



U.S. American Indian Agriculture at a Glance

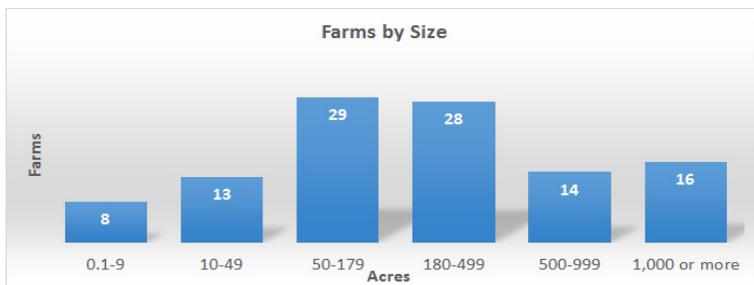
The 2012 Census of Agriculture shows us that U.S. farmers and ranchers are becoming more diverse and that the number of American Indian or Alaska Native farm operators continues to rise.

The 2012 Census counted a total of 71,947 American Indian or Alaska Native operators on 56,092 farms and ranches across the United States.

When compared to all farms nationwide, those with American Indian or Alaska Native principal operators tend to be smaller in terms of sales but significantly larger in size. These operations are also less likely to have Internet access.

Northern Cheyenne Farm Numbers

The Northern Cheyenne reservation contains **108** farms for a total of **516,498** acres.



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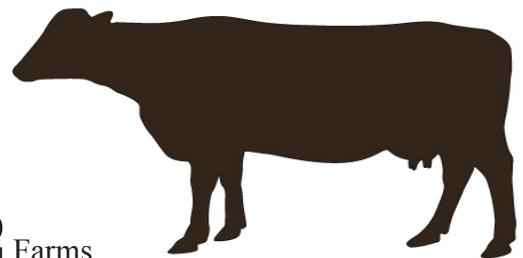
According to the 2012 Census of Agriculture, the Northern Cheyenne reservation

had **150** total operators with **107** being male and **43** being female.



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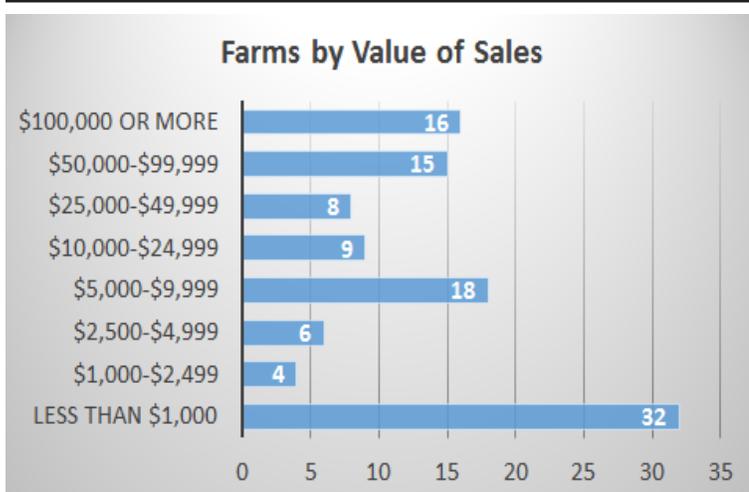
1,049 Total number of farms with Horses or ponies was **91**



62 Farms held an inventory of Cattle and Calves reaching **8,577** head.

Total Hay and Haylage acreage was

5,182 resulting in the production of **6,052** Tons of Hay and Haylage.



The average age of the Northern Cheyenne Farmer is

57
116 of the **150** operators, have worked on the farm **10** years or greater.