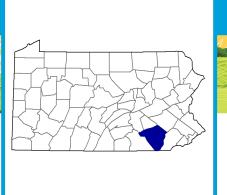


Lancaster County Pennsylvania



Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	5,108	-10
Land in farms (acres)	393,949	-10
Average size of farm (acres)	77	-1
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	1,507,207,000	+2
Government payments	4,834,000	-17
Farm-related income	47,974,000	+27
Total farm production expenses	1,081,351,000	-7
Net cash farm income	478,664,000	+33
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	295,068	+13
Government payments		
(average per farm receiving)	8,017	+43
Farm-related income	17,541	+33
Total farm production expenses	211,698	+3
Net cash farm income	93,709	+47

19 Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by	y Type (%)	
Crops	1	15
Livestock, poultry, a	nd products 8	35
Land in Farms by	/ Use (%) a	
Cropland	8	30
Pastureland		8
Woodland		6
Other		5
Acres irrigated: 4,8	352	
	1% of land in farm	าร
Land Use Practic	es (% of farms)	
No till	4	16
Reduced till	2	20
Intensive till	2	29
Cover crop	4	17

Farms by Value of Sal	es		Farms by Size		
	Number	Percent of Total a		Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	907	18	1 to 9 acres	994	19
\$2,500 to \$4,999	292	6	10 to 49 acres	1,562	31
\$5,000 to \$9,999	340	7	50 to 179 acres	2,135	42
\$10,000 to \$24,999	426	8	180 to 499 acres	345	7
\$25,000 to \$49,999	347	7	500 to 999 acres	54	1
\$50,000 to \$99,999	414	8	1,000 + acres	18	(Z)
\$100,000 or more	2,382	47			

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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	1,507,207	1	67	17	3,077
Crops	231,302	3	67	95	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	109,849	1	66	329	2,916
Tobacco	27,892	1	12	12	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	25,853	1	67	114	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	8,068	4	66	160	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	46,512	3	66	66	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation					
woody crops	353	22	64	115	1,384
Other crops and hay	12,776	6	66	196	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	1,275,905	1	67	7	3,073
Poultry and eggs	580,635	1	67	4	3,007
Cattle and calves	121,852	1	67	101	3,055
Milk from cows	414,274	1	63	10	1,892
Hogs and pigs	144,414	1	67	27	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	1,618	1	67	109	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	4,534	3	63	33	2,970
Aquaculture	178	20	55	210	1,251
Other animals and animal products	8,398	1	67	20	2,878

Total Producers ^c	8,840	Percent of farms	s that:	Top Crops in Acres d	
Sex Male Female	5,826 3,014	Have internet access	49	Corn for grain Forage (hay/haylage), all Corn for silage or greenchop Soybeans for beans	94,511 77,704 52,008 39,822
Age <35 35 – 64 65 and older	2,217 5,467 1,156	Farm organically	5	Wheat for grain, all	14,376
Race American Indian/Alaska Native Asian Black or African American	- 3 1	Sell directly to consumers	13	Livestock Inventory (Dec 31 Broilers and other meat-type chickens	, 2017) 11,268,322
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander White More than one race	8,822 14	Hire farm labor	39	Cattle and calves Goats Hogs and pigs Horses and ponies	251,144 4,818 313,783 13,147
Other characteristics Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin With military service New and beginning farmers	38 155 2,831	Are family farms	99	Layers Pullets Sheep and lambs Turkeys	13,914,918 4,283,439 7,907 139,277

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.