

**Table 53. Institutional, Research, Experimental, and American Indian Reservation Farms: 2012 and 2007**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text.]

Characteristics	2012	2007	Characteristics	2012	2007
Farms .....number	217	158	Market value of agricultural products sold (see text) - Con.		
Land in farms .....acres	2,850,796	2,389,921	Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops .....\$1,000	25,407	24,066
Average size of farm .....acres	13,137	15,126	Livestock, poultry, and their products .....\$1,000	35,617	31,928
Estimated value of land and buildings .....\$1,000	1,789,644	889,228	Total farm production expenses .....\$1,000	73,379	45,262
Average per farm .....dollars	8,247,206	5,628,028	Average per farm .....dollars	338,150	286,466
Average per acre .....dollars	628	372	Government payments received .....farms	18	14
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment .....\$1,000	23,736	29,127	.....\$1,000	510	248
Land in farms according to use:			Average per farm .....dollars	28,310	17,679
Total cropland .....farms	54	36	Income from farm-related sources (see text) .....farms	38	14
.....acres	21,633	19,774	.....\$1,000	8,257	3,496
Harvested cropland .....farms	41	31	Average per farm .....dollars	217,301	249,694
.....acres	(D)	13,907	Tenure of operator:		
Other pasture and grazing land that could have been used for crops without additional improvements (see text) .....farms	4	4	Full owners .....farms	175	130
.....acres	(D)	(D)	Part owners .....farms	32	20
Other cropland .....farms	25	18	Tenants .....farms	10	8
.....acres	12,323	(D)	Farms by North American Industry Classification System:		
Total woodland .....farms	22	9	Oilseed and grain farming (1111) .....farms	9	7
.....acres	(D)	(D)	Vegetable and melon farming (1112) .....farms	1	4
Woodland pastured .....farms	8	4	Fruit and tree nut farming (1113) .....farms	7	9
.....acres	(D)	905,485	Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114) .....farms	17	6
Woodland not pastured .....farms	18	8	Other crop farming (1119) .....farms	14	3
.....acres	633,400	(D)	Tobacco farming (11191) .....farms	-	-
Permanent pasture and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pastured (see text) .....farms	21	8	Cotton farming (11192) .....farms	-	-
.....acres	(D)	(D)	Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193,11194,11199) .....farms	14	3
Land in farmsteads, buildings, livestock facilities, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. ....farms	181	140	Beef cattle ranching and farming (11211) .....farms	4	1
.....acres	26,714	36,090	Cattle feedlots (11212) .....farms	-	-
Irrigated land .....farms	32	23	Dairy cattle and milk production (11212) .....farms	1	1
.....acres	4,458	12,165	Hog and pig farming (1122) .....farms	-	1
Market value of agricultural products sold (see text) .....\$1,000	61,024	55,994	Poultry and egg production (1123) .....farms	-	-
Average per farm .....dollars	281,217	354,392	Sheep and goat farming (1124) .....farms	1	-
			Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125,1129) .....farms	163	126

**Table 54. Organic Agriculture: 2012**

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Item	2012	Item	2012
<b>VALUE OF SALES OF CERTIFIED OR EXEMPT ORGANICALLY PRODUCED COMMODITIES</b>		<b>PRINCIPAL OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS FOR FARMS WITH CERTIFIED OR EXEMPT ORGANIC PRODUCTION - Con.</b>	
Total organic product sales (see text) .....farms	767	Place of residence:	
.....\$1,000	291,410	On farm operated .....farms	647
Average per farm .....dollars	379,934	Not on farm operated .....farms	209
By value of sales:		Days worked off farm:	
\$1 to \$4,999 .....farms	207	None .....farms	415
.....\$1,000	408	Any .....farms	441
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....farms	55	1 to 49 days .....farms	98
.....\$1,000	397	50 to 99 days .....farms	35
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....farms	72	100 to 199 days .....farms	76
.....\$1,000	1,095	200 days or more .....farms	232
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....farms	68	Years on present farm:	
.....\$1,000	2,456	2 years or less .....farms	41
\$50,000 or more .....farms	365	3 or 4 years .....farms	75
.....\$1,000	287,053	5 to 9 years .....farms	130
<b>TYPE OF PRODUCTION (SEE TEXT)</b>		10 years or more .....farms	610
USDA National Organic Program certified organic production .....farms	674	Average years on present farm .....farms	19
USDA National Organic Program organic production exempt from certification .....farms	182	Age group:	
Acres transitioning into USDA National Organic Program organic production .....farms	106	Under 25 years .....farms	9
<b>PRINCIPAL OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS FOR FARMS WITH CERTIFIED OR EXEMPT ORGANIC PRODUCTION</b>		25 to 34 years .....farms	45
Sex of operator:		35 to 44 years .....farms	75
Male .....farms	696	45 to 49 years .....farms	93
Female .....farms	160	50 to 54 years .....farms	149
Primary occupation:		55 to 59 years .....farms	156
Farming .....farms	616	60 to 64 years .....farms	150
Other .....farms	240	65 to 69 years .....farms	99
		70 years and over .....farms	80
		Average age .....farms	55.4