

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

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

| Characteristics | Principal operator | | Characteristics | Principal operator | |
|--|--------------------|-----------|---|--------------------|-------|
| | 2012 | 2007 | | 2012 | 2007 |
| FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS | | | FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM (NAICS) - Con. | | |
| Farms number | 3,233 | 3,656 | Other crop farming (1119) - Con. | | |
| Land in farmsacres | 1,587,910 | 1,794,582 | Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199) | 2,221 | 2,641 |
| FARMS BY SIZE | | | Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111) | 326 | 319 |
| 1 to 9 acres | 97 | 43 | Cattle feedlots (112112) | 6 | 9 |
| 10 to 49 acres | 486 | 408 | Dairy cattle and milk production (11212) | 3 | 2 |
| 50 to 179 acres | 1,195 | 1,175 | Hog and pig farming (1122) | 6 | 7 |
| 180 to 499 acres | 849 | 1,175 | Poultry and egg production (1123) | 28 | 11 |
| 500 acres or more | 606 | 765 | Sheep and goat farming (1124) | 36 | 37 |
| OWNED AND RENTED LAND IN FARMS | | | Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129) | 329 | 251 |
| Owned land in farms farms | 3,098 | 3,519 | OTHER FARM CHARACTERISTICS | | |
| acres | 1,024,793 | 1,270,127 | Farms by- | | |
| Rented or leased land in farms farms | 404 | 465 | Type of organization (see text): | | |
| acres | 563,117 | 524,455 | Organization with 50 percent or more ownership interest held by operator and/or persons related by blood, marriage, or adoption | 3,099 | (NA) |
| TENURE | | | Limited Liability Corporation (see text) | 91 | (NA) |
| Full owners farms | 2,829 | 3,191 | Operation's legal status for tax purposes (see text): | | |
| acres | 795,628 | 1,004,372 | Family or individual | 2,826 | 3,203 |
| Part owners farms | 269 | 328 | Partnerships | 210 | 261 |
| acres | 588,274 | 598,068 | Corporations | 30 | 33 |
| Tenants farms | 135 | 137 | Other - cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc | 167 | 159 |
| acres | 204,008 | 192,142 | Number of operators: | | |
| MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS | | | 1 operator | 2,361 | 2,724 |
| Total farms | 3,233 | 3,656 | 2 operators | 684 | 729 |
| \$1,000 | 157,138 | 107,901 | 3 operators | 131 | 160 |
| Market value of agricultural products sold farms | 3,233 | 3,656 | 4 operators | 24 | 20 |
| \$1,000 | 136,586 | 84,183 | 5 or more operators | 33 | 23 |
| Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops farms | 622 | 640 | Number of women operators: | | |
| \$1,000 | 109,306 | 65,674 | 1 operator | 3,020 | 3,474 |
| Livestock, poultry, and their products farms | 614 | 538 | 2 operators | 133 | 125 |
| \$1,000 | 27,280 | 18,509 | 3 operators | 61 | 42 |
| Government payments farms | 2,597 | 3,050 | 4 operators | 10 | 8 |
| \$1,000 | 20,552 | 23,718 | 5 or more operators | 9 | 7 |
| FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS | | | Farms reporting- | | |
| Less than \$1,000 | 453 | 497 | Internet access | 2,060 | 1,488 |
| \$1,000 to \$2,499 | 448 | 473 | Dial-up service | 149 | (NA) |
| \$2,500 to \$4,999 | 676 | 714 | DSL service | 816 | (NA) |
| \$5,000 to \$9,999 | 589 | 791 | Cable modem service | 456 | (NA) |
| \$10,000 to \$24,999 | 544 | 629 | Fiber-optic service | 412 | (NA) |
| \$25,000 to \$49,999 | 206 | 223 | Mobile broadband plan for a computer or a cell phone | 340 | (NA) |
| \$50,000 or more | 317 | 329 | Satellite service | 160 | (NA) |
| COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION (CCC) LOANS AND FEDERAL FARM PROGRAM PAYMENTS | | | Broadband over Power Lines (BPL) | 10 | (NA) |
| CCC loans (see text) farms | 4 | 27 | Other Internet service | 28 | (NA) |
| \$1,000 | 448 | 355 | Principal operator is a hired managerfarms | 58 | 19 |
| Conservation Reserve, Wetlands Reserve, Farmable Wetlands, or Conservation Reserve Enhancement Programs payments farms | 2,191 | 2,683 | acres | 270,899 | (D) |
| \$1,000 | 14,408 | 19,093 | Farms by number of households sharing in net income of farm: | | |
| Other Federal farm program payments farms | 1,125 | 1,251 | 1 household | 2,687 | 2,965 |
| \$1,000 | 6,144 | 4,624 | 2 households | 357 | 479 |
| FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM (NAICS) | | | 3 households | 98 | 99 |
| Oilseed and grain farming (1111) | 238 | 355 | 4 households | 32 | 36 |
| Vegetable and melon farming (1112) | 22 | 8 | 5 or more households | 59 | 77 |
| Fruit and tree nut farming (1113) | 9 | 3 | Farms by share of principal operator's total household income from farming: | | |
| Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114) | 9 | 13 | Less than 25 percent | 2,152 | 2,135 |
| Other crop farming (1119) | 2,221 | 2,641 | 25 to 49 percent | 311 | 503 |
| Tobacco farming (11191) | - | - | 50 to 74 percent | 352 | 525 |
| Cotton farming (11192) | - | - | 75 to 99 percent | 345 | 378 |
| | | | 100 percent | 73 | 115 |