



Butte County Idaho

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

| | 2017 | % change since 2012 |
|---|------------|---------------------|
| Number of farms | 189 | -12 |
| Land in farms (acres) | 130,366 | +4 |
| Average size of farm (acres) | 690 | +18 |
| Total (\$) | | |
| Market value of products sold | 42,179,000 | +7 |
| Government payments | 1,877,000 | +22 |
| Farm-related income | 1,507,000 | +51 |
| Total farm production expenses | 30,443,000 | +11 |
| Net cash farm income | 15,119,000 | +4 |
| Per farm average (\$) | | |
| Market value of products sold | 223,167 | +22 |
| Government payments (average per farm receiving) | 18,766 | +76 |
| Farm-related income | 14,774 | +53 |
| Total farm production expenses | 161,075 | +26 |
| Net cash farm income | 79,994 | +18 |

1 Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

| | |
|----------------------------------|----|
| Crops | 85 |
| Livestock, poultry, and products | 15 |

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a

| | |
|-------------|-----|
| Cropland | 60 |
| Pastureland | 33 |
| Woodland | (Z) |
| Other | 6 |

Acres irrigated: 69,359

53% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

| | |
|----------------|----|
| No till | 10 |
| Reduced till | 8 |
| Intensive till | 37 |
| Cover crop | 13 |

Farms by Value of Sales

| | Number | Percent of Total ^a |
|----------------------|--------|-------------------------------|
| Less than \$2,500 | 31 | 16 |
| \$2,500 to \$4,999 | 11 | 6 |
| \$5,000 to \$9,999 | 14 | 7 |
| \$10,000 to \$24,999 | 26 | 14 |
| \$25,000 to \$49,999 | 17 | 9 |
| \$50,000 to \$99,999 | 22 | 12 |
| \$100,000 or more | 68 | 36 |

Farms by Size

| | Number | Percent of Total ^a |
|------------------|--------|-------------------------------|
| 1 to 9 acres | 16 | 8 |
| 10 to 49 acres | 30 | 16 |
| 50 to 179 acres | 41 | 22 |
| 180 to 499 acres | 37 | 20 |
| 500 to 999 acres | 14 | 7 |
| 1,000 + acres | 51 | 27 |

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 | 42,179 | 25 | 44 | 1,912 | 3,077 |
| Crops | 35,667 | 22 | 44 | 1,320 | 3,073 |
| Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas | 10,122 | 25 | 42 | 1,391 | 2,916 |
| Tobacco | - | - | - | - | 323 |
| Cotton and cottonseed | - | - | - | - | 647 |
| Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes | (D) | 19 | 41 | 341 | 2,821 |
| Fruits, tree nuts, berries | - | - | 37 | - | 2,748 |
| Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod | (D) | 41 | 43 | (D) | 2,601 |
| Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops | - | - | 14 | - | 1,384 |
| Other crops and hay | 20,541 | 12 | 44 | 120 | 3,040 |
| Livestock, poultry, and products | 6,512 | 33 | 44 | 2,334 | 3,073 |
| Poultry and eggs | 3 | 36 | 43 | 2,033 | 3,007 |
| Cattle and calves | 5,327 | 32 | 44 | 1,662 | 3,055 |
| Milk from cows | (D) | 24 | 35 | (D) | 1,892 |
| Hogs and pigs | (D) | (D) | 40 | (D) | 2,856 |
| Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk | 132 | 29 | 43 | 1,085 | 2,984 |
| Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys | (D) | (D) | 44 | (D) | 2,970 |
| Aquaculture | - | - | 22 | - | 1,251 |
| Other animals and animal products | (D) | 34 | 42 | (D) | 2,878 |

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|-------------------------------------|------------|-------------------------------|---|
| Total Producers ^c | 332 | Percent of farms that: | Top Crops in Acres ^d |
| Sex | | Have internet access | Forage (hay/haylage), all |
| Male | 223 | 93 | 47,224 |
| Female | 109 | | Barley for grain |
| Age | | Farm organically | 11,726 |
| <35 | 29 | 3 | Wheat for grain, all |
| 35 – 64 | 198 | | 9,060 |
| 65 and older | 105 | Sell directly to consumers | Vegetables harvested, all |
| Race | | 4 | 1,068 |
| American Indian/Alaska Native | - | Hire farm labor | Potatoes |
| Asian | - | 39 | 1,068 |
| Black or African American | - | | |
| Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander | - | Are family farms | |
| White | 328 | 93 | |
| More than one race | 4 | | |
| Other characteristics | | | Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017) |
| Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin | 6 | | Broilers and other meat-type chickens |
| With military service | 54 | | 45 |
| New and beginning farmers | 49 | | Cattle and calves |
| | | | 9,138 |
| | | | Goats |
| | | | 212 |
| | | | Hogs and pigs |
| | | | 108 |
| | | | Horses and ponies |
| | | | 465 |
| | | | Layers |
| | | | 284 |
| | | | Pullets |
| | | | 59 |
| | | | Sheep and lambs |
| | | | 848 |
| | | | Turkeys |
| | | | 90 |

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.