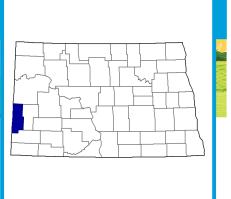


Golden Valley County North Dakota



Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	287	+14
Land in farms (acres)	626,343	+11
Average size of farm (acres)	2,182	-3
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	45,171,000	-24
Government payments	5,890,000	+39
Farm-related income	6,802,000	+81
Total farm production expenses	49,731,000	+4
Net cash farm income	8,133,000	-59
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	157,390	-34
Government payments		
(average per farm receiving)	27,020	+27
Farm-related income	35,991	+61
Total farm production expenses	173,278	-9
Net cash farm income	28,337	-64

Percent of state agriculture

Share of Sales by Type (%)	
Crops	46
Livestock, poultry, and products	54
Land in Farms by Use (%) a	
Cropland	44
Pastureland	54
Woodland	(D)
Other	(D)
Acres irrigated: 1,106	
(Z)% of land	in farms
Land Use Practices (% of farms	s)
No till	25
Reduced till	2
Intensive till	2
Cover crop	9

Farms by Value of Sale	es		Farms by Size		
	Number	Percent of Total a		Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	79	28	1 to 9 acres	4	1
\$2,500 to \$4,999	13	5	10 to 49 acres	27	9
\$5,000 to \$9,999	18	6	50 to 179 acres	38	13
\$10,000 to \$24,999	21	7	180 to 499 acres	58	20
\$25,000 to \$49,999	16	6	500 to 999 acres	37	13
\$50,000 to \$99,999	31	11	1,000 + acres	123	43
\$100,000 or more	109	38			

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Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

		Rank	Counties	Rank	Counties
	Sales	in State b	Producing	in	Producing
Total	(\$1,000)	State b	Item	U.S. b	Item
iotai	45,171	52	53	1,851	3,077
Crops	20,849	50	53	1,625	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	19,304	51	53	1,161	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	(D)	(D)	40	(D)	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	-	-	28	-	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	(D)	8	28	(D)	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	_	_	7	_	1,384
Other crops and hay	1,245	44	53	1,671	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	24,322	29	53	1,492	3,073
Poultry and eggs	16	13	52	1,646	3,007
Cattle and calves	23,225	21	53	696	3,055
Milk from cows	-	-	22	-	1,892
Hogs and pigs	(D)	28	43	(D)	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	631	5	51	263	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	433	5	53	488	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	2	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	(D)	43	51	(D)	2,878

Total Producers ^c	465	Percent of farms that:		Top Crops in Acres d	
Sex Male Female	305 160	Have internet access	79	Wheat for grain, all Forage (hay/haylage), all Lentils Dry edible peas	74,946 40,228 16,195 15,089
Age <35 35 – 64 65 and older	45 267 153	Farm organically	-	Corn for grain	8,238
Race American Indian/Alaska Native Asian Black or African American Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	- - - 2	Sell directly to consumers	1	Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017) Broilers and other meat-type chickens	150
White More than one race	461 2	Hire farm labor	26	Cattle and calves Goats Hogs and pigs Horses and ponies	32,816 242 (D) 764
Other characteristics Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin With military service New and beginning farmers	2 76 112	Are family farms	96	Layers Pullets Sheep and lambs Turkeys	653 (D) 3,352

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.