

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 number	18,796	15,947	Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114) ..	270	219
Land in farms acres	4,840,319	3,320,085	Other crop farming (1119)	4,278	3,859
FARMS BY SIZE			Tobacco farming (11191)	1	1
1 to 9 acres	3,231	3,012	Cotton farming (11192)	-	-
10 to 49 acres	5,479	4,892	Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199)	4,277	3,858
50 to 179 acres	5,049	4,361	Beef cattle ranching and farming (11211)	2,211	1,948
180 to 499 acres	2,605	2,108	Cattle feedlots (11212)	124	90
500 acres or more	2,432	1,574	Dairy cattle and milk production (11212)	138	80
OWNED AND RENTED LAND IN FARMS			Hog and pig farming (1122)	270	206
Owned land in farmsfarms	16,106	13,562	Poultry and egg production (1123)	264	252
.....acres	2,012,969	1,409,985	Sheep and goat farming (1124)	525	493
Rented or leased land in farms farm	6,709	5,314	Aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129) (see text)	1,142	948
.....acres	2,827,350	1,910,100	OTHER FARM CHARACTERISTICS		
TENURE			Farms by-		
Full ownersfarms	12,087	10,633	Type of organization (see text):		
.....acres	1,118,773	895,505	Operation more than 50 percent owned by one producer's household and/or extended family (see text)		
Part ownersfarms	4,019	2,929	17,452	14,844
.....acres	2,886,575	1,788,554	Limited Liability Company	923	774
Tenantsfarms	2,690	2,385	Operation's legal status for tax purposes (see text):		
.....acres	834,971	636,026	Family or individual	15,364	13,244
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS			Partnership	1,396	1,085
Totalfarms	18,796	15,947	Corporation	1,113	816
.....\$1,000	3,225,168	2,079,638	Other - estate or trust, prison farm, grazing association, American Indian Reservation, etc.	923	802
Market value of agricultural products soldfarms	18,796	15,947	Number of producers (see text):		
.....\$1,000	3,130,369	2,010,293	1 producer	7,060	7,060
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse cropsfarms	11,979	9,803	2 producers	7,860	6,552
.....\$1,000	2,494,410	1,614,104	3 producers	2,339	1,412
Livestock, poultry, and their productsfarms	5,475	4,425	4 producers	1,071	630
.....\$1,000	635,959	396,190	5 or more producers	466	293
Government paymentsfarms	10,690	8,747	Number of male producers (see text):		
.....\$1,000	94,800	69,345	1 producer	12,114	11,140
FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS (SEE TEXT)			2 producers	3,764	2,490
Less than \$1,000	2,338	2,168	3 producers	1,134	708
\$1,000 to \$2,499	2,172	1,970	4 producers	265	179
\$2,500 to \$4,999	2,161	1,952	5 or more producers	161	101
\$5,000 to \$9,999	2,200	1,983	Number of female producers (see text):		
\$10,000 to \$24,999	2,315	1,998	1 producer	8,590	7,010
\$25,000 to \$49,999	1,550	1,337	2 producers	1,165	784
\$50,000 or more	6,060	4,539	3 producers	223	133
COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION (CCC) LOANS AND FEDERAL FARM PROGRAM PAYMENTS			4 producers	56	42
CCC loans (see text)farms	197	140	5 or more producers	28	14
.....\$1,000	21,369	13,162	Farms reporting-		
Conservation Reserve, Wetlands Reserve, Farmable Wetlands, or Conservation Reserve Enhancement Programs paymentsfarms	5,293	4,389	Internet access	14,831	12,450
.....\$1,000	30,578	25,660	Dial-up	289	211
Other Federal farm program paymentsfarms	8,641	6,937	DSL	3,369	2,795
.....\$1,000	64,222	43,685	Cable modem	2,586	2,238
FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM (NAICS)			Fiber-optic	1,084	880
Oilseed and grain farming (1111)	8,949	7,289	Mobile internet service for a cell phone or other device (see text)	6,464	5,455
Vegetable and melon farming (1112)	389	344	Satellite	3,120	2,571
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113)	236	219	Don't know (see text)	1,248	1,025
			Other internet service	691	573
			Farms by number of households sharing in net income of operation:		
			1 household	13,586	11,910
			2 households	3,208	2,538
			3 households	1,152	864
			4 households	508	361
			5 or more households	342	274