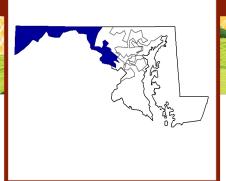


# Maryland 6th District



### Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017

	2017	
Number of farms	2,462	
Land in farms (acres)	330,277	
Average size of farm (acres)	134	
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	237,611,000	
Government payments	2,972,000	
Farm-related income	17,317,000	
Total farm production expenses	206,544,000	
Net cash farm income	51,355,000	
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	96,511	
Government payments		
(average per farm receiving)	7,374	
Farm-related income	17,871	
Total farm production expenses	83,893	
Net cash farm income	20,859	

## 10 Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales	by Type (%)
Crops	38
Livestock, poultry,	and products 62
Land in Farms I	by Use (%) a
Cropland	62
Pastureland	13
Woodland	21
Other	4
Acres irrigated: 1	,357
	(Z)% of land in farms
Land Use Pract	ices (% of farms)
No till	24
Reduced till	7
Intensive till	11
Cover crop	17

Farms by Value of Sale	es		Farms by Size		
	Number	Percent of Total a		Number	Percent of Total a
Less than \$2,500	891	36	1 to 9 acres	377	15
\$2,500 to \$4,999	278	11	10 to 49 acres	809	33
\$5,000 to \$9,999	250	10	50 to 179 acres	772	31
\$10,000 to \$24,999	311	13	180 to 499 acres	400	16
\$25,000 to \$49,999	219	9	500 to 999 acres	69	3
\$50,000 to \$99,999	128	5	1,000 + acres	35	1
\$100,000 or more	385	16			

## CENSUS OF Congressional District Profile

#### **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	237,611	2	8	214	431
Crops	91,003	2	8	224	431
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	54,738	2	8	134	381
Tobacco	-	-	2	-	68
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	108
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	5,682	3	8	212	418
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	9,786	1	8	108	416
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	7,500	5	8	304	425
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation					
woody crops	253	4	7	115	326
Other crops and hay	13,045	1	8	176	395
Livestock, poultry, and products	146,607	2	8	175	422
Poultry and eggs	6,671	2	8	165	404
Cattle and calves	32,232	1	8	177	396
Milk from cows	64,208	1	6	93	312
Hogs and pigs	857	3	7	135	367
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	1,647	1	8	104	393
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	(D)	6	8	(D)	393
Aquaculture	(D)	3	4	(D)	328
Other animals and animal products	39,095	1	8	5	413

Total Producers <sup>c</sup>	4,314	Percent of farms that:		Top Crops in Acres d	
Sex Male Female	2,685 1,629	Have internet access	70	Forage (hay/haylage), all Soybeans for beans Corn for grain Wheat for grain, all	64,236 45,834 40,505 18,863
<b>Age</b> <35 35 – 64 65 and older	560 2,513 1,241	Farm organically	1	Corn for silage	11,990
Race American Indian/Alaska Native Asian Black or African American	32 34 9	Sell directly to consumers	10	Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)  Broilers and other meat-type chickens	(D)
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander White More than one race	2 4,220 17	Hire farm labor	25	Cattle and calves Goats Hogs and pigs Horses and ponies	71,908 4,329 2,919 4,505
Other characteristics Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin With military service New and beginning farmers	55 393 1,251	Are family farms	97	Layers Pullets Sheep and lambs Turkeys	(D) 5,989 6,375 1,729

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.