



# Pulaski County Arkansas

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

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	411	-1
Land in farms (acres)	79,220	-6
Average size of farm (acres)	193	-4
<b>Total</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	
Market value of products sold	20,276,000	-49
Government payments	1,580,000	+10
Farm-related income	2,343,000	+75
Total farm production expenses	19,673,000	-33
Net cash farm income	4,526,000	-66
<b>Per farm average</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	
Market value of products sold	49,332	-49
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	30,392	+67
Farm-related income	22,533	+112
Total farm production expenses	47,866	-32
Net cash farm income	11,013	-66

## (Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

### Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	81
Livestock, poultry, and products	19

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

Cropland	56
Pastureland	15
Woodland	22
Other	7

### Acres irrigated: 20,696

26% of land in farms

### Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	9
Reduced till	5
Intensive till	9
Cover crop	2

## Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>a</sup>
Less than \$2,500	241	59
\$2,500 to \$4,999	40	10
\$5,000 to \$9,999	34	8
\$10,000 to \$24,999	43	10
\$25,000 to \$49,999	20	5
\$50,000 to \$99,999	7	2
\$100,000 or more	26	6

## Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>a</sup>
1 to 9 acres	88	21
10 to 49 acres	144	35
50 to 179 acres	108	26
180 to 499 acres	36	9
500 to 999 acres	13	3
1,000 + acres	22	5

**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>20,276</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>2,366</b>	<b>3,077</b>
<b>Crops</b>	<b>16,444</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>1,777</b>	<b>3,073</b>
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	14,904	28	50	1,249	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	23	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	(D)	24	72	(D)	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	632	9	72	594	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	262	21	55	1,220	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	(D)	2	20	(D)	1,384
Other crops and hay	386	57	75	2,434	3,040
<b>Livestock, poultry, and products</b>	<b>3,832</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>2,553</b>	<b>3,073</b>
Poultry and eggs	(D)	55	72	(D)	3,007
Cattle and calves	1,756	51	75	2,220	3,055
Milk from cows	-	-	21	-	1,892
Hogs and pigs	29	24	62	1,274	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	25	37	70	2,112	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	(D)	(D)	70	(D)	2,970
Aquaculture	(D)	22	29	(D)	1,251
Other animals and animal products	44	15	65	1,048	2,878

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

<b>Sex</b>	
Male	413
Female	248
<b>Age</b>	
<35	40
35 – 64	385
65 and older	236
<b>Race</b>	
American Indian/Alaska Native	-
Asian	2
Black or African American	43
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-
White	602
More than one race	14
<b>Other characteristics</b>	
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	8
With military service	122
New and beginning farmers	225

**Percent of farms that:**

Have internet access	<b>78</b>
Farm organically	<b>2</b>
Sell directly to consumers	<b>9</b>
Hire farm labor	<b>27</b>
Are family farms	<b>95</b>

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

Soybeans for beans	21,620
Forage (hay/haylage), all	8,813
Corn for grain	3,839
Rice	3,302
Wheat for grain, all	750

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

Broilers and other meat-type chickens	(D)
Cattle and calves	4,554
Goats	566
Hogs and pigs	398
Horses and ponies	882
Layers	1,517
Pullets	236
Sheep and lambs	478
Turkeys	136

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.