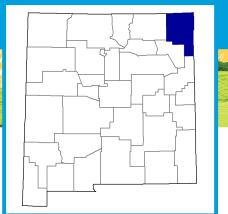


# **Union County New Mexico**



### Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	369	+5
Land in farms (acres)	1,886,887	-4
Average size of farm (acres)	5,114	-8
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	83,134,000	-15
Government payments	2,896,000	(Z)
Farm-related income	3,896,000	+61
Total farm production expenses	76,973,000	-6
Net cash farm income	12,953,000	-40
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	225,297	-19
Government payments		
(average per farm receiving)	28,678	+72
Farm-related income	25,461	-1
Total farm production expenses	208,600	-10
Net cash farm income	35,103	-43

### **3** Percent of state agriculture sales

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Share of Sales by Type (%)	
Crops	10
Livestock, poultry, and products	90
Land in Farms by Use (%) a	
Cropland	3
Pastureland	95
Woodland	2
Other	(Z)
Acres irrigated: 15,404	
1% of land	d in farms
Land Use Practices (% of farm	ns)
No till	2
Reduced till	5
Intensive till	7
Cover crop	2

Farms by Value of Sal	es		Farms by Size		
	Number	Percent of Total a		Number	Percent of Total a
Less than \$2,500	111	30	1 to 9 acres	4	1
\$2,500 to \$4,999	14	4	10 to 49 acres	-	-
\$5,000 to \$9,999	17	5	50 to 179 acres	57	15
\$10,000 to \$24,999	29	8	180 to 499 acres	42	11
\$25,000 to \$49,999	35	9	500 to 999 acres	45	12
\$50,000 to \$99,999	71	19	1,000 + acres	221	60
\$100,000 or more	92	25			

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#### **Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold**

Total	Sales (\$1,000)	Rank in State <sup>b</sup>	Counties Producing Item	Rank in U.S. <sup>b</sup>	Counties Producing Item
Total	83,134	7	33	1,323	3,077
Crops	8,121	15	32	2,145	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	7,319	5	30	1,495	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	10	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	(D)	15	30	(D)	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	(D)	29	29	(D)	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	-	-	26	-	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	8	-	1,384
Other crops and hay	(D)	24	31	(D)	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	75,013	6	33	685	3,073
Poultry and eggs	(D)	29	33	(D)	3,007
Cattle and calves	74,898	2	32	176	3,055
Milk from cows	-	-	19	-	1,892
Hogs and pigs	(D)	(D)	28	(D)	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	(D)	30	33	(D)	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	(D)	(D)	33	(D)	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	12	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	-	-	29	-	2,878

Total Producers <sup>c</sup>	632	Percent of farms that:		Top Crops in Acres d	
Sex Male Female	401 231	Have internet access	67	Corn for grain Forage (hay/haylage), all Wheat for grain, all Corn for silage or greenchop	8,067 6,617 5,700 1,225
<b>Age</b> <35 35 – 64 65 and older	40 319 273	Farm organically	-	Sorghum for grain	(D)
Race American Indian/Alaska Native Asian Black or African American Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander White More than one race	7 - 6 - 617 2	Sell directly to consumers Hire farm labor	<b>26</b>	Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)  Broilers and other meat-type chickens Cattle and calves Goats Hogs and pigs Horses and ponies	78,954 (D) (D) 700
Other characteristics Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin With military service New and beginning farmers	96 98 170	Are family farms	95	Layers Pullets Sheep and lambs Turkeys	200 - 25 -

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

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>a</sup> May not add to 100% due to rounding. <sup>b</sup> Among counties whose rank can be displayed. <sup>c</sup> Data collected for a maximum of four producers per farm. <sup>d</sup> Crop commodity names may be shortened; see full names at www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf. <sup>e</sup> Position below the line does not indicate rank.

<sup>(</sup>D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations. (NA) Not available. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown. (-) Represents zero.