

**Table 3. Farm Production Expenses: 2007 and 2002**

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Item	Connecticut	Fairfield	Hartford	Litchfield	Middlesex
Total farm production expenses <sup>1</sup> .....farms, 2007	4,916	310	790	979	393
2002	4,205	287	723	792	326
\$1,000, 2007	469,319	24,854	100,574	48,320	59,834
2002	397,687	22,249	93,023	27,818	37,834
Average per farm .....dollars, 2007	95,468	80,173	127,309	49,357	152,249
2002	94,575	77,522	128,663	35,124	116,055
Fertilizer, lime, and soil conditioners purchased .....farms, 2007	2,746	177	515	490	194
2002	2,236	119	448	404	171
\$1,000, 2007	15,142	737	5,150	1,765	545
2002	14,211	247	3,160	980	378
Chemicals purchased .....farms, 2007	1,545	108	323	256	97
2002	1,426	106	357	201	83
\$1,000, 2007	7,711	237	2,809	591	609
2002	6,681	158	2,584	701	409
Seeds, plants, vines, and trees .....farms, 2007	1,952	134	383	324	135
2002	1,794	116	324	284	136
\$1,000, 2007	45,871	1,523	3,862	3,102	9,822
2002	34,632	2,669	7,014	1,107	5,895
Livestock and poultry purchased or leased (see text) .....farms, 2007	1,077	71	131	207	91
2002	948	53	120	186	65
\$1,000, 2007	7,164	(D)	962	860	(D)
2002	8,644	93	3,691	847	371
Breeding livestock purchased or leased (see text) <sup>2</sup> .....farms, 2007	392	19	41	73	27
2002	361	1	11	90	44
\$1,000, 2007	2,058	(D)	223	369	(D)
2002	686	(D)	18	191	128
Other livestock and poultry purchased or leased (see text) .....farms, 2007	846	59	104	164	79
2002	701	52	110	143	32
\$1,000, 2007	5,106	143	739	491	300
2002	7,957	(D)	3,673	656	243
Feed purchased .....farms, 2007	2,458	151	313	529	234
2002	2,372	136	333	471	176
\$1,000, 2007	55,295	1,169	3,391	7,578	1,884
2002	42,832	429	1,883	5,143	644
Gasoline, fuels, and oils .....farms, 2007	4,709	291	753	951	384
2002	3,797	223	606	746	312
\$1,000, 2007	29,508	1,356	6,433	3,269	2,972
2002	13,064	831	2,872	1,634	1,327
Utilities (see text) .....farms, 2007	2,608	171	420	520	180
2002	2,244	130	388	330	171
\$1,000, 2007	12,894	925	2,437	1,995	1,114
2002	10,740	711	1,970	894	624
Supplies, repairs, and maintenance .....farms, 2007	4,326	265	690	877	349
2002	3,622	224	583	659	246
\$1,000, 2007	39,671	2,904	7,699	5,546	4,028
2002	36,823	2,264	7,102	3,441	1,622
Hired farm labor .....farms, 2007	1,140	111	226	211	71
2002	1,106	114	220	198	56
\$1,000, 2007	141,360	8,138	45,747	9,297	17,512
2002	127,084	8,968	37,467	4,460	11,741
Contract labor .....farms, 2007	274	25	40	49	14
2002	318	28	36	68	10
\$1,000, 2007	8,744	758	4,619	472	150
2002	5,211	229	3,105	455	142
Customwork and custom hauling .....farms, 2007	289	18	36	50	9
2002	383	2	23	60	6
\$1,000, 2007	2,501	(D)	368	456	(D)
2002	1,840	(D)	271	188	(D)
Cash rent for land, buildings, and grazing fees .....farms, 2007	624	30	147	131	34
2002	559	16	140	66	19
\$1,000, 2007	7,820	1,100	1,819	983	1,049
2002	6,104	92	2,130	621	392
Rent and lease expenses for machinery, equipment, and farm share of vehicles .....farms, 2007	203	17	35	38	20
2002	196	14	58	62	8
\$1,000, 2007	3,204	83	300	387	788
2002	3,410	(D)	1,015	275	(D)
Interest expense .....farms, 2007	975	48	176	173	76
2002	793	54	131	158	54
\$1,000, 2007	16,913	634	4,221	2,594	1,098
2002	9,036	902	2,086	1,147	757
Secured by real estate .....farms, 2007	747	33	130	123	56
2002	551	50	83	108	44
\$1,000, 2007	13,823	386	3,646	1,916	507
2002	7,256	804	1,681	721	568
Not secured by real estate .....farms, 2007	516	28	94	94	43
2002	351	8	67	76	15
\$1,000, 2007	3,089	248	575	678	591
2002	1,779	98	404	426	189
Property taxes paid .....farms, 2007	4,420	258	698	883	361
2002	3,753	259	546	717	299
\$1,000, 2007	23,053	1,460	4,132	4,538	1,819
2002	16,975	1,325	3,851	2,672	1,207
All other production expenses (see text) .....farms, 2007	2,698	167	433	535	207
2002	2,523	210	403	468	201
\$1,000, 2007	52,470	3,577	6,626	4,889	15,525
2002	60,401	3,249	12,821	3,251	12,242
Depreciation expenses claimed (see text) <sup>1</sup> .....farms, 2007	1,823	107	326	366	132
2002	1,259	117	210	308	43
\$1,000, 2007	29,707	2,292	4,453	3,590	3,137
2002	21,253	989	4,730	3,499	952

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Item		New Haven	New London	Tolland	Windham
Total farm production expenses <sup>1</sup>	farms, 2007	573	793	484	594
	2002	490	683	400	504
	\$1,000, 2007	75,005	90,348	32,466	37,918
	2002	48,908	109,681	29,126	29,048
Average per farm	dollars, 2007	130,899	113,931	67,079	63,835
	2002	99,813	160,587	72,814	57,634
Fertilizer, lime, and soil conditioners purchased	farms, 2007	345	421	274	330
	2002	240	371	231	252
	\$1,000, 2007	1,504	3,025	1,350	1,065
	2002	1,355	5,116	2,068	907
Chemicals purchased	farms, 2007	178	240	158	185
	2002	126	239	164	150
	\$1,000, 2007	1,124	1,001	868	472
	2002	687	702	967	473
Seeds, plants, vines, and trees	farms, 2007	274	278	190	234
	2002	226	337	155	216
	\$1,000, 2007	18,976	5,885	1,189	1,512
	2002	8,051	7,901	1,305	688
Livestock and poultry purchased or leased (see text)	farms, 2007	99	182	126	170
	2002	102	167	113	142
	\$1,000, 2007	220	3,056	591	931
	2002	1,150	1,997	275	218
Breeding livestock purchased or leased (see text) <sup>2</sup>	farms, 2007	24	76	65	67
	2002	49	87	56	23
	\$1,000, 2007	31	772	169	395
	2002	62	161	57	(D)
Other livestock and poultry purchased or leased (see text)	farms, 2007	87	139	90	124
	2002	80	88	77	119
	\$1,000, 2007	188	2,284	423	537
	2002	1,088	1,836	218	(D)
Feed purchased	farms, 2007	248	427	250	306
	2002	258	415	245	338
	\$1,000, 2007	2,399	27,279	4,064	7,531
	2002	1,507	24,774	2,805	5,648
Gasoline, fuels, and oils	farms, 2007	551	749	461	569
	2002	429	648	372	461
	\$1,000, 2007	6,985	3,415	2,393	2,685
	2002	2,297	2,018	997	1,088
Utilities (see text)	farms, 2007	321	416	269	311
	2002	266	403	271	285
	\$1,000, 2007	1,948	1,922	942	1,609
	2002	1,605	3,154	1,075	707
Supplies, repairs, and maintenance	farms, 2007	526	694	418	507
	2002	463	663	351	433
	\$1,000, 2007	6,395	6,317	3,141	3,642
	2002	4,975	11,067	3,281	3,071
Hired farm labor	farms, 2007	145	153	107	116
	2002	102	143	100	173
	\$1,000, 2007	22,842	20,170	9,213	8,442
	2002	15,055	33,020	8,310	8,064
Contract labor	farms, 2007	28	50	27	41
	2002	53	72	26	25
	\$1,000, 2007	926	337	1,171	312
	2002	368	143	681	89
Customwork and custom hauling	farms, 2007	28	64	27	57
	2002	18	135	63	76
	\$1,000, 2007	179	461	119	288
	2002	487	305	127	436
Cash rent for land, buildings, and grazing fees	farms, 2007	71	93	50	68
	2002	65	105	45	103
	\$1,000, 2007	1,367	632	395	475
	2002	594	553	1,080	642
Rent and lease expenses for machinery, equipment, and farm share of vehicles	farms, 2007	23	43	10	17
	2002	13	16	10	15
	\$1,000, 2007	622	835	96	93
	2002	114	1,499	264	102
Interest expense	farms, 2007	101	130	117	154
	2002	46	153	89	108
	\$1,000, 2007	1,868	2,588	2,012	1,898
	2002	741	1,554	934	915
Secured by real estate	farms, 2007	77	104	102	122
	2002	25	102	75	64
	\$1,000, 2007	1,702	2,259	1,788	1,619
	2002	506	1,422	764	790
Not secured by real estate	farms, 2007	46	69	62	80
	2002	29	62	36	58
	\$1,000, 2007	166	329	224	279
	2002	235	132	170	125
Property taxes paid	farms, 2007	502	723	444	551
	2002	425	642	371	494
	\$1,000, 2007	2,757	3,386	2,041	2,920
	2002	2,232	2,234	1,474	1,980
All other production expenses (see text)	farms, 2007	300	433	280	343
	2002	282	382	303	274
	\$1,000, 2007	4,893	10,038	2,881	4,041
	2002	7,691	13,644	3,484	4,018
Depreciation expenses claimed (see text) <sup>1</sup>	farms, 2007	207	302	162	221
	2002	106	205	126	144
	\$1,000, 2007	5,317	5,022	2,945	2,951
	2002	2,716	4,195	2,537	1,634

<sup>1</sup> 2002 data are based on a sample of farms.

<sup>2</sup> 2002 data do not include breeding livestock leased.