

Lewis County Kentucky



Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	550	-19
Land in farms (acres)	117,417	(Z)
Average size of farm (acres)	213	+22
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	12,686,000	-1
Government payments	338,000	-65
Farm-related income	1,600,000	+10
Total farm production expenses	13,025,000	+11
Net cash farm income	1,598,000	-55
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	23,065	+22
Government payments		
(average per farm receiving)	4,628	+60
Farm-related income	10,320	+33
Total farm production expenses	23,682	+37
Net cash farm income	2,906	-44

(**Z**) Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by	Type (%)
Crops	69
Livestock, poultry, ar	nd products 31
Land in Farms by	Use (%) a
Cropland	36
Pastureland	15
Woodland	45
Other	4
Acres irrigated: (D)	
	(D)% of land in farms
Land Use Practice	es (% of farms)
No till	15
Reduced till	5
Intensive till	9
Cover crop	7

Farms by Value of Sale	s		Farms by Size		
	Number	Percent of Total a		Number	Percent of Total a
Less than \$2,500	225	41	1 to 9 acres	18	3
\$2,500 to \$4,999	82	15	10 to 49 acres	100	18
\$5,000 to \$9,999	68	12	50 to 179 acres	224	41
\$10,000 to \$24,999	88	16	180 to 499 acres	153	28
\$25,000 to \$49,999	34	6	500 to 999 acres	47	9
\$50,000 to \$99,999	11	2	1,000 + acres	8	1
\$100,000 or more	42	8			

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Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

		Rank	Counties	Rank	Counties
	Sales	in	Producing	in	Producing
	(\$1,000)	State ^b	Item	U.S. b	Item
Total	12,686	74	120	2,577	3,077
Crops	8,721	65	120	2,105	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	5,887	57	116	1,579	2,916
Tobacco	1,435	55	94	143	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	29	95	118	1,892	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	-	-	114	-	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	(D)	90	103	(D)	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation					
woody crops	(D)	19	31	(D)	1,384
Other crops and hay	1,365	59	120	1,596	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	3,965	80	120	2,538	3,073
Poultry and eggs	(D)	(D)	120	(D)	3,007
Cattle and calves	3,664	67	120	1,885	3,055
Milk from cows	(D)	48	77	(D)	1,892
Hogs and pigs	14	57	114	1,473	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	83	47	118	1,409	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	40	87	115	1,908	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	26	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	4	79	111	1,649	2,878

Total Producers ^c	842	Percent of farms	s that:	Top Crops in Acres d	
Sex Male Female	593 249	Have internet access	72	Forage (hay/haylage), all Soybeans for beans Corn for grain Tobacco	13,853 12,704 1,675 381
Age <35 35 – 64 65 and older	82 517 243	Farm organically	-	Rye for grain	270
Race American Indian/Alaska Native Asian Black or African American Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander White More than one race	1 - - 840 1	Sell directly to consumers Hire farm labor	2 25	Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017) Broilers and other meat-type chickens Cattle and calves Goats Hogs and pigs Horses and ponies	332 9,255 390 31 355
Other characteristics Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin With military service New and beginning farmers	- 98 183	Are family farms	96	Layers Pullets Sheep and lambs Turkeys	1,013 106 668 30

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.