



Pennsylvania 7th District

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017

	2017
Number of farms	942
Land in farms (acres)	142,994
Average size of farm (acres)	152
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Total	(\$)
Market value of products sold	118,328,000
Government payments	2,367,000
Farm-related income	5,320,000
Total farm production expenses	96,450,000
Net cash farm income	29,566,000
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Per farm average	(\$)
Market value of products sold	125,614
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	15,175
Farm-related income	14,111
Total farm production expenses	102,388
Net cash farm income	31,386

2 Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	74
Livestock, poultry, and products	26

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a

Cropland	84
Pastureland	3
Woodland	7
Other	6

Acres irrigated: 663

(Z)% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	25
Reduced till	21
Intensive till	18
Cover crop	17

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	283	30
\$2,500 to \$4,999	80	8
\$5,000 to \$9,999	124	13
\$10,000 to \$24,999	144	15
\$25,000 to \$49,999	90	10
\$50,000 to \$99,999	72	8
\$100,000 or more	149	16

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
1 to 9 acres	199	21
10 to 49 acres	366	39
50 to 179 acres	228	24
180 to 499 acres	89	9
500 to 999 acres	29	3
1,000 + acres	31	3

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	118,328	10	18	253	431
Crops	87,564	9	18	226	431
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	43,348	8	17	152	381
Tobacco	-	-	6	-	68
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	108
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	9,641	7	18	168	418
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	3,964	7	17	179	416
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	19,427	9	18	202	425
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	2,201	5	16	26	326
Other crops and hay	8,983	10	16	206	395
Livestock, poultry, and products	30,764	10	18	254	422
Poultry and eggs	(D)	7	17	(D)	404
Cattle and calves	(D)	14	17	272	396
Milk from cows	(D)	11	14	(D)	312
Hogs and pigs	(D)	9	17	(D)	367
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	161	12	17	260	393
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	858	11	15	224	393
Aquaculture	498	7	14	126	328
Other animals and animal products	279	12	18	237	413

Total Producers ^c

1,640

Sex

Male 1,043
 Female 597

Age

<35 159
 35 – 64 925
 65 and older 556

Race

American Indian/Alaska Native 6
 Asian 4
 Black or African American -
 Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander -
 White 1,627
 More than one race 3

Other characteristics

Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin 15
 With military service 153
 New and beginning farmers 442

Percent of farms that:

Have internet access **80**

Farm organically **1**

Sell directly to consumers **23**

Hire farm labor **27**

Are family farms **99**

Top Crops in Acres ^d

Corn for grain 40,958
 Soybeans for beans 33,040
 Forage (hay/haylage), all 20,926
 Wheat for grain, all 7,737
 Vegetables harvested, all 2,087

Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)

Broilers and other meat-type chickens 2,176
 Cattle and calves 9,405
 Goats 1,214
 Hogs and pigs (D)
 Horses and ponies 1,096
 Layers 9,100
 Pullets 837
 Sheep and lambs 1,197
 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/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.