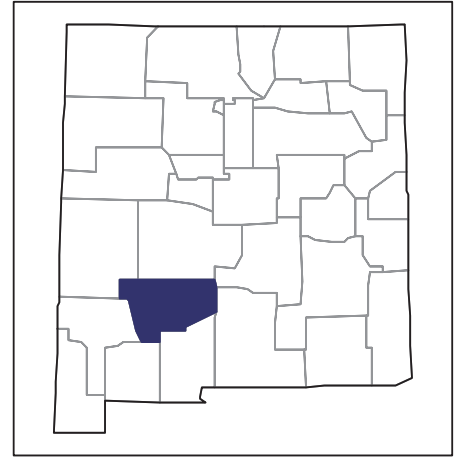


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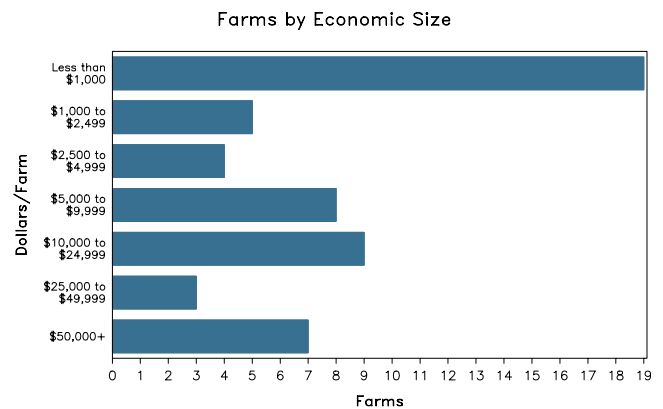
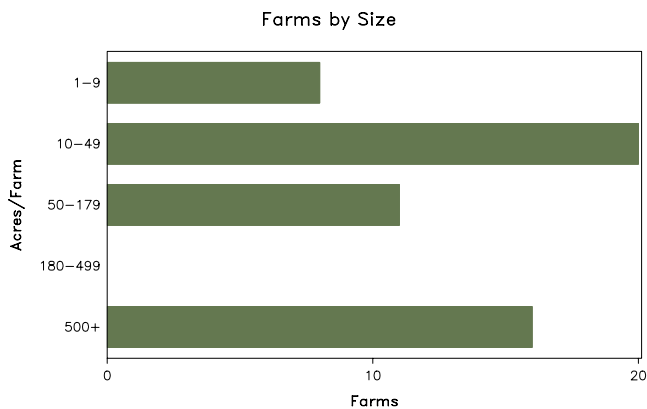
### Farms with Women Principal Operators Compared with All Farms



	Women Principal Operators	All Farms
<b>Number of Farms</b>	55	265
<b>Land in Farms</b>	114,430 acres	1,344,339 acres
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	2,081 acres	5,073 acres
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$980,000	\$23,556,000
Crop Sales	\$283,000	\$6,210,000
Livestock Sales	\$697,000	\$17,346,000
Average Per Farm	\$17,818	\$88,891
<b>Government Payments</b>	(D)	\$144,000
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	(D)	\$6,240

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### Farms with Women Principal Operators



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## Sierra County – New Mexico Farms with Women Principal Operators

### Selected Highlights

Item	Farms	Quantity
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)</b>		
Total value of agricultural products sold	55	980
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	20	283
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	25	697
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>		
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	-	-
Tobacco	-	-
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-
Vegetables, melons, potatoes and sweet potatoes	6	(D)
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	13	(D)
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	-	-
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-
Other crops and hay	11	150
Poultry and eggs	6	4
Cattle and calves	22	655
Milk and other dairy products from cows	-	-
Hogs and pigs	-	-
Sheep, goats, and their products	3	2
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	3	21
Aquaculture	-	-
Other animals and other animal products	5	15
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>		
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	11	363
Apples	7	51
Vegetables harvested for sale	6	48
Peppers, other than Bell (including chile)	3	42
Pecans, all	8	24
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>		
Cattle and calves	33	1,983
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	3	(D)
Quail	3	(D)
Layers	12	288
Horses and ponies	35	206

### Operator Characteristics

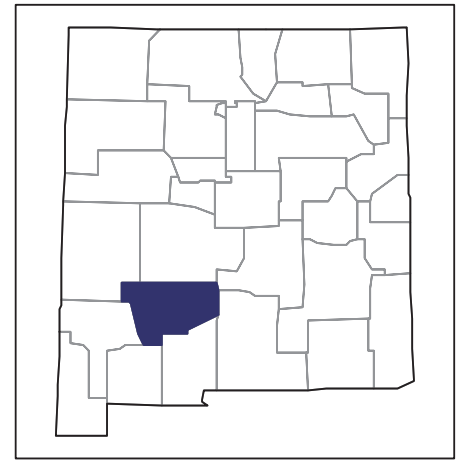
Item	Quantity
Primary occupation:	
Farming	30
Other	25
Days worked off farm:	
None	13
Any	42
Years on present farm:	
2 years or less	7
3 to 4 years	8
5 to 9 years	9
10 years or more	31
Age group:	
Under 45 years	10
45 to 64 years	31
65 years and over	14
Average age of principal operator (years)	57.7

### Economic Characteristics

Item	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:	
Less than \$1,000	19
\$1,000 to \$2,499	5
\$2,500 to \$4,999	4
\$5,000 to \$9,999	8
\$10,000 to \$49,999	12
\$50,000 to \$99,999	6
\$100,000 to \$249,999	1
\$250,000 to \$499,999	-
\$500,000 or more	-
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	1,263
Average per farm (\$)	22,965
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	-273
Average per farm (\$)	-4,966
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (\$1,000)	84
Total organic product sales (\$1,000)	-
Total income from farm-related sources, gross before taxes and expenses (\$1,000)	9

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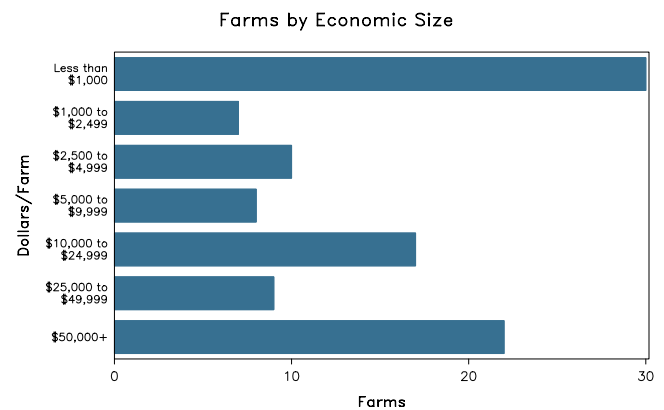
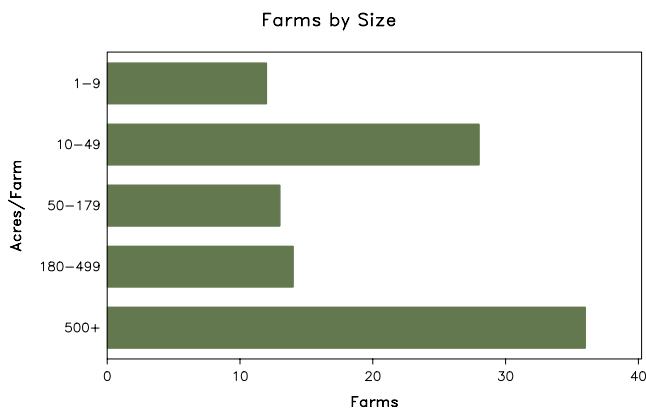
## Sierra County – New Mexico

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

	Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Operators	All Farms
<b>Number of Farm Operators</b> <sup>1</sup>	152	440
<b>Number of Farms</b>	103	265
<b>Land in Farms</b>	214,902 acres	1,344,339 acres
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	2,086 acres	5,073 acres
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$17,336,000	\$23,556,000
Crop Sales	(D)	\$6,210,000
Livestock Sales	(D)	\$17,346,000
Average Per Farm	\$168,315	\$88,891
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$59,000	\$144,000
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$6,578	\$6,240

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### Farms with Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Operators



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## Sierra County – New Mexico Farms with Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Operators

### Selected Highlights

Item	Farms	Quantity
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)</b>		
Total value of agricultural products sold	103	17,336
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	44	(D)
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	44	(D)
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>		
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	9	(D)
Tobacco	-	-
Cotton and cottonseed	4	(D)
Vegetables, melons, potatoes and sweet potatoes	15	2,836
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	22	725
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	-	-
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-
Other crops and hay	27	1,335
Poultry and eggs	3	1
Cattle and calves	37	1,951
Milk and other dairy products from cows	2	(D)
Hogs and pigs	-	-
Sheep, goats, and their products	3	2
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	6	18
Aquaculture	-	-
Other animals and other animal products	2	(D)
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>		
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	36	1,981
Vegetables harvested for sale	15	1,051
Peppers, other than Bell (including chile)	13	854
Corn for silage or greenchop	10	461
Pecans, all	15	362
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>		
Cattle and calves	54	11,768
Horses and ponies	65	312
Layers	6	48
Mules, burros, and donkeys	9	13
Sheep and lambs	1	(D)

### Operator Characteristics

Item	Quantity
Primary occupation:	
Farming	98
Other	54
Days worked off farm:	
None	59
Any	93
Years on present farm:	
2 years or less	13
3 to 4 years	7
5 to 9 years	32
10 years or more	100
Age group:	
Under 45 years	42
45 to 64 years	67
65 years and over	43
Average age (years)	54.6

### Economic Characteristics

Item	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:	
Less than \$1,000	30
\$1,000 to \$2,499	7
\$2,500 to \$4,999	10
\$5,000 to \$9,999	8
\$10,000 to \$49,999	26
\$50,000 to \$99,999	8
\$100,000 to \$249,999	8
\$250,000 to \$499,999	-
\$500,000 or more	6
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	14,394
Average per farm (\$)	139,749
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	3,172
Average per farm (\$)	30,792
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (\$1,000)	39
Total organic product sales (\$1,000)	(D)
Total income from farm-related sources, gross before taxes and expenses (\$1,000)	170

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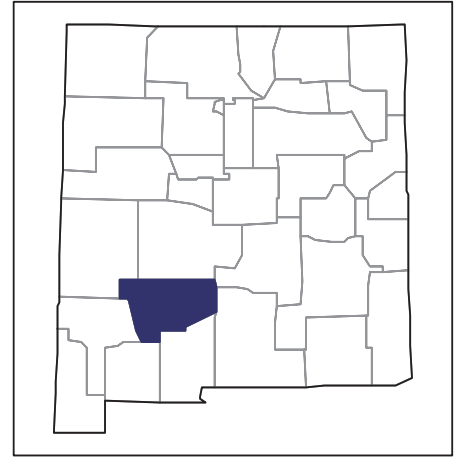
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**Farms with American Indian or Alaska  
Native Operators Compared with All  
Farms**



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



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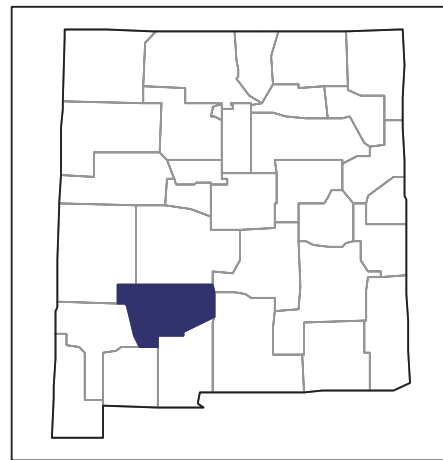
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**Sierra County – New Mexico**

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



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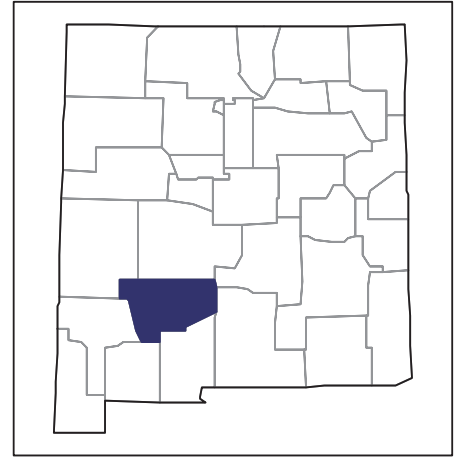




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**Sierra County – New Mexico**

**Farms with Black or African American  
Operators Compared with All Farms**



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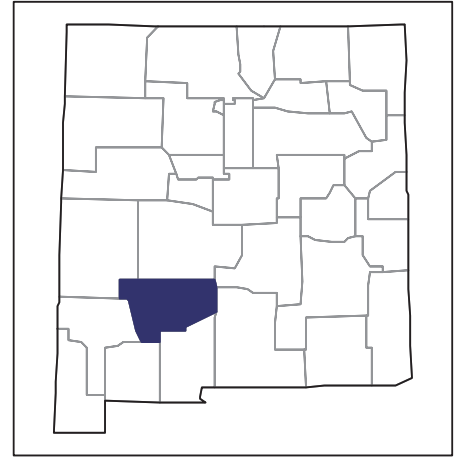
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### Farms with Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander Operators Compared with All Farms



Data are not available at this geographic level for farms with Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander operators.



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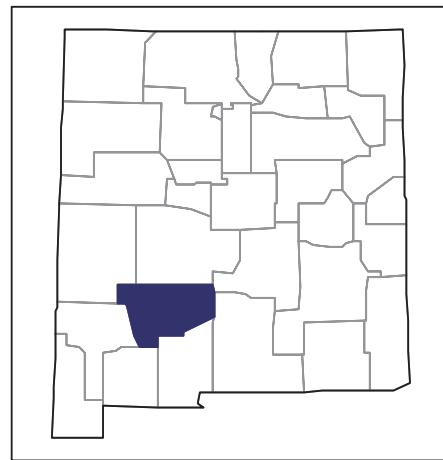
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**Farms with White Operators  
Compared with All Farms**



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