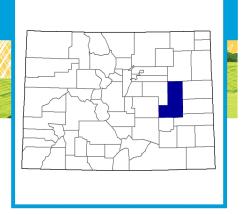
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Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

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	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	489	+5
Land in farms (acres)	1,499,785	+2
Average size of farm (acres)	3,067	-3
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	67,900,000	-10
Government payments	10,318,000	+33
Farm-related income	4,861,000	-42
Total farm production expenses	59,719,000	-15
Net cash farm income	23,359,000	+10
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	138,854	-15
Government payments		
(average per farm receiving)	34,165	+43
Farm-related income	18,840	-47
Total farm production expenses	122,125	-20
Net cash farm income	47,769	+4

Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	59
Livestock, poultry, and products	41

Land in Farms by Use (%) a

Cropland	39
Pastureland	60
Woodland	(D)
Other	(D)

Acres irrigated: 5,804

(Z)% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	15
Reduced till	18
Intensive till	17
Cover crop	2

Farms by Value of Sale	S		Farms by Size		
	Number	Percent of Total ^a		Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	185	38	1 to 9 acres	18	4
\$2,500 to \$4,999	10	2	10 to 49 acres	23	5
\$5,000 to \$9,999	29	6	50 to 179 acres	67	14
\$10,000 to \$24,999	36	7	180 to 499 acres	72	15
\$25,000 to \$49,999	24	5	500 to 999 acres	57	12
\$50,000 to \$99,999	58	12	1,000 + acres	252	52
\$100,000 or more	147	30			



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Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

	Sales (\$1,000)	Rank in State ^b	Counties Producing Item	Rank in U.S. ^b	Counties Producing Item
Total	67,900	21	63	1,499	3,077
Crops	39,999	19	63	1,236	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	34,375	14	49	935	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	-	-	45	-	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	-	-	31	-	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	(D)	24	50	(D)	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	24	-	1,384
Other crops and hay	(D)	20	62	(D)	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	27,901	20	63	1,387	3,073
Poultry and eggs	(D)	(D)	59	(D)	3,007
Cattle and calves	27,280	15	62	578	3,055
Milk from cows	-	-	23	-	1,892
Hogs and pigs	148	17	54	815	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	(D)	(D)	60	(D)	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	215	29	59	908	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	23	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	131	29	58	659	2,878

Total Producers °	903	Percent of farm	s that:	Top Crops in Acres ^d		
Sex Male Female	570 333	Have internet access	74	Wheat for grain, all Proso millet Corn for grain Forage (hay/haylage), all	126,768 45,804 32,484 31,641	
Age <35 35 – 64 65 and older	96 471 336	Farm organically	(Z)	Sorghum for grain	12,734	
Race American Indian/Alaska Native Asian Black or African American Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander White More than one race	1 - 5 - 896 1	Sell directly to consumers Hire farm labor	2 25	Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, Broilers and other meat-type chickens Cattle and calves Goats Hogs and pigs	2017) (D) 42,545 322 229	
Other characteristics Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin With military service New and beginning farmers	7 104 168	Are family farms	96	Horses and ponies Layers Pullets Sheep and lambs Turkeys	526 703 (D) 147 (D)	

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

^a May not add to 100% due to rounding. ^b Among counties whose rank can be displayed. ^c Data collected for a maximum of four producers per farm. ^d Crop commodity names may be shortened; see full names at www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf. ^e 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.