

Table 8. Farms, Land in Farms, Value of Land and Buildings, and Land Use: 2012 and 2007

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Item	Vermont	Addison	Bennington	Caledonia	Chittenden	Essex	Franklin
FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS							
Farms number, 2012	7,338	814	305	560	587	93	736
..... number, 2007	6,984	773	226	531	591	94	740
Land in farms acres, 2012	1,251,713	208,362	41,387	81,828	73,583	25,491	186,294
..... acres, 2007	1,233,313	187,482	36,580	81,946	83,382	26,732	180,006
Average size of farm acres, 2012	171	256	136	146	125	274	253
..... acres, 2007	177	243	162	154	141	284	243
Estimated market value of land and buildings farms, 2012	7,338	814	305	560	587	93	736
..... farms, 2007	6,984	773	226	531	591	94	740
..... \$1,000, 2012	4,011,152	634,356	172,827	260,354	316,157	47,498	521,727
..... \$1,000, 2007	3,580,584	492,334	134,914	216,270	316,755	41,682	448,298
Average per farm dollars, 2012	546,627	779,308	566,645	464,918	538,598	510,728	708,868
..... dollars, 2007	512,684	636,913	596,966	407,288	535,965	443,431	605,808
Average per acre dollars, 2012	3,205	3,044	4,176	3,182	4,297	1,863	2,801
..... dollars, 2007	2,903	2,626	3,688	2,639	3,799	1,559	2,490
2012 farms by value group:							
\$1 to \$49,999	495	64	12	31	59	-	35
\$50,000 to \$99,999	351	25	26	15	29	1	26
\$100,000 to \$199,999	982	77	53	99	66	32	94
\$200,000 to \$499,999	2,959	297	104	281	223	28	284
\$500,000 to \$999,999	1,757	208	77	74	144	16	173
\$1,000,000 to \$1,999,999	531	79	25	47	43	13	75
\$2,000,000 to \$4,999,999	223	50	4	12	22	3	40
\$5,000,000 to \$9,999,999	32	11	4	-	1	-	6
\$10,000,000 or more	8	3	-	1	-	-	3
Approximate land area acres, 2012	5,898,679	490,449	431,988	415,274	343,411	424,704	405,572
Proportion in farms percent, 2012	21.2	42.5	9.6	19.7	21.4	6.0	45.9
2012 size of farm:							
1 to 9 acres farms	616	58	54	47	73	8	30
..... acres	2,560	226	(D)	209	252	45	90
10 to 49 acres farms	2,258	243	95	170	223	17	178
..... acres	56,663	5,965	2,271	4,518	5,105	302	4,158
50 to 69 acres farms	573	57	21	47	54	4	42
..... acres	33,002	3,227	1,201	2,685	3,069	200	2,408
70 to 99 acres farms	650	57	16	51	46	4	60
..... acres	54,291	4,571	1,366	4,345	3,894	332	4,932
100 to 139 acres farms	786	81	31	57	55	2	76
..... acres	90,871	9,320	3,336	6,928	6,464	(D)	8,744
140 to 179 acres farms	405	38	23	33	25	12	45
..... acres	63,990	5,938	3,489	5,250	3,976	1,953	7,159
180 to 219 acres farms	416	35	24	38	24	17	43
..... acres	82,703	6,917	4,765	7,682	4,675	3,279	8,413
220 to 259 acres farms	308	24	8	22	3	3	47
..... acres	73,419	5,780	(D)	5,126	740	(D)	11,158
260 to 499 acres farms	789	101	21	63	61	9	126
..... acres	278,614	36,106	7,436	22,073	22,291	3,325	44,521
500 to 999 acres farms	383	77	5	29	12	13	51
..... acres	250,443	51,754	3,065	18,399	7,499	7,276	33,247
1,000 to 1,999 acres farms	115	29	6	2	8	3	28
..... acres	151,000	40,097	9,407	(D)	9,258	3,490	33,829
2,000 acres or more farms	39	14	1	1	3	1	10
..... acres	114,157	38,461	(D)	(D)	6,360	(D)	27,635
2007 size of farm:							
1 to 9 acres farms	635	76	31	33	81	5	42
..... acres	2,751	326	155	94	363	36	175
10 to 49 acres farms	1,862	197	66	153	178	8	158
..... acres	46,781	4,829	1,706	3,873	3,886	159	4,157
50 to 69 acres farms	567	53	12	37	51	5	64
..... acres	32,854	2,942	(D)	2,151	(D)	(D)	3,658
70 to 99 acres farms	593	58	13	56	49	13	48
..... acres	49,329	4,798	1,094	4,665	4,046	1,073	3,860
100 to 139 acres farms	777	66	26	48	65	4	66
..... acres	89,920	7,603	2,992	5,612	7,497	524	7,715
140 to 179 acres farms	459	46	17	49	38	9	50
..... acres	72,161	7,155	2,659	7,764	5,963	1,385	7,776
180 to 219 acres farms	417	43	14	28	30	5	65
..... acres	82,161	8,542	2,785	5,532	5,863	1,060	12,625
220 to 259 acres farms	279	23	13	24	11	11	42
..... acres	66,630	5,631	3,143	5,800	2,629	2,549	10,019
260 to 499 acres farms	861	112	19	74	52	10	116
..... acres	303,640	39,827	6,450	25,148	19,191	3,621	42,193
500 to 999 acres farms	390	59	10	26	25	22	60
..... acres	252,371	39,429	6,550	17,167	16,391	13,263	40,028
1,000 to 1,999 acres farms	114	31	4	3	9	2	22
..... acres	148,188	41,578	5,235	4,140	10,252	(D)	29,330
2,000 acres or more farms	30	9	1	-	2	-	7
..... acres	86,527	24,822	(D)	-	(D)	-	18,470
LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE							
Total cropland farms, 2012	4,974	604	174	384	372	68	496
..... farms, 2007	5,439	644	177	430	452	82	572
..... acres, 2012	488,327	126,818	11,165	29,050	25,889	8,020	80,167
..... acres, 2007	516,924	116,067	13,175	30,776	31,161	11,557	85,077
Harvested cropland farms, 2012	4,619	571	157	370	328	66	465
..... farms, 2007	4,707	547	153	388	383	71	514
..... acres, 2012	446,020	119,053	9,959	26,616	22,307	7,680	74,966
..... acres, 2007	433,074	102,629	9,938	25,757	23,906	8,896	75,636
Other pasture and grazing land that could have been used for crops without additional improvements (see text) farms, 2012	674	74	23	41	40	4	85
..... farms, 2007	1,458	184	54	95	108	14	144
..... acres, 2012	17,924	2,594	614	1,098	1,173	46	2,945
..... acres, 2007	46,686	6,731	2,603	2,308	3,565	1,710	6,908

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FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS								
Farms number, 2012	121	349	748	638	640	532	447	768
..... 2007	114	300	683	635	658	444	428	767
Land in farms acres, 2012	19,020	52,093	105,234	130,445	108,497	67,352	50,765	101,362
..... 2007	17,138	49,749	101,645	130,308	130,580	61,029	50,764	95,972
Average size of farm acres, 2012	157	149	141	204	170	127	114	132
..... 2007	150	166	149	205	198	137	119	125
Estimated market value of land and buildings farms, 2012	121	349	748	638	640	532	447	768
..... 2007	114	300	683	635	658	444	428	767
..... \$1,000, 2012	72,393	189,901	325,949	317,252	294,850	270,257	202,972	384,659
..... 2007	61,772	155,325	301,015	301,303	326,363	211,029	188,299	385,224
Average per farm dollars, 2012	598,290	544,130	435,760	497,260	460,702	508,002	454,076	500,858
..... 2007	541,859	517,751	440,724	474,493	495,992	475,291	439,951	502,248
Average per acre dollars, 2012	3,806	3,645	3,097	2,432	2,718	4,013	3,998	3,795
..... 2007	3,604	3,122	2,961	2,312	2,499	3,458	3,709	4,014
2012 farms by value group:								
\$1 to \$49,999	10	26	43	40	42	33	42	58
\$50,000 to \$99,999	12	12	40	46	23	32	32	32
\$100,000 to \$199,999	5	41	95	123	100	46	61	90
\$200,000 to \$499,999	44	149	364	260	279	199	173	274
\$500,000 to \$999,999	33	83	144	123	137	187	110	248
\$1,000,000 to \$1,999,999	11	22	51	27	44	24	18	52
\$2,000,000 to \$4,999,999	6	16	10	13	14	10	10	13
\$5,000,000 to \$9,999,999	-	-	1	5	1	1	1	1
\$10,000,000 or more	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Approximate land area acres, 2012	52,359	293,631	439,701	443,701	595,087	439,832	502,593	620,376
Proportion in farms percent, 2012	36.3	17.7	23.9	29.4	18.2	15.3	10.1	16.3
2012 size of farm:								
1 to 9 acres farms	12	36	73	32	46	33	30	84
..... acres	57	178	(D)	124	158	129	114	416
10 to 49 acres farms	42	112	213	170	200	180	176	239
..... acres	901	3,143	5,715	4,255	5,106	4,871	4,268	6,085
50 to 69 acres farms	3	23	72	56	40	60	43	51
..... acres	167	1,312	4,302	3,110	2,365	3,439	2,485	3,032
70 to 99 acres farms	14	23	78	41	49	70	61	80
..... acres	1,238	1,875	6,516	3,424	4,097	5,817	5,101	6,783
100 to 139 acres farms	12	50	79	79	86	39	36	103
..... acres	1,412	5,872	9,084	8,928	9,682	(D)	4,348	12,026
140 to 179 acres farms	9	19	27	39	33	43	13	46
..... acres	1,367	3,037	4,252	5,999	5,373	6,855	2,006	7,336
180 to 219 acres farms	3	25	37	62	32	23	23	30
..... acres	597	4,892	7,447	12,345	6,238	4,670	4,772	6,011
220 to 259 acres farms	1	11	49	26	36	31	12	35
..... acres	(D)	2,552	11,969	6,252	8,361	7,495	(D)	8,221
260 to 499 acres farms	16	26	90	71	73	36	32	64
..... acres	4,961	9,217	31,447	25,398	26,377	12,318	10,231	22,913
500 to 999 acres farms	7	17	23	51	38	12	19	29
..... acres	5,175	11,097	14,734	33,554	26,584	7,673	11,890	18,496
1,000 to 1,999 acres farms	2	7	6	7	5	4	2	6
..... acres	(D)	8,918	7,415	10,090	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
2,000 acres or more farms	-	-	1	4	2	1	-	1
..... acres	-	-	(D)	16,966	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
2007 size of farm:								
1 to 9 acres farms	9	28	42	39	53	41	68	87
..... acres	29	101	204	165	200	172	285	446
10 to 49 acres farms	30	66	169	155	173	135	131	243
..... acres	666	1,675	4,033	3,924	4,346	3,573	3,343	6,611
50 to 69 acres farms	5	25	66	59	40	29	50	71
..... acres	293	1,448	(D)	3,338	2,313	(D)	2,961	4,280
70 to 99 acres farms	12	21	72	50	48	60	34	59
..... acres	976	1,768	6,168	4,132	3,903	5,029	2,797	5,020
100 to 139 acres farms	22	48	110	75	89	36	41	81
..... acres	2,596	5,743	12,544	8,812	10,082	4,180	4,782	9,238
140 to 179 acres farms	13	17	46	39	43	38	13	41
..... acres	1,986	2,717	7,299	6,213	6,872	6,054	2,001	6,317
180 to 219 acres farms	4	31	34	29	33	36	15	50
..... acres	790	6,204	6,622	5,745	6,565	7,060	2,960	9,808
220 to 259 acres farms	5	7	27	30	26	13	15	32
..... acres	1,203	1,653	6,553	7,177	6,139	3,063	3,490	7,581
260 to 499 acres farms	7	35	82	97	94	42	45	76
..... acres	2,068	12,245	27,549	33,894	34,857	13,848	16,053	26,696
500 to 999 acres farms	4	18	28	50	44	9	13	22
..... acres	2,876	11,100	17,982	30,933	29,026	5,049	8,622	13,955
1,000 to 1,999 acres farms	3	4	6	9	11	2	3	5
..... acres	3,655	5,095	6,838	13,335	13,015	(D)	3,470	6,020
2,000 acres or more farms	-	-	1	3	4	3	-	-
..... acres	-	-	(D)	12,640	13,262	7,859	-	-
LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE								
Total cropland farms, 2012	114	214	511	457	444	370	301	465
..... 2007	107	219	520	491	532	344	308	561
..... acres, 2012	13,782	12,621	33,207	52,531	36,465	21,061	13,966	23,585
..... 2007	11,314	17,325	35,613	55,211	46,305	20,747	14,996	27,600
Harvested cropland farms, 2012	106	193	471	429	398	357	268	440
..... 2007	95	185	452	451	472	283	246	467
..... acres, 2012	13,100	10,914	30,197	49,555	29,815	18,583	12,513	20,762
..... 2007	9,268	13,006	27,919	48,361	36,879	16,560	11,682	22,637
Other pasture and grazing land that could have been used for crops without additional improvements (see text) farms, 2012	21	34	66	48	91	79	41	27
..... 2007	30	68	131	114	137	83	109	187
..... acres, 2012	324	644	1,393	1,030	3,014	1,515	607	927
..... 2007	1,019	2,762	4,546	4,388	3,786	1,436	1,440	3,484

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LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE - Con.							
Total cropland - Con.							
Other croplandfarms, 2012	1,103	137	43	64	120	20	81
2007	1,372	177	44	96	136	32	115
acres, 2012	24,383	5,171	592	1,336	2,409	294	2,256
2007	37,164	6,707	634	2,711	3,690	951	2,533
Cropland idle or used for cover crops or soil improvement, but not harvested and not pastured or grazedfarms, 2012	828	116	35	55	95	10	66
2007	1,114	152	36	84	110	27	90
acres, 2012	15,219	2,317	333	954	1,707	234	1,842
2007	29,895	4,748	432	2,352	3,132	879	2,113
Cropland on which all crops failedfarms, 2012	220	25	8	9	17	5	17
2007	269	27	9	15	30	8	28
acres, 2012	6,253	2,222	170	287	579	(D)	220
2007	5,401	1,412	109	324	383	(D)	295
Cropland in cultivated summer fallowfarms, 2012	203	14	9	19	15	6	7
2007	146	16	3	6	18	3	12
acres, 2012	2,911	632	89	95	123	(D)	194
2007	1,868	547	93	35	175	(D)	125
Total woodlandfarms, 2012	5,544	567	189	437	390	67	600
2007	5,165	502	145	389	374	77	578
acres, 2012	536,075	44,213	21,940	38,269	34,896	12,003	77,374
2007	502,823	40,437	17,700	34,891	34,744	12,594	65,101
Woodland pasturedfarms, 2012	1,184	123	43	74	70	7	160
2007	1,145	112	30	88	67	17	197
acres, 2012	37,100	3,543	875	2,896	1,100	343	8,392
2007	40,985	3,892	992	2,588	1,853	1,373	9,464
Woodland not pasturedfarms, 2012	5,116	521	175	415	361	64	533
2007	4,719	458	133	353	341	73	495
acres, 2012	498,975	40,670	21,065	35,373	33,796	11,660	68,982
2007	461,838	36,545	16,708	32,303	32,891	11,221	55,637
Permanent pasture and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pastured (see text)farms, 2012	4,372	470	180	360	323	39	435
2007	3,828	403	115	309	291	57	465
acres, 2012	139,976	22,312	3,908	9,874	6,361	923	19,416
2007	137,165	18,342	2,966	9,420	10,222	1,169	22,224
Land in farmsteads, homes, buildings, livestock facilities, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc.farms, 2012	5,563	645	218	437	425	76	527
2007	4,515	560	166	315	372	65	431
acres, 2012	87,335	15,019	4,374	4,635	6,437	4,545	9,337
2007	76,401	12,636	2,739	6,859	7,255	1,412	7,604
Pastureland, all typesfarms, 2012	4,744	516	199	386	340	45	484
2007	4,619	503	151	362	352	64	537
acres, 2012	195,000	28,449	5,397	13,868	8,634	1,312	30,753
2007	224,836	28,965	6,561	14,316	15,640	4,252	38,596
CONSERVATION AND CROP INSURANCE							
Land enrolled in Conservation Reserve, Wetlands Reserve, Farmable Wetlands, or Conservation Reserve Enhancement Programsfarms, 2012	204	78	2	6	16	8	35
2007	183	62	3	8	6	6	19
acres, 2012	2,673	1,068	(D)	47	172	44	439
2007	6,752	1,410	(D)	486	61	156	582
Land enrolled in crop insurance programsfarms, 2012	545	138	14	31	44	7	127
2007	597	128	15	15	41	11	164
acres, 2012	147,747	60,021	3,193	4,467	7,460	1,579	33,494
2007	114,958	31,994	2,281	2,467	6,375	2,970	36,537

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LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE - Con.								
Total cropland - Con.								
Other cropland								
farms, 2012	21	52	102	81	128	99	61	94
2007	32	77	118	114	148	117	61	105
acres, 2012	358	1,063	1,617	1,946	3,636	963	846	1,896
2007	1,027	1,557	3,148	2,462	5,640	2,751	1,874	1,479
Cropland idle or used for cover crops or soil improvement, but not harvested and not pastured or grazed								
farms, 2012	15	44	57	60	78	79	44	74
2007	25	60	98	87	121	107	52	65
acres, 2012	197	834	1,051	1,453	1,568	842	355	1,532
2007	810	1,177	2,743	1,929	4,413	2,559	1,744	864
Cropland on which all crops failed								
farms, 2012	5	4	24	21	42	10	12	21
2007	8	18	20	26	30	12	8	30
acres, 2012	(D)	38	292	416	1,250	49	347	213
2007	(D)	(D)	294	414	901	174	110	408
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow								
farms, 2012	2	14	34	9	22	12	21	19
2007	1	1	36	7	18	4	7	14
acres, 2012	(D)	191	274	77	818	72	144	151
2007	(D)	(D)	111	119	326	18	20	207
Total woodland								
farms, 2012	67	270	571	491	500	422	357	616
2007	73	222	555	502	485	344	342	577
acres, 2012	2,827	31,779	50,965	50,935	49,333	34,737	28,032	58,772
2007	2,404	24,873	49,038	53,019	57,488	29,512	29,412	51,610
Woodland pastured								
farms, 2012	19	55	132	98	138	84	61	120
2007	17	38	106	102	143	42	80	106
acres, 2012	368	923	3,738	3,705	5,471	1,455	1,580	2,711
2007	285	645	2,700	4,493	6,973	1,956	1,377	2,394
Woodland not pastured								
farms, 2012	56	255	519	446	442	405	350	574
2007	67	215	515	470	424	332	303	540
acres, 2012	2,459	30,856	47,227	47,230	43,862	33,282	26,452	56,061
2007	2,119	24,228	46,338	48,526	50,515	27,556	28,035	49,216
Permanent pasture and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pastured (see text)								
farms, 2012	64	172	464	391	397	319	267	491
2007	57	146	392	357	369	214	238	415
acres, 2012	1,497	4,909	13,553	16,942	15,264	7,658	4,737	12,622
2007	1,281	5,389	11,791	15,832	17,813	6,652	3,950	10,114
Land in farmsteads, homes, buildings, livestock facilities, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc.								
farms, 2012	90	238	553	482	506	434	361	571
2007	82	175	457	377	433	276	299	507
acres, 2012	914	2,784	7,509	10,037	7,435	3,896	4,030	6,383
2007	2,139	2,162	5,203	6,246	8,974	4,118	2,406	6,648
Pastureland, all types								
farms, 2012	75	194	489	422	433	340	291	530
2007	76	186	460	415	430	269	300	514
acres, 2012	2,189	6,476	18,684	21,677	23,749	10,628	6,924	16,260
2007	2,585	8,796	19,037	24,713	28,572	10,044	6,767	15,992
CONSERVATION AND CROP INSURANCE								
Land enrolled in Conservation Reserve, Wetlands Reserve, Farmable Wetlands, or Conservation Reserve Enhancement Programs								
farms, 2012	-	8	10	9	23	-	5	4
2007	1	8	6	11	34	9	8	2
acres, 2012	-	50	94	209	418	-	51	(D)
2007	(D)	135	105	551	1,838	285	905	(D)
Land enrolled in crop insurance programs								
farms, 2012	22	11	19	49	44	13	14	12
2007	22	22	40	54	51	15	8	11
acres, 2012	5,866	2,225	4,185	11,509	7,451	2,888	2,128	1,281
2007	3,671	2,516	3,566	11,834	5,777	2,034	1,476	1,460