

**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
<b>FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS</b>			<b>FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM (NAICS) - Con.</b>		
Farms .....number	7,653	7,846	Other crop farming (1119) - Con.		
Land in farms .....acres	780,688	748,779	Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199) .....	1,670	1,644
<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>			Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111) .....	1,736	2,245
1 to 9 acres .....	920	975	Cattle feedlots (112112) .....	39	74
10 to 49 acres .....	3,316	3,300	Dairy cattle and milk production (11212) .....	42	81
50 to 179 acres .....	2,425	2,563	Hog and pig farming (1122) .....	94	68
180 to 499 acres .....	751	814	Poultry and egg production (1123) .....	353	364
500 acres or more .....	241	194	Sheep and goat farming (1124) .....	434	386
<b>OWNED AND RENTED LAND IN FARMS</b>			Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129) .....	2,416	2,362
Owned land in farms .....farms	7,326	7,452	<b>OTHER FARM CHARACTERISTICS</b>		
.....acres	652,108	636,677	Farms by-		
Rented or leased land in farms .....farms	1,266	1,469	Type of organization (see text):		
.....acres	128,580	112,102	Organization with 50 percent or more ownership interest held by operator and/or persons related by blood, marriage, or adoption .....	7,444	(NA)
<b>TENURE</b>			Limited Liability Corporation (see text) .....	861	(NA)
Full owners .....farms	6,387	6,377	Operation's legal status for tax purposes (see text):		
.....acres	540,548	536,988	Family or individual .....	6,558	6,755
Part owners .....farms	939	1,075	Partnerships .....	477	529
.....acres	206,481	186,124	Corporations .....	505	488
Tenants .....farms	327	394	Other - cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc .....	113	74
.....acres	33,659	25,667	<b>Number of operators:</b>		
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS</b>			1 operator .....	3,869	4,226
Total .....farms	7,653	7,846	2 operators .....	3,176	3,058
.....\$1,000	242,985	211,624	3 operators .....	485	456
Market value of agricultural products sold .....farms	7,653	7,846	4 operators .....	87	71
.....\$1,000	238,765	209,105	5 or more operators .....	36	35
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops .....farms	2,433	1,989	<b>Number of women operators:</b>		
.....\$1,000	63,778	46,592	1 operator .....	6,877	7,164
Livestock, poultry, and their products .....farms	3,778	3,857	2 operators .....	702	595
.....\$1,000	174,987	162,513	3 operators .....	61	71
Government payments .....farms	1,255	1,161	4 operators .....	6	7
.....\$1,000	4,220	2,519	5 or more operators .....	7	9
<b>FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS</b>			<b>Farms reporting-</b>		
Less than \$1,000 .....	2,871	3,408	Internet access .....	5,818	4,859
\$1,000 to \$2,499 .....	1,075	1,091	Dial-up service .....	616	(NA)
\$2,500 to \$4,999 .....	936	823	DSL service .....	1,748	(NA)
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	1,026	900	Cable modem service .....	932	(NA)
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	862	838	Fiber-optic service .....	205	(NA)
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	417	366	Mobile broadband plan for a computer or a cell phone .....	1,469	(NA)
\$50,000 or more .....	466	420	Satellite service .....	1,196	(NA)
<b>COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION (CCC) LOANS AND FEDERAL FARM PROGRAM PAYMENTS</b>			Broadband over Power Lines (BPL) .....	201	(NA)
CCC loans (see text) .....farms	3	12	Other Internet service .....	188	(NA)
.....\$1,000	(D)	3	<b>Principal operator is a hired manager .....farms</b>		
Conservation Reserve, Wetlands Reserve, Farmable Wetlands, or Conservation Reserve Enhancement Programs payments .....farms	420	469	.....acres	158	139
.....\$1,000	666	639	<b>Farms by number of households sharing in net income of farm:</b>		
Other Federal farm program payments .....farms	1,037	893	1 household .....	6,725	6,728
.....\$1,000	3,554	1,881	2 households .....	742	904
<b>FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM (NAICS)</b>			3 households .....	117	135
Oilseed and grain farming (1111) .....	121	71	4 households .....	43	50
Vegetable and melon farming (1112) .....	180	137	5 or more households .....	26	29
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113) .....	188	142	<b>Farms by share of principal operator's total household income from farming:</b>		
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114) .....	350	217	Less than 25 percent .....	6,431	6,676
Other crop farming (1119) .....	1,700	1,699	25 to 49 percent .....	397	364
Tobacco farming (11191) .....	18	52	50 to 74 percent .....	370	385
Cotton farming (11192) .....	12	3	75 to 99 percent .....	224	225
			100 percent .....	231	196