

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.		
Farmsnumber	38,452	35,011	Other crop farming (1119) - Con.		
Land in farmsacres	12,168,978	12,275,184	Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199)	8,953	7,921
FARMS BY SIZE			Beef cattle ranching and farming (11211)	16,937	14,796
1 to 9 acres	4,322	4,166	Cattle feedlots (11212)	67	202
10 to 49 acres	12,828	11,156	Dairy cattle and milk production (11212)	35	97
50 to 179 acres	11,448	10,031	Hog and pig farming (1122)	148	213
180 to 499 acres	5,863	5,693	Poultry and egg production (1123)	792	1,048
500 acres or more	3,991	3,965	Sheep and goat farming (1124)	3,020	2,252
OWNED AND RENTED LAND IN FARMS			Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129)	6,642	6,407
Owned land in farmsfarms	37,065	33,464	OTHER FARM CHARACTERISTICS		
.....acres	9,377,569	9,091,380	Farms by-		
Rented or leased land in farmsfarms	5,728	5,798	Type of organization (see text):		
.....acres	2,791,409	3,183,804	Organization with 50 percent or more ownership interest held by operator and/or persons related by blood, marriage, or adoption	37,424	(NA)
TENURE			Limited Liability Corporation (see text)	1,463	(NA)
Full ownersfarms	32,724	29,213	Operation's legal status for tax purposes (see text):		
.....acres	7,587,150	7,322,137	Family or individual	34,207	30,541
Part ownersfarms	4,341	4,251	Partnerships	2,523	2,959
.....acres	3,602,015	3,578,904	Corporations	988	784
Tenantsfarms	1,387	1,547	Other - cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc	734	727
.....acres	979,813	1,374,143	Number of operators:		
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS			1 operator	21,172	20,578
Totalfarms	38,452	35,011	2 operators	14,008	11,613
.....\$1,000	882,394	815,667	3 operators	2,600	2,254
Market value of agricultural products soldfarms	38,452	35,011	4 operators	415	384
.....\$1,000	817,840	753,464	5 or more operators	257	182
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse cropsfarms	8,693	7,053	Number of women operators:		
.....\$1,000	302,882	245,966	1 operator	34,814	32,036
Livestock, poultry, and their productsfarms	20,541	18,401	2 operators	3,135	2,574
.....\$1,000	514,959	507,499	3 operators	435	324
Government paymentsfarms	7,521	6,851	4 operators	44	62
.....\$1,000	64,553	62,203	5 or more operators	24	15
FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS			Farms reporting-		
Less than \$1,000	12,576	12,305	Internet access	25,928	17,523
\$1,000 to \$2,499	5,937	4,959	Dial-up service	2,838	(NA)
\$2,500 to \$4,999	5,248	4,490	DSL service	8,652	(NA)
\$5,000 to \$9,999	5,628	4,826	Cable modem service	3,275	(NA)
\$10,000 to \$24,999	4,767	4,645	Fiber-optic service	942	(NA)
\$25,000 to \$49,999	2,173	1,922	Mobile broadband plan for a computer or a cell phone	5,555	(NA)
\$50,000 or more	2,123	1,864	Satellite service	6,419	(NA)
COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION (CCC) LOANS AND FEDERAL FARM PROGRAM PAYMENTS			Broadband over Power Lines (BPL)	831	(NA)
CCC loans (see text)farms	11	102	Other Internet service	1,017	(NA)
.....\$1,000	133	6,283	Principal operator is a hired managerfarms	738	562
Conservation Reserve, Wetlands Reserve, Farmable Wetlands, or Conservation Reserve Enhancement Programs paymentsfarms	3,474	3,808acres	676,973	697,179
.....\$1,000	27,678	34,236	Farms by number of households sharing in net income of farm:		
Other Federal farm program paymentsfarms	5,711	4,538	1 household	32,954	28,992
.....\$1,000	36,875	27,967	2 households	3,959	4,473
FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM (NAICS)			3 households	974	951
Oilseed and grain farming (1111)	451	475	4 households	341	406
Vegetable and melon farming (1112)	210	164	5 or more households	224	189
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113)	626	765	Farms by share of principal operator's total household income from farming:		
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114)	356	431	Less than 25 percent	33,272	29,849
Other crop farming (1119)	9,168	8,161	25 to 49 percent	2,029	2,139
Tobacco farming (11191)	-	-	50 to 74 percent	1,744	1,726
Cotton farming (11192)	215	240	75 to 99 percent	775	846
			100 percent	632	451