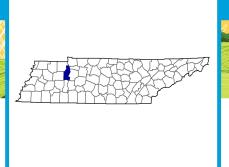


Benton County Tennessee



Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	399	-14
Land in farms (acres)	68,588	-22
Average size of farm (acres)	172	-9
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	9,496,000	-12
Government payments	625,000	+3
Farm-related income	1,154,000	-19
Total farm production expenses	11,231,000	-3
Net cash farm income	43,000	-96
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	23,798	+2
Government payments		
(average per farm receiving)	5,164	+54
Farm-related income	5,886	-38
Total farm production expenses	28,147	+12
Net cash farm income	109	-96

(**Z**) Percent of state agriculture sales

by Type (%)	
	63
and products	37
by Use (%) a	
	44
	19
	32
	5
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(D)% of land in far	ms
cices (% of farms)	
	13
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	and products by Use (%) a D) (D)% of land in fare

Farms by Value of Sale	es		Farms by Size		
	Number	Percent of Total a		Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	181	45	1 to 9 acres	4	1
\$2,500 to \$4,999	48	12	10 to 49 acres	119	30
\$5,000 to \$9,999	68	17	50 to 179 acres	180	45
\$10,000 to \$24,999	51	13	180 to 499 acres	69	17
\$25,000 to \$49,999	30	8	500 to 999 acres	19	5
\$50,000 to \$99,999	5	1	1,000 + acres	8	2
\$100,000 or more	16	4			

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Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

		Rank	Counties	Rank	Counties
	Sales (\$1,000)	in State ^b	Producing Item	in U.S. ^b	Producing Item
Total	9,496	75	95	2,679	3,077
Iotai	9,490	75	95	2,079	3,077
Crops	6,000	57	95	2,283	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	5,191	39	95	1,630	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	42	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	26	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	(D)	87	95	(D)	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	57	61	94	1,506	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	(D)	(D)	92	(D)	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	_	_	36	_	1,384
Other crops and hay	697	72	95	2,163	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	3,495	71	95	2,582	3,073
Poultry and eggs	23	71	94	1,522	3,007
Cattle and calves	3,128	65	95	1,956	3,055
Milk from cows	(D)	(D)	68	(D)	1,892
Hogs and pigs	(D)	(D)	93	(D)	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	31	85	94	2,014	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	120	48	93	1,322	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	30	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	3	72	95	1,674	2,878

Total Producers ^c	635	Percent of farms that:		Top Crops in Acres d	
Sex Male Female	405 230	Have internet access	74	Soybeans for beans Forage (hay/haylage), all Corn for grain Corn for silage or greenchop	11,516 9,250 2,294 (D)
Age <35 35 – 64 65 and older	44 384 207	Farm organically	-	Wheat for grain, all	51
Race American Indian/Alaska Native Asian Black or African American Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander White More than one race	2 - - - 629 4	Sell directly to consumers Hire farm labor	4 20	Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017) Broilers and other meat-type chickens Cattle and calves Goats Hogs and pigs Horses and ponies	(D) 8,408 411 54 332
Other characteristics Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin With military service New and beginning farmers	18 99 217	Are family farms	98	Layers Pullets Sheep and lambs Turkeys	1,157 (D) 47

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.