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Lamar County – Texas

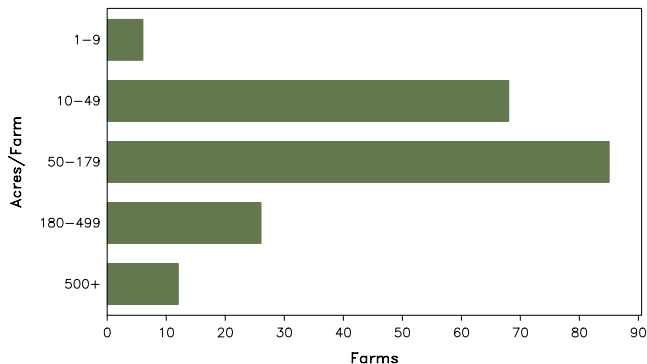
Farms with Women Principal Operators Compared with All Farms

	Women Principal Operators	All Farms
Number of Farms	197	1,817
Land in Farms	26,055 acres	521,001 acres
Average Size of Farm	132 acres	287 acres
Market Value of Products Sold	\$1,640,000	\$60,386,000
Crop Sales	\$804,000	\$26,573,000
Livestock Sales	\$837,000	\$33,813,000
Average Per Farm	\$8,326	\$33,234
Government Payments	\$145,000	\$3,768,000
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$2,838	\$7,566

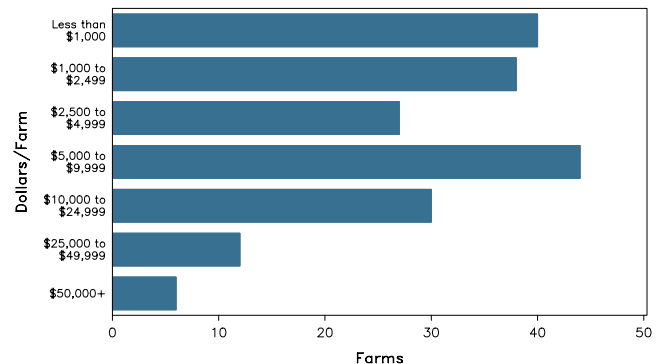
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Farms with Women Principal Operators

Farms by Size



Farms by Economic Size



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Lamar County – Texas Farms with Women Principal Operators

Selected Highlights

Item	Farms	Quantity
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)		
Total value of agricultural products sold	197	1,640
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	68	804
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	100	837
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)		
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	2	(D)
Tobacco	-	-
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-
Vegetables, melons, potatoes and sweet potatoes	-	-
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	6	(D)
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	5	122
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-
Other crops and hay	57	607
Poultry and eggs	6	(D)
Cattle and calves	78	708
Milk and other dairy products from cows	1	(D)
Hogs and pigs	-	-
Sheep, goats, and their products	18	19
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	7	92
Aquaculture	-	-
Other animals and other animal products	6	(D)
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)		
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	91	5,173
Wheat for grain, all	2	(D)
Apples	2	(D)
Pecans, all	3	17
Nursery stock	4	7
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)		
Cattle and calves	98	2,964
Goats, all	15	480
Sheep and lambs	9	393
Horses and ponies	59	320
Layers	10	178

Operator Characteristics

Item	Quantity
Primary occupation:	
Farming	68
Other	129
Days worked off farm:	
None	76
Any	121
Years on present farm:	
2 years or less	24
3 to 4 years	19
5 to 9 years	39
10 years or more	115
Age group:	
Under 45 years	37
45 to 64 years	79
65 years and over	81
Average age of principal operator (years)	59.3

Economic Characteristics

Item	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:	
Less than \$1,000	62
\$1,000 to \$2,499	34
\$2,500 to \$4,999	15
\$5,000 to \$9,999	40
\$10,000 to \$49,999	40
\$50,000 to \$99,999	5
\$100,000 to \$249,999	1
\$250,000 to \$499,999	-
\$500,000 or more	-
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	2,188
Average per farm (\$)	11,106
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	-306
Average per farm (\$)	-1,552
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (\$1,000)	24
Total organic product sales (\$1,000)	(D)
Total income from farm-related sources, gross before taxes and expenses (\$1,000)	97

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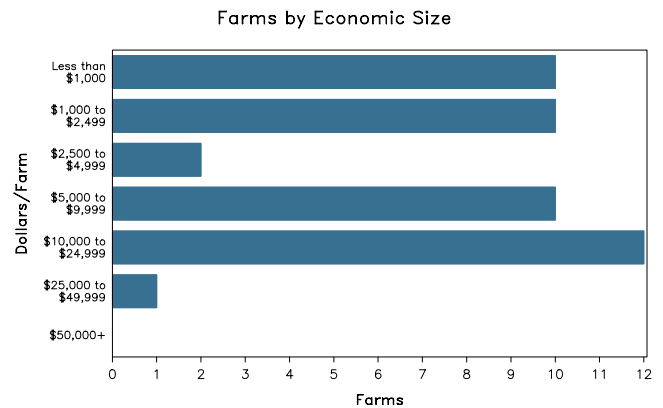
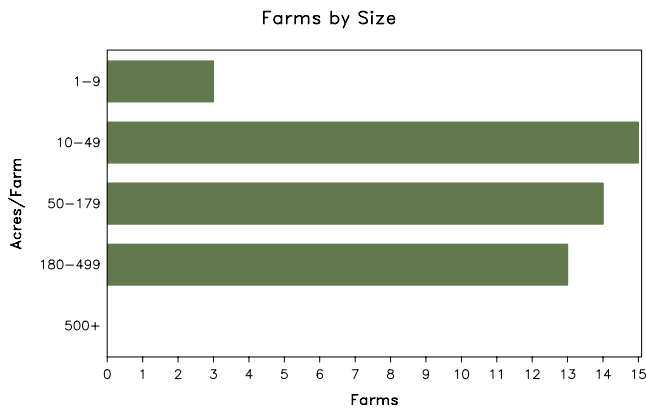
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Farms with Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Operators Compared with All Farms

	Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Operators	All Farms
Number of Farm Operators ¹	52	2,648
Number of Farms	45	1,817
Land in Farms	5,511 acres	521,001 acres
Average Size of Farm	122 acres	287 acres
Market Value of Products Sold	\$292,000	\$60,386,000
Crop Sales	\$136,000	\$26,573,000
Livestock Sales	\$157,000	\$33,813,000
Average Per Farm	\$6,494	\$33,234
Government Payments	\$46,000	\$3,768,000
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$3,302	\$7,566

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Farms with Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Operators



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Lamar County – Texas 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	45	292
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	13	136
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	25	157
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)		
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	-	-
Tobacco	-	-
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-
Vegetables, melons, potatoes and sweet potatoes	-	-
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	-	-
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	2	(D)
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-
Other crops and hay	11	(D)
Poultry and eggs	3	2
Cattle and calves	15	130
Milk and other dairy products from cows	-	-
Hogs and pigs	1	(D)
Sheep, goats, and their products	5	4
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	2	(D)
Aquaculture	-	-
Other animals and other animal products	3	16
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)		
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	21	799
Cut Christmas trees	2	(D)
Nursery stock	2	(D)
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)		
Cattle and calves	20	930
Sheep and lambs	3	354
Layers	5	121
Pullets for laying flock replacement	2	(D)
Elk	2	(D)

Operator Characteristics

Item	Quantity
Primary occupation:	
Farming	18
Other	34
Days worked off farm:	
None	24
Any	28
Years on present farm:	
2 years or less	2
3 to 4 years	2
5 to 9 years	12
10 years or more	36
Age group:	
Under 45 years	11
45 to 64 years	30
65 years and over	11
Average age (years)	55.6

Economic Characteristics

Item	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:	
Less than \$1,000	15
\$1,000 to \$2,499	10
\$2,500 to \$4,999	-
\$5,000 to \$9,999	7
\$10,000 to \$49,999	13
\$50,000 to \$99,999	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	-
\$500,000 or more	-
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	560
Average per farm (\$)	12,439
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	-215
Average per farm (\$)	-4,771
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (\$1,000)	-
Total organic product sales (\$1,000)	-
Total income from farm-related sources, gross before taxes and expenses (\$1,000)	7

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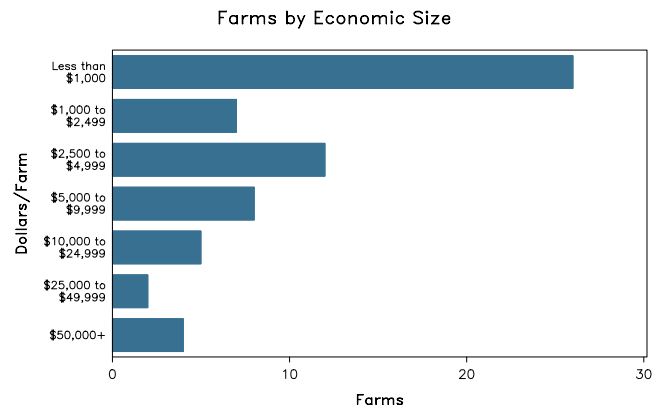
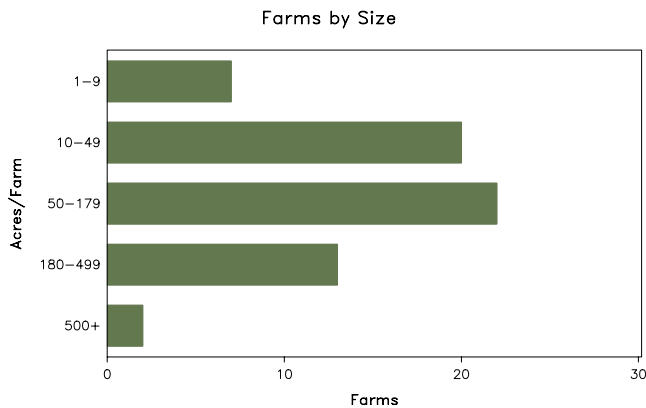
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Farms with American Indian or Alaska Native Operators Compared with All Farms

	American Indian or Alaska Native Operators ²	All Farms
Number of Farm Operators ¹	71	2,648
Number of Farms	64	1,817
Land in Farms	7,842 acres	521,001 acres
Average Size of Farm	123 acres	287 acres
Market Value of Products Sold	\$622,000	\$60,386,000
Crop Sales	\$305,000	\$26,573,000
Livestock Sales	\$318,000	\$33,813,000
Average Per Farm	\$9,726	\$33,234
Government Payments	\$34,000	\$3,768,000
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$4,231	\$7,566

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Farms with American Indian or Alaska Native Operators



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Selected Highlights

Item	Farms	Quantity
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)		
Total value of agricultural products sold	64	622
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	15	305
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	32	318
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)		
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	-	-
Tobacco	-	-
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-
Vegetables, melons, potatoes and sweet potatoes	-	-
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	2	(D)
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	-	-
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-
Other crops and hay	15	(D)
Poultry and eggs	5	-
Cattle and calves	27	309
Milk and other dairy products from cows	-	-
Hogs and pigs	1	(D)
Sheep, goats, and their products	4	8
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	-	-
Aquaculture	-	-
Other animals and other animal products	2	(D)
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)		
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	28	1,577
Pecans, all	2	(D)
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)		
Cattle and calves	37	1,072
Goats, all	7	331
Horses and ponies	22	155
Hogs and pigs	1	(D)
Layers	3	21

Operator Characteristics

Item	Quantity
Primary occupation:	
Farming	31
Other	40
Days worked off farm:	
None	20
Any	51
Years on present farm:	
2 years or less	4
3 to 4 years	13
5 to 9 years	14
10 years or more	40
Age group:	
Under 45 years	18
45 to 64 years	38
65 years and over	15
Average age (years)	54.2

Economic Characteristics

Item	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:	
Less than \$1,000	26
\$1,000 to \$2,499	7
\$2,500 to \$4,999	12
\$5,000 to \$9,999	8
\$10,000 to \$49,999	8
\$50,000 to \$99,999	2
\$100,000 to \$249,999	1
\$250,000 to \$499,999	-
\$500,000 or more	-
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	813
Average per farm (\$)	12,703
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	-133
Average per farm (\$)	-2,075
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (\$1,000)	(D)
Total organic product sales (\$1,000)	-
Total income from farm-related sources, gross before taxes and expenses (\$1,000)	24

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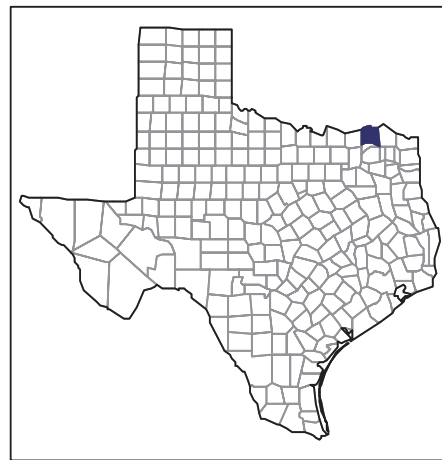
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Farms with Asian Operators
Compared with All Farms



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



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Farms with Black or African American Operators Compared with All Farms



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



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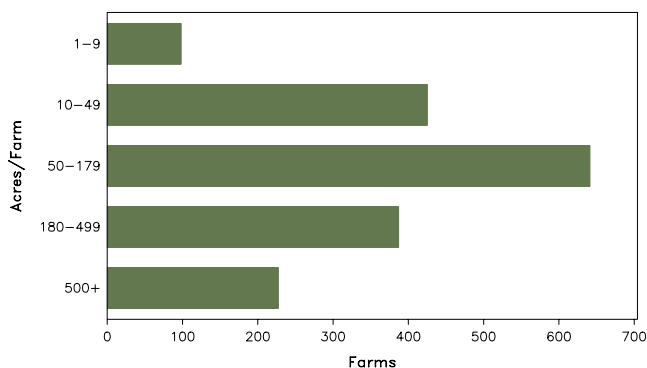
Farms with White Operators Compared with All Farms

	White Operators ²	All Farms
Number of Farm Operators ¹	2,582	2,648
Number of Farms	1,778	1,817
Land in Farms	516,780 acres	521,001 acres
Average Size of Farm	291 acres	287 acres
Market Value of Products Sold	\$60,058,000	\$60,386,000
Crop Sales	\$26,330,000	\$26,573,000
Livestock Sales	\$33,727,000	\$33,813,000
Average Per Farm	\$33,778	\$33,234
Government Payments	\$3,736,000	\$3,768,000
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$7,609	\$7,566

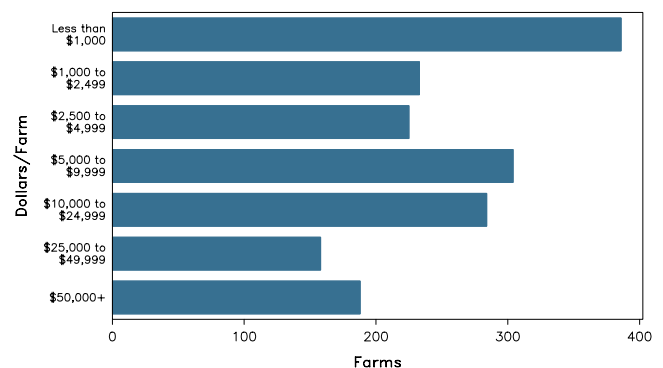
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Farms with White Operators

Farms by Size



Farms by Economic Size



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Lamar County – Texas Farms with White Operators

Selected Highlights

Item	Farms	Quantity
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)		
Total value of agricultural products sold	1,778	60,058
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	654	26,330
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	1,030	33,727
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)		
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	74	17,432
Tobacco	-	-
Cotton and cottonseed	10	519
Vegetables, melons, potatoes and sweet potatoes	5	(D)
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	59	(D)
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	10	130
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	1	(D)
Other crops and hay	537	(D)
Poultry and eggs	66	1,390
Cattle and calves	893	26,492
Milk and other dairy products from cows	13	5,157
Hogs and pigs	13	(D)
Sheep, goats, and their products	95	177
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	67	249
Aquaculture	4	139
Other animals and other animal products	30	(D)
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)		
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	984	92,133
Corn for grain	44	22,515
Wheat for grain, all	45	18,464
Sorghum for grain	14	8,044
Soybeans for beans	31	7,777
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)		
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	8	(D)
Cattle and calves	1,094	82,863
Horses and ponies	493	2,832
Quail	7	2,741
Goats, all	122	2,428

Operator Characteristics

Item	Quantity
Primary occupation:	
Farming	929
Other	1,653
Days worked off farm:	
None	729
Any	1,853
Years on present farm:	
2 years or less	149
3 to 4 years	246
5 to 9 years	574
10 years or more	1,613
Age group:	
Under 45 years	597
45 to 64 years	1,234
65 years and over	751
Average age (years)	55.5

Economic Characteristics

Item	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:	
Less than \$1,000	483
\$1,000 to \$2,499	210
\$2,500 to \$4,999	197
\$5,000 to \$9,999	292
\$10,000 to \$49,999	425
\$50,000 to \$99,999	85
\$100,000 to \$249,999	42
\$250,000 to \$499,999	16
\$500,000 or more	28
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	54,929
Average per farm (\$)	30,894
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	11,437
Average per farm (\$)	6,432
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (\$1,000)	(D)
Total organic product sales (\$1,000)	10
Total income from farm-related sources, gross before taxes and expenses (\$1,000)	2,572

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