



Tennessee 9th District

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017

	2017
Number of farms	184
Land in farms (acres)	31,507
Average size of farm (acres)	171
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Total	(\$)
Market value of products sold	12,575,000
Government payments	433,000
Farm-related income	662,000
Total farm production expenses	11,497,000
Net cash farm income	2,172,000
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Per farm average	(\$)
Market value of products sold	68,341
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	16,636
Farm-related income	14,076
Total farm production expenses	62,485
Net cash farm income	11,803

(Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	97
Livestock, poultry, and products	3

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a

Cropland	56
Pastureland	8
Woodland	31
Other	4

Acres irrigated: 34

(Z)% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	14
Reduced till	5
Intensive till	5
Cover crop	8

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	99	54
\$2,500 to \$4,999	27	15
\$5,000 to \$9,999	15	8
\$10,000 to \$24,999	20	11
\$25,000 to \$49,999	6	3
\$50,000 to \$99,999	3	2
\$100,000 or more	14	8

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
1 to 9 acres	39	21
10 to 49 acres	72	39
50 to 179 acres	48	26
180 to 499 acres	16	9
500 to 999 acres	4	2
1,000 + acres	5	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	12,575	9	9	353	431
Crops	12,181	9	9	350	431
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	(D)	9	9	(D)	381
Tobacco	-	-	8	-	68
Cotton and cottonseed	(D)	4	6	(D)	108
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	(D)	9	9	(D)	418
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	626	9	9	304	416
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	(D)	9	9	(D)	425
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	8	-	326
Other crops and hay	274	9	9	323	395
Livestock, poultry, and products	394	9	9	360	422
Poultry and eggs	23	9	9	276	404
Cattle and calves	288	9	9	323	396
Milk from cows	-	-	8	-	312
Hogs and pigs	(D)	9	9	259	367
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	20	9	9	317	393
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	48	9	9	320	393
Aquaculture	-	-	8	-	328
Other animals and animal products	(D)	9	9	314	413

Total Producers ^c	317	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^d
Sex		Have internet access	83
Male	208		
Female	109		
Age		Farm organically	2
<35	21		
35 – 64	175		
65 and older	121		
Race		Sell directly to consumers	9
American Indian/Alaska Native	-		
Asian	-		
Black or African American	35		
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	1		
White	278	Hire farm labor	23
More than one race	3		
Other characteristics		Are family farms	94
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	1		
With military service	58		
New and beginning farmers	79		
		Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)	
		Broilers and other meat-type chickens	70
		Cattle and calves	1,527
		Goats	232
		Hogs and pigs	(D)
		Horses and ponies	420
		Layers	1,194
		Pullets	88
		Sheep and lambs	128
		Turkeys	-

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.