

**Table 69. Selected Farm Characteristics - Farms with New and Beginning Producers: 2022 and 2017**

[Data were collected for a maximum of four producers per farm. For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text.]

| Characteristics   | 2022      | 2017       | Characteristics   | 2022  | 2017  |
|---|-----------|------------|---|-------|-------|
| <b>FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS</b>  |           |            | <b>FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM (NAICS) - Con.</b>                      |       |       |
| Farms .....   | 4,556     | 5,031      | Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114) .....                                     | 97    | 97    |
| Land in farms .....   | 6,173,525 | 12,855,815 | Other crop farming (1119) .....   | 466   | 384   |
| <b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>  |           |            | Tobacco farming (11191) .....   | -     | -     |
| 1 to 9 acres .....  | 2,335     | 2,433      | Cotton farming (11192) .....  | 30    | 31    |
| 10 to 49 acres .....  | 967       | 1,022      | Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199) .....            | 436   | 353   |
| 50 to 179 acres .....   | 465       | 498        | Beef cattle ranching and farming (11211) .....  | 1,111 | 1,382 |
| 180 to 499 acres .....  | 257       | 254        | Cattle feedlots (11212) .....   | 5     | 17    |
| 500 acres or more .....   | 532       | 824        | Dairy cattle and milk production (11212) .....  | 21    | 36    |
| <b>OWNED AND RENTED LAND IN FARMS</b>   |           |            | Hog and pig farming (1122) .....  | 49    | 54    |
| Owned land in farms .....   | 4,261     | 4,710      | Poultry and egg production (1123) .....   | 175   | 83    |
| acres .....   | 5,540,273 | 12,176,582 | Sheep and goat farming (1124) .....   | 1,029 | 1,263 |
| Rented or leased land in farms .....  | 636       | 687        | Aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129) .....  | 900   | 1,093 |
| acres .....   | 633,252   | 679,233    | <b>OTHER FARM CHARACTERISTICS</b>   |       |       |
| <b>TENURE</b>   |           |            | Farms by-   |       |       |
| Full owners .....   | 2,266     | 1,874      | Type of organization:   |       |       |
| acres .....   | 5,115,895 | 10,413,499 | Operation more than 50 percent owned by one producer's household and/or extended family .....     |       |       |
| Part owners .....   | 411       | 584        | Limited Liability Company .....   |       |       |
| acres .....   | 581,263   | 808,637    | 4,177   |       |       |
| Tenants .....   | 1,879     | 2,573      | 777   |       |       |
| acres .....   | 476,367   | 1,633,679  | Operation's legal status for tax purposes:  |       |       |
| <b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS</b>   |           |            | Family or individual .....  |       |       |
| Total .....   | 4,556     | 5,031      | Partnership .....   |       |       |
| \$1,000 .....   | 1,241,515 | 1,036,238  | Corporation .....   |       |       |
| <b>FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS</b>  |           |            | Other - estate or trust, prison farm, grazing association, American Indian Reservation, etc. .... |       |       |
| Market value of agricultural products sold .....  | 4,556     | 5,031      | Number of producers:  |       |       |
| \$1,000 .....   | 1,229,853 | 1,030,740  | 1 producer .....  |       |       |
| Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops .....   | 1,222     | 1,181      | 2 producers .....   |       |       |
| \$1,000 .....   | 737,309   | 622,557    | 3 producers .....   |       |       |
| Livestock, poultry, and their products .....  | 2,218     | 2,483      | 4 producers .....   |       |       |
| \$1,000 .....   | 492,544   | 408,183    | 5 or more producers .....   |       |       |
| Government payments .....   | 571       | 219        | Number of male producers:   |       |       |
| \$1,000 .....   | 11,661    | 5,497      | 1 producer .....  |       |       |
| <b>FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM (NAICS)</b>   |           |            | 2 producers .....   |       |       |
| Oilseed and grain farming (1111) .....  | 68        | 49         | 3 producers .....   |       |       |
| Vegetable and melon farming (1112) .....  | 283       | 293        | 4 producers .....   |       |       |
| Fruit and tree nut farming (1113) .....   | 352       | 280        | 5 or more producers .....   |       |       |
| <b>COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION (CCC) LOANS AND FEDERAL FARM PROGRAM PAYMENTS</b>                                     |           |            | Number of female producers:   |       |       |
| CCC loans .....   | 6         | 6          | 1 producer .....  |       |       |
| \$1,000 .....   | (D)       | 454        | 2 producers .....   |       |       |
| Conservation Reserve, Wetlands Reserve, Farmable Wetlands, or Conservation Reserve Enhancement Program payments ..... | 1         | -          | 3 producers .....   |       |       |
| \$1,000 .....   | (D)       | -          | 4 producers .....   |       |       |
| Other Federal farm program payments .....   | 570       | 219        | 5 or more producers .....   |       |       |
| \$1,000 .....   | (D)       | 5,497      | Farms reporting-  |       |       |
| <b>FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM (NAICS)</b>   |           |            | Internet access .....   |       |       |
| Oilseed and grain farming (1111) .....  | 68        | 49         | Dial-up .....   |       |       |
| Vegetable and melon farming (1112) .....  | 283       | 293        | Broadband (DSL, cable, fiber optic) (see text) .....  |       |       |
| Fruit and tree nut farming (1113) .....   | 352       | 280        | Cellular data plan (see text) .....   |       |       |
| <b>COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION (CCC) LOANS AND FEDERAL FARM PROGRAM PAYMENTS</b>                                     |           |            | Satellite .....   |       |       |
| CCC loans .....   | 6         | 6          | Don't know .....  |       |       |
| \$1,000 .....   | (D)       | 454        | Other .....   |       |       |
| Conservation Reserve, Wetlands Reserve, Farmable Wetlands, or Conservation Reserve Enhancement Program payments ..... | 1         | -          | Farms by number of households sharing in net income of operation:                                 |       |       |
| \$1,000 .....   | (D)       | -          | 1 household .....   |       |       |
| Other Federal farm program payments .....   | 570       | 219        | 2 households .....  |       |       |
| \$1,000 .....   | (D)       | 5,497      | 3 households .....  |       |       |
| <b>FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM (NAICS)</b>   |           |            | 4 households .....  |       |       |
| Oilseed and grain farming (1111) .....  | 68        | 49         | 5 or more households .....  |       |       |
| Vegetable and melon farming (1112) .....  | 283       | 293        | 3,540   |       |       |
| Fruit and tree nut farming (1113) .....   | 352       | 280        | 564   |       |       |
| <b>COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION (CCC) LOANS AND FEDERAL FARM PROGRAM PAYMENTS</b>                                     |           |            | 2,350   |       |       |
| CCC loans .....   | 6         | 6          | 865   |       |       |
| \$1,000 .....   | (D)       | 454        | 148   |       |       |
| Conservation Reserve, Wetlands Reserve, Farmable Wetlands, or Conservation Reserve Enhancement Program payments ..... | 1         | -          | 47  |       |       |
| \$1,000 .....   | (D)       | -          | 3,415   |       |       |
| Other Federal farm program payments .....   | 570       | 219        | 62  |       |       |
| \$1,000 .....   | (D)       | 5,497      | 1,364   |       |       |
| <b>FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM (NAICS)</b>   |           |            | 2,350   |       |       |
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| \$1,000 .....   | (D)       | -          | 2,350   |       |       |
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