

**Table 1. County Summary Highlights: 2012**

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

Item	Maine	Androscoggin	Aroostook	Cumberland	Franklin
Farms ..... number	8,173	463	895	718	388
Land in farms ..... acres	1,454,104	59,446	350,911	62,701	49,442
Average size of farm ..... acres	178	128	392	87	127
Median size of farm ..... acres	67	44	155	28	61
Estimated market value of land and buildings:					
Average per farm ..... dollars	410,633	329,182	559,514	428,535	276,723
Average per acre ..... dollars	2,308	2,564	1,427	4,907	2,172
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ..... \$1,000					
Average per farm ..... dollars	570,168	33,778	140,800	44,460	18,538
	69,780	72,956	157,319	61,922	47,777
Farms by size:					
1 to 9 acres .....	1,239	141	28	208	61
10 to 49 acres .....	2,278	98	135	227	108
50 to 179 acres .....	2,794	118	327	195	157
180 to 499 acres .....	1,318	83	234	58	47
500 to 999 acres .....	332	15	73	26	10
1,000 acres or more .....	212	8	98	4	5
Total cropland ..... farms					
	5,864	353	775	473	223
Harvested cropland ..... acres					
	477,343	22,041	187,479	17,981	9,601
Irrigated land ..... farms					
	5,325	333	560	448	212
	400,960	18,919	146,957	16,286	8,573
Market value of agricultural products sold (see text) ..... \$1,000					
Average per farm ..... dollars	763,062	53,831	210,517	26,304	(D)
	93,364	116,266	235,215	36,634	(D)
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops ..... \$1,000					
Livestock, poultry, and their products ..... \$1,000	473,852	11,875	192,821	17,245	2,557
	289,210	41,956	17,697	9,059	(D)
Farms by value of sales:					
Less than \$2,500 .....	3,279	197	384	273	184
\$2,500 to \$4,999 .....	1,022	61	72	107	53
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	1,045	53	55	96	64
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	1,081	58	105	88	42
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	589	31	50	52	13
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	379	26	37	48	11
\$100,000 or more .....	778	37	192	54	21
Government payments ..... farms					
	1,332	72	385	58	69
	10,162	445	2,492	497	595
Total income from farm-related sources, gross before taxes and expenses (see text) ..... farms					
	2,722	118	345	242	148
	37,017	2,094	5,968	5,161	841
Total farm production expenses ..... \$1,000					
Average per farm ..... dollars	645,631	51,035	184,325	37,960	8,087
	78,996	110,227	205,950	52,868	20,842
Net cash farm income of operation (see text) ..... farms					
	8,173	463	895	718	388
Average per farm ..... dollars	164,610	5,336	34,652	-5,998	3,500
	20,141	11,524	38,718	-8,354	9,021
Principal operator by primary occupation:					
Farming ..... number	3,964	261	393	334	133
Other ..... number	4,209	202	502	384	255
Principal operator by days worked off farm:					
Any ..... number	5,113	233	531	482	291
200 days or more ..... number	3,068	134	310	345	183
Livestock and poultry:					
Cattle and calves inventory ..... farms					
	2,423	145	190	211	164
Beef cows ..... farms					
	86,256	5,769	9,049	3,698	3,592
	1,354	72	110	110	109
Milk cows ..... farms					
	10,505	576	1,597	993	743
	581	37	53	39	43
Cattle and calves sold ..... farms					
	32,117	1,999	745	828	1,260
	1,656	117	143	155	99
Hogs and pigs inventory ..... farms					
	35,311	2,282	9,126	1,404	979
	752	24	49	75	43
Hogs and pigs sold ..... farms					
	8,923	1,155	338	1,205	760
	699	26	41	72	52
Sheep and lambs inventory ..... farms					
	12,090	1,120	320	1,084	1,569
	759	29	63	87	43
Layers inventory (see text) ..... farms					
	11,925	306	797	2,428	574
	2,088	107	134	211	86
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold ..... farms					
	3,531,186	(D)	3,497	4,702	1,677
	417	26	36	48	13
	138,857	2,213	4,645	2,310	490
Selected crops harvested:					
Corn for grain ..... farms					
	68	2	7	1	2
	5,040	(D)	344	(D)	(D)
Corn for silage or greenchop ..... bushels					
	649,389	(D)	40,728	(D)	(D)
Wheat for grain, all ..... farms					
	151	11	8	5	3
	24,214	1,932	475	364	90
	371,184	31,646	5,864	5,712	1,295
Winter wheat for grain ..... farms					
	19	1	8	1	-
	2,393	(D)	2,310	(D)	-
	94,654	(D)	92,262	(D)	-
Spring wheat for grain ..... farms					
	19	1	8	1	-
	2,330	(D)	(D)	(D)	-
	93,406	(D)	(D)	(D)	-
Other crops ..... farms					
	8	-	1	-	-
	63	-	(D)	-	-
	1,248	-	(D)	-	-

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Item	Hancock	Kennebec	Knox	Lincoln	Oxford	Penobscot
Farms ..... number	404	604	314	344	551	677
Land in farms ..... acres	53,365	78,050	29,407	31,569	75,275	112,949
Average size of farm ..... acres	132	129	94	92	137	167
Median size of farm ..... acres	50	50	44	40	62	75
Estimated market value of land and buildings:						
Average per farm ..... dollars	444,959	370,354	355,739	320,217	347,442	336,186
Average per acre ..... dollars	3,369	2,866	3,798	3,489	2,543	2,015
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ..... \$1,000	20,746	42,275	11,265	14,795	26,714	42,865
Average per farm ..... dollars	51,606	69,992	35,875	43,010	48,482	63,316
Farms by size:						
1 to 9 acres .....	68	112	59	48	76	81
10 to 49 acres .....	134	174	110	135	169	169
50 to 179 acres .....	126	183	94	110	176	288
180 to 499 acres .....	56	107	46	46	95	87
500 to 999 acres .....	11	21	5	2	32	33
1,000 acres or more .....	9	7	-	3	3	19
Total cropland ..... farms	319	422	237	231	354	477
Harvested cropland ..... acres	11,989	32,770	7,510	7,413	15,694	35,578
Irrigated land ..... farms	307	398	227	203	313	451
Irrigated land ..... acres	9,050	29,447	6,569	6,288	13,661	32,162
Market value of agricultural products sold (see text) ..... \$1,000	(D)	49,833	(D)	10,162	19,219	50,155
Average per farm ..... dollars	(D)	82,505	(D)	29,540	34,880	74,084
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops ..... \$1,000	10,114	14,419	5,431	5,207	14,482	16,188
Livestock, poultry, and their products ..... \$1,000	(D)	35,414	(D)	4,955	4,737	33,967
Farms by value of sales:						
Less than \$2,500 .....	142	216	143	124	237	270
\$2,500 to \$4,999 .....	43	81	22	52	91	105
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	63	85	51	55	74	76
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	62	79	34	54	73	92
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	31	66	44	21	32	51
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	35	24	7	19	15	22
\$100,000 or more .....	28	53	13	19	29	61
Government payments ..... farms	60	74	46	27	69	90
Government payments ..... \$1,000	187	711	116	269	488	1,044
Total income from farm-related sources, gross before taxes and expenses (see text) ..... farms	128	216	83	102	183	226
Total income from farm-related sources, gross before taxes and expenses (see text) ..... \$1,000	5,357	2,187	687	415	1,886	2,833
Total farm production expenses ..... \$1,000	22,608	44,992	8,417	11,455	19,180	45,981
Average per farm ..... dollars	55,961	74,491	26,806	33,300	34,810	67,919
Net cash farm income of operation (see text) ..... farms	404	604	314	344	551	677
Net cash farm income of operation (see text) ..... \$1,000	-1,696	7,738	-433	-609	2,414	8,051
Average per farm ..... dollars	-4,199	12,811	-1,379	-1,769	4,380	11,892
Principal operator by primary occupation:						
Farming ..... number	210	276	172	176	247	350
Other ..... number	194	328	142	168	304	327
Principal operator by days worked off farm:						
Any ..... number	266	435	186	206	351	379
200 days or more ..... number	113	270	109	136	228	201
Livestock and poultry:						
Cattle and calves inventory ..... farms	68	207	91	103	221	178
Beef cows ..... number	516	14,463	1,522	1,892	2,981	13,714
Milk cows ..... farms	31	116	50	53	128	110
Cattle and calves sold ..... number	142	1,358	303	351	773	660
Hogs and pigs inventory ..... farms	24	43	16	22	22	59
Hogs and pigs sold ..... number	114	6,352	248	622	641	6,707
Sheep and lambs inventory ..... farms	49	146	57	83	146	139
Sheep and lambs sold ..... number	190	4,500	459	713	1,347	5,649
Layers inventory (see text) ..... farms	24	62	6	43	73	52
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold ..... number	206	929	27	592	642	685
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold ..... farms	41	42	1	51	74	64
Layers inventory (see text) ..... number	272	1,064	(D)	747	1,330	2,083
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold ..... farms	27	52	28	46	49	56
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold ..... number	258	323	541	912	870	778
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold ..... farms	88	165	108	114	130	171
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold ..... number	2,724	(D)	2,194	14,237	2,937	3,401
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold ..... farms	37	31	5	16	35	22
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold ..... number	5,701	6,240	1,169	3,058	5,317	21,599
Selected crops harvested:						
Corn for grain ..... farms	-	6	-	1	5	3
Corn for grain ..... acres	-	955	-	(D)	(D)	(D)
Corn for grain ..... bushels	-	112,467	-	(D)	(D)	(D)
Corn for silage or greenchop ..... farms	-	18	-	-	4	33
Corn for silage or greenchop ..... acres	-	3,877	-	-	435	8,015
Corn for silage or greenchop ..... tons	-	54,995	-	-	8,446	122,435
Wheat for grain, all ..... farms	-	1	-	6	-	1
Wheat for grain, all ..... acres	-	(D)	-	36	-	(D)
Wheat for grain, all ..... bushels	-	(D)	-	696	-	(D)
Winter wheat for grain ..... farms	-	1	-	6	-	1
Winter wheat for grain ..... acres	-	(D)	-	(D)	-	(D)
Winter wheat for grain ..... bushels	-	(D)	-	(D)	-	(D)
Spring wheat for grain ..... farms	-	-	-	6	-	1
Spring wheat for grain ..... acres	-	-	-	(D)	-	(D)
Spring wheat for grain ..... bushels	-	-	-	(D)	-	(D)

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Item	Piscataquis	Sagadahoc	Somerset	Waldo	Washington	York
Farms ..... number	203	229	579	633	392	779
Land in farms ..... acres	46,687	20,090	140,045	130,608	149,047	64,512
Average size of farm ..... acres	230	88	242	206	380	83
Median size of farm ..... acres	100	40	100	70	93	36
Estimated market value of land and buildings:						
Average per farm ..... dollars	394,503	331,556	512,425	384,874	594,517	403,257
Average per acre ..... dollars	1,715	3,779	2,119	1,865	1,564	4,869
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ..... \$1,000						
Average per farm ..... dollars	10,010	9,083	53,438	24,917	30,999	45,487
Average per acre ..... dollars	49,308	39,663	92,294	39,363	79,080	58,391
Farms by size:						
1 to 9 acres .....	3	41	34	59	49	171
10 to 49 acres .....	41	82	154	204	90	248
50 to 179 acres .....	97	81	207	220	160	255
180 to 499 acres .....	43	18	118	128	59	93
500 to 999 acres .....	14	5	39	15	23	8
1,000 acres or more .....	5	2	27	7	11	4
Total cropland ..... farms						
Harvested cropland ..... acres	151	145	371	471	330	532
Irrigated land ..... acres	12,387	5,169	30,190	24,840	35,706	20,995
Harvested cropland ..... farms	136	138	338	431	317	513
Irrigated land ..... acres	9,279	4,462	27,283	20,381	32,618	19,025
Irrigated land ..... farms						
Irrigated land ..... acres	20	41	60	118	75	152
Irrigated land ..... acres	160	188	196	241	12,079	1,272
Market value of agricultural products sold (see text) ..... \$1,000						
Average per farm ..... dollars	(D)	(D)	86,432	(D)	154,647	27,451
Average per acre ..... dollars	(D)	(D)	149,278	(D)	394,506	35,239
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops ..... \$1,000						
Livestock, poultry, and their products ..... \$1,000	(D)	6,858	55,384	(D)	(D)	(D)
Livestock, poultry, and their products ..... \$1,000	(D)	(D)	31,048	16,080	(D)	(D)
Farms by value of sales:						
Less than \$2,500 .....	83	103	179	289	125	330
\$2,500 to \$4,999 .....	25	43	65	84	35	83
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	36	14	76	76	53	118
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	25	32	75	68	84	110
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	7	10	43	41	39	58
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	8	14	30	34	19	30
\$100,000 or more .....	19	13	111	41	37	50
Government payments ..... farms						
Government payments ..... \$1,000	45	17	96	105	73	46
Government payments ..... \$1,000	405	139	1,053	837	526	358
Total income from farm-related sources, gross before taxes and expenses (see text) ..... farms						
Total income from farm-related sources, gross before taxes and expenses (see text) ..... \$1,000	82	77	200	199	120	253
Total income from farm-related sources, gross before taxes and expenses (see text) ..... \$1,000	759	261	2,700	1,033	1,573	3,260
Total farm production expenses ..... \$1,000						
Total farm production expenses ..... \$1,000	8,731	7,277	66,399	20,809	76,503	31,872
Total farm production expenses ..... \$1,000	43,008	31,779	114,678	32,874	195,161	40,914
Net cash farm income of operation (see text) ..... farms						
Net cash farm income of operation (see text) ..... \$1,000	203	229	579	633	392	779
Net cash farm income of operation (see text) ..... \$1,000	1,970	1,602	23,786	4,858	80,242	-802
Net cash farm income of operation (see text) ..... \$1,000	9,706	6,995	41,082	7,674	204,698	-1,030
Principal operator by primary occupation:						
Farming ..... number	104	112	291	308	176	421
Other ..... number	99	117	288	325	216	358
Principal operator by days worked off farm:						
Any ..... number	140	141	320	404	267	481
200 days or more ..... number	99	85	217	237	119	282
Livestock and poultry:						
Cattle and calves inventory ..... farms	64	56	220	222	61	222
Cattle and calves inventory ..... number	2,049	1,202	13,842	8,008	603	3,356
Beef cows ..... farms	43	31	108	124	36	123
Beef cows ..... number	203	417	1,030	591	161	607
Milk cows ..... farms	17	14	58	67	13	54
Milk cows ..... number	778	308	6,292	3,854	170	1,199
Cattle and calves sold ..... farms	39	29	154	139	40	121
Cattle and calves sold ..... number	928	378	3,661	2,314	201	1,180
Hogs and pigs inventory ..... farms	36	30	74	63	27	71
Hogs and pigs inventory ..... number	226	130	718	368	170	772
Hogs and pigs sold ..... farms	35	29	54	45	15	57
Hogs and pigs sold ..... number	250	346	736	319	(D)	699
Sheep and lambs inventory ..... farms	35	33	33	79	22	77
Sheep and lambs inventory ..... number	425	476	639	894	811	893
Layers inventory (see text) ..... farms	51	86	146	206	62	223
Layers inventory (see text) ..... number	717	1,406	2,693	3,750	1,350	3,999
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold ..... farms	10	14	22	40	18	44
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold ..... number	468	365	4,396	11,245	61,075	8,566
Selected crops harvested:						
Corn for grain ..... farms	1	2	12	4	4	18
Corn for grain ..... acres	(D)	(D)	864	(D)	4	235
Corn for grain ..... bushels	(D)	(D)	113,948	(D)	60	24,411
Corn for silage or greenchop ..... farms	7	4	22	25	-	11
Corn for silage or greenchop ..... acres	1,314	148	4,560	2,476	-	528
Corn for silage or greenchop ..... tons	15,073	2,164	68,649	45,787	-	9,118
Wheat for grain, all ..... farms	-	-	-	1	-	-
Wheat for grain, all ..... acres	-	-	-	(D)	-	-
Wheat for grain, all ..... bushels	-	-	-	(D)	-	-
Winter wheat for grain ..... farms	-	-	-	1	-	-
Winter wheat for grain ..... acres	-	-	-	(D)	-	-
Winter wheat for grain ..... bushels	-	-	-	(D)	-	-
Spring wheat for grain ..... farms	-	-	-	-	-	-
Spring wheat for grain ..... acres	-	-	-	-	-	-
Spring wheat for grain ..... bushels	-	-	-	-	-	-

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Selected crops harvested: - Con.						
Wheat for grain, all - Con.						
Durum wheat for grain ..... farms	-	-	-	-	-	
acres	-	-	-	-	-	
bushels	-	-	-	-	-	
Oats for grain ..... farms	154	-	123	-	2	
acres	28,725	-	28,298	-	(D)	
bushels	1,856,231	-	1,832,591	-	(D)	
Barley for grain ..... farms	58	2	44	-	1	
acres	15,324	(D)	15,096	-	(D)	
bushels	868,647	(D)	860,835	-	(D)	
Sorghum for grain ..... farms	1	-	-	-	-	
acres	(D)	-	-	-	-	
bushels	(D)	-	-	-	-	
Sorghum for silage or greenchop ..... farms	1	-	-	-	-	
acres	(D)	-	-	-	-	
tons	(D)	-	-	-	-	
Soybeans for beans ..... farms	30	2	17	-	1	
acres	2,128	(D)	1,856	-	(D)	
bushels	87,088	(D)	73,984	-	(D)	
Dry edible beans, excluding limas ..... farms	18	-	1	-	1	
acres	365	-	(D)	-	(D)	
cwt	5,387	-	(D)	-	(D)	
Cotton, all ..... farms	-	-	-	-	-	
acres	-	-	-	-	-	
bales	-	-	-	-	-	
Tobacco ..... farms	2	2	-	-	-	
acres	(D)	(D)	-	-	-	
pounds	(D)	(D)	-	-	-	
Forage - land used for all hay and all haylage, grass silage, and greenchop (see text) ..... farms	2,859	182	241	259	139	
acres	193,106	15,190	27,362	14,498	7,506	
tons, dry	424,176	31,890	54,079	29,566	16,967	
Rice ..... farms	-	-	-	-	-	
acres	-	-	-	-	-	
pounds	-	-	-	-	-	
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text) ..... farms	1,473	111	248	99	41	
acres	72,657	754	63,738	605	71	
Potatoes ..... farms	741	28	207	46	28	
acres	61,336	(D)	(D)	19	6	
Sweet potatoes ..... farms	16	1	-	3	-	
acres	4	(D)	-	1	-	
Land in orchards ..... farms	507	18	48	24	17	
acres	3,536	479	155	159	58	
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Selected crops harvested: - Con.						
Wheat for grain, all - Con.						
Durum wheat for grain ..... farms	-	-	-	-	-	-
acres	-	-	-	-	-	-
bushels	-	-	-	-	-	-
Oats for grain ..... farms	-	-	-	7	-	3
acres	-	-	-	42	-	10
bushels	-	-	-	2,174	-	465
Barley for grain ..... farms	-	-	-	6	-	2
acres	-	-	-	18	-	(D)
bushels	-	-	-	750	-	(D)
Sorghum for grain ..... farms	-	-	-	-	-	-
acres	-	-	-	-	-	-
bushels	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sorghum for silage or greenchop ..... farms	-	-	-	-	-	1
acres	-	-	-	-	-	(D)
tons	-	-	-	-	-	(D)
Soybeans for beans ..... farms	-	1	-	-	-	-
acres	-	(D)	-	-	-	-
bushels	-	(D)	-	-	-	-
Dry edible beans, excluding limas ..... farms	1	-	-	-	1	2
acres	(D)	-	-	-	(D)	(D)
cwt	(D)	-	-	-	(D)	(D)
Cotton, all ..... farms	-	-	-	-	-	-
acres	-	-	-	-	-	-
bales	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tobacco ..... farms	-	-	-	-	-	-
acres	-	-	-	-	-	-
pounds	-	-	-	-	-	-
Forage - land used for all hay and all haylage, grass silage, and greenchop (see text) ..... farms	83	248	109	127	198	243
acres	2,540	22,802	4,205	5,214	9,261	19,068
tons, dry	4,679	55,807	6,758	9,655	15,702	48,617
Rice ..... farms	-	-	-	-	-	-
acres	-	-	-	-	-	-
pounds	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text) ..... farms	97	92	62	54	59	127
acres	157	348	312	197	1,263	2,512
Potatoes ..... farms	44	32	17	29	22	49
acres	14	27	11	10	(D)	(D)
Sweet potatoes ..... farms	-	-	-	-	-	1
acres	-	-	-	-	-	(D)
Land in orchards ..... farms	35	43	17	19	29	40
acres	78	621	53	40	405	519

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**Table 1. County Summary Highlights: 2012 (continued)**

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

Item	Piscataquis	Sagadahoc	Somerset	Waldo	Washington	York
Selected crops harvested: - Con.						
Wheat for grain, all - Con.						
Durum wheat for grain .....farms	-	-	-	-	-	-
acres	-	-	-	-	-	-
bushels	-	-	-	-	-	-
Oats for grain .....farms	5	-	2	6	-	6
acres	287	-	(D)	25	-	6
bushels	16,019	-	(D)	1,048	-	300
Barley for grain .....farms	3	-	-	-	-	-
acres	103	-	-	-	-	-
bushels	3,000	-	-	-	-	-
Sorghum for grain .....farms	-	-	-	-	-	1
acres	-	-	-	-	-	(D)
bushels	-	-	-	-	-	(D)
Sorghum for silage or greenchop .....farms	-	-	-	-	-	-
acres	-	-	-	-	-	-
tons	-	-	-	-	-	-
Soybeans for beans .....farms	-	-	8	-	-	1
acres	-	-	(D)	-	-	(D)
bushels	-	-	(D)	-	-	(D)
Dry edible beans, excluding limas .....farms	-	-	8	1	2	1
acres	-	-	15	(D)	(D)	(D)
cwt	-	-	275	(D)	(D)	(D)
Cotton, all .....farms	-	-	-	-	-	-
acres	-	-	-	-	-	-
bales	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tobacco .....farms	-	-	-	-	-	-
acres	-	-	-	-	-	-
pounds	-	-	-	-	-	-
Forage - land used for all hay and all haylage, grass silage, and greenchop (see text) .....farms	94	75	259	227	91	284
acres	6,261	3,928	20,877	15,950	2,948	15,496
tons, dry	17,134	6,298	56,993	36,500	5,006	28,525
Rice .....farms	-	-	-	-	-	-
acres	-	-	-	-	-	-
pounds	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text) .....farms	32	33	67	137	71	143
acres	794	121	316	360	104	1,004
Potatoes .....farms	24	16	32	64	33	70
acres	(D)	9	39	33	16	57
Sweet potatoes .....farms	-	-	1	7	-	3
acres	-	-	(D)	2	-	(Z)
Land in orchards .....farms	14	7	32	83	16	65
acres	43	16	209	168	202	331