

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

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

Item	Washington	Adams	Asotin	Benton	Chelan	Clallam	Clark	Columbia
<b>FARMS</b>								
Land in farms	37,249	713	185	1,509	890	536	1,929	308
..... farms, 2012	39,284	782	192	1,630	979	512	2,101	283
..... acres, 2012	14,748,107	1,036,975	263,166	703,505	75,820	23,640	74,758	297,412
..... farms, 2007	14,972,789	1,098,487	273,860	632,636	93,883	22,822	78,359	313,307
Harvested cropland	20,846	370	74	675	734	278	1,022	147
..... farms, 2012	20,091	375	64	700	842	256	1,037	126
..... acres, 2012	4,342,904	364,428	35,811	296,362	23,458	6,513	24,099	98,182
..... farms, 2007	4,387,169	368,235	(D)	251,332	25,790	6,995	25,423	105,501
<b>TENURE</b>								
Full owners	29,070	432	126	1,261	707	438	1,682	229
..... farms, 2012	30,268	498	131	1,373	797	393	1,781	206
..... acres, 2012	6,486,223	289,112	88,066	277,593	45,273	14,892	41,854	88,070
..... farms, 2007	6,316,566	271,612	93,765	198,952	59,895	14,260	49,706	94,964
Harvested cropland	14,551	144	39	528	559	216	860	86
..... farms, 2012	13,646	153	31	557	680	201	817	62
..... acres, 2012	924,177	108,387	8,714	114,125	12,588	1,880	9,411	13,361
..... farms, 2007	975,131	56,551	(D)	78,140	16,552	(D)	10,624	16,362
Part owners	5,927	182	48	163	125	83	182	61
..... farms, 2012	6,593	171	49	169	125	85	252	53
..... acres, 2012	6,043,663	459,337	144,088	315,471	25,302	6,924	29,503	167,467
..... farms, 2007	6,651,624	555,411	148,187	339,936	32,471	6,988	24,312	156,502
Owned land in farms	2,673,970	239,167	71,528	199,523	18,222	1,702	8,002	82,385
..... acres, 2012	2,961,738	285,018	79,292	220,581	16,125	2,193	9,859	75,096
Rented land in farms	3,369,693	220,170	72,560	115,948	7,080	5,222	21,501	85,082
..... acres, 2012	3,689,886	270,393	68,895	119,355	16,346	4,795	15,053	81,406
Harvested cropland	4,644	150	28	96	119	56	127	47
..... farms, 2012	4,842	141	28	91	114	48	179	44
..... acres, 2012	2,415,653	152,878	18,208	141,879	6,603	3,430	12,314	62,803
..... farms, 2007	2,473,630	198,899	20,404	140,003	8,112	3,329	13,149	57,652
Tenants	2,252	99	11	85	58	15	65	18
..... farms, 2012	2,423	113	12	88	57	34	68	24
..... acres, 2012	2,218,221	288,526	31,012	110,441	5,245	1,824	3,401	41,875
..... farms, 2007	2,004,599	271,464	31,908	93,748	1,517	1,574	3,741	61,841
Harvested cropland	1,651	76	7	51	56	6	35	14
..... farms, 2012	1,603	81	5	52	48	7	41	20
..... acres, 2012	1,003,074	103,163	8,889	40,358	4,267	1,203	2,374	22,018
..... farms, 2007	938,408	112,785	(D)	33,189	1,126	(D)	1,650	31,487
<b>2012 NUMBER OF ALL OPERATORS</b>								
Total operators	60,912	1,154	317	2,565	1,383	891	3,072	474
Farms by number of operators:								
1 operator	17,360	382	70	622	476	243	890	171
2 operators	17,243	263	102	764	352	263	954	117
3 operators	2,025	50	9	90	49	19	70	17
4 operators	404	9	4	25	10	3	12	2
5 or more operators	217	9	-	8	3	8	3	1
Total women operators	22,840	360	115	941	411	379	1,272	180
Farms by number of women operators:								
1 operator	20,043	312	102	831	377	321	1,139	159
2 operators	1,118	16	5	52	14	20	56	9
3 operators	122	2	1	2	2	1	7	1
4 operators	29	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5 or more operators	14	2	-	-	-	3	-	-
<b>2007 NUMBER OF ALL OPERATORS</b>								
Total operators	63,645	1,240	321	2,656	1,528	878	3,432	474
Farms by number of operators:								
1 operator	19,049	444	89	812	527	203	947	145
2 operators	17,387	255	83	689	379	266	1,042	107
3 operators	2,115	59	17	85	55	29	73	19
4 operators	486	13	-	25	14	14	30	7
5 or more operators	247	11	3	19	4	-	9	5
Total women operators	23,678	320	120	955	426	393	1,422	163
Farms by number of women operators:								
1 operator	20,589	277	93	837	391	323	1,230	119
2 operators	1,254	17	6	54	16	35	68	7
3 operators	125	3	5	2	1	-	9	1
4 operators	24	-	-	1	-	-	1	3
5 or more operators	20	-	-	-	-	-	5	3
<b>PRINCIPAL OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS</b>								
Sex of operator:								
Male	29,730	605	157	1,267	769	378	1,483	252
..... farms, 2012	31,194	683	157	1,328	866	358	1,622	248
..... acres, 2012	13,972,060	987,599	231,779	685,774	62,030	18,810	65,659	282,081
..... farms, 2007	14,091,177	1,052,466	262,138	597,773	90,897	19,137	66,488	301,326
Female	7,519	108	28	242	121	158	446	56
..... farms, 2012	8,090	99	35	302	113	154	479	35
..... acres, 2012	776,047	49,376	31,387	17,731	13,790	4,830	9,099	15,331
..... farms, 2007	881,612	46,021	11,722	34,863	2,986	3,685	11,871	11,981
Primary occupation:								
Farming	17,650	391	112	676	496	246	682	131
..... 2012	18,021	452	102	653	542	211	816	147
..... 2007	19,599	322	73	833	394	290	1,247	177
Other	21,263	330	90	977	437	301	1,285	136
Place of residence:								
On farm operated	30,701	401	130	1,204	711	482	1,741	181
..... 2012	32,472	427	148	1,322	741	471	1,860	160
..... 2007	6,548	312	55	305	179	54	188	127
Not on farm operated	6,812	355	44	308	238	41	241	123
..... 2012								
..... 2007								

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Item	Cowlitz	Douglas	Ferry	Franklin	Garfield	Grant	Grays Harbor	Island
<b>FARMS</b>								
Land in farms .....farms, 2012	492	849	255	883	211	1,552	557	377
.....2007	481	955	232	891	239	1,858	628	458
.....acres, 2012	39,009	814,109	792,250	625,047	308,486	963,784	119,440	15,249
.....2007	30,702	883,094	749,452	609,046	308,212	1,087,952	119,267	17,699
Harvested cropland .....farms, 2012	221	545	145	563	113	1,047	293	219
.....2007	186	581	105	597	98	1,158	311	237
.....acres, 2012	17,462	191,252	8,895	261,364	90,550	525,432	20,461	6,454
.....2007	9,091	183,242	(D)	(D)	83,518	(D)	17,391	7,019
<b>TENURE</b>								
Full owners .....farms, 2012	422	590	212	549	129	951	477	286
.....2007	391	688	176	553	154	1,201	529	385
.....acres, 2012	19,881	148,474	(D)	168,279	91,487	250,571	94,705	7,767
.....2007	19,243	188,954	(D)	182,405	74,237	300,292	102,030	9,634
Harvested cropland .....farms, 2012	173	317	111	278	45	510	233	153
.....2007	133	369	65	305	32	604	257	186
.....acres, 2012	2,723	19,409	4,226	60,994	13,873	116,739	4,524	1,748
.....2007	(D)	22,246	(D)	72,174	12,499	124,864	(D)	2,384
Part owners .....farms, 2012	56	208	40	209	48	391	66	59
.....2007	84	195	53	203	56	444	79	56
.....acres, 2012	18,472	572,635	(D)	266,481	158,603	521,234	23,671	6,795
.....2007	(D)	586,035	(D)	309,055	189,843	573,953	16,626	6,032
Owned land in farms .....acres, 2012	8,401	229,712	(D)	114,090	54,531	227,659	11,976	3,519
.....2007	(D)	229,696	(D)	184,246	78,892	244,247	8,618	2,902
Rented land in farms .....acres, 2012	10,071	342,923	34,324	152,391	104,072	293,575	11,695	3,276
.....2007	6,316	356,339	36,348	124,809	110,951	329,706	8,008	3,130
Harvested cropland .....farms, 2012	43	183	31	186	40	353	56	49
.....2007	51	158	37	177	47	389	53	45
.....acres, 2012	14,308	140,211	(D)	140,500	51,985	297,648	15,883	4,389
.....2007	5,733	130,434	4,630	137,883	53,900	316,303	9,292	3,227
Tenants .....farms, 2012	14	51	3	125	34	210	14	32
.....2007	6	72	3	135	29	213	20	17
.....acres, 2012	656	93,000	(D)	190,287	58,396	191,979	1,064	687
.....2007	(D)	108,105	(D)	117,586	44,132	213,707	611	2,033
Harvested cropland .....farms, 2012	5	45	3	99	28	184	4	17
.....2007	2	54	3	115	19	165	1	6
.....acres, 2012	431	31,632	(D)	59,870	24,692	111,045	54	317
.....2007	(D)	30,562	21	(D)	17,119	(D)	(D)	1,408
<b>2012 NUMBER OF ALL OPERATORS</b>								
Total operators .....number	811	1,357	448	1,519	356	2,539	892	646
Farms by number of operators:								
1 operator .....	251	433	89	389	92	793	258	141
2 operators .....	194	355	150	396	97	590	265	212
3 operators .....	26	47	8	68	20	136	32	18
4 operators .....	16	7	6	23	-	21	2	4
5 or more operators .....	5	7	2	7	2	12	-	2
Total women operators .....number	293	403	203	441	101	695	349	297
Farms by number of women operators:								
1 operator .....	240	368	179	395	99	628	307	257
2 operators .....	13	16	9	17	1	23	21	16
3 operators .....	9	1	2	-	-	7	-	-
4 operators .....	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	2
5 or more operators .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>2007 NUMBER OF ALL OPERATORS</b>								
Total operators .....number	798	1,448	367	1,444	380	2,988	1,049	755
Farms by number of operators:								
1 operator .....	220	561	112	449	113	987	307	181
2 operators .....	217	322	109	360	112	682	265	259
3 operators .....	32	55	7	60	13	149	44	16
4 operators .....	12	12	4	16	1	22	8	2
5 or more operators .....	-	5	-	6	-	18	4	-
Total women operators .....number	305	413	133	375	135	784	418	353
Farms by number of women operators:								
1 operator .....	278	374	125	334	115	696	328	295
2 operators .....	9	16	4	19	10	32	34	29
3 operators .....	3	1	-	1	-	8	3	-
4 operators .....	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
5 or more operators .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
<b>PRINCIPAL OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS</b>								
Sex of operator:								
Male .....farms, 2012	393	736	174	758	191	1,391	433	244
.....2007	382	822	182	807	200	1,684	465	315
.....acres, 2012	34,337	752,907	774,191	599,926	301,450	927,838	114,353	12,524
.....2007	26,233	819,905	735,722	588,030	281,582	1,056,715	110,139	14,926
Female .....farms, 2012	99	113	81	125	20	161	124	133
.....2007	99	133	50	84	39	174	163	143
.....acres, 2012	4,672	61,202	18,059	25,121	7,036	35,946	5,087	2,725
.....2007	4,469	63,189	13,730	21,016	26,630	31,237	9,128	2,773
Primary occupation:								
Farming .....2012	230	475	133	554	120	1,034	249	176
.....2007	213	534	104	552	115	1,039	276	213
Other .....2012	262	374	122	329	91	518	308	201
.....2007	268	421	128	339	124	819	352	245
Place of residence:								
On farm operated .....2012	444	526	237	663	107	1,076	502	317
.....2007	446	595	217	682	152	1,420	549	399
Not on farm operated .....2012	48	323	18	220	104	476	55	60
.....2007	35	360	15	209	87	438	79	59

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Item	Jefferson	King	Kitsap	Kittitas	Klickitat	Lewis	Lincoln	Mason
<b>FARMS</b>								
Land in farms ..... farms, 2012	221	1,837	706	1,006	760	1,647	897	377
..... 2007	211	1,790	664	1,038	893	1,717	798	471
..... acres, 2012	15,556	46,717	10,070	183,124	551,097	132,839	1,114,940	23,743
..... 2007	12,717	49,285	15,294	191,087	601,216	131,554	1,090,178	25,185
Harvested cropland ..... farms, 2012	122	851	327	525	365	965	461	156
..... 2007	119	621	269	505	358	889	437	157
..... acres, 2012	2,903	13,340	1,913	51,234	80,898	45,858	383,304	3,847
..... 2007	1,999	9,459	2,211	53,117	87,324	37,388	386,081	3,374
<b>TENURE</b>								
Full owners ..... farms, 2012	183	1,520	621	794	564	1,336	531	329
..... 2007	172	1,494	570	813	692	1,419	439	399
..... acres, 2012	10,762	30,411	8,248	75,433	170,715	(D)	242,195	11,473
..... 2007	8,209	35,502	12,534	66,439	211,180	88,081	208,901	21,745
Harvested cropland ..... farms, 2012	105	652	287	383	222	721	159	142
..... 2007	97	469	229	364	244	661	140	137
..... acres, 2012	1,457	6,206	1,268	16,442	14,478	16,033	38,208	1,957
..... 2007	1,265	5,309	1,610	20,629	23,559	17,963	51,535	(D)
Part owners ..... farms, 2012	24	167	53	170	156	261	207	34
..... 2007	29	164	72	197	140	251	208	47
..... acres, 2012	4,222	14,337	1,595	99,435	324,924	(D)	518,085	(D)
..... 2007	4,006	11,612	2,327	114,202	333,467	37,633	562,823	2,023
Owned land in farms ..... acres, 2012	2,467	6,294	745	50,472	195,771	(D)	199,170	(D)
..... 2007	2,607	6,178	1,637	59,775	207,831	20,555	203,013	1,193
Rented land in farms ..... acres, 2012	1,755	8,043	850	48,963	129,153	23,838	318,915	1,610
..... 2007	1,399	5,434	690	54,427	125,636	17,078	359,810	830
Harvested cropland ..... farms, 2012	15	82	21	110	119	212	179	8
..... 2007	17	61	28	126	94	197	176	10
..... acres, 2012	(D)	6,164	592	27,749	50,049	24,612	185,150	(D)
..... 2007	695	3,424	401	29,536	52,947	15,888	189,951	374
Tenants ..... farms, 2012	14	150	32	42	40	50	159	14
..... 2007	10	132	22	28	61	47	151	25
..... acres, 2012	572	1,969	227	8,256	55,458	7,821	354,660	(D)
..... 2007	502	2,171	433	10,446	56,569	5,840	318,454	1,417
Harvested cropland ..... farms, 2012	2	117	19	32	24	32	123	6
..... 2007	5	91	12	15	20	31	121	10
..... acres, 2012	(D)	970	53	7,043	16,371	5,213	159,946	(D)
..... 2007	39	726	200	2,952	10,818	3,537	144,595	(D)
<b>2012 NUMBER OF ALL OPERATORS</b>								
Total operators ..... number	387	3,151	1,204	1,638	1,240	2,728	1,529	635
Farms by number of operators:								
1 operator .....	84	782	248	470	365	675	387	178
2 operators .....	111	848	426	468	347	891	417	159
3 operators .....	23	171	25	51	36	59	77	32
4 operators .....	3	22	6	12	6	16	8	4
5 or more operators .....	-	14	1	5	6	6	8	4
Total women operators ..... number	157	1,440	578	610	486	1,120	524	257
Farms by number of women operators:								
1 operator .....	119	1,182	499	552	422	1,017	464	215
2 operators .....	16	107	35	25	18	41	19	14
3 operators .....	2	12	3	-	2	7	2	2
4 operators .....	-	2	-	2	1	-	4	2
5 or more operators .....	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-
<b>2007 NUMBER OF ALL OPERATORS</b>								
Total operators ..... number	357	3,005	1,133	1,660	1,527	2,796	1,272	794
Farms by number of operators:								
1 operator .....	88	783	302	481	390	759	406	216
2 operators .....	106	866	288	503	412	867	326	207
3 operators .....	13	102	48	46	66	69	56	38
4 operators .....	3	27	19	6	16	15	7	7
5 or more operators .....	1	12	7	2	9	7	3	3
Total women operators ..... number	165	1,391	540	598	596	1,150	386	338
Farms by number of women operators:								
1 operator .....	133	1,176	422	553	496	1,064	358	290
2 operators .....	16	83	59	18	31	37	14	22
3 operators .....	-	11	-	3	10	4	-	-
4 operators .....	-	4	-	-	2	-	-	1
5 or more operators .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>PRINCIPAL OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS</b>								
Sex of operator:								
Male ..... farms, 2012	167	1,228	463	794	571	1,340	786	273
..... 2007	135	1,136	389	886	704	1,354	698	353
..... acres, 2012	12,257	36,853	6,762	170,091	470,097	117,291	1,056,769	21,863
..... 2007	10,047	34,743	11,517	179,147	520,970	111,490	1,040,174	20,985
Female ..... farms, 2012	54	609	243	212	189	307	111	104
..... 2007	76	654	275	152	189	363	100	118
..... acres, 2012	3,299	9,864	3,308	13,033	81,000	15,548	58,171	1,880
..... 2007	2,670	14,542	3,777	11,940	80,246	20,064	50,004	4,200
Primary occupation:								
Farming ..... 2012	109	814	315	492	393	676	487	153
..... 2007	103	753	302	441	380	710	497	165
Other ..... 2012	112	1,023	391	514	367	971	410	224
..... 2007	108	1,037	362	597	513	1,007	301	306
Place of residence:								
On farm operated ..... 2012	181	1,535	643	889	627	1,481	641	337
..... 2007	175	1,524	600	905	718	1,531	542	392
Not on farm operated ..... 2012	40	302	63	117	133	166	256	40
..... 2007	36	266	64	133	175	186	256	79

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Item	Okanogan	Pacific	Pend Oreille	Pierce	San Juan	Skagit	Skamania	Snohomish
<b>FARMS</b>								
Land in farms .....farms, 2012	1,449	330	288	1,478	274	1,074	144	1,438
.....2007	1,662	390	316	1,448	291	1,215	123	1,670
.....acres, 2012	1,205,285	52,157	43,619	49,483	15,669	106,538	6,473	70,863
.....2007	1,205,229	61,749	55,109	47,677	21,472	108,541	5,472	76,837
Harvested cropland .....farms, 2012	941	226	173	603	180	612	81	609
.....2007	878	258	134	497	185	640	48	616
.....acres, 2012	78,819	6,529	12,433	9,643	4,332	57,055	972	23,425
.....2007	75,704	8,406	10,948	12,100	5,607	58,163	1,111	25,965
<b>TENURE</b>								
Full owners .....farms, 2012	1,119	267	243	1,305	217	834	126	1,209
.....2007	1,319	306	280	1,238	225	929	96	1,376
.....acres, 2012	841,742	33,117	26,392	36,095	8,711	(D)	4,219	43,982
.....2007	733,644	(D)	37,919	30,926	11,758	37,640	3,765	42,336
Harvested cropland .....farms, 2012	687	185	134	516	136	416	69	455
.....2007	661	203	113	384	138	423	39	452
.....acres, 2012	25,675	4,106	5,564	5,806	1,618	11,853	639	5,575
.....2007	33,470	(D)	4,966	5,062	2,309	9,738	(D)	8,035
Part owners .....farms, 2012	284	58	42	135	39	185	15	147
.....2007	286	80	33	167	44	222	23	205
.....acres, 2012	348,141	19,002	16,537	12,407	5,486	(D)	1,984	23,636
.....2007	457,240	(D)	17,010	15,549	7,678	55,853	1,592	24,946
Owned land in farms .....acres, 2012	168,061	14,999	10,813	4,869	2,775	(D)	1,039	10,739
.....2007	184,149	(D)	9,079	8,024	3,253	23,025	713	9,824
Rented land in farms .....acres, 2012	180,080	4,003	5,724	7,538	2,711	34,686	945	12,897
.....2007	273,091	6,988	7,931	7,525	4,425	32,828	879	15,122
Harvested cropland .....farms, 2012	219	37	36	69	32	158	9	105
.....2007	194	54	21	99	31	170	7	126
.....acres, 2012	46,306	2,407	6,344	3,614	2,189	36,451	248	16,026
.....2007	36,045	4,090	5,982	6,508	2,637	36,735	339	16,208
Tenants .....farms, 2012	46	5	3	38	18	55	3	82
.....2007	57	4	3	43	22	64	4	89
.....acres, 2012	15,402	38	690	981	1,472	(D)	270	3,245
.....2007	14,345	(D)	180	1,202	2,036	15,048	115	9,555
Harvested cropland .....farms, 2012	35	4	3	18	12	38	3	49
.....2007	23	1	-	14	16	47	2	38
.....acres, 2012	6,838	16	525	223	525	8,751	85	1,824
.....2007	6,189	(D)	-	530	661	11,690	(D)	1,722
<b>2012 NUMBER OF ALL OPERATORS</b>								
Total operators .....number	2,320	534	472	2,460	472	1,798	252	2,397
Farms by number of operators:								
1 operator .....	695	160	125	617	126	466	56	647
2 operators .....	667	144	145	768	126	531	81	694
3 operators .....	73	22	17	75	7	51	3	72
4 operators .....	8	2	-	13	8	18	2	15
5 or more operators .....	6	2	1	5	7	8	2	10
Total women operators .....number	819	187	190	1,098	248	727	94	1,115
Farms by number of women operators:								
1 operator .....	744	169	168	969	177	613	81	954
2 operators .....	29	6	11	53	18	51	5	65
3 operators .....	4	2	-	5	1	4	1	2
4 operators .....	-	-	-	2	8	-	-	1
5 or more operators .....	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
<b>2007 NUMBER OF ALL OPERATORS</b>								
Total operators .....number	2,647	653	515	2,417	467	1,953	205	2,842
Farms by number of operators:								
1 operator .....	837	201	142	597	139	588	46	740
2 operators .....	705	157	158	749	134	556	73	808
3 operators .....	94	21	13	89	14	46	3	70
4 operators .....	14	4	-	11	2	17	1	26
5 or more operators .....	12	7	3	2	2	8	-	26
Total women operators .....number	1,006	205	233	1,133	238	751	78	1,300
Farms by number of women operators:								
1 operator .....	885	193	210	965	188	633	74	1,027
2 operators .....	35	6	7	75	13	43	2	104
3 operators .....	4	-	3	6	8	6	-	11
4 operators .....	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	8
5 or more operators .....	7	-	-	-	-	2	-	-
<b>PRINCIPAL OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS</b>								
Sex of operator:								
Male .....farms, 2012	1,189	297	238	962	164	817	113	961
.....2007	1,348	343	230	977	192	940	98	1,150
.....acres, 2012	1,166,669	48,428	40,112	38,811	10,884	97,008	6,119	51,734
.....2007	1,131,788	57,628	42,888	38,353	13,618	98,919	5,151	64,134
Female .....farms, 2012	260	33	50	516	110	257	31	477
.....2007	314	47	86	471	99	275	25	520
.....acres, 2012	38,616	3,729	3,507	10,672	4,785	9,530	354	19,129
.....2007	73,441	4,121	12,221	9,324	7,854	9,622	321	12,703
Primary occupation:								
Farming .....2012	703	151	109	694	145	515	66	511
.....2007	743	194	112	607	113	479	54	659
Other .....2012	746	179	179	784	129	559	78	927
.....2007	919	196	204	841	178	736	69	1,011
Place of residence:								
On farm operated .....2012	1,245	259	257	1,373	205	908	134	1,276
.....2007	1,397	300	286	1,315	258	1,042	110	1,459
Not on farm operated .....2012	204	71	31	105	69	166	10	162
.....2007	265	90	30	133	33	173	13	211

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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	Spokane	Stevens	Thurston	Wahkiakum	Walla Walla	Whatcom	Whitman	Yakima
<b>FARMS</b>								
Land in farms ..... farms, 2012	2,501	1,148	1,336	109	943	1,702	1,195	3,143
..... 2007	2,502	1,258	1,288	119	929	1,483	1,247	3,540
..... acres, 2012	537,406	527,123	76,638	9,557	645,121	115,831	1,275,110	1,780,498
..... 2007	626,329	531,082	80,617	12,025	682,350	102,584	1,271,141	1,649,281
Harvested cropland ..... farms, 2012	1,402	687	647	68	532	1,110	709	2,048
..... 2007	1,254	635	494	68	455	840	708	2,353
..... acres, 2012	289,301	57,638	18,357	2,201	280,934	69,731	659,460	218,054
..... 2007	297,843	55,263	18,066	2,140	282,092	64,336	685,419	251,114
<b>TENURE</b>								
Full owners ..... farms, 2012	1,982	933	1,150	87	684	1,312	691	2,542
..... 2007	1,936	979	1,097	86	655	1,048	707	2,737
..... acres, 2012	166,591	278,809	48,906	5,826	194,363	43,558	259,030	1,465,916
..... 2007	194,396	288,108	55,829	7,085	227,068	(D)	320,521	1,246,652
Harvested cropland ..... farms, 2012	991	517	543	53	320	774	270	1,562
..... 2007	845	436	390	45	246	487	260	1,731
..... acres, 2012	38,194	21,830	7,572	974	37,330	12,663	85,445	70,582
..... 2007	43,981	20,789	8,333	1,008	48,461	11,518	110,020	101,139
Part owners ..... farms, 2012	433	187	140	22	168	302	300	477
..... 2007	441	229	131	31	168	344	342	665
..... acres, 2012	299,238	241,603	23,078	3,731	253,571	60,489	628,965	266,497
..... 2007	354,709	224,152	19,529	(D)	302,115	(D)	634,500	372,689
Owned land in farms ..... acres, 2012	118,062	57,263	8,827	1,740	103,861	29,535	233,064	116,728
..... 2007	116,594	54,069	9,393	(D)	123,774	(D)	231,872	178,800
Rented land in farms ..... acres, 2012	181,176	184,340	14,251	1,991	149,710	30,954	395,901	149,769
..... 2007	238,115	170,083	10,136	2,440	178,341	28,311	402,628	193,889
Harvested cropland ..... farms, 2012	350	155	83	15	137	265	271	393
..... 2007	331	166	69	23	132	293	291	524
..... acres, 2012	198,768	33,041	9,286	1,227	141,467	47,113	374,778	132,249
..... 2007	209,747	28,585	7,931	1,132	150,283	44,412	390,898	135,932
Tenants ..... farms, 2012	86	28	46	-	91	88	204	124
..... 2007	125	50	60	2	106	91	198	138
..... acres, 2012	71,577	6,711	4,654	-	197,187	11,784	387,115	48,085
..... 2007	77,224	18,822	5,259	(D)	153,167	10,191	316,120	29,940
Harvested cropland ..... farms, 2012	61	15	21	-	75	71	168	93
..... 2007	78	33	35	-	77	60	157	98
..... acres, 2012	52,339	2,767	1,499	-	102,137	9,955	199,237	15,223
..... 2007	44,115	5,889	1,802	-	83,348	8,406	184,501	14,043
<b>2012 NUMBER OF ALL OPERATORS</b>								
Total operators ..... number	4,049	1,824	2,165	166	1,526	2,697	1,908	4,936
Farms by number of operators:								
1 operator .....	1,131	550	620	52	470	866	628	1,662
2 operators .....	1,247	544	638	57	397	726	459	1,278
3 operators .....	101	36	57	-	60	84	87	147
4 operators .....	16	13	12	-	14	16	15	31
5 or more operators .....	6	5	9	-	2	10	6	25
Total women operators ..... number	1,548	697	910	55	509	955	589	1,487
Farms by number of women operators:								
1 operator .....	1,388	648	780	55	435	807	510	1,361
2 operators .....	62	23	50	-	34	64	29	55
3 operators .....	12	1	10	-	2	2	7	4
4 operators .....	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1
5 or more operators .....	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-
<b>2007 NUMBER OF ALL OPERATORS</b>								
Total operators ..... number	4,023	1,983	2,087	188	1,492	2,363	2,012	5,496
Farms by number of operators:								
1 operator .....	1,210	607	589	56	464	725	646	1,940
2 operators .....	1,126	598	623	59	398	676	473	1,372
3 operators .....	139	41	54	2	56	62	104	156
4 operators .....	21	6	20	2	8	15	15	44
5 or more operators .....	6	6	2	-	3	5	9	28
Total women operators ..... number	1,530	741	898	65	518	848	577	1,678
Farms by number of women operators:								
1 operator .....	1,340	683	763	59	463	766	519	1,514
2 operators .....	86	29	54	3	26	35	26	74
3 operators .....	6	-	9	-	1	-	2	4
4 operators .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
5 or more operators .....	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-
<b>PRINCIPAL OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS</b>								
Sex of operator:								
Male ..... farms, 2012	2,095	947	983	103	792	1,382	1,008	2,826
..... 2007	1,983	1,060	917	108	756	1,215	1,056	3,047
..... acres, 2012	509,283	509,659	68,437	9,082	583,197	108,404	1,225,707	1,755,285
..... 2007	569,928	506,206	68,587	11,218	630,075	95,969	1,202,248	1,601,917
Female ..... farms, 2012	406	201	353	6	151	320	187	317
..... 2007	519	198	371	11	173	268	191	493
..... acres, 2012	28,123	17,464	8,201	475	61,924	7,427	49,403	25,213
..... 2007	56,401	24,876	12,030	807	52,275	6,615	68,893	47,364
Primary occupation:								
Farming ..... 2012	1,039	536	410	55	456	773	711	1,632
..... 2007	908	599	521	63	450	671	701	1,827
Other ..... 2012	1,462	612	926	54	487	929	484	1,511
..... 2007	1,594	659	767	56	479	812	546	1,713
Place of residence:								
On farm operated ..... 2012	2,201	985	1,238	95	667	1,439	815	2,548
..... 2007	2,166	1,146	1,179	108	654	1,321	799	2,956
Not on farm operated ..... 2012	300	163	98	14	276	263	380	595
..... 2007	336	112	109	11	275	162	448	584

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

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Item	Washington	Adams	Asotin	Benton	Chelan	Clallam	Clark	Columbia	
<b>PRINCIPAL OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS - Con.</b>									
Days worked off farm:									
None .....	2012	14,862	317	76	561	365	228	668	161
	2007	13,701	351	60	507	349	154	680	99
Any .....	2012	22,387	396	109	948	525	308	1,261	147
	2007	25,583	431	132	1,123	630	358	1,421	184
1 to 49 days .....	2012	3,247	74	13	78	67	27	180	15
	2007	4,242	145	42	140	108	61	286	58
50 to 99 days .....	2012	1,596	17	21	44	39	40	70	12
	2007	2,019	46	15	48	59	37	123	15
100 to 199 days .....	2012	3,364	37	8	116	93	60	164	15
	2007	3,926	44	22	209	99	46	186	19
200 days or more .....	2012	14,180	268	67	710	326	181	847	105
	2007	15,396	196	53	726	364	214	826	92
Years on present farm:									
2 years or less .....	2012	1,449	32	6	69	29	38	58	5
	2007	1,684	34	18	89	52	15	91	17
3 or 4 years .....	2012	2,200	21	10	118	46	31	130	16
	2007	3,058	28	12	148	59	57	195	28
5 to 9 years .....	2012	6,451	85	27	265	143	103	325	43
	2007	7,311	123	35	327	189	117	387	50
10 years or more .....	2012	27,149	575	142	1,057	672	364	1,416	244
	2007	27,231	597	127	1,066	679	323	1,428	188
Average years on present farm .....	2012	20.9	23.7	20.3	18.9	22.0	18.7	20.3	23.3
	2007	19.6	23.1	19.3	17.5	20.0	16.9	18.9	19.3
Years operating any farm (see text):									
2 years or less .....	2012	1,086	22	4	44	26	35	47	3
	2007	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
3 or 4 years .....	2012	1,769	17	10	80	37	27	99	12
	2007	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
5 to 9 years .....	2012	5,500	67	25	242	106	89	301	27
	2007	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
10 years or more .....	2012	28,894	607	146	1,143	721	385	1,482	266
	2007	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Average years on any farm .....	2012	23.2	26.3	22.0	22.6	24.5	20.9	22.0	26.6
	2007	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Age group:									
Under 25 years .....	2012	181	3	1	1	3	-	2	-
	2007	145	2	-	9	3	1	10	1
25 to 34 years .....	2012	1,526	49	7	90	33	13	76	12
	2007	1,535	36	18	60	27	18	75	27
35 to 44 years .....	2012	3,502	60	18	166	70	32	195	22
	2007	4,399	63	16	233	87	42	257	19
45 to 54 years .....	2012	7,887	148	34	313	194	93	395	56
	2007	10,780	198	50	450	326	113	623	67
55 to 59 years .....	2012	5,836	105	22	222	154	61	364	31
	2007	6,359	132	24	238	145	77	268	50
60 to 64 years .....	2012	5,928	138	32	198	150	95	265	64
	2007	5,512	102	36	235	154	99	272	34
65 to 69 years .....	2012	5,024	97	19	187	116	120	228	36
	2007	4,050	77	29	162	91	71	219	34
70 years and over .....	2012	7,365	113	52	332	170	122	404	87
	2007	6,504	172	19	243	146	91	377	51
Average age .....	2012	58.8	57.9	59.4	58.5	58.8	62.1	59.0	61.6
	2007	57.0	58.5	55.6	56.0	56.7	59.2	57.0	57.3
<b>INTERNET ACCESS (SEE TEXT)</b>									
Internet access .....	2012	29,827	566	138	1,211	734	416	1,578	238
	2007	27,265	511	122	1,100	654	368	1,404	182
Dial-up service .....	farms, 2012	2,800	35	7	124	57	35	227	17
DSL service .....	farms, 2012	10,682	130	62	396	127	234	777	51
Cable modem service .....	farms, 2012	5,140	39	37	169	115	78	308	32
Fiber-optic service .....	farms, 2012	1,389	34	7	21	261	7	32	-
Mobile broadband plan for computer or cell phone .....	farms, 2012	4,785	106	10	241	85	46	233	20
Satellite service .....	farms, 2012	6,484	157	38	293	117	52	188	131
Broadband over Power Lines (BPL) .....	farms, 2012	913	44	7	68	6	12	59	3
Other Internet service .....	farms, 2012	1,064	77	2	58	17	7	17	5
<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	35,620	647	179	1,440	827	503	1,883	289
	acres, 2012	10,757,375	947,397	249,491	677,288	58,320	20,992	70,766	281,146
Limited Liability Corporation .....	farms, 2012	2,788	54	22	97	108	29	119	38
	acres, 2012	1,200,467	111,369	22,392	61,538	6,738	2,096	6,751	30,459
<b>OPERATION'S LEGAL STATUS FOR TAX PURPOSES (SEE TEXT)</b>									
Family or individual .....	farms, 2012	30,167	420	146	1,261	641	453	1,678	235
	2007	32,547	474	158	1,380	733	450	1,896	212
	acres, 2012	5,140,660	(D)	(D)	307,390	39,927	17,486	60,254	120,920
	2007	6,195,951	308,474	(D)	(D)	61,312	16,285	67,185	117,666
Partnership .....	farms, 2012	2,685	72	24	141	94	22	117	33
	2007	2,932	106	23	137	96	23	107	37
	acres, 2012	2,733,462	243,542	72,805	192,392	7,602	228	8,191	106,327
	2007	2,770,407	290,385	(D)	197,172	8,180	1,293	6,668	133,167
Corporation:									
Family-held .....	farms, 2012	3,157	189	9	65	116	32	71	27
	2007	2,969	180	7	81	117	22	70	26
	acres, 2012	3,466,028	485,522	32,205	96,661	23,276	3,190	2,966	64,867
	2007	3,177,316	460,731	32,344	87,476	13,657	2,791	3,022	60,414
Other than family held .....	farms, 2012	306	9	-	20	18	3	9	3
	2007	297	6	1	24	18	2	3	3
	acres, 2012	324,534	5,652	-	(D)	3,842	240	917	1,261
	2007	292,992	13,997	(D)	(D)	9,467	(D)	(D)	1,440
Other - cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. ....									
	farms, 2012	934	23	6	22	21	26	54	10
	2007	539	16	3	8	15	15	25	5
	acres, 2012	3,083,423	(D)	(D)	(D)	1,173	2,496	2,430	4,037
	2007	2,536,123	24,900	3,800	2,191	1,267	(D)	(D)	620

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

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Item	Cowlitz	Douglas	Ferry	Franklin	Garfield	Grant	Grays Harbor	Island	
<b>PRINCIPAL OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS - Con.</b>									
Days worked off farm:									
None .....	2012	239	367	111	416	122	829	222	151
	2007	154	418	84	426	80	790	203	175
Any .....	2012	253	482	144	467	89	723	335	226
	2007	327	537	148	465	159	1,068	425	283
1 to 49 days .....	2012	25	60	27	141	25	79	48	42
	2007	60	107	26	92	35	171	49	55
50 to 99 days .....	2012	15	28	18	23	5	42	14	19
	2007	28	35	21	30	13	72	48	21
100 to 199 days .....	2012	47	65	14	44	10	84	57	41
	2007	66	93	20	67	39	186	86	37
200 days or more .....	2012	166	329	85	259	49	518	216	124
	2007	173	302	81	276	72	639	242	170
Years on present farm:									
2 years or less .....	2012	16	22	4	44	5	52	21	18
	2007	13	24	2	40	9	68	37	19
3 or 4 years .....	2012	36	51	16	47	10	76	30	32
	2007	23	52	17	42	21	104	29	53
5 to 9 years .....	2012	57	132	45	94	24	212	97	86
	2007	77	143	29	115	54	336	144	115
10 years or more .....	2012	383	644	190	698	172	1,212	409	241
	2007	368	736	184	694	155	1,350	418	271
Average years on present farm .....	2012	23.7	23.2	20.5	21.2	25.8	22.6	21.7	17.6
	2007	23.1	23.6	20.3	21.2	19.0	20.5	20.3	16.8
Years operating any farm (see text):									
2 years or less .....	2012	16	15	4	24	2	32	21	15
	2007	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
3 or 4 years .....	2012	35	36	15	37	8	53	24	25
	2007	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
5 to 9 years .....	2012	49	107	34	74	22	170	76	82
	2007	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
10 years or more .....	2012	392	691	202	748	179	1,297	436	255
	2007	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Average years on any farm .....	2012	24.6	25.9	22.5	24.3	28.9	25.4	23.7	19.8
	2007	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Age group:									
Under 25 years .....	2012	-	2	2	2	1	12	2	-
	2007	6	-	-	2	1	9	9	4
25 to 34 years .....	2012	24	23	11	49	8	79	15	17
	2007	23	38	5	66	13	125	16	7
35 to 44 years .....	2012	43	70	20	92	11	169	44	28
	2007	39	68	11	105	20	209	66	32
45 to 54 years .....	2012	104	155	51	252	33	360	107	79
	2007	104	241	49	256	53	553	153	117
55 to 59 years .....	2012	51	198	34	179	27	253	72	54
	2007	77	166	64	177	42	287	106	89
60 to 64 years .....	2012	81	141	65	138	33	230	102	77
	2007	63	119	14	95	42	224	82	81
65 to 69 years .....	2012	98	89	24	75	40	147	84	52
	2007	64	105	35	75	21	212	89	53
70 years and over .....	2012	91	171	48	96	58	302	131	70
	2007	105	218	54	115	47	239	107	75
Average age .....	2012	59.5	59.3	59.1	55.5	61.8	57.3	60.4	59.0
	2007	58.6	59.8	60.3	55.0	58.8	55.2	57.8	58.6
<b>INTERNET ACCESS (SEE TEXT)</b>									
Internet access .....	2012	404	697	189	788	149	1,289	435	319
	2007	317	615	141	667	138	1,322	450	343
Dial-up service .....	farms, 2012	29	48	22	33	8	77	56	10
Dial-up service .....	farms, 2012	174	110	19	146	53	164	227	177
Cable modem service .....	farms, 2012	53	150	33	95	9	79	122	75
Fiber-optic service .....	farms, 2012	12	149	2	11	2	208	3	8
Mobile broadband plan for computer or cell phone .....	farms, 2012	29	59	17	281	4	249	35	35
Satellite service .....	farms, 2012	115	188	86	241	74	531	40	23
Broadband over Power Lines (BPL) .....	farms, 2012	4	13	5	6	1	16	8	7
Other Internet service .....	farms, 2012	15	23	14	50	4	94	7	7
<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	475	769	249	818	200	1,433	535	363
	acres, 2012	37,829	706,057	95,331	575,243	290,765	833,769	51,772	14,604
Limited Liability Corporation .....	farms, 2012	23	86	10	104	13	195	49	34
	acres, 2012	3,583	57,727	7,980	70,892	25,758	102,468	17,798	3,367
<b>OPERATION'S LEGAL STATUS FOR TAX PURPOSES (SEE TEXT)</b>									
Family or individual .....	farms, 2012	429	538	219	607	152	972	483	308
	2007	430	688	196	636	173	1,368	542	387
	acres, 2012	29,652	301,945	(D)	270,048	170,005	313,920	(D)	9,745
	2007	23,814	448,654	(D)	270,487	(D)	508,075	(D)	11,795
Partnership .....	farms, 2012	27	101	15	89	32	202	18	39
	2007	30	99	24	88	30	178	48	34
	acres, 2012	5,232	224,717	9,812	64,392	71,237	235,287	4,427	3,296
	2007	5,178	212,421	(D)	132,241	(D)	220,631	12,039	3,052
Corporation:									
Family-held .....	farms, 2012	18	174	12	164	15	312	20	18
	2007	12	113	9	144	26	265	27	32
	acres, 2012	2,597	228,689	(D)	279,962	63,360	376,042	7,380	1,626
	2007	1,503	183,199	10,338	172,123	88,908	315,112	8,410	2,584
Other than family held .....	farms, 2012	-	12	-	7	1	33	3	-
	2007	-	19	-	13	-	22	1	-
	acres, 2012	-	20,413	-	2,439	(D)	19,970	(D)	(D)
	2007	-	20,487	-	29,454	-	23,931	(D)	-
Other - cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. ....									
	farms, 2012	18	24	9	16	11	33	33	6
	2007	9	36	3	10	10	25	10	5
	acres, 2012	1,528	38,345	(D)	8,206	(D)	18,565	(D)	(D)
	2007	207	18,333	(D)	4,741	2,370	20,203	(D)	268

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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	Jefferson	King	Kitsap	Kittitas	Klickitat	Lewis	Lincoln	Mason
<b>PRINCIPAL OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS - Con.</b>								
Days worked off farm:								
None .....2012	102	612	296	343	360	601	411	157
.....2007	73	516	240	353	326	556	330	127
Any .....2012	119	1,225	410	663	400	1,046	486	220
.....2007	138	1,274	424	685	567	1,161	468	344
1 to 49 days .....2012	17	208	39	64	57	282	74	33
.....2007	21	183	57	128	75	196	88	55
50 to 99 days .....2012	17	99	34	36	30	59	28	16
.....2007	9	118	31	50	40	99	43	36
100 to 199 days .....2012	16	157	38	71	82	145	43	39
.....2007	40	170	85	102	93	194	71	60
200 days or more .....2012	69	761	299	492	231	560	341	132
.....2007	68	803	251	405	359	672	266	193
Years on present farm:								
2 years or less .....2012	9	60	40	46	28	43	22	14
.....2007	2	95	8	68	50	74	24	18
3 or 4 years .....2012	11	109	48	57	36	85	40	17
.....2007	17	198	56	101	106	165	45	40
5 to 9 years .....2012	55	448	155	205	132	325	109	70
.....2007	39	416	171	246	205	327	142	88
10 years or more .....2012	146	1,220	463	698	564	1,194	726	276
.....2007	153	1,081	429	623	532	1,151	587	325
Average years on present farm .....2012	19.1	17.7	17.4	20.6	20.9	20.0	23.5	18.2
.....2007	19.5	16.9	17.4	16.8	17.2	19.2	21.4	18.1
Years operating any farm (see text):								
2 years or less .....2012	7	48	32	32	19	33	15	5
.....2007	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
3 or 4 years .....2012	5	92	44	46	27	61	30	15
.....2007	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
5 to 9 years .....2012	44	390	132	182	116	285	97	60
.....2007	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
10 years or more .....2012	165	1,307	498	746	598	1,268	755	297
.....2007	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Average years on any farm .....2012	22.6	19.3	19.3	22.7	23.5	26.2	26.2	20.0
.....2007	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Age group:								
Under 25 years .....2012	-	68	4	-	-	5	5	4
.....2007	3	3	11	4	9	5	-	-
25 to 34 years .....2012	13	75	36	46	32	35	34	25
.....2007	6	43	22	57	20	55	39	12
35 to 44 years .....2012	12	173	83	76	61	146	97	24
.....2007	15	270	64	106	60	197	66	61
45 to 54 years .....2012	56	459	187	219	110	320	168	61
.....2007	36	537	187	264	249	431	270	143
55 to 59 years .....2012	25	220	99	145	94	222	208	52
.....2007	38	308	117	183	151	268	134	86
60 to 64 years .....2012	31	252	94	158	163	355	134	67
.....2007	30	216	85	150	143	268	123	49
65 to 69 years .....2012	35	252	91	149	123	213	120	80
.....2007	42	169	86	114	127	207	66	46
70 years and over .....2012	49	338	112	213	177	351	131	64
.....2007	41	244	92	160	134	286	100	74
Average age .....2012	59.5	57.1	56.6	59.4	60.7	60.1	57.8	58.9
.....2007	60.1	55.7	56.4	56.5	58.0	57.7	56.1	56.8
<b>INTERNET ACCESS (SEE TEXT)</b>								
Internet access .....2012	191	1,587	656	826	579	1,325	751	300
.....2007	151	1,400	541	717	560	1,216	530	325
Dial-up service .....farms, 2012	15	156	56	42	56	139	72	77
.....farms, 2012	115	464	331	531	236	788	266	101
Cable modem service .....farms, 2012	23	485	204	66	52	96	61	54
.....farms, 2012	3	27	7	18	11	102	8	10
Mobile broadband plan for computer or cell phone .....farms, 2012	14	361	68	111	77	112	92	55
.....farms, 2012	37	181	43	76	185	276	221	23
Satellite service .....farms, 2012	6	65	26	13	4	20	42	21
.....farms, 2012	2	23	8	42	15	16	55	3
Other Internet service .....farms, 2012								
<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	206	1,759	690	987	727	1,578	858	348
.....acres, 2012	13,790	42,481	9,374	150,644	491,925	125,188	1,048,901	17,366
Limited Liability Corporation .....farms, 2012	15	181	35	52	62	67	46	36
.....acres, 2012	563	6,466	935	16,157	93,892	9,804	37,629	3,447
<b>OPERATION'S LEGAL STATUS FOR TAX PURPOSES (SEE TEXT)</b>								
Family or individual .....farms, 2012	174	1,532	628	883	645	1,441	528	301
.....2007	184	1,527	584	928	759	1,542	470	414
.....acres, 2012	11,857	32,420	8,187	92,053	353,076	94,967	341,089	10,938
.....2007	10,505	36,327	(D)	124,975	376,309	95,496	399,563	16,685
Partnership .....farms, 2012	18	126	30	47	38	74	90	15
.....2007	12	101	40	42	57	100	90	20
.....acres, 2012	610	5,762	867	64,493	44,080	16,820	207,932	4,076
.....2007	572	4,210	2,335	39,228	64,740	20,247	175,897	2,034
Corporation:								
Family-held .....farms, 2012	9	117	38	56	58	73	248	29
.....2007	9	129	35	49	58	57	203	19
.....acres, 2012	1,222	5,482	646	19,835	133,691	17,493	524,582	7,356
.....2007	1,083	6,094	824	19,655	143,402	14,298	486,528	5,295
Other than family held .....farms, 2012	8	19	-	6	2	3	7	5
.....2007	-	20	1	8	4	2	8	4
.....acres, 2012	1,296	1,104	-	3,659	(D)	(D)	27,248	(D)
.....2007	-	2,354	(D)	4,708	(D)	(D)	17,456	(D)
Other - cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. ....farms, 2012								
.....farms, 2012	12	43	10	14	17	56	24	27
.....2007	6	13	4	11	15	16	27	14
.....acres, 2012	571	1,949	370	3,084	(D)	(D)	14,089	(D)
.....2007	557	300	(D)	2,521	(D)	(D)	10,734	(D)

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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	Okanogan	Pacific	Pend Oreille	Pierce	San Juan	Skagit	Skamania	Snohomish
<b>PRINCIPAL OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS - Con.</b>								
Days worked off farm:								
None .....	2012 615	134	106	594	105	403	51	484
	2007 602	127	104	491	110	398	28	544
Any .....	2012 834	196	182	884	169	671	93	954
	2007 1,060	263	212	957	181	817	95	1,126
1 to 49 days .....	2012 113	31	25	126	32	100	11	108
	2007 177	42	21	119	42	149	17	187
50 to 99 days .....	2012 75	13	8	42	13	88	9	71
	2007 86	18	6	62	17	72	5	87
100 to 199 days .....	2012 189	27	32	158	33	81	16	98
	2007 189	48	42	150	11	103	26	177
200 days or more .....	2012 457	125	117	558	91	402	57	677
	2007 608	155	143	626	111	493	47	675
Years on present farm:								
2 years or less .....	2012 43	5	11	59	2	41	5	101
	2007 55	25	19	69	12	37	13	57
3 or 4 years .....	2012 88	17	17	101	29	48	14	80
	2007 106	18	36	113	28	85	11	126
5 to 9 years .....	2012 355	60	52	246	55	196	32	229
	2007 279	50	53	268	46	261	45	330
10 years or more .....	2012 963	248	208	1,072	188	789	93	1,028
	2007 1,222	297	208	998	205	832	54	1,157
Average years on present farm .....	2012 20.0	22.3	21.7	21.9	18.2	20.7	17.7	19.8
	2007 19.6	21.5	19.1	18.5	19.3	19.6	14.2	19.1
Years operating any farm (see text):								
2 years or less .....	2012 29	4	11	52	-	25	3	87
	2007 (NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
3 or 4 years .....	2012 54	12	11	82	24	53	11	77
	2007 (NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
5 to 9 years .....	2012 256	50	51	213	38	170	33	199
	2007 (NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
10 years or more .....	2012 1,110	264	215	1,131	212	826	97	1,075
	2007 (NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Average years on any farm .....	2012 23.3	23.9	24.1	23.4	21.5	22.9	19.0	21.3
	2007 (NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Age group:								
Under 25 years .....	2012 1	-	1	11	-	7	-	2
	2007 3	-	6	3	2	-	-	2
25 to 34 years .....	2012 64	13	12	57	2	49	5	57
	2007 51	17	11	22	4	41	6	36
35 to 44 years .....	2012 128	32	30	116	16	112	26	113
	2007 192	56	37	174	16	137	31	199
45 to 54 years .....	2012 301	51	41	365	69	221	37	330
	2007 447	90	75	433	61	376	31	535
55 to 59 years .....	2012 233	62	51	227	65	141	18	303
	2007 273	52	47	219	56	190	17	261
60 to 64 years .....	2012 257	57	56	188	37	189	22	173
	2007 257	56	60	229	37	215	14	262
65 to 69 years .....	2012 172	45	45	221	33	152	12	228
	2007 177	51	23	113	21	85	18	129
70 years and over .....	2012 293	70	52	293	52	203	24	232
	2007 262	68	57	255	94	171	6	246
Average age .....	2012 58.8	59.1	59.9	59.8	60.0	58.4	55.9	58.5
	2007 57.1	57.4	57.4	57.6	61.8	56.4	53.1	56.7
<b>INTERNET ACCESS (SEE TEXT)</b>								
Internet access .....	2012 1,117	277	223	1,166	246	896	119	1,032
	2007 1,059	297	202	1,052	225	876	94	1,240
Dial-up service .....	farms, 2012 90	21	31	71	11	95	16	110
DSL service .....	farms, 2012 292	154	34	633	194	222	46	380
Cable modem service .....	farms, 2012 62	60	8	284	23	288	4	240
Fiber-optic service .....	farms, 2012 53	6	7	17	5	53	9	30
Mobile broadband plan for computer or cell phone .....	farms, 2012 124	14	57	94	17	180	24	185
Satellite service .....	farms, 2012 455	39	102	179	11	133	23	175
Broadband over Power Lines (BPL) .....	farms, 2012 39	5	2	53	2	44	3	46
Other Internet service .....	farms, 2012 56	-	12	12	3	24	6	39
<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 1,385	313	284	1,432	257	1,010	134	1,393
	acres, 2012 474,227	39,818	39,284	43,318	10,861	84,525	5,616	68,832
Limited Liability Corporation .....	farms, 2012 112	19	8	76	25	79	9	88
	acres, 2012 93,231	2,187	855	4,248	1,866	19,824	1,216	3,897
<b>OPERATION'S LEGAL STATUS FOR TAX PURPOSES (SEE TEXT)</b>								
Family or individual .....	farms, 2012 1,211	277	265	1,291	209	896	118	1,212
	2007 1,400	325	276	1,264	239	1,030	101	1,469
	acres, 2012 (D) 21,905	(D) 21,905	(D) 34,701	(D) 34,701	(D) 7,951	(D) 47,266	(D) 3,680	(D) 37,002
	2007 (D) 36,097	(D) 36,097	(D) 34,681	(D) 34,681	(D) 55,162	(D) 3,928	(D) 52,657	(D) 52,657
Partnership .....	farms, 2012 115	19	15	65	21	63	8	90
	2007 124	21	31	97	27	74	6	72
	acres, 2012 113,875	6,690	8,470	3,828	1,310	18,448	901	5,198
	2007 132,339	2,022	11,997	5,490	2,209	14,179	320	5,639
Corporation:								
Family-held .....	farms, 2012 90	22	6	60	28	69	10	88
	2007 97	28	6	58	23	78	10	98
	acres, 2012 126,962	19,258	1,446	4,272	3,776	32,424	1,081	(D) 15,534
	2007 149,942	20,748	1,209	5,513	3,270	33,420	409	15,534
Other than family held .....	farms, 2012 13	1	-	10	6	15	-	13
	2007 8	6	-	10	2	12	-	11
	acres, 2012 5,021	(D) 5,021	(D) 305	(D) 305	(D) 174	(D) 3,147	(D) 3,147	(D) 3,147
	2007 1,072	1,692	-	659	(D) 659	1,636	-	1,103
Other - cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. ....								
	farms, 2012 20	11	2	52	10	31	8	35
	2007 33	10	3	19	-	21	6	20
	acres, 2012 (D) 6,377	(D) 6,377	(D) 6,377	(D) 6,377	(D) 2,458	(D) 5,253	(D) 811	(D) 6,144
	2007 (D) 1,334	(D) 1,334	(D) 1,334	(D) 1,334	(D) 1,334	(D) 4,144	(D) 815	(D) 1,904

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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	Spokane	Stevens	Thurston	Wahkiakum	Walla Walla	Whatcom	Whitman	Yakima	
<b>PRINCIPAL OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS - Con.</b>									
Days worked off farm:									
None .....	839	485	402	53	363	670	645	1,198	
2012	852	441	391	46	369	409	565	1,173	
Any .....	1,662	663	934	56	580	1,032	550	1,945	
2012	1,650	817	897	73	560	1,074	682	2,367	
2007	205	80	163	5	75	127	83	288	
1 to 49 days .....	269	108	120	22	84	146	160	341	
2012	77	43	62	2	80	64	42	181	
2007	112	68	81	2	54	83	48	181	
50 to 99 days .....	316	127	143	12	74	249	86	277	
2012	221	156	116	16	70	171	87	309	
2007	1,064	413	566	37	351	592	339	1,199	
200	1,048	485	580	33	352	674	387	1,536	
Years on present farm:									
2 years or less .....	94	51	60	-	30	65	48	153	
2012	111	60	47	4	39	60	31	178	
2007	152	69	90	6	62	110	66	178	
3 or 4 years .....	223	95	114	1	64	127	96	219	
2012	475	186	217	23	182	292	146	468	
2007	476	195	286	27	188	252	139	541	
5 to 9 years .....	1,780	842	969	80	669	1,235	935	2,344	
2012	1,692	908	841	87	638	1,044	981	2,602	
2007	21.0	21.7	18.9	21.8	20.2	20.3	25.2	21.8	
Average years on present farm .....	19.8	20.1	18.4	21.7	20.4	20.2	24.5	20.6	
2007	Years operating any farm (see text):								
2 years or less .....	72	32	46	-	20	47	38	119	
2012	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	
2007	124	62	70	5	53	85	60	151	
3 or 4 years .....	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	
2012	412	160	192	19	153	255	120	402	
2007	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	
5 to 9 years .....	1,893	894	1,028	85	717	1,315	977	2,471	
2012	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	
2007	23.3	24.1	20.9	23.7	23.2	22.5	26.7	24.7	
Average years on any farm .....	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	
2007	Age group:								
Under 25 years .....	4	-	13	-	3	4	3	15	
2012	3	3	7	4	3	1	4	12	
2007	103	24	41	2	21	85	99	90	
25 to 34 years .....	69	35	58	3	44	89	91	150	
2012	214	114	119	4	99	190	113	364	
2007	335	105	135	10	105	200	128	433	
35 to 44 years .....	624	221	271	15	166	373	216	632	
2012	630	309	365	22	215	412	334	975	
2007	332	172	240	18	155	241	201	485	
55 to 59 years .....	406	232	204	19	160	253	180	563	
2012	364	173	227	28	140	307	149	498	
2007	331	185	163	21	140	202	150	474	
60 to 64 years .....	392	171	123	14	184	207	117	433	
2012	255	167	129	16	73	115	125	359	
2007	468	273	302	28	175	295	297	626	
70 years and over .....	473	222	227	24	189	211	235	574	
2012	58.6	60.1	58.9	62.2	60.0	57.4	58.7	58.7	
Average age .....	57.5	58.6	56.9	58.3	57.9	55.5	56.8	56.4	
2007	<b>INTERNET ACCESS (SEE TEXT)</b>								
Internet access .....	2,008	821	1,139	96	770	1,277	915	2,359	
2012	1,691	827	949	91	673	1,044	897	2,274	
2007	222	117	57	11	39	120	64	327	
Dial-up service .....	562	194	496	52	157	310	250	1,027	
DSL service .....	207	42	441	17	204	371	120	334	
Cable modem service .....	19	7	47	3	13	19	126	32	
Fiber-optic service .....	Mobile broadband plan for computer								
2012	541	160	127	8	112	272	158	372	
2007	523	318	80	10	228	253	274	365	
Satellite service .....	55	6	25	-	60	53	6	58	
Broadband over Power Lines (BPL) .....	96	49	5	-	58	29	48	66	
2012	<b>TYPE OF ORGANIZATION (SEE TEXT)</b>								
2007	Operation with over 50 percent ownership interest held								
by operator and/or persons related to operator by	blood/marriage/adoption .....								
2012	2,439	1,123	1,290	105	887	1,654	1,110	3,041	
2007	481,012	365,916	63,760	8,977	554,802	101,257	1,163,917	440,814	
Limited Liability Corporation .....	145	46	74	5	134	157	70	266	
2012	50,538	16,576	17,663	543	84,762	27,518	107,123	68,611	
2007	<b>OPERATION'S LEGAL STATUS FOR TAX PURPOSES (SEE TEXT)</b>								
Family or individual .....	2,153	1,033	1,173	100	694	1,428	774	2,659	
2012	2,194	1,117	1,115	108	709	1,229	844	2,996	
2007	284,687	(D)	47,929	(D)	227,072	63,300	446,551	(D)	
Partnership .....	367,101	(D)	50,945	9,310	297,482	62,400	520,220	(D)	
2012	122	46	48	5	131	99	137	237	
2007	148	73	68	8	109	115	159	278	
2012	74,193	128,380	3,807	1,020	247,482	21,443	402,029	102,261	
2007	125,262	62,655	9,207	1,741	202,200	17,730	361,331	118,223	
Corporation:	Family-held .....								
2012	157	42	68	1	92	136	231	187	
2007	131	49	73	-	90	114	215	209	
2012	168,725	36,740	10,866	(D)	142,530	20,121	396,144	94,632	
2007	129,273	15,951	11,120	-	172,667	21,159	377,373	99,937	
Other than family held .....	11	3	14	-	4	10	4	28	
2012	10	8	9	-	11	6	3	42	
2007	363	240	2,634	-	(D)	1,181	4,825	88,609	
2012	1,036	510	7,038	-	780	326	(D)	33,400	
2007	Other - cooperative, estate or trust,								
2012	58	24	33	3	22	29	49	32	
2007	19	11	23	3	10	19	26	15	
2012	9,438	(D)	11,402	130	(D)	9,786	25,561	(D)	
2007	3,657	(D)	2,307	974	9,221	969	(D)	(D)	