

Table 69. New and Beginning Producers - Selected Farm Characteristics: 2017

[Data were collected for a maximum of four producers per farm. For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text.]

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| FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS | | | FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM (NAICS) - Con. | | |
| Farms | 10,842 | 9,207 | Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114) .. | 560 | 470 |
| Land in farms | 2,488,384 | 1,661,197 | Other crop farming (1119) | 2,134 | 1,832 |
| FARMS BY SIZE | | | Tobacco farming (11191) | - | - |
| 1 to 9 acres | 4,269 | 3,865 | Cotton farming (11192) | - | - |
| 10 to 49 acres | 3,674 | 3,190 | Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199) | 2,134 | 1,832 |
| 50 to 179 acres | 1,419 | 1,090 | Beef cattle ranching and farming (11211) | 2,418 | 2,079 |
| 180 to 499 acres | 638 | 482 | Cattle feedlots (11212) | 23 | 18 |
| 500 acres or more | 842 | 580 | Dairy cattle and milk production (11212) | 107 | 63 |
| OWNED AND RENTED LAND IN FARMS | | | Hog and pig farming (1122) | 248 | 230 |
| Owned land in farms | 9,907 | 8,391 | Poultry and egg production (1123) | 281 | 253 |
| acres | 1,122,756 | 778,431 | Sheep and goat farming (1124) | 847 | 751 |
| Rented or leased land in farms | 2,271 | 1,776 | Aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129) (see text) | 1,654 | 1,413 |
| acres | 1,365,628 | 882,766 | OTHER FARM CHARACTERISTICS | | |
| TENURE | | | Farms by- | | |
| Full owners | 8,571 | 7,431 | Type of organization (see text): | | |
| acres | 650,420 | 492,171 | Operation more than 50 percent owned by one producer's household and/or extended family (see text) | | |
| Part owners | 1,336 | 960 | Limited Liability Company | | |
| acres | 1,235,706 | 738,989 | 10,267 | | |
| Tenants | 935 | 816 | 1,501 | | |
| acres | 602,258 | 430,037 | Operation's legal status for tax purposes (see text): | | |
| MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS | | | Family or individual | | |
| Total | 10,842 | 9,207 | Partnership | | |
| \$1,000 | 2,706,231 | 1,823,355 | Corporation | | |
| Market value of agricultural products sold | 10,842 | 9,207 | Other - estate or trust, prison farm, grazing association, American Indian Reservation, etc. | | |
| \$1,000 | 2,672,702 | 1,798,836 | 299 | | |
| Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops | 5,109 | 4,234 | Number of producers (see text): | | |
| \$1,000 | 1,944,275 | 1,335,743 | 1 producer | | |
| Livestock, poultry, and their products | 4,738 | 4,060 | 2 producers | | |
| \$1,000 | 728,427 | 463,093 | 3 producers | | |
| Government payments | 1,328 | 1,038 | 4 producers | | |
| \$1,000 | 33,529 | 24,519 | 5 or more producers | | |
| FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS (SEE TEXT) | | | Number of male producers (see text): | | |
| Less than \$1,000 | 3,451 | 3,048 | 1 producer | | |
| \$1,000 to \$2,499 | 1,575 | 1,418 | 2 producers | | |
| \$2,500 to \$4,999 | 1,223 | 1,102 | 3 producers | | |
| \$5,000 to \$9,999 | 1,281 | 1,110 | 4 producers | | |
| \$10,000 to \$24,999 | 1,014 | 877 | 5 or more producers | | |
| \$25,000 to \$49,999 | 583 | 490 | Number of female producers (see text): | | |
| \$50,000 or more | 1,715 | 1,162 | 1 producer | | |
| COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION (CCC) LOANS AND FEDERAL FARM PROGRAM PAYMENTS | | | 2 producers | | |
| CCC loans (see text) | 15 | 7 | 3 producers | | |
| \$1,000 | 1,789 | 843 | 4 producers | | |
| Conservation Reserve, Wetlands Reserve, Farmable Wetlands, or Conservation Reserve Enhancement Programs payments | 734 | 582 | 5 or more producers | | |
| \$1,000 | 11,438 | 9,092 | Farms reporting- | | |
| Other Federal farm program payments | 1,098 | 844 | Internet access | | |
| \$1,000 | 22,091 | 15,427 | Dial-up | | |
| FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM (NAICS) | | | DSL | | |
| Oilseed and grain farming (1111) | 485 | 364 | Cable modem | | |
| Vegetable and melon farming (1112) | 666 | 590 | Fiber-optic | | |
| Fruit and tree nut farming (1113) | 1,419 | 1,144 | Mobile internet service for a cell phone or other device (see text) | | |
| | | | Satellite | | |
| | | | Don't know (see text) | | |
| | | | Other internet service | | |
| | | | Farms by number of households sharing in net income of operation: | | |
| | | | 1 household | | |
| | | | 2 households | | |
| | | | 3 households | | |
| | | | 4 households | | |
| | | | 5 or more households | | |