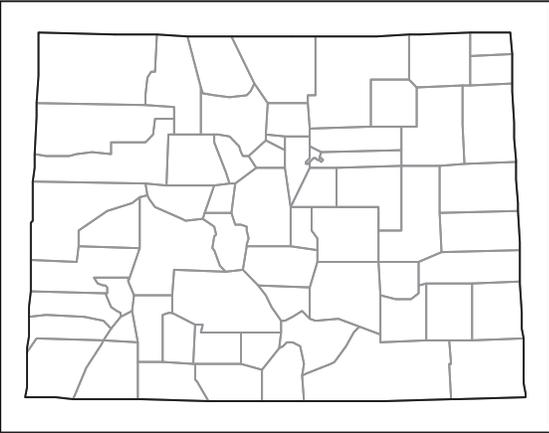


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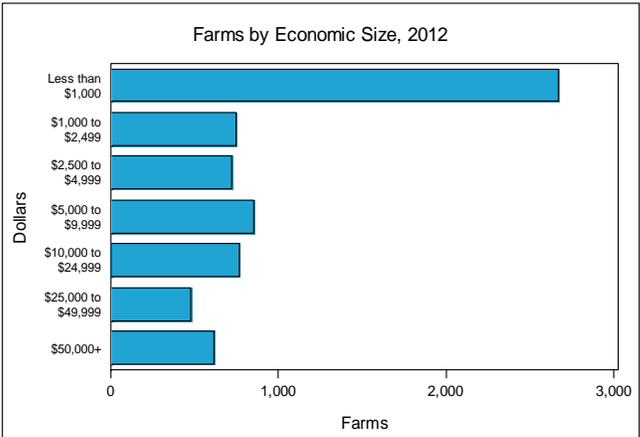
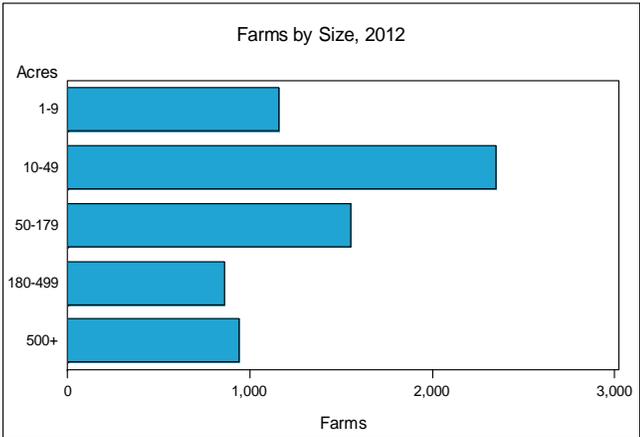


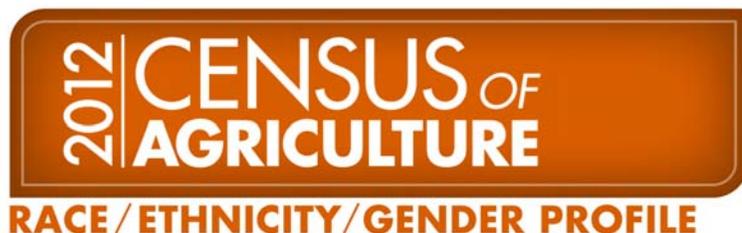
### Colorado Farms with Women Principal Operators Compared with All Farms

	Women Principal Operators	All Farms
<b>Number of Farms</b>	6,860	36,180
<b>Land in Farms</b>	2,773,515 acres	31,886,676 acres
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	404 acres	881 acres
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$284,764,000	\$7,780,874,000
Crop Sales	\$94,132,000	\$2,434,583,000
Livestock Sales	\$190,632,000	\$5,346,292,000
Average Per Farm	\$41,511	\$215,060
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$17,903,000	\$165,576,000
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$11,418	\$14,897

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#### Farms with Women Principal Operators





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## Colorado Farms with Women Principal Operators

### Selected Highlights

Item	Farms	Quantity
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)</b>		
Total value of agricultural products sold	6,860	284,764
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	1,580	94,132
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	2,950	190,632
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>		
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	318	39,734
Tobacco	-	-
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-
Vegetables, melons, potatoes and sweet potatoes	172	20,541
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	139	1,390
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	149	17,363
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	16	23
Other crops and hay	1,012	15,081
Poultry and eggs	708	858
Cattle and calves	1,395	113,028
Milk from cows	29	(D)
Hogs and pigs	223	431
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	573	3,338
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	825	(D)
Aquaculture	6	219
Other animals and other animal products	399	(D)
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>		
Winter wheat for grain	237	101,422
Forage, all	1,639	91,928
Corn for grain	108	31,612
Sorghum for grain	21	7,210
Corn for silage	48	6,088
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>		
Cattle and calves	1,900	127,259
Layers	1,218	31,780
Horses and ponies	3,263	27,652
Sheep and lambs	389	11,674
Goats, all	672	9,741

### Operator Characteristics

Item	Quantity
Primary occupation:	
Farming	3,170
Other	3,690
Days worked off farm:	
None	2,789
Any	4,071
Years on present farm:	
2 years or less	235
3 to 4 years	421
5 to 9 years	1,291
10 years or more	4,913
Age group:	
Under 35 years	248
35 to 44 years	541
45 to 64 years	3,706
65 years and over	2,365
Average age of principal operator (years)	59.9

### Economic Characteristics

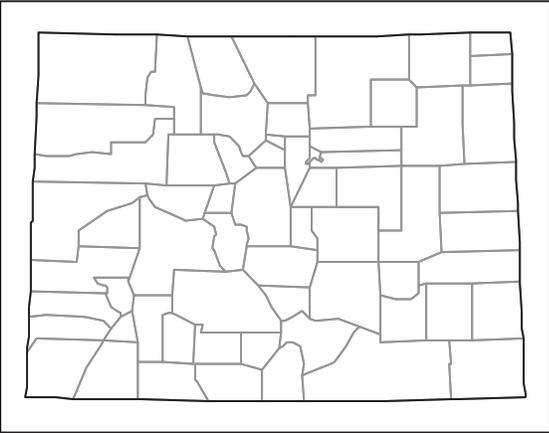
Item	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:	
Less than \$1,000	3,515
\$1,000 to \$2,499	647
\$2,500 to \$4,999	583
\$5,000 to \$9,999	592
\$10,000 to \$49,999	968
\$50,000 to \$99,999	250
\$100,000 to \$249,999	163
\$250,000 to \$499,999	80
\$500,000 or more	62
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	337,813
Average per farm (\$)	49,244
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	-4,091
Average per farm (\$)	-596
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (\$1,000)	2,275
Total organic product sales (\$1,000)	(D)
Total income from farm-related sources, gross before taxes and expenses (\$1,000)	31,055

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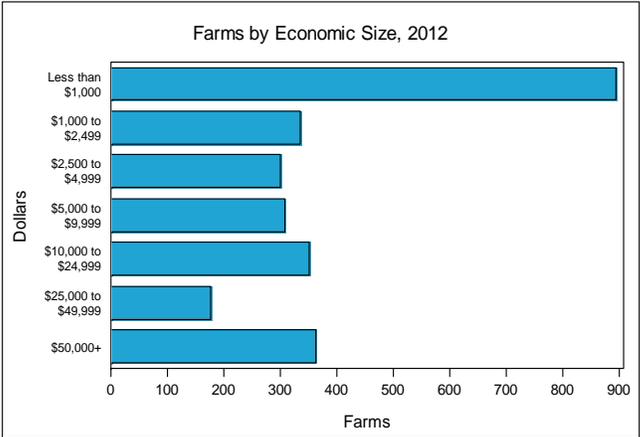
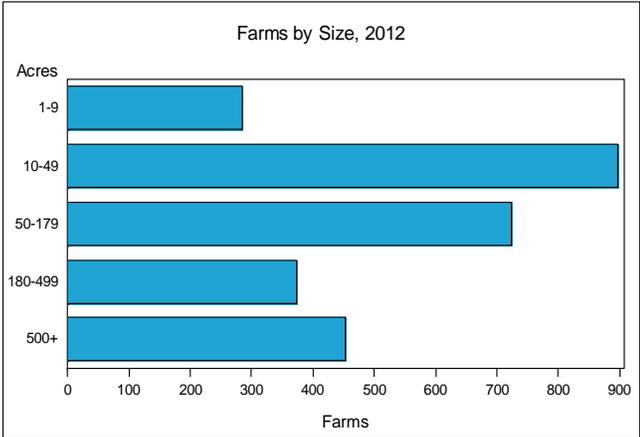


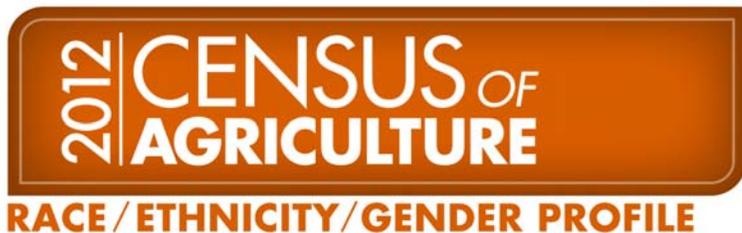
### Colorado Farms with Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Operators Compared with All Farms

	Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Operators	All Farms
<b>Number of Farm Operators</b> <sup>1</sup>	3,255	58,189
<b>Number of Farms</b>	2,733	36,180
<b>Land in Farms</b>	1,365,551 acres	31,886,676 acres
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	500 acres	881 acres
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$676,381,000	\$7,780,874,000
Crop Sales	\$91,943,000	\$2,434,583,000
Livestock Sales	\$584,437,000	\$5,346,292,000
Average Per Farm	\$247,486	\$215,060
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$4,711,000	\$165,576,000
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$7,723	\$14,897

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#### Farms with Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Operators





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### Colorado

### Farms with Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Operators

#### Selected Highlights

Item	Farms	Quantity
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)</b>		
Total value of agricultural products sold	2,733	676,381
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	996	91,943
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	1,278	584,437
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>		
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	173	28,567
Tobacco	-	-
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-
Vegetables, melons, potatoes and sweet potatoes	63	27,256
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	38	1,597
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	28	7,732
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	3	5
Other crops and hay	846	26,786
Poultry and eggs	173	(D)
Cattle and calves	933	(D)
Milk from cows	12	80,867
Hogs and pigs	94	(D)
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	220	(D)
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	208	2,646
Aquaculture	5	(D)
Other animals and other animal products	66	216
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>		
Forage, all	1,232	93,369
Winter wheat for grain	76	24,332
Corn for grain	80	15,165
Corn for silage	42	7,353
Vegetables harvested, all	67	7,171
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>		
Layers	346	(D)
Cattle and calves	1,256	199,416
Sheep and lambs	191	72,605
Pullets for laying flock replacement	52	(D)
Hogs and pigs	120	(D)

#### Operator Characteristics

Item	Quantity
Primary occupation:	
Farming	1,506
Other	1,749
Days worked off farm:	
None	1,007
Any	2,248
Years on present farm:	
2 years or less	135
3 to 4 years	217
5 to 9 years	616
10 years or more	2,287
Age group:	
Under 35 years	211
35 to 44 years	339
45 to 64 years	1,815
65 years and over	890
Average age (years)	56.7

#### Economic Characteristics

Item	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:	
Less than \$1,000	1,035
\$1,000 to \$2,499	297
\$2,500 to \$4,999	279
\$5,000 to \$9,999	282
\$10,000 to \$49,999	485
\$50,000 to \$99,999	147
\$100,000 to \$249,999	98
\$250,000 to \$499,999	49
\$500,000 or more	61
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	568,241
Average per farm (\$)	207,919
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	122,190
Average per farm (\$)	44,709
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (\$1,000)	1,168
Total organic product sales (\$1,000)	(D)
Total income from farm-related sources, gross before taxes and expenses (\$1,000)	9,339

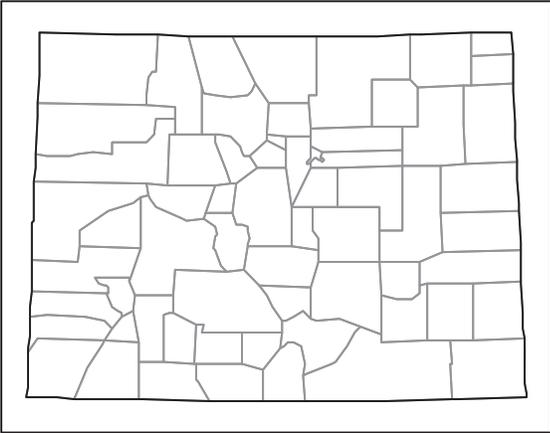
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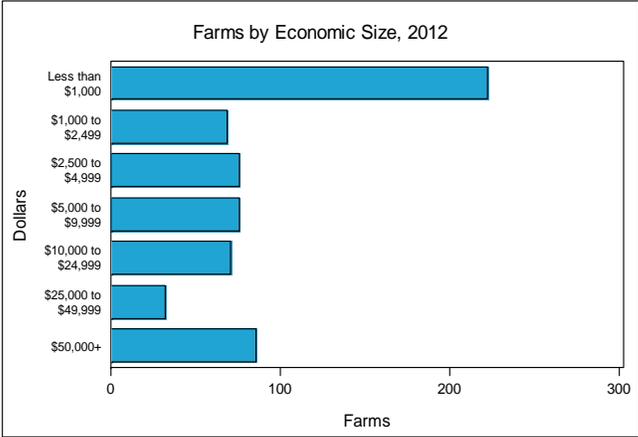
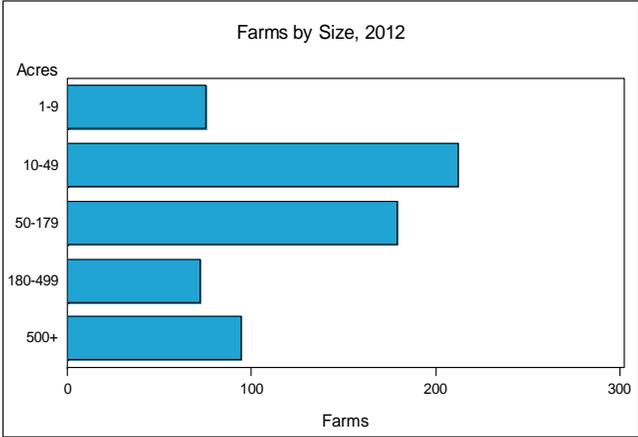


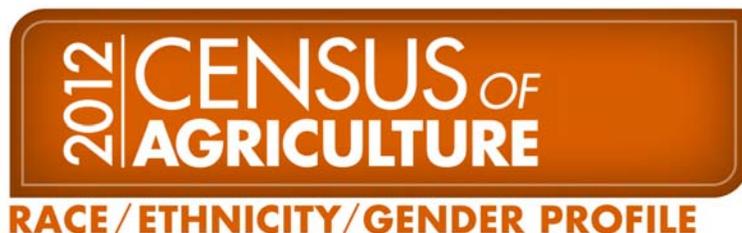
### Colorado Farms with American Indian or Alaska Native Operators Compared with All Farms

	American Indian or Alaska Native Operators <sup>2</sup>	All Farms
<b>Number of Farm Operators <sup>1</sup></b>	703	58,189
<b>Number of Farms</b>	632	36,180
<b>Land in Farms</b>	1,055,498 acres	31,886,676 acres
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	1,670 acres	881 acres
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$72,216,000	\$7,780,874,000
Crop Sales	\$23,896,000	\$2,434,583,000
Livestock Sales	\$48,320,000	\$5,346,292,000
Average Per Farm	\$114,266	\$215,060
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$1,993,000	\$165,576,000
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$16,072	\$14,897

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#### Farms with American Indian or Alaska Native Operators





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## Colorado Farms with American Indian or Alaska Native Operators

### Selected Highlights

Item	Farms	Quantity
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)</b>		
Total value of agricultural products sold	632	72,216
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	199	23,896
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	354	48,320
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>		
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	63	9,517
Tobacco	-	-
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-
Vegetables, melons, potatoes and sweet potatoes	8	(D)
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	16	540
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	15	(D)
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-
Other crops and hay	134	10,221
Poultry and eggs	81	46
Cattle and calves	193	(D)
Milk from cows	3	(D)
Hogs and pigs	37	71
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	58	(D)
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	78	858
Aquaculture	3	(Z)
Other animals and other animal products	40	171
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>		
Forage, all	218	23,365
Winter wheat for grain	37	21,088
Corn for grain	26	4,903
Corn for silage	16	4,092
Sunflower seed, all	4	(D)
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>		
Sheep and lambs	50	(D)
Cattle and calves	250	28,617
Layers	111	2,695
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	22	2,604
Horses and ponies	332	2,560

### Operator Characteristics

Item	Quantity
Primary occupation:	
Farming	321
Other	382
Days worked off farm:	
None	223
Any	480
Years on present farm:	
2 years or less	33
3 to 4 years	38
5 to 9 years	145
10 years or more	487
Age group:	
Under 35 years	35
35 to 44 years	102
45 to 64 years	426
65 years and over	140
Average age (years)	55.1

### Economic Characteristics

Item	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:	
Less than \$1,000	245
\$1,000 to \$2,499	71
\$2,500 to \$4,999	72
\$5,000 to \$9,999	67
\$10,000 to \$49,999	96
\$50,000 to \$99,999	28
\$100,000 to \$249,999	24
\$250,000 to \$499,999	15
\$500,000 or more	14
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	76,370
Average per farm (\$)	120,838
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	1,453
Average per farm (\$)	2,299
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (\$1,000)	392
Total organic product sales (\$1,000)	(D)
Total income from farm-related sources, gross before taxes and expenses (\$1,000)	3,614

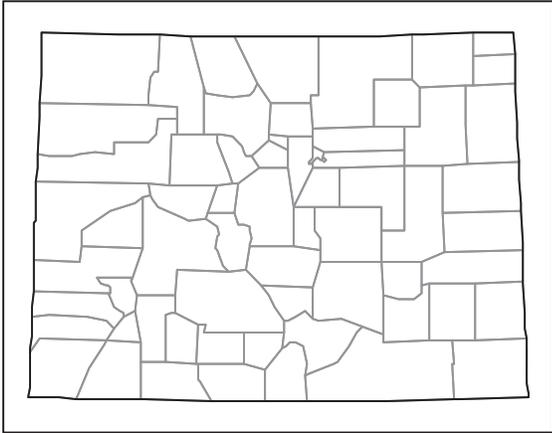
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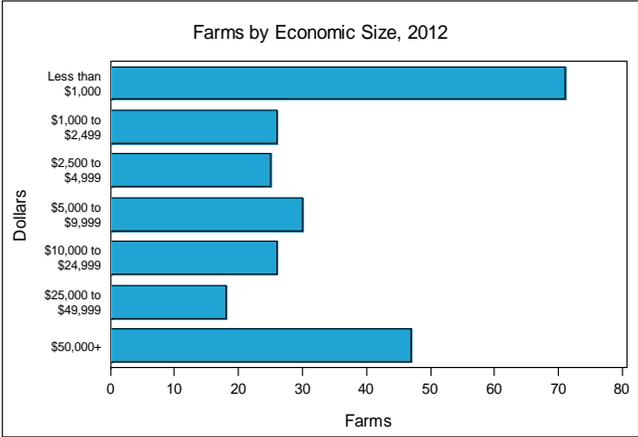
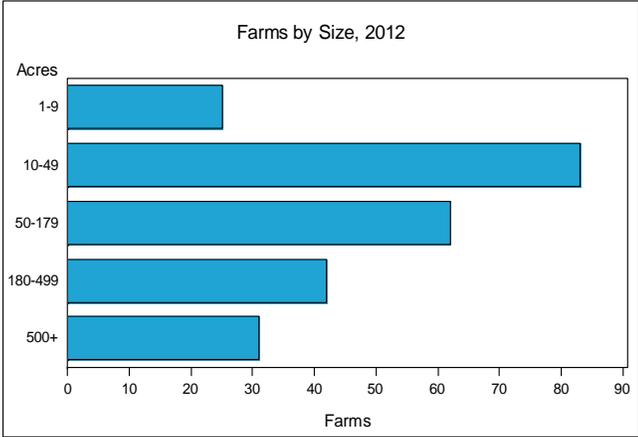


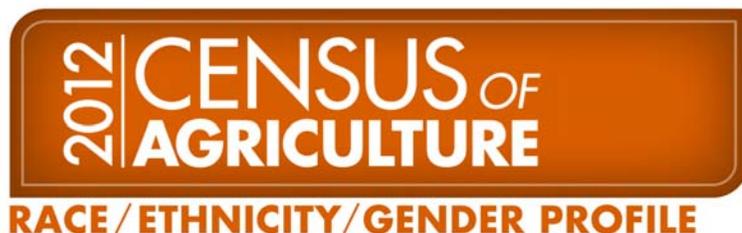
### Colorado Farms with Asian Operators Compared with All Farms

	Asian Operators <sup>2</sup>	All Farms
<b>Number of Farm Operators <sup>1</sup></b>	287	58,189
<b>Number of Farms</b>	243	36,180
<b>Land in Farms</b>	97,139 acres	31,886,676 acres
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	400 acres	881 acres
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$85,218,000	\$7,780,874,000
Crop Sales	\$79,820,000	\$2,434,583,000
Livestock Sales	\$5,398,000	\$5,346,292,000
Average Per Farm	\$350,693	\$215,060
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$696,000	\$165,576,000
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$9,533	\$14,897

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#### Farms with Asian Operators





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## Colorado Farms with Asian Operators

### Selected Highlights

Item	Farms	Quantity
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)</b>		
Total value of agricultural products sold	243	85,218
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	103	79,820
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	82	5,398
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>		
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	45	(D)
Tobacco	-	-
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-
Vegetables, melons, potatoes and sweet potatoes	24	(D)
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	8	89
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	12	(D)
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-
Other crops and hay	51	(D)
Poultry and eggs	22	(D)
Cattle and calves	43	(D)
Milk from cows	1	(D)
Hogs and pigs	9	7
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	11	11
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	16	42
Aquaculture	-	-
Other animals and other animal products	15	220
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>		
Winter wheat for grain	19	5,294
Forage, all	76	5,210
Vegetables harvested, all	26	4,438
Corn for grain	24	4,054
Barley for grain	4	(D)
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>		
Cattle and calves	49	3,927
Layers	35	923
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	10	736
Horses and ponies	68	471
Pullets for laying flock replacement	14	205

### Operator Characteristics

Item	Quantity
Primary occupation:	
Farming	123
Other	164
Days worked off farm:	
None	86
Any	201
Years on present farm:	
2 years or less	23
3 to 4 years	26
5 to 9 years	52
10 years or more	186
Age group:	
Under 35 years	26
35 to 44 years	41
45 to 64 years	148
65 years and over	72
Average age (years)	54.2

### Economic Characteristics

Item	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:	
Less than \$1,000	93
\$1,000 to \$2,499	22
\$2,500 to \$4,999	18
\$5,000 to \$9,999	25
\$10,000 to \$49,999	38
\$50,000 to \$99,999	15
\$100,000 to \$249,999	7
\$250,000 to \$499,999	5
\$500,000 or more	20
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	60,415
Average per farm (\$)	248,620
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	27,535
Average per farm (\$)	113,314
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (\$1,000)	(D)
Total organic product sales (\$1,000)	(D)
Total income from farm-related sources, gross before taxes and expenses (\$1,000)	2,036

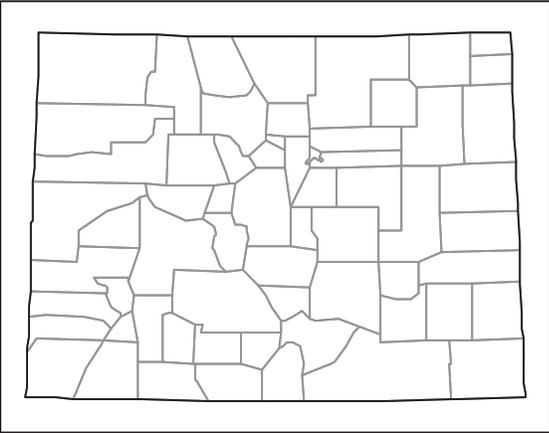
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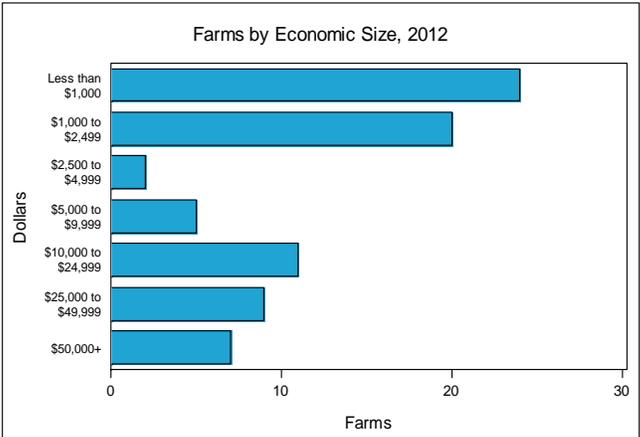
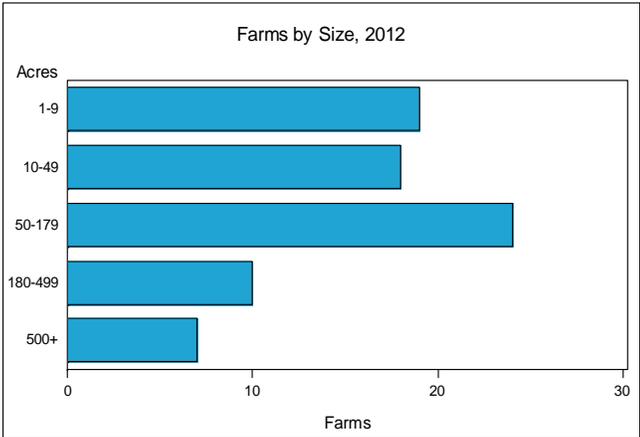


### Colorado Farms with Black or African American Operators Compared with All Farms

	Black or African American Operators <sup>2</sup>	All Farms
Number of Farm Operators <sup>1</sup>	90	58,189
Number of Farms	78	36,180
Land in Farms	21,810 acres	31,886,676 acres
Average Size of Farm	280 acres	881 acres
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>		
Crop Sales	\$2,095,000	\$7,780,874,000
Livestock Sales	\$1,665,000	\$2,434,583,000
Average Per Farm	\$431,000	\$5,346,292,000
<b>Government Payments</b>		
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$26,863	\$215,060
	\$135,000	\$165,576,000
	\$7,083	\$14,897

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#### Farms with Black or African American Operators



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### Colorado Farms with Black or African American Operators

#### Selected Highlights

Item	Farms	Quantity
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)</b>		
Total value of agricultural products sold	78	2,095
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	22	1,665
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	37	431
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>		
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	4	787
Tobacco	-	-
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-
Vegetables, melons, potatoes and sweet potatoes	10	594
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	4	27
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	5	65
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-
Other crops and hay	7	191
Poultry and eggs	5	1
Cattle and calves	19	319
Milk from cows	-	-
Hogs and pigs	3	4
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	11	30
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	4	7
Aquaculture	-	-
Other animals and other animal products	8	71
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>		
Winter wheat for grain	4	3,801
Sunflower seed, all	1	(D)
Sunflower seed, oil	1	(D)
Proso millet	1	(D)
Forage, all	9	(D)
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>		
Cattle and calves	25	414
Sheep and lambs	5	412
Alpacas	6	171
Goats, all	7	139
Layers	9	(D)

#### Operator Characteristics

Item	Quantity
Primary occupation:	
Farming	47
Other	43
Days worked off farm:	
None	36
Any	54
Years on present farm:	
2 years or less	2
3 to 4 years	2
5 to 9 years	28
10 years or more	58
Age group:	
Under 35 years	5
35 to 44 years	10
45 to 64 years	50
65 years and over	25
Average age (years)	57.1

#### Economic Characteristics

Item	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:	
Less than \$1,000	32
\$1,000 to \$2,499	15
\$2,500 to \$4,999	-
\$5,000 to \$9,999	5
\$10,000 to \$49,999	19
\$50,000 to \$99,999	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	3
\$250,000 to \$499,999	4
\$500,000 or more	-
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	2,025
Average per farm (\$)	25,961
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	497
Average per farm (\$)	6,368
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (\$1,000)	158
Total organic product sales (\$1,000)	-
Total income from farm-related sources, gross before taxes and expenses (\$1,000)	(D)

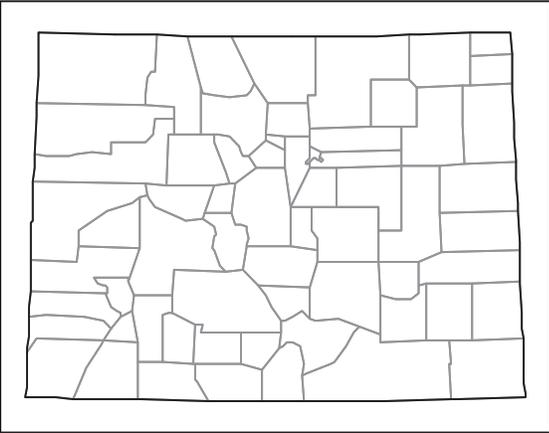
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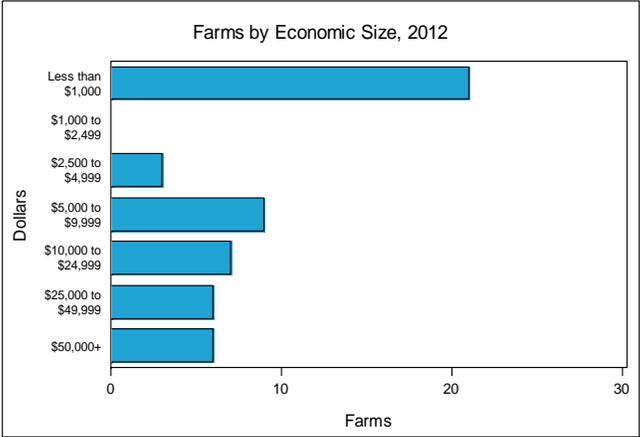
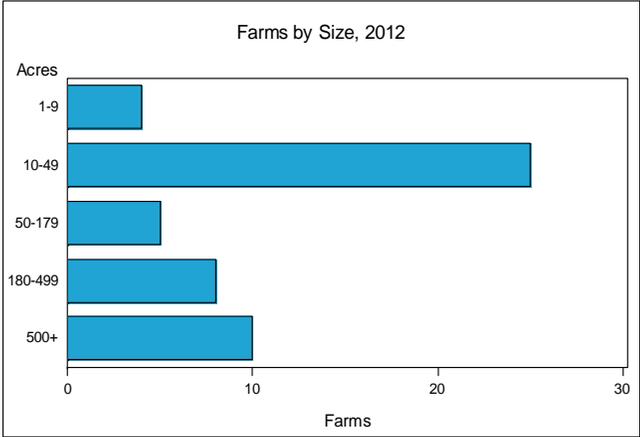


### Colorado Farms with Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander Operators Compared with All Farms

	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander Operators <sup>2</sup>	All Farms
<b>Number of Farm Operators <sup>1</sup></b>	63	58,189
<b>Number of Farms</b>	52	36,180
<b>Land in Farms</b>	37,740 acres	31,886,676 acres
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	726 acres	881 acres
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$4,175,000	\$7,780,874,000
Crop Sales	\$3,694,000	\$2,434,583,000
Livestock Sales	\$481,000	\$5,346,292,000
Average Per Farm	\$80,287	\$215,060
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$165,000	\$165,576,000
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$13,766	\$14,897

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#### Farms with Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander Operators



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### Colorado Farms with Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander Operators

#### Selected Highlights

Item	Farms	Quantity
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)</b>		
Total value of agricultural products sold	52	4,175
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	11	3,694
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	19	481
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>		
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	4	(D)
Tobacco	-	-
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-
Vegetables, melons, potatoes and sweet potatoes	3	(D)
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	-	-
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	2	(D)
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-
Other crops and hay	7	(D)
Poultry and eggs	1	(D)
Cattle and calves	19	(D)
Milk from cows	-	-
Hogs and pigs	-	-
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	-	-
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	7	34
Aquaculture	-	-
Other animals and other animal products	-	-
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>		
Forage, all	7	(D)
Vegetables harvested, all	3	(D)
Onions, dry	1	(D)
Corn for grain	2	(D)
Winter wheat for grain	3	237
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>		
Cattle and calves	19	1,411
Horses and ponies	36	340
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	4	(D)
Layers	2	(D)
Goats, all	5	44

#### Operator Characteristics

Item	Quantity
Primary occupation:	
Farming	30
Other	33
Days worked off farm:	
None	22
Any	41
Years on present farm:	
2 years or less	2
3 to 4 years	1
5 to 9 years	28
10 years or more	32
Age group:	
Under 35 years	16
35 to 44 years	7
45 to 64 years	31
65 years and over	9
Average age (years)	49.6

#### Economic Characteristics

Item	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:	
Less than \$1,000	27
\$1,000 to \$2,499	-
\$2,500 to \$4,999	2
\$5,000 to \$9,999	8
\$10,000 to \$49,999	9
\$50,000 to \$99,999	1
\$100,000 to \$249,999	3
\$250,000 to \$499,999	-
\$500,000 or more	2
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	2,261
Average per farm (\$)	43,485
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	4,327
Average per farm (\$)	83,212
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (\$1,000)	(D)
Total organic product sales (\$1,000)	-
Total income from farm-related sources, gross before taxes and expenses (\$1,000)	(D)

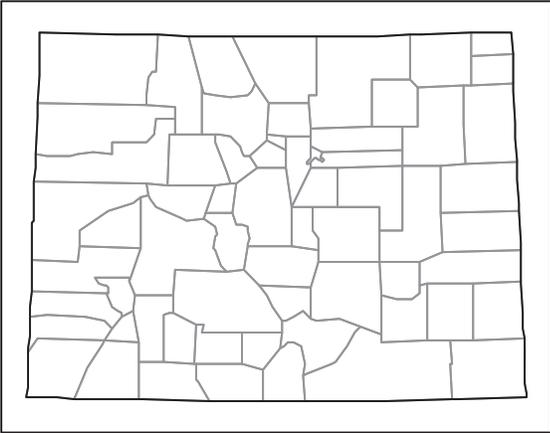
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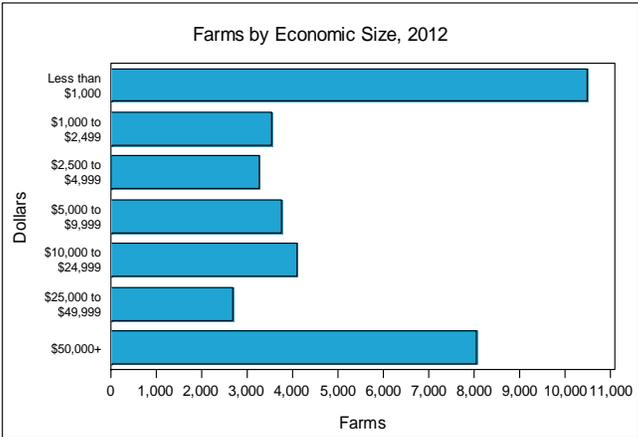
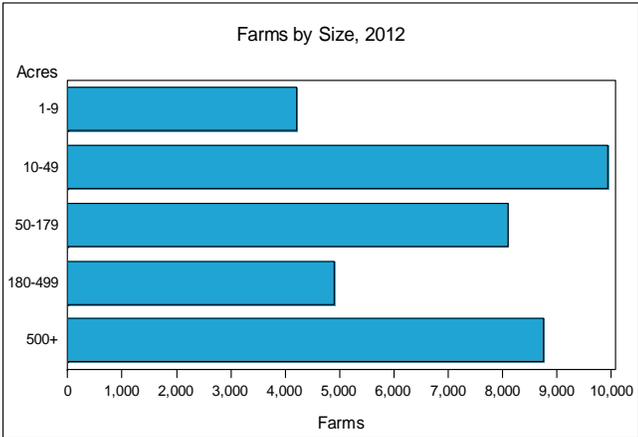


### Colorado Farms with White Operators Compared with All Farms

	White Operators <sup>2</sup>	All Farms
<b>Number of Farm Operators <sup>1</sup></b>	57,351	58,189
<b>Number of Farms</b>	35,860	36,180
<b>Land in Farms</b>	30,989,043 acres	31,886,676 acres
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	864 acres	881 acres
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$7,734,498,000	\$7,780,874,000
Crop Sales	\$2,391,431,000	\$2,434,583,000
Livestock Sales	\$5,343,067,000	\$5,346,292,000
Average Per Farm	\$215,686	\$215,060
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$164,153,000	\$165,576,000
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$14,901	\$14,897

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#### Farms with White Operators



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### Colorado Farms with White Operators

#### Selected Highlights

Item	Farms	Quantity
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)</b>		
Total value of agricultural products sold	35,860	7,734,498
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	13,771	2,391,431
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	16,503	5,343,067
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>		
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	5,372	1,459,205
Tobacco	-	-
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-
Vegetables, melons, potatoes and sweet potatoes	759	268,398
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	686	23,801
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	632	263,883
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	92	310
Other crops and hay	8,914	375,834
Poultry and eggs	2,363	102,166
Cattle and calves	11,493	4,318,454
Milk from cows	169	(D)
Hogs and pigs	943	208,751
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	2,006	(D)
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	3,110	31,471
Aquaculture	68	14,475
Other animals and other animal products	1,244	21,269
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>		
Winter wheat for grain	3,540	2,158,555
Forage, all	12,717	1,278,909
Corn for grain	2,535	1,005,711
Corn for silage	980	155,236
Sorghum for grain	377	146,755
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>		
Layers	4,246	4,195,103
Cattle and calves	13,874	2,623,118
Pullets for laying flock replacement	519	881,474
Hogs and pigs	986	727,127
Sheep and lambs	1,487	(D)

#### Operator Characteristics

Item	Quantity
Primary occupation:	
Farming	26,305
Other	31,046
Days worked off farm:	
None	20,739
Any	36,612
Years on present farm:	
2 years or less	2,117
3 to 4 years	3,422
5 to 9 years	10,060
10 years or more	41,752
Age group:	
Under 35 years	4,293
35 to 44 years	5,987
45 to 64 years	30,246
65 years and over	16,825
Average age (years)	56.8

#### Economic Characteristics

Item	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:	
Less than \$1,000	13,296
\$1,000 to \$2,499	3,139
\$2,500 to \$4,999	2,865
\$5,000 to \$9,999	3,032
\$10,000 to \$49,999	5,832
\$50,000 to \$99,999	2,089
\$100,000 to \$249,999	2,323
\$250,000 to \$499,999	1,479
\$500,000 or more	1,805
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	6,873,826
Average per farm (\$)	191,685
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	1,335,015
Average per farm (\$)	37,237
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (\$1,000)	19,063
Total organic product sales (\$1,000)	(D)
Total income from farm-related sources, gross before taxes and expenses (\$1,000)	310,190

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