



Lawrence County Arkansas

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	535	-4
Land in farms (acres)	269,678	+7
Average size of farm (acres)	504	+11
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	150,598,000	+1
Government payments	13,714,000	+87
Farm-related income	5,724,000	-18
Total farm production expenses	125,372,000	+13
Net cash farm income	44,664,000	-14
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	281,491	+6
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	63,198	+136
Farm-related income	37,172	+21
Total farm production expenses	234,340	+18
Net cash farm income	83,484	-11

2 Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	66
Livestock, poultry, and products	34

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a

Cropland	76
Pastureland	13
Woodland	10
Other	2

Acres irrigated: 147,230

55% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	7
Reduced till	12
Intensive till	10
Cover crop	2

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	204	38
\$2,500 to \$4,999	25	5
\$5,000 to \$9,999	52	10
\$10,000 to \$24,999	64	12
\$25,000 to \$49,999	38	7
\$50,000 to \$99,999	29	5
\$100,000 or more	123	23

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
1 to 9 acres	28	5
10 to 49 acres	102	19
50 to 179 acres	171	32
180 to 499 acres	116	22
500 to 999 acres	51	10
1,000 + acres	67	13

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	150,598	28	75	760	3,077
Crops	99,781	19	75	555	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	95,567	20	50	410	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	23	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	(D)	62	72	(D)	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	(D)	(D)	72	(D)	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	-	-	55	-	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	(D)	16	20	(D)	1,384
Other crops and hay	4,198	4	75	601	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	50,816	32	75	928	3,073
Poultry and eggs	45,226	28	72	273	3,007
Cattle and calves	5,533	40	75	1,639	3,055
Milk from cows	-	-	21	-	1,892
Hogs and pigs	(D)	39	62	(D)	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	30	34	70	2,021	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	8	54	70	2,321	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	29	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	(D)	36	65	(D)	2,878

Total Producers ^c	871	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^d	
Sex		Have internet access	76	
Male	565			
Female	306	Farm organically	-	
Age		Sell directly to consumers	1	
<35	64	Hire farm labor	26	
35 – 64	520	Are family farms	95	
65 and older	287			
Race			Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)	
American Indian/Alaska Native	-		Broilers and other meat-type chickens	2,524,324
Asian	2		Cattle and calves	15,336
Black or African American	-		Goats	492
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-		Hogs and pigs	42
White	865		Horses and ponies	361
More than one race	4		Layers	(D)
Other characteristics			Pullets	(D)
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	15		Sheep and lambs	123
With military service	86		Turkeys	(D)
New and beginning farmers	187			

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.