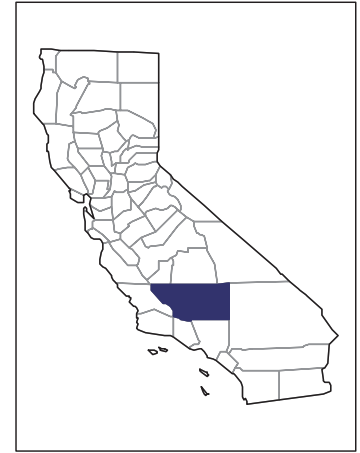


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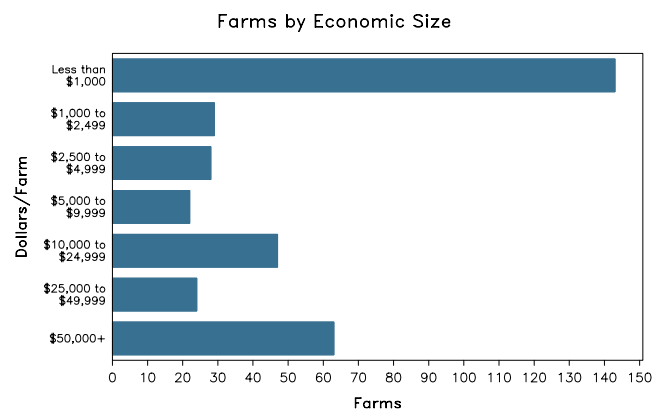
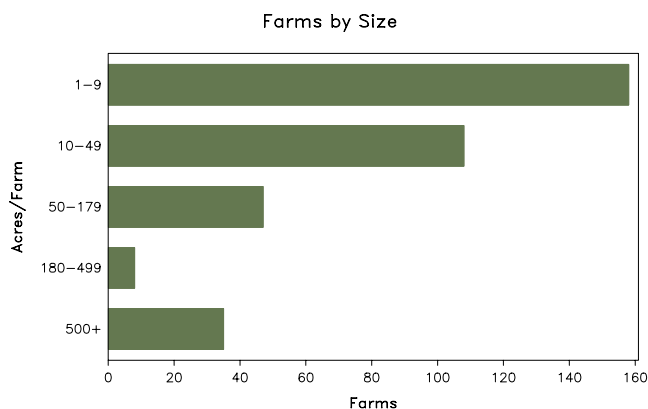
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Farms with Women Principal Operators Compared with All Farms

	Women Principal Operators	All Farms
Number of Farms	356	2,117
Land in Farms	147,884 acres	2,361,765 acres
Average Size of Farm	415 acres	1,116 acres
Market Value of Products Sold	\$40,692,000	\$3,204,147,000
Crop Sales	(D)	\$2,551,435,000
Livestock Sales	(D)	\$652,712,000
Average Per Farm	\$114,304	\$1,513,532
Government Payments	\$283,000	\$27,346,000
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$14,891	\$75,332

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Farms with Women Principal Operators



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Kern County – California Farms with Women Principal Operators

Selected Highlights

Item	Farms	Quantity
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)		
Total value of agricultural products sold	356	40,692
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	84	(D)
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	174	(D)
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)		
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	3	713
Tobacco	-	-
Cotton and cottonseed	3	(D)
Vegetables, melons, potatoes and sweet potatoes	11	(D)
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	65	(D)
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	4	(D)
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-
Other crops and hay	13	1,766
Poultry and eggs	34	51
Cattle and calves	50	(D)
Milk and other dairy products from cows	1	(D)
Hogs and pigs	11	(D)
Sheep, goats, and their products	43	(D)
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	67	(D)
Aquaculture	2	(D)
Other animals and other animal products	13	(D)
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)		
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	15	2,757
Vegetables harvested for sale	11	(D)
Cotton, all	3	730
Corn for silage or greenchop	2	(D)
Grapes	13	705
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)		
Cattle and calves	58	12,893
Colonies of bees	3	10,400
Sheep and lambs	33	7,158
Horses and ponies	200	1,748
Layers	46	1,150

Operator Characteristics

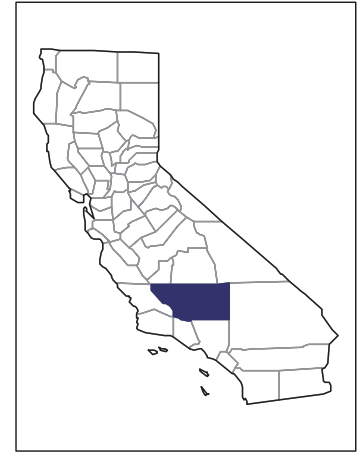
Item	Quantity
Primary occupation:	
Farming	197
Other	159
Days worked off farm:	
None	110
Any	246
Years on present farm:	
2 years or less	19
3 to 4 years	36
5 to 9 years	80
10 years or more	221
Age group:	
Under 45 years	58
45 to 64 years	216
65 years and over	82
Average age of principal operator (years)	55.4

Economic Characteristics

Item	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:	
Less than \$1,000	148
\$1,000 to \$2,499	26
\$2,500 to \$4,999	28
\$5,000 to \$9,999	22
\$10,000 to \$49,999	71
\$50,000 to \$99,999	21
\$100,000 to \$249,999	20
\$250,000 to \$499,999	11
\$500,000 or more	9
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	37,891
Average per farm (\$)	106,436
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	5,251
Average per farm (\$)	14,749
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (\$1,000)	276
Total organic product sales (\$1,000)	12
Total income from farm-related sources, gross before taxes and expenses (\$1,000)	2,167

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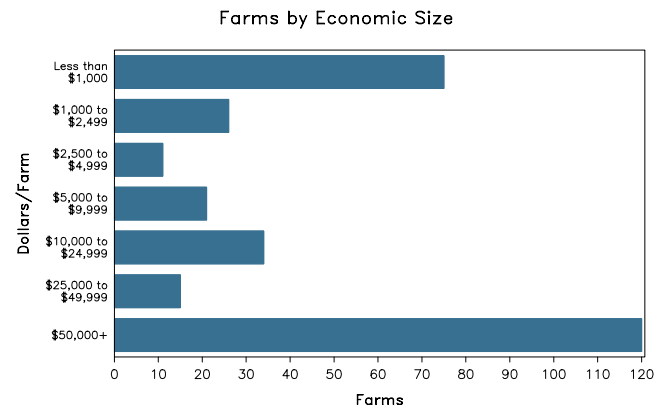
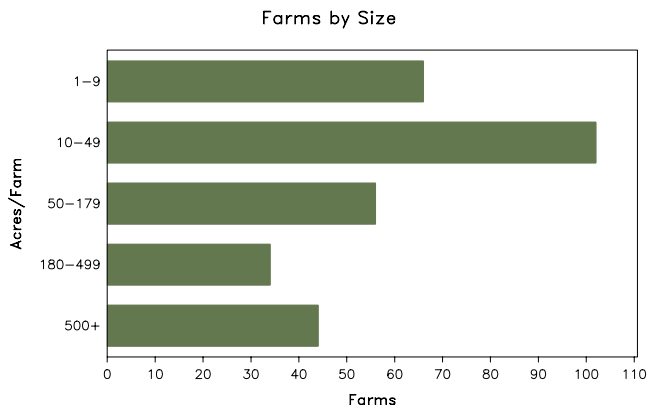
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Farms with Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Operators Compared with All Farms

	Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Operators	All Farms
Number of Farm Operators ¹	422	3,508
Number of Farms	302	2,117
Land in Farms	330,299 acres	2,361,765 acres
Average Size of Farm	1,094 acres	1,116 acres
Market Value of Products Sold	\$412,476,000	\$3,204,147,000
Crop Sales	\$333,882,000	\$2,551,435,000
Livestock Sales	\$78,594,000	\$652,712,000
Average Per Farm	\$1,365,815	\$1,513,532
Government Payments	\$3,243,000	\$27,346,000
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$79,103	\$75,332

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Farms with Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Operators



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Kern County – California Farms with Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Operators

Selected Highlights

Item	Farms	Quantity
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)		
Total value of agricultural products sold	302	412,476
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	175	333,882
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	82	78,594
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)		
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	23	8,195
Tobacco	-	-
Cotton and cottonseed	9	4,780
Vegetables, melons, potatoes and sweet potatoes	19	74,613
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	106	189,259
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	18	44,162
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-
Other crops and hay	49	12,873
Poultry and eggs	18	(D)
Cattle and calves	30	(D)
Milk and other dairy products from cows	4	(D)
Hogs and pigs	2	(D)
Sheep, goats, and their products	23	4,827
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	10	(D)
Aquaculture	1	(D)
Other animals and other animal products	4	44
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)		
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	50	14,667
Vegetables harvested for sale	19	12,175
Grapes	38	11,810
Wheat for grain, all	16	6,247
Oranges, all	24	6,039
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)		
Layers	32	(D)
Pullets for laying flock replacement	3	(D)
Sheep and lambs	20	42,739
Cattle and calves	59	15,654
Colonies of bees	4	5,568

Operator Characteristics

Item	Quantity
Primary occupation:	
Farming	226
Other	196
Days worked off farm:	
None	102
Any	320
Years on present farm:	
2 years or less	63
3 to 4 years	43
5 to 9 years	142
10 years or more	174
Age group:	
Under 45 years	139
45 to 64 years	206
65 years and over	77
Average age (years)	50.9

Economic Characteristics

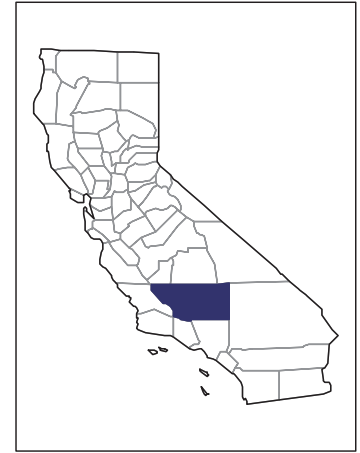
Item	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:	
Less than \$1,000	85
\$1,000 to \$2,499	26
\$2,500 to \$4,999	11
\$5,000 to \$9,999	17
\$10,000 to \$49,999	46
\$50,000 to \$99,999	29
\$100,000 to \$249,999	23
\$250,000 to \$499,999	20
\$500,000 or more	45
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	286,652
Average per farm (\$)	949,179
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	131,600
Average per farm (\$)	435,760
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (\$1,000)	260
Total organic product sales (\$1,000)	(D)
Total income from farm-related sources, gross before taxes and expenses (\$1,000)	2,532

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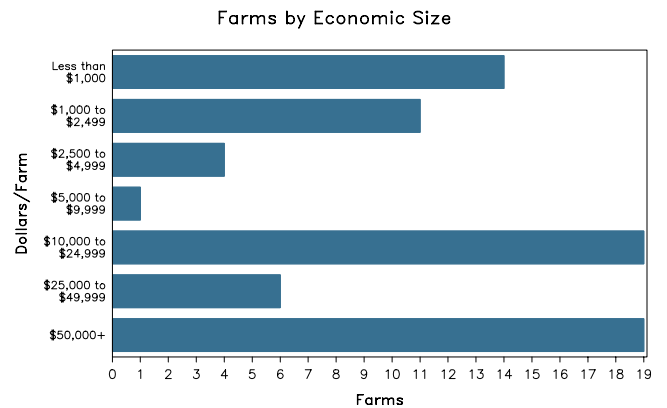
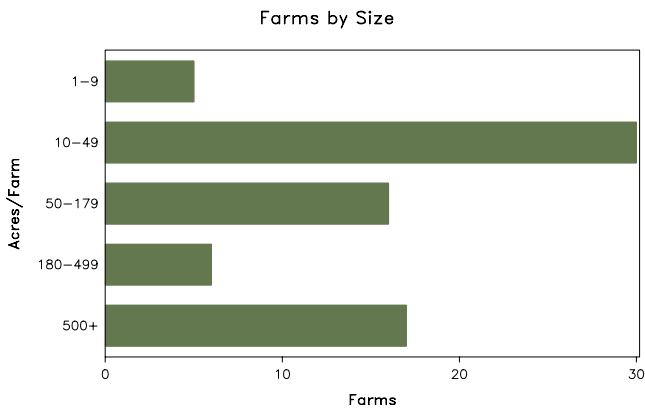
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Farms with American Indian or Alaska Native Operators Compared with All Farms

	American Indian or Alaska Native Operators ²	All Farms
Number of Farm Operators ¹	94	3,508
Number of Farms	74	2,117
Land in Farms	27,959 acres	2,361,765 acres
Average Size of Farm	378 acres	1,116 acres
Market Value of Products Sold	\$25,726,000	\$3,204,147,000
Crop Sales	(D)	\$2,551,435,000
Livestock Sales	(D)	\$652,712,000
Average Per Farm	\$347,645	\$1,513,532
Government Payments	\$34,000	\$27,346,000
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$6,874	\$75,332

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Farms with American Indian or Alaska Native Operators



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Kern County – California Farms with American Indian or Alaska Native Operators

Selected Highlights

Item	Farms	Quantity
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)		
Total value of agricultural products sold	74	25,726
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	37	(D)
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	27	(D)
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)		
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	5	1,157
Tobacco	-	-
Cotton and cottonseed	2	(D)
Vegetables, melons, potatoes and sweet potatoes	4	(D)
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	23	8,129
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	2	(D)
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-
Other crops and hay	12	1,085
Poultry and eggs	5	5
Cattle and calves	19	547
Milk and other dairy products from cows	1	(D)
Hogs and pigs	-	-
Sheep, goats, and their products	5	8
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	1	(D)
Aquaculture	-	-
Other animals and other animal products	-	-
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)		
Vegetables harvested for sale	4	3,442
Potatoes	3	(D)
Wheat for grain, all	3	953
Carrots	2	(D)
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	14	779
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)		
Cattle and calves	24	(D)
Layers	8	256
Horses and ponies	23	181
Sheep and lambs	3	150
Goats, all	2	(D)

Operator Characteristics

Item	Quantity
Primary occupation:	
Farming	55
Other	39
Days worked off farm:	
None	33
Any	61
Years on present farm:	
2 years or less	13
3 to 4 years	14
5 to 9 years	20
10 years or more	47
Age group:	
Under 45 years	27
45 to 64 years	49
65 years and over	18
Average age (years)	51.3

Economic Characteristics

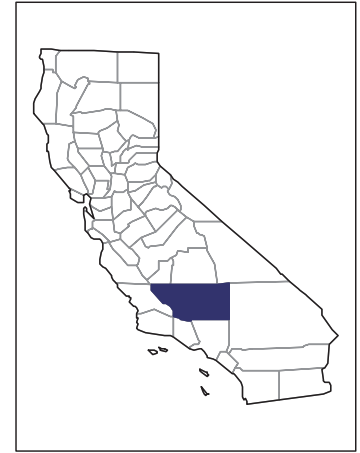
Item	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:	
Less than \$1,000	14
\$1,000 to \$2,499	11
\$2,500 to \$4,999	4
\$5,000 to \$9,999	1
\$10,000 to \$49,999	25
\$50,000 to \$99,999	2
\$100,000 to \$249,999	2
\$250,000 to \$499,999	9
\$500,000 or more	6
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	18,023
Average per farm (\$)	243,555
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	7,820
Average per farm (\$)	105,678
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (\$1,000)	7
Total organic product sales (\$1,000)	-
Total income from farm-related sources, gross before taxes and expenses (\$1,000)	83

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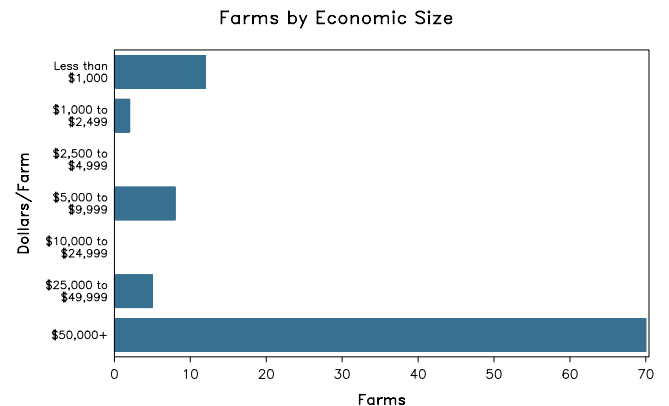
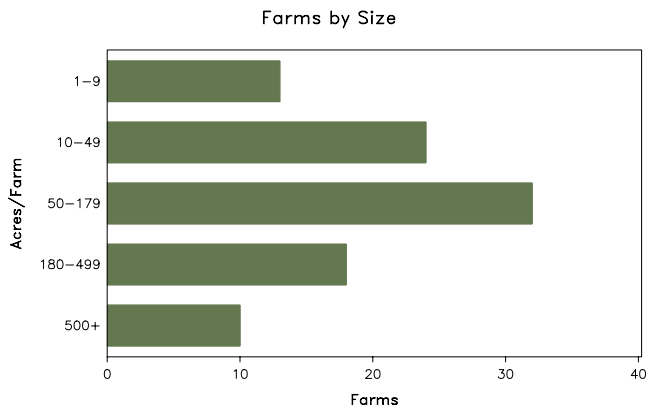
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Farms with Asian Operators Compared with All Farms

	Asian Operators ²	All Farms
Number of Farm Operators ¹	135	3,508
Number of Farms	97	2,117
Land in Farms	18,961 acres	2,361,765 acres
Average Size of Farm	195 acres	1,116 acres
Market Value of Products Sold	\$72,360,000	\$3,204,147,000
Crop Sales	(D)	\$2,551,435,000
Livestock Sales	(D)	\$652,712,000
Average Per Farm	\$745,981	\$1,513,532
Government Payments	\$266,000	\$27,346,000
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$26,633	\$75,332

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Farms with Asian Operators



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Kern County – California Farms with Asian Operators

Selected Highlights

Item	Farms	Quantity
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)		
Total value of agricultural products sold	97	72,360
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	79	(D)
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	4	(D)
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)		
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	-	-
Tobacco	-	-
Cotton and cottonseed	2	(D)
Vegetables, melons, potatoes and sweet potatoes	10	(D)
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	64	38,130
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	3	(D)
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-
Other crops and hay	8	1,104
Poultry and eggs	3	(D)
Cattle and calves	1	(D)
Milk and other dairy products from cows	1	(D)
Hogs and pigs	-	-
Sheep, goats, and their products	-	-
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	-	-
Aquaculture	-	-
Other animals and other animal products	-	-
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)		
Almonds	28	5,465
Grapes	33	4,799
Vegetables harvested for sale	10	1,738
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	9	1,637
Oranges, all	11	1,248
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)		
Layers	3	(D)
Pullets for laying flock replacement	1	(D)
Cattle and calves	1	(D)
Horses and ponies	3	57
Goats, all	2	(D)

Operator Characteristics

Item	Quantity
Primary occupation:	
Farming	76
Other	59
Days worked off farm:	
None	37
Any	98
Years on present farm:	
2 years or less	21
3 to 4 years	14
5 to 9 years	31
10 years or more	69
Age group:	
Under 45 years	29
45 to 64 years	77
65 years and over	29
Average age (years)	54.1

Economic Characteristics

Item	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:	
Less than \$1,000	16
\$1,000 to \$2,499	2
\$2,500 to \$4,999	-
\$5,000 to \$9,999	4
\$10,000 to \$49,999	5
\$50,000 to \$99,999	13
\$100,000 to \$249,999	15
\$250,000 to \$499,999	14
\$500,000 or more	28
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	48,525
Average per farm (\$)	500,262
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	24,661
Average per farm (\$)	254,233
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (\$1,000)	1,214
Total organic product sales (\$1,000)	(D)
Total income from farm-related sources, gross before taxes and expenses (\$1,000)	559

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Farms with Black or African American Operators Compared with All Farms



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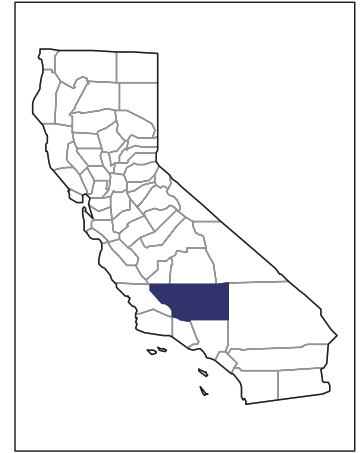
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**Farms with Native Hawaiian or Other
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with All Farms**



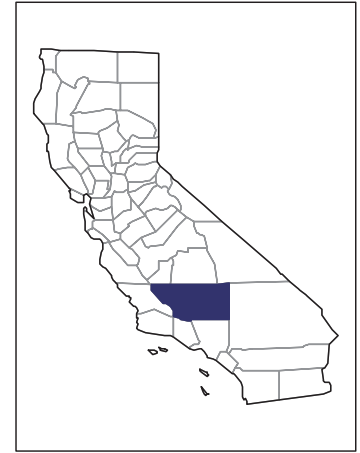
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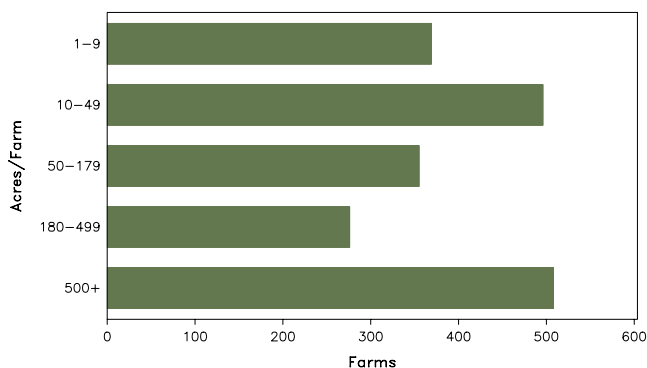
Farms with White Operators Compared with All Farms

	White Operators ²	All Farms
Number of Farm Operators ¹	3,275	3,508
Number of Farms	2,004	2,117
Land in Farms	2,332,194 acres	2,361,765 acres
Average Size of Farm	1,164 acres	1,116 acres
Market Value of Products Sold	\$3,137,263,000	\$3,204,147,000
Crop Sales	\$2,505,566,000	\$2,551,435,000
Livestock Sales	\$631,697,000	\$652,712,000
Average Per Farm	\$1,565,500	\$1,513,532
Government Payments	\$27,179,000	\$27,346,000
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$76,560	\$75,332

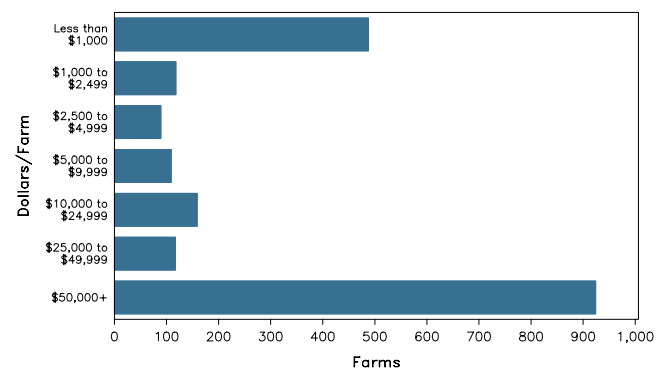
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Farms with White Operators

Farms by Size



Farms by Economic Size



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Kern County – California Farms with White Operators

Selected Highlights

Item	Farms	Quantity
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)		
Total value of agricultural products sold	2,004	3,137,263
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	1,015	2,505,566
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	639	631,697
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)		
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	181	48,017
Tobacco	-	-
Cotton and cottonseed	148	(D)
Vegetables, melons, potatoes and sweet potatoes	131	395,835
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	728	1,730,113
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	54	(D)
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	3	90
Other crops and hay	275	99,644
Poultry and eggs	95	(D)
Cattle and calves	345	(D)
Milk and other dairy products from cows	47	(D)
Hogs and pigs	33	156
Sheep, goats, and their products	113	(D)
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	129	1,699
Aquaculture	6	2,060
Other animals and other animal products	44	1,591
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)		
Almonds	325	139,109
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	307	117,178
Grapes	172	90,450
Cotton, all	148	89,543
Vegetables harvested for sale	130	82,338
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)		
Layers	132	(D)
Pullets for laying flock replacement	22	(D)
Cattle and calves	455	330,353
Sheep and lambs	99	106,790
Colonies of bees	34	60,814

Operator Characteristics

Item	Quantity
Primary occupation:	
Farming	1,798
Other	1,477
Days worked off farm:	
None	1,140
Any	2,135
Years on present farm:	
2 years or less	212
3 to 4 years	284
5 to 9 years	664
10 years or more	2,115
Age group:	
Under 45 years	654
45 to 64 years	1,783
65 years and over	838
Average age (years)	55.5

Economic Characteristics

Item	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:	
Less than \$1,000	529
\$1,000 to \$2,499	113
\$2,500 to \$4,999	90
\$5,000 to \$9,999	97
\$10,000 to \$49,999	266
\$50,000 to \$99,999	104
\$100,000 to \$249,999	150
\$250,000 to \$499,999	151
\$500,000 or more	504
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	2,373,817
Average per farm (\$)	1,184,539
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	847,169
Average per farm (\$)	422,739
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (\$1,000)	4,593
Total organic product sales (\$1,000)	(D)
Total income from farm-related sources, gross before taxes and expenses (\$1,000)	56,545

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