

**Table 45. Selected Operation and Operator Characteristics: 2012 and 2007**

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Item	Wyoming	Albany	Big Horn	Campbell	Carbon	Converse	Crook	Fremont
<b>FARMS</b>								
Land in farms	11,736	448	627	744	319	410	482	1,363
	11,069	448	621	633	287	435	457	1,394
acres, 2012	30,363,641	1,964,445	302,555	2,878,017	2,374,154	2,447,448	1,586,809	1,710,015
2007	30,169,526	1,856,054	438,033	2,345,915	2,172,544	2,366,020	1,569,912	1,800,538
Harvested cropland	5,558	163	359	176	159	149	197	849
	5,573	143	386	231	154	169	295	747
acres, 2012	1,440,605	70,376	83,518	34,207	95,838	31,056	59,072	147,043
2007	1,536,240	82,053	77,998	65,941	86,640	39,857	107,989	119,465
<b>TENURE</b>								
Full owners	7,792	325	455	447	181	259	270	960
	7,124	301	419	388	168	259	221	970
acres, 2012	8,759,886	859,786	117,547	756,100	861,863	662,280	437,180	482,084
2007	8,711,896	986,266	170,299	553,106	1,004,569	334,528	347,883	718,634
Harvested cropland	3,290	99	213	95	84	97	94	542
	3,071	73	232	99	88	80	113	465
acres, 2012	530,886	30,838	23,644	11,927	45,077	17,384	21,405	62,938
2007	519,839	49,455	22,907	15,835	37,344	10,136	19,360	59,500
Part owners	3,207	104	132	242	95	127	170	340
	3,276	131	153	191	93	149	198	353
acres, 2012	19,017,617	1,088,464	158,744	1,662,775	1,292,616	1,568,682	1,034,733	1,108,444
2007	19,838,032	846,108	249,616	1,600,262	1,056,877	1,882,168	1,090,972	966,585
Owned land in farms	11,576,166	761,441	73,090	982,874	844,829	1,145,479	561,793	421,562
	12,239,977	620,030	108,023	969,648	675,363	1,439,263	696,750	467,734
acres, 2012	7,441,451	327,023	85,654	679,901	447,787	423,203	472,940	686,882
2007	7,599,055	226,078	141,593	630,614	381,514	442,905	394,222	498,851
Harvested cropland	1,927	56	121	74	55	49	92	257
	2,180	61	123	114	56	74	161	245
acres, 2012	796,992	37,636	45,376	20,283	39,648	13,233	34,399	77,280
2007	929,172	27,953	45,838	42,541	45,031	26,940	84,147	55,765
Tenants	737	19	40	55	43	24	42	63
	669	16	49	54	26	27	38	71
acres, 2012	2,586,138	16,195	26,264	459,142	219,675	216,486	114,896	119,487
2007	1,619,598	23,680	18,118	192,547	111,098	149,324	131,057	115,319
Harvested cropland	341	8	25	7	20	3	11	50
	322	9	31	18	10	15	21	37
acres, 2012	112,727	1,902	14,498	1,997	11,113	439	3,268	6,825
2007	87,229	4,645	9,253	7,565	4,265	2,781	4,482	4,200
<b>2012 NUMBER OF ALL OPERATORS</b>								
Total operators	19,655	769	986	1,263	541	734	777	2,372
Farms by number of operators:								
1 operator	5,301	181	334	296	158	157	230	517
2 operators	5,441	225	239	397	123	214	212	730
3 operators	707	36	45	35	25	23	37	77
4 operators	178	2	7	12	6	11	3	33
5 or more operators	109	4	2	4	7	5	-	6
Total women operators	6,977	296	308	474	196	287	262	925
Farms by number of women operators:								
1 operator	6,042	248	285	417	147	237	233	807
2 operators	350	24	10	27	14	14	7	56
3 operators	56	-	1	1	3	4	5	2
4 operators	13	-	-	-	3	-	-	-
5 or more operators	3	-	-	-	-	2	-	-
<b>2007 NUMBER OF ALL OPERATORS</b>								
Total operators	18,522	766	956	1,060	490	769	761	2,346
Farms by number of operators:								
1 operator	5,098	192	336	274	134	172	217	616
2 operators	4,906	212	244	306	116	215	186	656
3 operators	751	29	33	39	29	27	44	84
4 operators	254	12	7	13	5	19	10	29
5 or more operators	60	3	1	1	3	2	-	9
Total women operators	6,537	313	303	410	169	312	260	915
Farms by number of women operators:								
1 operator	5,629	239	283	361	142	261	229	794
2 operators	363	34	10	20	7	18	14	53
3 operators	50	2	-	3	3	5	1	5
4 operators	3	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
5 or more operators	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>PRINCIPAL OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS</b>								
<b>Sex of operator:</b>								
Male	10,118	363	553	660	269	328	429	1,127
	9,465	342	543	532	252	345	397	1,164
acres, 2012	27,703,224	1,847,412	281,689	2,574,900	2,217,376	2,054,314	1,496,979	1,591,752
2007	27,760,155	1,668,851	423,188	2,152,850	2,061,526	2,090,919	1,468,711	1,488,064
Female	1,618	85	74	84	50	82	53	236
	1,604	106	78	101	35	90	60	230
acres, 2012	2,660,417	117,033	20,866	303,117	156,778	393,134	89,830	118,263
2007	2,409,371	187,203	14,845	193,065	111,018	275,101	101,201	312,474
<b>Primary occupation:</b>								
Farming	5,845	181	341	271	192	237	298	749
	5,445	163	325	245	156	209	298	680
Other	5,891	267	286	473	127	173	184	614
	5,624	285	296	388	131	226	159	714
<b>Place of residence:</b>								
On farm operated	9,765	358	497	634	260	348	411	1,220
	9,085	337	529	539	227	353	396	1,180
Not on farm operated	1,971	90	130	110	59	62	71	143
	1,984	111	92	94	60	82	61	214

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Item	Goshen	Hot Springs	Johnson	Laramie	Lincoln	Natrona	Niobrara	Park
<b>FARMS</b>								
Land in farms .....farms, 2012	790	178	358	1,116	608	397	234	860
.....2007	815	180	319	844	535	413	235	782
.....acres, 2012	1,370,277	517,276	2,035,591	1,676,034	343,798	1,691,017	1,358,802	813,152
.....2007	1,368,342	547,084	1,946,197	1,691,648	342,630	2,181,451	1,449,111	881,736
Harvested cropland .....farms, 2012	403	112	135	312	378	167	81	528
.....2007	472	105	139	253	332	168	84	514
.....acres, 2012	127,599	15,199	29,066	159,581	82,349	27,372	23,300	94,936
.....2007	140,024	14,117	30,986	136,640	76,442	30,853	24,793	90,740
<b>TENURE</b>								
Full owners .....farms, 2012	516	137	209	835	366	276	116	589
.....2007	536	146	185	604	342	279	110	540
.....acres, 2012	462,891	360,099	454,886	331,816	(D)	433,147	313,176	314,554
.....2007	376,832	351,230	425,048	443,336	107,551	637,258	320,409	300,207
Harvested cropland .....farms, 2012	222	82	68	145	202	127	42	333
.....2007	274	83	65	100	183	114	32	323
.....acres, 2012	37,361	10,702	9,290	31,703	17,425	15,505	12,268	26,640
.....2007	46,263	(D)	8,833	28,920	21,586	(D)	5,702	26,054
Part owners .....farms, 2012	215	35	101	234	211	106	95	218
.....2007	209	30	104	211	168	117	104	196
.....acres, 2012	848,780	137,203	1,140,314	1,287,802	246,673	1,165,894	888,551	487,807
.....2007	888,835	(D)	1,360,923	1,206,748	223,648	1,464,470	1,000,835	512,664
Owned land in farms .....acres, 2012	526,580	(D)	703,100	826,016	116,290	578,566	550,182	214,951
.....2007	564,837	(D)	730,755	800,756	106,822	695,120	640,726	246,385
Rented land in farms .....acres, 2012	322,200	(D)	437,214	461,786	130,383	587,328	338,369	272,856
.....2007	323,998	49,106	630,168	405,992	116,826	769,350	360,109	266,279
Harvested cropland .....farms, 2012	143	24	54	134	156	38	34	160
.....2007	154	20	60	135	137	53	44	163
.....acres, 2012	78,036	4,114	15,425	114,235	55,544	(D)	8,382	60,187
.....2007	80,393	6,885	19,671	102,504	51,354	17,563	15,910	58,088
Tenants .....farms, 2012	59	6	48	47	31	15	23	53
.....2007	70	4	30	29	25	17	21	46
.....acres, 2012	58,606	19,974	440,391	56,416	(D)	91,976	157,075	10,791
.....2007	102,675	(D)	160,226	41,564	11,431	79,723	127,867	68,865
Harvested cropland .....farms, 2012	38	6	13	33	20	2	5	35
.....2007	44	2	14	18	12	1	8	28
.....acres, 2012	12,202	383	4,351	13,643	9,380	(D)	2,650	8,109
.....2007	13,368	(D)	2,482	5,216	3,502	(D)	3,181	6,598
<b>2012 NUMBER OF ALL OPERATORS</b>								
Total operators .....number	1,300	314	611	1,873	967	674	387	1,406
Farms by number of operators:								
1 operator .....	366	70	157	500	321	169	103	403
2 operators .....	363	93	166	525	243	189	110	399
3 operators .....	46	9	30	62	30	33	20	36
4 operators .....	10	4	1	12	3	3	1	14
5 or more operators .....	5	2	4	17	2	3	-	8
Total women operators .....number	418	118	216	704	292	242	125	482
Farms by number of women operators:								
1 operator .....	385	108	188	573	252	205	117	417
2 operators .....	12	3	8	37	13	17	4	21
3 operators .....	3	-	1	19	2	1	-	5
4 operators .....	-	1	-	-	2	-	-	2
5 or more operators .....	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
<b>2007 NUMBER OF ALL OPERATORS</b>								
Total operators .....number	1,337	294	536	1,400	829	691	425	1,321
Farms by number of operators:								
1 operator .....	405	83	148	393	284	190	87	350
2 operators .....	339	85	132	368	215	182	118	354
3 operators .....	45	10	32	65	30	29	19	51
4 operators .....	20	1	7	16	5	10	10	26
5 or more operators .....	6	1	-	2	1	2	1	1
Total women operators .....number	417	103	173	498	233	223	149	452
Farms by number of women operators:								
1 operator .....	375	92	155	412	224	188	133	390
2 operators .....	14	4	9	31	3	16	6	19
3 operators .....	3	1	-	8	1	1	-	8
4 operators .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5 or more operators .....	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>PRINCIPAL OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS</b>								
Sex of operator:								
Male .....farms, 2012	711	163	306	918	555	351	220	769
.....2007	726	163	277	710	497	355	211	697
.....acres, 2012	1,299,690	489,813	1,868,424	1,605,562	310,365	1,479,118	1,303,966	758,747
.....2007	1,260,792	511,066	1,793,252	1,604,535	323,825	2,093,259	1,359,015	844,510
Female .....farms, 2012	79	15	52	198	53	46	14	91
.....2007	89	17	42	134	38	58	24	85
.....acres, 2012	70,587	27,463	167,167	70,472	33,433	211,899	54,836	54,405
.....2007	107,550	36,018	152,945	87,113	18,805	88,192	90,096	37,226
Primary occupation:								
Farming .....2012	471	76	185	416	282	196	189	408
.....2007	440	92	190	334	273	191	173	386
Other .....2012	319	102	173	700	326	201	45	452
.....2007	375	88	129	510	262	222	62	396
Place of residence:								
On farm operated .....2012	616	161	299	851	504	325	195	734
.....2007	611	158	258	619	460	334	187	699
Not on farm operated .....2012	174	17	59	265	104	72	39	126
.....2007	204	22	61	225	75	79	48	83

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Item	Platte	Sheridan	Sublette	Sweetwater	Teton	Uinta	Washakie	Weston	
<b>FARMS</b>									
Land in farms .....	farms, 2012	505	702	398	255	154	315	209	264
	2007	487	599	366	244	180	344	214	237
	acres, 2012	1,224,330	1,304,838	777,516	1,665,441	40,160	650,246	341,347	1,290,373
	2007	1,308,165	1,224,625	599,289	1,486,395	52,930	742,809	469,804	1,328,294
Harvested cropland .....	farms, 2012	236	387	198	129	66	187	125	62
	2007	231	368	174	138	59	196	136	79
	acres, 2012	72,701	57,787	93,358	28,143	8,015	44,249	35,031	20,809
	2007	78,905	65,485	97,079	32,692	10,996	57,023	40,575	28,947
<b>TENURE</b>									
Full owners .....	farms, 2012	301	464	259	195	123	203	146	160
	2007	271	350	253	185	147	231	117	102
	acres, 2012	325,716	299,879	327,524	163,978	(D)	182,788	185,919	323,937
	2007	271,095	420,868	279,871	(D)	(D)	143,160	190,782	232,661
Harvested cropland .....	farms, 2012	121	238	124	96	55	108	74	29
	2007	94	210	108	95	41	108	70	21
	acres, 2012	24,030	19,170	57,353	20,246	4,551	14,701	9,898	6,830
	2007	16,771	24,275	51,886	16,659	3,416	19,262	10,959	(D)
Part owners .....	farms, 2012	173	200	111	44	19	89	52	94
	2007	199	205	99	53	21	92	79	121
	acres, 2012	876,216	919,593	291,744	1,246,443	10,424	451,603	141,516	962,596
	2007	994,935	695,166	293,721	1,408,642	(D)	589,662	236,390	1,074,778
Owned land in farms .....	acres, 2012	496,183	490,198	193,614	(D)	4,776	255,954	72,106	636,340
	2007	526,309	394,853	162,651	(D)	4,829	327,860	95,415	694,726
Rented land in farms .....	acres, 2012	380,033	429,395	98,130	(D)	5,648	195,649	69,410	326,256
	2007	468,626	300,313	131,070	(D)	(D)	261,802	140,975	380,052
Harvested cropland .....	farms, 2012	100	135	66	30	8	67	42	32
	2007	129	146	60	39	12	78	59	57
	acres, 2012	41,871	33,644	33,115	(D)	(D)	27,535	21,017	(D)
	2007	58,667	38,804	43,383	13,971	6,973	36,546	26,143	24,102
Tenants .....	farms, 2012	31	38	28	16	12	23	11	10
	2007	17	44	14	6	12	21	18	14
	acres, 2012	22,398	85,366	158,248	255,020	(D)	15,855	13,912	3,840
	2007	42,135	108,591	25,697	(D)	(D)	9,987	42,632	20,855
Harvested cropland .....	farms, 2012	15	14	8	3	3	12	9	1
	2007	8	12	6	4	6	10	7	1
	acres, 2012	6,800	4,973	2,890	(D)	(D)	2,013	4,116	(D)
	2007	3,467	2,406	1,810	2,062	607	1,215	3,473	(D)
<b>2012 NUMBER OF ALL OPERATORS</b>									
Total operators .....	number	806	1,147	641	516	237	531	332	471
Farms by number of operators:									
1 operator .....		255	333	207	98	92	137	119	98
2 operators .....		212	320	151	114	48	148	75	145
3 operators .....		31	34	31	18	10	22	5	12
4 operators .....		6	7	6	8	3	8	4	5
5 or more operators .....		1	8	3	17	1	-	6	4
Total women operators .....	number	276	404	231	191	91	173	90	176
Farms by number of women operators:									
1 operator .....		253	365	210	130	75	155	82	153
2 operators .....		10	13	9	26	6	9	4	6
3 operators .....		1	3	1	3	-	-	-	1
4 operators .....		1	1	-	-	1	-	-	2
5 or more operators .....		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>2007 NUMBER OF ALL OPERATORS</b>									
Total operators .....	number	819	967	624	416	311	613	397	394
Farms by number of operators:									
1 operator .....		222	296	166	111	83	150	81	108
2 operators .....		223	262	164	102	73	144	98	112
3 operators .....		29	31	18	24	14	31	26	12
4 operators .....		7	5	14	6	10	14	5	3
5 or more operators .....		6	5	4	1	-	5	4	2
Total women operators .....	number	285	358	236	153	114	201	124	136
Farms by number of women operators:									
1 operator .....		252	318	204	103	89	168	103	114
2 operators .....		14	13	16	23	8	15	9	7
3 operators .....		-	3	-	-	3	1	1	1
4 operators .....		-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
5 or more operators .....		1	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
<b>PRINCIPAL OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS</b>									
Sex of operator:									
Male .....	farms, 2012	420	601	337	218	117	280	184	239
	2007	420	474	294	207	144	306	193	216
	acres, 2012	1,082,302	1,191,608	718,878	1,369,272	35,620	633,455	312,236	1,179,746
	2007	1,224,078	1,120,303	506,649	1,418,935	48,836	700,304	396,624	1,200,063
Female .....	farms, 2012	85	101	61	37	37	35	25	25
	2007	67	125	72	37	36	38	21	21
	acres, 2012	142,028	113,230	58,638	296,169	4,540	16,791	29,111	110,627
	2007	84,087	104,322	92,640	67,460	4,094	42,505	73,180	128,231
Primary occupation:									
Farming .....	2012	300	322	205	78	64	139	110	135
	2007	284	278	148	95	71	175	134	105
Other .....	2012	205	380	193	177	90	176	99	129
	2007	203	321	218	149	109	169	80	132
Place of residence:									
On farm operated .....	2012	430	618	346	191	123	267	173	204
	2007	422	493	300	193	160	281	176	173
Not on farm operated .....	2012	75	84	52	64	31	48	36	60
	2007	65	106	66	51	20	63	38	64

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Item	Wyoming	Albany	Big Horn	Campbell	Carbon	Converse	Crook	Fremont
<b>PRINCIPAL OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS - Con.</b>								
Days worked off farm:								
None .....2012	4,430	133	280	211	121	215	216	559
.....2007	3,849	155	183	215	104	157	201	467
Any .....2012	7,306	315	347	533	198	195	266	804
.....2007	7,220	293	438	418	183	278	256	927
1 to 49 days .....2012	1,049	34	67	33	37	37	59	94
.....2007	1,144	53	72	37	20	36	55	178
50 to 99 days .....2012	608	15	20	18	47	11	29	91
.....2007	552	15	29	12	18	23	13	80
100 to 199 days .....2012	1,106	38	60	81	27	26	53	137
.....2007	1,153	39	46	91	23	42	36	120
200 days or more .....2012	4,543	228	200	401	87	121	125	482
.....2007	4,371	186	291	278	122	177	152	549
Years on present farm:								
2 years or less .....2012	447	11	22	23	4	23	11	47
.....2007	546	11	52	30	12	36	36	88
3 or 4 years .....2012	639	26	28	35	16	9	27	63
.....2007	807	22	57	62	30	38	20	105
5 to 9 years .....2012	2,045	76	118	159	54	71	60	257
.....2007	1,914	85	123	92	32	45	67	246
10 years or more .....2012	8,605	335	459	527	245	307	384	996
.....2007	7,802	330	389	449	213	316	334	955
Average years on present farm .....2012	20.5	20.4	19.5	20.1	23.8	22.6	24.3	19.9
.....2007	19.9	19.2	16.8	20.8	20.9	20.3	23.2	18.8
Years operating any farm (see text):								
2 years or less .....2012	275	9	13	19	3	22	5	33
.....2007	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
3 or 4 years .....2012	451	24	22	23	12	8	19	42
.....2007	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
5 to 9 years .....2012	1,640	66	90	101	45	55	59	208
.....2007	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
10 years or more .....2012	9,370	349	502	601	259	325	399	1,080
.....2007	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Average years on any farm .....2012	23.7	22.7	23.5	22.8	26.2	24.4	26.9	23.4
.....2007	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Age group:								
Under 25 years .....2012	59	-	3	1	-	-	-	2
.....2007	53	-	5	6	-	2	1	-
25 to 34 years .....2012	663	34	41	38	26	34	31	95
.....2007	562	13	43	24	18	15	30	109
35 to 44 years .....2012	1,098	41	68	78	29	31	38	114
.....2007	1,076	25	66	72	31	47	30	92
45 to 54 years .....2012	2,383	80	119	208	54	87	87	285
.....2007	2,924	118	158	217	80	100	109	394
55 to 59 years .....2012	1,825	73	79	126	47	46	64	246
.....2007	1,884	81	95	93	35	72	65	255
60 to 64 years .....2012	2,077	81	76	119	51	65	89	219
.....2007	1,391	92	74	65	27	66	53	146
65 to 69 years .....2012	1,409	58	93	52	40	69	58	166
.....2007	1,262	38	102	57	30	46	55	183
70 years and over .....2012	2,222	81	148	122	72	78	115	236
.....2007	1,917	81	78	99	66	87	114	215
Average age .....2012	58.2	58.3	58.6	56.5	58.7	59.1	59.7	57.7
.....2007	57.1	58.9	55.6	55.7	57.4	58.2	59.4	56.5
<b>INTERNET ACCESS (SEE TEXT)</b>								
Internet access .....2012	8,968	360	476	602	256	311	333	1,017
.....2007	7,289	293	465	394	200	272	284	879
Dial-up service .....farms, 2012	571	24	30	35	25	17	43	41
DSL service .....farms, 2012	2,830	73	238	158	89	40	134	317
Cable modem service .....farms, 2012	749	23	61	27	38	31	15	68
Fiber-optic service .....farms, 2012	448	5	81	11	4	-	33	39
Mobile broadband plan for computer or cell phone .....farms, 2012	1,527	48	68	153	19	103	40	147
Satellite service .....farms, 2012	3,350	216	32	293	94	142	105	391
Broadband over Power Lines (BPL) .....farms, 2012	168	-	35	5	2	3	2	25
Other Internet service .....farms, 2012	340	9	2	15	1	1	7	92
<b>TYPE OF ORGANIZATION (SEE TEXT)</b>								
Operation with over 50 percent ownership interest held by operator and/or persons related to operator by blood/marriage/adoption .....farms, 2012								
.....farms, 2012	11,224	427	613	719	288	387	466	1,314
.....acres, 2012	25,613,370	1,550,339	277,645	2,548,014	1,590,493	2,098,891	1,465,703	1,147,006
Limited Liability Corporation .....farms, 2012	1,138	77	42	75	72	49	38	110
.....acres, 2012	5,883,628	749,321	53,140	499,971	694,480	458,436	295,095	579,325
<b>OPERATION'S LEGAL STATUS FOR TAX PURPOSES (SEE TEXT)</b>								
Family or individual .....farms, 2012	9,154	333	526	621	193	298	363	1,088
.....farms, 2007	8,784	339	523	547	200	343	358	1,155
.....acres, 2012	12,544,766	734,311	170,604	1,858,846	732,693	772,876	785,918	407,127
.....acres, 2007	13,129,588	879,059	(D)	1,390,780	844,254	985,333	827,492	456,402
Partnership .....farms, 2012	1,095	58	44	66	48	41	57	124
.....farms, 2007	1,024	50	50	46	38	44	49	104
.....acres, 2012	5,956,475	897,764	49,307	472,587	478,475	661,253	306,747	423,747
.....acres, 2007	5,807,737	536,578	51,847	485,804	552,199	587,112	231,393	641,755
Corporation:								
Family-held .....farms, 2012	985	48	46	30	59	42	39	82
.....farms, 2007	932	46	42	24	41	39	38	89
.....acres, 2012	8,154,173	293,253	56,484	354,042	887,919	669,172	429,482	474,364
.....acres, 2007	8,288,379	394,530	108,145	375,274	727,753	762,136	396,792	338,507
Other than family held .....farms, 2012	100	2	3	1	1	6	1	13
.....farms, 2007	87	4	3	3	1	2	2	14
.....acres, 2012	681,709	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	103,598	(D)	(D)
.....acres, 2007	518,051	32,150	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	30,037
Other - cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. ....farms, 2012								
.....farms, 2012	402	7	8	26	18	23	22	56
.....farms, 2007	242	9	3	13	7	7	10	32
.....acres, 2012	3,026,518	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	240,549	(D)	(D)
.....acres, 2007	2,425,771	13,737	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	333,837

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**Table 45. Selected Operation and Operator Characteristics: 2012 and 2007 (continued)**

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

Item	Goshen	Hot Springs	Johnson	Laramie	Lincoln	Natrona	Niobrara	Park
<b>PRINCIPAL OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS - Con.</b>								
Days worked off farm:								
None	397	67	121	328	179	136	122	309
2012	307	51	127	296	160	114	116	265
Any	393	111	237	788	429	261	112	551
2012	508	129	192	548	375	299	119	517
2007	76	7	39	66	68	33	22	86
1 to 49 days	85	20	39	76	71	35	33	71
2012	26	16	17	43	47	17	19	50
2007	34	19	12	13	22	43	17	54
50 to 99 days	57	21	28	93	71	27	23	85
2012	79	19	42	83	68	24	20	116
2007	234	67	153	586	243	184	48	330
200 days or more	310	71	99	376	214	197	49	276
2007								
Years on present farm:								
2 years or less	69	4	12	45	13	23	14	15
2012	31	3	19	28	32	21	7	45
2007	25	12	29	72	53	53	4	58
3 or 4 years	70	20	12	70	21	41	12	59
2012	153	26	60	214	80	73	32	193
2007	196	48	54	172	76	76	38	152
5 to 9 years	543	136	257	785	462	248	184	594
2012	518	109	234	574	406	275	178	526
2007	18.6	18.9	19.7	19.3	21.9	17.5	23.6	19.5
Average years on present farm	18.4	16.7	21.2	20.0	22.0	17.6	22.7	18.6
2007								
Years operating any farm (see text):								
2 years or less	32	-	11	17	10	11	9	11
2012	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
2007	14	12	22	56	44	23	3	20
3 or 4 years	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
2012	123	23	53	185	64	65	26	153
2007	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
5 to 9 years	621	143	272	858	490	298	196	676
2012	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
2007	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
10 years or more	24.0	23.9	23.1	22.2	24.4	27.3	27.3	23.6
2012	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
2007								
Average years on any farm								
2012								
2007								
Age group:								
Under 25 years	10	-	6	22	-	-	-	1
2012	5	3	-	6	12	2	-	7
2007	59	14	32	57	31	25	15	43
25 to 34 years	29	8	6	58	30	15	8	28
2012	47	6	33	148	49	46	12	86
2007	91	14	27	121	59	39	19	78
35 to 44 years								
2012	156	27	67	208	156	73	54	166
2007	217	34	80	185	117	108	59	197
45 to 54 years	115	33	62	150	65	44	42	124
2012	143	36	54	123	100	89	35	142
2007	134	27	52	238	116	100	37	149
55 to 59 years	94	16	53	93	77	46	24	126
2012	96	11	40	98	55	48	19	131
2007	91	26	37	102	54	40	28	103
60 to 64 years	173	60	66	195	136	61	55	160
2012	145	43	62	156	86	74	62	101
2007	58.4	61.2	56.8	56.8	58.5	57.5	58.9	58.6
Average age	57.0	58.3	59.1	56.3	56.0	57.4	59.5	56.7
2007								
<b>INTERNET ACCESS (SEE TEXT)</b>								
Internet access	597	133	292	808	468	311	175	681
2012	520	121	223	569	343	298	132	556
2007	35	12	18	33	39	11	2	59
Dial-up service	151	66	97	288	213	51	19	135
2012	55	7	18	71	65	31	10	35
2007	5	13	18	75	19	1	5	68
Fiber-optic service								
2012	90	13	73	141	72	59	24	155
2007	299	36	96	219	106	168	119	259
Satellite service	8	-	4	25	8	8	1	9
2012	30	-	3	55	15	20	6	36
2007								
<b>TYPE OF ORGANIZATION (SEE TEXT)</b>								
Operation with over 50 percent ownership interest held by operator and/or persons related to operator by blood/marriage/adoption								
farms, 2012	769	172	326	1,074	587	384	227	826
2012	1,257,472	511,778	1,513,248	1,350,560	324,545	1,564,819	1,173,521	546,032
acres, 2012	49	6	51	105	53	37	15	65
2012	108,852	33,330	526,170	271,321	42,802	383,803	111,170	109,352
2007								
<b>OPERATION'S LEGAL STATUS FOR TAX PURPOSES (SEE TEXT)</b>								
Family or individual	632	142	254	915	482	296	183	692
2012	638	136	244	641	450	325	179	624
2007	736,576	(D)	811,951	650,666	163,642	690,660	(D)	223,668
farms, 2012	757,468	(D)	966,776	621,756	(D)	797,348	(D)	236,006
2012	46	19	44	72	59	51	23	57
2007	66	28	34	90	34	45	27	57
Partnership	185,803	39,168	554,851	311,465	99,718	284,631	188,711	147,690
2012	145,702	42,131	401,296	348,958	73,843	568,409	269,664	100,734
2007								
Corporation:								
Family-held	86	11	40	90	44	37	19	79
2012	91	10	37	63	40	35	27	83
2007	414,767	40,677	480,246	607,710	63,180	676,143	289,125	416,377
acres, 2012	422,501	99,448	577,485	457,769	57,702	695,390	442,908	410,095
2012	5	2	2	16	3	1	2	6
2007	9	1	4	10	1	2	1	8
Other than family held	1,839	(D)	(D)	75,192	4,800	(D)	(D)	12,240
2012	7,733	(D)	640	79,515	(D)	(D)	(D)	117,572
2007								
Other - cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc.								
farms, 2012	21	4	18	23	20	12	7	26
2012	11	5	-	40	10	6	1	10
2007	31,292	(D)	(D)	31,001	12,458	(D)	33,394	13,177
acres, 2012	34,938	(D)	-	183,650	(D)	(D)	(D)	17,329
2007								

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**Table 45. Selected Operation and Operator Characteristics: 2012 and 2007 (continued)**

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

Item	Platte	Sheridan	Sublette	Sweetwater	Teton	Uinta	Washakie	Weston
<b>PRINCIPAL OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS - Con.</b>								
Days worked off farm:								
None .....2012	229	260	147	64	65	92	87	92
.....2007	203	209	91	69	53	115	102	89
Any .....2012	276	442	251	191	89	223	122	172
.....2007	284	390	275	175	127	229	112	148
1 to 49 days .....2012	49	110	43	22	13	16	13	25
.....2007	33	69	47	15	32	36	13	18
50 to 99 days .....2012	17	34	28	14	7	11	6	25
.....2007	28	32	27	13	7	13	10	18
100 to 199 days .....2012	47	60	45	28	12	46	13	28
.....2007	50	61	57	33	14	40	23	27
200 days or more .....2012	163	238	135	127	57	150	90	94
.....2007	173	228	144	114	74	140	66	85
Years on present farm:								
2 years or less .....2012	26	16	11	17	9	10	19	3
.....2007	20	29	15	2	13	7	3	6
3 or 4 years .....2012	24	47	13	10	2	16	11	6
.....2007	27	47	24	29	3	18	13	7
5 to 9 years .....2012	68	96	69	43	33	46	27	37
.....2007	64	87	77	25	20	59	38	42
10 years or more .....2012	387	543	305	185	110	243	152	218
.....2007	376	436	250	188	144	260	160	182
Average years on present farm .....2012	23.2	20.2	19.9	19.1	19.7	21.9	19.3	23.5
.....2007	22.1	20.1	18.2	21.4	22.1	23.0	20.7	22.7
Years operating any farm (see text):								
2 years or less .....2012	1	13	10	16	9	3	15	3
.....2007	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
3 or 4 years .....2012	17	40	8	10	2	18	9	3
.....2007	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
5 to 9 years .....2012	46	73	59	41	26	27	25	27
.....2007	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
10 years or more .....2012	441	576	321	188	117	267	160	231
.....2007	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Average years on any farm .....2012	27.7	23.0	22.7	21.4	21.9	23.9	21.9	25.7
.....2007	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Age group:								
Under 25 years .....2012	-	-	6	-	6	-	2	-
.....2007	1	-	-	-	-	1	2	-
25 to 34 years .....2012	10	15	14	9	4	17	13	6
.....2007	10	32	13	38	2	19	7	7
35 to 44 years .....2012	50	62	50	41	16	15	12	26
.....2007	40	46	43	20	10	31	29	46
45 to 54 years .....2012	89	135	78	43	22	80	56	53
.....2007	135	160	127	49	47	118	55	60
55 to 59 years .....2012	92	125	60	57	30	67	32	46
.....2007	75	129	59	40	38	43	36	46
60 to 64 years .....2012	82	155	58	42	24	61	38	64
.....2007	68	77	50	29	32	48	22	13
65 to 69 years .....2012	70	94	72	22	24	42	20	31
.....2007	68	63	23	24	26	23	28	15
70 years and over .....2012	112	116	60	41	28	33	36	38
.....2007	90	92	51	44	25	61	35	50
Average age .....2012	60.0	59.4	57.9	56.6	58.4	57.2	57.3	58.9
.....2007	59.0	57.3	55.7	55.4	58.7	56.6	56.6	56.5
<b>INTERNET ACCESS (SEE TEXT)</b>								
Internet access .....2012	393	544	316	203	124	235	151	182
.....2007	303	405	252	138	133	219	158	132
Dial-up service .....farms, 2012	33	39	38	3	5	13	4	12
DSL service .....farms, 2012	64	215	145	50	49	69	82	87
Cable modem service .....farms, 2012	19	65	22	21	28	14	21	4
Fiber-optic service .....farms, 2012	-	19	4	1	5	-	26	16
Mobile broadband plan for computer or cell phone .....farms, 2012	75	53	29	59	11	43	29	23
Satellite service .....farms, 2012	218	181	85	85	29	91	12	74
Broadband over Power Lines (BPL) .....farms, 2012	-	10	6	-	10	5	1	1
Other Internet service .....farms, 2012	22	9	1	-	-	14	1	1
<b>TYPE OF ORGANIZATION (SEE TEXT)</b>								
Operation with over 50 percent ownership interest held by operator and/or persons related to operator by blood/marriage/adoption .....farms, 2012								
.....farms, 2012	486	679	358	245	126	295	203	253
.....acres, 2012	1,187,584	1,209,562	669,734	1,577,820	25,308	492,015	325,639	1,205,642
Limited Liability Corporation .....farms, 2012	43	60	47	23	42	36	23	20
.....acres, 2012	148,249	144,382	88,925	163,683	22,969	237,885	60,626	100,341
<b>OPERATION'S LEGAL STATUS FOR TAX PURPOSES (SEE TEXT)</b>								
Family or individual .....farms, 2012	380	576	254	202	105	249	155	215
.....2007	405	475	262	200	117	292	138	193
.....acres, 2012	728,254	598,500	312,787	(D)	14,991	262,751	126,071	663,488
.....2007	825,860	555,454	249,792	(D)	20,461	264,364	(D)	700,632
Partnership .....farms, 2012	68	51	56	21	19	33	16	22
.....2007	40	68	31	21	13	40	30	19
.....acres, 2012	179,771	109,509	132,274	48,987	8,958	89,322	82,724	203,013
.....2007	162,075	188,144	39,540	24,983	5,746	117,130	86,137	146,557
Corporation:								
Family-held .....farms, 2012	42	50	46	18	14	14	26	23
.....2007	37	44	43	19	13	6	40	25
.....acres, 2012	309,920	547,041	198,436	291,211	4,729	141,916	92,362	415,617
.....2007	317,413	360,635	255,982	202,107	20,643	228,245	155,814	481,105
Other than family held .....farms, 2012	4	3	13	-	7	5	3	1
.....2007	-	3	6	-	9	2	2	-
.....acres, 2012	2,160	2,060	88,592	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
.....2007	-	(D)	30,719	-	1,129	(D)	(D)	-
Other - cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. ....farms, 2012								
.....farms, 2012	11	22	29	14	9	14	9	3
.....2007	5	9	24	4	28	4	4	-
.....acres, 2012	4,225	47,728	45,427	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
.....2007	2,817	(D)	23,256	(D)	4,951	(D)	(D)	-