



Custer County, Montana Farms with American Indian or Alaska Native Producers^a

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Custer County, Montana Farms with Asian Producers^a

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

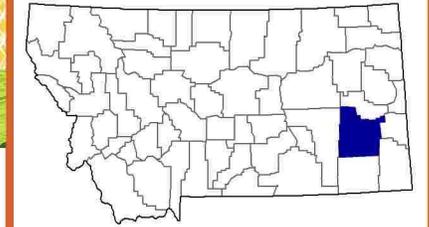
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Custer County, Montana Farms with Black or African American Producers^a

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Custer County, Montana Farms with Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander Producers^a

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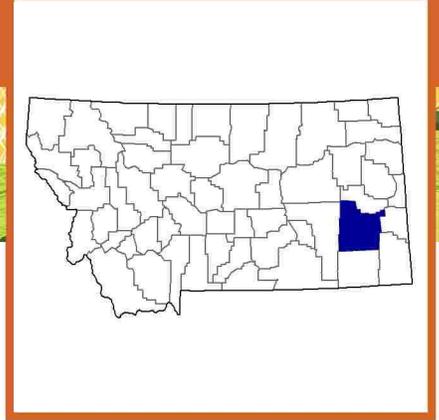
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Custer County, Montana Farms with White Producers^a

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Custer County, Montana Farms with Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish Producers

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Custer County, Montana Farms with Female Producers

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017

	Farms with Female Producers	All Farms
Number of farms	315	441
Land in farms (acres)	1,333,570	2,088,806
Average size of farm (acres)	4,234	4,737
Total	(\$)	(\$)
Market value of products sold	45,267,000	76,622,000
Government payments	2,252,000	3,114,000
Farm-related income	2,965,000	3,795,000
Total farm production expenses	41,970,000	67,211,000
Net cash farm income	8,514,000	16,320,000
Per farm average	(\$)	(\$)
Market value of products sold	143,704	173,745
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	19,246	18,761
Farm-related income	19,507	17,567
Total farm production expenses	133,238	152,405
Net cash farm income	27,027	37,006

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	12
Livestock, poultry, and products	88

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^b

Cropland	5
Pastureland	94
Woodland	1
Other	1

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	5
Reduced till	8
Intensive till	14
Cover crop	5

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent ^b
Less than \$2,500	90	29
\$2,500 to \$4,999	21	7
\$5,000 to \$9,999	20	6
\$10,000 to \$24,999	27	9
\$25,000 to \$49,999	37	12
\$50,000 to \$99,999	30	10
\$100,000 or more	90	29
Total	315	100

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent ^b
1 to 9 acres	20	6
10 to 49 acres	54	17
50 to 179 acres	60	19
180 to 499 acres	17	5
500 to 999 acres	38	12
1,000 + acres	126	40
Total	315	100

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Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

	Sales (\$1,000)	No. of Farms
Total	45,267	315
Crops	5,625	95
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	2,493	22
Tobacco	-	-
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	-	-
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	(D)	1
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	(D)	2
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-
Other crops and hay	3,104	83
Livestock, poultry, and products	39,642	224
Poultry and eggs	8	21
Cattle and calves	38,589	195
Milk from cows	-	-
Hogs and pigs	9	10
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	833	26
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	200	26
Aquaculture	-	-
Other animals and animal products	3	3

Total Producers ^c

337

Age

<35	47
35 – 64	186
65 and older	104

Race

American Indian/Alaska Native	-
Asian	1
Black/African American	-
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	2
White	332
More than one race	2

Primary occupation

Farming	115
Other	222

Days worked off farm

None	123
1 to 199	71
200 +	143

Other characteristics

Hispanic/Latino/Spanish	2
With military service	3
New and beginning farmers	80

Average age (years)

55.9

Top Crops in Acres ^d

Forage (hay/haylage), all	29,346
Wheat for grain, all	2,170
Corn for grain	1,736
Corn for silage	1,104
Barley for grain	586

Percent of farms that:

Have internet access **88**

Farm organically **-**

Sell directly to consumers **3**

Hire farm labor **25**

Are family farms **98**

Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)

Broilers and other meat-type chickens	110
Cattle and calves	58,632
Goats	(D)
Hogs and pigs	20
Horses and ponies	1,025
Layers	746
Pullets	(D)
Sheep and lambs	4,252
Turkeys	52

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).

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

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^d Crop commodity names may be shortened; see full names at www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf. ^e 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.