



# Montgomery County Arkansas

## Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	428	-5
Land in farms (acres)	77,302	+4
Average size of farm (acres)	181	+9
<b>Total</b> (\$)		
Market value of products sold	27,776,000	-34
Government payments	9,000	-98
Farm-related income	408,000	-46
Total farm production expenses	20,048,000	-44
Net cash farm income	8,144,000	+7
<b>Per farm average</b> (\$)		
Market value of products sold	64,896	-31
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	947	-85
Farm-related income	5,226	-8
Total farm production expenses	46,840	-41
Net cash farm income	19,028	+12

## (Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

### Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	3
Livestock, poultry, and products	97

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

Cropland	29
Pastureland	47
Woodland	19
Other	4

### Acres irrigated: 303

(Z)% of land in farms

### Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	2
Reduced till	(Z)
Intensive till	1
Cover crop	1

## Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>a</sup>
Less than \$2,500	153	36
\$2,500 to \$4,999	44	10
\$5,000 to \$9,999	47	11
\$10,000 to \$24,999	93	22
\$25,000 to \$49,999	43	10
\$50,000 to \$99,999	16	4
\$100,000 or more	32	7

## Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>a</sup>
1 to 9 acres	38	9
10 to 49 acres	92	21
50 to 179 acres	152	36
180 to 499 acres	121	28
500 to 999 acres	20	5
1,000 + acres	5	1

**Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold**

	Sales (\$1,000)	Rank in State <sup>b</sup>	Counties Producing Item	Rank in U.S. <sup>b</sup>	Counties Producing Item
<b>Total</b>	<b>27,776</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>2,184</b>	<b>3,077</b>
<b>Crops</b>	<b>929</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>2,839</b>	<b>3,073</b>
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	-	-	50	-	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	23	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	(D)	59	72	(D)	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	60	33	72	1,491	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	(D)	38	55	(D)	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	20	-	1,384
Other crops and hay	824	43	75	2,049	3,040
<b>Livestock, poultry, and products</b>	<b>26,846</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>1,414</b>	<b>3,073</b>
Poultry and eggs	16,580	41	72	462	3,007
Cattle and calves	6,189	37	75	1,566	3,055
Milk from cows	-	-	21	-	1,892
Hogs and pigs	3,716	8	62	505	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	(D)	12	70	(D)	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	2	61	70	2,394	2,970
Aquaculture	(D)	18	29	(D)	1,251
Other animals and animal products	2	50	65	1,738	2,878

**Total Producers <sup>c</sup>**

<b>Sex</b>	<b>698</b>
Male	414
Female	284
<b>Age</b>	
<35	44
35 – 64	411
65 and older	243
<b>Race</b>	
American Indian/Alaska Native	6
Asian	8
Black or African American	-
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-
White	677
More than one race	7
<b>Other characteristics</b>	
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	11
With military service	62
New and beginning farmers	168

**Percent of farms that:**

Have internet access	<b>64</b>
Farm organically	<b>-</b>
Sell directly to consumers	<b>4</b>
Hire farm labor	<b>19</b>
Are family farms	<b>100</b>

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

Forage (hay/haylage), all	19,134
Short-rotation woody crops	76
Pecans, all	(D)
Sod harvested	(D)
Vegetables harvested, all	13

**Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)**

Broilers and other meat-type chickens	421,200
Cattle and calves	20,231
Goats	243
Hogs and pigs	6,745
Horses and ponies	424
Layers	105,123
Pullets	98,378
Sheep and lambs	223
Turkeys	-

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 counties 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.