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	<u>County</u>	<u>State</u>
<u>Farms</u>		
Total number of farms	278	77,064
Land in farms (in acres)	53,562	13,049,347
Median size of farm (in acres)	108	75
Average size of farm (in acres)	193	169
Proportion of land area in farms	65.1%	51.6%
<u>Principal Operators</u>		
Total Number of Principal Operators	278	77,064
<u>Work</u>		
Number of principal operators for whom primary occupation is farming	104	32,137
Number of principal operators working any days off the farm	192	49,548
<u>Age and Sex</u>		
Average age of principal operators	57.9	57.6
Number of principal operators who are under 35 years old	10	4,479
Number of principal operators who are male	247	68,864
Number of principal operators who are female	31	8,200
<u>Length of Time Farming</u>		
Average number of years principal operator on present farm	23.3	22.4
Number of principal operators on present farm for 4 years or less	18	6,618
Number of principal operators on present farm for 9 years or less	46	17,257

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Principal Operators (continued)

Tenure

Number of farms where principal operator is...

Full owner	209	58,664
Part owner	57	15,250
Tenant	12	3,150

Farm Workers

Hired farm labor	232	68,586
Hired farm labor payroll	\$538,000	\$377,169,000
Total migrant workers*	n/a	10,820
Unpaid labor*	288	76,822

Farm Production

Expenses

Total production expenses	\$6,072,000	\$4,778,105,000
Production expenses (average per farm)	\$21,842	\$62,002

Total Products Sold

Market value of products sold	\$6,441,000	\$5,067,334,000
Market value of agricultural products sold (average per farm)	\$23,170	\$65,755

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<u>Farms</u>		
Total number of farms	786	77,064
Land in farms (in acres)	105,842	13,049,347
Median size of farm (in acres)	90	75
Average size of farm (in acres)	135	169
Proportion of land area in farms	40.4%	51.6%
<u>Principal Operators</u>		
Total Number of Principal Operators	786	77,064
<u>Work</u>		
Number of principal operators for whom primary occupation is farming	246	32,137
Number of principal operators working any days off the farm	460	49,548
<u>Age and Sex</u>		
Average age of principal operators	58.0	57.6
Number of principal operators who are under 35 years old	61	4,479
Number of principal operators who are male	735	68,864
Number of principal operators who are female	51	8,200
<u>Length of Time Farming</u>		
Average number of years principal operator on present farm	23.4	22.4
Number of principal operators on present farm for 4 years or less	81	6,618
Number of principal operators on present farm for 9 years or less	174	17,257

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County **State**

Principal Operators (continued)

Tenure

Number of farms where principal operator is...

Full owner	625	58,664
Part owner	130	15,250
Tenant	31	3,150

Farm Workers

Hired farm labor	496	68,586
Hired farm labor payroll	\$2,048,000	\$377,169,000
Total migrant workers*	3	10,820
Unpaid labor*	924	76,822

Farm Production

Expenses

Total production expenses	\$14,066,000	\$4,778,105,000
Production expenses (average per farm)	\$17,896	\$62,002

Total Products Sold

Market value of products sold	\$9,495,000	\$5,067,334,000
Market value of agricultural products sold (average per farm)	\$12,081	\$65,755

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	<u>County</u>	<u>State</u>
<u>Farms</u>		
Total number of farms	1,118	77,064
Land in farms (in acres)	179,089	13,049,347
Median size of farm (in acres)	95	75
Average size of farm (in acres)	160	169
Proportion of land area in farms	63.0%	51.6%
<u>Principal Operators</u>		
Total Number of Principal Operators	1,118	77,064
<u>Work</u>		
Number of principal operators for whom primary occupation is farming	588	32,137
Number of principal operators working any days off the farm	625	49,548
<u>Age and Sex</u>		
Average age of principal operators	57.2	57.6
Number of principal operators who are under 35 years old	71	4,479
Number of principal operators who are male	1,018	68,864
Number of principal operators who are female	100	8,200
<u>Length of Time Farming</u>		
Average number of years principal operator on present farm	23.1	22.4
Number of principal operators on present farm for 4 years or less	63	6,618
Number of principal operators on present farm for 9 years or less	207	17,257

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Principal Operators (continued)

Tenure

Number of farms where principal operator is...

Full owner	812	58,664
Part owner	261	15,250
Tenant	45	3,150

Farm Workers

Hired farm labor	625	68,586
Hired farm labor payroll	\$1,715,000	\$377,169,000
Total migrant workers*	29	10,820
Unpaid labor*	1,154	76,822

Farm Production

Expenses

Total production expenses	\$33,349,000	\$4,778,105,000
Production expenses (average per farm)	\$29,829	\$62,002

Total Products Sold

Market value of products sold	\$29,594,000	\$5,067,334,000
Market value of agricultural products sold (average per farm)	\$26,470	\$65,755

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<u>Farms</u>		
Total number of farms	1,179	77,064
Land in farms (in acres)	360,276	13,049,347
Median size of farm (in acres)	100	75
Average size of farm (in acres)	306	169
Proportion of land area in farms	78.5%	51.6%
<u>Principal Operators</u>		
Total Number of Principal Operators	1,179	77,064
<u>Work</u>		
Number of principal operators for whom primary occupation is farming	541	32,137
Number of principal operators working any days off the farm	750	49,548
<u>Age and Sex</u>		
Average age of principal operators	55.2	57.6
Number of principal operators who are under 35 years old	128	4,479
Number of principal operators who are male	1,059	68,864
Number of principal operators who are female	120	8,200
<u>Length of Time Farming</u>		
Average number of years principal operator on present farm	21.5	22.4
Number of principal operators on present farm for 4 years or less	116	6,618
Number of principal operators on present farm for 9 years or less	271	17,257

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Principal Operators (continued)

Tenure

Number of farms where principal operator is...

Full owner	862	58,664
Part owner	245	15,250
Tenant	72	3,150

Farm Workers

Hired farm labor	1,345	68,586
Hired farm labor payroll	\$12,496,000	\$377,169,000
Total migrant workers*	655	10,820
Unpaid labor*	1,160	76,822

Farm Production

Expenses

Total production expenses	\$168,578,000	\$4,778,105,000
Production expenses (average per farm)	\$142,984	\$62,002

Total Products Sold

Market value of products sold	\$185,840,000	\$5,067,334,000
Market value of agricultural products sold (average per farm)	\$157,625	\$65,755

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<u>Farms</u>		
Total number of farms	883	77,064
Land in farms (in acres)	137,397	13,049,347
Median size of farm (in acres)	63	75
Average size of farm (in acres)	156	169
Proportion of land area in farms	85.0%	51.6%
<u>Principal Operators</u>		
Total Number of Principal Operators	883	77,064
<u>Work</u>		
Number of principal operators for whom primary occupation is farming	346	32,137
Number of principal operators working any days off the farm	613	49,548
<u>Age and Sex</u>		
Average age of principal operators	57.5	57.6
Number of principal operators who are under 35 years old	71	4,479
Number of principal operators who are male	741	68,864
Number of principal operators who are female	142	8,200
<u>Length of Time Farming</u>		
Average number of years principal operator on present farm	21.5	22.4
Number of principal operators on present farm for 4 years or less	82	6,618
Number of principal operators on present farm for 9 years or less	244	17,257

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Tenure

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Full owner	654	58,664
Part owner	179	15,250
Tenant	50	3,150

Farm Workers

Hired farm labor	842	68,586
Hired farm labor payroll	\$3,441,000	\$377,169,000
Total migrant workers*	277	10,820
Unpaid labor*	1,077	76,822

Farm Production

Expenses

Total production expenses	\$37,985,000	\$4,778,105,000
Production expenses (average per farm)	\$43,018	\$62,002

Total Products Sold

Market value of products sold	\$34,756,000	\$5,067,334,000
Market value of agricultural products sold (average per farm)	\$39,361	\$65,755

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<u>Farms</u>		
Total number of farms	243	77,064
Land in farms (in acres)	35,124	13,049,347
Median size of farm (in acres)	86	75
Average size of farm (in acres)	145	169
Proportion of land area in farms	11.7%	51.6%
<u>Principal Operators</u>		
Total Number of Principal Operators	243	77,064
<u>Work</u>		
Number of principal operators for whom primary occupation is farming	81	32,137
Number of principal operators working any days off the farm	160	49,548
<u>Age and Sex</u>		
Average age of principal operators	57.3	57.6
Number of principal operators who are under 35 years old	10	4,479
Number of principal operators who are male	221	68,864
Number of principal operators who are female	22	8,200
<u>Length of Time Farming</u>		
Average number of years principal operator on present farm	22.0	22.4
Number of principal operators on present farm for 4 years or less	19	6,618
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Tenure

Number of farms where principal operator is...

Full owner	188	58,664
Part owner	48	15,250
Tenant	7	3,150

Farm Workers

Hired farm labor	309	68,586
Hired farm labor payroll	\$1,584,000	\$377,169,000
Total migrant workers*	0	10,820
Unpaid labor*	238	76,822

Farm Production

Expenses

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Production expenses (average per farm)	\$26,080	\$62,002

Total Products Sold

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County **State**

Principal Operators (continued)

Tenure

Number of farms where principal operator is...

Full owner	309	58,664
Part owner	177	15,250
Tenant	22	3,150

Farm Workers

Hired farm labor	330	68,586
Hired farm labor payroll	\$860,000	\$377,169,000
Total migrant workers*	n/a	10,820
Unpaid labor*	451	76,822

Farm Production

Expenses

Total production expenses	\$27,422,000	\$4,778,105,000
Production expenses (average per farm)	\$53,981	\$62,002

Total Products Sold

Market value of products sold	\$29,785,000	\$5,067,334,000
Market value of agricultural products sold (average per farm)	\$58,632	\$65,755

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	<u>County</u>	<u>State</u>
<u>Farms</u>		
Total number of farms	592	77,064
Land in farms (in acres)	148,795	13,049,347
Median size of farm (in acres)	106	75
Average size of farm (in acres)	251	169
Proportion of land area in farms	64.6%	51.6%
<u>Principal Operators</u>		
Total Number of Principal Operators	592	77,064
<u>Work</u>		
Number of principal operators for whom primary occupation is farming	198	32,137
Number of principal operators working any days off the farm	332	49,548
<u>Age and Sex</u>		
Average age of principal operators	58.6	57.6
Number of principal operators who are under 35 years old	53	4,479
Number of principal operators who are male	528	68,864
Number of principal operators who are female	64	8,200
<u>Length of Time Farming</u>		
Average number of years principal operator on present farm	21.8	22.4
Number of principal operators on present farm for 4 years or less	69	6,618
Number of principal operators on present farm for 9 years or less	120	17,257

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Principal Operators (continued)

Tenure

Number of farms where principal operator is...

Full owner	480	58,664
Part owner	87	15,250
Tenant	25	3,150

Farm Workers

Hired farm labor	313	68,586
Hired farm labor payroll	\$1,596,000	\$377,169,000
Total migrant workers*	n/a	10,820
Unpaid labor*	608	76,822

Farm Production

Expenses

Total production expenses	\$30,890,000	\$4,778,105,000
Production expenses (average per farm)	\$52,178	\$62,002

Total Products Sold

Market value of products sold	\$31,560,000	\$5,067,334,000
Market value of agricultural products sold (average per farm)	\$53,312	\$65,755

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	<u>County</u>	<u>State</u>
<u>Farms</u>		
Total number of farms	371	77,064
Land in farms (in acres)	65,445	13,049,347
Median size of farm (in acres)	95	75
Average size of farm (in acres)	176	169
Proportion of land area in farms	33.5%	51.6%
<u>Principal Operators</u>		
Total Number of Principal Operators	371	77,064
<u>Work</u>		
Number of principal operators for whom primary occupation is farming	182	32,137
Number of principal operators working any days off the farm	219	49,548
<u>Age and Sex</u>		
Average age of principal operators	58.1	57.6
Number of principal operators who are under 35 years old	19	4,479
Number of principal operators who are male	335	68,864
Number of principal operators who are female	36	8,200
<u>Length of Time Farming</u>		
Average number of years principal operator on present farm	20.9	22.4
Number of principal operators on present farm for 4 years or less	43	6,618
Number of principal operators on present farm for 9 years or less	95	17,257

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County **State**

Principal Operators (continued)

Tenure

Number of farms where principal operator is...

Full owner	278	58,664
Part owner	74	15,250
Tenant	19	3,150

Farm Workers

Hired farm labor	149	68,586
Hired farm labor payroll	\$285,000	\$377,169,000
Total migrant workers*	n/a	10,820
Unpaid labor*	338	76,822

Farm Production

Expenses

Total production expenses	\$11,794,000	\$4,778,105,000
Production expenses (average per farm)	\$31,790	\$62,002

Total Products Sold

Market value of products sold	\$12,835,000	\$5,067,334,000
Market value of agricultural products sold (average per farm)	\$34,596	\$65,755

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<u>Farms</u>		
Total number of farms	837	77,064
Land in farms (in acres)	237,234	13,049,347
Median size of farm (in acres)	55	75
Average size of farm (in acres)	283	169
Proportion of land area in farms	80.9%	51.6%
<u>Principal Operators</u>		
Total Number of Principal Operators	837	77,064
<u>Work</u>		
Number of principal operators for whom primary occupation is farming	408	32,137
Number of principal operators working any days off the farm	492	49,548
<u>Age and Sex</u>		
Average age of principal operators	57.4	57.6
Number of principal operators who are under 35 years old	40	4,479
Number of principal operators who are male	783	68,864
Number of principal operators who are female	54	8,200
<u>Length of Time Farming</u>		
Average number of years principal operator on present farm	24.3	22.4
Number of principal operators on present farm for 4 years or less	57	6,618
Number of principal operators on present farm for 9 years or less	166	17,257

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Tenure

Number of farms where principal operator is...

Full owner	584	58,664
Part owner	223	15,250
Tenant	30	3,150

Farm Workers

Hired farm labor	853	68,586
Hired farm labor payroll	\$8,144,000	\$377,169,000
Total migrant workers*	280	10,820
Unpaid labor*	674	76,822

Farm Production

Expenses

Total production expenses	\$127,050,000	\$4,778,105,000
Production expenses (average per farm)	\$151,793	\$62,002

Total Products Sold

Market value of products sold	\$176,406,000	\$5,067,334,000
Market value of agricultural products sold (average per farm)	\$210,760	\$65,755

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