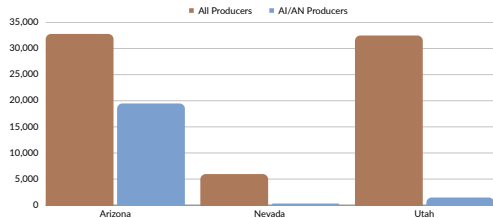




FARM & AGRICULTURE REPORT

AMERICAN INDIAN, ALASKA NATIVE PRODUCERS

BIA West Region: Arizona – Nevada – Utah



AI/AN average farm size is:

4,008 acres

Non-Native farms in this region average 1,249 acres¹

The average size of AI/AN farms and ranches is more than three times the size of non-Native farms and ranches in the West Region.⁴

Total AI/AN Market Value of Agricultural Sales:

\$177,330,000



Average Market Value of AI/AN Agricultural Sales:

NV – \$91,974
AZ – \$11,740
UT – \$19,007



Average AI/AN net farm income **\$13,710**

Non-Native producers average \$27,637

Lower net farm income is one contributing factor to credit access in Indian Country food and agriculture.



54%

AI/AN Producers Do Not Have Broadband Access²

Top AI/AN Produced Crops⁵



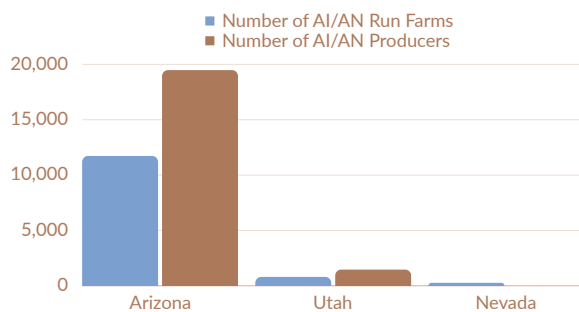
NV – Forage, wheat, apricots
AZ – Forage, cotton, wheat
UT – Forage, crambe, vegetables



Top AI/AN Produced Livestock⁶

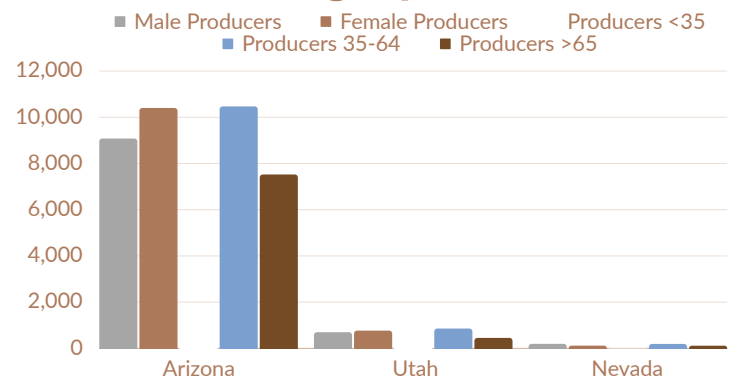
NV	AZ	UT
Cattle - 88 farms	Sheep - 3,573 farms	Sheep - 234 farms
Horses - 31 farms	Cattle - 1,897 farms	Cattle - 137 farms
Poultry - 22 farms	Horses - 554 farms	Horses - 554 farms

Characteristics⁷



More than 60% of producers in Arizona are AI/AN.

AI/AN Demographics⁸



While the number of female and male producers are nearly the same in this region, female producers make up only 9% of all producers in the country, according to the USDA 2017 Census of Agriculture



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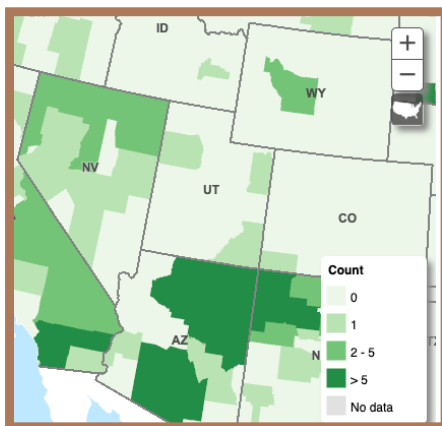
BIA West Region: Arizona – Nevada – Utah

Number of Tribal Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) Participants

NV – 24,730
 AZ – 188,850
 UT – 6,172

Total Food Distribution Program on Indian Reservations (FDPIR) Participants¹⁰

NV – 710
 AZ – 4,211
 UT – 193



2015 FDPIR Sites

USDA Food Environment Atlas

2017 Ag Census Fast Facts:



The Navajo developed peach is drought resistant and grows well across Utah.

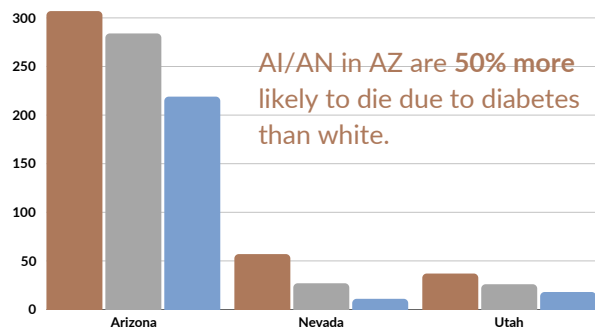


Arizona has the largest concentration of American Indian farms.



Nevada has the highest percentage of Native military veterans as producers with 12%

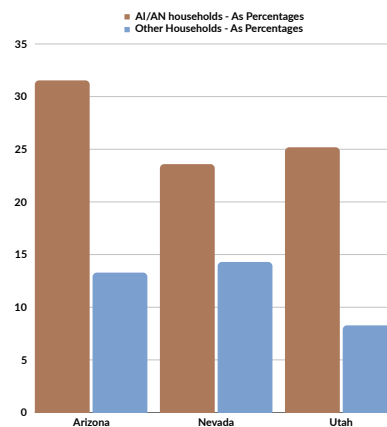
Number of Nutrition Related Deaths in AI/AN Individuals¹¹



Total number of deaths of AI/AN individuals in 2018: cancer grey), diabetes (blue), heart disease (brown)

Family Poverty Rates for 2023¹²

The poverty rate for AI/AN families in the West Region is more than double the rate for all other households, and there is high participation in SNAP and Food Distribution Program on Indian Reservations (FDPIR).



Arizona and Utah are part of two separate BIA regions, but all information for the entirety of both states has been included here.

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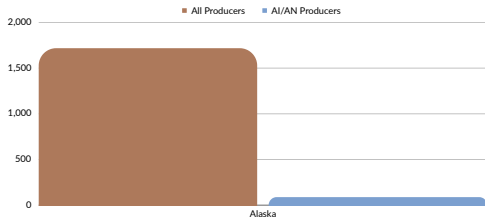
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FARM & AGRICULTURE REPORT

AMERICAN INDIAN, ALASKA NATIVE PRODUCERS

BIA Alaska Region: Alaska



AI/AN average farm size is:

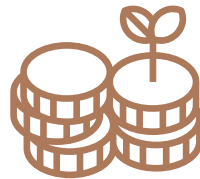
4,379 acres

Non-Native farms in this region average 858 acres¹

The average size of AI/AN farms and ranches is more than five times the size of non-Native farms and ranches in the Alaska Region.⁴

Total AI/AN Market Value of Agricultural Sales :

\$2,255,000



Per Farm Average AI/AN Market Value of Agricultural Sales :

\$30,466



Average AI/AN net farm income **\$4,061**

Non-Native producers average \$14,457

Lower net farm income is one contributing factor to credit access in Indian Country food and agriculture.



12%

AI/AN Producers Do Not Have Broadband Access²

Top AI/AN Produced Crops⁵



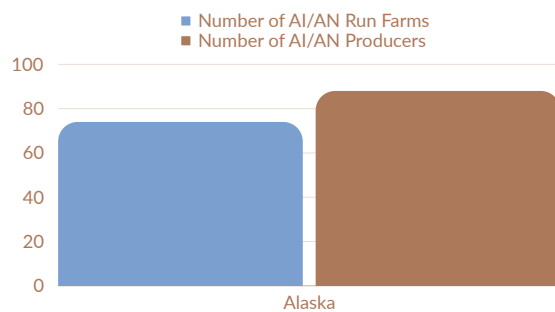
- Grains, Oilseeds, Dry Beans, Dry Peas
- Tobacco
- Cotton and Cottonseed



Top AI/AN Produced Livestock⁶

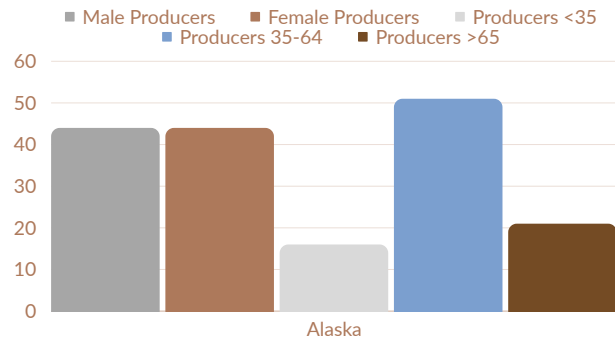
Poultry - 16 farms Cattle - 9 farms Hogs and Pigs - 2 farms

Characteristics⁷



Less than 8% of producers in Alaska are AI/AN.

AI/AN Demographics⁸



While the number of female and male producers are nearly the same in this region, female producers make up only 9% of all producers in the country, according to the USDA 2017 Census of Agriculture



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AMERICAN INDIAN, ALASKA NATIVE PRODUCERS

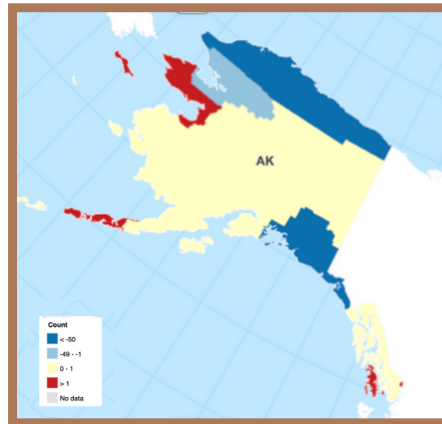
BIA Alaska Region: Alaska

Number of Tribal Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) Participants

10,599

Total Food Distribution Program on Indian Reservations (FDPIR) Participants¹⁰

223



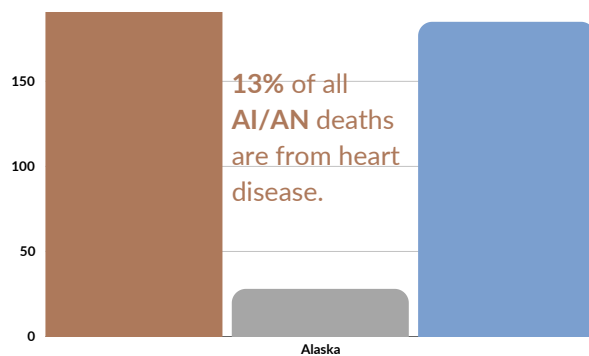
2015 FDPIR Sites
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2017 Ag Census Fast Facts:



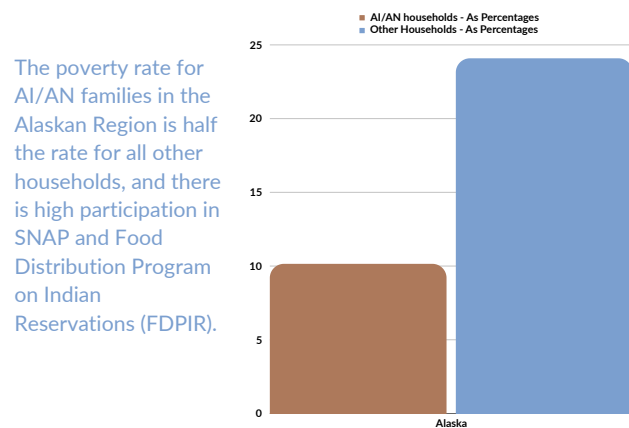
Almost half of the farmers in Alaska are new or beginning farmers,

Number of Nutrition Related Deaths in AI/AN Individuals¹¹



Total number of deaths of AI/AN individuals in 2018: cancer grey), diabetes (blue), heart disease (brown)

Family Poverty Rates for 2023¹²



The poverty rate for AI/AN families in the Alaskan Region is half the rate for all other households, and there is high participation in SNAP and Food Distribution Program on Indian Reservations (FDPIR).

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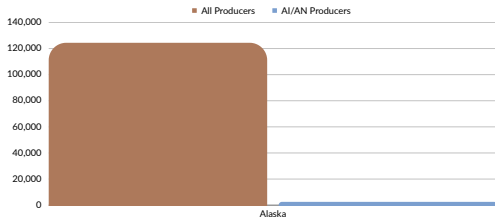
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FARM & AGRICULTURE REPORT

AMERICAN INDIAN, ALASKA NATIVE PRODUCERS

BIA California Region: California



AI/AN average farm size is:

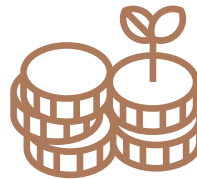
285 acres

Non-Native farms in this region average 348 acres ¹

*AI/AN farmers and ranchers are more likely to be a veteran than non-Native farmers and ranchers in the California Region.*⁴

Total AI/AN Market Value of Agricultural Sales :

\$505,627,000



Per Farm Average AI/AN Market Value of Agricultural Sales :

\$234,848



Average AI/AN net farm income **\$33,910**

Non-Native producers average \$126,351

Lower net farm income is one contributing factor to credit access in Indian Country food and agriculture.



18%

AI/AN Producers Do Not Have Broadband Access²

Top AI/AN Produced Crops⁵



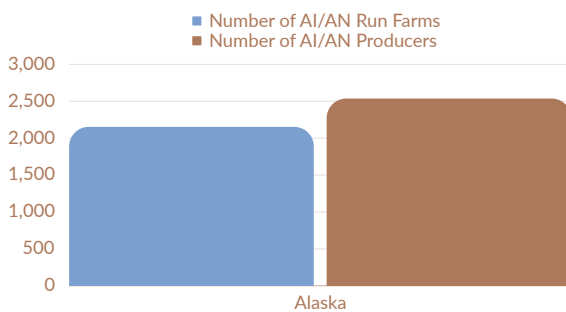
- Forage
- Almonds
- Vegetables



Top AI/AN Produced Livestock⁶

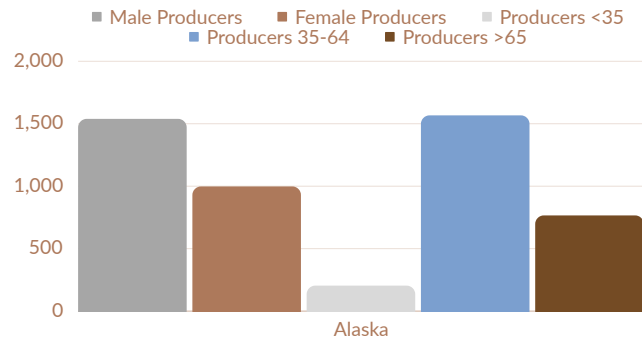
Poultry - 208 farms Cattle - 363 farms Sheep, goats- 186 farms

Characteristics⁷



Less than 2% of producers in California are AI/AN.

AI/AN Demographics⁸



While the number of male producers is much larger than female producers, female producers make up only 9% of all producers in the country, according to the USDA 2017 Census of Agriculture



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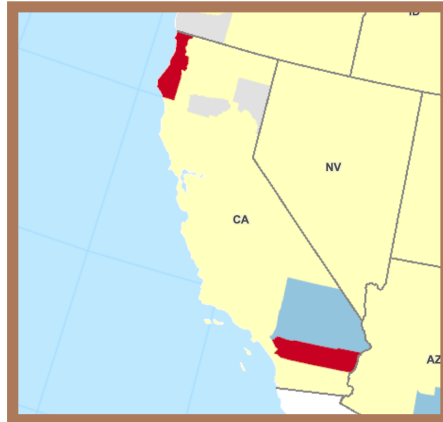
BIA California Region: California

Number of Tribal Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) Participants

17,444

Total Food Distribution Program on Indian Reservations (FDPIR) Participants¹⁰

2,349



2015 FDPIR Sites

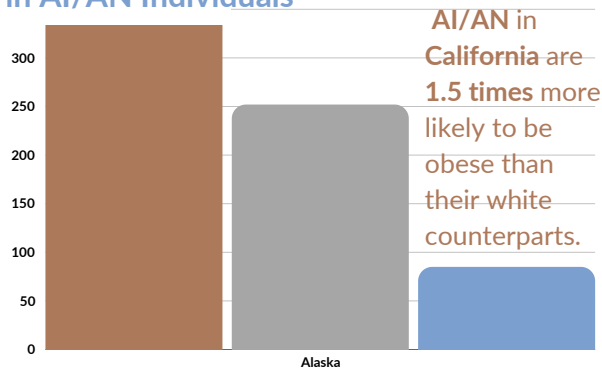
USDA Food Environment Atlas

2017 Ag Census Fast Facts:



The total market value of products sold by AI/AN producers is \$505,627,000, which is 1% of all farms in California.

Number of Nutrition Related Deaths in AI/AN Individuals¹¹

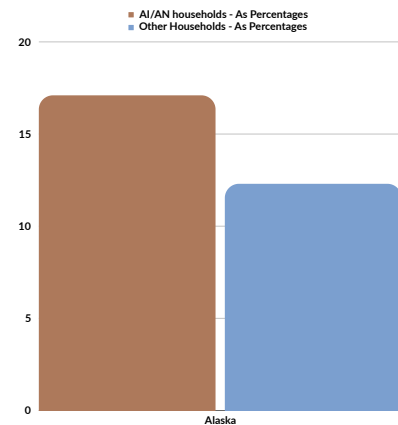


AI/AN in California are 1.5 times more likely to be obese than their white counterparts.

Total number of deaths of AI/AN individuals in 2018: cancer (grey), diabetes (blue), heart disease (brown)

Family Poverty Rates for 2023¹²

The poverty rate for AI/AN families in the California Region is double the rate of their white counterparts, and there is high participation in SNAP and Food Distribution Program on Indian Reservations (FDPIR).



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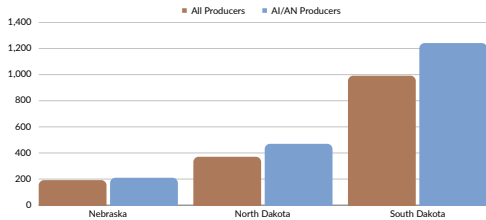
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FARM & AGRICULTURE REPORT

AMERICAN INDIAN, ALASKA NATIVE PRODUCERS

BIA Great Plains Region: Nebraska - North Dakota - South Dakota



AI/AN average farm size is:

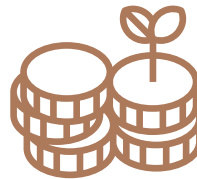
2,101 acres

Non-Native farms in this region average 1,302 acres ¹

AI/AN farms and ranches have two times less farm expenses than non-Native farms and ranches in Nebraska.⁴

Total AI/AN Market Value of Agricultural Sales:

\$213,269,000



Average Market Value of AI/AN Agricultural Sales:

NE - \$173,301
 ND - \$125,504
 SD - \$168,502



Average AI/AN net farm income **\$86,206**

Non-Native producers average \$155,619

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18%

AI/AN Producers Do Not Have Broadband Access²

Top AI/AN Produced Crops⁵



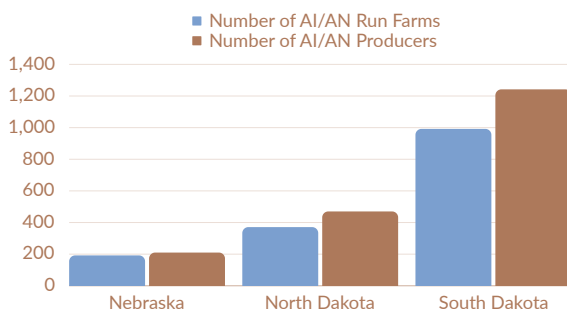
NE - Corn, forage, soybeans
 ND - Forage, wheat, soybeans
 SD - Forage, wheat, corn



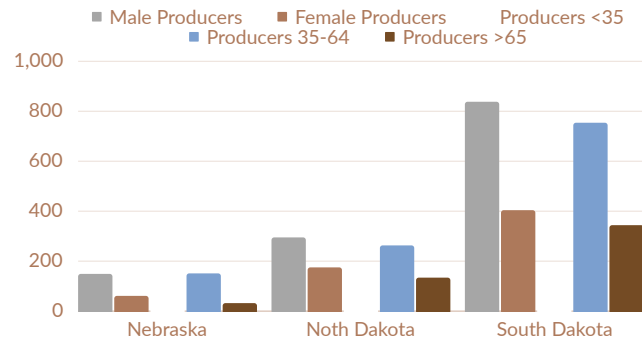
Top AI/AN Produced Livestock⁶

NE	ND	SD
Cattle - 85 farms	Sheep - 3,573 farms	Broilers - 41 farms
Layers - 20 farms	Cattle - 1,897 farms	Cattle - 680 farms
Horses - 13 farms	Horses - 554 farms	Goats - 26 farms

Characteristics⁷



AI/AN Demographics⁸



While the number of male producers far outnumbers the female producers in this region, female producers make up only 9% of all producers in the country, according to the USDA 2017 Census of Agriculture



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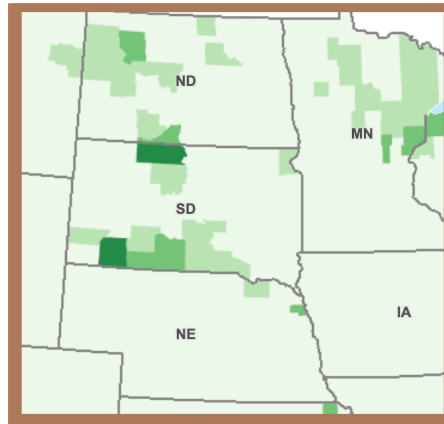
BIA Great Plains Region: Nebraska - North Dakota - South Dakota

Number of Tribal Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) Participants

NE – 6,182
 ND – 2,251
 SD – 10,749

Total Food Distribution Program on Indian Reservations (FDPIR) Participants¹⁰

NE – 729
 ND – 3,673
 SD – 5,836



2015 FDPIR Sites

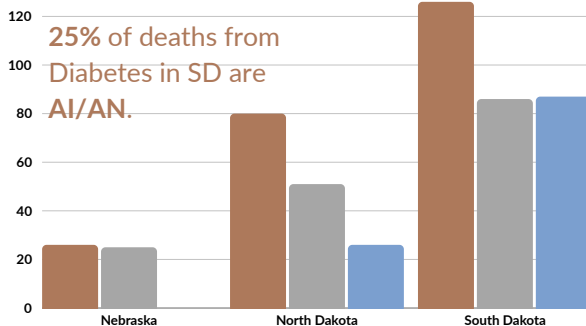
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2017 Ag Census Fast Facts:



More than 80% of the harvested cropland on South Dakota Reservations is controlled by non-native producers.

Number of Nutrition Related Deaths in AI/AN Individuals¹¹

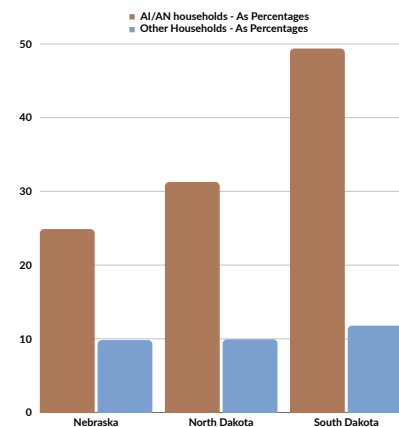


25% of deaths from Diabetes in SD are AI/AN.

Total number of deaths of AI/AN individuals in 2018: cancer grey, diabetes (blue), heart disease (brown)

Family Poverty Rates for 2023¹²

The poverty rate for AI/AN families in the Great Plains Region is more than double the rate for all other households, and there is high participation in SNAP and Food Distribution Program on Indian Reservations (FDPIR).



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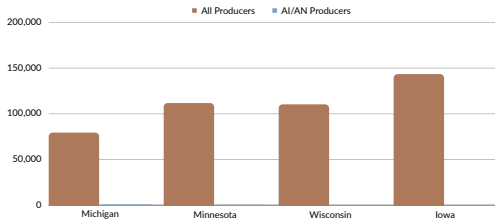
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FARM & AGRICULTURE REPORT

AMERICAN INDIAN, ALASKA NATIVE PRODUCERS

BIA Midwest Region: Michigan - Minnesota - Wisconsin - Iowa



AI/AN average farm size is:

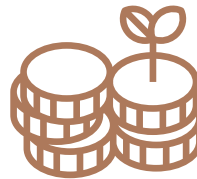
774 acres

Non-Native farms in this region average 885 acres ¹

Native American Minnesotans account for 1.4% of the population, but only 0.16% of farmers.

Total AI/AN Market Value of Agricultural Sales:

\$101,350.75



Average Market Value of AI/AN Agricultural Sales:

MI — \$57,518
 MN — \$106,398
 WI — \$85,321
 IA — \$156,166



Average AI/AN net farm income **\$18,252.50**

Non-Native producers average \$55,222

Lower net farm income is one contributing factor to credit access in Indian Country food and agriculture.



20%

AI/AN Producers Do Not Have Broadband Access²

Top AI/AN Produced Crops⁵



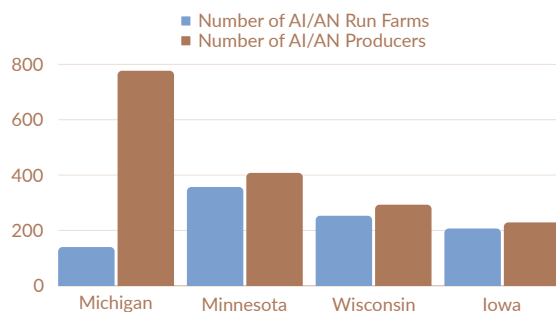
MI — Soybeans, forage, corn
 MN — Wild rice, soybeans, corn
 WI — Soybeans, forage, corn
 IA — Corn, soybeans, forage,



Top AI/AN Produced Livestock⁶

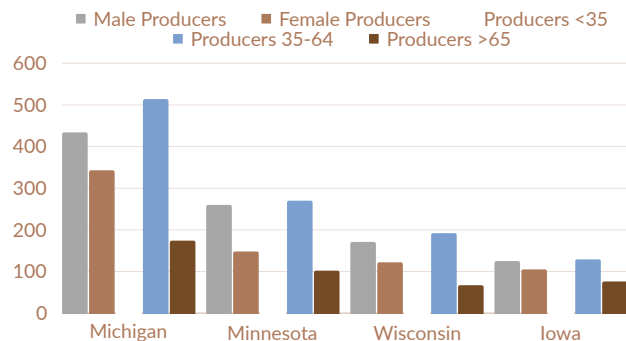
State	Broilers	Hogs	Cattle	Poultry
MI	167 farms	60 farms	109 farms	60 farms
MN	34 farms	34 farms	58 farms	58 farms
WI	77 farms	51 farms	13 farms	13 farms
IA	10 farms	33 farms	16 farms	16 farms

Characteristics⁷



There are 5 producers for every AI/AN farm in Michigan

AI/AN Demographics⁸



While the number of female and male producers are nearly the same in this region, female producers make up only 9% of all producers in the country, according to the USDA 2017 Census of Agriculture



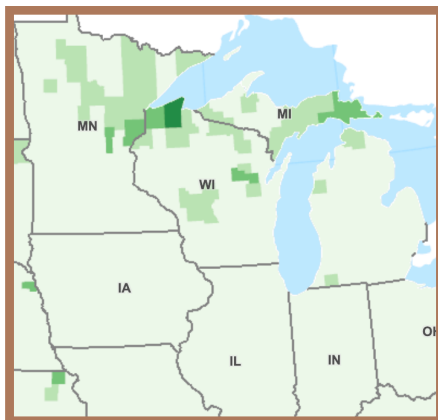
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BIA Midwest Region: Michigan - Minnesota - Wisconsin - Iowa

Number of Tribal Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) Participants

MI – 73,234
 MN – 49,466
 WI – 45,647
 IA – 3,688



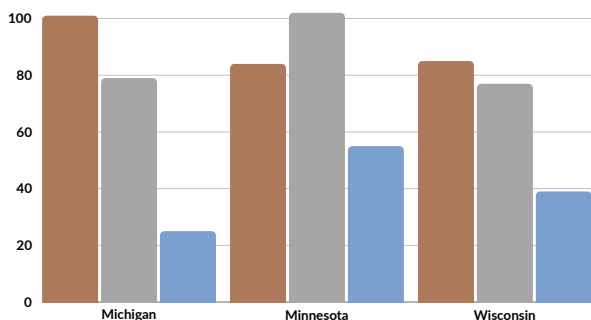
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Total Food Distribution Program on Indian Reservations (FDPIR) Participants¹⁰

MI – 1,067
 MN – 1,061
 WI – 1,250
 IA – Does not participate in FDPIR

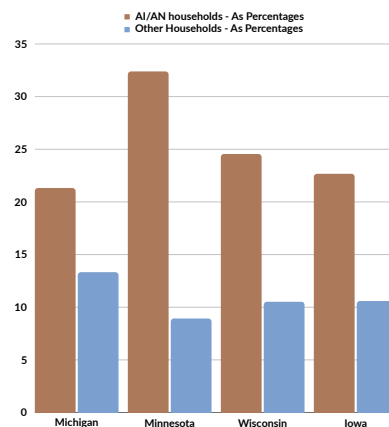
Number of Nutrition Related Deaths in AI/AN Individuals¹¹



Total number of deaths of AI/AN individuals in 2018: cancer (grey), diabetes (blue), heart disease (brown) (Iowa had no data)

Family Poverty Rates for 2023¹²

The poverty rate for AI/AN families in the Midwest Region is more than double the rate for all other households, and there is high participation in SNAP and Food Distribution Program on Indian Reservations (FDPIR).



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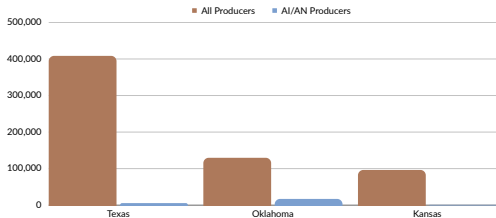
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FARM & AGRICULTURE REPORT

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BIA Southern Plains and Eastern Oklahoma Regions: TX - OK - KS



AI/AN average farm size is:

352 acres

Non-Native farms in this region average 576 acres ¹



Quick fact:
Oklahoma has more Tribally-operated meat processing facilities than any other state

Total AI/AN Market Value of Agricultural Sales:

\$1,073,155,000



Average Market Value of AI/AN Agricultural Sales:

TX - \$67,285
OK - \$41,100
KS - \$196,424



Average AI/AN net farm income **\$10,512**

Non-Native producers average \$27, 225

Lower net farm income is one contributing factor to credit access in Indian Country food and agriculture.



32%

AI/AN Producers Do Not Have Broadband Access²

Top AI/AN Produced Crops⁵



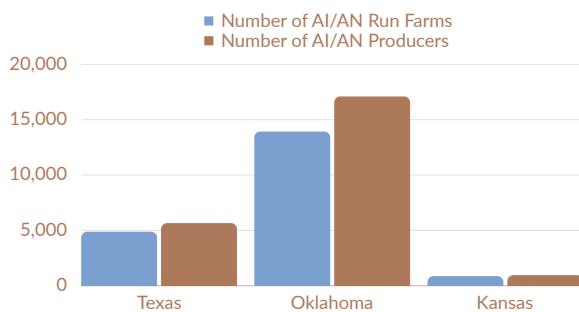
TX - Forage, cotton, wheat
OK - Forage, wheat, soybeans
KS - Forage, wheat, soybeans



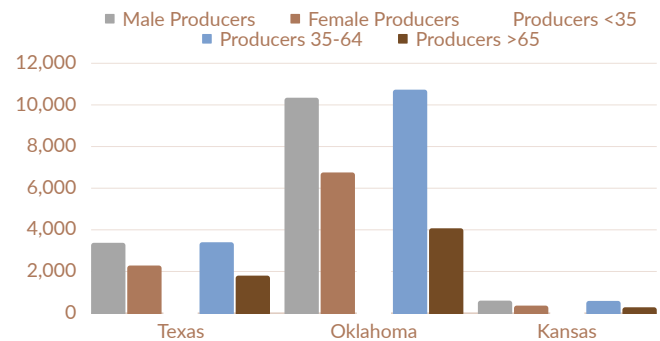
Top AI/AN Produced Livestock⁶

State	Broilers	Cattle	Horses
TX	586 farms	1922 farms	364 farms
OK	1,328 farms	8,087 farms	511 farms
KS	433 farms	71 farms	53 farms

Characteristics⁷



AI/AN Demographics⁸



While the number of female and male producers are nearly the same in some parts of this region, female producers make up only 9% of all producers in the country, according to the USDA 2017 Census of Agriculture



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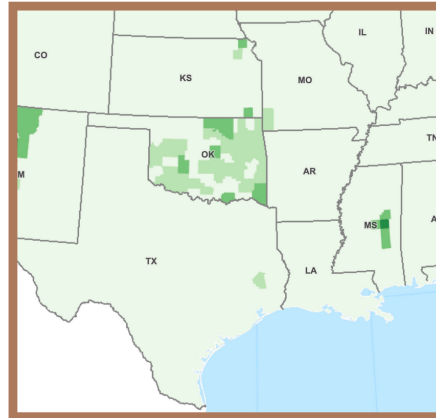
BIA Southern Plains and Eastern Oklahoma Region: TX- OK - KS

Number of Tribal Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) Participants

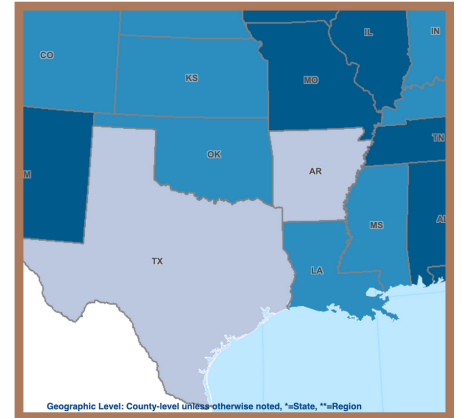
TX – 209,622
 OK – 116,683
 KS – 6,151

Total Food Distribution Program on Indian Reservations (FDPIR) Participants¹⁰

TX – 183
 OK – 15,848
 KS – 390

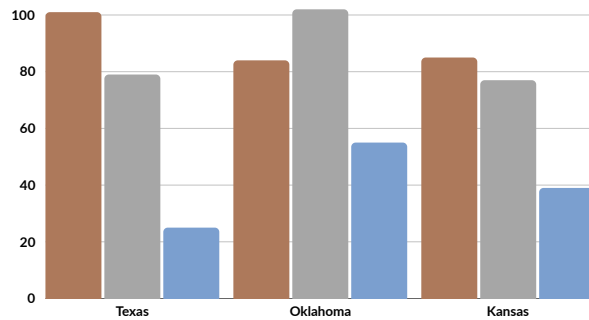


2015 FDPIR Sites
 USDA Food Environment Atlas



2016 % SNAP Eligibility
 USDA Food Environment Atlas

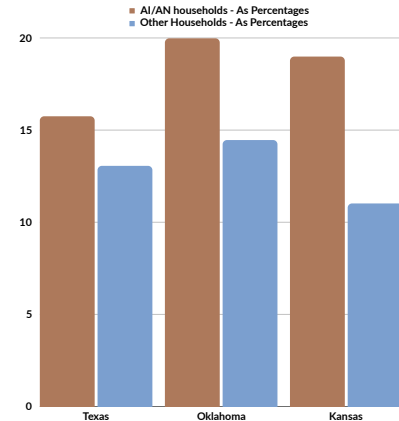
Number of Nutrition Related Deaths in AI/AN Individuals¹¹



Total number of deaths of AI/AN individuals in 2018: cancer grey), diabetes (blue), heart disease (brown)

Family Poverty Rates for 2023¹²

The poverty rate for AI/AN families in the Southern Plains and Eastern Oklahoma Region is not as high as other regions, but there is still high participation in SNAP and Food Distribution Program on Indian Reservations (FDPIR).



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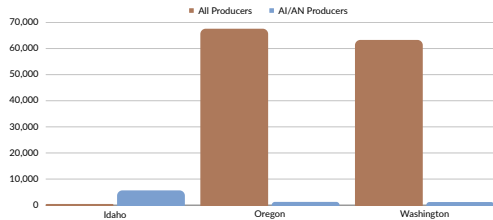
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FARM & AGRICULTURE REPORT

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BIA Northwest Region: Idaho - Oregon - Washington



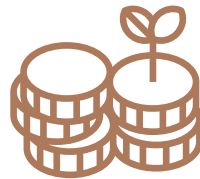
AI/AN average farm size is:
1,634 acres

Non-Native farms in this region average 434 acres ¹

The average size of AI/AN farms and ranches is almost four times the size of non-Native farms and ranches in the Northwest Region.⁴

Total AI/AN Market Value of Agricultural Sales:

\$1,073,155,000



Average Market Value of AI/AN Agricultural Sales:

ID - \$153,986
OR - \$52,887
WA - \$79,643



Average AI/AN net farm income
\$16,215

Non-Native producers average \$39,967

Lower net farm income is one contributing factor to credit access in Indian Country food and agriculture.



14%

AI/AN Producers Do Not Have Broadband Access²

Top AI/AN Produced Crops⁵



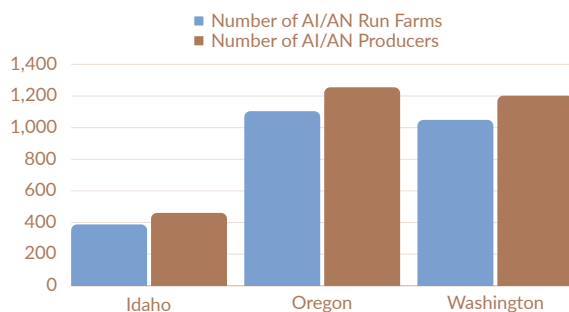
ID - Forage, corn, wheat
OR - Forage, wheat, cherries
WA - Wheat, forage, corn



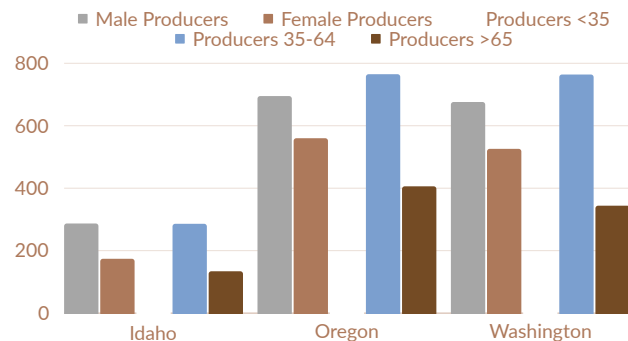
Top AI/AN Produced Livestock⁶

ID	OR	WA
Cattle- 147 farms	Cattle- 335 farms	Cattle- 261 farms
Layers - 60 farms	Horses - 73 farms	Layers - 179 farms
Horses - 39 farms	Layers- 195 farms	Sheep - 114 farms

Characteristics⁷



AI/AN Demographics⁸



While the number of female and male producers are nearly the same in some parts of this region, female producers make up only 9% of all producers in the country, according to the USDA 2017 Census of Agriculture



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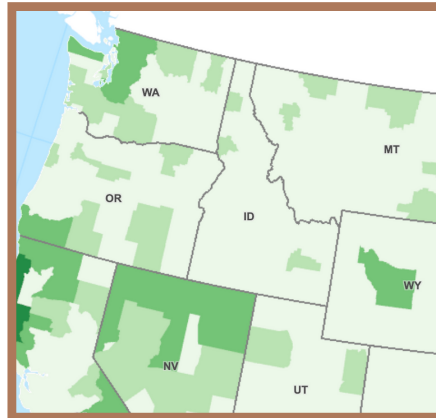
BIA Northwest Region: Idaho - Oregon - Washington

Number of Tribal Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) Participants

ID – 209,622
 OR – 116,683
 WA – 6,151

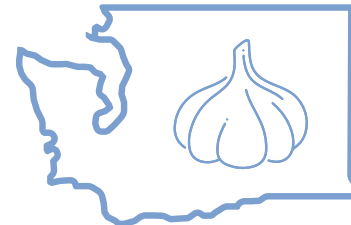
Total Food Distribution Program on Indian Reservations (FDPIR) Participants¹⁰

ID – 183
 OR – 15,848
 WA – 390



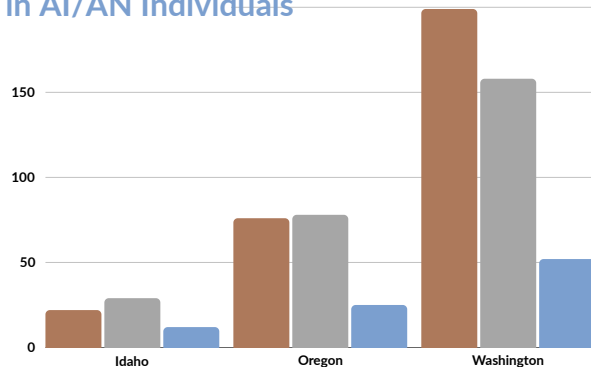
2015 FDPIR Sites
 USDA Food Environment Atlas

2017 Ag Census Fast Facts:



One of the traditional plants harvested by the Colville Nation is Inchelium red garlic. It is the oldest strain of garlic grown in America.

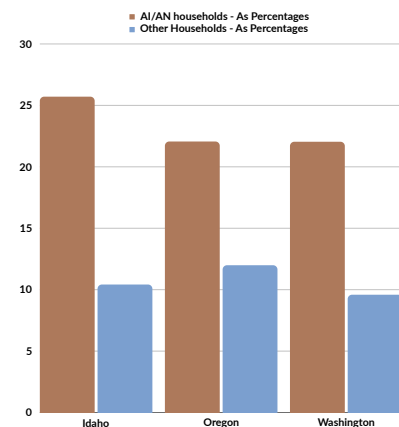
Number of Nutrition Related Deaths in AI/AN Individuals¹¹



Total number of deaths of AI/AN individuals in 2018: cancer (grey), diabetes (blue), heart disease (brown)

Family Poverty Rates for 2023¹²

The poverty rate for AI/AN families in the Northwest Region is more than double the rate for all other households, and there is high participation in SNAP and Food Distribution Program on Indian Reservations (FDPIR).



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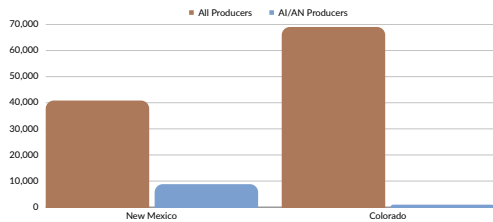
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BIA Southwest Region: New Mexico - Colorado



AI/AN average farm size is:
1,260 acres

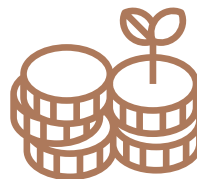
Non-Native farms in this region average 1,221 acres¹



21 % of all producers in New Mexico are AI/AN.⁴

Total AI/AN Market Value of Agricultural Sales :

\$190,435,000



Average Market Value of AI/AN Agricultural Sales:

NM — \$17,236
CO — \$98,446



Average AI/AN net farm income
\$3,395

Non-Native producers average \$21,727

Lower net farm income is one contributing factor to credit access in Indian Country food and agriculture.



43%

AI/AN Producers Do Not Have Broadband Access²

Top AI/AN Produced Crops⁵



NM — Forage, wheat, sorghum
CO — Forage, corn, wheat

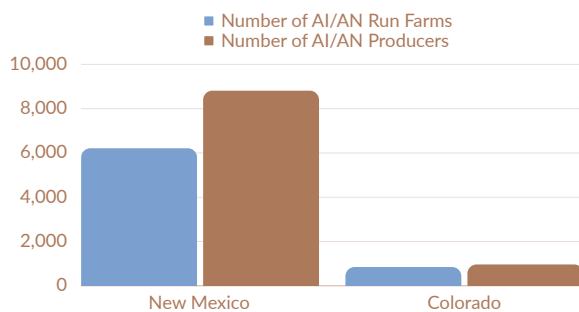


Top AI/AN Produced Livestock⁶

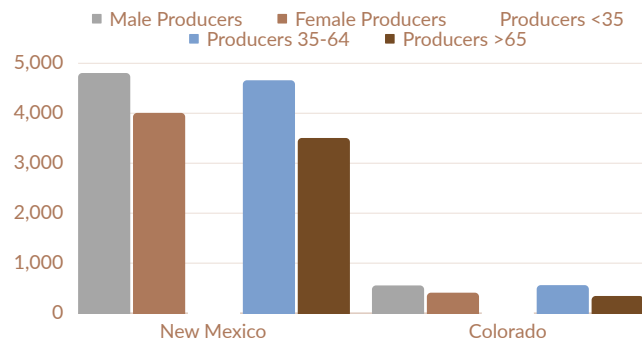
NM
Cattle- 1,294 farms
Sheep/Goats - 1,562 farms
Horses - 186 farms

CO
Cattle- 246 farms
Poultry - 137 farms
Horses - 54 farms

Characteristics⁷



AI/AN Demographics⁸



While the number of female and male producers are nearly the same in this region, female producers make up only 9% of all producers in the country, according to the USDA 2017 Census of Agriculture



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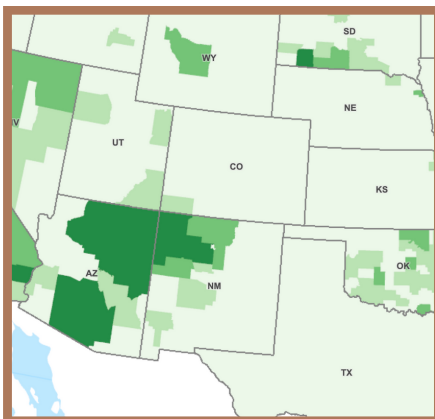
BIA Southwest Region: New Mexico - Colorado

Number of Tribal Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) Participants

NM – 80,962
CO – 5,416

Total Food Distribution Program on Indian Reservations (FDPIR) Participants¹⁰

NM – 1,415
CO – 183



2015 FDPIR Sites

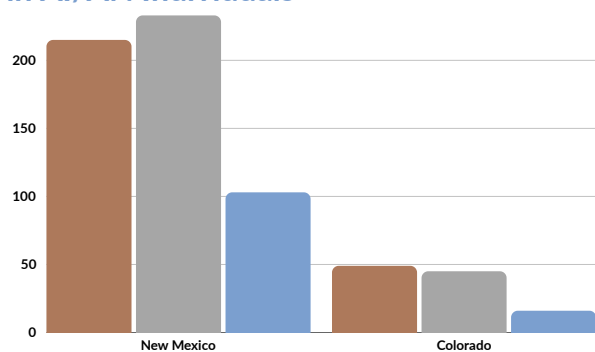
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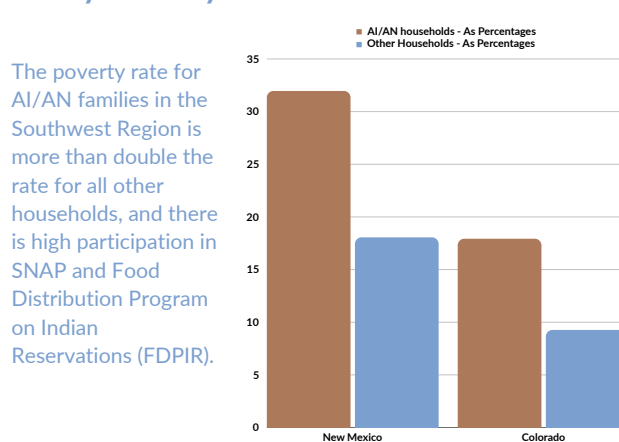
New Mexico is experiencing growth within agriculture, with 24% of the state's AI/AN farmers are new and beginning farmers.

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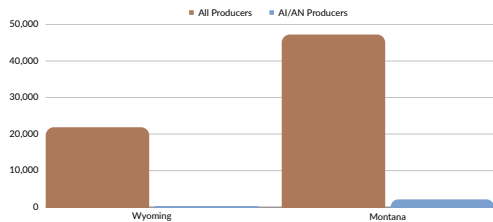
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BIA Rocky Mountain Region: Wyoming - Montana



AI/AN average farm size is:
2,501 acres

Non-Native farms in this region average 2,290 acres¹

Beans are the number two crop in Wyoming for AI/AN producers and have been an important part of Cheyenne and other Tribes' cultures since time immemorial.

Total AI/AN Market Value of Agricultural Sales:

\$122,255,000



Average Market Value of AI/AN Agricultural Sales:

WY - \$74,966
MT - \$58,868



Average AI/AN net farm income
\$11,781

Non-Native producers average \$55,222

Lower net farm income is one contributing factor to credit access in Indian Country food and agriculture.



19%

AI/AN Producers Do Not Have Broadband Access²

Top AI/AN Produced Crops⁵



WY - Forage, dry edible beans, corn
MT - Wheat, forage, barley

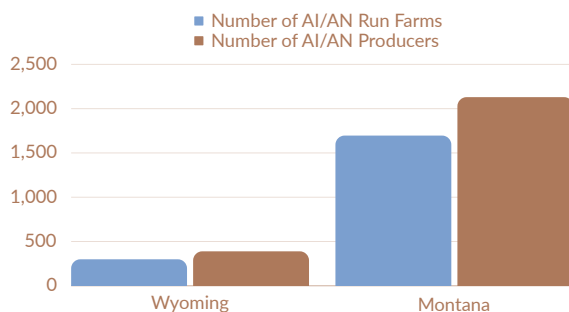


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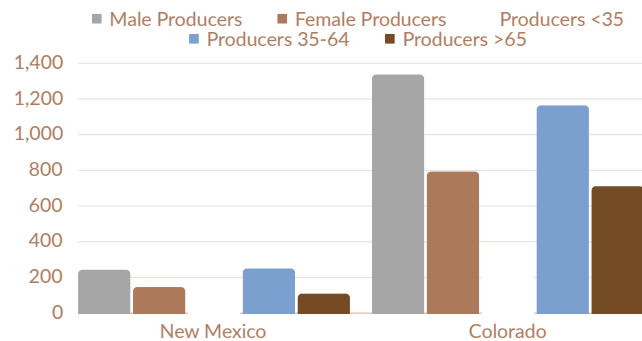
WY
Cattle- 149 farms
Horses- 58 farms
Sheep - 20 farms

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Sheep - 48 farms

Characteristics⁷



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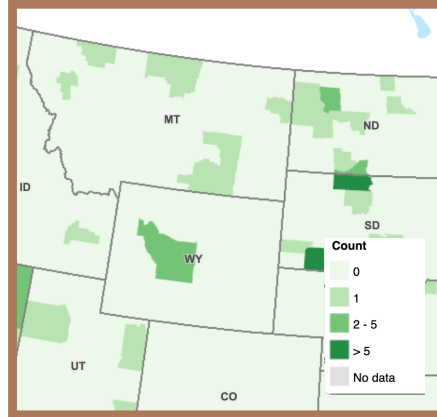
BIA Rocky Mountain Region: Wyoming - Montana

Number of Tribal Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) Participants

WY – 61
MT – 5,777

Total Food Distribution Program on Indian Reservations (FDPIR) Participants¹⁰

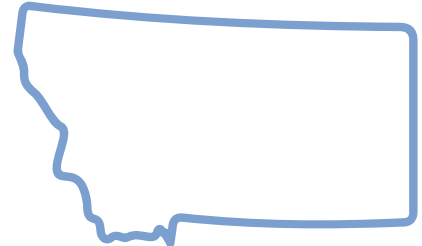
WY – 381
MT – 1,915



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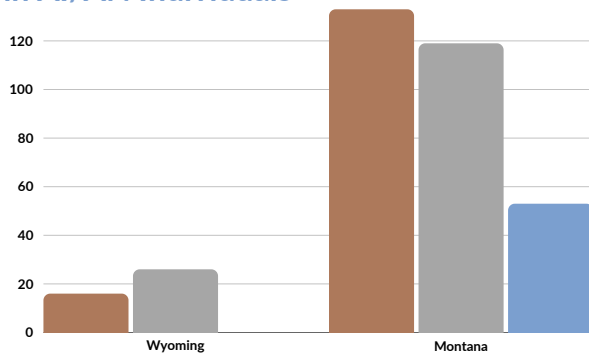
2017 Ag Census Fast Facts:



Quick fact:

Over 60% of farms in Glacier County, home to the Blackfeet Nation, are AI/AN owned/operated.

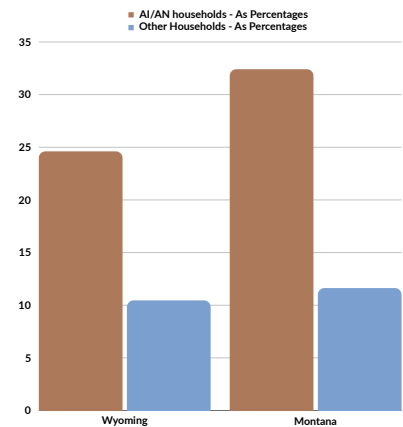
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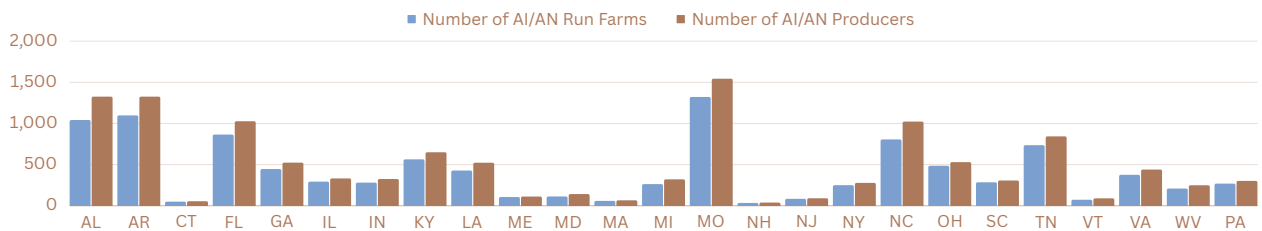


FARM & AGRICULTURE REPORT

AMERICAN INDIAN, ALASKA NATIVE PRODUCERS

BIA Eastern Region: AL-AR-CT-DE-FL-GA-IL-IN-KY-LA-ME-MD
MA-MI-MO-NH-NJ-NY-NC-OH-RI-SC-TN-VT-VA-WV-PA

Characteristics of Native Run Farms¹

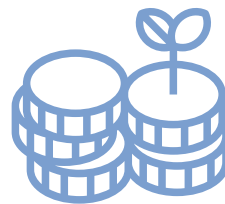


Average Market Value²

\$67,609



Numbers reflect market values for AI/AN producers



\$13,664

Average AI/AN net farm income³
Non-Native producers average \$35,391

Lower net farm income is one contributing factor to credit access in Indian Country food and agriculture.

135

Average Acres⁴ for AI/AN Farms



Non-Native farms in this region average only 190.8 acres



21%

AI/AN Farms Do Not Have Broadband Access⁵

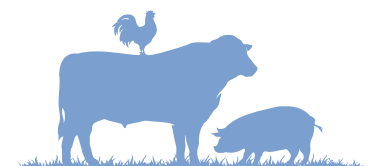


Top Crops⁶

- Forage
- Soybeans
- Corn

Top Livestock⁷

- Poultry
- Cattle
- Horses
- Sheep





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BIA Eastern Region: AL-AR-CT-DE-FL-GA-IL-IN-KY-LA-ME-MD
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Fast Facts:

29,172

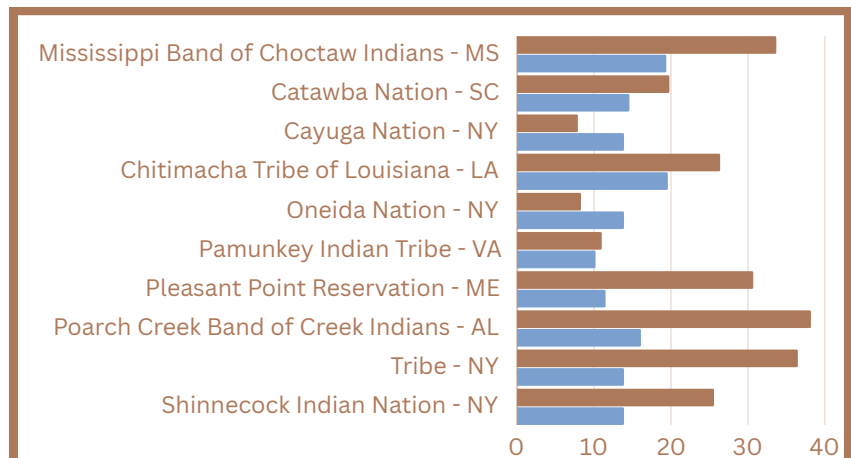
Number of Tribal SNAP Participants Across the Eastern Region⁸

(or 47% of the region's 62,000 Tribal citizens)

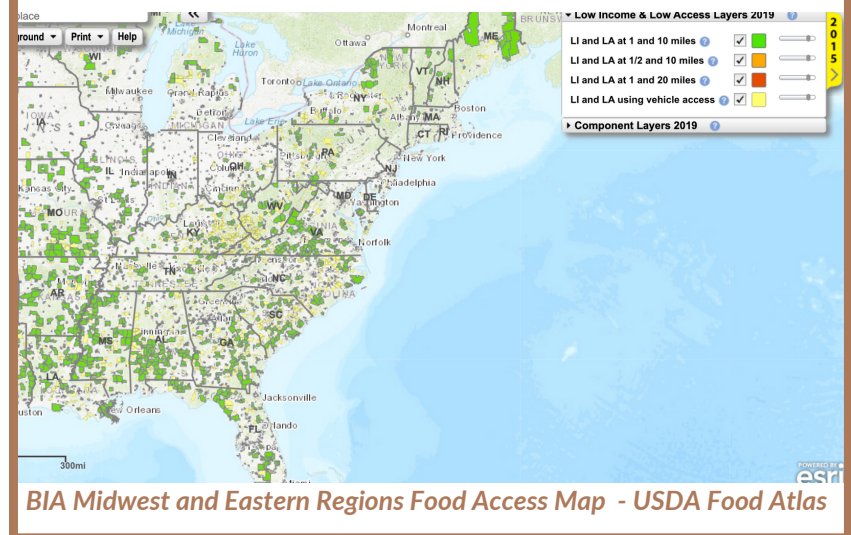
While only 870 utilize FDPIR⁹

Other Regional Facts:

- Despite covering 27 states, only 12 states in the Eastern Region's states are home to federally-recognized Tribes.
- The Eastern BIA Region serves approximately 62,000 Tribal citizens that make up the 34 Tribes.



Graph represents percentage living in poverty for Tribal Nations (in brown) compared to state average (in blue)



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