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

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

Item	Total farming and other occupations	Farming						
		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS								
Farms ..... number	59,309	30,638	274	2,668	3,912	6,068	7,567	10,149
percent	100.0	51.7	0.5	4.5	6.6	10.2	12.8	17.1
Land in farms ..... acres	7,704,444	5,311,158	27,280	292,259	656,705	1,181,268	1,561,330	1,592,316
Average size of farm ..... acres	130	173	100	110	168	195	206	157
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS								
Total ..... farms	59,309	30,638	274	2,668	3,912	6,068	7,567	10,149
$1,000	7,487,141	6,620,600	50,640	594,581	1,156,889	1,892,011	1,933,355	993,125
Average per farm ..... dollars	126,240	216,091	184,818	222,856	295,728	311,801	255,498	97,854
Farms by economic class:								
Less than $1,000 (see text)	11,540	4,001	16	150	303	804	1,073	1,655
$1,000 to $2,499	5,698	1,783	8	41	117	254	495	868
$2,500 to $4,999	6,087	2,044	8	86	131	299	500	1,020
$5,000 to $9,999	6,808	2,672	13	88	169	401	655	1,346
$10,000 to $24,999	8,233	3,787	23	186	280	524	922	1,852
$25,000 to $49,999	4,973	2,816	18	216	307	463	714	1,098
$50,000 to $99,999	4,063	2,844	33	315	438	577	713	768
$100,000 to $249,999	5,604	4,906	111	873	1,039	1,115	1,030	738
$250,000 to $499,999	3,349	3,076	34	508	665	828	623	418
$500,000 to $999,999	1,680	1,526	6	143	277	456	451	193
$1,000,000 or more	1,274	1,183	4	62	186	347	391	193
$1,000,000 to $2,499,999	962	895	3	50	140	260	290	152
$2,500,000 to $4,999,999	208	196	1	9	29	56	72	29
$5,000,000 or more	104	92	-	3	17	31	29	12
Total sales ..... farms	59,309	30,638	274	2,668	3,912	6,068	7,567	10,149
$1,000	7,400,781	6,556,269	50,454	591,627	1,149,197	1,876,404	1,912,885	975,702
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas ..... farms	19,074	13,223	145	1,452	2,041	2,854	3,153	3,578
$1,000	1,210,869	1,043,034	4,097	58,905	154,650	258,209	326,668	240,505
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	5,072	4,239	20	265	624	1,032	1,252	1,046
$1,000	1,004,463	900,540	2,178	41,785	132,864	226,878	293,708	203,127
Corn ..... farms	17,163	12,111	134	1,333	1,876	2,628	2,908	3,232
$1,000	800,827	687,413	3,032	41,540	102,371	168,107	216,516	155,847
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	3,601	3,078	11	178	457	744	963	725
$1,000	604,305	545,851	1,218	25,795	80,923	135,389	183,281	119,246
Wheat ..... farms	3,948	3,058	17	212	397	718	837	877
$1,000	63,847	56,926	96	2,311	8,433	14,123	18,167	13,798
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	262	253	-	5	34	63	98	53
$1,000	29,220	27,810	-	481	4,236	7,547	9,866	5,679
Soybeans ..... farms	7,362	5,394	55	504	757	1,214	1,460	1,404
$1,000	309,882	268,350	854	13,191	38,943	68,281	83,791	63,290
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	1,510	1,331	3	53	182	334	405	354
$1,000	215,649	197,288	223	5,806	28,750	52,115	64,597	45,797
Sorghum ..... farms	418	326	10	57	62	77	67	53
$1,000	2,844	2,357	32	254	640	330	576	525
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	7	5	-	1	1	-	2	1
$1,000	854	(D)	-	(D)	(D)	-	(D)	(D)
Barley ..... farms	2,350	1,926	22	214	310	478	534	368
$1,000	15,714	13,689	48	962	2,637	3,297	4,018	2,727
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	21	20	-	1	2	6	3	8
$1,000	1,877	(D)	-	(D)	(D)	398	211	824
Rice ..... farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
$1,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
$1,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas ..... farms	5,063	3,424	27	244	382	746	897	1,128
$1,000	17,755	14,299	36	647	1,626	4,071	3,600	4,319
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	22	22	-	-	2	8	4	8
$1,000	2,462	2,462	-	-	(D)	1,095	(D)	966
Tobacco ..... farms	1,312	1,221	38	353	407	259	114	50
$1,000	40,379	38,581	(D)	10,062	12,382	9,762	3,991	(D)
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	203	195	3	45	41	78	20	8
$1,000	13,648	13,069	150	2,730	2,629	5,298	1,718	544
Cotton and cottonseed ..... farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
$1,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
$1,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes ..... farms	3,995	2,791	39	433	575	600	647	497
$1,000	140,875	123,316	1,497	10,949	23,056	31,426	34,059	22,328
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	551	511	13	66	95	122	128	87
$1,000	101,337	92,817	1,138	5,176	16,891	24,885	26,866	17,861
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries ..... farms	3,147	1,807	14	158	270	379	469	517
$1,000	160,501	134,522	67	3,864	8,564	28,923	59,361	33,742
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	405	321	-	17	31	67	122	84
$1,000	138,379	121,299	-	3,222	7,179	25,661	55,987	29,250
Fruits and tree nuts ..... farms	1,796	997	6	38	101	193	288	371
$1,000	148,473	126,302	38	3,364	7,600	26,625	56,808	31,867
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	365	293	-	15	30	64	108	76
$1,000	132,826	117,035	-	3,035	6,876	24,582	54,371	28,171
Berries ..... farms	1,716	1,051	8	128	207	240	250	218
$1,000	12,028	8,220	29	501	965	2,298	2,553	1,875
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	48	34	-	2	3	6	16	7
$1,000	4,356	3,190	-	(D)	(D)	851	1,266	667
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod (see text) ..... farms	3,012	1,908	18	221	335	442	540	352
$1,000	944,883	811,343	4,743	19,942	77,658	236,824	398,422	73,755
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	846	631	8	44	91	186	213	89
$1,000	912,342	790,928	4,654	16,666	73,709	232,602	393,295	70,003

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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	28,671	152	1,815	3,634	7,834	8,660	6,576
percent	48.3	0.3	3.1	6.1	13.2	14.6	11.1
Land in farms ..... acres	2,393,286	8,155	104,318	255,959	619,364	772,401	633,089
Average size of farm ..... acres	83	54	57	70	79	89	96
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS							
Total ..... farms	28,671	152	1,815	3,634	7,834	8,660	6,576
$1,000	866,541	4,476	72,478	130,070	258,588	258,385	142,544
Average per farm ..... dollars	30,224	29,446	39,933	35,792	33,008	29,837	21,676
Farms by economic class:							
Less than $1,000 (see text)	7,539	14	326	905	2,129	2,331	1,834
$1,000 to $2,499	3,915	14	233	468	988	1,199	1,013
$2,500 to $4,999	4,043	29	240	455	1,061	1,222	1,036
$5,000 to $9,999	4,136	24	254	526	1,160	1,189	983
$10,000 to $24,999	4,446	37	314	583	1,217	1,345	950
$25,000 to $49,999	2,157	18	198	274	610	644	413
$50,000 to $99,999	1,219	9	120	203	358	364	165
$100,000 to $249,999	698	1	80	134	169	203	111
$250,000 to $499,999	273	6	23	55	68	87	34
$500,000 to $999,999	154	-	15	19	46	48	26
$1,000,000 or more	91	-	12	12	28	28	11
$1,000,000 to $2,499,999	67	-	12	9	20	19	7
$2,500,000 to $4,999,999	12	-	-	1	4	5	2
$5,000,000 or more	12	-	-	2	4	4	2
Total sales ..... farms	28,671	152	1,815	3,634	7,834	8,660	6,576
$1,000	844,512	4,463	71,581	127,961	253,942	251,547	135,018
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas ..... farms	5,851	59	590	850	1,669	1,722	961
$1,000	167,835	2,239	17,595	24,316	46,940	51,426	25,320
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	833	7	91	128	239	244	124
$1,000	103,923	1,360	11,156	15,335	28,692	32,699	14,681
Corn ..... farms	5,052	50	527	740	1,451	1,491	793
$1,000	113,414	1,546	13,147	16,985	31,189	33,550	16,996
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	523	3	61	77	155	151	76
$1,000	58,454	781	7,319	9,002	15,336	17,873	8,143
Wheat ..... farms	890	10	88	129	234	275	154
$1,000	6,920	143	473	736	1,765	2,652	1,151
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	9	-	-	1	2	5	1
$1,000	1,410	-	-	(D)	(D)	998	(D)
Soybeans ..... farms	1,968	29	206	294	538	581	320
$1,000	41,532	500	3,575	6,012	12,400	12,707	6,338
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	179	3	15	29	49	54	29
$1,000	18,362	190	1,126	2,383	5,978	6,019	2,665
Sorghum ..... farms	92	-	2	5	35	34	16
$1,000	487	-	(D)	(D)	103	289	72
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	2	-	-	-	-	2	-
$1,000	(D)	-	-	-	-	(D)	-
Barley ..... farms	424	2	45	50	123	145	59
$1,000	2,025	(D)	(D)	(D)	378	988	254
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	1	-	-	-	-	1	-
$1,000	(D)	-	-	-	-	(D)	-
Rice ..... farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
$1,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
$1,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas ..... farms	1,639	13	127	226	499	530	244
$1,000	3,457	(D)	(D)	359	1,106	1,239	509
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
$1,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tobacco ..... farms	91	-	28	13	31	17	2
$1,000	1,798	-	(D)	319	467	(D)	(D)
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	8	-	5	3	-	-	-
$1,000	579	-	375	204	-	-	-
Cotton and cottonseed ..... farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
$1,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
$1,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes ..... farms	1,204	11	188	201	356	299	149
$1,000	17,559	84	1,234	2,030	3,516	8,525	2,170
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	40	-	2	7	6	20	5
$1,000	8,520	-	(D)	(D)	827	6,201	900
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries ..... farms	1,340	14	118	168	383	393	264
$1,000	25,980	234	1,600	1,735	4,591	14,380	3,440
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	84	3	4	8	20	32	17
$1,000	17,080	169	1,286	744	1,900	11,352	1,631
Fruits and tree nuts ..... farms	799	6	38	90	210	277	178
$1,000	22,172	193	1,422	1,432	3,211	13,233	2,681
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	72	3	4	8	14	29	14
$1,000	15,791	169	1,281	739	1,408	10,870	1,324
Berries ..... farms	665	8	86	89	213	157	112
$1,000	3,808	42	178	303	1,380	1,147	759
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	14	-	-	-	6	5	3
$1,000	1,166	-	-	-	461	403	301
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod (see text) ..... farms	1,104	6	93	130	292	373	210
$1,000	133,540	72	2,730	5,324	31,814	55,580	38,021
Sales of $50,000 or more ..... farms	215	-	9	27	58	84	37
$1,000	121,413	-	1,774	3,929	28,215	51,708	35,787

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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
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS - Con.								
Total - Con.								
Total sales - Con.								
Cut Christmas trees and short-rotation woody crops ... farms	1,079	501	-	12	17	90	143	239
$1,000	21,148	17,887	-	139	812	6,787	5,811	4,338
Sales of $50,000 or more ... farms	65	56	-	-	4	19	16	17
$1,000	14,710	14,081	-	-	707	6,041	4,659	2,674
Cut Christmas trees ... farms	1,055	493	-	12	17	88	140	236
$1,000	21,016	17,824	-	139	812	6,765	(D)	(D)
Sales of $50,000 or more ... farms	64	55	-	-	4	19	15	17
$1,000	14,630	14,001	-	-	707	6,038	4,604	2,652
Short-rotation woody crops ... farms	37	14	-	-	-	4	6	4
$1,000	132	63	-	-	-	22	(D)	(D)
Sales of $50,000 or more ... farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
$1,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other crops and hay (see text) ... farms	19,844	10,204	75	590	935	1,811	2,614	4,179
$1,000	264,256	189,409	1,283	11,411	22,185	45,195	52,427	56,908
Sales of $50,000 or more ... farms	950	827	10	61	118	230	246	162
$1,000	103,664	92,746	607	5,784	12,455	26,194	27,785	19,922
Maple syrup (see text) ... farms	565	284	2	51	46	53	75	57
$1,000	2,999	1,462	(D)	(D)	225	252	333	(D)
Sales of $50,000 or more ... farms	10	5	-	-	1	1	1	2
$1,000	999	528	-	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Cattle and calves ... farms	19,381	13,182	164	1,715	2,229	2,822	2,973	3,279
$1,000	717,085	598,490	7,265	77,816	123,796	148,103	142,347	99,163
Sales of $50,000 or more ... farms	2,684	2,374	20	240	486	618	608	402
$1,000	514,683	439,092	5,095	52,554	94,568	112,906	107,408	66,561
Milk from cows (see text) ... farms	7,048	6,554	137	1,298	1,512	1,647	1,265	695
$1,000	1,966,892	1,902,074	22,795	262,998	379,686	503,922	460,885	271,788
Sales of $50,000 or more ... farms	6,477	6,141	130	1,219	1,411	1,573	1,178	630
$1,000	1,953,311	1,890,666	22,702	260,787	376,950	501,614	458,494	270,119
Hogs and pigs ... farms	2,672	1,464	24	169	267	405	321	278
$1,000	457,916	406,455	1,487	42,333	96,430	122,793	100,648	42,763
Sales of $50,000 or more ... farms	551	461	3	62	97	141	109	49
$1,000	450,572	401,360	1,303	42,112	95,525	121,535	99,481	41,405
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk (see text) ... farms	4,035	1,883	20	179	281	382	447	574
$1,000	15,840	9,708	47	1,120	1,246	1,780	2,038	3,478
Sales of $50,000 or more ... farms	32	24	-	5	3	7	5	4
$1,000	3,458	2,940	-	406	150	552	378	1,454
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys ... farms	3,174	1,855	25	329	382	387	390	342
$1,000	38,693	28,312	29	1,423	2,669	3,980	15,605	4,607
Sales of $50,000 or more ... farms	79	49	-	1	5	13	20	10
$1,000	20,210	17,060	-	(D)	(D)	1,545	12,663	2,343
Poultry and eggs ... farms	7,102	4,264	59	606	932	1,040	861	766
$1,000	1,362,039	1,204,941	6,169	89,311	240,224	466,433	293,194	109,609
Sales of $50,000 or more ... farms	1,217	1,032	5	114	239	320	246	108
$1,000	1,352,029	1,198,597	6,020	88,010	239,067	464,886	291,868	108,747
Aquaculture ... farms	223	130	-	2	9	34	28	57
$1,000	26,123	22,294	-	(D)	3,411	5,235	10,733	(D)
Sales of $50,000 or more ... farms	51	41	-	-	5	15	11	10
$1,000	24,283	21,366	-	-	3,388	5,060	10,589	2,328
Other animals and other animal products (see text) ... farms	1,982	1,014	10	92	182	255	253	222
$1,000	33,283	25,904	(D)	(D)	2,427	7,033	6,696	8,409
Sales of $50,000 or more ... farms	81	55	-	6	5	19	14	11
$1,000	25,700	21,352	-	1,106	1,450	5,778	5,548	7,469
Value of-								
Government payments ... farms	16,007	9,705	45	559	1,092	1,992	2,694	3,323
$1,000	86,359	64,331	186	2,954	7,692	15,607	20,470	17,423
Landlord's share of total sales (see text) ... farms	740	454	24	72	81	87	89	101
$1,000	10,649	9,252	450	3,438	805	1,936	1,609	1,015
Agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text) ... farms	7,577	4,193	41	489	684	892	1,009	1,078
$1,000	86,030	69,881	422	5,882	10,591	18,203	19,129	15,653
FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES								
Total farm production expenses [1] ... farms	59,309	30,638	274	2,668	3,912	6,068	7,567	10,149
$1,000	6,041,767	5,185,677	34,324	448,812	890,402	1,478,386	1,513,311	820,442
Average per farm ... dollars	101,869	169,256	125,269	168,220	227,608	243,636	199,988	80,840
Fertilizer, lime, and soil conditioners purchased ... farms	30,203	19,004	189	1,995	2,722	3,917	4,714	5,467
$1,000	351,184	302,926	1,157	16,230	47,912	85,283	89,042	63,303
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $4,999 ...	20,142	10,755	102	1,083	1,439	1,921	2,568	3,642
$5,000 to $24,999 ...	7,737	6,178	78	803	1,022	1,469	1,444	1,362
$25,000 to $49,999 ...	1,252	1,087	9	74	136	291	333	244
$50,000 or more ...	1,072	984	-	35	125	236	369	219
Chemicals purchased ... farms	28,795	18,403	191	1,921	2,708	3,876	4,560	5,147
$1,000	156,725	135,562	655	7,826	22,229	32,328	44,424	28,101
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $4,999 ...	23,399	13,733	150	1,572	1,979	2,661	3,202	4,169
$5,000 to $24,999 ...	4,190	3,570	36	300	566	953	977	738
$25,000 to $49,999 ...	714	646	5	36	101	150	214	140
$50,000 or more ...	492	454	-	13	62	112	167	100

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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
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS - Con.								
Total - Con.								
Total sales - Con.								
Cut Christmas trees and short-rotation woody crops	farms	578	-	8	48	152	204	166
	$1,000	3,261	-	(D)	362	779	1,175	(D)
Sales of $50,000 or more	farms	9	-	-	1	3	4	1
	$1,000	629	-	-	(D)	(D)	327	(D)
Cut Christmas trees	farms	562	-	8	47	143	200	164
	$1,000	3,192	-	(D)	(D)	745	1,150	(D)
Sales of $50,000 or more	farms	9	-	-	1	3	4	1
	$1,000	629	-	-	(D)	(D)	327	(D)
Short-rotation woody crops	farms	23	-	-	1	9	5	8
	$1,000	68	-	-	(D)	34	25	(D)
Sales of $50,000 or more	farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	$1,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other crops and hay (see text)	farms	9,640	47	519	1,160	2,662	3,110	2,142
	$1,000	74,846	354	3,713	9,109	20,552	24,351	16,768
Sales of $50,000 or more	farms	123	-	6	21	33	42	21
	$1,000	10,918	-	326	1,668	2,926	3,784	2,213
Maple syrup (see text)	farms	281	-	26	61	81	72	41
	$1,000	1,537	-	50	283	278	(D)	(D)
Sales of $50,000 or more	farms	5	-	-	2	-	2	1
	$1,000	471	-	-	(D)	-	(D)	(D)
Cattle and calves	farms	6,199	34	573	1,029	1,892	1,726	945
	$1,000	118,595	126	8,734	15,110	53,070	26,571	14,984
Sales of $50,000 or more	farms	310	-	36	75	82	77	40
	$1,000	75,591	-	4,408	8,469	40,496	13,556	8,661
Milk from cows (see text)	farms	494	12	84	107	117	112	62
	$1,000	64,817	141	6,793	12,709	14,613	20,686	9,875
Sales of $50,000 or more	farms	336	-	40	73	82	97	44
	$1,000	62,645	-	6,241	12,331	14,121	20,322	9,630
Hogs and pigs	farms	1,208	12	165	315	387	237	92
	$1,000	51,461	18	6,753	12,905	11,370	15,355	5,059
Sales of $50,000 or more	farms	90	-	12	22	23	25	8
	$1,000	49,212	-	6,288	12,559	10,764	14,676	4,925
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk (see text)	farms	2,152	21	210	437	675	505	304
	$1,000	6,132	62	655	1,131	1,977	1,443	865
Sales of $50,000 or more	farms	8	-	2	1	1	3	1
	$1,000	518	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	172	(D)
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	farms	1,319	14	125	231	392	356	201
	$1,000	10,381	16	441	1,450	3,156	3,270	2,049
Sales of $50,000 or more	farms	30	-	-	-	17	8	5
	$1,000	3,149	-	-	-	1,285	1,197	667
Poultry and eggs	farms	2,838	18	303	585	946	653	333
	$1,000	157,099	1,115	20,030	39,812	58,475	25,041	12,626
Sales of $50,000 or more	farms	185	3	29	42	59	35	17
	$1,000	153,431	1,106	19,257	39,253	57,492	24,120	12,204
Aquaculture	farms	93	-	7	8	22	23	33
	$1,000	3,828	-	(D)	741	853	(D)	(D)
Sales of $50,000 or more	farms	10	-	-	2	4	1	3
	$1,000	2,917	-	-	(D)	651	(D)	(D)
Other animals and other animal products (see text)	farms	968	9	72	172	298	254	163
	$1,000	7,379	2	500	907	1,770	2,067	2,133
Sales of $50,000 or more	farms	26	-	2	3	8	8	5
	$1,000	4,349	-	(D)	(D)	706	1,303	1,726
Value of-								
Government payments	farms	6,302	7	186	672	1,473	1,971	1,993
	$1,000	22,028	13	897	2,109	4,646	6,838	7,526
Landlord's share of total sales (see text)	farms	286	1	45	49	85	67	39
	$1,000	1,397	(D)	124	225	410	576	(D)
Agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text)	farms	3,384	37	300	563	1,118	938	428
	$1,000	16,149	118	1,064	2,226	4,655	6,340	1,746
FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES								
Total farm production expenses [1]	farms	28,671	152	1,815	3,634	7,834	8,660	6,576
	$1,000	856,090	4,369	65,889	128,213	259,325	248,258	150,036
Average per farm	dollars	29,859	28,741	36,303	35,281	33,103	28,667	22,816
Fertilizer, lime, and soil conditioners purchased	farms	11,199	79	972	1,594	3,195	3,411	1,948
	$1,000	48,258	450	3,905	6,254	11,612	15,611	10,427
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $4,999		9,387	68	786	1,368	2,686	2,819	1,660
$5,000 to $24,999		1,559	8	159	196	452	501	243
$25,000 to $49,999		165	-	20	17	40	58	30
$50,000 or more		88	3	7	13	17	33	15
Chemicals purchased	farms	10,392	76	880	1,425	2,901	3,204	1,906
	$1,000	21,163	166	1,735	2,547	4,592	9,106	3,016
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $4,999		9,666	70	824	1,316	2,701	2,973	1,782
$5,000 to $24,999		620	6	45	90	181	187	111
$25,000 to $49,999		68	-	8	12	12	26	10
$50,000 or more		38	-	3	7	7	18	3

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

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

Item	Total farming and other occupations	Farming						
		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES - Con.								
Total farm production expenses [1] - Con.								
Seeds, plants, vines, and trees purchased ..... farms	27,675	17,905	176	1,928	2,704	3,778	4,481	4,838
$1,000	262,539	228,063	1,050	13,673	33,630	66,010	73,960	39,740
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $999	9,929	4,424	20	253	382	713	1,181	1,875
$1,000 to $4,999	8,627	5,730	81	757	1,009	1,170	1,243	1,470
$5,000 to $24,999	7,236	6,060	72	841	1,074	1,471	1,467	1,135
$25,000 to $49,999	1,078	951	2	56	131	240	316	206
$50,000 or more	805	740	1	21	108	184	274	152
Livestock and poultry purchased or leased ..... farms	18,409	11,165	145	1,431	1,997	2,525	2,521	2,546
$1,000	502,633	397,716	2,984	42,546	84,565	122,971	92,900	51,751
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $4,999	11,466	5,880	59	693	927	1,190	1,362	1,649
$5,000 to $24,999	3,956	2,756	57	404	507	656	572	560
$25,000 to $99,999	1,808	1,485	23	226	326	371	337	202
$100,000 to $249,999	853	758	5	85	170	221	179	98
$250,000 or more	326	286	1	23	67	87	71	37
Breeding livestock purchased or leased ..... farms	8,489	5,594	97	834	1,088	1,279	1,121	1,175
$1,000	114,511	90,964	1,894	14,764	24,076	24,278	14,524	11,428
Other livestock and poultry purchased or leased (see text) ..... farms	12,736	7,470	83	918	1,351	1,688	1,757	1,673
$1,000	388,122	306,752	1,089	27,782	60,488	98,693	78,377	40,323
Feed purchased ..... farms	37,228	21,314	231	2,311	3,223	4,625	5,121	5,803
$1,000	1,832,951	1,654,753	14,067	196,305	350,420	498,568	395,608	199,783
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $4,999	20,138	8,471	35	476	677	1,398	2,246	3,639
$5,000 to $24,999	8,025	4,731	54	390	724	1,128	1,215	1,220
$25,000 to $99,999	5,549	4,886	111	925	1,096	1,218	937	599
$100,000 to $249,999	2,060	1,887	25	375	453	502	362	170
$250,000 or more	1,456	1,339	6	145	273	379	361	175
Gasoline, fuels, and oils purchased ..... farms	57,129	30,096	271	2,613	3,846	5,969	7,437	9,960
$1,000	312,238	264,576	1,946	18,863	37,474	68,385	86,188	51,720
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $4,999	44,837	19,535	135	1,335	1,962	3,340	4,788	7,975
$5,000 to $24,999	10,276	8,690	127	1,193	1,614	2,117	2,012	1,627
$25,000 to $49,999	1,267	1,179	3	60	198	327	375	216
$50,000 or more	749	692	6	25	72	185	262	142
Utilities ..... farms	39,053	23,753	190	2,174	3,198	4,961	5,940	7,290
$1,000	171,362	145,573	885	10,551	21,836	40,316	48,200	23,785
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $999	18,413	8,639	76	775	961	1,272	1,965	3,590
$1,000 to $4,999	13,584	8,839	64	647	1,145	1,898	2,331	2,754
$5,000 to $24,999	6,344	5,628	49	713	1,000	1,607	1,432	827
$25,000 to $49,999	423	382	-	25	58	105	119	75
$50,000 or more	289	265	1	14	34	79	93	44
Supplies, repairs, and maintenance costs ..... farms	48,928	27,290	232	2,462	3,608	5,448	6,802	8,738
$1,000	452,801	386,611	2,706	29,651	58,566	101,785	122,719	71,184
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $4,999	33,662	14,853	82	941	1,355	2,455	3,760	6,260
$5,000 to $24,999	11,555	8,996	119	1,261	1,690	2,001	2,015	1,910
$25,000 to $49,999	2,294	2,112	22	182	351	628	584	345
$50,000 or more	1,417	1,329	9	78	212	364	443	223
Hired farm labor ..... farms	14,954	10,759	121	1,371	1,502	2,446	2,686	2,633
$1,000	671,592	583,523	1,845	22,003	61,725	155,806	240,139	102,006
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $4,999	6,774	4,381	67	769	656	789	890	1,210
$5,000 to $24,999	4,258	3,183	47	384	457	797	790	708
$25,000 to $99,999	2,975	2,364	5	186	296	634	696	547
$100,000 to $249,999	590	501	1	26	61	126	194	93
$250,000 or more	357	330	1	6	32	100	116	75
Contract labor ..... farms	3,159	1,961	12	158	300	439	522	530
$1,000	66,165	56,999	428	2,163	5,520	10,415	32,728	5,743
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $999	800	384	-	37	41	63	94	149
$1,000 to $4,999	1,136	671	4	40	99	155	180	193
$5,000 to $24,999	862	619	5	55	112	129	168	150
$25,000 to $49,999	207	165	1	17	33	47	41	26
$50,000 or more	154	122	2	9	15	45	39	12
Customwork and custom hauling ..... farms	16,020	11,325	133	1,615	2,002	2,498	2,540	2,537
$1,000	135,685	120,440	737	13,710	21,752	32,971	32,565	18,704
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $999	4,750	2,512	36	246	309	389	552	980
$1,000 to $4,999	5,588	3,843	47	605	694	835	829	833
$5,000 to $24,999	4,642	3,988	47	652	816	988	907	578
$25,000 to $49,999	646	606	3	74	125	178	143	83
$50,000 or more	394	376	-	38	58	108	109	63
Cash rent for land, buildings, and grazing fees ..... farms	14,329	10,704	153	1,548	1,749	2,523	2,616	2,115
$1,000	180,008	162,717	2,301	20,386	30,521	42,752	42,398	24,358
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $4,999	8,184	5,329	40	544	810	1,231	1,359	1,345
$5,000 to $9,999	2,151	1,747	21	230	326	492	403	275
$10,000 to $24,999	2,513	2,246	80	591	369	463	469	274
$25,000 or more	1,481	1,382	12	183	244	337	385	221

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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	9,770	70	920	1,380	2,812	2,912	1,676
$1,000	34,477	308	2,920	4,289	9,293	12,152	5,515
Farms with expenses of-							
$1 to $999	5,505	23	451	766	1,616	1,635	1,014
$1,000 to $4,999	2,897	30	334	437	803	853	440
$5,000 to $24,999	1,176	14	127	157	330	360	188
$25,000 to $49,999	127	3	5	12	46	37	24
$50,000 or more	65	-	3	8	17	27	10
Livestock and poultry purchased or leased ..... farms	7,244	59	769	1,302	2,279	1,851	984
$1,000	104,917	266	7,692	29,700	43,897	13,491	9,871
Farms with expenses of-							
$1 to $4,999	5,586	49	565	942	1,813	1,444	773
$5,000 to $24,999	1,200	7	144	246	329	303	171
$25,000 to $99,999	323	3	46	85	89	80	20
$100,000 to $249,999	95	-	9	24	23	22	17
$250,000 or more	40	-	5	5	25	2	3
Breeding livestock purchased or leased ..... farms	2,895	28	359	575	839	715	379
$1,000	23,548	65	1,741	3,873	12,495	3,028	2,345
Other livestock and poultry purchased or leased (see text) ..... farms	5,266	45	541	950	1,710	1,329	691
$1,000	81,369	201	5,950	25,827	31,403	10,462	7,526
Feed purchased ..... farms	15,914	90	1,220	2,428	4,844	4,576	2,756
$1,000	178,198	907	20,785	29,645	62,620	41,953	22,288
Farms with expenses of-							
$1 to $4,999	11,667	71	824	1,757	3,551	3,407	2,057
$5,000 to $24,999	3,294	16	288	478	1,049	916	547
$25,000 to $99,999	663	-	74	129	157	186	117
$100,000 to $249,999	173	3	14	42	48	42	24
$250,000 or more	117	-	20	22	39	25	11
Gasoline, fuels, and oils purchased ..... farms	27,033	132	1,668	3,414	7,460	8,236	6,123
$1,000	47,662	215	2,873	6,589	13,285	15,880	8,820
Farms with expenses of-							
$1 to $4,999	25,302	119	1,542	3,148	6,983	7,691	5,819
$5,000 to $24,999	1,586	13	119	248	441	486	279
$25,000 to $49,999	88	-	7	11	20	34	16
$50,000 or more	57	-	-	7	16	25	9
Utilities ..... farms	15,300	76	880	1,872	4,267	4,755	3,450
$1,000	25,789	111	1,243	3,437	7,650	7,737	5,611
Farms with expenses of-							
$1 to $999	9,774	47	533	1,171	2,742	2,994	2,287
$1,000 to $4,999	4,745	23	300	583	1,311	1,515	1,013
$5,000 to $24,999	716	6	46	109	195	227	133
$25,000 to $49,999	41	-	1	6	10	12	12
$50,000 or more	24	-	-	3	9	7	5
Supplies, repairs, and maintenance costs ..... farms	21,638	116	1,365	2,690	5,981	6,621	4,865
$1,000	66,190	404	4,321	8,422	18,464	21,417	13,162
Farms with expenses of-							
$1 to $4,999	18,809	90	1,127	2,282	5,222	5,736	4,352
$5,000 to $24,999	2,559	23	222	379	677	804	454
$25,000 to $49,999	182	3	14	23	52	45	45
$50,000 or more	88	-	2	6	30	36	14
Hired farm labor ..... farms	4,195	26	306	443	1,116	1,321	983
$1,000	88,069	284	3,083	6,337	24,031	31,924	22,410
Farms with expenses of-							
$1 to $4,999	2,393	20	214	256	627	748	528
$5,000 to $24,999	1,075	4	57	133	284	315	282
$25,000 to $99,999	611	2	30	42	185	210	142
$100,000 to $249,999	89	-	5	10	13	35	26
$250,000 or more	27	-	-	2	7	13	5
Contract labor ..... farms	1,198	6	60	138	289	380	325
$1,000	9,167	25	466	845	2,299	2,971	2,561
Farms with expenses of-							
$1 to $999	416	-	21	59	101	131	104
$1,000 to $4,999	465	3	20	37	128	145	132
$5,000 to $24,999	243	3	14	33	41	83	69
$25,000 to $49,999	42	-	3	6	12	4	17
$50,000 or more	32	-	2	3	7	17	3
Customwork and custom hauling ..... farms	4,695	38	457	702	1,261	1,383	854
$1,000	15,245	150	1,478	2,809	4,725	3,617	2,467
Farms with expenses of-							
$1 to $999	2,238	14	191	331	577	716	409
$1,000 to $4,999	1,745	17	188	241	499	478	322
$5,000 to $24,999	654	7	73	125	164	172	113
$25,000 to $49,999	40	-	4	1	13	14	8
$50,000 or more	18	-	1	4	8	3	2
Cash rent for land, buildings, and grazing fees ..... farms	3,625	56	451	595	1,021	1,038	464
$1,000	17,292	148	2,416	2,154	4,948	4,892	2,734
Farms with expenses of-							
$1 to $4,999	2,855	47	324	480	799	825	380
$5,000 to $9,999	404	6	63	61	108	118	48
$10,000 to $24,999	267	3	45	46	80	68	25
$25,000 or more	99	-	19	8	34	27	11

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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.								
Rent and lease expenses for machinery, equipment, and farm share of vehicles ..... farms	4,685	3,679	73	801	848	785	693	479
$1,000	28,417	25,830	168	2,355	4,151	7,255	9,221	2,680
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $999	2,070	1,448	27	326	345	294	248	208
$1,000 to $4,999	1,787	1,508	37	382	369	313	244	163
$5,000 to $24,999	682	587	9	83	106	143	160	86
$25,000 to $49,999	74	67	-	6	12	18	18	13
$50,000 or more	72	69	-	4	16	17	23	9
Interest expense ..... farms	21,981	14,022	153	1,770	2,475	3,243	3,434	2,947
$1,000	257,009	199,945	1,213	20,642	40,894	50,511	52,734	33,953
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $4,999	10,624	6,090	77	747	801	1,249	1,538	1,678
$5,000 to $24,999	9,126	6,040	69	818	1,249	1,455	1,430	1,019
$25,000 to $99,999	2,018	1,696	7	191	396	494	398	210
$100,000 or more	213	196	-	14	29	45	68	40
Secured by real estate ..... farms	16,632	10,274	58	989	1,908	2,528	2,644	2,147
$1,000	198,016	151,506	671	14,104	30,959	38,167	40,794	26,811
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $999	2,124	1,106	4	58	87	236	304	417
$1,000 to $4,999	5,330	2,936	9	236	492	667	826	706
$5,000 to $24,999	7,530	4,840	43	558	1,019	1,219	1,169	832
$25,000 to $49,999	1,047	856	-	99	198	252	199	108
$50,000 or more	601	536	2	38	112	154	146	84
Not secured by real estate ..... farms	12,836	8,938	117	1,349	1,650	1,993	2,079	1,750
$1,000	58,993	48,439	542	6,538	9,934	12,344	11,940	7,142
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $999	4,047	2,411	25	296	350	478	580	682
$1,000 to $4,999	5,741	3,924	56	632	701	887	903	745
$5,000 to $24,999	2,744	2,325	34	393	551	554	519	274
$25,000 to $49,999	205	193	2	19	37	44	58	33
$50,000 or more	99	85	-	9	11	30	19	16
Property taxes paid ..... farms	55,523	28,269	155	1,820	3,456	5,750	7,225	9,863
$1,000	229,885	144,690	621	8,551	19,898	34,808	38,553	42,258
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $4,999	41,547	18,684	105	1,152	1,898	3,366	4,749	7,414
$5,000 to $9,999	10,038	6,569	41	510	1,169	1,554	1,627	1,668
$10,000 to $24,999	3,420	2,582	8	144	351	695	716	668
$25,000 or more	518	434	1	14	38	135	133	113
All other production expenses (see text) ..... farms	33,424	20,833	206	2,048	3,061	4,519	5,239	5,760
$1,000	430,573	375,754	1,559	23,358	49,309	128,223	111,933	61,373
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $4,999	22,853	12,133	102	984	1,575	2,251	2,982	4,239
$5,000 to $24,999	8,105	6,469	93	880	1,121	1,628	1,585	1,162
$25,000 to $49,999	1,342	1,203	9	130	212	356	323	173
$50,000 to $99,999	670	613	2	39	100	169	199	104
$100,000 or more	454	415	-	15	53	115	150	82
Production expenses paid by landlords [1] ..... farms	469	327	5	46	64	76	83	53
$1,000	3,814	3,456	29	198	1,808	424	652	345
Depreciation expenses claimed ..... farms	28,723	18,343	161	1,733	2,709	3,967	4,626	5,147
$1,000	515,339	428,159	3,301	38,539	70,016	118,877	119,357	78,069
NET CASH FARM INCOME (SEE TEXT)								
Net cash farm income of operations ..... farms	59,309	30,638	274	2,668	3,912	6,068	7,567	10,149
$1,000	1,755,111	1,662,863	16,826	159,631	306,583	470,015	482,510	227,298
Average per farm ..... dollars	29,593	54,275	61,407	59,832	78,370	77,458	63,765	22,396
Farms with net gains [2] ..... number	28,758	18,029	200	1,986	2,706	3,725	4,358	5,054
Average net gain ..... dollars	79,121	109,217	92,433	92,777	127,317	147,612	128,550	61,680
Gain of-								
Less than $1,000	2,063	702	4	20	39	93	178	368
$1,000 to $4,999	5,135	1,995	6	77	136	283	476	1,017
$5,000 to $9,999	3,618	1,701	6	127	153	237	429	749
$10,000 to $24,999	4,989	2,785	19	233	286	462	720	1,065
$25,000 to $49,999	3,817	2,781	57	416	465	579	652	612
$50,000 or more	9,136	8,065	108	1,113	1,627	2,071	1,903	1,243
Farms with net losses ..... number	30,551	12,609	74	682	1,206	2,343	3,209	5,095
Average net loss ..... dollars	17,029	24,285	22,446	36,105	31,456	34,076	24,216	16,572
Loss of-								
Less than $1,000	2,416	822	4	34	60	113	203	408
$1,000 to $4,999	9,390	3,182	17	107	269	402	783	1,604
$5,000 to $9,999	7,164	2,686	17	126	167	509	688	1,179
$10,000 to $24,999	6,920	3,133	21	158	352	608	837	1,157
$25,000 to $49,999	2,715	1,484	10	116	170	353	393	442
$50,000 or more	1,946	1,302	5	141	188	358	305	305
Net cash farm income of operators ..... farms	59,309	30,638	274	2,668	3,912	6,068	7,567	10,149
$1,000	1,534,971	1,476,374	15,827	135,588	270,991	424,094	428,106	201,769
Average per farm ..... dollars	25,881	48,188	57,761	50,820	69,272	69,890	56,575	19,881
Operators reporting net gains [2] ..... farms	28,664	17,965	195	1,973	2,716	3,714	4,321	5,046
Average net gain ..... dollars	71,883	99,497	89,699	81,678	113,576	135,319	118,216	56,871

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

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

Item		Other occupations						
		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES - Con.								
Total farm production expenses [1] - Con.								
Rent and lease expenses for machinery, equipment, and farm share of vehicles	farms	1,006	13	157	157	251	266	162
	$1,000	2,587	38	324	362	388	894	581
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $999		622	10	105	102	153	159	93
$1,000 to $4,999		279	-	34	38	78	82	47
$5,000 to $24,999		95	3	18	17	20	21	16
$25,000 to $49,999		7	-	-	-	-	2	5
$50,000 or more		3	-	-	-	-	2	1
Interest expense	farms	7,959	39	662	1,104	2,320	2,224	1,610
	$1,000	57,064	296	5,249	9,222	16,594	15,445	10,257
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $4,999		4,534	20	325	580	1,267	1,323	1,019
$5,000 to $24,999		3,086	16	303	451	965	827	524
$25,000 to $99,999		322	3	32	72	83	68	64
$100,000 or more		17	-	2	1	5	6	3
Secured by real estate	farms	6,358	27	524	901	1,893	1,787	1,226
	$1,000	46,510	249	4,453	7,386	13,844	12,375	8,203
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $999		1,018	-	41	139	256	333	249
$1,000 to $4,999		2,394	12	185	305	721	698	473
$5,000 to $24,999		2,690	12	265	401	853	703	456
$25,000 to $49,999		191	3	29	39	51	32	37
$50,000 or more		65	-	4	17	12	21	11
Not secured by real estate	farms	3,898	24	354	542	1,108	1,062	808
	$1,000	10,554	47	796	1,836	2,750	3,070	2,054
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $999		1,636	10	149	202	472	468	335
$1,000 to $4,999		1,817	14	168	278	511	455	391
$5,000 to $24,999		419	-	36	56	120	133	74
$25,000 to $49,999		12	-	1	-	3	1	7
$50,000 or more		14	-	-	6	2	5	1
Property taxes paid	farms	27,254	109	1,440	3,399	7,503	8,401	6,402
	$1,000	85,195	324	4,290	10,193	23,571	26,818	19,998
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $4,999		22,863	94	1,227	2,848	6,309	6,973	5,412
$5,000 to $9,999		3,469	13	162	459	952	1,150	733
$10,000 to $24,999		838	2	50	86	223	242	235
$25,000 or more		84	-	1	6	19	36	22
All other production expenses (see text)	farms	12,591	75	798	1,686	3,619	3,831	2,582
	$1,000	54,818	276	3,110	5,407	11,356	24,350	10,319
Farms with expenses of-								
$1 to $4,999		10,720	62	668	1,425	3,099	3,269	2,197
$5,000 to $24,999		1,636	13	112	234	447	483	347
$25,000 to $49,999		139	-	7	18	55	43	16
$50,000 to $99,999		57	-	8	7	12	18	12
$100,000 or more		39	-	3	2	6	18	10
Production expenses paid by landlords [1]	farms	142	-	15	14	41	44	28
	$1,000	358	-	22	82	112	87	54
Depreciation expenses claimed	farms	10,380	38	596	1,281	2,874	3,263	2,328
	$1,000	87,180	460	6,280	11,537	23,307	28,751	16,846
NET CASH FARM INCOME (SEE TEXT)								
Net cash farm income of operations	farms	28,671	152	1,815	3,634	7,834	8,660	6,576
	$1,000	92,248	382	11,387	8,772	11,844	41,733	18,131
Average per farm	dollars	3,217	2,511	6,274	2,414	1,512	4,819	2,757
Farms with net gains [2]	number	10,729	76	779	1,287	2,797	3,240	2,550
Average net gain	dollars	28,548	19,751	30,695	29,259	27,136	32,068	24,869
Gain of-								
Less than $1,000		1,361	13	82	132	373	380	381
$1,000 to $4,999		3,140	23	198	343	788	942	846
$5,000 to $9,999		1,917	7	118	225	486	617	464
$10,000 to $24,999		2,204	12	184	261	586	645	516
$25,000 to $49,999		1,036	11	99	146	300	306	174
$50,000 or more		1,071	10	98	180	264	350	169
Farms with net losses	number	17,942	76	1,036	2,347	5,037	5,420	4,026
Average net loss	dollars	11,930	14,729	12,090	12,307	12,717	11,470	11,248
Loss of-								
Less than $1,000		1,594	14	57	184	414	489	436
$1,000 to $4,999		6,208	20	287	786	1,585	2,019	1,511
$5,000 to $9,999		4,478	18	337	601	1,298	1,315	909
$10,000 to $24,999		3,787	15	233	507	1,170	1,086	776
$25,000 to $49,999		1,231	-	92	202	375	311	251
$50,000 or more		644	9	30	67	195	200	143
Net cash farm income of operators	farms	28,671	152	1,815	3,634	7,834	8,660	6,576
	$1,000	58,596	199	7,008	1,202	2,474	33,051	14,663
Average per farm	dollars	2,044	1,312	3,861	331	316	3,816	2,230
Operators reporting net gains [2]	farms	10,699	76	782	1,279	2,780	3,239	2,543
Average net gain	dollars	25,515	17,353	25,454	23,695	23,921	29,314	23,596

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

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

Item	Total farming and other occupations	Farming						
		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
NET CASH FARM INCOME (SEE TEXT) - Con.								
Net cash farm income of operators - Con.								
Operators reporting net gains [2] - Con.								
Gain of-								
Less than $1,000	2,069	698	4	22	36	96	179	361
$1,000 to $4,999	5,175	2,033	6	87	145	296	479	1,020
$5,000 to $9,999	3,613	1,690	3	125	139	238	427	758
$10,000 to $24,999	5,047	2,829	19	262	311	477	700	1,060
$25,000 to $49,999	3,885	2,828	67	413	465	576	680	627
$50,000 or more	8,875	7,887	96	1,064	1,620	2,031	1,856	1,220
Operators reporting net losses ... farms	30,645	12,673	79	695	1,196	2,354	3,246	5,103
Average net loss ... dollars	17,147	24,548	21,072	36,782	31,338	33,339	25,479	16,696
Loss of-								
Less than $1,000	2,423	821	6	39	57	113	203	403
$1,000 to $4,999	9,396	3,183	17	105	263	401	789	1,608
$5,000 to $9,999	7,153	2,668	21	110	166	509	686	1,176
$10,000 to $24,999	6,971	3,170	20	157	353	622	858	1,160
$25,000 to $49,999	2,725	1,499	10	134	174	340	394	447
$50,000 or more	1,977	1,332	5	150	183	369	316	309
COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS (SEE TEXT)								
Total ... farms	136	125	-	1	9	35	45	35
$1,000	7,764	7,673	-	(D)	(D)	2,688	2,653	1,373
INCOME FROM FARM-RELATED SOURCES								
Total income from farm-related sources, gross before taxes and expenses (see text) ... farms	21,979	13,924	100	1,373	2,130	3,067	3,489	3,765
$1,000	309,738	227,940	509	13,862	40,096	56,390	62,467	54,616
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	4,333	3,392	43	412	672	812	830	623
$1,000	58,017	50,975	315	5,414	10,961	16,351	12,773	5,161
Gross cash rent or share payments ... farms	6,788	3,144	6	211	352	552	756	1,267
$1,000	30,453	17,924	34	1,078	2,523	3,560	4,652	6,077
Sales of forest products, excluding Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops, and maple products ... farms	2,268	1,336	1	84	140	303	370	438
$1,000	19,329	12,893	(D)	(D)	1,017	4,087	3,604	3,751
Agri-tourism and recreational services (see text) ... farms	729	443	3	19	46	109	117	149
$1,000	24,677	17,710	2	459	2,017	6,759	4,223	4,249
Patronage dividends and refunds from cooperatives ... farms	6,849	5,610	45	736	1,027	1,380	1,391	1,031
$1,000	15,985	13,958	31	890	2,023	3,248	4,604	3,161
Crop and livestock insurance payments received ... farms	1,416	1,114	2	51	106	273	332	350
$1,000	29,691	26,671	(D)	(D)	4,425	5,602	9,427	6,487
Amount from state and local government agricultural program payments ... farms	525	294	2	14	33	74	79	92
$1,000	2,939	2,056	(D)	(D)	309	550	549	537
Other farm-related income sources (see text) ... farms	6,204	4,324	19	420	688	1,002	1,144	1,051
$1,000	128,634	85,741	106	4,759	16,822	16,232	22,629	25,193
LAND USE								
Total cropland ... farms	49,838	26,696	231	2,383	3,460	5,213	6,520	8,889
acres	4,546,052	3,492,058	19,131	220,109	479,641	836,345	1,011,310	925,522
Harvested cropland ... farms	42,981	24,669	226	2,332	3,312	4,902	6,060	7,837
acres	3,957,000	3,204,453	18,162	208,393	450,474	788,691	938,619	800,114
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 49 acres	24,756	10,995	88	939	1,307	1,782	2,640	4,239
50 to 99 acres	8,415	5,578	87	817	935	1,035	1,093	1,611
100 to 199 acres	5,168	3,948	32	354	525	974	1,024	1,039
200 to 499 acres	3,392	2,968	18	175	374	828	890	683
500 to 999 acres	867	816	1	41	113	181	290	190
1,000 to 1,999 acres	298	283	-	5	46	74	102	56
2,000 acres or more	85	81	-	1	12	28	21	19
Cropland-								
Other pasture and grazing land that could have been used for crops without additional improvements (see text) ... farms	4,962	2,829	27	307	454	542	623	876
acres	118,049	75,965	215	6,310	10,742	14,696	20,415	23,587
On which all crops failed or were abandoned ... farms	2,560	1,248	6	59	102	217	354	510
acres	45,692	24,825	39	796	1,779	3,851	7,145	11,215
Idle or used for cover crops or soil improvement, but not harvested and not pastured or grazed (see text) ... farms	11,720	4,730	20	185	389	778	1,220	2,138
acres	383,267	158,084	507	2,747	13,205	23,010	39,029	79,586
In cultivated summer fallow ... farms	1,972	1,221	16	101	162	221	283	438
acres	42,044	28,731	208	1,863	3,441	6,097	6,102	11,020
Total woodland ... farms	35,896	17,999	93	1,086	1,884	3,559	4,740	6,637
acres	1,804,157	1,004,397	3,010	24,582	92,318	182,308	335,401	366,778
Woodland pastured ... farms	8,420	4,444	24	342	529	862	1,158	1,529
acres	134,964	82,823	147	2,586	7,067	16,022	24,282	32,719
Woodland not pastured ... farms	32,282	16,104	87	932	1,622	3,211	4,264	5,988
acres	1,669,193	921,574	2,863	21,996	85,251	166,286	311,119	334,059

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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	1,371	13	91	133	371	381	382
$1,000 to $4,999	3,142	23	191	344	791	946	847
$5,000 to $9,999	1,923	7	123	232	480	619	462
$10,000 to $24,999	2,218	12	182	260	597	648	519
$25,000 to $49,999	1,057	14	105	154	298	311	175
$50,000 or more	988	7	90	156	243	334	158
Operators reporting net losses ... farms	17,972	76	1,033	2,355	5,054	5,421	4,033
Average net loss ... dollars	11,929	14,729	12,485	12,358	12,668	11,418	11,242
Loss of-							
Less than $1,000	1,602	14	59	184	419	490	436
$1,000 to $4,999	6,213	20	285	792	1,589	2,016	1,511
$5,000 to $9,999	4,485	18	329	599	1,304	1,320	915
$10,000 to $24,999	3,801	15	242	509	1,172	1,087	776
$25,000 to $49,999	1,226	-	82	203	376	313	252
$50,000 or more	645	9	36	68	194	195	143
COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS (SEE TEXT)							
Total ... farms	11	-	-	5	2	4	-
$1,000	91	-	-	(D)	(D)	2	-
INCOME FROM FARM-RELATED SOURCES							
Total income from farm-related sources, gross before taxes and expenses (see text) ... farms	8,055	42	527	970	2,164	2,473	1,879
$1,000	81,798	275	4,798	6,915	12,581	31,606	25,623
Customwork and other agricultural services ... farms	941	10	109	135	270	271	146
$1,000	7,042	114	608	451	1,181	3,199	1,489
Gross cash rent or share payments ... farms	3,644	14	193	391	947	1,130	969
$1,000	12,529	47	483	1,292	2,743	4,446	3,518
Sales of forest products, excluding Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops, and maple products ... farms	932	9	60	99	233	287	244
$1,000	6,436	55	303	534	1,676	2,076	1,792
Agri-tourism and recreational services (see text) ... farms	286	-	8	30	54	100	94
$1,000	6,967	-	2,022	330	393	1,899	2,324
Patronage dividends and refunds from cooperatives ... farms	1,239	3	87	179	364	370	236
$1,000	2,027	(D)	(D)	302	448	601	493
Crop and livestock insurance payments received ... farms	302	-	24	40	83	99	56
$1,000	3,020	-	222	162	660	1,548	428
Amount from state and local government agricultural program payments ... farms	231	2	21	32	48	63	65
$1,000	883	(D)	(D)	241	115	366	123
Other farm-related income sources (see text) ... farms	1,880	14	131	264	523	577	371
$1,000	42,893	54	944	3,602	5,366	17,472	15,455
LAND USE							
Total cropland ... farms	23,142	109	1,444	2,794	6,150	7,119	5,526
acres	1,053,994	5,061	57,487	126,087	280,624	337,472	247,263
Harvested cropland ... farms	18,312	107	1,323	2,367	5,096	5,668	3,751
acres	752,547	5,011	50,549	99,637	211,287	245,380	140,683
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 49 acres	13,761	75	989	1,748	3,776	4,265	2,908
50 to 99 acres	2,837	21	230	390	807	854	535
100 to 199 acres	1,220	8	59	149	400	369	235
200 to 499 acres	424	-	42	70	92	156	64
500 to 999 acres	51	3	3	10	15	16	4
1,000 to 1,999 acres	15	-	-	-	6	4	5
2,000 acres or more	4	-	-	-	-	4	-
Cropland-							
Other pasture and grazing land that could have been used for crops without additional improvements (see text) ... farms	2,133	7	140	321	598	601	466
acres	42,084	15	1,451	5,676	11,823	13,073	10,046
On which all crops failed or were abandoned ... farms	1,312	3	47	143	405	431	283
acres	20,867	(D)	(D)	1,622	5,125	6,722	7,050
Idle or used for cover crops or soil improvement, but not harvested and not pastured or grazed (see text) ... farms	6,990	2	215	683	1,697	2,162	2,231
acres	225,183	(D)	(D)	17,651	49,798	68,430	84,637
In cultivated summer fallow ... farms	751	-	41	80	175	254	201
acres	13,313	-	507	1,501	2,591	3,867	4,847
Total woodland ... farms	17,897	66	827	2,168	4,970	5,650	4,216
acres	799,760	1,803	24,493	68,717	198,720	260,501	245,526
Woodland pastured ... farms	3,976	16	241	599	1,182	1,156	782
acres	52,141	(D)	(D)	5,157	15,111	16,135	13,760
Woodland not pastured ... farms	16,178	53	725	1,891	4,481	5,143	3,885
acres	747,619	(D)	(D)	63,560	183,609	244,366	231,766

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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
LAND USE - Con.								
Permanent pasture and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pastured (see text) ... farms	35,646	19,319	192	1,871	2,558	3,930	4,661	6,107
acres	814,210	509,590	3,691	32,360	53,657	103,141	133,443	183,298
Land in farmsteads, homes, buildings, livestock facilities, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. ... farms	45,840	23,793	197	1,999	3,072	4,737	5,877	7,911
acres	540,025	305,113	1,448	15,208	31,089	59,474	81,176	116,718
Irrigated land ... farms	4,539	3,098	36	478	558	731	777	518
acres	38,990	31,062	258	2,642	5,405	9,089	8,502	5,166
Harvested cropland ... farms	4,475	3,063	34	474	554	721	774	506
acres	38,224	30,630	(D)	(D)	5,342	8,942	8,454	5,052
Pastureland and other land ... farms	104	58	2	8	9	19	6	14
acres	766	432	(D)	(D)	63	147	48	114
CONSERVATION AND CROP INSURANCE								
Land enrolled in Conservation Reserve, Wetlands Reserve, Farmable Wetlands, or Conservation Reserve Enhancement Programs ... farms	6,547	2,580	2	60	163	422	707	1,226
acres	194,234	75,236	(D)	(D)	3,260	9,283	17,883	44,116
Land enrolled in crop insurance programs (see text) ... farms	5,092	3,966	14	221	487	885	1,226	1,133
acres	1,181,661	1,068,740	1,046	41,893	163,704	255,139	350,721	256,237
ORGANIC AGRICULTURE								
Total organic commodity sales (see text) ... farms	600	482	9	116	133	81	94	49
$1,000	78,525	66,131	458	13,585	19,522	9,524	19,045	3,998
VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS								
Estimated market value of land and buildings ... farms	59,309	30,638	274	2,668	3,912	6,068	7,567	10,149
$1,000	41,795,782	29,377,968	193,852	2,216,125	4,194,599	6,981,732	8,231,181	7,560,479
Average per farm ... dollars	704,712	958,874	707,488	830,631	1,072,239	1,150,582	1,087,773	744,948
Average per acre ... dollars	5,425	5,531	7,106	7,583	6,387	5,910	5,272	4,748
Farms by value group:								
$1 to $49,999	3,268	1,367	19	147	176	223	333	469
$50,000 to $99,999	3,240	1,220	11	75	115	171	317	531
$100,000 to $199,999	8,411	3,312	29	223	313	538	860	1,349
$200,000 to $499,999	21,263	9,069	59	624	938	1,605	2,163	3,680
$500,000 to $999,999	12,532	7,368	94	807	1,073	1,458	1,701	2,235
$1,000,000 to $1,999,999	6,565	4,893	46	593	836	1,147	1,171	1,100
$2,000,000 to $4,999,999	3,303	2,763	16	182	384	760	785	636
$5,000,000 to $9,999,999	517	455	-	15	55	112	166	107
$10,000,000 or more	210	191	-	2	22	54	71	42
VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT								
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ... farms	59,306	30,636	274	2,668	3,912	6,068	7,566	10,148
$1,000	5,321,820	3,901,242	27,700	310,528	578,556	928,430	1,072,365	983,663
Farms by value group:								
$1 to $4,999	4,327	1,472	13	84	160	266	364	585
$5,000 to $9,999	4,185	1,390	12	85	120	199	354	620
$10,000 to $19,999	7,998	3,008	17	181	255	504	745	1,306
$20,000 to $49,999	16,164	6,931	50	517	738	1,220	1,665	2,741
$50,000 to $99,999	11,810	6,783	96	759	955	1,192	1,552	2,229
$100,000 to $199,999	8,122	5,574	51	629	829	1,279	1,362	1,424
$200,000 to $499,999	5,102	4,022	25	333	636	1,054	1,059	915
$500,000 or more	1,598	1,456	10	80	219	354	465	328
SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT								
Trucks, including pickups (see text) ... farms	40,404	22,635	159	1,426	2,510	4,629	6,023	7,888
number	73,088	47,207	269	2,688	5,390	10,768	13,391	14,701
Tractors, all ... farms	49,844	26,857	228	2,179	3,266	5,356	6,761	9,067
number	146,345	91,428	611	5,737	10,272	19,565	24,590	30,653
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) ... farms	29,080	14,630	96	729	1,351	2,845	3,879	5,730
number	46,808	24,590	126	1,029	2,098	4,761	6,496	10,080
40 to 99 horsepower (PTO) ... farms	36,717	20,884	154	1,526	2,495	4,204	5,408	7,097
number	71,563	44,820	265	2,728	4,934	9,409	12,111	15,373
100 horsepower (PTO) or more ... farms	15,652	11,458	131	1,300	1,749	2,635	2,858	2,785
number	27,974	22,018	220	1,980	3,240	5,395	5,983	5,200
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled ... farms	7,067	5,114	30	240	571	1,164	1,447	1,662
number	7,737	5,656	32	252	620	1,303	1,628	1,821
Cotton pickers and strippers, self-propelled ... farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
number	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Forage harvesters, self-propelled ... farms	3,055	2,391	39	203	343	597	659	550
number	3,323	2,597	42	218	380	652	696	609
Hay balers ... farms	27,251	16,442	128	1,372	2,079	3,287	4,060	5,516
number	35,579	21,823	151	1,685	2,642	4,468	5,458	7,419

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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
LAND USE - Con.								
Permanent pasture and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pastured (see text)	farms	16,327	81	1,055	2,255	4,843	4,929	3,164
	acres	304,620	869	13,896	37,101	83,269	97,217	72,268
Land in farmsteads, homes, buildings, livestock facilities, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc.	farms	22,047	99	1,295	2,834	6,089	6,754	4,976
	acres	234,912	422	8,442	24,054	56,751	77,211	68,032
Irrigated land	farms	1,441	16	205	212	387	405	216
	acres	7,928	34	426	622	1,277	4,491	1,078
Harvested cropland	farms	1,412	16	204	204	381	398	209
	acres	7,594	34	408	598	1,184	4,377	993
Pastureland and other land	farms	46	-	3	12	13	8	10
	acres	334	-	18	24	93	114	85
CONSERVATION AND CROP INSURANCE								
Land enrolled in Conservation Reserve, Wetlands Reserve, Farmable Wetlands, or Conservation Reserve Enhancement Programs	farms	3,967	2	67	319	858	1,244	1,477
	acres	118,998	(D)	(D)	7,479	23,893	35,894	50,310
Land enrolled in crop insurance programs (see text)	farms	1,126	-	92	167	274	372	221
	acres	112,921	-	9,310	20,021	25,938	39,393	18,259
ORGANIC AGRICULTURE								
Total organic commodity sales (see text)	farms	118	3	11	15	35	41	13
	$1,000	12,394	10	229	178	10,192	1,336	449
VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS								
Estimated market value of land and buildings	farms	28,671	152	1,815	3,634	7,834	8,660	6,576
	$1,000	12,417,814	50,793	690,615	1,469,775	3,387,382	3,861,193	2,958,056
Average per farm	dollars	433,114	334,165	380,504	404,451	432,395	445,865	449,826
Average per acre	dollars	5,189	6,228	6,620	5,742	5,469	4,999	4,672
Farms by value group:								
$1 to $49,999		1,901	28	169	237	504	503	460
$50,000 to $99,999		2,020	9	179	239	558	567	468
$100,000 to $199,999		5,099	20	349	692	1,342	1,522	1,174
$200,000 to $499,999		12,194	62	719	1,592	3,424	3,740	2,657
$500,000 to $999,999		5,164	27	275	626	1,386	1,612	1,238
$1,000,000 to $1,999,999		1,672	3	94	192	466	511	406
$2,000,000 to $4,999,999		540	3	29	47	134	175	152
$5,000,000 to $9,999,999		62	-	-	9	14	22	17
$10,000,000 or more		19	-	1	-	6	8	4
VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT								
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment	farms	28,670	152	1,815	3,634	7,834	8,659	6,576
	$1,000	1,420,578	8,327	91,936	192,598	403,199	443,111	281,406
Farms by value group:								
$1 to $4,999		2,855	24	206	339	753	763	770
$5,000 to $9,999		2,795	11	190	324	696	832	742
$10,000 to $19,999		4,990	13	304	582	1,376	1,481	1,234
$20,000 to $49,999		9,233	46	548	1,214	2,497	2,797	2,131
$50,000 to $99,999		5,027	36	350	641	1,367	1,610	1,023
$100,000 to $199,999		2,548	13	124	348	785	804	474
$200,000 to $499,999		1,080	9	78	171	316	326	180
$500,000 or more		142	-	15	15	44	46	22
SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT								
Trucks, including pickups (see text)	farms	17,769	81	1,054	2,292	5,062	5,501	3,779
	number	25,881	122	1,527	3,379	7,373	8,129	5,351
Tractors, all	farms	22,987	89	1,322	2,885	6,389	7,203	5,099
	number	54,917	217	2,988	6,690	15,299	17,692	12,031
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO)	farms	14,450	48	701	1,735	4,024	4,616	3,326
	number	22,218	77	1,043	2,618	6,089	7,129	5,262
40 to 99 horsepower (PTO)	farms	15,833	63	967	1,974	4,451	4,969	3,409
	number	26,743	117	1,553	3,238	7,425	8,748	5,662
100 horsepower (PTO) or more	farms	4,194	20	304	593	1,246	1,251	780
	number	5,956	23	392	834	1,785	1,815	1,107
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled	farms	1,953	9	155	229	614	639	307
	number	2,081	14	160	251	655	675	326
Cotton pickers and strippers, self-propelled	farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	number	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Forage harvesters, self-propelled	farms	664	5	48	104	206	201	100
	number	726	8	59	110	224	212	113
Hay balers	farms	10,809	46	678	1,390	3,181	3,406	2,108
	number	13,756	64	880	1,772	4,103	4,350	2,587

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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
FERTILIZERS AND CHEMICALS								
Commercial fertilizer, lime, and soil conditioners used ... farms	26,149	17,092	175	1,840	2,529	3,577	4,199	4,772
acres treated	2,612,426	2,221,195	13,730	154,655	328,195	549,189	664,520	510,906
Manure used ... farms	19,373	12,889	176	1,628	2,038	2,761	3,069	3,217
acres treated	1,248,975	1,085,762	10,923	107,438	181,991	294,489	292,836	198,085
Acres treated to control-								
Insects ... farms	12,158	9,076	134	1,266	1,604	2,037	2,145	1,890
acres	1,000,265	898,828	5,399	65,135	147,748	229,255	271,309	179,982
Weeds, grass, or brush ... farms	23,669	15,736	172	1,697	2,326	3,402	3,905	4,234
acres	2,354,445	2,036,995	10,876	132,996	309,891	513,550	614,930	454,752
Nematodes ... farms	1,552	1,184	16	135	196	254	309	274
acres	88,584	77,137	679	3,301	8,036	27,443	22,199	15,479
Diseases in crops and orchards ... farms	4,234	2,959	47	404	493	663	693	659
acres	198,642	176,111	1,108	8,028	23,916	45,921	59,826	37,312
Chemicals used to control growth, thin fruit, ripen, or defoliate ... farms	1,538	1,156	18	193	240	228	259	218
acres on which used	49,008	42,151	528	3,413	5,224	9,569	14,502	8,915
LAND USE PRACTICES								
Land drained by tile ... farms	6,794	4,488	35	418	566	969	1,223	1,277
acres	297,320	240,133	820	8,943	27,284	58,917	76,385	67,784
Land artificially drained by ditches ... farms	4,480	2,505	24	238	275	489	696	783
acres	138,228	99,470	798	6,202	13,754	19,574	32,955	26,187
Land under conservation easement ... farms	4,217	2,353	28	253	306	507	605	654
acres	313,373	227,251	2,313	19,220	37,360	53,266	54,934	60,158
Cropland on which no-till practices were used ... farms	13,937	10,243	125	1,345	1,767	2,242	2,436	2,328
acres	1,379,252	1,211,794	6,209	75,909	199,420	302,968	370,585	256,703
Cropland on which conservation tillage, including no till, practices were used ... farms	7,494	5,652	45	522	877	1,334	1,468	1,406
acres	504,502	446,130	1,159	20,533	57,703	104,965	147,006	114,764
Cropland on which conventional tillage practices were used ... farms	14,824	9,896	148	1,274	1,608	2,058	2,187	2,621
acres	470,436	374,212	3,686	35,020	53,111	94,250	93,343	94,802
Cropland planted to a cover crop (excluding CRP) ... farms	10,588	7,924	142	1,359	1,563	1,705	1,719	1,436
acres	446,295	394,324	4,124	49,663	71,023	99,279	103,624	66,611
ENERGY								
Renewable energy producing systems ... farms	2,234	1,160	11	99	180	236	321	313
Solar panels ... farms	1,528	822	7	85	133	172	223	202
Wind turbines ... farms	176	66	2	2	5	16	16	25
Methane digesters ... farms	37	28	-	2	2	8	8	8
Geoexchange systems ... farms	378	126	-	7	6	20	48	45
Small hydro systems ... farms	36	24	-	-	5	2	6	11
Biodiesel ... farms	138	87	-	2	19	17	26	23
Ethanol ... farms	58	42	2	-	7	8	6	19
Other ... farms	34	23	-	2	7	3	6	5
Wind rights leased to others ... farms	111	73	-	6	17	18	16	16
TENURE								
Full owners ... farms	40,788	17,852	75	931	1,880	3,163	4,407	7,396
Part owners ... farms	14,335	10,027	56	757	1,472	2,513	2,766	2,463
Tenants ... farms	4,186	2,759	143	980	560	392	394	290
OWNED AND RENTED LAND								
Land owned ... farms	55,197	27,933	131	1,693	3,366	5,683	7,186	9,874
acres	5,729,786	3,530,572	9,969	125,831	378,115	719,342	1,022,574	1,274,741
Owned land in farms ... farms	55,123	27,879	131	1,688	3,352	5,676	7,173	9,859
acres	5,377,978	3,357,027	9,480	119,875	356,229	688,842	977,027	1,205,574
Land rented or leased from others ... farms	18,610	12,840	199	1,743	2,040	2,912	3,176	2,770
acres	2,336,805	1,961,062	17,800	172,956	301,763	493,462	586,686	388,395
Rented or leased land in farms ... farms	18,521	12,786	199	1,737	2,032	2,905	3,160	2,753
acres	2,326,466	1,954,131	17,800	172,384	300,476	492,426	584,303	386,742
Land rented or leased to others ... farms	7,623	3,433	7	226	405	577	853	1,365
acres	362,147	180,476	489	6,528	23,173	31,536	47,930	70,820
NUMBER OF OPERATORS								
Total operators ... number	92,341	48,126	472	4,390	6,043	9,655	12,146	15,420
Farms by number of operators:								
1 operator ...	32,632	16,694	113	1,165	2,123	3,229	4,008	6,056
2 operators ...	22,068	11,341	128	1,312	1,552	2,295	2,815	3,239
3 operators ...	3,618	2,032	31	167	185	412	574	663
4 operators ...	649	379	-	20	30	84	127	118
5 or more operators ...	342	192	2	4	22	48	43	73
Total women operators ... number	28,026	14,023	156	1,543	1,798	2,871	3,409	4,246
Farms by number of women operators:								
1 operator ...	23,933	11,995	142	1,398	1,622	2,460	3,002	3,371
2 operators ...	1,679	828	7	46	75	168	172	360
3 operators ...	185	94	-	11	4	18	17	44
4 operators ...	34	15	-	5	-	4	3	3
5 or more operators ...	7	5	-	-	2	1	-	2

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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
FERTILIZERS AND CHEMICALS								
Commercial fertilizer, lime, and soil conditioners used	farms	9,057	69	813	1,289	2,577	2,801	1,508
	acres treated	391,231	3,428	34,122	52,597	109,831	129,815	61,438
Manure used	farms	6,484	34	635	1,005	1,923	1,922	965
	acres treated	163,213	1,088	15,177	24,636	49,186	49,170	23,956
Acres treated to control-								
Insects	farms	3,082	34	333	448	781	974	512
	acres	101,437	2,144	9,701	12,749	23,548	39,664	13,631
Weeds, grass, or brush	farms	7,933	69	692	1,116	2,227	2,462	1,367
	acres	317,450	3,000	28,613	45,030	85,683	104,788	50,336
Nematodes	farms	368	-	28	48	93	128	71
	acres	11,447	-	725	1,044	1,764	6,084	1,830
Diseases in crops and orchards	farms	1,275	18	122	199	327	415	194
	acres	22,531	418	1,535	2,569	4,280	11,232	2,497
Chemicals used to control growth, thin fruit, ripen, or defoliate	farms	382	6	30	58	99	119	70
	acres on which used	6,857	33	753	364	1,055	3,742	910
LAND USE PRACTICES								
Land drained by tile	farms	2,306	10	159	308	634	743	452
	acres	57,187	374	2,338	6,212	16,186	21,394	10,683
Land artificially drained by ditches	farms	1,975	19	91	276	521	626	442
	acres	38,758	775	1,212	3,564	9,702	13,826	9,679
Land under conservation easement	farms	1,864	6	62	175	526	581	514
	acres	86,122	255	4,022	9,025	24,744	26,504	21,572
Cropland on which no-till practices were used	farms	3,694	41	395	520	1,036	1,057	645
	acres	167,458	1,910	17,484	22,380	46,451	51,319	27,914
Cropland on which conservation tillage, including no till, practices were used	farms	1,842	18	149	241	521	593	320
	acres	58,372	871	4,230	6,918	16,176	20,820	9,357
Cropland on which conventional tillage practices were used	farms	4,928	28	469	710	1,408	1,460	853
	acres	96,224	452	6,683	15,484	26,399	29,279	17,927
Cropland planted to a cover crop (excluding CRP)	farms	2,664	34	322	394	717	782	415
	acres	51,971	813	6,251	7,171	14,060	16,096	7,580
ENERGY								
Renewable energy producing systems	farms	1,074	6	82	109	299	370	208
Solar panels	farms	706	3	57	80	214	228	124
Wind turbines	farms	110	3	13	12	28	30	24
Methane digesters	farms	9	-	1	-	-	6	2
Geoexchange systems	farms	252	3	2	23	50	117	57
Small hydro systems	farms	12	-	4	-	4	2	2
Biodiesel	farms	51	-	6	7	12	12	14
Ethanol	farms	16	-	3	1	2	5	5
Other	farms	11	-	3	1	2	5	-
Wind rights leased to others	farms	38	-	-	4	7	20	7
TENURE								
Full owners	farms	22,936	75	1,043	2,675	6,157	7,125	5,861
Part owners	farms	4,308	30	374	697	1,308	1,302	597
Tenants	farms	1,427	47	398	262	369	233	118
OWNED AND RENTED LAND								
Land owned	farms	27,264	105	1,422	3,372	7,470	8,434	6,461
	acres	2,199,214	4,044	67,807	207,026	553,285	717,263	649,789
Owned land in farms	farms	27,244	105	1,417	3,372	7,465	8,427	6,458
	acres	2,020,951	3,717	61,861	190,835	511,079	661,790	591,669
Land rented or leased from others	farms	5,770	77	772	962	1,690	1,545	724
	acres	375,743	4,438	42,551	65,364	109,766	111,444	42,180
Rented or leased land in farms	farms	5,735	77	772	959	1,677	1,535	715
	acres	372,335	4,438	42,457	65,124	108,285	110,611	41,420
Land rented or leased to others	farms	4,190	14	219	456	1,123	1,285	1,093
	acres	181,671	327	6,040	16,431	43,687	56,306	58,880
NUMBER OF OPERATORS								
Total operators	number	44,215	227	2,890	5,648	12,441	13,407	9,602
Farms by number of operators:								
1 operator		15,938	86	870	1,900	4,077	4,824	4,181
2 operators		10,727	57	845	1,523	3,204	3,168	1,930
3 operators		1,586	9	89	166	403	537	382
4 operators		270	-	4	31	95	89	51
5 or more operators		150	-	7	14	55	42	32
Total women operators	number	14,003	67	921	1,828	4,130	4,224	2,833
Farms by number of women operators:								
1 operator		11,938	53	799	1,591	3,536	3,583	2,376
2 operators		851	7	50	101	237	264	192
3 operators		91	-	6	9	24	32	20
4 operators		19	-	1	2	12	3	1
5 or more operators		2	-	-	-	-	1	1

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

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

Item	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	50,849	26,386	250	2,434	3,410	5,061	6,395	8,836
Female	8,460	4,252	24	234	502	1,007	1,172	1,313
Primary occupation:								
Farming	30,638	30,638	274	2,668	3,912	6,068	7,567	10,149
Other	28,671	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Place of residence:								
On farm operated	50,860	27,280	226	2,340	3,550	5,392	6,635	9,137
Not on farm operated	8,449	3,358	48	328	362	676	932	1,012
Days worked off farm:								
None	24,370	19,719	126	1,414	2,038	3,579	4,716	7,846
Any	34,939	10,919	148	1,254	1,874	2,489	2,851	2,303
1 to 49 days	4,873	3,147	75	519	522	627	729	675
50 to 99 days	2,458	1,420	16	120	199	310	432	343
100 to 199 days	4,595	1,665	17	176	209	355	524	384
200 days or more	23,013	4,687	40	439	944	1,197	1,166	901
Years on present farm:								
2 years or less	1,720	746	116	235	130	136	95	34
3 or 4 years	2,828	1,270	108	507	212	218	131	94
5 to 9 years	8,038	3,568	50	1,164	760	583	574	437
10 years or more	46,723	25,054	-	762	2,810	5,131	6,767	9,584
Average years on present farm	23.0	25.1	3.2	7.3	13.6	20.1	26.3	37.0
Years operating any farm (see text):								
2 years or less	1,229	477	102	157	68	67	58	25
3 or 4 years	2,316	993	110	416	150	172	92	53
5 to 9 years	6,947	2,962	62	1,124	565	439	433	339
10 years or more	48,817	26,206	-	971	3,129	5,390	6,984	9,732
Average years operating any farm	24.8	27.3	3.4	8.2	15.2	22.1	28.7	39.5
Age group:								
Under 25 years	426	274	274	-	-	-	-	-
25 to 34 years	4,483	2,668	-	2,668	-	-	-	-
35 to 44 years	7,546	3,912	-	-	3,912	-	-	-
45 to 49 years	5,732	2,582	-	-	-	2,582	-	-
50 to 54 years	8,170	3,486	-	-	-	3,486	-	-
55 to 59 years	8,444	3,636	-	-	-	-	3,636	-
60 to 64 years	7,783	3,931	-	-	-	-	3,931	-
65 to 69 years	6,101	3,592	-	-	-	-	-	3,592
70 years and over	10,624	6,557	-	-	-	-	-	6,557
Average age	56.1	56.8	22.7	30.3	39.9	50.0	59.6	73.1
Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin (see text)	373	206	-	22	21	55	64	44
Race:								
American Indian or Alaska Native	78	33	-	1	2	7	10	13
Asian	62	38	-	-	12	7	10	9
Black or African American	61	21	-	-	-	-	5	16
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	6	6	-	-	-	5	-	1
White	58,951	30,466	274	2,663	3,893	6,027	7,527	10,082
More than one race reported	151	74	-	4	5	22	15	28
Farms by number of persons living in operator's household:								
1 person	6,948	3,483	36	141	225	521	845	1,715
2 people	25,964	13,650	74	356	518	1,612	4,255	6,835
3 people	8,778	4,048	66	288	385	1,088	1,220	1,001
4 people	7,331	2,980	66	479	611	940	564	320
5 or more people	10,288	6,477	32	1,404	2,173	1,907	683	278
Percent of operator's total household income from farming:								
Less than 25 percent	40,637	15,262	86	650	1,294	2,494	3,778	6,960
25 to 49 percent	4,018	2,460	8	166	209	412	582	1,083
50 to 74 percent	4,770	3,658	42	285	490	731	868	1,242
75 to 99 percent	4,535	4,105	69	667	798	890	837	844
100 percent	5,349	5,153	69	900	1,121	1,541	1,502	20
Operator is a hired manager ... farms	1,410	1,048	21	114	153	311	268	181
acres	398,590	339,973	1,129	16,299	47,772	90,939	122,806	61,028
Farms with-								
Internet access	36,794	16,750	99	980	1,907	3,654	4,986	5,124
Dial-up service	3,709	1,940	6	88	156	390	564	736
DSL service	17,874	8,174	54	478	986	1,946	2,372	2,338
Cable modem service	8,964	3,815	24	234	431	789	1,187	1,150
Fiber-optic service	1,761	832	5	25	74	168	243	317
Mobile broadband plan for a computer or cell phone	4,453	2,133	14	193	314	457	622	533
Satellite service	2,936	1,356	1	50	132	238	430	505
Broadband over Power Lines (BPL)	860	376	-	21	39	68	84	164
Other Internet service	277	137	3	15	14	27	34	44
Farms by number of households sharing in net income of operation:								
1 household	50,269	24,901	213	2,293	3,328	4,975	6,004	8,088
2 households	6,906	4,352	43	303	418	763	1,174	1,651
3 households	1,252	836	9	15	101	180	251	280
4 households	500	318	7	29	33	72	89	88
5 or more households	382	231	2	28	32	78	49	42

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

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

Item	Other occupations						
	Total	Age of operator (years)					
		Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
PRINCIPAL OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS							
Sex of operator:							
Male	24,463	123	1,639	3,171	6,596	7,414	5,520
Female	4,208	29	176	463	1,238	1,246	1,056
Primary occupation:							
Farming	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other	28,671	152	1,815	3,634	7,834	8,660	6,576
Place of residence:							
On farm operated	23,580	101	1,405	3,044	6,604	7,109	5,317
Not on farm operated	5,091	51	410	590	1,230	1,551	1,259
Days worked off farm:							
None	4,651	8	59	215	539	1,038	2,792
Any	24,020	144	1,756	3,419	7,295	7,622	3,784
1 to 49 days	1,726	16	105	185	360	503	557
50 to 99 days	1,038	6	60	85	225	313	349
100 to 199 days	2,930	16	169	375	808	963	599
200 days or more	18,326	106	1,422	2,774	5,902	5,843	2,279
Years on present farm:							
2 years or less	974	46	276	204	220	177	51
3 or 4 years	1,558	56	367	344	393	287	111
5 to 9 years	4,470	50	763	1,047	1,322	939	349
10 years or more	21,669	-	409	2,039	5,899	7,257	6,065
Average years on present farm	20.7	3.9	6.7	11.1	16.6	22.5	32.7
Years operating any farm (see text):							
2 years or less	752	26	216	166	171	141	32
3 or 4 years	1,323	58	318	294	345	236	72
5 to 9 years	3,985	68	758	938	1,128	789	304
10 years or more	22,611	-	523	2,236	6,190	7,494	6,168
Average years operating any farm	22.2	4.3	7.3	12.2	18.0	24.3	34.7
Age group:							
Under 25 years	152	152	-	-	-	-	-
25 to 34 years	1,815	-	1,815	-	-	-	-
35 to 44 years	3,634	-	-	3,634	-	-	-
45 to 49 years	3,150	-	-	-	3,150	-	-
50 to 54 years	4,684	-	-	-	4,684	-	-
55 to 59 years	4,808	-	-	-	-	4,808	-
60 to 64 years	3,852	-	-	-	-	3,852	-
65 to 69 years	2,509	-	-	-	-	-	2,509
70 years and over	4,067	-	-	-	-	-	4,067
Average age	55.5	22.6	30.6	40.3	50.1	59.2	72.9
Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin (see text)	167	-	10	13	62	47	35
Race:							
American Indian or Alaska Native	45	-	-	-	13	19	13
Asian	24	-	-	-	12	6	6
Black or African American	40	-	-	2	12	21	5
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
White	28,485	152	1,815	3,626	7,774	8,593	6,525
More than one race reported	77	-	-	6	23	21	27
Farms by number of persons living in operator's household:							
1 person	3,465	31	171	227	757	998	1,281
2 people	12,314	47	322	608	2,301	4,838	4,198
3 people	4,730	33	348	548	1,659	1,505	637
4 people	4,351	26	412	1,074	1,747	774	318
5 or more people	3,811	15	562	1,177	1,370	545	142
Percent of operator's total household income from farming:							
Less than 25 percent	25,375	133	1,530	3,163	6,976	7,677	5,896
25 to 49 percent	1,558	7	146	234	373	468	330
50 to 74 percent	1,112	9	78	157	326	289	253
75 to 99 percent	430	3	46	53	100	133	95
100 percent	196	-	15	27	59	93	2
Operator is a hired manager ... farms	362	3	26	47	94	108	84
acres	58,617	150	1,492	7,352	14,349	16,826	18,448
Farms with-							
Internet access	20,044	106	1,123	2,739	6,144	6,141	3,791
Dial-up service	1,769	-	65	197	539	547	421
DSL service	9,700	55	628	1,420	2,934	2,958	1,705
Cable modem service	5,149	21	244	587	1,627	1,658	1,012
Fiber-optic service	929	8	28	89	260	302	242
Mobile broadband plan for a computer or cell phone	2,320	22	183	389	703	613	410
Satellite service	1,580	6	89	205	488	485	307
Broadband over Power Lines (BPL)	484	-	22	64	128	167	103
Other Internet service	140	-	8	27	49	39	17
Farms by number of households sharing in net income of operation:							
1 household	25,368	129	1,596	3,315	7,054	7,585	5,689
2 households	2,554	17	165	235	572	843	722
3 households	416	3	24	39	93	153	104
4 households	182	3	8	25	72	37	37
5 or more households	151	-	22	20	43	42	24

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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	57,548	29,623	266	2,564	3,815	5,837	7,260	9,881
acres	7,225,333	4,949,012	26,999	277,663	606,752	1,085,458	1,430,260	1,521,880
Limited Liability Corporation ... farms	2,036	1,182	12	111	173	277	320	289
acres	401,817	310,355	1,003	19,351	44,007	51,083	95,234	99,677
LEGAL STATUS FOR TAX PURPOSES (SEE TEXT)								
Family or individual ... farms	52,390	26,480	232	2,376	3,453	5,125	6,325	8,969
acres	5,928,144	3,921,047	23,747	234,918	476,127	886,816	1,065,279	1,234,160
Partnership ... farms	3,808	2,429	30	158	252	525	735	729
acres	1,052,558	850,416	2,713	39,054	80,781	185,222	280,906	261,740
Registered under state law ... farms	2,944	1,898	25	123	206	413	601	530
acres	882,777	723,572	2,343	33,801	67,447	158,812	245,692	215,477
Corporation ... farms	2,294	1,378	11	96	183	359	406	323
acres	544,362	412,405	(D)	(D)	95,791	89,444	127,237	84,093
Family held ... farms	2,054	1,254	11	88	155	332	363	305
acres	490,771	377,409	(D)	(D)	86,039	81,248	118,594	79,579
More than 10 stockholders ... farms	67	28	-	1	2	12	5	8
10 or less stockholders ... farms	1,987	1,226	11	87	153	320	358	297
Other than family held ... farms	240	124	-	8	28	27	43	18
acres	53,591	34,996	-	3,891	9,752	8,196	8,643	4,514
More than 10 stockholders ... farms	23	6	-	-	-	3	3	-
10 or less stockholders ... farms	217	118	-	8	28	24	40	18
Other-cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc ... farms	817	351	1	38	24	59	101	128
acres	179,380	127,290	(D)	(D)	4,006	19,786	87,908	12,323
HIRED FARM LABOR								
Hired farm labor ... farms	14,954	10,759	121	1,371	1,502	2,446	2,686	2,633
workers	65,487	52,086	347	3,647	6,394	13,782	17,440	10,476
Workers by days worked:								
150 days or more ... farms	7,148	5,683	41	564	729	1,487	1,603	1,259
workers	26,601	22,804	87	1,126	2,661	6,504	8,264	4,162
Less than 150 days ... farms	10,805	7,512	92	1,009	1,099	1,623	1,820	1,869
workers	38,886	29,282	260	2,521	3,733	7,278	9,176	6,314
Migrant farm labor on farms with hired labor (see text) ... farms	402	335	4	47	42	76	100	66
Migrant farm labor on farms reporting only contract labor (see text) ... farms	38	18	-	2	6	3	1	6
Unpaid workers (see text) ... farms	29,483	15,486	131	1,402	2,220	3,298	3,924	4,511
workers	78,159	42,131	381	4,014	7,846	9,933	9,425	10,532
FARMS BY SIZE								
1 to 9 acres	5,575	2,225	23	253	262	478	590	619
10 to 49 acres	17,721	7,033	67	536	795	1,287	1,831	2,517
50 to 69 acres	6,622	3,253	33	427	541	564	592	1,096
70 to 99 acres	7,471	3,916	51	509	609	653	787	1,307
100 to 139 acres	6,845	3,779	37	393	561	669	818	1,301
140 to 179 acres	3,903	2,261	19	171	264	472	553	782
180 to 219 acres	2,660	1,675	18	107	167	369	435	579
220 to 259 acres	1,866	1,285	11	69	139	298	352	416
260 to 499 acres	4,224	3,154	10	144	351	781	909	959
500 to 999 acres	1,768	1,469	5	47	143	345	497	432
1,000 to 1,999 acres	515	470	-	11	64	116	167	112
2,000 acres or more	139	118	-	1	16	36	36	29
FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM (NAICS)								
Oilseed and grain farming (1111)	8,445	4,820	22	252	480	847	1,287	1,932
Vegetable and melon farming (1112)	1,711	1,016	23	144	183	192	239	235
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113)	1,969	932	3	31	72	153	291	382
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114)	3,020	1,536	7	98	148	319	498	466
Other crop farming (1119)	17,328	6,545	27	236	413	953	1,572	3,344
Tobacco farming (11191)	143	122	3	28	24	28	20	19
Cotton farming (11192)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193,11194,11199)	17,185	6,423	24	208	389	925	1,552	3,325
Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111)	7,665	3,455	24	234	386	559	853	1,399
Cattle feedlots (112112)	726	523	1	27	84	124	141	146
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212)	6,598	6,148	130	1,260	1,428	1,546	1,143	641
Hog and pig farming (1122)	765	472	7	64	93	120	113	75
Poultry and egg production (1123)	2,141	1,293	10	129	230	377	310	237
Sheep and goat farming (1124)	2,073	736	10	34	72	131	199	290
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129)	6,868	3,162	10	159	323	747	921	1,002
LIVESTOCK								
Cattle and calves inventory ... farms	25,189	15,850	193	1,908	2,577	3,355	3,616	4,201
number	1,626,374	1,418,926	17,051	184,967	266,861	361,248	341,592	247,207
Farms with-								
1 to 9	7,045	2,728	20	131	278	438	721	1,140
10 to 49	9,076	4,978	33	396	550	835	1,226	1,938
50 to 99	4,387	3,817	90	758	901	845	689	534
100 to 199	2,980	2,731	33	456	578	801	540	323

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

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

Item		Other occupations						
		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION (SEE TEXT)								
Operation with 50 percent or more ownership interest held by operator and/or persons related by blood, marriage, or adoption	farms	27,925	152	1,754	3,572	7,634	8,426	6,387
	acres	2,276,321	8,155	93,544	247,679	595,342	729,970	601,631
Limited Liability Corporation	farms	854	2	67	129	233	231	192
	acres	91,462	(D)	(D)	13,506	19,819	27,181	23,487
LEGAL STATUS FOR TAX PURPOSES (SEE TEXT)								
Family or individual	farms	25,910	144	1,650	3,337	7,120	7,774	5,885
	acres	2,007,097	7,742	83,218	219,340	541,846	630,001	524,950
Partnership	farms	1,379	1	94	173	308	465	338
	acres	202,142	(D)	(D)	20,203	39,755	70,491	60,536
Registered under state law	farms	1,046	1	82	120	235	365	243
	acres	159,205	(D)	(D)	14,753	32,098	57,014	45,419
Corporation	farms	916	7	45	75	280	297	212
	acres	131,957	(D)	(D)	8,390	21,939	58,642	33,546
Family held	farms	800	7	33	71	242	253	194
	acres	113,362	(D)	(D)	8,139	19,218	50,872	30,163
More than 10 stockholders	farms	39	-	6	4	5	12	12
10 or less stockholders	farms	761	7	27	67	237	241	182
Other than family held	farms	116	-	12	4	38	44	18
	acres	18,595	-	4,470	251	2,721	7,770	3,383
More than 10 stockholders	farms	17	-	1	1	1	9	5
10 or less stockholders	farms	99	-	11	3	37	35	13
Other-cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc	farms	466	-	26	49	126	124	141
	acres	52,090	-	916	8,026	15,824	13,267	14,057
HIRED FARM LABOR								
Hired farm labor	farms	4,195	26	306	443	1,116	1,321	983
	workers	13,401	144	827	1,381	3,471	4,536	3,042
Workers by days worked:								
150 days or more	farms	1,465	9	70	155	426	479	326
	workers	3,797	17	147	349	1,028	1,379	877
Less than 150 days	farms	3,293	19	262	335	854	1,024	799
	workers	9,604	127	680	1,032	2,443	3,157	2,165
Migrant farm labor on farms with hired labor (see text)	farms	67	-	7	8	15	21	16
Migrant farm labor on farms reporting only contract labor (see text)	farms	20	-	4	8	8	-	-
Unpaid workers (see text)	farms	13,997	61	943	1,938	4,141	4,074	2,840
	workers	36,028	145	2,468	5,802	11,358	9,643	6,612
FARMS BY SIZE								
1 to 9 acres		3,350	41	435	512	989	840	533
10 to 49 acres		10,688	53	713	1,475	2,953	3,195	2,299
50 to 69 acres		3,369	15	160	419	919	1,050	806
70 to 99 acres		3,555	19	189	423	915	1,161	848
100 to 139 acres		3,066	14	143	346	823	939	801
140 to 179 acres		1,642	4	58	161	462	500	457
180 to 219 acres		985	3	46	86	278	302	270
220 to 259 acres		581	-	23	59	183	175	141
260 to 499 acres		1,070	-	43	121	238	358	310
500 to 999 acres		299	3	3	30	59	114	90
1,000 to 1,999 acres		45	-	1	2	12	16	14
2,000 acres or more		21	-	1	-	3	10	7
FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM (NAICS)								
Oilseed and grain farming (1111)		3,625	46	374	473	995	1,064	673
Vegetable and melon farming (1112)		695	3	101	113	190	189	99
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113)		1,037	9	62	119	284	331	232
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114)		1,484	6	86	147	379	520	346
Other crop farming (1119)		10,783	25	360	1,038	2,591	3,452	3,317
Tobacco farming (11191)		21	-	11	1	6	3	-
Cotton farming (11192)		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193,11194,11199)		10,762	25	349	1,037	2,585	3,449	3,317
Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111)		4,210	17	323	662	1,317	1,176	715
Cattle feedlots (112112)		203	-	20	43	63	56	21
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212)		450	9	72	91	100	117	61
Hog and pig farming (1122)		293	4	52	74	83	63	17
Poultry and egg production (1123)		848	6	97	130	300	199	116
Sheep and goat farming (1124)		1,337	12	106	241	385	359	234
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129)		3,706	15	162	503	1,147	1,134	745
LIVESTOCK								
Cattle and calves inventory	farms	9,339	59	839	1,475	2,880	2,600	1,486
	number	207,448	726	20,355	34,957	60,879	60,923	29,608
Farms with-								
1 to 9		4,317	35	399	713	1,320	1,141	709
10 to 49		4,098	24	341	607	1,304	1,179	643
50 to 99		570	-	52	88	173	173	84
100 to 199		249	-	30	47	57	74	41

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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
LIVESTOCK - Con.								
Cattle and calves inventory - Con.								
Farms with- - Con.								
200 to 499	1,422	1,325	17	149	242	361	351	205
500 or more	279	271	-	18	28	75	89	61
Cows and heifers that calved ... farms	18,960	12,229	157	1,575	2,012	2,607	2,726	3,152
number	680,584	601,344	7,579	77,668	108,313	152,006	146,206	109,572
Beef cows ... farms	11,880	5,860	17	291	500	1,008	1,537	2,507
number	148,249	89,869	510	4,495	7,293	17,373	24,333	35,865
Farms with-								
1 to 9	6,978	3,004	9	141	278	521	764	1,291
10 to 49	4,522	2,566	4	133	195	427	693	1,114
50 to 99	290	217	2	14	20	42	64	75
100 to 199	73	60	2	3	6	12	11	26
200 to 499	15	11	-	-	1	5	4	1
500 or more	2	2	-	-	-	1	1	-
Milk cows ... farms	7,829	6,941	146	1,359	1,581	1,740	1,335	780
number	532,335	511,475	7,069	73,173	101,020	134,633	121,873	73,707
Farms with-								
1 to 9	1,077	588	18	95	108	125	124	118
10 to 49	2,823	2,576	75	608	668	600	403	222
50 to 99	2,725	2,611	43	555	635	680	452	246
100 to 199	882	856	10	93	141	254	242	116
200 to 499	246	234	-	7	22	60	84	61
500 or more	76	76	-	1	7	21	30	17
Other cattle (see text) ... farms	21,574	14,219	182	1,826	2,404	3,055	3,207	3,545
number	945,790	817,582	9,472	107,299	158,548	209,242	195,386	137,635
Cattle and calves sold ... farms	19,381	13,182	164	1,715	2,229	2,822	2,973	3,279
number	880,431	756,451	12,865	118,379	160,421	185,713	164,581	114,492
$1,000	717,085	598,490	7,265	77,816	123,796	148,103	142,347	99,163
Calves weighing less than 500 pounds ... farms	9,316	7,335	141	1,266	1,433	1,635	1,511	1,349
number	345,973	316,612	8,295	69,636	65,764	74,766	60,986	37,165
Cattle, including calves weighing 500 pounds or more ... farms	17,600	12,058	151	1,545	2,058	2,611	2,743	2,950
number	534,458	439,839	4,570	48,743	94,657	110,947	103,595	77,327
Cattle on feed (see text) ... farms	1,702	1,351	2	86	239	311	385	328
number	135,534	116,133	(D)	(D)	28,528	32,036	29,562	20,240
Hogs and pigs inventory ... farms	3,097	1,667	27	209	299	457	370	305
number	1,134,957	968,075	4,316	104,645	226,959	303,273	238,531	90,351
Farms with-								
1 to 24	2,182	961	17	130	173	250	192	199
25 to 49	194	118	1	12	14	37	32	22
50 to 99	81	61	6	-	7	11	22	15
100 to 199	78	62	-	7	7	15	15	18
200 to 499	99	80	-	2	22	30	14	12
500 or more	463	385	3	58	76	114	95	39
Used or to be used for breeding ... farms	1,178	655	13	70	128	196	131	117
number	103,064	99,783	148	6,607	42,678	28,155	20,097	2,098
Other hogs and pigs ... farms	2,792	1,527	24	197	269	422	342	273
number	1,031,893	868,292	4,168	98,038	184,281	275,118	218,434	88,253
Hogs and pigs sold ... farms	2,672	1,464	24	169	267	405	321	278
number	4,677,032	4,191,440	8,861	479,565	1,226,632	1,200,009	1,016,800	259,573
$1,000	457,916	406,455	1,487	42,333	96,430	122,793	100,648	42,763
Sheep and lambs inventory (see text) ... farms	3,590	1,671	15	160	192	355	381	568
number	96,648	53,685	1,039	3,936	6,151	10,179	13,111	19,269
Ewes 1 year old or older ... farms	2,877	1,338	14	115	151	285	300	473
number	58,459	33,017	802	2,407	4,068	6,352	8,077	11,311
Sheep and lambs sold ... farms	2,315	1,129	10	105	153	238	229	394
number	64,072	39,031	179	2,880	3,578	6,265	8,569	17,560
Total horses and ponies inventory ... farms	16,426	8,575	93	1,194	1,517	1,845	1,868	2,058
number	119,900	69,236	531	7,336	12,103	15,933	17,374	15,959
Owned horses and ponies inventory ... farms	15,752	8,248	91	1,171	1,494	1,780	1,791	1,921
number	96,554	54,386	480	6,097	9,610	12,293	13,299	12,607
Owned horses and ponies sold ... farms	2,963	1,712	15	292	349	370	367	319
number	10,177	6,554	21	710	1,098	1,394	2,010	1,321
Goats, all inventory ... farms	4,088	1,747	20	177	307	374	423	446
number	50,174	24,888	368	1,864	3,876	6,322	5,806	6,652
Goats, all sold ... farms	1,931	831	13	83	143	158	233	201
number	24,749	12,339	214	741	2,219	2,709	2,899	3,557
POULTRY								
Layers inventory (see text) ... farms	9,539	4,923	67	778	961	1,109	1,022	986
number	25,147,630	23,840,808	(D)	(D)	4,488,900	11,525,891	4,990,655	1,827,568
Farms with-								
1 to 399	9,069	4,522	64	723	866	978	942	949
400 to 3,199	123	100	1	9	25	26	24	15
3,200 to 9,999	83	69	1	22	13	23	8	2
10,000 to 19,999	81	60	-	11	14	26	6	3
20,000 to 49,999	64	59	-	10	12	19	12	6
50,000 to 99,999	68	64	1	3	17	20	15	8
100,000 or more	51	49	-	-	14	17	15	3
Pullets for laying flock replacement inventory ... farms	1,061	602	5	56	100	162	150	129
number	7,291,936	6,565,711	(D)	(D)	1,039,392	2,038,287	2,065,091	1,158,422

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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
LIVESTOCK - Con.								
Cattle and calves inventory - Con.								
Farms with- - Con.								
200 to 499	farms	97	-	17	19	21	32	8
500 or more	farms	8	-	-	1	5	1	1
Cows and heifers that calved	farms	6,731	32	540	1,020	2,107	1,872	1,160
	number	79,240	214	6,239	11,889	23,099	23,988	13,811
Beef cows	farms	6,020	14	428	857	1,908	1,728	1,085
	number	58,380	135	4,067	6,991	18,394	18,206	10,587
Farms with-								
1 to 9	farms	3,974	9	279	589	1,293	1,098	706
10 to 49	farms	1,956	5	144	261	585	596	365
50 to 99	farms	73	-	4	7	23	29	10
100 to 199	farms	13	-	-	-	6	3	4
200 to 499	farms	4	-	1	-	1	2	-
500 or more	farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Milk cows	farms	888	18	132	202	245	192	99
	number	20,860	79	2,172	4,898	4,705	5,782	3,224
Farms with-								
1 to 9	farms	489	15	83	113	140	87	51
10 to 49	farms	247	3	36	56	69	59	24
50 to 99	farms	114	-	13	24	27	35	15
100 to 199	farms	26	-	-	2	8	9	7
200 to 499	farms	12	-	-	7	1	2	2
500 or more	farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other cattle (see text)	farms	7,355	53	685	1,190	2,281	2,046	1,100
	number	128,208	512	14,116	23,068	37,780	36,935	15,797
Cattle and calves sold	farms	6,199	34	573	1,029	1,892	1,726	945
	number	123,980	198	8,477	18,607	53,179	27,850	15,669
	$1,000	118,595	126	8,734	15,110	53,070	26,571	14,984
Calves weighing less than 500 pounds	farms	1,981	15	215	333	608	509	301
	number	29,361	59	1,508	7,513	10,470	6,629	3,182
Cattle, including calves weighing 500 pounds or more	farms	5,542	32	503	918	1,668	1,595	826
	number	94,619	139	6,969	11,094	42,709	21,221	12,487
Cattle on feed (see text)	farms	351	-	38	55	101	120	37
	number	19,401	-	2,145	2,951	6,342	6,104	1,859
Hogs and pigs inventory	farms	1,430	17	187	336	483	278	129
	number	166,882	338	17,337	39,806	58,732	35,385	15,284
Farms with-								
1 to 24	farms	1,221	15	152	291	423	227	113
25 to 49	farms	76	-	17	21	24	10	4
50 to 99	farms	20	2	3	2	4	8	1
100 to 199	farms	16	-	5	1	2	4	4
200 to 499	farms	19	-	-	5	4	10	-
500 or more	farms	78	-	10	16	26	19	7
Used or to be used for breeding	farms	523	10	58	126	171	109	49
	number	3,281	203	603	461	760	1,019	235
Other hogs and pigs	farms	1,265	13	180	299	422	241	110
	number	163,601	135	16,734	39,345	57,972	34,366	15,049
Hogs and pigs sold	farms	1,208	12	165	315	387	237	92
	number	485,592	178	78,829	126,506	153,509	97,352	29,218
	$1,000	51,461	18	6,753	12,905	11,370	15,355	5,059
Sheep and lambs inventory (see text)	farms	1,919	19	159	321	554	512	354
	number	42,963	428	3,364	7,063	13,011	11,283	7,814
Ewes 1 year old or older	farms	1,539	16	129	235	453	422	284
	number	25,442	310	1,658	4,040	8,162	6,902	4,370
Sheep and lambs sold	farms	1,186	11	109	198	357	306	205
	number	25,041	234	2,162	4,462	7,907	5,606	4,670
Total horses and ponies inventory	farms	7,851	46	563	1,129	2,461	2,303	1,349
	number	50,664	149	2,829	6,770	15,730	15,960	9,226
Owned horses and ponies inventory	farms	7,504	43	536	1,092	2,353	2,209	1,271
	number	42,168	126	2,450	5,952	13,050	13,246	7,344
Owned horses and ponies sold	farms	1,251	14	123	223	366	344	181
	number	3,623	17	372	722	1,008	943	561
Goats, all inventory	farms	2,341	11	206	457	834	533	300
	number	25,286	146	2,455	4,844	9,199	5,956	2,686
Goats, all sold	farms	1,100	10	111	267	375	225	112
	number	12,410	189	1,561	2,218	4,276	2,668	1,498
POULTRY								
Layers inventory (see text)	farms	4,616	21	412	910	1,591	1,135	547
	number	1,306,822	431	431,077	262,149	466,702	90,907	55,556
Farms with-								
1 to 399	farms	4,547	21	392	895	1,577	1,121	541
400 to 3,199	farms	23	-	6	5	3	7	2
3,200 to 9,999	farms	14	-	1	2	3	5	3
10,000 to 19,999	farms	21	-	9	5	6	1	-
20,000 to 49,999	farms	5	-	1	2	-	1	1
50,000 to 99,999	farms	4	-	3	1	-	-	-
100,000 or more	farms	2	-	-	-	2	-	-
Pullets for laying flock replacement inventory	farms	459	3	66	70	155	103	62
	number	726,225	3	117,899	196,905	203,655	(D)	(D)

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Item	Total farming and other occupations	Farming						
		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
POULTRY - Con.								
Layers sold (see text) ..... farms	1,808	1,120	26	173	232	312	182	195
number	13,567,651	12,741,761	236,579	455,884	1,884,887	6,431,139	2,246,664	1,486,608
Pullets for laying flock replacement sold ..... farms	259	185	3	24	27	57	40	34
number	15,612,631	13,955,173	(D)	(D)	2,177,865	5,020,672	3,408,483	2,291,591
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold ..... farms	1,395	864	8	126	178	227	219	106
number	166,691,355	144,950,148	(D)	17,269,539	33,215,649	42,170,752	38,420,945	(D)
Farms with-								
1 to 1,999	831	407	7	65	66	102	104	63
2,000 to 59,999	106	83	-	14	34	22	9	4
60,000 to 99,999	29	19	-	7	4	1	3	4
100,000 or more	429	355	1	40	74	102	103	35
Turkeys inventory (see text) ..... farms	935	516	6	40	109	133	133	95
number	2,955,993	(D)	(D)	(D)	482,741	537,186	1,463,322	202,186
Turkeys sold (see text) ..... farms	485	328	3	37	74	90	81	43
number	8,507,490	8,009,725	(D)	(D)	1,081,098	1,491,386	4,482,948	668,793
CROPS HARVESTED								
Barley for grain ..... farms	2,626	2,174	24	237	354	534	610	415
acres	52,853	47,151	297	3,732	7,843	11,880	14,025	9,374
bushels	3,816,281	3,415,569	20,123	280,459	591,557	810,881	1,003,089	709,460
Irrigated ..... farms	33	31	-	5	10	6	7	3
acres	51	(D)	-	5	19	13	9	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres	1,982	1,581	24	198	245	374	433	307
25 to 99 acres	597	548	-	34	107	150	161	96
100 to 249 acres	41	39	-	5	1	9	15	9
250 to 499 acres	6	6	-	-	1	1	1	3
500 acres or more	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Corn for grain ..... farms	16,800	12,061	137	1,367	1,837	2,630	2,898	3,192
acres	998,376	856,454	3,685	51,802	117,877	209,578	270,906	202,606
bushels	125,500,345	108,718,824	467,202	6,960,944	15,168,219	26,582,921	34,350,524	25,189,014
Irrigated ..... farms	335	272	-	42	71	66	52	41
acres	5,099	4,381	-	271	543	1,691	709	1,167
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres	8,736	5,546	89	860	969	1,018	1,043	1,567
25 to 99 acres	5,624	4,344	41	412	594	1,089	1,131	1,077
100 to 249 acres	1,717	1,497	7	67	184	366	478	395
250 to 499 acres	464	426	-	21	44	91	164	106
500 acres or more	259	248	-	7	46	66	82	47
Corn for silage or greenchop ..... farms	9,752	8,329	127	1,328	1,742	2,071	1,821	1,240
acres	412,695	384,374	3,809	41,209	75,247	96,642	100,738	66,729
tons	7,205,366	6,742,734	78,470	757,280	1,401,548	1,642,285	1,715,726	1,147,425
Irrigated ..... farms	216	189	-	45	51	57	28	8
acres	1,794	1,730	-	193	498	742	266	31
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres	4,959	3,894	56	716	893	902	733	594
25 to 99 acres	3,955	3,621	69	558	718	943	848	485
100 to 249 acres	684	663	2	51	116	192	178	124
250 to 499 acres	113	111	-	3	9	28	45	26
500 acres or more	41	40	-	-	6	6	17	11
Dry edible beans, excluding limas ..... farms	21	16	-	2	3	5	2	4
acres	608	573	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
cwt	14,617	14,047	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Irrigated ..... farms	4	2	-	-	-	-	2	-
acres	(D)	(D)	-	-	-	-	(D)	-
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres	17	13	-	2	2	3	2	4
25 to 99 acres	3	2	-	-	1	1	-	-
100 to 249 acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
250 to 499 acres	1	1	-	-	-	1	-	-
500 acres or more	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Oats for grain ..... farms	4,524	2,991	19	171	258	643	814	1,086
acres	65,158	50,778	204	2,220	4,486	13,092	14,556	16,220
bushels	3,802,765	3,022,503	10,092	136,262	270,451	817,599	874,227	913,872
Irrigated ..... farms	39	25	-	2	8	5	6	4
acres	113	59	-	(D)	8	7	19	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres	3,890	2,439	18	154	208	481	636	942
25 to 99 acres	578	500	1	16	43	146	167	127
100 to 249 acres	50	46	-	1	6	15	10	14
250 to 499 acres	6	6	-	-	1	1	1	3
500 acres or more	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sorghum for grain ..... farms	75	58	1	3	11	14	15	14
acres	2,170	1,454	(D)	(D)	340	200	335	451
bushels	165,396	128,140	(D)	(D)	27,050	18,885	19,410	52,584
Irrigated ..... farms	2	2	-	-	1	-	1	-
acres	(D)	(D)	-	-	(D)	-	(D)	-
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres	57	46	1	1	8	12	13	11
25 to 99 acres	12	8	-	2	1	2	1	2
100 to 249 acres	5	3	-	-	2	-	1	-
250 to 499 acres	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
500 acres or more	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Soybeans for beans ..... farms	7,718	5,714	59	535	815	1,301	1,538	1,466
acres	519,718	451,198	1,479	21,879	65,877	113,934	142,980	105,049
bushels	25,008,038	21,765,491	74,496	1,076,544	3,167,711	5,557,622	6,870,721	5,018,397

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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
POULTRY - Con.								
Layers sold (see text)	farms	688	4	110	158	202	131	83
	number	825,890	162	203,429	173,349	356,886	22,553	69,511
Pullets for laying flock replacement sold	farms	74	-	4	21	22	17	10
	number	1,657,458	-	(D)	322,007	420,516	(D)	(D)
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold	farms	531	5	79	118	179	98	52
	number	21,741,207	395,080	3,424,023	4,197,036	8,188,408	3,761,610	1,775,050
Farms with-								
1 to 1,999		424	2	64	96	145	77	40
2,000 to 59,999		23	-	3	4	6	5	5
60,000 to 99,999		10	-	-	3	2	3	2
100,000 or more		74	3	12	15	26	13	5
Turkeys inventory (see text)	farms	419	3	35	73	177	88	43
	number	(D)	21	206	(D)	64,199	60,614	(D)
Turkeys sold (see text)	farms	157	-	13	37	51	39	17
	number	497,765	-	83	(D)	196,340	154,797	(D)
CROPS HARVESTED								
Barley for grain	farms	452	2	45	57	127	154	67
	acres	5,702	(D)	(D)	733	1,190	2,323	888
	bushels	400,712	(D)	(D)	47,465	76,833	179,087	59,202
Irrigated	farms	2	-	-	-	-	-	2
	acres	(D)	-	-	-	-	-	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres		401	2	41	53	119	128	58
25 to 99 acres		49	-	4	4	8	25	8
100 to 249 acres		2	-	-	-	-	1	1
250 to 499 acres		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
500 acres or more		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Corn for grain	farms	4,739	41	470	686	1,385	1,425	732
	acres	141,922	1,340	13,851	21,752	38,857	44,027	22,095
	bushels	16,781,521	210,733	1,722,910	2,545,602	4,639,496	5,165,109	2,497,671
Irrigated	farms	63	-	18	11	19	12	3
	acres	718	-	19	(D)	108	160	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres		3,190	29	313	476	924	976	472
25 to 99 acres		1,280	9	130	171	399	357	214
100 to 249 acres		220	-	23	30	49	78	40
250 to 499 acres		38	3	4	4	11	12	4
500 acres or more		11	-	-	5	2	2	2
Corn for silage or greenchop	farms	1,423	23	165	245	386	385	219
	acres	28,321	374	3,606	4,196	7,909	7,717	4,519
	tons	462,632	6,848	67,937	68,421	124,327	121,541	73,558
Irrigated	farms	27	-	1	6	14	4	2
	acres	64	-	(D)	8	24	4	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres		1,065	19	124	182	297	284	159
25 to 99 acres		334	4	40	61	80	95	54
100 to 249 acres		21	-	-	2	7	6	6
250 to 499 acres		2	-	-	-	2	-	-
500 acres or more		1	-	1	-	-	-	-
Dry edible beans, excluding limas	farms	5	-	-	1	3	-	1
	acres	35	-	-	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
	cwt	570	-	-	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
Irrigated	farms	2	-	-	-	2	-	-
	acres	(D)	-	-	-	(D)	-	-
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres		4	-	-	1	3	-	-
25 to 99 acres		1	-	-	-	-	-	1
100 to 249 acres		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
250 to 499 acres		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
500 acres or more		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Oats for grain	farms	1,533	16	112	215	472	488	230
	acres	14,380	183	929	1,804	4,379	4,967	2,118
	bushels	780,262	10,713	47,637	91,917	242,481	274,065	113,449
Irrigated	farms	14	-	1	5	7	-	1
	acres	54	-	(D)	7	(D)	-	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres		1,451	13	109	205	449	458	217
25 to 99 acres		78	3	3	9	21	29	13
100 to 249 acres		4	-	-	1	2	1	-
250 to 499 acres		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
500 acres or more		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sorghum for grain	farms	17	-	2	-	6	5	4
	acres	716	-	(D)	-	(D)	460	170
	bushels	37,256	-	(D)	-	(D)	22,148	8,041
Irrigated	farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres		11	-	2	-	5	3	1
25 to 99 acres		4	-	-	-	1	-	3
100 to 249 acres		2	-	-	-	-	2	-
250 to 499 acres		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
500 acres or more		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Soybeans for beans	farms	2,004	29	213	294	550	593	325
	acres	68,520	906	5,958	9,693	20,699	21,332	9,932
	bushels	3,242,547	40,423	277,953	464,143	972,982	1,004,985	482,061

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

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

Item	Total farming and other occupations	Farming						
		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
CROPS HARVESTED - Con.								
Soybeans for beans - Con.								
Irrigated ..... farms	129	100	-	12	10	38	24	16
acres	1,162	952	-	66	68	485	258	75
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres	3,420	2,227	32	304	319	459	531	582
25 to 99 acres	3,011	2,344	26	195	333	561	623	606
100 to 249 acres	865	741	1	25	100	177	248	190
250 to 499 acres	275	260	-	9	44	59	84	64
500 acres or more	147	142	-	2	19	45	52	24
Sunflower seed, all ..... farms	30	25	-	2	2	4	10	7
acres	657	600	-	(D)	(D)	127	106	(D)
pounds	593,682	(D)	-	(D)	(D)	145,250	(D)	179,112
Irrigated ..... farms	6	6	-	-	-	-	6	-
acres	10	10	-	-	-	-	10	-
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres	21	17	-	2	-	1	8	6
25 to 99 acres	8	7	-	-	2	3	2	-
100 to 249 acres	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
250 to 499 acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
500 acres or more	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tobacco ..... farms	1,312	1,221	38	353	407	259	114	50
acres	9,532	9,039	225	2,245	2,891	2,358	939	381
pounds	22,119,230	21,094,648	578,224	5,310,244	6,777,813	5,424,114	2,205,485	798,768
Irrigated ..... farms	36	36	-	12	13	2	8	1
acres	139	139	-	31	41	(D)	59	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:								
0.1 to 0.9 acres	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1.0 to 1.9 acres	36	26	8	4	3	6	2	3
2.0 to 2.9 acres	80	66	2	36	10	9	8	1
3.0 to 4.9 acres	241	217	3	66	83	33	20	12
5.0 to 9.9 acres	646	626	22	198	223	110	51	22
10.0 to 24.9 acres	287	274	3	49	87	93	32	10
25.0 acres or more	12	12	-	-	1	8	1	2
Wheat for grain, all ..... farms	4,053	3,157	17	213	416	745	875	891
acres	144,725	127,429	234	5,156	16,888	30,761	42,609	31,781
bushels	9,037,847	8,073,625	14,332	324,028	1,143,149	1,924,486	2,736,991	1,930,639
Irrigated ..... farms	77	63	1	6	10	24	14	8
acres	232	193	(D)	(D)	40	30	62	46
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres	2,552	1,841	14	148	231	442	464	542
25 to 99 acres	1,185	1,021	3	58	150	219	305	286
100 to 249 acres	234	218	-	6	28	62	74	48
250 to 499 acres	71	66	-	1	6	19	28	12
500 acres or more	11	11	-	-	1	3	4	3
Forage-land used for all hay and all haylage, grass silage, and greenchop (see text) ..... farms	33,131	19,424	177	1,935	2,702	3,909	4,625	6,076
acres	1,651,917	1,207,267	7,970	81,490	151,823	293,497	328,967	343,520
tons, dry	4,505,059	3,487,287	27,291	286,889	482,268	870,950	933,807	886,082
Irrigated ..... farms	439	319	1	45	76	82	59	56
acres	4,025	3,511	(D)	(D)	1,000	995	622	805
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres	15,044	7,217	74	853	1,078	1,253	1,587	2,372
25 to 99 acres	13,978	8,878	87	887	1,257	1,790	2,034	2,823
100 to 249 acres	3,389	2,675	14	168	288	672	809	724
250 to 499 acres	572	517	1	26	62	158	146	124
500 acres or more	148	137	1	1	17	36	49	33
Alfalfa hay ..... farms	12,794	8,876	97	1,142	1,560	1,926	1,934	2,217
acres	400,984	306,215	2,252	24,299	48,472	72,233	75,210	83,749
tons, dry	1,139,714	901,440	7,870	75,293	148,888	218,213	220,768	230,408
Irrigated ..... farms	218	175	-	26	52	51	26	20
acres	811	694	-	44	278	249	84	39
Other tame hay ..... farms	16,901	9,297	54	656	885	1,827	2,498	3,377
acres	710,021	478,087	1,381	23,056	41,944	112,769	138,321	160,616
tons, dry	1,569,081	1,077,601	2,887	55,983	94,014	255,546	318,925	350,246
Irrigated ..... farms	160	99	-	7	22	19	31	20
acres	991	756	-	11	89	102	87	467
Field and grass seed crops, all ..... farms	21	15	-	1	-	2	5	7
acres	320	280	-	(D)	-	(D)	79	(D)
Irrigated ..... farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Land in vegetables (see text) ..... farms	3,968	2,780	39	426	575	597	642	501
acres	48,622	43,094	359	2,761	7,246	9,871	14,725	8,132
Irrigated ..... farms	1,684	1,274	24	265	286	294	271	134
acres	13,351	11,551	208	1,384	2,507	2,778	3,572	1,102
Farms by acres harvested:								
0.1 to 4.9 acres	2,401	1,457	23	246	331	275	316	266
5.0 to 24.9 acres	1,222	1,005	12	158	202	236	233	164
25.0 to 99.9 acres	253	233	4	22	24	67	56	60
100.0 to 249.9 acres	67	61	-	-	14	15	26	6
250.0 acres or more	25	24	-	-	4	4	11	5
Beans, snap ..... farms	1,181	830	12	122	172	167	222	135
acres	10,723	10,331	4	71	1,628	1,626	5,169	1,835
Harvested for processing ..... farms	149	112	-	8	15	14	45	30
acres	9,475	9,212	-	4	1,529	1,276	4,722	1,681
Peas, green ..... farms	109	88	-	7	28	17	16	20
acres	95	89	-	1	30	8	10	41

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

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

Item		Other occupations						
		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
CROPS HARVESTED - Con.								
Soybeans for beans - Con.								
Irrigated	farms	29	-	9	3	8	9	-
	acres	210	-	(D)	(D)	51	123	-
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres		1,193	19	145	171	311	354	193
25 to 99 acres		667	7	55	105	194	194	112
100 to 249 acres		124	3	13	16	38	37	17
250 to 499 acres		15	-	-	2	4	6	3
500 acres or more		5	-	-	-	3	2	-
Sunflower seed, all	farms	5	-	-	2	1	2	-
	acres	57	-	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	-
	pounds	(D)	-	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	-
Irrigated	farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres		4	-	-	1	1	2	-
25 to 99 acres		1	-	-	1	-	-	-
100 to 249 acres		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
250 to 499 acres		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
500 acres or more		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tobacco	farms	91	-	28	13	31	17	2
	acres	493	-	184	(D)	115	96	(D)
	pounds	1,024,582	-	375,929	186,860	271,954	(D)	(D)
Irrigated	farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Farms by acres harvested:								
0.1 to 0.9 acres		10	-	6	1	2	1	-
1.0 to 1.9 acres		10	-	-	-	8	2	-
2.0 to 2.9 acres		14	-	5	5	2	1	1
3.0 to 4.9 acres		24	-	6	3	10	5	-
5.0 to 9.9 acres		20	-	6	1	9	3	1
10.0 to 24.9 acres		13	-	5	3	-	5	-
25.0 acres or more		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wheat for grain, all	farms	896	10	88	129	237	277	155
	acres	17,296	428	1,265	2,072	4,658	5,938	2,935
	bushels	964,222	26,620	62,104	103,979	249,409	366,896	155,214
Irrigated	farms	14	-	6	4	2	2	-
	acres	39	-	6	17	(D)	(D)	-
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres		711	7	72	110	181	222	119
25 to 99 acres		164	3	16	13	51	46	35
100 to 249 acres		16	-	-	6	4	5	1
250 to 499 acres		5	-	-	-	1	4	-
500 acres or more		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Forage-land used for all hay and all haylage, grass silage, and greenchop (see text)	farms	13,707	67	887	1,787	3,898	4,272	2,796
	acres	444,650	1,788	23,387	56,622	128,195	142,743	91,915
	tons, dry	1,017,772	3,549	58,325	129,349	294,920	324,134	207,495
Irrigated	farms	120	-	25	14	41	24	16
	acres	514	-	28	48	252	134	52
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres		7,827	50	538	1,052	2,195	2,383	1,609
25 to 99 acres		5,100	14	322	631	1,464	1,633	1,036
100 to 249 acres		714	3	27	86	221	237	140
250 to 499 acres		55	-	-	18	15	15	7
500 acres or more		11	-	-	-	3	4	4
Alfalfa hay	farms	3,918	39	321	533	1,156	1,185	684
	acres	94,769	527	5,260	10,882	30,004	29,318	18,778
	tons, dry	238,274	1,216	13,595	26,243	74,545	74,136	48,539
Irrigated	farms	43	-	15	7	12	8	1
	acres	117	-	(D)	17	56	28	(D)
Other tame hay	farms	7,604	35	491	992	2,232	2,390	1,464
	acres	231,934	751	12,113	29,605	66,033	77,832	45,600
	tons, dry	491,480	1,397	29,056	63,561	140,286	162,113	95,067
Irrigated	farms	61	-	10	7	22	9	13
	acres	235	-	13	11	94	78	39
Field and grass seed crops, all	farms	6	-	-	1	-	5	-
	acres	40	-	-	(D)	-	(D)	-
Irrigated	farms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	acres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Land in vegetables (see text)	farms	1,188	11	184	198	348	299	148
	acres	5,529	31	426	654	1,186	2,565	666
Irrigated	farms	410	5	82	86	102	103	32
	acres	1,800	12	167	151	271	1,051	148
Farms by acres harvested:								
0.1 to 4.9 acres		944	9	156	172	279	221	107
5.0 to 24.9 acres		217	2	28	22	58	69	38
25.0 to 99.9 acres		20	-	-	4	11	3	2
100.0 to 249.9 acres		6	-	-	-	-	5	1
250.0 acres or more		1	-	-	-	-	1	-
Beans, snap	farms	351	3	48	59	118	80	43
	acres	392	(Z)	9	126	119	76	61
Harvested for processing	farms	37	-	5	8	14	8	2
	acres	263	-	1	113	(D)	(D)	(D)
Peas, green	farms	21	-	8	-	6	2	5
	acres	5	-	3	-	1	(D)	(D)

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Item		Total farming and other occupations	Farming						
			Total	Age of operator (years)					
				Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
CROPS HARVESTED - Con.									
Land in vegetables (see text) - Con.									
Peas, green - Con.									
Harvested for processing	farms	11	10	-	-	8	-	-	2
	acres	(D)	(D)	-	-	3	-	-	(D)
Potatoes	farms	1,330	951	15	130	209	201	219	177
	acres	8,659	7,018	18	165	1,135	1,733	2,544	1,425
Harvested for processing	farms	113	82	-	4	17	11	31	19
	acres	4,087	3,688	-	1	472	1,056	1,817	341
Farms by acres harvested:									
0.1 to 4.9 acres		1,211	847	15	128	195	172	188	149
5.0 to 24.9 acres		54	45	-	2	7	17	8	11
25.0 to 99.9 acres		40	39	-	-	2	8	15	14
100.0 to 249.9 acres		23	19	-	-	5	3	8	3
250.0 acres or more		2	1	-	-	-	1	-	-
Sweet corn	farms	1,898	1,350	23	134	264	313	341	275
	acres	12,715	11,192	152	685	1,927	3,143	3,000	2,284
Harvested for processing	farms	164	97	-	10	22	23	18	24
	acres	650	589	-	6	(D)	(D)	269	123
Sweet potatoes	farms	93	66	-	11	21	16	12	6
	acres	50	41	-	4	8	11	14	5
Harvested for processing	farms	3	2	-	-	2	-	-	-
	acres	1	(D)	-	-	(D)	-	-	-
Tomatoes in the open	farms	1,720	1,213	13	199	258	254	274	215
	acres	2,655	2,383	15	223	606	355	801	383
Harvested for processing	farms	119	73	-	7	11	23	22	10
	acres	986	974	-	(D)	(D)	61	460	48
Land in orchards	farms	2,282	1,195	6	60	132	220	332	445
	acres	41,437	34,556	26	1,019	2,671	7,570	13,056	10,214
Irrigated	farms	313	217	1	21	20	46	68	61
	acres	3,708	3,315	(D)	238	(D)	989	1,012	894
Farms by bearing and nonbearing acres:									
0.1 to 4.9 acres		1,376	599	3	38	81	95	141	241
5.0 to 24.9 acres		622	353	3	10	31	74	105	130
25.0 to 99.9 acres		193	158	-	10	12	32	54	50
100.0 to 249.9 acres		66	61	-	2	6	13	22	18
250.0 acres or more		25	24	-	-	2	6	10	6
Apples	farms	1,542	805	2	40	92	145	237	289
	bearing and nonbearing acres	21,556	18,381	(D)	(D)	1,452	4,263	7,589	4,629
Grapes	farms	806	403	3	14	45	80	108	153
	bearing and nonbearing acres	12,415	10,258	24	176	906	2,053	3,289	3,810
Peaches, all	farms	899	558	3	40	69	132	149	165
	bearing and nonbearing acres	4,831	4,044	2	326	222	1,020	1,325	1,150
Almonds	farms	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	bearing and nonbearing acres	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pecans	farms	13	7	-	-	-	-	1	6
	bearing and nonbearing acres	12	5	-	-	-	-	(D)	(D)
Walnuts, English	farms	75	32	-	2	2	6	7	15
	bearing and nonbearing acres	61	21	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	6	9
Land in berries (see text)	farms	1,940	1,156	11	138	216	263	277	251
	acres	2,671	1,718	6	102	193	415	542	461

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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
CROPS HARVESTED - Con.								
Land in vegetables (see text) - Con.								
Peas, green - Con.								
Harvested for processing	farms	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
	acres	(D)	-	-	-	-	-	(D)
Potatoes	farms	379	3	58	69	102	108	39
	acres	1,641	1	20	87	72	1,399	61
Harvested for processing	farms	31	-	11	3	2	13	2
	acres	399	-	1	(Z)	(D)	397	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:								
0.1 to 4.9 acres		364	3	58	68	100	98	37
5.0 to 24.9 acres		9	-	-	-	2	5	2
25.0 to 99.9 acres		1	-	-	1	-	-	-
100.0 to 249.9 acres		4	-	-	-	-	4	-
250.0 acres or more		1	-	-	-	-	1	-
Sweet corn	farms	548	6	71	84	147	164	76
	acres	1,522	12	151	127	410	537	286
Harvested for processing	farms	67	6	2	21	21	10	7
	acres	61	(D)	(D)	19	11	13	11
Sweet potatoes	farms	27	-	2	4	7	9	5
	acres	9	-	(D)	3	(D)	2	2
Harvested for processing	farms	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
	acres	(D)	-	-	-	-	-	(D)
Tomatoes in the open	farms	507	3	66	94	148	126	70
	acres	272	1	28	38	74	86	45
Harvested for processing	farms	46	-	16	8	15	3	4
	acres	12	-	2	4	3	1	3
Land in orchards	farms	1,087	6	62	130	286	374	229
	acres	6,881	54	437	658	1,289	3,360	1,083
Irrigated	farms	96	3	15	19	15	29	15
	acres	393	9	23	56	73	210	23
Farms by bearing and nonbearing acres:								
0.1 to 4.9 acres		777	3	51	90	212	247	174
5.0 to 24.9 acres		269	3	8	36	67	107	48
25.0 to 99.9 acres		35	-	2	4	7	16	6
100.0 to 249.9 acres		5	-	1	-	-	3	1
250.0 acres or more		1	-	-	-	-	1	-
Apples	farms	737	3	45	83	193	233	180
	bearing and nonbearing acres	3,175	24	382	169	572	1,565	463
Grapes	farms	403	-	14	53	103	159	74
	bearing and nonbearing acres	2,157	-	17	365	416	946	414
Peaches, all	farms	341	6	24	40	101	105	65
	bearing and nonbearing acres	788	27	16	33	153	487	73
Almonds	farms	5	-	-	3	-	-	2
	bearing and nonbearing acres	5	-	-	(D)	-	-	(D)
Pecans	farms	6	-	-	3	-	3	-
	bearing and nonbearing acres	7	-	-	5	-	2	-
Walnuts, English	farms	43	-	2	3	11	16	11
	bearing and nonbearing acres	40	-	(D)	(D)	5	28	4
Land in berries (see text)	farms	784	8	99	114	244	194	125
	acres	953	8	46	97	307	251	244

[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.