

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	26,932	23,140	Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114) ..	348	307
Land in farms acres	5,007,919	3,699,529	Other crop farming (1119)	5,722	5,120
FARMS BY SIZE			Tobacco farming (11191)	-	-
1 to 9 acres	2,761	2,570	Cotton farming (11192)	31	27
10 to 49 acres	8,606	7,942	Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199)	5,691	5,093
50 to 179 acres	9,342	8,025	Beef cattle ranching and farming (11211)	11,479	9,719
180 to 499 acres	4,165	3,198	Cattle feedlots (11212)	145	106
500 acres or more	2,058	1,405	Dairy cattle and milk production (11212)	292	195
OWNED AND RENTED LAND IN FARMS			Hog and pig farming (1122)	467	404
Owned land in farmsfarms	24,774	21,183	Poultry and egg production (1123)	664	588
.....acres	3,124,339	2,294,018	Sheep and goat farming (1124)	1,302	1,211
Rented or leased land in farms farm	7,391	6,020	Aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129) (see text)	1,846	1,597
.....acres	1,883,580	1,405,511	OTHER FARM CHARACTERISTICS		
TENURE			Farms by-		
Full ownersfarms	19,541	17,120	Type of organization (see text):		
.....acres	2,120,729	1,644,158	Operation more than 50 percent owned by one producer's household and/or extended family (see text)		
Part ownersfarms	5,233	4,063	25,830	22,199
.....acres	2,392,074	1,629,914	Limited Liability Company	2,262	1,935
Tenantsfarms	2,158	1,957	Operation's legal status for tax purposes (see text):		
.....acres	495,116	425,457	Family or individual	23,650	20,427
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS			Partnership	1,536	1,264
Totalfarms	26,932	23,140	Corporation	1,031	839
.....\$1,000	1,952,171	1,354,948	Other - estate or trust, prison farm, grazing association, American Indian Reservation, etc.	715	610
Market value of agricultural products soldfarms	26,932	23,140	Number of producers (see text):		
.....\$1,000	1,900,153	1,315,877	1 producer	7,986	7,986
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse cropsfarms	11,674	9,741	2 producers	14,346	12,439
.....\$1,000	901,353	652,366	3 producers	2,636	1,557
Livestock, poultry, and their productsfarms	14,840	12,294	4 producers	1,445	843
.....\$1,000	998,800	663,511	5 or more producers	519	315
Government paymentsfarms	6,493	5,224	Number of male producers (see text):		
.....\$1,000	52,018	39,072	1 producer	19,613	17,950
FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS (SEE TEXT)			2 producers	4,178	2,634
Less than \$1,000	6,508	6,009	3 producers	996	593
\$1,000 to \$2,499	3,222	2,973	4 producers	253	166
\$2,500 to \$4,999	3,262	2,951	5 or more producers	87	47
\$5,000 to \$9,999	3,733	3,274	Number of female producers (see text):		
\$10,000 to \$24,999	3,835	3,139	1 producer	16,115	13,795
\$25,000 to \$49,999	2,417	1,899	2 producers	1,810	1,132
\$50,000 or more	3,955	2,895	3 producers	279	166
COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION (CCC) LOANS AND FEDERAL FARM PROGRAM PAYMENTS			4 producers	66	44
CCC loans (see text)farms	91	70	5 or more producers	26	17
.....\$1,000	10,639	7,178	Farms reporting-		
Conservation Reserve, Wetlands Reserve, Farmable Wetlands, or Conservation Reserve Enhancement Programs paymentsfarms	2,742	2,271	Internet access	20,360	17,444
.....\$1,000	17,751	13,855	Dial-up	508	423
Other Federal farm program paymentsfarms	5,387	4,261	DSL	5,280	4,531
.....\$1,000	34,267	25,217	Cable modem	2,517	2,177
FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM (NAICS)			Fiber-optic	2,137	1,808
Oilseed and grain farming (1111)	3,763	3,086	Mobile internet service for a cell phone or other device (see text)	8,838	7,616
Vegetable and melon farming (1112)	410	371	Satellite	4,354	3,608
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113)	494	436	Don't know (see text)	1,352	1,129
			Other internet service	679	584
			Farms by number of households sharing in net income of operation:		
			1 household	21,602	18,952
			2 households	3,754	3,034
			3 households	931	632
			4 households	381	303
			5 or more households	264	219