

**Table 50. Women Principal Operators - Selected Farm Characteristics: 2007 and 2002**

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

| Characteristics                                                                                                                  | Principal operator |        | Characteristics                                                                        | Principal operator |        |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------|--------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------|--------|
|                                                                                                                                  | 2007               | 2002   |                                                                                        | 2007               | 2002   |
| <b>FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS</b>                                                                                                   |                    |        | <b>FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM (NAICS)</b>                  |                    |        |
| Farms ..... number                                                                                                               | 1,466              | 967    | Oilseed and grain farming (1111) .....                                                 | 5                  | 12     |
| Land in farms ..... acres                                                                                                        | 144,874            | 94,350 | Vegetable and melon farming (1112) .....                                               | 59                 | 38     |
|                                                                                                                                  |                    |        | Fruit and tree nut farming (1113) .....                                                | 50                 | 28     |
|                                                                                                                                  |                    |        | Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114) .....                          | 127                | 104    |
| <b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>                                                                                                             |                    |        | Other crop farming (1119) .....                                                        | 357                | 221    |
| 1 to 9 acres .....                                                                                                               | 243                | 115    | Tobacco farming (11191) .....                                                          | -                  | -      |
| 10 to 49 acres .....                                                                                                             | 532                | 410    | Cotton farming (11192) .....                                                           | -                  | -      |
| 50 to 179 acres .....                                                                                                            | 486                | 305    | Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199) ..... | 357                | 221    |
| 180 to 499 acres .....                                                                                                           | 168                | 112    | Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111) .....                                        | 102                | 61     |
| 500 acres or more .....                                                                                                          | 37                 | 25     | Cattle feedlots (112112) .....                                                         | 10                 | 10     |
|                                                                                                                                  |                    |        | Dairy cattle and milk production (11212) .....                                         | 97                 | 64     |
| <b>OWNED AND RENTED LAND IN FARMS</b>                                                                                            |                    |        | Hog and pig farming (1122) .....                                                       | 3                  | 12     |
| Owned land in farms ..... farms                                                                                                  | 1,380              | 930    | Poultry and egg production (1123) .....                                                | 84                 | 15     |
| ..... acres                                                                                                                      | 123,739            | 80,807 | Sheep and goat farming (1124) .....                                                    | 178                | 96     |
| Rented or leased land in farms ..... farms                                                                                       | 353                | 250    | Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129) .....                      | 394                | 306    |
| ..... acres                                                                                                                      | 21,135             | 13,543 |                                                                                        |                    |        |
| <b>TENURE</b>                                                                                                                    |                    |        | <b>OTHER FARM CHARACTERISTICS</b>                                                      |                    |        |
| Full owners ..... farms                                                                                                          | 1,113              | 717    | Farms by-                                                                              |                    |        |
| ..... acres                                                                                                                      | 99,969             | 61,699 | Type of organization:                                                                  |                    |        |
| Part owners ..... farms                                                                                                          | 267                | 213    | Family or individual .....                                                             | 1,229              | 851    |
| ..... acres                                                                                                                      | 41,455             | 30,613 | Partnerships .....                                                                     | 110                | 64     |
| Tenants ..... farms                                                                                                              | 86                 | 37     | Corporations .....                                                                     | 80                 | 43     |
| ..... acres                                                                                                                      | 3,450              | 2,038  | Other - cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc .....                         | 47                 | 9      |
| <b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS</b>                                                        |                    |        | Number of operators:                                                                   |                    |        |
| Total ..... farms                                                                                                                | 1,466              | 967    | 1 operator .....                                                                       | 736                | 469    |
| ..... \$1,000                                                                                                                    | 35,505             | 17,220 | 2 operators .....                                                                      | 639                | 437    |
| Market value of agricultural products sold ..... farms                                                                           | 1,466              | 967    | 3 operators .....                                                                      | 62                 | 38     |
| ..... \$1,000                                                                                                                    | 35,075             | 16,538 | 4 operators .....                                                                      | 23                 | 11     |
| Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops ..... farms                                                                        | 599                | 369    | 5 or more operators .....                                                              | 6                  | 12     |
| ..... \$1,000                                                                                                                    | 8,473              | 5,050  |                                                                                        |                    |        |
| Livestock, poultry, and their products ..... farms                                                                               | 714                | 455    | Number of women operators:                                                             |                    |        |
| ..... \$1,000                                                                                                                    | 26,602             | 11,488 | 1 woman operator .....                                                                 | 1,320              | 886    |
| Government payments ..... farms                                                                                                  | 126                | 100    | 2 women operators .....                                                                | 120                | 70     |
| ..... \$1,000                                                                                                                    | 431                | 681    | 3 women operators .....                                                                | 16                 | 4      |
|                                                                                                                                  |                    |        | 4 women operators .....                                                                | 10                 | 7      |
|                                                                                                                                  |                    |        | 5 or more women operators .....                                                        | -                  | -      |
| <b>FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS</b>                                                                                                   |                    |        | Farms reporting-                                                                       |                    |        |
| Less than \$1,000 .....                                                                                                          | 580                | 409    | Internet access .....                                                                  | 1,094              | 676    |
| \$1,000 to \$2,499 .....                                                                                                         | 189                | 131    | High-speed internet access .....                                                       | 596                | (NA)   |
| \$2,500 to \$4,999 .....                                                                                                         | 152                | 101    | Principal operator is a hired manager ..... farms                                      | 45                 | 38     |
| \$5,000 to \$9,999 .....                                                                                                         | 183                | 87     | ..... acres                                                                            | 11,517             | 11,478 |
| \$10,000 to \$24,999 .....                                                                                                       | 166                | 109    |                                                                                        |                    |        |
| \$25,000 to \$49,999 .....                                                                                                       | 85                 | 52     | Farms by number of households sharing in net income of farm:                           |                    |        |
| \$50,000 or more .....                                                                                                           | 111                | 78     | 1 household .....                                                                      | 1,314              | 833    |
|                                                                                                                                  |                    |        | 2 households .....                                                                     | 125                | 77     |
| <b>COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION (CCC) LOANS AND FEDERAL FARM PROGRAM PAYMENTS</b>                                                |                    |        | 3 households .....                                                                     | 17                 | 12     |
| CCC loans ..... farms                                                                                                            | -                  | 3      | 4 households .....                                                                     | 1                  | 2      |
| ..... \$1,000                                                                                                                    | -                  | (D)    | 5 or more households .....                                                             | 9                  | 5      |
| Conservation Reserve, Wetlands Reserve, Farmable Wetlands, or Conservation Reserve Enhancement Programs <sup>1</sup> ..... farms | 22                 | 7      | Farms by share of principal operator's total household income from farming:            |                    |        |
| ..... \$1,000                                                                                                                    | 87                 | 10     | Less than 25 percent .....                                                             | 1,164              | 678    |
| Other Federal farm program payments ..... farms                                                                                  | 119                | 98     | 25 to 49 percent .....                                                                 | 93                 | 52     |
| ..... \$1,000                                                                                                                    | 343                | 671    | 50 to 74 percent .....                                                                 | 76                 | 70     |
|                                                                                                                                  |                    |        | 75 to 99 percent .....                                                                 | 77                 | 36     |
|                                                                                                                                  |                    |        | 100 percent .....                                                                      | 56                 | 93     |

<sup>1</sup> 2002 data do not include farms with land in Farmable Wetlands or Conservation Reserve Enhancement Programs.