

Table 20. Summary by Years on Present Farm of Principal Operator – Maine: 2012

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Item	All farms	5 years or less	6 to 10 years	11 years or more
FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS				
Farmsnumber	8,173	1,286	1,374	5,513
.....percent	100.0	15.7	16.8	67.5
Land in farmsacres	1,454,104	118,609	201,943	1,133,552
Average size of farmacres	178	92	147	206
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS				
Totalfarms	8,173	1,286	1,374	5,513
.....\$1,000	773,224	40,387	139,498	593,340
Average per farmdollars	94,607	31,405	101,527	107,626
Farms by economic class:				
Less than \$1,000 (see text)	1,990	299	382	1,309
\$1,000 to \$2,499	1,122	240	216	666
\$2,500 to \$4,999	1,050	161	181	708
\$5,000 to \$9,999	1,077	193	165	719
\$10,000 to \$24,999	1,125	163	214	748
\$25,000 to \$49,999	620	80	74	466
\$50,000 to \$99,999	404	86	61	257
\$100,000 to \$249,999	339	44	42	253
\$250,000 to \$499,999	202	10	16	176
\$500,000 to \$999,999	120	6	14	100
\$1,000,000 or more	124	4	9	111
\$1,000,000 to \$2,499,999	86	2	4	80
\$2,500,000 to \$4,999,999	20	1	-	19
\$5,000,000 or more	18	1	5	12
Total salesfarms	8,173	1,286	1,374	5,513
.....\$1,000	763,062	39,033	138,006	586,024
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas				
.....farms	349	29	28	292
.....\$1,000	(D)	(D)	(D)	23,221
Sales of \$50,000 or more	112	3	6	103
.....farms	21,415	284	431	20,701
.....\$1,000	(D)	(D)	(D)	132
Cornfarms	152	13	7	9,628
.....\$1,000	(D)	(D)	(D)	39
Sales of \$50,000 or more	40	1	-	(D)
.....farms	8,741	(D)	(D)	11
.....\$1,000	17	-	6	(D)
Wheatfarms	707	-	(D)	4
.....\$1,000	4	-	-	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more	(D)	-	-	23
.....farms	30	6	1	917
.....\$1,000	(D)	10	(D)	9
Soybeansfarms	10	-	1	(D)
.....\$1,000	758	-	(D)	1
Sales of \$50,000 or more	2	-	1	(D)
.....farms	(D)	-	(D)	(D)
.....\$1,000	-	-	-	-
Barleyfarms	58	3	13	42
.....\$1,000	3,744	2	99	3,642
Sales of \$50,000 or more	24	-	1	23
.....farms	3,424	-	(D)	(D)
.....\$1,000	-	-	-	-
Ricefarms	-	-	-	-
.....\$1,000	-	-	-	-
Sales of \$50,000 or more	-	-	-	-
.....farms	-	-	-	-
.....\$1,000	-	-	-	-
Other grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas				
.....farms	191	18	20	153
.....\$1,000	8,868	199	342	8,327
Sales of \$50,000 or more	55	2	4	49
.....farms	7,397	(D)	(D)	6,931
.....\$1,000	-	-	-	-
Tobacco				
.....farms	2	2	-	-
.....\$1,000	(D)	(D)	-	-
Sales of \$50,000 or more	-	-	-	-
.....farms	-	-	-	-
.....\$1,000	-	-	-	-
Cotton and cottonseed				
.....farms	-	-	-	-
.....\$1,000	-	-	-	-
Sales of \$50,000 or more	-	-	-	-
.....farms	-	-	-	-
.....\$1,000	-	-	-	-
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes				
.....farms	1,513	373	251	889
.....\$1,000	207,254	10,574	16,778	179,902
Sales of \$50,000 or more	283	34	31	218
.....farms	198,133	7,811	15,690	174,632
.....\$1,000	-	-	-	-
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries				
.....farms	1,103	199	168	736
.....\$1,000	114,657	(D)	(D)	64,008
Sales of \$50,000 or more	141	5	22	114
.....farms	106,545	(D)	(D)	58,105
.....\$1,000	244	42	48	154
Fruits and tree nutsfarms	12,574	277	(D)	(D)
.....\$1,000	35	1	8	26
Sales of \$50,000 or more	10,901	(D)	(D)	9,560
.....farms	948	165	132	651
.....\$1,000	102,083	(D)	(D)	(D)
Berriesfarms	107	4	14	89
.....\$1,000	95,490	(D)	(D)	48,393
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod (see text)				
.....farms	1,099	260	187	652
.....\$1,000	76,007	3,446	36,552	36,008
Sales of \$50,000 or more	145	10	15	120
.....farms	67,335	(D)	(D)	30,492
.....\$1,000	-	-	-	-

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Item	All farms	5 years or less	6 to 10 years	11 years or more	
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS - Con.					
Total - Con.					
Total sales - Con.					
Cut Christmas trees and short-rotation woody crops	farms				
..... farms	310	11	31	268	
..... \$1,000	(D)	(D)	228	3,505	
Sales of \$50,000 or more	farms	-	-	22	
..... farms	22	-	-	2,167	
..... \$1,000	2,167	-	-	261	
Cut Christmas trees	farms	10	31	(D)	
..... farms	302	(D)	228	21	
..... \$1,000	3,648	-	-	2,117	
Sales of \$50,000 or more	farms	-	-	11	
..... farms	21	1	-	(D)	
..... \$1,000	2,117	(D)	-	1	
Short-rotation woody crops	farms	-	-	(D)	
..... farms	12	-	-	-	
..... \$1,000	(D)	-	-	(D)	
Sales of \$50,000 or more	farms	-	-	(D)	
..... farms	1	-	-	(D)	
..... \$1,000	(D)	-	-	1,961	
Other crops and hay (see text)	farms	300	367	37,969	
..... farms	2,628	4,830	5,180	163	
..... \$1,000	47,980	23	23	25,989	
Sales of \$50,000 or more	farms	209	84	343	
..... farms	209	73	84	10,707	
..... \$1,000	32,287	3,260	3,038	40	
Maple syrup (see text)	farms	500	73	4	
..... farms	500	73	84	10,153	
..... \$1,000	14,343	2,788	848	13	
Sales of \$50,000 or more	farms	57	13	4	
..... farms	57	13	4	10,153	
..... \$1,000	13,475	2,626	696		
Cattle and calves	farms	1,656	220	314	1,122
..... farms	31,076	1,327	14,744	15,005	
..... \$1,000	62	4	5	53	
Sales of \$50,000 or more	farms	20,909	341	(D)	
..... farms	367	49	43	275	
..... \$1,000	126,632	6,450	6,113	114,069	
Milk from cows (see text)	farms	261	28	209	
..... farms	261	28	24	113,179	
..... \$1,000	125,104	6,264	5,660	341	
Hogs and pigs	farms	699	180	178	987
..... farms	1,726	355	384	2	
..... \$1,000	2	-	-	(D)	
Sales of \$50,000 or more	farms	(D)	-	-	
..... farms	691	166	168	357	
..... \$1,000	3,637	737	526	2,374	
Sales of \$50,000 or more	farms	4	1	3	
..... farms	1,998	(D)	-	(D)	
..... \$1,000					
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	farms	441	63	52	326
..... farms	7,159	734	410	6,014	
..... \$1,000	24	6	-	18	
Sales of \$50,000 or more	farms	3,554	510	-	3,044
..... farms	1,504	375	323	806	
..... \$1,000	38,938	384	295	38,259	
Poultry and eggs	farms	10	1	9	
..... farms	10	(D)	-	(D)	
..... \$1,000	37,568	10	12	36	
Sales of \$50,000 or more	farms	58	(D)	(D)	
..... farms	75,107	(D)	(D)	60,568	
..... \$1,000	30	4	7	19	
Aquaculture	farms	74,743	(D)	(D)	
..... farms	468	89	87	292	
..... \$1,000	4,935	220	584	4,131	
Sales of \$50,000 or more	farms	12	2	1	
..... farms	12	2	1	9	
..... \$1,000	3,299	(D)	(D)	3,005	
Other animals and other animal products (see text)	farms	468	89	87	292
..... farms	4,935	220	584	4,131	
..... \$1,000	12	2	1	9	
Sales of \$50,000 or more	farms	12	2	1	
..... farms	12	2	1	9	
..... \$1,000	3,299	(D)	(D)	3,005	
Value of-					
Government payments	farms	1,332	198	188	946
..... farms	10,162	1,354	1,492	7,316	
..... \$1,000					
Landlord's share of total sales (see text)	farms	138	19	21	98
..... farms	549	46	80	423	
..... \$1,000					
Agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text)	farms	2,311	541	480	1,290
..... farms	24,793	3,483	4,706	16,604	
..... \$1,000					
FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES					
Total farm production expenses ¹	farms	8,173	1,286	1,374	5,513
..... farms	645,631	41,933	115,406	488,292	
..... \$1,000	78,996	32,607	83,993	88,571	
Average per farm	dollars				
Fertilizer, lime, and soil conditioners purchased	farms	3,636	621	555	2,460
..... farms	41,431	1,655	3,133	36,643	
..... \$1,000					
Farms with expenses of-					
\$1 to \$4,999		3,093	579	501	2,013
\$5,000 to \$24,999		301	35	32	234
\$25,000 to \$49,999		68	3	11	54
\$50,000 or more		174	4	11	159
Chemicals purchased	farms	2,673	427	421	1,825
..... farms	26,950	1,387	3,856	21,707	
..... \$1,000					
Farms with expenses of-					
\$1 to \$4,999		2,263	398	380	1,485
\$5,000 to \$24,999		226	22	19	185
\$25,000 to \$49,999		65	2	13	50
\$50,000 or more		119	5	9	105

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Item	All farms	5 years or less	6 to 10 years	11 years or more
FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES - Con.				
Total farm production expenses ¹ - Con.				
Seeds, plants, vines, and trees purchased	farms 2,807	543	459	1,805
\$1,000	30,904	1,794	3,300	25,809
Farms with expenses of-				
\$1 to \$999	1,617	358	285	974
\$1,000 to \$4,999	656	133	119	404
\$5,000 to \$24,999	294	42	40	212
\$25,000 to \$49,999	126	7	10	109
\$50,000 or more	114	3	5	106
Livestock and poultry purchased or leased	farms 2,456	473	506	1,477
\$1,000	26,557	(D)	(D)	8,711
Farms with expenses of-				
\$1 to \$4,999	2,078	429	435	1,214
\$5,000 to \$24,999	308	33	60	215
\$25,000 to \$99,999	59	10	9	40
\$100,000 to \$249,999	5	-	-	5
\$250,000 or more	6	1	2	3
Breeding livestock purchased or leased	farms 946	172	219	555
\$1,000	3,163	(D)	(D)	(D)
Other livestock and poultry purchased or leased (see text)	farms 1,975	401	390	1,184
\$1,000	23,394	(D)	(D)	(D)
Feed purchased	farms 4,659	800	860	2,999
\$1,000	104,563	5,686	21,778	77,099
Farms with expenses of-				
\$1 to \$4,999	3,178	576	624	1,978
\$5,000 to \$24,999	1,113	196	191	726
\$25,000 to \$99,999	266	23	38	205
\$100,000 to \$249,999	52	3	2	47
\$250,000 or more	50	2	5	43
Gasoline, fuels, and oils purchased	farms 7,676	1,138	1,301	5,237
\$1,000	40,871	2,758	5,033	33,081
Farms with expenses of-				
\$1 to \$4,999	6,591	1,050	1,172	4,369
\$5,000 to \$24,999	766	68	106	592
\$25,000 to \$49,999	159	10	13	136
\$50,000 or more	160	10	10	140
Utilities	farms 4,813	621	754	3,438
\$1,000	21,672	1,407	7,270	12,994
Farms with expenses of-				
\$1 to \$999	2,631	358	489	1,784
\$1,000 to \$4,999	1,597	219	213	1,165
\$5,000 to \$24,999	484	38	45	401
\$25,000 to \$49,999	64	3	2	59
\$50,000 or more	37	3	5	29
Supplies, repairs, and maintenance costs	farms 6,293	895	1,041	4,357
\$1,000	53,481	4,451	6,187	42,843
Farms with expenses of-				
\$1 to \$4,999	5,087	773	908	3,406
\$5,000 to \$24,999	814	87	104	623
\$25,000 to \$49,999	185	15	13	157
\$50,000 or more	207	20	16	171
Hired farm labor	farms 2,415	261	328	1,826
\$1,000	134,674	9,730	16,921	108,023
Farms with expenses of-				
\$1 to \$4,999	964	87	134	743
\$5,000 to \$24,999	722	111	122	489
\$25,000 to \$99,999	477	41	54	382
\$100,000 to \$249,999	163	17	12	134
\$250,000 or more	89	5	6	78
Contract labor	farms 771	119	138	514
\$1,000	15,752	1,666	4,160	9,925
Farms with expenses of-				
\$1 to \$999	198	47	43	108
\$1,000 to \$4,999	279	50	34	195
\$5,000 to \$24,999	215	18	50	147
\$25,000 to \$49,999	45	3	5	37
\$50,000 or more	34	1	6	27
Customwork and custom hauling	farms 823	120	137	566
\$1,000	9,251	287	1,705	7,259
Farms with expenses of-				
\$1 to \$999	368	78	87	203
\$1,000 to \$4,999	279	33	35	211
\$5,000 to \$24,999	114	7	9	98
\$25,000 to \$49,999	29	1	2	26
\$50,000 or more	33	1	4	28
Cash rent for land, buildings, and grazing fees	farms 1,234	220	173	841
\$1,000	14,696	1,186	1,124	12,385
Farms with expenses of-				
\$1 to \$4,999	745	169	118	458
\$5,000 to \$9,999	171	19	30	122
\$10,000 to \$24,999	201	28	19	154
\$25,000 or more	117	4	6	107

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Item	All farms	5 years or less	6 to 10 years	11 years or more
FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES - Con.				
Total farm production expenses ¹ - Con.				
Rent and lease expenses for machinery, equipment, and farm share of vehicles farms	365	59	57	249
..... \$1,000	4,085	(D)	(D)	3,236
Farms with expenses of-				
\$1 to \$999	157	17	34	106
\$1,000 to \$4,999	92	14	11	67
\$5,000 to \$24,999	81	25	9	47
\$25,000 to \$49,999	16	2	1	13
\$50,000 or more	19	1	2	16
Interest expense farms	2,239	223	385	1,631
..... \$1,000	22,232	1,788	3,919	16,525
Farms with expenses of-				
\$1 to \$4,999	1,219	116	240	863
\$5,000 to \$24,999	826	94	134	598
\$25,000 to \$99,999	177	12	9	156
\$100,000 or more	17	1	2	14
Secured by real estate farms	1,671	170	260	1,241
..... \$1,000	16,794	1,390	2,706	12,699
Farms with expenses of-				
\$1 to \$999	275	29	46	200
\$1,000 to \$4,999	526	45	94	387
\$5,000 to \$24,999	722	87	112	523
\$25,000 to \$49,999	95	8	3	84
\$50,000 or more	53	1	5	47
Not secured by real estate farms	1,220	113	218	889
..... \$1,000	5,438	399	1,214	3,826
Farms with expenses of-				
\$1 to \$999	435	40	96	299
\$1,000 to \$4,999	590	58	103	429
\$5,000 to \$24,999	162	14	18	130
\$25,000 to \$49,999	20	-	-	20
\$50,000 or more	13	1	1	11
Property taxes paid farms	7,703	1,114	1,267	5,322
..... \$1,000	30,735	3,199	4,880	22,656
Farms with expenses of-				
\$1 to \$4,999	6,329	984	1,086	4,259
\$5,000 to \$9,999	949	106	135	708
\$10,000 to \$24,999	316	22	37	257
\$25,000 or more	109	2	9	98
All other production expenses (see text) farms	4,270	586	732	2,952
..... \$1,000	67,777	3,157	15,226	49,395
Farms with expenses of-				
\$1 to \$4,999	3,176	480	603	2,093
\$5,000 to \$24,999	761	79	77	605
\$25,000 to \$49,999	162	12	31	119
\$50,000 to \$99,999	81	11	9	61
\$100,000 or more	90	4	12	74
Production expenses paid by landlords ¹ farms	47	4	11	32
..... \$1,000	118	6	21	91
Depreciation expenses claimed farms	3,339	409	564	2,366
..... \$1,000	64,265	4,435	11,586	48,243
NET CASH FARM INCOME (SEE TEXT)				
Net cash farm income of operations farms	8,173	1,286	1,374	5,513
..... \$1,000	164,610	1,049	26,271	137,290
Average per farmdollars	20,141	815	19,120	24,903
Farms with net gains ² number	3,177	447	452	2,278
Average net gaindollars	85,328	26,261	116,361	90,760
Gain of-				
Less than \$1,000	299	30	64	205
\$1,000 to \$4,999	729	134	127	468
\$5,000 to \$9,999	562	88	74	400
\$10,000 to \$24,999	590	76	82	432
\$25,000 to \$49,999	339	66	37	236
\$50,000 or more	658	53	68	537
Farms with net losses number	4,996	839	922	3,235
Average net lossdollars	21,312	12,741	28,551	21,472
Loss of-				
Less than \$1,000	423	98	78	247
\$1,000 to \$4,999	1,688	290	303	1,095
\$5,000 to \$9,999	1,157	209	237	711
\$10,000 to \$24,999	1,069	162	203	704
\$25,000 to \$49,999	360	54	63	243
\$50,000 or more	299	26	38	235
Net cash farm income of operators farms	8,173	1,286	1,374	5,513
..... \$1,000	163,075	1,008	26,189	135,878
Average per farmdollars	19,953	784	19,060	24,647
Operators reporting net gains ² farms	3,170	444	451	2,275
Average net gaindollars	85,157	26,386	116,479	90,417
Gain of-				
Less than \$1,000	298	30	64	204

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NET CASH FARM INCOME (SEE TEXT) - Con.				
Net cash farm income of operators - Con.				
Operators reporting net gains ² - Con.				
Gain of - Con.				
\$1,000 to \$4,999	727	133	123	471
\$5,000 to \$9,999	568	88	77	403
\$10,000 to \$24,999	585	74	82	429
\$25,000 to \$49,999	342	66	38	238
\$50,000 or more	650	53	67	530
Operators reporting net lossesfarms	5,003	842	923	3,238
Average net lossdollars	21,362	12,716	28,541	21,563
Loss of-				
Less than \$1,000	422	98	79	245
\$1,000 to \$4,999	1,690	291	303	1,096
\$5,000 to \$9,999	1,163	211	236	716
\$10,000 to \$24,999	1,067	162	204	701
\$25,000 to \$49,999	360	54	63	243
\$50,000 or more	301	26	38	237
COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS (SEE TEXT)				
Totalfarms	10	-	-	10
\$1,000	361	-	-	361
INCOME FROM FARM-RELATED SOURCES				
Total income from farm-related sources, gross				
before taxes and expenses (see text)farms	2,722	337	391	1,994
\$1,000	37,017	2,594	2,180	32,243
Customwork and other agricultural servicesfarms	407	46	36	325
\$1,000	8,002	699	230	7,073
Gross cash rent or share paymentsfarms	438	41	49	348
\$1,000	2,325	111	139	2,075
Sales of forest products, excluding Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops, and maple productsfarms	1,133	141	163	829
\$1,000	8,616	365	750	7,501
Agri-tourism and recreational services (see text)farms	270	28	40	202
\$1,000	1,803	130	78	1,595
Patronage dividends and refunds from cooperativesfarms	345	47	50	248
\$1,000	604	15	24	564
Crop and livestock insurance payments receivedfarms	77	5	8	64
\$1,000	2,945	18	36	2,891
Amount from state and local government agricultural program paymentsfarms	182	65	11	106
\$1,000	1,587	363	64	1,160
Other farm-related income sources (see text)farms	657	60	108	489
\$1,000	11,135	892	859	9,384
LAND USE				
Total croplandfarms	5,864	852	880	4,132
acres	477,343	28,154	49,254	399,935
Harvested croplandfarms	5,325	775	767	3,783
acres	400,960	21,087	41,645	338,228
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 49 acres	3,965	679	616	2,670
50 to 99 acres	591	54	83	454
100 to 199 acres	353	24	34	295
200 to 499 acres	266	14	26	226
500 to 999 acres	101	1	6	94
1,000 to 1,999 acres	33	3	-	30
2,000 acres or more	16	-	2	14
Cropland-				
Other pasture and grazing land that could have been used for crops without additional improvements (see text)farms	543	92	123	328
acres	10,168	1,101	953	8,114
On which all crops failed or were abandonedfarms	368	76	54	238
acres	5,990	1,390	443	4,157
Idle or used for cover crops or soil improvement, but not harvested and not pastured or grazed (see text)farms	1,437	258	232	947
acres	53,535	4,276	5,794	43,465
In cultivated summer fallowfarms	295	51	43	201
acres	6,690	300	419	5,971
Total woodlandfarms	5,804	837	957	4,010
acres	773,652	70,915	119,313	583,424
Woodland pasturedfarms	1,103	168	199	736
acres	27,105	1,399	4,177	21,529
Woodland not pasturedfarms	5,442	786	889	3,767
acres	746,547	69,516	115,136	561,895
Permanent pasture and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pastured (see text)farms	4,052	561	714	2,777
acres	81,707	8,369	(D)	(D)

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Table 20. Summary by Years on Present Farm of Principal Operator – Maine: 2012 (continued)

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

Item	All farms	5 years or less	6 to 10 years	11 years or more
LAND USE - Con.				
Land in farmsteads, homes, buildings, livestock facilities, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. farms	6,077	937	1,007	4,133
..... acres	121,402	11,171	(D)	(D)
Irrigated land farms	1,365	330	224	811
..... acres	30,887	(D)	(D)	17,341
Harvested cropland farms	1,355	328	223	804
..... acres	30,811	(D)	(D)	17,288
Pastureland and other land farms	15	2	2	11
..... acres	76	(D)	(D)	53
CONSERVATION AND CROP INSURANCE				
Land enrolled in Conservation Reserve, Wetlands Reserve, Farmable Wetlands, or Conservation Reserve Enhancement Programs farms	293	33	34	226
..... acres	12,643	1,426	1,921	9,296
Land enrolled in crop insurance programs (see text) farms	403	25	34	344
..... acres	123,762	4,343	12,841	106,578
ORGANIC AGRICULTURE				
Total organic commodity sales (see text) farms	554	160	116	278
..... \$1,000	36,401	5,253	8,160	22,988
VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS				
Estimated market value of land and buildings farms	8,173	1,286	1,374	5,513
..... \$1,000	3,356,102	356,749	545,813	2,453,540
Average per farm dollars	410,633	277,410	397,244	445,046
Average per acre dollars	2,308	3,008	2,703	2,164
Farms by value group:				
\$1 to \$49,999 farms	735	172	168	395
\$50,000 to \$99,999 farms	615	123	101	391
\$100,000 to \$199,999 farms	1,758	327	306	1,125
\$200,000 to \$499,999 farms	3,301	495	556	2,250
\$500,000 to \$999,999 farms	1,216	139	173	904
\$1,000,000 to \$1,999,999 farms	373	25	46	302
\$2,000,000 to \$4,999,999 farms	144	4	19	121
\$5,000,000 to \$9,999,999 farms	24	1	3	20
\$10,000,000 or more farms	7	-	2	5
VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment farms	8,171	1,286	1,374	5,511
..... \$1,000	570,168	58,459	77,011	434,697
Farms by value group:				
\$1 to \$4,999 farms	1,171	255	229	687
\$5,000 to \$9,999 farms	777	134	168	475
\$10,000 to \$19,999 farms	1,222	200	226	796
\$20,000 to \$49,999 farms	2,387	382	406	1,599
\$50,000 to \$99,999 farms	1,344	185	189	970
\$100,000 to \$199,999 farms	705	80	98	527
\$200,000 to \$499,999 farms	399	43	44	312
\$500,000 or more farms	166	7	14	145
SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT				
Trucks, including pickups (see text) farms	5,974	865	997	4,112
..... number	11,555	1,249	1,592	8,714
Tractors, all farms	6,242	854	994	4,394
..... number	14,400	1,445	1,849	11,106
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) farms	3,914	506	630	2,778
..... number	5,711	624	831	4,256
40 to 99 horsepower (PTO) farms	3,748	470	557	2,721
..... number	6,578	671	860	5,047
100 horsepower (PTO) or more farms	882	84	86	712
..... number	2,111	150	158	1,803
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled farms	202	11	21	170
..... number	229	11	22	196
Cotton pickers and strippers, self-propelled farms	-	-	-	-
..... number	-	-	-	-
Forage harvesters, self-propelled farms	131	4	15	112
..... number	155	4	20	131
Hay balers farms	2,285	193	309	1,783
..... number	2,970	230	389	2,351
FERTILIZERS AND CHEMICALS				
Commercial fertilizer, lime, and soil conditioners used farms	2,698	460	391	1,847
..... acres treated	242,868	10,099	24,952	207,817
Manure used farms	1,746	340	276	1,130
..... acres treated	75,208	5,907	4,581	64,720

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Table 20. Summary by Years on Present Farm of Principal Operator – Maine: 2012 (continued)

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

Item	All farms	5 years or less	6 to 10 years	11 years or more
FERTILIZERS AND CHEMICALS - Con.				
Acres treated to control-				
Insectsfarms	1,687	289	238	1,160
.....acres	141,903	6,388	19,181	116,334
Weeds, grass, or brushfarms	1,849	237	270	1,342
.....acres	210,182	8,464	22,454	179,264
Nematodesfarms	413	60	40	313
.....acres	37,580	788	1,412	35,380
Diseases in crops and orchardsfarms	924	150	101	673
.....acres	97,016	3,774	14,843	78,399
Chemicals used to control growth, thin fruit, ripen, or defoliatefarms	341	33	34	274
.....acres on which used	40,041	1,164	2,409	36,468
LAND USE PRACTICES				
Land drained by tilefarms	422	53	29	340
.....acres	10,251	1,067	538	8,646
Land artificially drained by ditchesfarms	804	147	83	574
.....acres	24,454	4,066	1,385	19,003
Land under conservation easementfarms	377	97	81	199
.....acres	38,852	4,485	3,632	30,735
Cropland on which no-till practices were usedfarms	387	63	46	278
.....acres	9,909	481	585	8,843
Cropland on which conservation tillage, excluding no-till, practices were usedfarms	298	67	59	172
.....acres	18,994	627	359	18,008
Cropland on which conventional tillage practices were usedfarms	1,477	285	187	1,005
.....acres	145,558	5,342	8,352	131,864
Cropland planted to a cover crop (excluding CRP)farms	928	231	172	525
.....acres	29,379	1,178	3,952	24,249
ENERGY				
Renewable energy producing systemsfarms	464	90	108	266
Solar panelsfarms	358	81	85	192
Wind turbinesfarms	125	18	29	78
Methane digestersfarms	1	-	-	1
Geoexchange systemsfarms	17	-	12	5
Small hydro systemsfarms	-	-	-	-
Biodieselfarms	29	9	3	17
Ethanolfarms	4	-	3	1
Otherfarms	13	-	2	11
Wind rights leased to othersfarms	31	1	10	20
TENURE				
Full ownersfarms	6,126	913	1,071	4,142
Part ownersfarms	1,581	183	203	1,195
Tenantsfarms	466	190	100	176
OWNED AND RENTED LAND				
Land ownedfarms	7,708	1,096	1,274	5,338
.....acres	1,237,055	87,771	183,499	965,785
Owned land in farmsfarms	7,707	1,096	1,274	5,337
.....acres	1,204,914	85,313	182,000	937,601
Land rented or leased from othersfarms	2,056	373	303	1,380
.....acres	253,734	33,296	20,333	200,105
Rented or leased land in farmsfarms	2,047	373	303	1,371
.....acres	249,190	33,296	19,943	195,951
Land rented or leased to othersfarms	528	70	51	407
.....acres	36,685	2,458	1,889	32,338
NUMBER OF OPERATORS				
Total operatorsnumber	13,406	2,222	2,302	8,882
Farms by number of operators:				
1 operatorfarms	3,782	472	587	2,723
2 operatorsfarms	3,787	729	693	2,365
3 operatorsfarms	445	51	62	332
4 operatorsfarms	119	31	25	63
5 or more operatorsfarms	40	3	7	30
Total women operatorsnumber	5,494	1,009	1,067	3,418
Farms by number of women operators:				
1 operatorfarms	4,712	863	944	2,905
2 operatorsfarms	348	68	54	226
3 operatorsfarms	21	2	5	14
4 operatorsfarms	3	1	-	2
5 or more operatorsfarms	2	-	-	2
PRINCIPAL OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS				
Sex of operator:				
Malefarms	5,792	826	818	4,148
Femalefarms	2,381	460	556	1,365
Primary occupation:				
Farmingfarms	3,964	585	639	2,740
Otherfarms	4,209	701	735	2,773

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Table 20. Summary by Years on Present Farm of Principal Operator – Maine: 2012 (continued)

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

Item	All farms	5 years or less	6 to 10 years	11 years or more
PRINCIPAL OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS - Con.				
Place of residence:				
On farm operated	6,941	1,030	1,184	4,727
Not on farm operated	1,232	256	190	786
Days worked off farm:				
None	3,060	355	460	2,245
Any	5,113	931	914	3,268
1 to 49 days	750	121	139	490
50 to 99 days	398	85	54	259
100 to 199 days	897	169	175	553
200 days or more	3,068	556	546	1,966
Years on present farm:				
2 years or less	373	373	-	-
3 or 4 years	620	620	-	-
5 to 9 years	1,432	293	1,139	-
10 years or more	5,748	-	235	5,513
Average years on present farm	20.3	3.3	7.9	27.3
Years operating any farm (see text):				
2 years or less	286	286	-	-
3 or 4 years	541	541	-	-
5 to 9 years	1,204	296	908	-
10 years or more	6,142	163	466	5,513
Average years operating any farm	22.5	5.8	10.9	29.3
Age group:				
Under 25 years	62	57	5	-
25 to 34 years	488	257	167	64
35 to 44 years	834	294	248	292
45 to 49 years	798	173	197	428
50 to 54 years	1,140	167	237	736
55 to 59 years	1,231	155	148	928
60 to 64 years	1,253	82	170	1,001
65 to 69 years	981	64	117	800
70 years and over	1,386	37	85	1,264
Average age	57.0	45.5	50.7	61.3
Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin (see text)	58	7	13	38
Race:				
American Indian or Alaska Native	17	1	4	12
Asian	15	6	1	8
Black or African American	68	33	33	2
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-	-	-	-
White	8,018	1,237	1,323	5,458
More than one race reported	55	9	13	33
Farms by number of persons living in operator's household:				
1 person	950	87	175	688
2 people	4,250	583	567	3,100
3 people	1,206	235	203	768
4 people	1,041	193	228	620
5 or more people	726	188	201	337
Percent of operator's total household income from farming:				
Less than 25 percent	6,098	1,006	1,059	4,033
25 to 49 percent	589	59	90	440
50 to 74 percent	620	93	65	462
75 to 99 percent	362	44	41	277
100 percent	504	84	119	301
Operator is a hired manager	296	60	42	194
..... farms acres	179,463	22,039	54,008	103,416
Farms with-				
Internet access	6,393	1,108	1,177	4,108
Dial-up service	597	57	87	453
DSL service	2,746	480	538	1,728
Cable modem service	2,034	371	349	1,314
Fiber-optic service	122	20	16	86
Mobile broadband plan for a computer or cell phone	750	175	146	429
Satellite service	469	64	82	323
Broadband over Power Lines (BPL)	272	48	51	173
Other Internet service	107	14	31	62
Farms by number of households sharing in net income of operation:				
1 household	7,157	1,171	1,203	4,783
2 households	765	84	137	544
3 households	142	14	24	104
4 households	63	7	6	50
5 or more households	46	10	4	32
FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION (SEE TEXT)				
Operation with 50 percent or more ownership interest held by operator and/or persons related by blood, marriage, or adoption	7,938	1,247	1,334	5,357
..... farms acres	1,314,892	106,065	148,926	1,059,901

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Table 20. Summary by Years on Present Farm of Principal Operator – Maine: 2012 (continued)

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

Item	All farms	5 years or less	6 to 10 years	11 years or more
FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION (SEE TEXT) - Con.				
Limited Liability Corporationfarms	396	94	100	202
.....acres	107,962	23,247	18,380	66,335
LEGAL STATUS FOR TAX PURPOSES (SEE TEXT)				
Family or individualfarms	6,929	1,109	1,172	4,648
.....acres	912,217	86,569	118,985	706,663
Partnershipfarms	525	70	94	361
.....acres	151,773	9,732	16,601	125,440
Registered under state lawfarms	312	45	55	212
.....acres	111,743	8,050	14,183	89,510
Corporationfarms	582	78	91	413
.....acres	354,808	13,000	63,251	278,557
Family heldfarms	503	65	71	367
.....acres	335,369	11,968	55,976	267,425
More than 10 stockholdersfarms	8	1	-	7
10 or less stockholdersfarms	495	64	71	360
Other than family heldfarms	79	13	20	46
.....acres	19,439	1,032	7,275	11,132
More than 10 stockholdersfarms	7	-	1	6
10 or less stockholdersfarms	72	13	19	40
Other-cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etcfarms	137	29	17	91
.....acres	35,306	9,308	3,106	22,892
HIRED FARM LABOR				
Hired farm laborfarms	2,415	261	328	1,826
.....workers	15,072	1,481	1,774	11,817
Workers by days worked:				
150 days or morefarms	1,146	129	152	865
.....workers	4,594	314	752	3,528
Less than 150 daysfarms	1,976	202	262	1,512
.....workers	10,478	1,167	1,022	8,289
Migrant farm labor on farms with hired labor (see text)farms	109	9	18	82
Migrant farm labor on farms reporting only contract labor (see text)farms	16	1	-	15
Unpaid workers (see text)farms	4,229	723	801	2,705
.....workers	10,698	1,914	2,072	6,712
FARMS BY SIZE				
1 to 9 acresfarms	1,239	327	300	612
10 to 49 acresfarms	2,278	461	437	1,380
50 to 69 acresfarms	622	64	90	468
70 to 99 acresfarms	857	126	135	596
100 to 139 acresfarms	794	96	117	581
140 to 179 acresfarms	521	60	79	382
180 to 219 acresfarms	407	52	43	312
220 to 259 acresfarms	257	17	23	217
260 to 499 acresfarms	654	63	87	504
500 to 999 acresfarms	332	15	51	266
1,000 to 1,999 acresfarms	157	1	8	148
2,000 acres or morefarms	55	4	4	47
FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM (NAICS)				
Oilseed and grain farming (1111)farms	45	2	6	37
Vegetable and melon farming (1112)farms	891	248	130	513
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113)farms	681	82	95	504
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114)farms	958	126	153	679
Other crop farming (1119)farms	2,340	285	333	1,722
Tobacco farming (11191)farms	-	-	-	-
Cotton farming (11192)farms	-	-	-	-
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193,11194,11199)farms	2,340	285	333	1,722
Beef cattle ranching and farming (11211)farms	950	117	200	633
Cattle feedlots (11212)farms	14	-	1	13
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212)farms	308	32	41	235
Hog and pig farming (1122)farms	160	57	28	75
Poultry and egg production (1123)farms	209	39	43	127
Sheep and goat farming (1124)farms	326	66	97	163
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129)farms	1,291	232	247	812
LIVESTOCK				
Cattle and calves inventoryfarms	2,423	301	424	1,698
.....number	86,256	5,124	10,500	70,632
Farms with-				
1 to 9farms	1,467	204	290	973
10 to 49farms	667	85	113	469
50 to 99farms	113	3	5	105
100 to 199farms	102	4	11	87
200 to 499farms	48	4	4	40
500 or morefarms	26	1	1	24
Cows and heifers that calvedfarms	1,782	219	306	1,257
.....number	42,622	2,818	3,187	36,617

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Table 20. Summary by Years on Present Farm of Principal Operator – Maine: 2012 (continued)

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

Item	All farms	5 years or less	6 to 10 years	11 years or more
POULTRY - Con.				
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold	417	111	90	216
.....farms				
.....number	138,857	19,901	36,913	82,043
Farms with-				
1 to 1,999	409	111	86	212
2,000 to 59,999	8	-	4	4
60,000 to 99,999	-	-	-	-
100,000 or more	-	-	-	-
Turkeys inventory (see text)	266	72	52	142
.....farms				
.....number	5,554	1,038	579	3,937
Turkeys sold (see text)	236	82	32	122
.....farms				
.....number	12,551	1,170	387	10,994
CROPS HARVESTED				
Barley for grain	58	3	13	42
.....farms				
.....acres	15,324	27	505	14,792
.....bushels	868,647	(D)	(D)	853,011
Irrigated	3	-	-	3
.....farms				
.....acres	968	-	-	968
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 24 acres	15	3	6	6
25 to 99 acres	12	-	6	6
100 to 249 acres	11	-	1	10
250 to 499 acres	12	-	-	12
500 acres or more	8	-	-	8
Corn for grain	68	6	6	56
.....farms				
.....acres	5,040	106	249	4,685
.....bushels	649,389	(D)	(D)	617,010
Irrigated	7	-	2	5
.....farms				
.....acres	316	-	(D)	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 24 acres	39	5	4	30
25 to 99 acres	13	1	1	11
100 to 249 acres	9	-	1	8
250 to 499 acres	6	-	6	6
500 acres or more	1	-	-	1
Corn for silage or greenchop	151	11	5	135
.....farms				
.....acres	24,214	532	251	23,431
.....tons	371,184	7,110	4,061	360,013
Irrigated	2	1	-	1
.....farms				
.....acres	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 24 acres	37	6	3	28
25 to 99 acres	49	4	-	45
100 to 249 acres	36	-	2	34
250 to 499 acres	15	1	-	14
500 acres or more	14	-	-	14
Dry edible beans, excluding limas	18	8	-	10
.....farms				
.....acres	365	15	-	350
.....cwt	5,387	275	-	5,112
Irrigated	1	-	-	1
.....farms				
.....acres	(D)	-	-	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 24 acres	16	8	-	8
25 to 99 acres	1	-	-	1
100 to 249 acres	-	-	-	-
250 to 499 acres	1	-	-	1
500 acres or more	-	-	-	-
Oats for grain	154	9	17	128
.....farms				
.....acres	28,725	880	1,824	26,021
.....bushels	1,856,231	54,177	113,711	1,688,343
Irrigated	10	1	2	7
.....farms				
.....acres	420	(D)	(D)	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 24 acres	48	6	11	31
25 to 99 acres	23	1	1	21
100 to 249 acres	37	-	1	36
250 to 499 acres	35	2	4	29
500 acres or more	11	-	-	11
Sorghum for grain	1	-	1	-
.....farms				
.....acres	(D)	-	(D)	-
.....bushels	(D)	-	(D)	-
Irrigated	-	-	-	-
.....farms				
.....acres	-	-	-	-
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 24 acres	1	-	1	-
25 to 99 acres	-	-	-	-
100 to 249 acres	-	-	-	-
250 to 499 acres	-	-	-	-
500 acres or more	-	-	-	-
Soybeans for beans	30	6	1	23
.....farms				
.....acres	2,128	6	(D)	(D)
.....bushels	87,088	174	(D)	(D)
Irrigated	-	-	-	-
.....farms				
.....acres	-	-	-	-
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 24 acres	13	6	-	7
25 to 99 acres	4	-	4	4
100 to 249 acres	13	-	1	12
250 to 499 acres	-	-	-	-
500 acres or more	-	-	-	-

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Table 20. Summary by Years on Present Farm of Principal Operator – Maine: 2012 (continued)

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

Item	All farms	5 years or less	6 to 10 years	11 years or more
CROPS HARVESTED - Con.				
Land in orchards - Con.				
Irrigatedfarms	62	13	11	38
.....acres	295	7	10	278
Farms by bearing and nonbearing acres:				
0.1 to 4.9 acres	403	100	86	217
5.0 to 24.9 acres	78	11	8	59
25.0 to 99.9 acres	21	-	7	14
100.0 to 249.9 acres	3	-	-	3
250.0 acres or more	2	-	-	2
Applesfarms	443	95	86	262
bearing and nonbearing acres	3,337	257	532	2,548
Grapesfarms	95	10	22	63
bearing and nonbearing acres	57	4	31	23
Peaches, allfarms	98	17	17	64
bearing and nonbearing acres	39	5	5	29
Pecansfarms	2	-	-	2
bearing and nonbearing acres	(D)	-	-	(D)
Walnuts, Englishfarms	1	-	-	1
bearing and nonbearing acres	(D)	-	-	(D)
Land in berries (see text)farms	1,109	213	158	738
.....acres	39,734	3,326	13,275	23,133

¹ Landlord production expenses are included with total farm production expenses.

² Farms with total production expenses equal to market value of agricultural products sold, government payments, and farm-related income are included as farms with gains of less than \$1,000.