

**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	25,266	25,867	128	126	67	46	2,025	2,108
Land in farms .....acres	4,971,244	4,889,339	11,892	12,389	5,929	(D)	191,452	175,689
<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>								
1 to 9 acres .....	2,135	1,970	15	3	12	9	250	270
10 to 49 acres .....	8,996	8,959	49	66	25	5	849	918
50 to 179 acres .....	8,364	9,033	43	38	26	27	677	729
180 to 499 acres .....	3,731	3,981	20	17	3	5	196	162
500 acres or more .....	2,040	1,924	1	2	1	-	53	29
<b>OWNED AND RENTED LAND IN FARMS</b>								
Owned land in farms .....farms	24,224	24,824	119	124	65	46	1,879	1,950
.....acres	3,655,203	3,594,680	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	131,202	116,138
Rented or leased land in farms .....farms	6,097	6,427	25	18	3	-	637	677
.....acres	1,316,041	1,294,659	(D)	(D)	(D)	-	60,250	59,551
<b>TENURE</b>								
Full owners .....farms	19,169	19,440	103	108	64	46	1,388	1,431
.....acres	2,725,914	2,672,689	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	102,962	92,342
Part owners .....farms	5,055	5,384	16	16	1	-	491	519
.....acres	2,053,995	1,999,087	(D)	2,479	(D)	-	72,120	65,406
Tenants .....farms	1,042	1,043	9	2	2	-	146	158
.....acres	191,335	217,563	(D)	(D)	(D)	-	16,370	17,941
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS</b>								
Total .....farms	25,266	25,867	128	126	67	46	2,025	2,108
.....\$1,000	3,086,685	2,419,934	3,061	(D)	37,391	(D)	58,437	39,696
Market value of agricultural products sold .....farms	25,266	25,867	128	126	67	46	2,025	2,108
.....\$1,000	3,040,069	2,352,681	2,965	(D)	37,375	(D)	56,425	36,310
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops .....farms	10,020	8,781	57	47	15	19	814	888
.....\$1,000	1,293,558	798,490	2,660	562	487	(D)	31,963	17,085
Livestock, poultry, and their products .....farms	9,968	10,604	56	56	31	11	743	771
.....\$1,000	1,746,511	1,554,190	305	(D)	36,888	(D)	24,462	19,226
Government payments .....farms	6,788	7,715	41	33	17	11	716	785
.....\$1,000	46,616	67,253	96	(D)	16	(D)	2,012	3,385
<b>FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS</b>								
Less than \$1,000 .....	8,358	8,640	42	38	22	8	677	732
\$1,000 to \$2,499 .....	3,577	4,356	21	17	15	-	324	412
\$2,500 to \$4,999 .....	3,183	3,182	14	21	6	12	241	242
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	3,040	3,161	4	22	3	21	311	307
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	2,750	2,566	8	11	2	-	205	215
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	1,285	1,345	18	9	4	3	130	105
\$50,000 or more .....	3,073	2,617	21	8	15	2	137	95
<b>COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION (CCC) LOANS AND FEDERAL FARM PROGRAM PAYMENTS</b>								
CCC loans (see text) .....farms	120	329	6	-	-	-	11	31
.....\$1,000	8,570	24,312	212	-	-	-	461	(D)
Conservation Reserve, Wetlands Reserve, Farmable Wetlands, or Conservation Reserve Enhancement Programs payments .....farms	2,627	3,908	6	19	3	3	124	236
.....\$1,000	5,549	8,972	9	(D)	1	(D)	163	342
Other Federal farm program payments .....farms	5,639	5,709	39	23	14	11	662	660
.....\$1,000	41,067	58,282	87	(D)	15	(D)	1,850	3,043
<b>FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM (NAICS)</b>								
Oilseed and grain farming (1111) .....	2,100	2,120	15	12	-	2	267	354
Vegetable and melon farming (1112) .....	1,062	1,056	8	6	3	3	226	276
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113) .....	936	855	11	12	-	4	52	48
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114) .....	805	846	7	9	10	9	39	20
Other crop farming (1119) .....	7,701	7,657	33	25	11	11	562	558
Tobacco farming (11191) .....	55	171	-	-	-	-	5	14
Cotton farming (11192) .....	368	124	6	-	-	-	34	4
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199) .....	7,278	7,362	27	25	11	11	523	540
Beef cattle ranching and farming (11211) .....	5,851	6,931	10	34	12	9	539	539
Cattle feedlots (11212) .....	-	168	-	1	-	-	-	31
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212) .....	80	102	-	-	-	-	6	5
Hog and pig farming (1122) .....	236	300	5	-	-	1	70	70
Poultry and egg production (1123) .....	1,238	1,226	10	11	13	1	26	45
Sheep and goat farming (1124) .....	1,100	859	6	6	7	3	100	53
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129) .....	4,157	3,747	23	10	11	3	138	109

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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	-	7	22,954	23,393	92	187
Land in farms ..... acres	-	(D)	4,744,625	4,676,240	17,346	20,053
<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>						
1 to 9 acres .....	-	1	1,850	1,665	8	22
10 to 49 acres .....	-	4	8,041	7,898	32	68
50 to 179 acres .....	-	1	7,583	8,177	35	61
180 to 499 acres .....	-	1	3,501	3,766	11	30
500 acres or more .....	-	-	1,979	1,887	6	6
<b>OWNED AND RENTED LAND IN FARMS</b>						
Owned land in farms ..... farms	-	5	22,074	22,521	87	178
..... acres	-	(D)	3,498,346	3,446,662	10,142	16,249
Rented or leased land in farms ..... farms	-	2	5,411	5,680	21	50
..... acres	-	(D)	1,246,279	1,229,578	7,204	3,804
<b>TENURE</b>						
Full owners ..... farms	-	5	17,543	17,713	71	137
..... acres	-	(D)	2,602,797	2,551,810	(D)	(D)
Part owners ..... farms	-	-	4,531	4,808	16	41
..... acres	-	-	1,967,622	1,925,876	9,023	5,326
Tenants ..... farms	-	2	880	872	5	9
..... acres	-	(D)	174,206	198,554	(D)	(D)
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS</b>						
Total ..... farms	-	7	22,954	23,393	92	187
..... \$1,000	-	(D)	2,977,010	2,362,613	10,785	11,526
Market value of agricultural products sold ..... farms	-	7	22,954	23,393	92	187
..... \$1,000	-	(D)	2,932,568	2,299,135	10,735	(D)
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops ..... farms	-	1	9,112	7,766	22	60
..... \$1,000	-	(D)	1,258,101	779,440	347	(D)
Livestock, poultry, and their products ..... farms	-	-	9,112	9,679	26	87
..... \$1,000	-	-	1,674,467	1,519,696	10,388	10,219
Government payments ..... farms	-	-	5,991	6,853	23	33
..... \$1,000	-	-	44,441	63,478	50	(D)
<b>FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS</b>						
Less than \$1,000 .....	-	6	7,567	7,790	50	66
\$1,000 to \$2,499 .....	-	-	3,209	3,896	8	31
\$2,500 to \$4,999 .....	-	-	2,910	2,882	12	25
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	-	-	2,716	2,797	6	14
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	-	1	2,529	2,315	6	24
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	-	-	1,132	1,212	1	16
\$50,000 or more .....	-	-	2,891	2,501	9	11
<b>COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION (CCC) LOANS AND FEDERAL FARM PROGRAM PAYMENTS</b>						
CCC loans (see text) ..... farms	-	-	103	297	-	1
..... \$1,000	-	-	7,896	24,008	-	(D)
Conservation Reserve, Wetlands Reserve, Farmable Wetlands, or Conservation Reserve Enhancement Programs payments ..... farms	-	-	2,482	3,632	12	18
..... \$1,000	-	-	5,361	8,530	14	(D)
Other Federal farm program payments ..... farms	-	-	4,907	4,986	17	29
..... \$1,000	-	-	39,080	54,948	36	90
<b>FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM (NAICS)</b>						
Oilseed and grain farming (1111) .....	-	-	1,816	1,743	2	9
Vegetable and melon farming (1112) .....	-	-	820	758	5	13
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113) .....	-	-	865	788	8	3
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114) .....	-	1	748	801	1	6
Other crop farming (1119) .....	-	4	7,066	7,013	29	46
Tobacco farming (11191) .....	-	-	50	153	-	4
Cotton farming (11192) .....	-	-	328	118	-	2
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199) .....	-	4	6,688	6,742	29	40
Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111) .....	-	-	5,271	6,294	19	55
Cattle feedlots (112112) .....	-	-	-	136	-	-
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212) .....	-	-	74	96	-	1
Hog and pig farming (1122) .....	-	-	161	227	-	2
Poultry and egg production (1123) .....	-	-	1,179	1,153	10	16
Sheep and goat farming (1124) .....	-	-	982	790	5	7
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129) .....	-	2	3,972	3,594	13	29

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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 .....	24,460	(NA)	126	(NA)	67	(NA)	1,932	(NA)
Limited Liability Corporation .....	1,604	(NA)	28	(NA)	2	(NA)	73	(NA)
Operation's legal status for tax purposes (see text):								
Family or individual .....	22,393	22,989	105	106	60	40	1,814	1,886
Partnerships .....	1,482	1,827	6	8	5	3	97	171
Corporations .....	1,108	845	11	11	2	3	94	36
Other - cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc .....	283	206	6	1	-	-	20	15
Number of operators:								
1 operator .....	15,502	16,701	65	79	23	25	1,443	1,663
2 operators .....	8,206	7,636	63	38	33	18	451	344
3 operators .....	1,281	1,251	-	4	9	3	109	83
4 operators .....	181	186	-	-	2	-	2	13
5 or more operators .....	96	93	-	5	-	-	20	5
Number of women operators:								
1 operator .....	9,435	9,231	56	47	43	21	438	463
2 operators .....	506	547	1	4	-	3	26	18
3 operators .....	80	73	-	-	-	-	12	15
4 operators .....	4	8	-	-	-	-	1	-
5 or more operators .....	12	8	-	-	-	-	-	1
Farms reporting-								
Internet access .....	16,870	12,344	92	57	51	23	1,086	605
Dial-up .....	1,555	(NA)	9	(NA)	3	(NA)	97	(NA)
DSL service .....	7,921	(NA)	46	(NA)	36	(NA)	556	(NA)
Cable modem service .....	2,997	(NA)	17	(NA)	6	(NA)	196	(NA)
Fiber-optic service .....	757	(NA)	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	39	(NA)
Mobile broadband plan for a computer or a cell phone .....	3,633	(NA)	19	(NA)	4	(NA)	164	(NA)
Satellite service .....	1,973	(NA)	3	(NA)	5	(NA)	157	(NA)
Broadband over Power Lines (BPL) .....	232	(NA)	-	(NA)	2	(NA)	12	(NA)
Other Internet service .....	187	(NA)	2	(NA)	-	(NA)	20	(NA)
Principal operator is a hired manager .....	651	602	25	7	-	-	70	110
acres	470,710	427,073	3,184	140	-	-	12,142	8,363
Farms by number of households sharing in net income of farm:								
1 household .....	21,216	20,913	115	100	50	36	1,635	1,620
2 households .....	3,095	3,955	11	25	16	6	275	369
3 households .....	606	565	-	-	1	4	66	71
4 households .....	227	283	2	1	-	-	28	28
5 or more households .....	122	151	-	-	-	-	21	20
Farms by share of principal operator's total household income from farming:								
Less than 25 percent .....	21,482	22,010	117	108	41	41	1,810	1,871
25 to 49 percent .....	1,121	1,291	4	6	4	-	87	95
50 to 74 percent .....	1,206	1,112	5	2	13	4	78	79
75 to 99 percent .....	731	774	-	4	3	1	29	33
100 percent .....	726	680	2	6	6	-	21	30

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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 .....	-	(NA)	22,247	(NA)	88	(NA)
Limited Liability Corporation .....	-	(NA)	1,494	(NA)	7	(NA)
Operation's legal status for tax purposes (see text):						
Family or individual .....	-	5	20,333	20,786	81	166
Partnerships .....	-	2	1,367	1,629	7	14
Corporations .....	-	-	998	792	3	3
Other - cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc .....	-	-	256	186	1	4
Number of operators:						
1 operator .....	-	2	13,908	14,816	63	116
2 operators .....	-	3	7,633	7,182	26	51
3 operators .....	-	2	1,160	1,140	3	19
4 operators .....	-	-	177	173	-	-
5 or more operators .....	-	-	76	82	-	1
Number of women operators:						
1 operator .....	-	6	8,864	8,615	34	79
2 operators .....	-	-	477	519	2	3
3 operators .....	-	-	68	58	-	-
4 operators .....	-	-	3	7	-	1
5 or more operators .....	-	-	12	7	-	-
Farms reporting-						
Internet access .....	-	2	15,580	11,562	61	95
Dial-up .....	-	(NA)	1,440	(NA)	6	(NA)
DSL service .....	-	(NA)	7,265	(NA)	18	(NA)
Cable modem service .....	-	(NA)	2,759	(NA)	19	(NA)
Fiber-optic service .....	-	(NA)	718	(NA)	-	(NA)
Mobile broadband plan for a computer or a cell phone .....	-	(NA)	3,426	(NA)	20	(NA)
Satellite service .....	-	(NA)	1,803	(NA)	5	(NA)
Broadband over Power Lines (BPL) .....	-	(NA)	218	(NA)	-	(NA)
Other Internet service .....	-	(NA)	165	(NA)	-	(NA)
Principal operator is a hired manager .....	-	1	553	478	3	6
..... farms acres	-	(D)	455,176	416,901	208	(D)
Farms by number of households sharing in net income of farm:						
1 household .....	-	5	19,338	19,007	78	145
2 households .....	-	2	2,783	3,518	10	35
3 households .....	-	-	535	486	4	4
4 households .....	-	-	197	253	-	1
5 or more households .....	-	-	101	129	-	2
Farms by share of principal operator's total household income from farming:						
Less than 25 percent .....	-	7	19,434	19,820	80	163
25 to 49 percent .....	-	-	1,020	1,182	6	8
50 to 74 percent .....	-	-	1,107	1,024	3	3
75 to 99 percent .....	-	-	696	734	3	2
100 percent .....	-	-	697	633	-	11