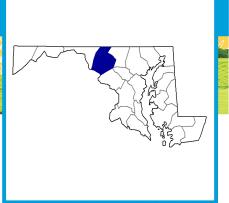


Frederick County Maryland



Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	1,373	+5
Land in farms (acres)	188,576	+4
Average size of farm (acres)	137	-1
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	131,583,000	-13
Government payments	3,980,000	+30
Farm-related income	13,043,000	+60
Total farm production expenses	125,003,000	-6
Net cash farm income	23,602,000	-16
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	95,836	-17
Government payments		
(average per farm receiving)	10,934	+57
Farm-related income	22,220	+54
Total farm production expenses	91,044	-11
Net cash farm income	17,190	-20

5 Percent of state agriculture sales

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Farms by Value of Sal	es		Farms by Size		
	Number	Percent of Total a		Number	Percent of Total a
Less than \$2,500	491	36	1 to 9 acres	214	16
\$2,500 to \$4,999	164	12	10 to 49 acres	520	38
\$5,000 to \$9,999	157	11	50 to 179 acres	403	29
\$10,000 to \$24,999	168	12	180 to 499 acres	153	11
\$25,000 to \$49,999	79	6	500 to 999 acres	48	3
\$50,000 to \$99,999	92	7	1,000 + acres	35	3
\$100,000 or more	222	16			

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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	131,583	9	23	893	3,077
Crops	63,556	7	23	924	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	43,990	4	23	821	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	5	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	1,685	14	23	603	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	2,230	4	23	310	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	5,619	13	23	359	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation					
woody crops	248	4	20	158	1,384
Other crops and hay	9,785	1	23	258	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	68,026	8	23	739	3,073
Poultry and eggs	3,142	12	23	670	3,007
Cattle and calves	14,753	2	23	993	3,055
Milk from cows	45,135	2	18	178	1,892
Hogs and pigs	1,308	2	22	583	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	(D)	2	23	290	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	1,973	5	22	73	2,970
Aquaculture	(D)	10	15	(D)	1,251
Other animals and animal products	1,030	2	22	176	2,878

Total Producers ^c	2,416	Percent of farms that:		Top Crops in Acres d	
Sex Male Female	1,455 961	Have internet access	80	Soybeans for beans Forage (hay/haylage), all Corn for grain Wheat for grain, all	41,503 36,024 29,672 14,399
Age <35 35 – 64 65 and older	237 1,445 734	Farm organically	2	Corn for silage or greenchop	9,541
Race American Indian/Alaska Native Asian Black or African American	2 28 14	Sell directly to consumers	13	Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017) Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1,130
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander White More than one race	2 2,364 6	Hire farm labor	26	Cattle and calves Goats Hogs and pigs Horses and ponies	39,637 1,995 1,699 3,306
Other characteristics Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin With military service New and beginning farmers	15 197 623	Are family farms	97	Layers Pullets Sheep and lambs Turkeys	71,018 715 4,684 (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.