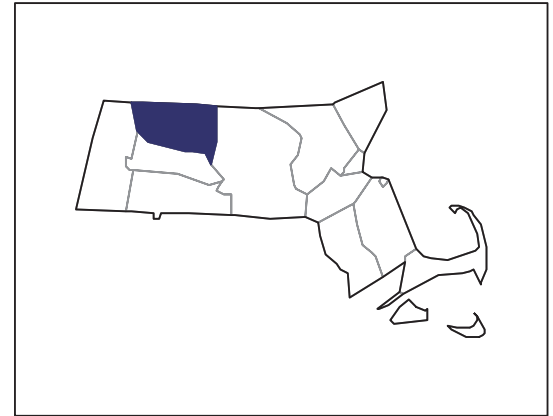


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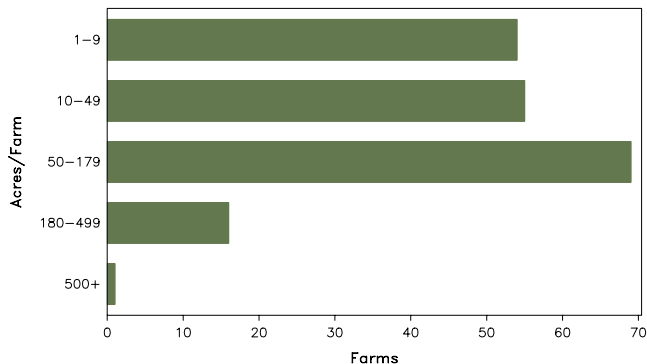
Farms with Women Principal Operators Compared with All Farms

	Women Principal Operators	All Farms
Number of Farms	195	741
Land in Farms	13,968 acres	79,465 acres
Average Size of Farm	72 acres	107 acres
Market Value of Products Sold	\$6,350,000	\$56,844,000
Crop Sales	\$4,964,000	\$36,230,000
Livestock Sales	\$1,387,000	\$20,614,000
Average Per Farm	\$32,565	\$76,712
Government Payments	\$71,000	\$719,000
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$4,422	\$7,416

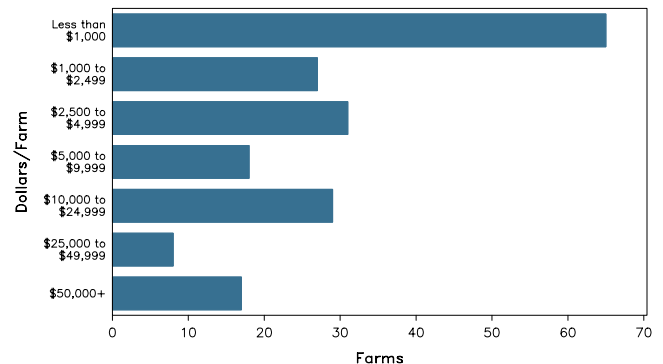
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Farms with Women Principal Operators

Farms by Size



Farms by Economic Size



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Selected Highlights

Item	Farms	Quantity
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)		
Total value of agricultural products sold	195	6,350
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	94	4,964
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	105	1,387
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)		
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	1	(D)
Tobacco	-	-
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-
Vegetables, melons, potatoes and sweet potatoes	25	446
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	20	203
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	31	4,082
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	2	(D)
Other crops and hay	45	231
Poultry and eggs	72	(D)
Cattle and calves	24	104
Milk and other dairy products from cows	17	800
Hogs and pigs	15	10
Sheep, goats, and their products	31	93
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	15	150
Aquaculture	1	(D)
Other animals and other animal products	9	(D)
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)		
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	64	1,637
Sod harvested	1	(D)
Corn for silage or greenchop	2	(D)
Vegetables harvested for sale	25	81
Floriculture crops, total	19	28
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)		
Layers	70	(D)
Horses and ponies	108	799
Sheep and lambs	38	714
Cattle and calves	45	624
Goats, all	40	372

Operator Characteristics

Item	Quantity
Primary occupation:	
Farming	105
Other	90
Days worked off farm:	
None	63
Any	132
Years on present farm:	
2 years or less	12
3 to 4 years	14
5 to 9 years	42
10 years or more	127
Age group:	
Under 45 years	53
45 to 64 years	111
65 years and over	31
Average age of principal operator (years)	53.1

Economic Characteristics

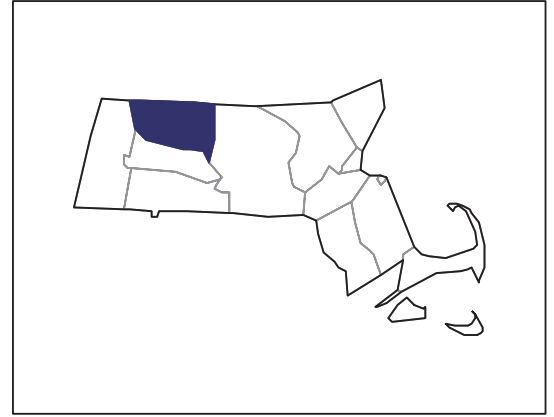
Item	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:	
Less than \$1,000	65
\$1,000 to \$2,499	27
\$2,500 to \$4,999	32
\$5,000 to \$9,999	21
\$10,000 to \$49,999	33
\$50,000 to \$99,999	7
\$100,000 to \$249,999	5
\$250,000 to \$499,999	2
\$500,000 or more	3
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	7,706
Average per farm (\$)	39,518
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	-373
Average per farm (\$)	-1,910
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (\$1,000)	372
Total organic product sales (\$1,000)	186
Total income from farm-related sources, gross before taxes and expenses (\$1,000)	913

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(D) Cannot be disclosed. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown.

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



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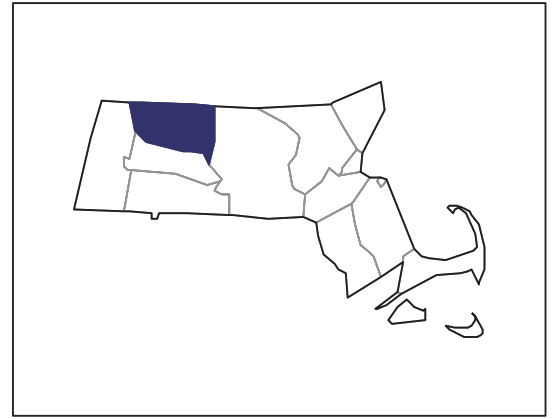
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Farms with American Indian or Alaska Native Operators Compared with All Farms



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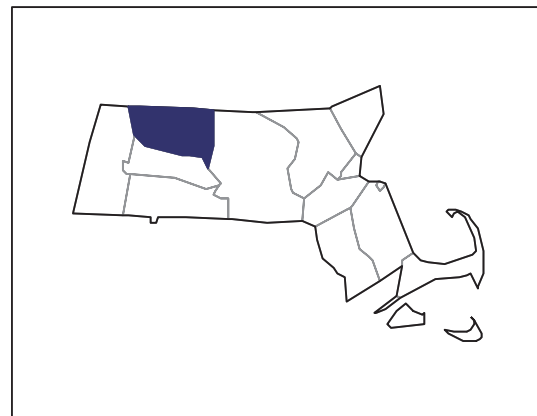
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**Farms with Asian Operators
Compared with All Farms**



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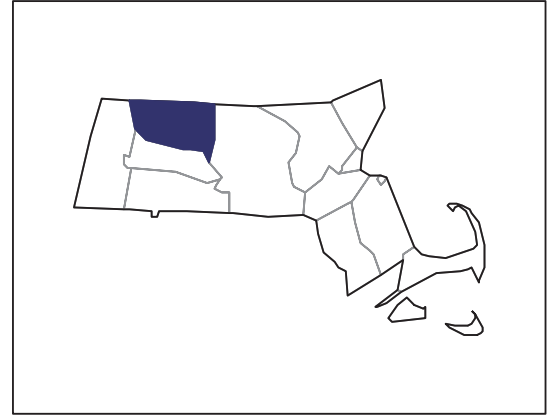
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Farms with Black or African American Operators Compared with All Farms



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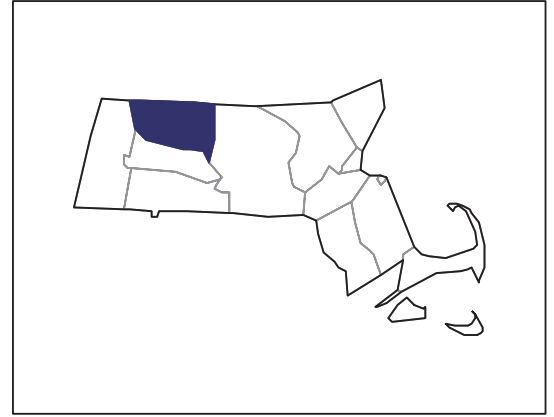
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Farms with Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander Operators Compared with All Farms



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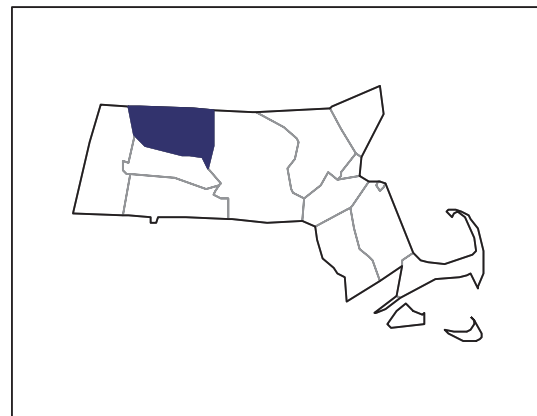
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Farms with White Operators Compared with All Farms



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



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