



Pennsylvania 13th District

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017

	2017
Number of farms	8,124
Land in farms (acres)	1,343,863
Average size of farm (acres)	165
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Total	(\$)
Market value of products sold	1,379,471,000
Government payments	13,151,000
Farm-related income	68,619,000
Total farm production expenses	1,065,118,000
Net cash farm income	396,123,000
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Per farm average	(\$)
Market value of products sold	169,802
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	7,331
Farm-related income	18,367
Total farm production expenses	131,108
Net cash farm income	48,760

18 Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	27
Livestock, poultry, and products	73

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a

Cropland	67
Pastureland	9
Woodland	20
Other	4

Acres irrigated: 7,459

1% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	34
Reduced till	15
Intensive till	15
Cover crop	22

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	2,251	28
\$2,500 to \$4,999	637	8
\$5,000 to \$9,999	816	10
\$10,000 to \$24,999	1,059	13
\$25,000 to \$49,999	681	8
\$50,000 to \$99,999	594	7
\$100,000 or more	2,086	26

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
1 to 9 acres	890	11
10 to 49 acres	2,084	26
50 to 179 acres	2,991	37
180 to 499 acres	1,630	20
500 to 999 acres	374	5
1,000 + acres	155	2

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	1,379,471	3	18	80	431
Crops	377,201	3	18	116	431
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	175,154	2	17	88	381
Tobacco	(D)	6	6	62	68
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	108
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	25,503	4	18	104	418
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	86,054	1	17	41	416
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	22,367	7	18	182	425
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	(D)	6	16	29	326
Other crops and hay	66,120	2	16	51	395
Livestock, poultry, and products	1,002,269	3	18	54	422
Poultry and eggs	198,649	4	17	60	404
Cattle and calves	154,771	1	17	73	396
Milk from cows	538,290	1	14	20	312
Hogs and pigs	92,732	4	17	44	367
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	4,236	1	17	45	393
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	5,123	3	15	51	393
Aquaculture	4,491	2	14	60	328
Other animals and animal products	3,978	3	18	63	413

Total Producers ^c

14,146

Sex

Male 9,462
 Female 4,684

Age

<35 2,097
 35 – 64 8,270
 65 and older 3,779

Race

American Indian/Alaska Native 18
 Asian 9
 Black or African American 8
 Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander -
 White 14,076
 More than one race 35

Other characteristics

Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin 95
 With military service 1,182
 New and beginning farmers 3,741

Percent of farms that:

Have internet access **67**

Farm organically **2**

Sell directly to consumers **11**

Hire farm labor **28**

Are family farms **97**

Top Crops in Acres ^d

Forage (hay/haylage), all 328,998
 Corn for grain 160,567
 Soybeans for beans 109,452
 Corn for silage 108,011
 Wheat for grain, all 31,929

Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)

Broilers and other meat-type chickens 1,587,360
 Cattle and calves 415,208
 Goats 12,158
 Hogs and pigs 194,002
 Horses and ponies 9,013
 Layers 2,521,283
 Pullets 926,103
 Sheep and lambs 19,266
 Turkeys 972,853

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.