Table 55. Male 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.]

**FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS**

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Characteristics</th>
<th>Any producer is male</th>
<th>Any principal producer is male</th>
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<tr>
<td>Farms number</td>
<td>224,776</td>
<td>215,390</td>
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<td>Land in farms</td>
<td>121,272,481</td>
<td>117,695,088</td>
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**FARMS BY SIZE**

- 1 to 9 acres .............................................. 24,190 22,667
- 10 to 49 acres ............................................ 72,734 69,465
- 50 to 179 acres ............................................ 60,755 58,303
- 180 to 499 acres ........................................... 33,560 32,692
- 500 acres or more ........................................ 33,537 32,563

**OWNED AND RENTED LAND IN FARMS**

- Owned land in farms ...................................... 212,153 203,177
- Rented or leased land in farms ............................ 68,391,361 65,866,713

**TENURE**

- Full owners .................................................. 163,625 155,875
- Part owners .................................................. 46,520,757 44,463,425
- Tenants ....................................................... 59,481,660 58,361,914

**MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS**

- Total farms ................................................. 224,776 215,390
- Market value of agricultural products sold ................. 224,776 215,390
- Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops ......... 24,508,448 24,262,091
-Livestock, poultry, and their products .................. 61,305 59,278
- Livestock ................................................... 6,750,702 6,675,519
- Federal payments ........................................... 15,270,264 14,869,749

**FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS (SEE TEXT)**

- Less than $1,000 ............................................. 71,676 68,097
- $1,000 to $2,499 ........................................... 29,752 28,427
- $2,500 to $4,999 ........................................... 27,000 25,844
- $5,000 to $9,999 ........................................... 26,751 25,536
- $10,000 to $24,999 ......................................... 27,860 26,806
- $25,000 to $49,999 ......................................... 14,307 13,849
- $50,000 or more ............................................ 25,430 24,829

**COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION (CCC) LOANS AND FEDERAL FARM PROGRAM PAYMENTS**

- CCC loans ..................................................... 388 381
- Conservation Reserve, Wetlands Reserve, Farmable Wetlands, or Conservation Reserve Enhancement Programs ................................... 8,110 7,765
- Other Federal farm program payments ..................... 622,276 612,556

**FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM (NAICS)**

- Woodlot farming (1111) .................................... 4,747 4,685
- Vegetable and melon farming (1112) ......................... 1,381 1,312

**OTHER FARM CHARACTERISTICS**

- Number of producers (see text): 201,542 193,160
- 1 producer ................................................... 92,098 92,098
- 2 producers ................................................ 114,798 107,111
- 3 producers ................................................ 103,834 97,622
- 4 producers ................................................... 6,123 4,688
- 5 or more producers .................................... 1,933 1,751

- Number of male producers (see text): 201,778 193,380
- 1 producer ................................................... 201,778 193,380
- 2 producers ................................................... 1,839 1,758
- 3 producers .................................................. 3,624 3,470
- 4 producers ................................................... 1,049 752
- 5 or more producers ..................................... 287 270

- Farms reporting: Internet access .......................... 164,651 157,410
- Dial-up ......................................................... 4,266 4,117
- DSL .............................................................. 34,480 32,912
- Cable modem ................................................. 23,843 22,723
- Fiber-optic .................................................. 10,515 10,144
- Mobile internet service for a cell phone or other device (see text) 69,797 66,504
- Satellite ....................................................... 46,930 44,859
- Don’t know (see text) ...................................... 11,389 10,887
- Other internet service ................................... 7,967 7,530

- Farms by number of households sharing in net income of operation: 170,766 182,970
- 1 household ................................................... 170,766 182,970
- 2 households ................................................ 25,700 24,568
- 3 households ................................................ 4,774 4,500
- 4 households ................................................... 2,188 2,087
- 5 or more households .................................... 1,348 1,262