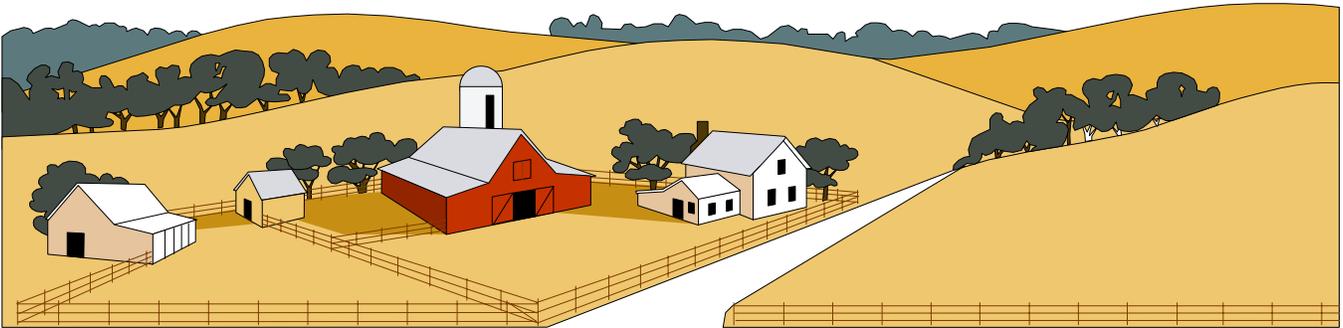


Number of Farms and Operations with Livestock, 1996-2006

Year	All Farms 1/	Land in Farms	Average Size of Farm	Operations with Cattle	Operations with Beef Cows	Operations with Milk Cows	Operations with Hogs
	Number	Thou Acres	Acres			Number	
1996	49,000	9,700	198	33,000	32,000	480	1,600
1997	49,000	9,600	196	30,000	28,000	450	1,100
1998	49,000	9,400	192	30,000	28,000	380	1,000
1999	48,000	9,200	192	28,000	27,000	340	800
2000	47,000	9,000	191	27,000	26,000	300	700
2001	46,000	8,900	193	26,000	24,000	250	600
2002	45,000	8,900	198	26,000	24,000	200	550
2003	45,000	8,900	198	26,000	24,000	200	500
2004	44,000	8,750	199	25,000	23,000	190	500
2005	43,500	8,600	198	25,000	23,000	190	500
2006	43,000	8,600	200	25,000	23,000	170	450

1/ A farm is defined as any establishment from which \$1,000 or more of agricultural products were sold or would normally be sold during the year.



ALABAMA FARMS

NO. FARMS (Thou)

ACRES (Mil)

