Esmeralda County
Nevada

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	24	-37
Land in farms (acres)	(D)	(D)
Average size of farm (acres)	(D)	(D)
Total	($)	
Market value of products sold	11,953,000	-9
Government payments	98,000	(NA)
Farm-related income	147,000	(D)
Total farm production expenses	6,684,000	-29
Net cash farm income	5,514,000	+46
Per farm average	($)	
Market value of products sold	498,049	+44
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	8,937	(NA)
Farm-related income	24,489	(D)
Total farm production expenses	278,504	+13
Net cash farm income	229,764	+131

2 Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	96
Livestock, poultry, and products	4

Land in Farms by Use (%) [a]

Cropland	(D)
Pastureland	(D)
Woodland	(D)
Other	(D)

Acres irrigated: 14,968

(D)% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	4
Reduced till	21
Intensive till	29
Cover crop	21

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total [a]
Less than $2,500	-	-
$2,500 to $4,999	9	38
$5,000 to $9,999	-	-
$10,000 to $24,999	-	-
$25,000 to $49,999	1	4
$50,000 to $99,999	-	-
$100,000 or more	14	58

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total [a]
1 to 9 acres	-	-
10 to 49 acres	9	38
50 to 179 acres	1	4
180 to 499 acres	7	29
500 to 999 acres	-	-
1,000 + acres	7	29

2017 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE *County Profile*

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	**11,953**	**14**	**17**	**2,607**	**3,077**
Crops	**11,500**	**9**	**16**	**1,976**	**3,073**
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	(D)	9	12	(D)	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	-	-	10	-	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	-	-	10	-	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	-	-	12	-	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	1	-	1,384
Other crops and hay	(D)	7	15	(D)	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	**454**	**15**	**17**	**2,915**	**3,073**
Poultry and eggs	-	-	14	-	3,007
Cattle and calves	(D)	14	16	(D)	3,055
Milk from cows	-	-	6	-	1,892
Hogs and pigs	-	-	13	-	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	-	-	15	-	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	(D)	13	14	(D)	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	6	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	-	-	12	-	2,878

Total Producers [c]	**38**
Sex	
Male	34
Female	4
Age	
<35	5
35 – 64	19
65 and older	14
Race	
American Indian/Alaska Native	-
Asian	-
Black or African American	-
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-
White	38
More than one race	-
Other characteristics	
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	-
With military service	5
New and beginning farmers	11

Percent of farms that:

Have internet access	**83**
Farm organically	**-**
Sell directly to consumers	**13**
Hire farm labor	**21**
Are family farms	**92**

Top Crops in Acres [d]

Forage (hay/haylage), all	12,873
Corn for silage or greenchop	(D)

Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)

Broilers and other meat-type chickens	-
Cattle and calves	953
Goats	-
Hogs and pigs	-
Horses and ponies	56
Layers	(D)
Pullets	-
Sheep and lambs	-
Turkeys	-

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.