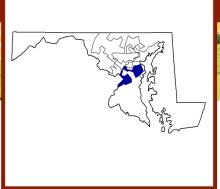


# Maryland 4th District



### **Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017**

	2017		
Number of farms	129 5,728		
Land in farms (acres)			
Average size of farm (acres)	44		
Total	(\$)		
Market value of products sold	8,721,000		
Government payments	10,000		
Farm-related income	378,000		
Total farm production expenses	6,804,000		
Net cash farm income	2,305,000		
Per farm average	(\$)		
Market value of products sold	67,607		
Government payments			
(average per farm receiving)	2,396		
Farm-related income	12,599		
Total farm production expenses	52,744		
Net cash farm income	17,868		

## (Z) Percent of state agriculture

Sales		
Share of Sales by Type (%)		
Crops	97	
Livestock, poultry, and products		
Land in Farms by Use (%) a		
Cropland	47	
Pastureland	15	
Woodland	27	
Other	12	
Acres irrigated: 614		
11% of land	in farms	
Land Use Practices (% of farms	3)	
No till	18	
Reduced till	5	
Intensive till	16	
Cover crop	14	

Farms by Value of Sales			Farms by Size		
	Number	Percent of Total <sup>a</sup>		Number	Percent of Total a
Less than \$2,500	61	47	1 to 9 acres	43	33
\$2,500 to \$4,999	10	8	10 to 49 acres	63	49
\$5,000 to \$9,999	16	12	50 to 179 acres	15	12
\$10,000 to \$24,999	22	17	180 to 499 acres	7	5
\$25,000 to \$49,999	5	4	500 to 999 acres	1	1
\$50,000 to \$99,999	7	5	1,000 + acres	-	-
\$100,000 or more	8	6			

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#### **Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold**

		Rank	CDs	Rank	CDs
	Sales	in	Producing	in	Producing
	(\$1,000)	State <sup>b</sup>	Item	U.S. b	Item
Total	8,721	7	8	363	431
Crops	8,425	7	8	359	431
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	201	8	8	304	381
Tobacco	-	-	2	-	68
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	108
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	560	8	8	323	418
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	(D)	8	8	(D)	416
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	7,489	6	8	305	425
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation					
woody crops	(D)	7	7	(D)	326
Other crops and hay	(D)	8	8	(D)	395
Livestock, poultry, and products	296	8	8	365	422
Poultry and eggs	(D)	8	8	(D)	404
Cattle and calves	215	7	8	329	396
Milk from cows	-	-	6	-	312
Hogs and pigs	-	-	7	-	367
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	3	8	8	334	393
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	(D)	8	8	(D)	393
Aquaculture	-	-	4	-	328
Other animals and animal products	(D)	8	8	(D)	413

Total Producers c	236	Percent of farms that:		Top Crops in Acres d		
Sex Male Female	149 87	Have internet access	81	Forage (hay/haylage), all Nursery stock crops Soybeans for beans Corn for grain	724 (D) 306 197	
<b>Age</b> <35 35 – 64 65 and older	16 145 75	Farm organically	-	Vegetables harvested, all	163	
Race American Indian/Alaska Native Asian Black or African American	- - 16	Sell directly to consumers	16	Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)  Broilers and other meat-type chickens	_	
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander White More than one race	2 216 2	Hire farm labor	26	Cattle and calves Goats Hogs and pigs Horses and ponies	368 42 (D) 370	
Other characteristics Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin With military service New and beginning farmers	6 31 69	Are family farms	91	Layers Pullets Sheep and lambs Turkeys	716 (D) 74	

See 2017 Census of Agriculture, U.S. Summary and State Data, for complete footnotes, explanations, definitions, commodity descriptions, and methodology.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>a</sup> May not add to 100% due to rounding. <sup>b</sup> Among CDs whose rank can be displayed. <sup>c</sup> Data collected for a maximum of four producers per farm.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>d</sup> Crop commodity names may be shortened; see full names at www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf. <sup>e</sup> Position below the line does not indicate rank. (D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations. (NA) Not available. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown. (-) Represents zero.