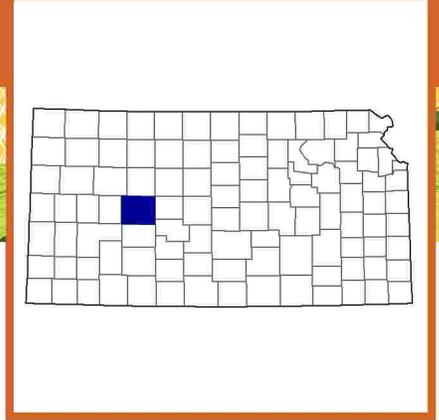


## Ness County, Kansas Farms with American Indian or Alaska Native Producers<sup>a</sup>

**Data not available at this geographic level for farms with American Indian or Alaska Native Producers.**

<sup>a</sup> This race alone or in combination with other races.





## Ness County, Kansas Farms with Asian Producers<sup>a</sup>

Data not available at this geographic level for farms with Asian Producers.

<sup>a</sup> This race alone or in combination with other races.



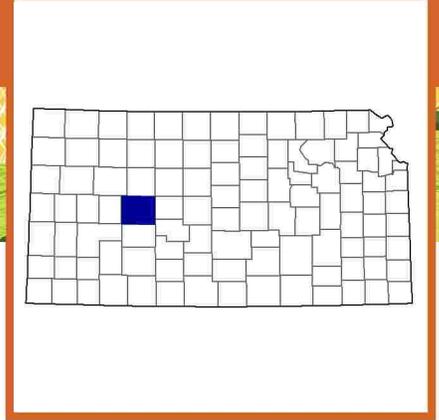


## Ness County, Kansas Farms with Black or African American Producers<sup>a</sup>

Data not available at this geographic level for farms with Black or African American Producers.

<sup>a</sup> This race alone or in combination with other races.



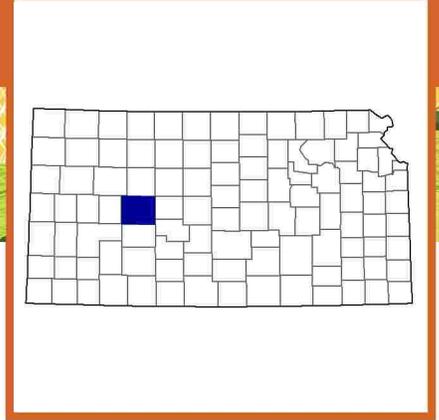


## Ness County, Kansas Farms with Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander Producers<sup>a</sup>

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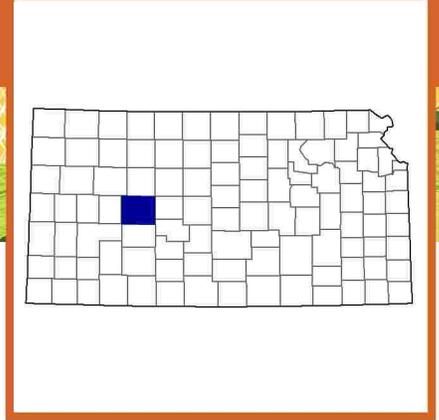


## Ness County, Kansas Farms with White Producers<sup>a</sup>

Data not available at this geographic level for farms with White Producers.

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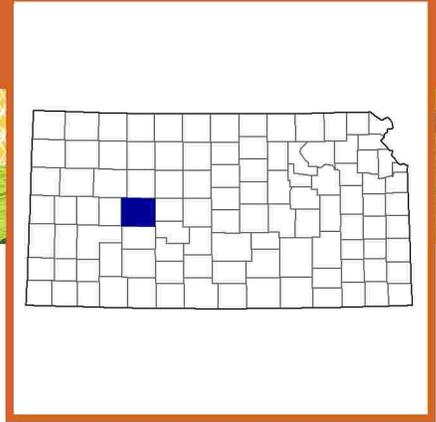




## **Ness County, Kansas Farms with Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish Producers**

Data not available at this geographic level for farms with Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish Producers.





## Ness County, Kansas Farms with Female Producers

### Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017

	Farms with Female Producers	All Farms
Number of farms	245	523
Land in farms (acres)	286,274	668,404
Average size of farm (acres)	1,168	1,278
<b>Total</b>	(\$)	(\$)
Market value of products sold	22,483,000	60,781,000
Government payments	3,631,000	8,605,000
Farm-related income	2,195,000	6,432,000
Total farm production expenses	21,292,000	54,464,000
Net cash farm income	7,016,000	21,354,000
<b>Per farm average</b>	(\$)	(\$)
Market value of products sold	91,767	116,217
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	16,282	17,965
Farm-related income	13,064	17,965
Total farm production expenses	86,908	104,138
Net cash farm income	28,637	40,830

### Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	63
Livestock, poultry, and products	37

### Land in Farms by Use (%) <sup>b</sup>

Cropland	59
Pastureland	40
Woodland	(Z)
Other	1

### Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	24
Reduced till	25
Intensive till	21
Cover crop	3

### Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent <sup>b</sup>
Less than \$2,500	107	44
\$2,500 to \$4,999	7	3
\$5,000 to \$9,999	2	1
\$10,000 to \$24,999	16	7
\$25,000 to \$49,999	28	11
\$50,000 to \$99,999	32	13
\$100,000 or more	53	22
<b>Total</b>	245	100

### Farms by Size

	Number	Percent <sup>b</sup>
1 to 9 acres	1	(Z)
10 to 49 acres	18	7
50 to 179 acres	61	25
180 to 499 acres	56	23
500 to 999 acres	26	11
1,000 + acres	83	34
<b>Total</b>	245	100

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## Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

	Sales (\$1,000)	No. of Farms
<b>Total</b>	<b>22,483</b>	<b>245</b>
<b>Crops</b>	<b>14,103</b>	<b>107</b>
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	13,866	103
Tobacco	-	-
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	-	-
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	-	-
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	-	-
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-
Other crops and hay	237	23
<b>Livestock, poultry, and products</b>	<b>8,380</b>	<b>109</b>
Poultry and eggs	(D)	1
Cattle and calves	8,370	104
Milk from cows	-	-
Hogs and pigs	(D)	3
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	(D)	2
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	8	3
Aquaculture	-	-
Other animals and animal products	-	-

## Total Producers <sup>c</sup>

267

<b>Age</b>	
<35	21
35 – 64	123
65 and older	123
<b>Race</b>	
American Indian/Alaska Native	-
Asian	1
Black/African American	-
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-
White	266
More than one race	-
<b>Primary occupation</b>	
Farming	73
Other	194
<b>Days worked off farm</b>	
None	144
1 to 199	35
200 +	88
<b>Other characteristics</b>	
Hispanic/Latino/Spanish	2
With military service	-
New and beginning farmers	69
<i>Average age (years)</i>	<i>60.8</i>

## Top Crops in Acres <sup>d</sup>

Wheat for grain, all	37,890
Sorghum for grain	29,086
Forage (hay/haylage), all	6,465
Corn for grain	5,138
Soybeans for beans	363

## Percent of farms that:

Have internet access	<b>79</b>
Farm organically	<b>-</b>
Sell directly to consumers	<b>(Z)</b>
Hire farm labor	<b>22</b>
Are family farms	<b>94</b>

## Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)

Broilers and other meat-type chickens	-
Cattle and calves	15,435
Goats	(D)
Hogs and pigs	8
Horses and ponies	131
Layers	(D)
Pullets	-
Sheep and lambs	-
Turkeys	-

## Demographic Data in the Census of Agriculture

The agriculture census is a complete count of U.S. farms and ranches and the people who operate them. Demographic information is available at national, state, and county levels, and for classes of farm and congressional districts. Results from the 2017 Census and earlier are available through the searchable database Quick Stats, the new Census Data Query Tool, downloadable PDF reports, maps, and topic-specific Highlights and Profiles. See also the video "What's New in the 2017 Census?" ([www.nass.usda.gov/Newsroom/VideoFeatures/index.php](http://www.nass.usda.gov/Newsroom/VideoFeatures/index.php)).

See 2017 Census of Agriculture, U.S. Summary and State Data, for complete footnotes, explanations, definitions, commodity descriptions, and methodology.

<sup>a</sup> This race alone or in combination with other races. <sup>b</sup> May not add to 100% due to rounding. <sup>c</sup> Data collected for a maximum of four producers per farm.

<sup>d</sup> Crop commodity names may be shortened; see full names at [www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf](http://www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf). <sup>e</sup> Position below the line does not indicate rank.

(D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations. (NA) Not available. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown. (-) Represents zero.