

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
FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS								
Farmsnumber	35,439	38,553	403	497	286	267	31	36
Land in farmsacres	16,301,578	16,399,647	578,745	577,470	(D)	31,202	2,481	2,738
FARMS BY SIZE								
1 to 9 acres	9,119	9,546	138	164	94	66	10	18
10 to 49 acres	12,663	14,142	151	174	101	95	20	13
50 to 179 acres	6,932	7,430	71	95	59	70	-	3
180 to 499 acres	2,978	3,340	31	41	12	16	-	-
500 acres or more	3,747	4,095	12	23	20	20	1	2
OWNED AND RENTED LAND IN FARMS								
Owned land in farmsfarms	33,339	36,328	386	350	259	250	30	33
.....acres	11,233,325	11,302,661	522,057	545,323	(D)	16,479	(D)	(D)
Rented or leased land in farmsfarms	7,540	8,393	51	197	65	69	2	5
.....acres	5,068,253	5,096,986	56,688	32,147	(D)	14,723	(D)	(D)
TENURE								
Full ownersfarms	27,899	30,160	352	300	221	198	29	31
.....acres	7,681,240	7,449,003	(D)	535,561	12,516	8,361	(D)	(D)
Part ownersfarms	5,440	6,168	34	50	38	52	1	2
.....acres	7,046,814	7,445,870	15,214	35,710	15,758	21,281	(D)	(D)
Tenantsfarms	2,100	2,225	17	147	27	17	1	3
.....acres	1,573,524	1,504,774	(D)	6,199	(D)	1,560	(D)	(D)
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS								
Totalfarms	35,439	38,553	403	497	286	267	31	36
.....\$1,000	4,969,514	4,462,634	10,569	25,103	79,615	64,318	708	(D)
Market value of agricultural products soldfarms	35,439	38,553	403	497	286	267	31	36
.....\$1,000	4,883,674	4,386,143	10,216	24,826	79,211	64,008	(D)	(D)
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse cropsfarms	17,120	16,488	91	104	220	186	13	19
.....\$1,000	3,247,432	2,976,087	5,607	19,151	77,261	63,341	(D)	(D)
Livestock, poultry, and their productsfarms	17,434	19,757	186	193	56	65	11	21
.....\$1,000	1,636,242	1,410,055	4,609	5,675	1,950	668	(D)	268
Government paymentsfarms	5,347	5,115	27	39	47	47	1	-
.....\$1,000	85,840	76,491	353	277	404	309	(D)	-
FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS								
Less than \$1,000	8,219	10,880	182	275	47	35	10	7
\$1,000 to \$2,499	5,219	5,835	43	38	26	37	8	12
\$2,500 to \$4,999	4,626	4,748	57	51	30	22	5	4
\$5,000 to \$9,999	4,236	4,073	29	33	40	36	4	6
\$10,000 to \$24,999	4,200	3,881	35	40	38	23	1	2
\$25,000 to \$49,999	2,383	2,430	20	21	15	17	1	2
\$50,000 or more	6,556	6,706	37	39	90	97	2	3
COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION (CCC) LOANS AND FEDERAL FARM PROGRAM PAYMENTS								
CCC loans (see text)farms	42	86	-	-	-	-	-	-
.....\$1,000	4,058	4,175	-	-	-	-	-	-
Conservation Reserve, Wetlands Reserve, Farmable Wetlands, or Conservation Reserve Enhancement Programs paymentsfarms	1,837	1,756	10	13	3	2	1	-
.....\$1,000	25,693	27,169	(D)	141	(D)	(D)	(D)	-
Other Federal farm program paymentsfarms	4,788	4,494	21	32	44	47	-	-
.....\$1,000	60,146	49,322	(D)	136	(D)	(D)	-	-
FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM (NAICS)								
Oilseed and grain farming (1111)	1,209	811	7	4	14	3	-	-
Vegetable and melon farming (1112)	1,184	794	7	5	31	23	-	4
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113)	3,689	3,766	14	22	86	70	4	-
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114)	3,147	3,662	15	21	61	56	6	9
Other crop farming (1119)	7,131	7,417	49	60	31	41	3	6
Tobacco farming (11191)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cotton farming (11192)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199)	7,131	7,417	49	60	31	41	3	6
Beef cattle ranching and farming (11211)	11,420	12,071	150	192	23	29	9	10
Cattle feedlots (11212)	140	778	-	5	-	8	-	-
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212)	344	432	4	5	3	2	3	-
Hog and pig farming (1122)	447	425	7	6	-	-	2	2
Poultry and egg production (1123)	965	891	10	12	11	6	-	-
Sheep and goat farming (1124)	1,871	2,103	11	17	5	13	3	2
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129)	3,892	5,403	129	148	21	16	1	3

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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		
FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS						
Farms number	29	31	34,449	37,390	241	332
Land in farmsacres	(D)	5,219	15,389,996	15,739,966	(D)	43,052
FARMS BY SIZE						
1 to 9 acres	10	8	8,800	9,203	67	87
10 to 49 acres	10	17	12,280	13,699	101	144
50 to 179 acres	3	4	6,750	7,202	49	56
180 to 499 acres	5	-	2,919	3,256	11	27
500 acres or more	1	2	3,700	4,030	13	18
OWNED AND RENTED LAND IN FARMS						
Owned land in farms farms	27	25	32,402	35,346	235	324
..... acres	(D)	(D)	10,396,584	10,703,271	(D)	34,608
Rented or leased land in farms farms	14	9	7,380	8,067	28	46
..... acres	2,604	(D)	4,993,412	5,036,695	(D)	8,444
TENURE						
Full owners farms	15	22	27,069	29,323	213	286
..... acres	(D)	(D)	6,868,270	6,875,071	(D)	28,579
Part owners farms	12	3	5,333	6,023	22	38
..... acres	4,639	(D)	(D)	7,373,641	(D)	(D)
Tenants farms	2	6	2,047	2,044	6	8
..... acres	(D)	(D)	(D)	1,491,254	(D)	(D)
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS						
Total farms	29	31	34,449	37,390	241	332
..... \$1,000	2,699	(D)	4,867,619	4,361,349	8,304	7,872
Market value of agricultural products sold farms	29	31	34,449	37,390	241	332
..... \$1,000	(D)	(D)	4,782,724	4,285,734	8,186	(D)
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops farms	20	13	16,680	16,052	96	114
..... \$1,000	(D)	(D)	3,154,608	2,883,611	6,856	6,376
Livestock, poultry, and their products farms	12	21	17,032	19,260	137	197
..... \$1,000	(D)	(D)	1,628,116	1,402,122	1,330	(D)
Government payments farms	8	4	5,243	5,000	21	25
..... \$1,000	(D)	(D)	84,896	75,615	118	(D)
FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS						
Less than \$1,000	7	11	7,914	10,429	59	123
\$1,000 to \$2,499	1	5	5,101	5,677	40	66
\$2,500 to \$4,999	4	1	4,491	4,627	39	43
\$5,000 to \$9,999	4	6	4,119	3,954	40	38
\$10,000 to \$24,999	2	3	4,096	3,784	28	29
\$25,000 to \$49,999	4	1	2,334	2,373	9	16
\$50,000 or more	7	4	6,394	6,546	26	17
COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION (CCC) LOANS AND FEDERAL FARM PROGRAM PAYMENTS						
CCC loans (see text) farms	-	-	42	86	-	-
..... \$1,000	-	-	4,058	4,175	-	-
Conservation Reserve, Wetlands Reserve, Farmable Wetlands, or Conservation Reserve Enhancement Programs payments farms	2	-	1,813	1,738	8	3
..... \$1,000	(D)	-	25,492	27,025	69	(D)
Other Federal farm program payments farms	8	4	4,698	4,388	17	23
..... \$1,000	(D)	(D)	59,404	48,589	49	(D)
FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM (NAICS)						
Oilseed and grain farming (1111)	5	-	1,183	800	-	4
Vegetable and melon farming (1112)	2	2	1,135	752	9	8
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113)	3	1	3,562	3,654	20	19
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114)	4	4	3,048	3,549	13	23
Other crop farming (1119)	6	4	6,998	7,250	44	56
Tobacco farming (11191)	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cotton farming (11192)	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199)	6	4	6,998	7,250	44	56
Beef cattle ranching and farming (11211)	7	8	11,144	11,720	87	112
Cattle feedlots (11212)	-	-	140	757	-	8
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212)	-	-	334	425	-	-
Hog and pig farming (1122)	-	-	434	409	4	8
Poultry and egg production (1123)	-	2	935	854	9	17
Sheep and goat farming (1124)	-	5	1,837	2,048	15	18
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129)	2	5	3,699	5,172	40	59

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OTHER FARM CHARACTERISTICS								
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	34,253	(NA)	398	(NA)	261	(NA)	28	(NA)
Limited Liability Corporation	2,754	(NA)	17	(NA)	24	(NA)	4	(NA)
Operation's legal status for tax purposes (see text):								
Family or individual	29,858	32,793	375	459	203	189	23	31
Partnerships	2,330	2,907	14	21	23	18	1	2
Corporations	2,540	2,507	3	14	56	60	4	2
Other - cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc	711	346	11	3	4	-	3	1
Number of operators:								
1 operator	15,509	16,870	216	268	116	118	11	15
2 operators	17,279	18,809	164	188	148	127	20	21
3 operators	1,946	2,090	19	27	17	21	-	-
4 operators	467	541	4	4	2	-	-	-
5 or more operators	238	243	-	10	3	1	-	-
Number of women operators:								
1 operator	20,260	22,210	230	267	165	128	20	22
2 operators	1,228	1,386	13	23	8	11	-	-
3 operators	142	138	-	3	-	-	-	-
4 operators	24	26	-	1	-	-	-	-
5 or more operators	11	14	-	-	1	-	-	-
Farms reporting-								
Internet access	28,977	27,623	291	329	250	194	29	19
Dial-up	2,634	(NA)	54	(NA)	30	(NA)	4	(NA)
DSL service	12,258	(NA)	81	(NA)	115	(NA)	13	(NA)
Cable modem service	4,037	(NA)	37	(NA)	47	(NA)	7	(NA)
Fiber-optic service	1,154	(NA)	14	(NA)	5	(NA)	-	(NA)
Mobile broadband plan for a computer or a cell phone	4,517	(NA)	49	(NA)	28	(NA)	2	(NA)
Satellite service	5,821	(NA)	78	(NA)	23	(NA)	4	(NA)
Broadband over Power Lines (BPL)	1,018	(NA)	3	(NA)	6	(NA)	1	(NA)
Other Internet service	1,245	(NA)	9	(NA)	18	(NA)	-	(NA)
Principal operator is a hired manager	1,386	1,508	16	12	27	34	1	3
acres	3,184,003	3,302,637	(D)	(D)	7,302	10,322	(D)	(D)
Farms by number of households sharing in net income of farm:								
1 household	29,921	32,109	342	401	209	192	28	30
2 households	4,188	4,877	43	77	56	54	3	5
3 households	738	915	6	7	10	6	-	-
4 households	302	366	8	8	6	9	-	-
5 or more households	290	286	4	4	5	6	-	1
Farms by share of principal operator's total household income from farming:								
Less than 25 percent	27,307	29,578	342	447	169	177	29	31
25 to 49 percent	2,167	2,593	23	13	30	16	1	2
50 to 74 percent	2,410	2,648	27	22	30	25	-	3
75 to 99 percent	1,819	2,030	3	6	29	29	1	-
100 percent	1,736	1,704	8	9	28	20	-	-

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OTHER FARM CHARACTERISTICS						
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	28	(NA)	33,301	(NA)	237	(NA)
Limited Liability Corporation	2	(NA)	2,687	(NA)	20	(NA)
Operation's legal status for tax purposes (see text):						
Family or individual	27	26	29,016	31,790	214	298
Partnerships	2	4	2,275	2,847	15	15
Corporations	-	1	2,468	2,414	9	16
Other - cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc	-	-	690	339	3	3
Number of operators:						
1 operator	12	8	15,065	16,326	89	135
2 operators	16	20	16,806	18,282	125	171
3 operators	1	3	1,893	2,019	16	20
4 operators	-	-	455	537	6	-
5 or more operators	-	-	230	226	5	6
Number of women operators:						
1 operator	20	24	19,679	21,542	146	227
2 operators	-	-	1,193	1,336	14	16
3 operators	-	-	138	134	4	1
4 operators	-	-	22	24	2	1
5 or more operators	-	-	10	12	-	2
Farms reporting-						
Internet access	22	21	28,182	26,828	203	232
Dial-up	4	(NA)	2,506	(NA)	36	(NA)
DSL service	11	(NA)	11,963	(NA)	75	(NA)
Cable modem service	7	(NA)	3,919	(NA)	20	(NA)
Fiber-optic service	-	(NA)	1,126	(NA)	9	(NA)
Mobile broadband plan for a computer or a cell phone	-	(NA)	4,399	(NA)	39	(NA)
Satellite service	-	(NA)	5,687	(NA)	29	(NA)
Broadband over Power Lines (BPL)	-	(NA)	997	(NA)	11	(NA)
Other Internet service	-	(NA)	1,210	(NA)	8	(NA)
Principal operator is a hired manager	7	1	1,331	1,454	4	4
..... farms acres	2,438	(D)	(D)	(D)	815	(D)
Farms by number of households sharing in net income of farm:						
1 household	27	24	29,112	31,181	203	281
2 households	2	5	4,056	4,694	28	42
3 households	-	2	716	896	6	4
4 households	-	-	285	349	3	-
5 or more households	-	-	280	270	1	5
Farms by share of principal operator's total household income from farming:						
Less than 25 percent	20	26	26,536	28,615	211	282
25 to 49 percent	2	3	2,102	2,541	9	18
50 to 74 percent	2	1	2,341	2,575	10	22
75 to 99 percent	-	1	1,780	1,988	6	6
100 percent	5	-	1,690	1,671	5	4