



California 49th District

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017

	2017
Number of farms	813
Land in farms (acres)	21,797
Average size of farm (acres)	27
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Total	(\$)
Market value of products sold	174,311,000
Government payments	13,000
Farm-related income	6,696,000
Total farm production expenses	147,293,000
Net cash farm income	33,727,000
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Per farm average	(\$)
Market value of products sold	214,404
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	2,166
Farm-related income	46,177
Total farm production expenses	181,172
Net cash farm income	41,484

(Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	91
Livestock, poultry, and products	9

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a

Cropland	48
Pastureland	35
Woodland	2
Other	16

Acres irrigated: 6,078

28% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	13
Reduced till	1
Intensive till	6
Cover crop	4

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	190	23
\$2,500 to \$4,999	113	14
\$5,000 to \$9,999	149	18
\$10,000 to \$24,999	130	16
\$25,000 to \$49,999	62	8
\$50,000 to \$99,999	59	7
\$100,000 or more	110	14

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
1 to 9 acres	597	73
10 to 49 acres	148	18
50 to 179 acres	46	6
180 to 499 acres	16	2
500 to 999 acres	-	-
1,000 + acres	6	1

Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

	Sales (\$1,000)	Rank in State ^b	CDs Producing Item	Rank in U.S. ^b	CDs Producing Item
Total	174,311	23	53	236	431
Crops	158,506	20	53	191	431
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	(D)	20	32	(D)	381
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	68
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	10	-	108
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	(D)	26	45	190	418
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	24,037	21	53	70	416
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	126,318	8	53	23	425
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	(D)	21	26	239	326
Other crops and hay	17	31	39	348	395
Livestock, poultry, and products	15,805	22	51	279	422
Poultry and eggs	170	22	44	232	404
Cattle and calves	(D)	29	41	309	396
Milk from cows	(D)	20	25	(D)	312
Hogs and pigs	1	32	34	268	367
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	(D)	(D)	40	(D)	393
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	(D)	4	41	(D)	393
Aquaculture	-	-	24	-	328
Other animals and animal products	1,155	15	48	157	413

Total Producers ^c

1,361

Sex

Male 851
Female 510

Age

<35 9
35 – 64 753
65 and older 599

Race

American Indian/Alaska Native 7
Asian 97
Black or African American 6
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander -
White 1,221
More than one race 30

Other characteristics

Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin 212
With military service 181
New and beginning farmers 429

Percent of farms that:

Have internet access **87**

Farm organically **5**

Sell directly to consumers **15**

Hire farm labor **50**

Are family farms **94**

Top Crops in Acres ^d

Avocados 2,304
Nursery stock crops 1,147
Dry lima beans (D)
Floriculture and bedding crops 659
Cut flowers and cut florist greens 566

Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)

Broilers and other meat-type chickens 620
Cattle and calves (D)
Goats 180
Hogs and pigs 4
Horses and ponies 1,028
Layers 1,320
Pullets 300
Sheep and lambs 20
Turkeys (D)

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 CDs 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/croplnames.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.