



Washington 8th District

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017

	2017
Number of farms	4,031
Land in farms (acres)	312,692
Average size of farm (acres)	78
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Total	(\$)
Market value of products sold	472,565,000
Government payments	2,914,000
Farm-related income	28,666,000
Total farm production expenses	443,130,000
Net cash farm income	61,015,000
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Per farm average	(\$)
Market value of products sold	117,233
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	18,329
Farm-related income	25,301
Total farm production expenses	109,931
Net cash farm income	15,137

5 Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	81
Livestock, poultry, and products	19

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a

Cropland	42
Pastureland	39
Woodland	8
Other	11

Acres irrigated: 96,075

31% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	3
Reduced till	2
Intensive till	5
Cover crop	5

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	2,029	50
\$2,500 to \$4,999	370	9
\$5,000 to \$9,999	396	10
\$10,000 to \$24,999	335	8
\$25,000 to \$49,999	233	6
\$50,000 to \$99,999	147	4
\$100,000 or more	521	13

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
1 to 9 acres	1,634	41
10 to 49 acres	1,635	41
50 to 179 acres	487	12
180 to 499 acres	180	4
500 to 999 acres	49	1
1,000 + acres	46	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	472,565	4	10	167	431
Crops	381,231	3	10	114	431
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	2,234	7	9	271	381
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	68
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	108
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	8,112	6	10	178	418
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	315,293	2	9	17	416
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	24,036	6	10	173	425
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	1,336	3	9	39	326
Other crops and hay	30,221	3	10	103	395
Livestock, poultry, and products	91,335	6	10	203	422
Poultry and eggs	(D)	6	10	(D)	404
Cattle and calves	28,467	5	10	183	396
Milk from cows	30,420	5	9	131	312
Hogs and pigs	236	6	9	181	367
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	876	4	10	150	393
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	(D)	3	10	(D)	393
Aquaculture	11,489	6	10	36	328
Other animals and animal products	4,042	2	9	58	413

Total Producers ^c	7,074	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^d
Sex		Have internet access	86
Male	3,922		
Female	3,152	Farm organically	2
Age		Sell directly to consumers	12
<35	425	Hire farm labor	30
35 – 64	4,189	Are family farms	96
65 and older	2,460		
Race			
American Indian/Alaska Native	79		
Asian	99		
Black or African American	19		
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	12		
White	6,762		
More than one race	103		
Other characteristics			
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	245		
With military service	951		
New and beginning farmers	1,927		
		Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)	
		Broilers and other meat-type chickens	2,813
		Cattle and calves	52,053
		Goats	2,933
		Hogs and pigs	729
		Horses and ponies	8,612
		Layers	(D)
		Pullets	(D)
		Sheep and lambs	4,776
		Turkeys	608

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.