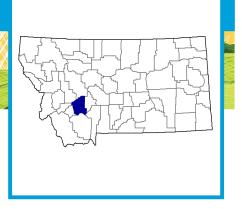
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Jefferson County Montana



Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	370	-8
Land in farms (acres)	352,128	-5
Average size of farm (acres)	952	+3
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	20,164,000	-10
Government payments	634,000	+22
Farm-related income	788,000	+24
Total farm production expenses	18,069,000	+11
Net cash farm income	3,517,000	-52
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold Government payments	54,497	-3
(average per farm receiving)	14,741	+28
Farm-related income	8,568	+38
Total farm production expenses	48,835	+21
Net cash farm income	9,505	-48

Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	20
Livestock, poultry, and products	80

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a

Cropland	16
Pastureland	78
Woodland	4
Other	1

Acres irrigated: 33,458

10% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	1
Reduced till	7
Intensive till	5
Cover crop	7

Farms by Value of Sales	6		Farms by Size		
	Number	Percent of Total ^a		Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	193	52	1 to 9 acres	30	8
\$2,500 to \$4,999	29	8	10 to 49 acres	107	29
\$5,000 to \$9,999	29	8	50 to 179 acres	88	24
\$10,000 to \$24,999	34	9	180 to 499 acres	61	16
\$25,000 to \$49,999	18	5	500 to 999 acres	22	6
\$50,000 to \$99,999	23	6	1,000 + acres	62	17
\$100,000 or more	44	12			



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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	20,164	46	56	2,369	3,077
Crops	4,062	48	56	2,458	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	1,246	45	54	2,063	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	(D)	31	42	2,017	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	121	4	27	1,213	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	(D)	35	35	1,635	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	9	-	1,384
Other crops and hay	2,687	34	56	938	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	16,102	43	56	1,809	3,073
Poultry and eggs	10	32	53	1,783	3,007
Cattle and calves	15,184	40	56	973	3,055
Milk from cows	-	-	25	-	1,892
Hogs and pigs	17	30	54	1,409	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	579	20	55	296	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	290	18	56	747	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	13	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	22	40	52	1,287	2,878

Total Producers °	693	Percent of farm	s that:	Top Crops in Acres ^d	
Sex Male Female	382 311	Have internet access	90	Forage (hay/haylage), all 2 Wheat for grain, all Corn for silage or greenchop Apples	23,668 5,599 (D) 19
Age <35 35 – 64 65 and older	58 339 296	Farm organically	-	Cultivated Christmas trees	15
Race American Indian/Alaska Native Asian Black or African American	1 2 1	Sell directly to consumers	5	Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017) Broilers and other meat-type chickens	(D)
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander White More than one race	- 682 7	Hire farm labor	15	Cattle and calves 2 Goats Hogs and pigs Horses and ponies	24,879 175 85 930
Other characteristics Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin With military service New and beginning farmers	10 83 181	Are family farms	96	Layers Pullets Sheep and lambs Turkeys	717 75 2,996

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.