

**Table 53. Institutional, Research, Experimental, and American Indian Reservation Farms: 2012 and 2007**

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

| Characteristics  | 2012      | 2007      | Characteristics   | 2012    | 2007    |
|--|-----------|-----------|---|---------|---------|
| Farms .....number  | 51        | 44        | Market value of agricultural products sold (see text) - Con.                              |         |         |
| Land in farms .....acres   | 67,705    | 51,701    | Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops .....\$1,000                                | 8,322   | 3,804   |
| Average size of farm .....acres  | 1,328     | 1,175     | Livestock, poultry, and their products .....\$1,000                                       | 9,543   | 6,500   |
| Estimated value of land and buildings .....\$1,000   | 201,890   | 119,665   | Total farm production expenses .....\$1,000   | 14,448  | 11,650  |
| Average per farm .....dollars  | 3,958,622 | 2,719,657 | Average per farm .....dollars   | 283,288 | 264,776 |
| Average per acre .....dollars  | 2,982     | 2,315     | Government payments received .....farms   | 8       | 6       |
| Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment .....\$1,000   | 21,673    | 14,049    | .....\$1,000  | 144     | 109     |
| Land in farms according to use:  |           |           | Average per farm .....dollars   | 17,974  | 18,121  |
| Total cropland .....farms  | 38        | 37        | Income from farm-related sources (see text) .....farms                                    | 11      | 9       |
| .....acres   | 18,188    | 16,082    | .....\$1,000  | 1,368   | 50      |
| Harvested cropland .....farms  | 33        | 37        | Average per farm .....dollars   | 124,326 | 5,550   |
| .....acres   | 15,996    | 10,170    | Tenure of operator:   |         |         |
| Other pasture and grazing land that could have been used for crops without additional improvements (see text) .....farms | 5         | 8         | Full owners .....farms  | 43      | 35      |
| .....acres   | 524       | 1,614     | Part owners .....farms  | 7       | 5       |
| Other cropland .....farms  | 16        | 18        | Tenants .....farms  | 1       | 4       |
| .....acres   | 1,668     | 4,298     | Farms by North American Industry Classification System:                                   |         |         |
| Total woodland .....farms  | 18        | 14        | Oilseed and grain farming (1111) .....farms   | 7       | 6       |
| .....acres   | 12,596    | 6,442     | Vegetable and melon farming (1112) .....farms   | 3       | 4       |
| Woodland pastured .....farms   | 6         | 4         | Fruit and tree nut farming (1113) .....farms  | 1       | 4       |
| .....acres   | 2,086     | 118       | Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114) .....farms                        | 2       | -       |
| Woodland not pastured .....farms   | 16        | 14        | Other crop farming (1119) .....farms  | 13      | 5       |
| .....acres   | 10,510    | 6,324     | Tobacco farming (11191) .....farms  | -       | -       |
| Permanent pasture and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pastured (see text) .....farms                         | 28        | 21        | Cotton farming (11192) .....farms   | -       | -       |
| .....acres   | 18,563    | 24,765    | Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193,11194,11199) .....farms | 13      | 5       |
| Land in farmsteads, buildings, livestock facilities, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. ....farms                             | 40        | 35        | Beef cattle ranching and farming (11211) .....farms                                       | 8       | 11      |
| .....acres   | 18,358    | 4,412     | Cattle feedlots (11212) .....farms  | -       | -       |
| Irrigated land .....farms  | 12        | 13        | Dairy cattle and milk production (11212) .....farms                                       | 4       | 4       |
| .....acres   | 1,725     | 743       | Hog and pig farming (1122) .....farms   | 2       | 1       |
| Market value of agricultural products sold (see text) .....\$1,000   | 17,865    | 10,304    | Poultry and egg production (1123) .....farms  | 3       | 1       |
| Average per farm .....dollars  | 350,291   | 234,174   | Sheep and goat farming (1124) .....farms  | 2       | 1       |
|  |           |           | Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125,1129) .....farms                     | 6       | 7       |

**Table 54. Organic Agriculture: 2012**

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| Item  | 2012   | Item   | 2012 |
|---|--------|--|------|
| <b>VALUE OF SALES OF CERTIFIED OR EXEMPT ORGANICALLY PRODUCED COMMODITIES</b>                   |        | <b>PRINCIPAL OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS FOR FARMS WITH CERTIFIED OR EXEMPT ORGANIC PRODUCTION - Con.</b> |      |
| Total organic product sales (see text) .....farms   | 27     | Place of residence:  |      |
| .....\$1,000  | 2,445  | On farm operated .....farms  | 26   |
| Average per farm .....dollars   | 90,565 | Not on farm operated .....farms  | 5    |
| By value of sales:  |        | Days worked off farm:  |      |
| \$1 to \$4,999 .....farms   | 13     | None .....farms  | 5    |
| .....\$1,000  | 16     | Any .....farms   | 26   |
| \$5,000 to \$9,999 .....farms   | 7      | 1 to 49 days .....farms  | 6    |
| .....\$1,000  | (D)    | 50 to 99 days .....farms   | 3    |
| \$10,000 to \$24,999 .....farms   | 1      | 100 to 199 days .....farms   | 1    |
| .....\$1,000  | (D)    | 200 days or more .....farms  | 16   |
| \$25,000 to \$49,999 .....farms   | 3      | Years on present farm:   |      |
| .....\$1,000  | 78     | 2 years or less .....farms   | -    |
| \$50,000 or more .....farms   | 3      | 3 or 4 years .....farms  | 7    |
| .....\$1,000  | 2,292  | 5 to 9 years .....farms  | 12   |
| <b>TYPE OF PRODUCTION (SEE TEXT)</b>  |        | 10 years or more .....farms  | 12   |
| USDA National Organic Program certified organic production .....farms                           | 15     | Average years on present farm .....farms   | 12   |
| USDA National Organic Program organic production exempt from certification .....farms           | 16     | Age group:   |      |
| Acres transitioning into USDA National Organic Program organic production .....farms            | 14     | Under 25 years .....farms  | -    |
| <b>PRINCIPAL OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS FOR FARMS WITH CERTIFIED OR EXEMPT ORGANIC PRODUCTION</b> |        | 25 to 34 years .....farms  | -    |
| Sex of operator:  |        | 35 to 44 years .....farms  | 4    |
| Male .....farms   | 22     | 45 to 49 years .....farms  | 5    |
| Female .....farms   | 9      | 50 to 54 years .....farms  | 10   |
| Primary occupation:   |        | 55 to 59 years .....farms  | 2    |
| Farming .....farms  | 18     | 60 to 64 years .....farms  | 7    |
| Other .....farms  | 13     | 65 to 69 years .....farms  | 2    |
|   |        | 70 years and over .....farms   | 1    |
|   |        | Average age .....farms   | 54.1 |