



Larimer County Colorado

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	2,043	+26
Land in farms (acres)	482,456	+7
Average size of farm (acres)	236	-15
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Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	150,717,000	+17
Government payments	633,000	-40
Farm-related income	10,950,000	+30
Total farm production expenses	150,951,000	+25
Net cash farm income	11,349,000	-36
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Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	73,772	-7
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	5,653	-3
Farm-related income	17,689	+16
Total farm production expenses	73,887	(Z)
Net cash farm income	5,555	-49

2 Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	46
Livestock, poultry, and products	54

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a

Cropland	20
Pastureland	68
Woodland	7
Other	4

Acres irrigated: 60,191

12% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	6
Reduced till	3
Intensive till	4
Cover crop	3

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	1,179	58
\$2,500 to \$4,999	236	12
\$5,000 to \$9,999	194	9
\$10,000 to \$24,999	171	8
\$25,000 to \$49,999	92	5
\$50,000 to \$99,999	58	3
\$100,000 or more	113	6

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
1 to 9 acres	502	25
10 to 49 acres	949	46
50 to 179 acres	302	15
180 to 499 acres	148	7
500 to 999 acres	53	3
1,000 + acres	89	4

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	150,717	9	63	758	3,077
Crops	68,874	12	63	855	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	14,198	15	49	1,267	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	806	18	45	813	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	186	9	31	1,057	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	44,744	3	50	70	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	106	3	24	254	1,384
Other crops and hay	8,835	14	62	291	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	81,843	11	63	636	3,073
Poultry and eggs	166	12	59	922	3,007
Cattle and calves	31,604	13	62	490	3,055
Milk from cows	44,415	3	23	181	1,892
Hogs and pigs	129	18	54	841	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	635	17	60	260	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	1,234	5	59	142	2,970
Aquaculture	2,342	2	23	102	1,251
Other animals and animal products	1,317	3	58	140	2,878

Total Producers ^c	3,699	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^d
Sex		Have internet access	Forage (hay/haylage), all
Male	2,010	85	Corn for grain
Female	1,689		Corn for silage or greenchop
Age		Farm organically	Wheat for grain, all
<35	283	1	Dry edible beans
35 – 64	2,195		
65 and older	1,221		
Race		Sell directly to consumers	Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)
American Indian/Alaska Native	22	11	Broilers and other meat-type chickens
Asian	47		Cattle and calves
Black or African American	2	Hire farm labor	Goats
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	1	19	Hogs and pigs
White	3,595		Horses and ponies
More than one race	32		Layers
Other characteristics		Are family farms	Pullets
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	130	95	Sheep and lambs
With military service	309		Turkeys
New and beginning farmers	1,208		

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.