



Chicot County Arkansas

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	291	-7
Land in farms (acres)	307,498	+6
Average size of farm (acres)	1,057	+14
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	148,270,000	-28
Government payments	11,746,000	+54
Farm-related income	3,948,000	-27
Total farm production expenses	114,675,000	-14
Net cash farm income	49,290,000	-42
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	509,519	-22
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	52,673	+81
Farm-related income	29,248	-19
Total farm production expenses	394,072	-7
Net cash farm income	169,380	-38

2 Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	97
Livestock, poultry, and products	3

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a

Cropland	89
Pastureland	2
Woodland	5
Other	5

Acres irrigated: 221,342

72% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	16
Reduced till	24
Intensive till	26
Cover crop	10

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	116	40
\$2,500 to \$4,999	12	4
\$5,000 to \$9,999	9	3
\$10,000 to \$24,999	13	4
\$25,000 to \$49,999	6	2
\$50,000 to \$99,999	10	3
\$100,000 or more	125	43

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
1 to 9 acres	9	3
10 to 49 acres	49	17
50 to 179 acres	70	24
180 to 499 acres	36	12
500 to 999 acres	22	8
1,000 + acres	105	36

Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

	Sales (\$1,000)	Rank in State ^b	Counties Producing Item	Rank in U.S. ^b	Counties Producing Item
Total	148,270	30	75	774	3,077
Crops	143,290	12	75	329	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	128,128	11	50	253	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	14,610	11	23	129	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	-	-	72	-	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	273	17	72	878	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	(D)	27	55	(D)	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	20	-	1,384
Other crops and hay	(D)	65	75	(D)	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	4,980	62	75	2,440	3,073
Poultry and eggs	(D)	69	72	2,106	3,007
Cattle and calves	(D)	55	75	(D)	3,055
Milk from cows	-	-	21	-	1,892
Hogs and pigs	-	-	62	-	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	8	52	70	2,398	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	(D)	(D)	70	(D)	2,970
Aquaculture	(D)	7	29	81	1,251
Other animals and animal products	(D)	51	65	(D)	2,878

Total Producers ^c

Sex	
Male	304
Female	141
Age	
<35	31
35 – 64	244
65 and older	170
Race	
American Indian/Alaska Native	-
Asian	-
Black or African American	46
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-
White	393
More than one race	6
Other characteristics	
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	15
With military service	43
New and beginning farmers	119

Percent of farms that:

Have internet access	73
Farm organically	-
Sell directly to consumers	1
Hire farm labor	44
Are family farms	91

Top Crops in Acres ^d

Soybeans for beans	187,606
Corn for grain	24,115
Cotton, all	22,180
Rice	21,774
Forage (hay/haylage), all	3,832

Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)

Broilers and other meat-type chickens	18
Cattle and calves	4,678
Goats	165
Hogs and pigs	-
Horses and ponies	114
Layers	80
Pullets	-
Sheep and lambs	(D)
Turkeys	9

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 counties 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.