

**Table 60. Selected Farm Characteristics by Race of Principal Operator: 2012 and 2007**

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Characteristics	All principal operators		Operators reporting one race					
			American Indian or Alaska Native		Asian		Black or African American	
	2012	2007	2012	2007	2012	2007	2012	2007
<b>FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS</b>								
Farms .....number	30,961	31,970	348	364	16	4	3	2
Land in farms .....acres	39,262,613	39,674,586	392,080	500,397	(D)	(D)	2,230	(D)
<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>								
1 to 9 acres .....	689	387	18	7	2	-	-	-
10 to 49 acres .....	2,711	2,268	43	60	-	-	-	-
50 to 179 acres .....	6,557	6,068	94	95	9	2	-	-
180 to 499 acres .....	5,906	6,710	81	80	5	2	2	-
500 acres or more .....	15,098	16,537	112	122	-	-	1	2
<b>OWNED AND RENTED LAND IN FARMS</b>								
Owned land in farms .....farms	28,140	29,099	293	302	16	4	3	2
.....acres	19,819,026	19,977,605	203,237	293,057	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Rented or leased land in farms .....farms	14,994	15,667	164	209	-	-	1	2
.....acres	19,443,587	19,696,981	188,843	207,340	-	-	(D)	(D)
<b>TENURE</b>								
Full owners .....farms	15,967	16,303	184	155	16	4	2	-
.....acres	7,832,469	7,702,479	153,864	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	-
Part owners .....farms	12,173	12,796	109	147	-	-	1	2
.....acres	28,298,194	28,623,222	191,566	245,272	-	-	(D)	(D)
Tenants .....farms	2,821	2,871	55	62	-	-	-	-
.....acres	3,131,950	3,348,885	46,650	(D)	-	-	-	-
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS</b>								
Total .....farms	30,961	31,970	348	364	16	4	3	2
.....\$1,000	11,332,391	6,443,750	26,004	21,828	(D)	36	(D)	(D)
Market value of agricultural products sold .....farms	30,961	31,970	348	364	16	4	3	2
.....\$1,000	10,950,680	6,084,218	24,167	20,536	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops .....farms	18,220	18,127	158	115	4	4	1	2
.....\$1,000	9,664,285	5,038,521	13,605	9,155	73	(D)	(D)	(D)
Livestock, poultry, and their products .....farms	10,635	11,352	141	190	4	-	1	-
.....\$1,000	1,286,395	1,045,697	10,562	11,381	(D)	-	(D)	-
Government payments .....farms	24,790	26,708	144	144	14	4	3	2
.....\$1,000	381,710	359,532	1,836	1,293	87	(D)	36	(D)
<b>FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS</b>								
Less than \$1,000 .....	2,449	2,574	83	108	-	-	-	-
\$1,000 to \$2,499 .....	2,224	2,048	25	28	-	-	-	-
\$2,500 to \$4,999 .....	2,820	2,926	58	36	3	-	-	-
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	3,065	3,385	34	32	5	2	-	-
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	3,284	3,727	36	50	6	2	2	-
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	2,148	2,583	40	34	2	-	-	-
\$50,000 or more .....	14,971	14,727	72	76	-	-	1	2
<b>COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION (CCC) LOANS AND FEDERAL FARM PROGRAM PAYMENTS</b>								
CCC loans (see text) .....farms	272	1,257	-	2	-	-	-	2
.....\$1,000	32,954	87,231	-	(D)	-	-	-	(D)
Conservation Reserve, Wetlands Reserve, Farmable Wetlands, or Conservation Reserve Enhancement Programs payments .....farms	13,150	15,253	76	58	8	3	3	2
.....\$1,000	77,328	108,166	799	375	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Other Federal farm program payments .....farms	19,210	20,169	96	125	9	4	1	2
.....\$1,000	304,382	251,366	1,037	918	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
<b>FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM (NAICS)</b>								
Oilseed and grain farming (1111) .....	12,218	12,705	13	27	2	3	1	2
Vegetable and melon farming (1112) .....	136	140	-	-	2	-	-	-
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113) .....	41	46	-	-	-	-	-	-
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114) .....	56	72	2	-	-	-	-	-
Other crop farming (1119) .....	10,807	10,687	153	91	8	1	2	-
Tobacco farming (11191) .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cotton farming (11192) .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199) .....	10,807	10,687	153	91	8	1	2	-
Beef cattle ranching and farming (11211) .....	4,949	5,961	88	155	4	-	-	-
Cattle feedlots (11212) .....	157	252	6	4	-	-	-	-
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212) .....	90	212	-	1	-	-	-	-
Hog and pig farming (1122) .....	66	74	-	9	-	-	-	-
Poultry and egg production (1123) .....	105	130	4	-	-	-	-	-
Sheep and goat farming (1124) .....	251	276	-	-	-	-	-	-
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129) .....	2,085	1,415	82	77	-	-	-	-

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Characteristics	Operators reporting one race - Con.				Operators reporting more than one race	
	Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander		White		2012	2007
	2012	2007	2012	2007		
<b>FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS</b>						
Farms ..... number	4	2	30,539	31,540	51	58
Land in farms .....acres	(D)	(D)	38,831,224	39,128,669	33,855	43,055
<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>						
1 to 9 acres .....	-	-	663	377	6	3
10 to 49 acres .....	-	-	2,667	2,202	1	6
50 to 179 acres .....	4	-	6,441	5,956	9	15
180 to 499 acres .....	-	2	5,802	6,616	16	10
500 acres or more .....	-	-	14,966	16,389	19	24
<b>OWNED AND RENTED LAND IN FARMS</b>						
Owned land in farms ..... farms	-	2	27,787	28,736	41	53
..... acres	-	(D)	19,591,735	19,661,002	19,480	(D)
Rented or leased land in farms ..... farms	4	-	14,806	15,433	19	23
..... acres	(D)	-	19,239,489	19,467,667	14,375	(D)
<b>TENURE</b>						
Full owners ..... farms	-	2	15,733	16,107	32	35
..... acres	-	(D)	7,661,494	(D)	(D)	(D)
Part owners ..... farms	-	-	12,054	12,629	9	18
..... acres	-	-	28,093,317	28,349,469	(D)	(D)
Tenants ..... farms	4	-	2,752	2,804	10	5
..... acres	(D)	-	3,076,413	(D)	(D)	(D)
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS</b>						
Total ..... farms	4	2	30,539	31,540	51	58
..... \$1,000	(D)	(D)	11,297,108	6,414,647	8,739	7,022
Market value of agricultural products sold ..... farms	4	2	30,539	31,540	51	58
..... \$1,000	(D)	-	10,917,644	6,057,000	8,452	6,494
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops ..... farms	4	-	18,025	17,980	28	26
..... \$1,000	(D)	-	9,643,655	5,024,242	6,671	4,936
Livestock, poultry, and their products ..... farms	-	-	10,460	11,138	29	24
..... \$1,000	-	-	1,273,990	1,032,758	1,781	1,558
Government payments ..... farms	-	2	24,595	26,518	34	38
..... \$1,000	-	(D)	379,464	357,647	287	528
<b>FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS</b>						
Less than \$1,000 .....	-	-	2,365	2,457	1	9
\$1,000 to \$2,499 .....	-	-	2,190	2,014	9	6
\$2,500 to \$4,999 .....	-	-	2,749	2,880	10	10
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	-	-	3,020	3,347	6	4
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	4	2	3,231	3,667	5	6
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	-	-	2,106	2,543	-	6
\$50,000 or more .....	-	-	14,878	14,632	20	17
<b>COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION (CCC) LOANS AND FEDERAL FARM PROGRAM PAYMENTS</b>						
CCC loans (see text) ..... farms	-	-	272	1,253	-	-
..... \$1,000	-	-	32,954	87,109	-	-
Conservation Reserve, Wetlands Reserve, Farmable Wetlands, or Conservation Reserve Enhancement Programs payments ..... farms	-	2	13,042	15,165	21	23
..... \$1,000	-	(D)	76,354	107,609	76	141
Other Federal farm program payments ..... farms	-	-	19,079	20,009	25	29
..... \$1,000	-	-	303,110	250,037	211	387
<b>FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM (NAICS)</b>						
Oilseed and grain farming (1111) .....	-	-	12,195	12,661	7	12
Vegetable and melon farming (1112) .....	-	-	134	140	-	-
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113) .....	-	-	41	46	-	-
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114) .....	-	-	54	72	-	-
Other crop farming (1119) .....	4	2	10,617	10,578	23	15
Tobacco farming (11191) .....	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cotton farming (11192) .....	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199) .....	4	2	10,617	10,578	23	15
Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111) .....	-	-	4,842	5,789	15	17
Cattle feedlots (112112) .....	-	-	151	248	-	-
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212) .....	-	-	90	211	-	-
Hog and pig farming (1122) .....	-	-	66	65	-	-
Poultry and egg production (1123) .....	-	-	101	130	-	-
Sheep and goat farming (1124) .....	-	-	247	275	4	1
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129) .....	-	-	2,001	1,325	2	13

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	2012	2007	2012	2007	2012	2007	2012	2007
<b>OTHER FARM CHARACTERISTICS</b>								
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 .....	30,088	(NA)	326	(NA)	16	(NA)	3	(NA)
Limited Liability Corporation .....	695	(NA)	10	(NA)	-	(NA)	-	(NA)
Operation's legal status for tax purposes (see text):								
Family or individual .....	27,578	28,079	280	322	16	4	2	2
Partnerships .....	2,124	2,834	15	23	-	-	1	-
Corporations .....	707	560	8	1	-	-	-	-
Other - cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc .....	552	497	45	18	-	-	-	-
Number of operators:								
1 operator .....	19,494	21,082	226	272	11	4	2	2
2 operators .....	9,518	9,124	64	80	5	-	1	-
3 operators .....	1,511	1,420	49	10	-	-	-	-
4 operators .....	314	245	9	1	-	-	-	-
5 or more operators .....	124	99	-	1	-	-	-	-
Number of women operators:								
1 operator .....	10,532	10,414	85	96	16	2	1	-
2 operators .....	341	302	3	1	-	-	-	-
3 operators .....	96	60	3	-	-	-	-	-
4 operators .....	10	11	-	-	-	-	-	-
5 or more operators .....	13	7	-	-	-	-	-	-
Farms reporting-								
Internet access .....	23,223	19,526	199	214	11	2	1	2
Dial-up .....	1,701	(NA)	9	(NA)	-	(NA)	1	(NA)
DSL service .....	9,829	(NA)	125	(NA)	4	(NA)	-	(NA)
Cable modem service .....	3,582	(NA)	11	(NA)	2	(NA)	-	(NA)
Fiber-optic service .....	5,836	(NA)	36	(NA)	-	(NA)	-	(NA)
Mobile broadband plan for a computer or a cell phone .....	3,372	(NA)	8	(NA)	-	(NA)	-	(NA)
Satellite service .....	2,380	(NA)	14	(NA)	3	(NA)	-	(NA)
Broadband over Power Lines (BPL) .....	348	(NA)	10	(NA)	-	(NA)	-	(NA)
Other Internet service .....	384	(NA)	3	(NA)	2	(NA)	-	(NA)
Principal operator is a hired manager .....	649	176	12	6	-	-	-	-
acres	1,856,212	773,016	(D)	(D)	-	-	-	-
Farms by number of households sharing in net income of farm:								
1 household .....	24,457	25,002	267	282	16	1	3	2
2 households .....	4,755	5,190	52	57	-	2	-	-
3 households .....	1,069	1,034	25	7	-	1	-	-
4 households .....	384	384	4	8	-	-	-	-
5 or more households .....	296	360	-	10	-	-	-	-
Farms by share of principal operator's total household income from farming:								
Less than 25 percent .....	13,863	12,718	248	236	11	4	2	-
25 to 49 percent .....	3,049	3,563	37	43	2	-	-	-
50 to 74 percent .....	4,555	5,450	36	39	-	-	1	2
75 to 99 percent .....	5,156	6,029	15	32	3	-	-	-
100 percent .....	4,338	4,210	12	14	-	-	-	-

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<b>OTHER FARM CHARACTERISTICS</b>						
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 .....	4	(NA)	29,694	(NA)	45	(NA)
Limited Liability Corporation .....	-	(NA)	682	(NA)	3	(NA)
Operation's legal status for tax purposes (see text):						
Family or individual .....	4	2	27,235	27,700	41	49
Partnerships .....	-	-	2,101	2,803	7	8
Corporations .....	-	-	699	559	-	-
Other - cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc .....	-	-	504	478	3	1
Number of operators:						
1 operator .....	4	-	19,232	20,773	19	31
2 operators .....	-	2	9,424	9,020	24	22
3 operators .....	-	-	1,455	1,409	7	1
4 operators .....	-	-	305	241	-	3
5 or more operators .....	-	-	123	97	1	1
Number of women operators:						
1 operator .....	-	2	10,407	10,291	23	23
2 operators .....	-	-	331	301	7	-
3 operators .....	-	-	93	56	-	4
4 operators .....	-	-	10	11	-	-
5 or more operators .....	-	-	13	7	-	-
Farms reporting-						
Internet access .....	4	-	22,971	19,266	37	42
Dial-up .....	4	(NA)	1,684	(NA)	3	(NA)
DSL service .....	-	(NA)	9,680	(NA)	20	(NA)
Cable modem service .....	-	(NA)	3,562	(NA)	7	(NA)
Fiber-optic service .....	-	(NA)	5,796	(NA)	4	(NA)
Mobile broadband plan for a computer or a cell phone .....	-	(NA)	3,360	(NA)	4	(NA)
Satellite service .....	-	(NA)	2,363	(NA)	-	(NA)
Broadband over Power Lines (BPL) .....	-	(NA)	338	(NA)	-	(NA)
Other Internet service .....	-	(NA)	379	(NA)	-	(NA)
Principal operator is a hired manager .....	-	-	636	169	1	1
..... farms acres	-	-	1,810,432	738,375	(D)	(D)
Farms by number of households sharing in net income of farm:						
1 household .....	4	2	24,123	24,666	44	49
2 households .....	-	-	4,698	5,125	5	6
3 households .....	-	-	1,044	1,026	-	-
4 households .....	-	-	380	374	-	2
5 or more households .....	-	-	294	349	2	1
Farms by share of principal operator's total household income from farming:						
Less than 25 percent .....	4	-	13,575	12,450	23	28
25 to 49 percent .....	-	2	3,004	3,513	6	5
50 to 74 percent .....	-	-	4,506	5,395	12	14
75 to 99 percent .....	-	-	5,128	5,994	10	3
100 percent .....	-	-	4,326	4,188	-	8