



# Utah 3rd District

## Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017

	2017
Number of farms	3,559
Land in farms (acres)	2,492,368
Average size of farm (acres)	700
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<b>Total</b>	<b>(\$)</b>
Market value of products sold	194,706,000
Government payments	3,232,000
Farm-related income	8,383,000
Total farm production expenses	186,191,000
Net cash farm income	20,130,000
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<b>Per farm average</b>	<b>(\$)</b>
Market value of products sold	54,708
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	11,106
Farm-related income	11,807
Total farm production expenses	52,315
Net cash farm income	5,656

**11** Percent of state agriculture sales

### Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	41
Livestock, poultry, and products	59

### Land in Farms by Use (%) <sup>a</sup>

Cropland	10
Pastureland	85
Woodland	2
Other	2

**Acres irrigated: 109,940**

4% of land in farms

### Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	5
Reduced till	4
Intensive till	8
Cover crop	5

## Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>a</sup>
Less than \$2,500	1,899	53
\$2,500 to \$4,999	365	10
\$5,000 to \$9,999	438	12
\$10,000 to \$24,999	384	11
\$25,000 to \$49,999	147	4
\$50,000 to \$99,999	124	3
\$100,000 or more	202	6

## Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>a</sup>
1 to 9 acres	1,421	40
10 to 49 acres	1,025	29
50 to 179 acres	540	15
180 to 499 acres	252	7
500 to 999 acres	93	3
1,000 + acres	228	6

Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

	Sales (\$1,000)	Rank in State <sup>b</sup>	CDs Producing Item	Rank in U.S. <sup>b</sup>	CDs Producing Item
<b>Total</b>	<b>194,706</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>228</b>	<b>431</b>
<b>Crops</b>	<b>79,514</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>239</b>	<b>431</b>
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	8,301	3	4	227	381
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	68
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	108
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	3,404	3	4	246	418
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	14,270	1	4	89	416
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	35,792	2	4	116	425
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	46	1	4	187	326
Other crops and hay	17,701	4	4	148	395
<b>Livestock, poultry, and products</b>	<b>115,192</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>189</b>	<b>422</b>
Poultry and eggs	(D)	4	4	(D)	404
Cattle and calves	34,183	3	4	174	396
Milk from cows	55,309	3	4	103	312
Hogs and pigs	(D)	4	4	(D)	367
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	3,102	4	4	59	393
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	2,498	4	4	110	393
Aquaculture	(D)	3	4	(D)	328
Other animals and animal products	(D)	3	4	(D)	413

Total Producers <sup>c</sup>

6,345

Sex

Male 3,891  
Female 2,454

Age

<35 497  
35 – 64 3,733  
65 and older 2,115

Race

American Indian/Alaska Native 1,170  
Asian 5  
Black or African American 1  
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander 10  
White 5,118  
More than one race 41

Other characteristics

Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin 68  
With military service 459  
New and beginning farmers 1,640

Percent of farms that:

Have internet access **70**

Farm organically **1**

Sell directly to consumers **8**

Hire farm labor **20**

Are family farms **94**

Top Crops in Acres <sup>d</sup>

Forage (hay/haylage), all 70,568  
Wheat for grain, all 39,268  
Corn for silage 5,321  
Cherries, tart 2,826  
Safflower 2,464

Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)

Broilers and other meat-type chickens 403  
Cattle and calves 88,628  
Goats 6,326  
Hogs and pigs (D)  
Horses and ponies 11,040  
Layers (D)  
Pullets (D)  
Sheep and lambs 36,997  
Turkeys (D)

See 2017 Census of Agriculture, U.S. Summary and State Data, for complete footnotes, explanations, definitions, commodity descriptions, and methodology.

<sup>a</sup> May not add to 100% due to rounding. <sup>b</sup> Among CDs whose rank can be displayed. <sup>c</sup> Data collected for a maximum of four producers per farm.

<sup>d</sup> Crop commodity names may be shortened; see full names at [www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf](http://www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf). <sup>e</sup> 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.