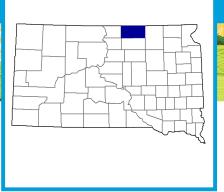


### McPherson County South Dakota



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

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	382	-4
Land in farms (acres)	723,073	+26
Average size of farm (acres)	1,893	+32
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	140,212,000	-12
Government payments	4,087,000	+33
Farm-related income	10,931,000	+65
Total farm production expenses	115,627,000	+2
Net cash farm income	39,603,000	-30
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	367,046	-8
Government payments		
(average per farm receiving)	12,536	+25
Farm-related income	40,635	+76
Total farm production expenses	302,687	+7
Net cash farm income	103,672	-27

## Percent of state agriculture sales

#### Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	45
Livestock, poultry, and products	55

#### Land in Farms by Use (%) <sup>a</sup>

Cropland	53
Pastureland	42
Woodland	(Z)
Other	4

#### Acres irrigated: 1,330

(Z)% of land in farms

#### Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	41
Reduced till	20
Intensive till	7
Cover crop	7

Farms by Value of Sale	es		Farms by Size		
	Number	Percent of Total <sup>a</sup>		Number	Percent of Total <sup>a</sup>
Less than \$2,500	81	21	1 to 9 acres	9	2
\$2,500 to \$4,999	1	(Z)	10 to 49 acres	10	3
\$5,000 to \$9,999	18	5	50 to 179 acres	52	14
\$10,000 to \$24,999	19	5	180 to 499 acres	83	22
\$25,000 to \$49,999	34	9	500 to 999 acres	56	15
\$50,000 to \$99,999	52	14	1,000 + acres	172	45
\$100,000 or more	177	46			



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#### Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

	Sales (\$1,000)	Rank in State <sup>b</sup>	Counties Producing Item	Rank in U.S. <sup>b</sup>	Counties Producing Item
Total	140,212	31	66	809	3,077
Crops	63,407	36	66	928	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	60,714	36	66	653	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	-	-	41	-	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	7	20	31	1,824	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	-	-	33	-	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	9	-	1,384
Other crops and hay	2,686	19	66	939	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	76,805	25	66	671	3,073
Poultry and eggs	9,672	6	66	554	3,007
Cattle and calves	48,711	28	66	290	3,055
Milk from cows	-	-	38	-	1,892
Hogs and pigs	16,366	14	62	304	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	978	10	66	171	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	279	18	65	767	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	7	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	798	19	62	211	2,878

Total Producers °	625	Percent of farms	s that:	Top Crops in Acres <sup>a</sup>	
<b>Sex</b> Male Female	436 189	Have internet access	76	Soybeans for beans91,4Forage (hay/haylage), all79,0Corn for grain64,8Wheat for grain, all26,6	074 814
<b>Age</b> <35 35 – 64 65 and older	53 356 216	Farm organically	1	Corn for silage or greenchop 10,9	
<b>Race</b> American Indian/Alaska Native Asian Black or African American	- - -	Sell directly to consumers	2	Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017) Broilers and other meat-type chickens	(D)
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander White More than one race	- 621 4	Hire farm labor	34	Cattle and calves83,0Goats60,9Hogs and pigs60,9Horses and ponies3	-
Other characteristics Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin With military service New and beginning farmers	2 80 97	Are family farms	97	Layers 1,9 Pullets	984 - 462

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

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