

Table A19 Age of Farm Operator: 1997 Central		Number of Operators			Average Age
		Under 35 Years	35-59 Years	60 and Over	
Central Virginia					
Amherst		13	203	190	58.5
Appomattox		29	185	139	55.6
Bedford		49	571	578	58.3
Campbell		25	307	289	58.2
	<i>Planning District #11</i>	116	1,266	1,196	57.9
West Piedmont					
Franklin		57	493	340	55.6
Henry		6	143	139	58.6
Pittsylvania		63	693	479	55.9
	<i>Planning District #12</i>	126	1,329	958	56.1
Southside					
Brunswick		4	149	141	59.3
Halifax		54	502	384	56.5
Mecklenburg		20	297	287	57.4
	<i>Planning District #13</i>	78	948	812	57.2
Piedmont					
Amelia		14	160	162	58.3
Buckingham		10	174	186	58.1
Charlotte		27	256	210	56.5
Cumberland		10	129	109	56.5
Lunenburg		11	176	152	57.8
Nottoway		17	149	151	58
Prince Edward		17	152	143	57.6
	<i>Planning District #14</i>	106	1,196	1,113	57.5
TOTAL FOR CENTRAL PLANNING DISTRICTS		426	4,739	4,079	57.2
VIRGINIA TOTAL OF ALL DISTRICTS		2,325	21,560	17,210	56.4

Table A19 Age of Farm Operator: 1997 Northeast		Number of Operators			Average Age
		Under 35 Years	35-59 Years	60 and Over	
Richmond Regional					
Charles City		1	34	24	54.8
Chesterfield		7	81	71	56.7
Goochland		8	110	111	59.3
Hanover		15	275	211	57
Henrico		8	75	71	58.1
New Kent		1	39	24	55.5
Powhatan		7	121	80	57.2
	<i>Planning District #15</i>	47	735	592	57.3
Northern Neck					
Lancaster		3	32	35	57.9
Northumberland		9	55	58	57.8
Richmond		7	74	58	55.7
Westmoreland		13	81	66	57
	<i>Planning District #17</i>	32	242	217	57
Middle Peninsula					
Essex		11	52	51	55.6
Gloucester		6	52	50	56.7
King and Queen		12	57	58	56.7
King William		5	73	45	56.3
Mathews		5	28	25	56.3
Middlesex		1	35	31	58.8
	<i>Planning District #18</i>	40	297	260	56.6
Peninsula					
James City		1	29	28	58.9
York		0	10	29	0
	<i>Planning District #21</i>	1	39	57	35.2
TOTAL FOR NORTHEAST PLANNING DISTRICTS		120	1,313	1,126	56.3
VIRGINIA TOTAL OF ALL DISTRICTS		2,325	21,560	17,210	56.4

Table A19 Age of Farm Operator: 1997 Northern		Number of Operators			Average Age
		Under 35 Years	35-59 Years	60 and Over	
Northern Virginia					
Arlington		0	1	0	0
Fairfax		0	71	50	58.4
Loudoun		37	606	389	55.7
Prince William		9	145	107	57.8
	<i>Planning District #8</i>	46	823	546	56.3
Rappahannock-Rapidan					
Culpeper		27	281	213	56.9
Fauquier		24	511	422	57.7
Madison		14	207	201	58.2
Orange		19	240	178	56.6
Rappahannock		12	162	161	58.6
	<i>Planning District #9</i>	96	1,401	1,175	57.6
Thomas Jefferson					
Albemarle		21	354	372	59.2
Fluvanna		16	125	115	57.6
Greene		7	90	101	59.4
Louisa		14	191	180	58.1
Nelson		22	193	142	56
	<i>Planning District #10</i>	80	953	910	58.2
Radco					
Caroline		11	96	72	55.9
King George		7	63	69	59.5
Spotsylvania		11	135	107	57.2
Stafford		9	78	71	58
	<i>Planning District #16</i>	38	372	319	57.5
TOTAL FOR NORTHERN PLANNING DISTRICTS		260	3,549	2,950	57.5
VIRGINIA TOTAL OF ALL DISTRICTS		2,325	21,560	17,210	56.4

Table A19 Age of Farm Operator: 1997 Northwest		Number of Operators			Average Age
		Under 35 Years	35-59 Years	60 and Over	
Fifth					
Alleghany		2	91	67	58
Botetourt		18	250	237	57.7
Craig		16	89	71	56.1
Roanoke		5	137	131	59.1
	<i>Planning District #5</i>	41	567	506	57.8
Central Shenandoah					
Augusta		88	815	596	55.7
Bath		4	56	69	59.7
Highland		13	145	125	56.8
Rockbridge		27	302	302	57.6
Rockingham		175	1,030	629	53.2
	<i>Planning District #6</i>	307	2,348	1,721	55.1
Lord Fairfax					
Clarke		13	186	126	55.9
Frederick		35	275	258	57.3
Page		29	295	217	56.2
Shenandoah		63	396	382	56.6
Warren		10	116	133	59.1
	<i>Planning District #7</i>	150	1,268	1,116	56.8
TOTAL FOR NORTHWEST PLANNING DISTRICTS		498	4,183	3,343	56
VIRGINIA TOTAL OF ALL DISTRICTS		2,325	21,560	17,210	56.4

Table A19 Age of Farm Operator: 1997 Southeast		Number of Operators			Average Age	
		Under 35 Years	35-59 Years	60 and Over		
Crater						
Dinwiddie		17	180	154	56.6	
Greensville		11	77	46	54.2	
Prince George		11	68	54	55.5	
Surry		10	61	44	53.9	
Sussex		10	80	44	54.1	
	<i>Planning District #19</i>		59	466	342	55.3
Southeastern Virginia						
Isle of Wight		24	101	65	52.8	
Southampton		29	165	83	51.6	
Chesapeake		9	129	63	53.9	
Suffolk		15	131	72	54	
Virginia Beach		10	78	59	54.1	
	<i>Planning District #20</i>		87	604	342	53.1
Accomack-Northampton						
Accomack		12	151	105	55.7	
Northampton		10	86	56	54.3	
	<i>Planning District #22</i>		22	237	161	55.2
TOTAL FOR SOUTHEAST PLANNING DISTRICTS			168	1,307	845	54.3
VIRGINIA TOTAL OF ALL DISTRICTS			2,325	21,560	17,210	56.4

Table A19 Age of Farm Operator: 1997 Southwest		Number of Operators			Average Age
		Under 35 Years	35-59 Years	60 and Over	
Lenowisco					
Lee		82	583	441	55.5
Scott		84	796	520	54.8
Wise		7	80	50	55.1
	<i>Planning District #1</i>	173	1,459	1,011	55.1
Cumberland Plateau					
Buchanan		2	50	18	51.8
Dickenson		5	65	32	53.5
Russell		99	547	380	53.7
Tazewell		36	260	192	55.6
	<i>Planning District #2</i>	142	922	622	54.2
Mount Rogers					
Bland		33	170	143	55.7
Carroll		84	468	361	55.3
Grayson		64	454	336	55.6
Smyth		63	428	283	55.1
Washington		119	901	724	56.2
Wythe		50	391	293	55.5
	<i>Planning District #3</i>	413	2,812	2,140	55.7
New River Valley					
Floyd		37	359	335	57.9
Giles		15	191	135	56.7
Montgomery		24	245	248	58
Pulaski		19	196	155	55.7
	<i>Planning District #4</i>	95	991	873	57.3
West Piedmont					
Patrick		30	285	221	56.5
	<i>Planning District #12</i>	30	285	221	56.5
TOTAL FOR SOUTHWEST PLANNING DISTRICTS		853	6,469	4,867	55.6
VIRGINIA TOTAL OF ALL DISTRICTS		2,325	21,560	17,210	56.4