123	2,362	4,292	7,318
	acres	9,843,046	5,955,416	20,798	227,285	525,220	1,123,487	1,842,155	2,216,471
Limited Liability Corporation	farms	1,952	820	8	28	68	163	238	315
	acres	1,012,729	559,912	3,046	17,384	37,291	126,939	189,137	186,115
LEGAL STATUS FOR TAX PURPOSES (SEE TEXT)									
Family or individual	farms	33,316	13,914	92	442	964	1,989	3,746	6,681
	acres	6,674,195	3,578,426	18,439	139,674	272,195	620,917	1,012,894	1,514,307
Partnership	farms	2,871	1,561	7	52	123	307	514	558
	acres	3,104,467	2,478,679	509	88,648	274,050	561,546	915,158	638,768
Registered under state law	farms	2,092	1,206	7	45	108	257	416	373
	acres	2,684,937	2,198,977	509	79,729	261,948	507,012	836,912	512,867
Corporation	farms	1,463	734	6	34	84	147	220	243
	acres	942,226	535,480	1,850	25,446	95,153	94,222	132,836	185,973
Family held	farms	1,223	644	2	28	68	127	200	219
	acres	778,467	475,105	(D)	(D)	80,019	86,531	121,669	162,952
More than 10 stockholders	farms	28	10	-	-	1	3	-	6
10 or less stockholders	farms	1,195	634	2	28	67	124	200	213
Other than family held	farms	240	90	4	6	16	20	20	24
	acres	163,759	60,375	(D)	(D)	15,134	7,691	11,167	23,021
More than 10 stockholders	farms	29	13	-	-	1	3	2	7
10 or less stockholders	farms	211	77	4	6	15	17	18	17
Other-cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc	farms	426	146	-	8	7	26	39	66
	acres	210,192	76,220	-	3,381	15,326	12,720	26,483	18,310
HIRED FARM LABOR									
Hired farm labor	farms	10,581	6,075	45	218	541	1,172	1,807	2,292
	workers	32,307	21,565	120	656	2,377	4,734	6,967	6,711
Workers by days worked:									
150 days or more	farms	4,089	2,886	22	122	316	672	944	810
	workers	11,430	8,896	47	241	1,291	2,120	2,993	2,204
Less than 150 days	farms	8,167	4,467	32	141	365	841	1,273	1,815
	workers	20,877	12,669	73	415	1,086	2,614	3,974	4,507
Migrant farm labor on farms with hired labor (see text)	farms	129	95	3	11	11	22	30	18
Migrant farm labor on farms reporting only contract labor (see text)	farms	23	15	-	4	5	2	3	1
Unpaid workers (see text)	farms	15,973	6,461	39	226	504	973	1,759	2,960
	workers	34,033	13,481	85	466	1,182	2,098	3,630	6,020
FARMS BY SIZE									
1 to 9 acres		1,697	569	13	27	54	99	159	217
10 to 49 acres		9,017	3,364	19	108	300	577	940	1,420
50 to 69 acres		3,490	1,335	15	48	108	174	364	626
70 to 99 acres		4,222	1,638	10	49	99	236	428	816
100 to 139 acres		4,167	1,615	2	44	90	194	419	866
140 to 179 acres		2,992	1,287	12	31	66	149	331	698
180 to 219 acres		2,331	1,108	6	27	64	133	269	609
220 to 259 acres		1,478	616	6	14	31	74	167	324
260 to 499 acres		4,193	1,926	10	49	113	246	532	976
500 to 999 acres		2,323	1,320	9	61	81	236	361	572
1,000 to 1,999 acres		1,237	850	2	54	80	156	313	245
2,000 acres or more		929	727	1	24	92	195	236	179
FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM (NAICS)									
Oilseed and grain farming (1111)		3,466	2,393	24	148	254	484	746	737
Vegetable and melon farming (1112)		924	472	3	12	36	83	158	180
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113)		783	339	-	-	19	37	100	183
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114)		589	282	7	2	26	47	78	122
Other crop farming (1119)		12,019	3,348	17	77	169	393	801	1,891
Tobacco farming (11191)		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cotton farming (11192)		357	252	-	10	44	61	64	73
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193,11194,11199)		11,662	3,096	17	67	125	332	737	1,818
Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111)		13,041	6,057	43	154	254	656	1,613	3,337
Cattle feedlots (112112)		8	3	-	1	-	-	2	-
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212)		144	119	-	2	12	31	37	37
Hog and pig farming (1122)		117	77	-	4	10	9	30	24
Poultry and egg production (1123)		2,071	1,570	3	74	222	431	509	331
Sheep and goat farming (1124)		796	278	-	15	21	41	90	111
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129)		4,118	1,417	8	47	155	257	355	595
LIVESTOCK									
Cattle and calves inventory	farms	15,940	7,906	56	231	450	1,052	2,143	3,974
	number	921,508	606,509	3,512	13,647	59,308	105,998	168,521	255,523
Farms with-									
1 to 9		2,855	1,052	12	46	83	187	257	467
10 to 49		8,707	4,065	28	102	217	475	1,108	2,135
50 to 99		2,410	1,414	3	45	64	148	388	766
100 to 199		1,237	808	9	22	31	123	225	398

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[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	20,996	54	890	2,217	4,365	6,250	7,220
	acres	3,887,630	4,056	132,527	303,505	717,675	1,172,875	1,556,992
Limited Liability Corporation	farms	1,132	-	57	129	272	300	374
	acres	452,817	-	20,554	44,067	107,033	108,960	172,203
LEGAL STATUS FOR TAX PURPOSES (SEE TEXT)								
Family or individual	farms	19,402	54	823	2,071	4,074	5,777	6,603
	acres	3,095,769	4,056	105,238	248,622	579,099	925,445	1,233,309
Partnership	farms	1,310	-	47	94	231	379	559
	acres	625,788	-	19,199	42,987	112,308	179,907	271,387
Registered under state law	farms	886	-	39	66	160	258	363
	acres	485,960	-	18,355	33,809	95,938	146,337	191,521
Corporation	farms	729	-	28	94	142	206	259
	acres	406,746	-	10,085	28,671	79,858	115,553	172,579
Family held	farms	579	-	20	76	113	157	213
	acres	303,362	-	9,174	18,810	67,257	85,059	123,062
More than 10 stockholders	farms	18	-	-	1	2	9	6
10 or less stockholders	farms	561	-	20	75	111	148	207
Other than family held	farms	150	-	8	18	29	49	46
	acres	103,384	-	911	9,861	12,601	30,494	49,517
More than 10 stockholders	farms	16	-	-	6	1	3	6
10 or less stockholders	farms	134	-	8	12	28	46	40
Other-cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc	farms	280	-	8	21	49	100	102
	acres	133,972	-	2,273	7,192	30,122	49,610	44,775
HIRED FARM LABOR								
Hired farm labor	farms	4,506	10	215	467	915	1,326	1,573
	workers	10,742	15	577	1,289	2,204	3,022	3,635
Workers by days worked:								
150 days or more	farms	1,203	3	73	134	240	349	404
	workers	2,534	3	143	314	511	690	873
Less than 150 days	farms	3,700	7	180	374	760	1,090	1,289
	workers	8,208	12	434	975	1,693	2,332	2,762
Migrant farm labor on farms with hired labor (see text)	farms	34	-	3	4	15	5	7
Migrant farm labor on farms reporting only contract labor (see text)	farms	8	-	1	-	3	2	2
Unpaid workers (see text)	farms	9,512	26	433	1,203	2,182	2,671	2,997
	workers	20,552	56	978	2,930	5,137	5,379	6,072
FARMS BY SIZE								
1 to 9 acres		1,128	11	74	187	298	302	256
10 to 49 acres		5,653	20	303	719	1,346	1,633	1,632
50 to 69 acres		2,155	4	64	227	434	689	737
70 to 99 acres		2,584	2	117	266	565	773	861
100 to 139 acres		2,552	6	103	251	464	814	914
140 to 179 acres		1,705	4	57	147	304	496	697
180 to 219 acres		1,223	3	37	112	225	359	487
220 to 259 acres		862	-	18	63	147	257	377
260 to 499 acres		2,267	4	75	191	446	656	895
500 to 999 acres		1,003	-	44	81	158	307	413
1,000 to 1,999 acres		387	-	8	27	70	116	166
2,000 acres or more		202	-	6	9	39	60	88
FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM (NAICS)								
Oilseed and grain farming (1111)		1,073	4	84	116	206	352	311
Vegetable and melon farming (1112)		452	3	21	46	108	129	145
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113)		444	-	16	41	90	143	154
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114)		307	-	14	43	74	91	85
Other crop farming (1119)		8,671	1	183	588	1,388	2,439	4,072
Tobacco farming (11191)		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cotton farming (11192)		105	-	7	20	9	15	54
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193,11194,11199)		8,566	1	176	568	1,379	2,424	4,018
Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111)		6,984	35	450	946	1,679	2,187	1,687
Cattle feedlots (112112)		5	-	-	1	2	1	1
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212)		25	-	-	1	2	9	13
Hog and pig farming (1122)		40	-	3	8	7	11	11
Poultry and egg production (1123)		501	-	18	80	144	139	120
Sheep and goat farming (1124)		518	2	17	75	129	167	128
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129)		2,701	9	100	335	667	794	796
LIVESTOCK								
Cattle and calves inventory	farms	8,034	32	501	1,110	1,958	2,514	1,919
	number	314,999	1,295	19,201	35,677	76,411	100,197	82,218
Farms with-								
1 to 9		1,803	10	144	300	413	520	416
10 to 49		4,642	11	270	623	1,147	1,475	1,116
50 to 99		996	3	51	129	250	325	238
100 to 199		429	8	23	48	101	152	97

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Item	Total farming and other occupations	Farming						
		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
LIVESTOCK - Con.								
Cattle and calves inventory - Con.								
Farms with- - Con.								
200 to 499	540	419	2	14	31	85	129	158
500 or more	191	148	2	2	24	34	36	50
Cows and heifers that calved ... farms	14,729	7,392	38	198	386	970	2,038	3,762
number	509,861	316,725	1,321	6,892	20,070	48,472	94,178	145,792
Beef cows ... farms	14,644	7,322	38	196	380	955	2,015	3,738
number	495,381	304,519	1,321	(D)	(D)	44,675	90,424	142,311
Farms with-								
1 to 9	3,660	1,434	11	50	83	234	381	675
10 to 49	8,502	4,228	20	110	213	476	1,152	2,257
50 to 99	1,562	986	5	22	34	112	285	528
100 to 199	649	479	-	10	29	98	129	213
200 to 499	229	163	2	4	15	30	55	57
500 or more	42	32	-	-	6	5	13	8
Milk cows ... farms	184	138	-	2	16	35	36	49
number	14,480	12,206	-	(D)	(D)	3,797	3,754	3,481
Farms with-								
1 to 9	44	22	-	-	6	1	2	13
10 to 49	48	34	-	-	3	9	7	15
50 to 99	33	28	-	-	3	8	9	8
100 to 199	44	41	-	2	4	12	13	10
200 to 499	13	13	-	-	-	5	5	3
500 or more	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other cattle (see text) ... farms	12,933	6,603	45	192	384	882	1,800	3,300
number	411,647	289,784	2,191	6,755	39,238	57,526	74,343	109,731
Cattle and calves sold ... farms	13,178	6,880	48	206	351	877	1,895	3,503
number	458,561	316,123	1,825	6,782	36,718	55,503	89,993	125,302
$1,000	332,491	239,779	1,267	5,063	34,542	45,550	64,656	88,701
Calves weighing less than 500 pounds ... farms	9,630	4,999	33	110	226	610	1,413	2,607
number	162,821	104,757	643	2,278	4,557	20,926	30,844	45,509
Cattle, including calves weighing 500 pounds or more ... farms	10,388	5,559	38	166	289	718	1,494	2,854
number	295,740	211,366	1,182	4,504	32,161	34,577	59,149	79,793
Cattle on feed (see text) ... farms	10	5	-	2	-	-	3	-
number	2,208	1,246	-	(D)	-	-	(D)	-
Hogs and pigs inventory ... farms	540	282	-	13	33	56	98	82
number	401,898	379,889	-	(D)	154,782	(D)	154,486	30,191
Farms with-								
1 to 24	454	213	-	12	21	46	66	68
25 to 49	33	22	-	-	-	4	10	8
50 to 99	6	4	-	-	2	-	2	-
100 to 199	7	6	-	-	2	-	3	1
200 to 499	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
500 or more	40	37	-	1	8	6	17	5
Used or to be used for breeding ... farms	276	153	-	5	16	25	57	50
number	47,797	46,151	-	16	31,375	(D)	11,225	(D)
Other hogs and pigs ... farms	430	210	-	8	30	44	69	59
number	354,101	333,738	-	(D)	123,407	(D)	143,261	(D)
Hogs and pigs sold ... farms	306	174	-	8	26	23	71	46
number	1,183,798	1,100,179	-	(D)	568,176	184,653	275,773	(D)
$1,000	141,139	133,293	-	(D)	84,701	10,361	30,056	(D)
Sheep and lambs inventory (see text) ... farms	499	219	3	18	17	42	68	71
number	12,984	7,496	135	1,838	391	1,160	2,570	1,402
Ewes 1 year old or older ... farms	368	165	3	15	8	31	53	55
number	6,933	4,321	100	921	203	673	1,612	812
Sheep and lambs sold ... farms	292	121	2	12	15	22	33	37
number	6,037	3,191	(D)	587	(D)	474	1,306	532
Total horses and ponies inventory ... farms	8,773	3,454	26	110	299	625	986	1,408
number	58,697	24,979	139	730	2,062	4,856	6,620	10,572
Owned horses and ponies inventory ... farms	8,468	3,322	26	109	292	604	939	1,352
number	53,510	22,695	139	690	1,911	4,413	6,028	9,514
Owned horses and ponies sold ... farms	1,769	693	7	50	72	152	168	244
number	6,112	2,634	10	154	154	640	476	1,200
Goats, all inventory ... farms	1,533	572	3	25	50	111	169	214
number	24,528	10,452	123	1,176	575	1,457	3,630	3,491
Goats, all sold ... farms	755	284	2	11	28	35	85	123
number	10,218	4,963	(D)	903	(D)	340	1,933	1,503
POULTRY								
Layers inventory (see text) ... farms	2,277	1,001	8	43	108	172	286	384
number	5,593,802	5,094,604	170	145,575	705,185	1,103,302	1,114,252	2,026,120
Farms with-								
1 to 399	2,072	820	8	38	76	117	227	354
400 to 3,199	14	13	-	-	1	10	2	-
3,200 to 9,999	3	3	-	-	-	1	2	-
10,000 to 19,999	99	89	-	1	16	19	35	18
20,000 to 49,999	85	72	-	4	15	23	19	11
50,000 to 99,999	2	2	-	-	-	1	1	-
100,000 or more	2	2	-	-	-	1	-	1
Pullets for laying flock replacement inventory ... farms	374	198	-	9	31	45	50	63
number	3,519,525	3,221,302	-	321,100	713,340	463,802	760,468	962,592

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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	121	-	11	4	39	33	34
500 or more	43	-	2	6	8	9	18
Cows and heifers that calved ... farms	7,337	25	440	988	1,783	2,336	1,765
number	193,136	481	11,135	21,131	46,239	62,052	52,098
Beef cows ... farms	7,322	25	440	987	1,782	2,332	1,756
number	190,862	481	11,135	(D)	(D)	61,516	50,556
Farms with-							
1 to 9	2,226	17	148	328	519	704	510
10 to 49	4,274	4	251	568	1,062	1,340	1,049
50 to 99	576	4	26	74	142	210	120
100 to 199	170	-	6	15	44	57	48
200 to 499	66	-	9	-	14	19	24
500 or more	10	-	-	2	1	2	5
Milk cows ... farms	46	-	-	1	6	22	17
number	2,274	-	-	(D)	(D)	536	1,542
Farms with-							
1 to 9	22	-	-	-	4	12	6
10 to 49	14	-	-	-	1	7	6
50 to 99	5	-	-	1	1	1	2
100 to 199	3	-	-	-	-	2	1
200 to 499	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
500 or more	2	-	-	-	-	-	2
Other cattle (see text) ... farms	6,330	30	393	861	1,539	2,012	1,495
number	121,863	814	8,066	14,546	30,172	38,145	30,120
Cattle and calves sold ... farms	6,298	31	360	859	1,564	2,003	1,481
number	142,438	774	8,706	16,492	34,379	47,309	34,778
$1,000	92,712	547	5,802	11,041	22,922	30,834	21,567
Calves weighing less than 500 pounds ... farms	4,631	23	273	620	1,101	1,531	1,083
number	58,064	155	4,107	7,174	12,545	19,232	14,851
Cattle, including calves weighing 500 pounds or more ... farms	4,829	25	268	645	1,223	1,508	1,160
number	84,374	619	4,599	9,318	21,834	28,077	19,927
Cattle on feed (see text) ... farms	5	-	-	1	2	1	1
number	962	-	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Hogs and pigs inventory ... farms	258	-	19	50	98	53	38
number	22,009	-	100	327	(D)	(D)	(D)
Farms with-							
1 to 24	241	-	18	48	95	48	32
25 to 49	11	-	1	2	2	4	2
50 to 99	2	-	-	-	-	-	2
100 to 199	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
200 to 499	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
500 or more	3	-	-	-	1	1	1
Used or to be used for breeding ... farms	123	-	8	22	49	26	18
number	1,646	-	17	91	261	(D)	(D)
Other hogs and pigs ... farms	220	-	14	42	84	49	31
number	20,363	-	83	236	(D)	(D)	(D)
Hogs and pigs sold ... farms	132	-	19	24	44	25	20
number	83,619	-	76	209	(D)	(D)	(D)
$1,000	7,846	-	15	23	(D)	(D)	(D)
Sheep and lambs inventory (see text) ... farms	280	-	27	46	69	67	71
number	5,488	-	341	359	1,362	1,605	1,821
Ewes 1 year old or older ... farms	203	-	16	35	44	57	51
number	2,612	-	152	173	542	912	833
Sheep and lambs sold ... farms	171	-	21	26	42	44	38
number	2,846	-	135	146	702	979	884
Total horses and ponies inventory ... farms	5,319	15	265	777	1,430	1,580	1,252
number	33,718	83	1,328	4,382	9,243	10,214	8,468
Owned horses and ponies inventory ... farms	5,146	15	262	761	1,404	1,520	1,184
number	30,815	83	1,262	4,206	7,676	9,588	8,000
Owned horses and ponies sold ... farms	1,076	-	72	184	335	273	212
number	3,478	-	258	532	1,051	973	664
Goats, all inventory ... farms	961	2	58	163	252	284	202
number	14,076	(D)	(D)	2,458	3,394	3,944	3,474
Goats, all sold ... farms	471	-	35	67	144	133	92
number	5,255	-	324	849	1,419	1,293	1,370
POULTRY							
Layers inventory (see text) ... farms	1,276	-	95	195	377	370	239
number	499,198	-	1,743	192,533	133,804	109,925	61,193
Farms with-							
1 to 399	1,252	-	95	185	371	365	236
400 to 3,199	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
3,200 to 9,999	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
10,000 to 19,999	10	-	-	5	2	3	-
20,000 to 49,999	13	-	-	5	4	2	2
50,000 to 99,999	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
100,000 or more	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pullets for laying flock replacement inventory ... farms	176	-	17	10	54	63	32
number	298,223	-	818	(D)	136,251	(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	436	271	-	14	46	66	79	66
number	5,264,787	4,713,635	-	144,630	655,819	1,202,158	1,053,356	1,657,672
Pullets for laying flock replacement sold ..... farms	104	77	-	7	13	16	28	13
number	6,332,484	5,798,833	-	638,400	1,062,114	1,086,543	1,721,140	1,290,636
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold ..... farms	1,430	1,214	3	71	175	341	384	240
number	761,180,486	672,393,563	2,086,500	40,905,264	102,665,801	211,753,887	204,078,380	110,903,731
Farms with-								
1 to 1,999	80	42	-	9	12	2	5	14
2,000 to 59,999	5	3	-	-	-	1	2	-
60,000 to 99,999	13	11	-	-	-	3	3	5
100,000 or more	1,332	1,158	3	62	163	335	374	221
Turkeys inventory (see text) ..... farms	232	84	2	-	3	12	34	33
number	1,548	566	(D)	-	(D)	52	313	151
Turkeys sold (see text) ..... farms	37	19	-	-	-	4	10	5
number	323	148	-	-	-	6	96	46
CROPS HARVESTED								
Corn for grain ..... farms	2,022	1,566	12	129	192	369	486	378
acres	793,762	736,289	1,835	52,567	104,831	189,167	250,330	137,559
bushels	127,937,980	119,572,069	297,790	8,683,084	17,721,361	30,649,026	40,446,016	21,774,792
Irrigated ..... farms	874	779	6	89	101	200	237	146
acres	425,872	399,202	(D)	(D)	64,848	94,412	132,542	75,430
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres	466	227	6	6	17	33	59	106
25 to 99 acres	286	177	-	10	32	34	46	55
100 to 249 acres	381	331	5	50	49	76	86	65
250 to 499 acres	355	329	-	38	30	86	114	61
500 acres or more	534	502	1	25	64	140	181	91
Corn for silage or greenchop ..... farms	107	75	4	3	3	18	23	24
acres	9,573	8,422	4	323	42	2,375	2,817	2,861
tons	129,093	116,136	56	4,900	724	33,403	35,912	41,141
Irrigated ..... farms	9	6	-	-	-	-	2	4
acres	262	(D)	-	-	-	-	(D)	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres	51	30	4	1	3	4	8	10
25 to 99 acres	22	15	-	-	-	2	5	8
100 to 249 acres	24	21	-	2	-	8	7	4
250 to 499 acres	9	8	-	-	-	4	3	1
500 acres or more	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
Cotton, all ..... farms	824	674	5	60	98	177	182	152
acres	470,522	434,883	573	26,489	59,991	129,792	138,034	80,004
bales	979,534	908,280	879	53,487	119,925	280,310	283,810	169,869
Irrigated ..... farms	332	304	2	36	47	78	89	52
acres	190,582	177,985	(D)	(D)	21,726	51,704	60,177	32,919
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres	59	25	-	-	7	-	3	15
25 to 99 acres	116	64	3	2	13	10	5	31
100 to 249 acres	155	126	2	20	14	36	26	28
250 to 499 acres	174	160	-	22	25	33	57	23
500 acres or more	320	299	-	16	39	98	91	55
Dry edible beans, excluding limas ..... farms	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
acres	108	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
cwt	1,722	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Irrigated ..... farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
25 to 99 acres	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
100 to 249 acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
250 to 499 acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
500 acres or more	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Oats for grain ..... farms	45	32	-	3	1	6	11	11
acres	2,047	1,691	-	(D)	(D)	173	312	1,157
bushels	157,592	143,717	-	(D)	(D)	13,413	24,699	103,865
Irrigated ..... farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres	29	19	-	3	1	5	5	5
25 to 99 acres	10	9	-	-	-	-	5	4
100 to 249 acres	4	2	-	-	-	1	1	-
250 to 499 acres	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	2
500 acres or more	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Peanuts for nuts ..... farms	128	110	-	12	14	26	35	23
acres	48,306	46,998	-	7,474	3,884	9,786	15,375	10,479
pounds	212,203,138	207,599,107	-	27,682,441	17,985,563	45,034,531	69,146,014	47,750,558
Irrigated ..... farms	39	38	-	2	4	14	12	6
acres	11,127	(D)	-	(D)	(D)	4,902	3,090	1,205
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres	21	13	-	-	2	1	3	7
25 to 99 acres	9	4	-	-	-	1	1	2
100 to 249 acres	21	17	-	-	5	3	6	3
250 to 499 acres	44	43	-	6	4	16	12	5
500 acres or more	33	33	-	6	3	5	13	6
Rice ..... farms	259	235	1	14	27	71	77	45
acres	129,405	(D)	(D)	3,739	23,126	35,482	(D)	(D)
cwt	9,315,302	8,770,777	(D)	255,527	1,721,634	2,617,121	(D)	(D)

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[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	165	-	8	35	57	36	29
	number	551,152	-	141	187,105	141,732	100,611	121,563
Pullets for laying flock replacement sold	farms	27	-	-	1	12	7	7
	number	533,651	-	-	(D)	236,396	108,170	(D)
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold	farms	216	-	15	32	66	61	42
	number	88,786,923	-	4,893,834	12,272,164	24,656,758	23,400,280	23,563,887
Farms with-								
1 to 1,999		38	-	3	3	18	9	5
2,000 to 59,999		2	-	-	2	-	-	-
60,000 to 99,999		2	-	-	-	-	-	2
100,000 or more		174	-	12	27	48	52	35
Turkeys inventory (see text)	farms	148	-	16	17	36	49	30
	number	982	-	76	62	350	322	172
Turkeys sold (see text)	farms	18	-	2	4	8	2	2
	number	175	-	(D)	6	76	(D)	(D)
CROPS HARVESTED								
Corn for grain	farms	456	-	39	48	105	121	143
	acres	57,473	-	1,341	3,535	20,058	17,508	15,031
	bushels	8,365,911	-	162,298	502,379	2,782,296	2,738,946	2,179,992
Irrigated	farms	95	-	12	11	26	24	22
	acres	26,670	-	446	1,728	12,517	6,795	5,184
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres		239	-	17	27	54	59	82
25 to 99 acres		109	-	21	10	21	24	33
100 to 249 acres		50	-	1	8	11	20	10
250 to 499 acres		26	-	-	2	6	10	8
500 acres or more		32	-	-	1	13	8	10
Corn for silage or greenchop	farms	32	-	-	2	8	9	13
	acres	1,151	-	-	(D)	(D)	646	362
	tons	12,957	-	-	(D)	(D)	7,792	3,086
Irrigated	farms	3	-	-	-	1	-	2
	acres	(D)	-	-	-	(D)	-	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres		21	-	-	-	8	4	9
25 to 99 acres		7	-	-	2	-	2	3
100 to 249 acres		3	-	-	-	-	2	1
250 to 499 acres		1	-	-	-	-	1	-
500 acres or more		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cotton, all	farms	150	-	15	26	18	23	68
	acres	35,639	-	1,784	2,322	7,510	13,182	10,841
	bales	71,254	-	3,108	4,271	15,358	29,155	19,362
Irrigated	farms	28	-	4	4	5	9	6
	acres	12,597	-	525	360	4,338	4,319	3,055
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres		34	-	4	2	7	5	16
25 to 99 acres		52	-	4	15	1	2	30
100 to 249 acres		29	-	6	9	2	5	7
250 to 499 acres		14	-	1	-	2	3	8
500 acres or more		21	-	-	-	6	8	7
Dry edible beans, excluding limas	farms	4	-	-	-	2	-	2
	acres	108	-	-	-	(D)	-	(D)
	cwt	1,722	-	-	-	(D)	-	(D)
Irrigated	farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres		2	-	-	-	2	-	-
25 to 99 acres		2	-	-	-	-	-	2
100 to 249 acres		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
250 to 499 acres		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
500 acres or more		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Oats for grain	farms	13	-	-	2	-	2	9
	acres	356	-	-	(D)	-	(D)	100
	bushels	13,875	-	-	(D)	-	(D)	8,750
Irrigated	farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres		10	-	-	-	-	2	8
25 to 99 acres		1	-	-	-	-	-	1
100 to 249 acres		2	-	-	2	-	-	-
250 to 499 acres		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
500 acres or more		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Peanuts for nuts	farms	18	-	2	2	3	8	3
	acres	1,308	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	668	168
	pounds	4,604,031	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Irrigated	farms	1	-	-	-	1	-	-
	acres	(D)	-	-	-	(D)	-	-
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres		8	-	-	-	2	4	2
25 to 99 acres		5	-	2	2	-	1	-
100 to 249 acres		4	-	-	-	1	2	1
250 to 499 acres		1	-	-	-	-	1	-
500 acres or more		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rice	farms	24	-	-	3	9	5	7
	acres	(D)	-	-	600	5,126	(D)	(D)
	cwt	544,525	-	-	46,150	323,420	118,074	56,881

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

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Item	Total farming and other occupations	Farming						
		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
CROPS HARVESTED - Con.								
Rice - Con.								
Irrigated ..... farms	259	235	1	14	27	71	77	45
acres	129,405	(D)	(D)	3,739	23,126	35,482	(D)	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres	5	4	-	-	-	1	-	3
25 to 99 acres	24	20	-	4	1	13	1	1
100 to 249 acres	94	80	1	1	5	18	40	15
250 to 499 acres	60	58	-	8	13	15	14	8
500 acres or more	76	73	-	1	8	24	22	18
Sorghum for grain ..... farms	217	178	-	2	26	55	49	46
acres	46,412	42,712	-	(D)	(D)	15,426	10,650	8,179
bushels	3,920,356	3,623,029	-	(D)	663,958	1,319,433	962,517	(D)
Irrigated ..... farms	28	23	-	1	1	9	8	4
acres	4,242	3,761	-	(D)	(D)	1,506	1,882	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres	37	21	-	-	5	5	1	10
25 to 99 acres	42	32	-	1	5	7	11	8
100 to 249 acres	65	55	-	-	5	17	19	14
250 to 499 acres	47	45	-	1	4	16	15	9
500 acres or more	26	25	-	-	7	10	3	5
Soybeans for beans ..... farms	3,274	2,392	21	134	262	528	755	692
acres	1,956,477	1,745,126	4,968	89,778	229,031	416,350	613,187	391,812
bushels	86,976,455	78,725,437	167,509	4,253,365	10,570,469	18,848,209	27,130,529	17,755,356
Irrigated ..... farms	1,152	989	4	60	135	240	324	226
acres	863,200	801,888	789	42,756	118,944	196,141	270,525	172,733
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres	310	140	-	-	15	20	31	74
25 to 99 acres	679	360	6	9	37	65	89	154
100 to 249 acres	612	408	12	33	42	72	120	129
250 to 499 acres	482	406	-	29	35	87	148	107
500 acres or more	1,191	1,078	3	63	133	284	367	228
Sunflower seed, all ..... farms	4	1	-	-	1	-	-	-
acres	35	(D)	-	-	(D)	-	-	-
pounds	52,540	(D)	-	-	(D)	-	-	-
Irrigated ..... farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres	4	1	-	-	1	-	-	-
25 to 99 acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
100 to 249 acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
250 to 499 acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
500 acres or more	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wheat for grain, all ..... farms	1,247	979	3	72	100	212	314	278
acres	346,310	297,500	90	18,845	30,804	69,984	99,314	78,463
bushels	19,615,783	17,067,005	4,500	997,518	1,753,684	4,034,755	5,771,352	4,505,196
Irrigated ..... farms	83	76	-	7	10	20	25	14
acres	13,895	12,802	-	660	543	5,547	4,762	1,290
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres	85	52	-	3	10	6	8	25
25 to 99 acres	307	200	3	15	26	42	53	61
100 to 249 acres	400	335	-	26	32	78	106	93
250 to 499 acres	275	241	-	20	17	46	93	65
500 acres or more	180	151	-	8	15	40	54	34
Forage-land used for all hay and all haylage, grass silage, and greenchop (see text) ..... farms	11,948	6,018	33	134	320	799	1,680	3,052
acres	634,505	375,431	3,654	7,934	23,883	62,879	108,181	168,900
tons, dry	1,494,791	943,318	11,323	19,595	62,181	158,100	283,941	408,178
Irrigated ..... farms	102	75	-	6	7	10	27	25
acres	3,447	2,372	-	(D)	505	(D)	533	1,074
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres	4,827	2,108	8	47	101	252	590	1,110
25 to 99 acres	5,356	2,787	13	64	137	337	748	1,488
100 to 249 acres	1,480	917	7	19	63	161	284	383
250 to 499 acres	234	172	5	4	19	35	47	62
500 acres or more	51	34	-	-	-	14	11	9
Alfalfa hay ..... farms	119	49	-	-	-	9	15	25
acres	2,823	1,102	-	-	-	221	327	554
tons, dry	7,234	3,553	-	-	-	477	847	2,229
Irrigated ..... farms	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
acres	(D)	(D)	-	-	-	-	-	(D)
Other tame hay ..... farms	8,661	4,510	26	102	246	609	1,265	2,262
acres	467,708	284,014	2,840	6,257	18,889	46,306	83,259	126,463
tons, dry	1,191,065	767,541	9,481	16,485	53,271	124,596	231,627	332,081
Irrigated ..... farms	85	65	-	6	6	8	23	22
acres	2,961	1,965	-	(D)	500	(D)	508	715
Field and grass seed crops, all ..... farms	15	11	-	-	-	6	2	3
acres	347	251	-	-	-	159	(D)	(D)
Irrigated ..... farms	2	2	-	-	-	-	2	-
acres	(D)	(D)	-	-	-	-	(D)	-
Land in vegetables (see text) ..... farms	1,210	663	3	27	58	124	212	239
acres	28,703	24,344	2	1,088	4,200	9,733	7,195	2,127
Irrigated ..... farms	269	160	-	9	18	26	67	40
acres	2,735	2,497	-	38	435	451	1,446	127
Farms by acres harvested:								
0.1 to 4.9 acres	825	413	3	11	33	65	124	177
5.0 to 24.9 acres	272	159	-	9	9	27	63	51
25.0 to 99.9 acres	46	40	-	3	3	12	14	8

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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.							
Rice - Con.							
Irrigated ..... farms	24	-	-	3	9	5	7
acres	(D)	-	-	600	5,126	(D)	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres	1	-	-	-	-	1	-
25 to 99 acres	4	-	-	-	2	-	2
100 to 249 acres	14	-	-	3	5	1	5
250 to 499 acres	2	-	-	-	-	2	-
500 acres or more	3	-	-	-	2	1	-
Sorghum for grain ..... farms	39	-	3	2	13	13	8
acres	3,700	-	(D)	(D)	2,292	722	582
bushels	297,327	-	(D)	(D)	189,434	54,556	46,377
Irrigated ..... farms	5	-	-	-	-	1	4
acres	481	-	-	-	-	(D)	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres	16	-	3	2	3	5	3
25 to 99 acres	10	-	-	-	2	6	2
100 to 249 acres	10	-	-	-	5	2	3
250 to 499 acres	2	-	-	-	2	-	-
500 acres or more	1	-	-	-	1	-	-
Soybeans for beans ..... farms	882	5	75	104	175	277	246
acres	211,351	158	24,735	19,892	49,425	62,852	54,289
bushels	8,251,018	6,320	718,961	763,216	2,243,403	2,424,520	2,094,598
Irrigated ..... farms	163	-	20	26	34	55	28
acres	61,312	-	7,107	3,969	18,051	18,123	14,062
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres	170	-	7	27	18	64	54
25 to 99 acres	319	5	17	30	81	98	88
100 to 249 acres	204	-	20	30	37	55	62
250 to 499 acres	76	-	19	5	17	25	10
500 acres or more	113	-	12	12	22	35	32
Sunflower seed, all ..... farms	3	-	-	-	-	3	-
acres	(D)	-	-	-	-	(D)	-
pounds	(D)	-	-	-	-	(D)	-
Irrigated ..... farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres	3	-	-	-	-	3	-
25 to 99 acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
100 to 249 acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
250 to 499 acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
500 acres or more	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wheat for grain, all ..... farms	268	-	26	39	62	96	45
acres	48,810	-	6,435	2,938	8,085	22,705	8,647
bushels	2,548,778	-	354,920	140,884	414,708	1,234,083	404,183
Irrigated ..... farms	7	-	-	-	3	1	3
acres	1,093	-	-	-	(D)	(D)	789
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres	33	-	3	2	10	15	3
25 to 99 acres	107	-	8	24	29	25	21
100 to 249 acres	65	-	10	13	11	24	7
250 to 499 acres	34	-	-	-	10	15	9
500 acres or more	29	-	5	-	2	17	5
Forage-land used for all hay and all haylage, grass silage, and greenchop (see text) ..... farms	5,930	15	269	707	1,395	1,962	1,582
acres	259,074	1,088	11,860	31,584	58,033	85,717	70,792
tons, dry	551,473	2,701	28,949	63,702	130,953	186,481	138,687
Irrigated ..... farms	27	-	-	1	9	11	6
acres	1,075	-	-	(D)	(D)	749	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres	2,719	3	133	324	638	884	737
25 to 99 acres	2,569	4	98	306	602	866	693
100 to 249 acres	563	8	35	62	146	192	120
250 to 499 acres	62	-	3	11	7	18	23
500 acres or more	17	-	-	4	2	2	9
Alfalfa hay ..... farms	70	-	-	10	18	25	17
acres	1,721	-	-	256	309	801	355
tons, dry	3,681	-	-	256	784	1,866	775
Irrigated ..... farms	1	-	-	-	-	1	-
acres	(D)	-	-	-	-	(D)	-
Other tame hay ..... farms	4,151	14	221	502	1,041	1,349	1,024
acres	183,694	1,038	8,647	21,871	43,739	59,509	48,890
tons, dry	423,524	2,551	22,534	48,185	105,237	139,405	105,612
Irrigated ..... farms	20	-	-	1	7	9	3
acres	996	-	-	(D)	(D)	709	(D)
Field and grass seed crops, all ..... farms	4	-	-	-	4	-	-
acres	96	-	-	-	96	-	-
Irrigated ..... farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Land in vegetables (see text) ..... farms	547	3	35	50	137	155	167
acres	4,359	1	625	691	631	806	1,605
Irrigated ..... farms	109	-	7	15	26	35	26
acres	239	-	11	31	91	57	49
Farms by acres harvested:							
0.1 to 4.9 acres	412	3	21	37	99	122	130
5.0 to 24.9 acres	113	-	10	10	34	31	28
25.0 to 99.9 acres	6	-	-	1	3	-	2

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

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

Item	Total farming and other occupations	Farming						
		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
CROPS HARVESTED - Con.								
Land in vegetables (see text) - Con.								
Farms by acres harvested: - Con.								
100.0 to 249.9 acres	38	25	-	4	9	7	4	1
250.0 acres or more	29	26	-	-	4	13	7	2
Beans, snap ... farms	470	252	3	4	20	29	91	105
acres	(D)	(D)	1	(Z)	(D)	15	264	56
Harvested for processing ... farms	26	12	-	-	-	1	5	6
acres	(D)	(D)	-	-	-	(D)	(D)	1
Peas, green ... farms	28	14	-	-	4	-	7	3
acres	65	45	-	-	(Z)	-	40	4
Harvested for processing ... farms	3	1	-	-	-	-	1	-
acres	(D)	(D)	-	-	-	-	(D)	-
Potatoes ... farms	305	172	-	2	21	19	66	64
acres	229	169	-	(D)	(D)	22	80	54
Harvested for processing ... farms	21	15	-	-	2	1	7	5
acres	71	66	-	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:								
0.1 to 4.9 acres	297	164	-	2	20	17	65	60
5.0 to 24.9 acres	7	7	-	-	1	2	-	4
25.0 to 99.9 acres	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	-
100.0 to 249.9 acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
250.0 acres or more	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sweet corn ... farms	530	284	-	3	16	39	113	113
acres	1,065	750	-	(D)	(D)	97	451	172
Harvested for processing ... farms	48	20	-	-	-	1	11	8
acres	296	(D)	-	-	-	(D)	(D)	(D)
Sweet potatoes ... farms	89	67	-	12	12	23	17	3
acres	22,172	19,610	-	(D)	3,540	9,032	4,808	(D)
Harvested for processing ... farms	40	29	-	4	4	14	5	2
acres	5,435	4,747	-	397	480	2,808	(D)	(D)
Tomatoes in the open ... farms	627	336	3	9	25	51	103	145
acres	444	306	1	2	39	48	94	123
Harvested for processing ... farms	30	21	-	3	-	2	6	10
acres	17	12	-	(D)	-	(D)	9	2
Land in orchards ... farms	788	383	3	5	27	40	110	198
acres	9,843	5,780	12	25	537	740	1,585	2,881
Irrigated ... farms	115	63	-	-	3	10	23	27
acres	1,530	994	-	-	30	88	311	565
Farms by bearing and nonbearing acres:								
0.1 to 4.9 acres	401	209	3	4	10	19	55	118
5.0 to 24.9 acres	300	124	-	1	11	15	41	56
25.0 to 99.9 acres	70	36	-	-	4	4	11	17
100.0 to 249.9 acres	13	10	-	-	2	1	2	5
250.0 acres or more	4	4	-	-	-	1	1	2
Apples ... farms	132	62	-	-	-	8	27	27
bearing and nonbearing acres	111	73	-	-	-	18	18	37
Grapes ... farms	144	83	3	-	1	5	23	51
bearing and nonbearing acres	260	216	(D)	-	(D)	14	153	46
Peaches, all ... farms	194	95	-	2	6	11	23	53
bearing and nonbearing acres	435	248	-	(D)	38	(D)	(D)	136
Citrus fruit, all ... farms	53	24	-	-	3	3	4	14
bearing and nonbearing acres	246	163	-	-	3	2	(D)	(D)
Pecans ... farms	570	276	3	3	21	28	79	142
bearing and nonbearing acres	8,482	4,903	9	23	462	662	1,177	2,570
Walnuts, English ... farms	4	2	-	-	-	-	-	2
bearing and nonbearing acres	(D)	(D)	-	-	-	-	-	(D)
Land in berries (see text) ... farms	493	257	-	7	16	36	84	114
acres	2,675	1,865	-	8	117	361	773	606

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

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

Item		Other occupations						
		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
CROPS HARVESTED - Con.								
Land in vegetables (see text) - Con.								
Farms by acres harvested: - Con.								
100.0 to 249.9 acres	farms	13	-	4	1	1	1	6
250.0 acres or more	farms	3	-	-	1	-	1	1
Beans, snap	farms	218	3	17	9	49	51	89
	acres	122	1	4	4	26	21	65
Harvested for processing	farms	14	3	1	-	2	5	3
	acres	6	1	(D)	-	(D)	1	2
Peas, green	farms	14	-	-	-	4	4	6
	acres	20	-	-	-	11	(D)	(D)
Harvested for processing	farms	2	-	-	-	-	-	2
	acres	(D)	-	-	-	-	-	(D)
Potatoes	farms	133	-	7	6	34	35	51
	acres	60	-	2	2	9	20	26
Harvested for processing	farms	6	-	-	-	-	3	3
	acres	5	-	-	-	-	2	3
Farms by acres harvested:								
0.1 to 4.9 acres	farms	133	-	7	6	34	35	51
5.0 to 24.9 acres	farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
25.0 to 99.9 acres	farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
100.0 to 249.9 acres	farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
250.0 acres or more	farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sweet corn	farms	246	-	21	21	61	60	83
	acres	315	-	21	49	75	56	115
Harvested for processing	farms	28	-	3	1	10	7	7
	acres	(D)	-	(Z)	(D)	13	14	9
Sweet potatoes	farms	22	-	4	2	5	4	7
	acres	2,562	-	511	(D)	210	(D)	979
Harvested for processing	farms	11	-	-	2	3	2	4
	acres	688	-	-	(D)	92	(D)	248
Tomatoes in the open	farms	291	-	15	23	77	83	93
	acres	138	-	5	6	49	32	46
Harvested for processing	farms	9	-	-	-	3	4	2
	acres	5	-	-	-	4	(D)	(D)
Land in orchards	farms	405	-	9	39	75	136	146
	acres	4,064	-	16	438	841	1,281	1,488
Irrigated	farms	52	-	-	9	5	28	10
	acres	536	-	-	11	(D)	(D)	168
Farms by bearing and nonbearing acres:								
0.1 to 4.9 acres	farms	192	-	9	26	35	57	65
5.0 to 24.9 acres	farms	176	-	-	9	36	66	65
25.0 to 99.9 acres	farms	34	-	-	3	2	13	16
100.0 to 249.9 acres	farms	3	-	-	1	2	-	-
250.0 acres or more	farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Apples	farms	70	-	1	11	14	25	19
	bearing and nonbearing acres	38	-	(D)	(D)	7	15	(D)
Grapes	farms	61	-	-	12	5	26	18
	bearing and nonbearing acres	44	-	-	7	2	10	26
Peaches, all	farms	99	-	1	11	19	34	34
	bearing and nonbearing acres	187	-	(D)	(D)	18	91	74
Citrus fruit, all	farms	29	-	1	6	3	18	1
	bearing and nonbearing acres	83	-	(D)	14	(D)	40	(D)
Pecans	farms	294	-	6	18	65	94	111
	bearing and nonbearing acres	3,579	-	12	396	773	1,075	1,324
Walnuts, English	farms	2	-	-	2	-	-	-
	bearing and nonbearing acres	(D)	-	-	(D)	-	-	-
Land in berries (see text)	farms	236	-	18	23	58	76	61
	acres	810	-	178	19	266	214	134

[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.