



Kearny County Kansas

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	299	-13
Land in farms (acres)	516,230	-6
Average size of farm (acres)	1,727	+8
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Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	280,978,000	-17
Government payments	8,766,000	+44
Farm-related income	6,851,000	-40
Total farm production expenses	262,919,000	-10
Net cash farm income	33,677,000	-46
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Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	939,724	-4
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	33,978	+66
Farm-related income	37,438	-25
Total farm production expenses	879,326	+3
Net cash farm income	112,631	-38

1 Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	27
Livestock, poultry, and products	73

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a

Cropland	81
Pastureland	18
Woodland	(Z)
Other	1

Acres irrigated: 53,209

10% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	16
Reduced till	31
Intensive till	17
Cover crop	3

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	126	42
\$2,500 to \$4,999	5	2
\$5,000 to \$9,999	8	3
\$10,000 to \$24,999	17	6
\$25,000 to \$49,999	16	5
\$50,000 to \$99,999	14	5
\$100,000 or more	113	38

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
1 to 9 acres	-	-
10 to 49 acres	19	6
50 to 179 acres	70	23
180 to 499 acres	76	25
500 to 999 acres	32	11
1,000 + acres	102	34

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	280,978	14	105	289	3,077
Crops	76,465	33	105	762	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	62,438	47	105	636	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	23	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	(D)	6	82	(D)	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	-	-	57	-	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	-	-	65	-	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	21	-	1,384
Other crops and hay	(D)	2	105	191	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	204,513	15	105	197	3,073
Poultry and eggs	8	47	104	1,822	3,007
Cattle and calves	(D)	14	105	69	3,055
Milk from cows	(D)	4	64	(D)	1,892
Hogs and pigs	-	-	97	-	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	(D)	(D)	102	(D)	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	20	58	99	2,154	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	14	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	(D)	(D)	87	(D)	2,878

Total Producers ^c	544	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^d
Sex		Have internet access	84
Male	343		
Female	201	Farm organically	-
Age		Sell directly to consumers	2
<35	61	Hire farm labor	31
35 – 64	283	Are family farms	89
65 and older	200		
Race			
American Indian/Alaska Native	-		
Asian	2		
Black or African American	1		
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-		
White	539		
More than one race	2		
Other characteristics			
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	13		
With military service	48		
New and beginning farmers	173		
			Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)
			Broilers and other meat-type chickens (D)
			Cattle and calves 73,195
			Goats 58
			Hogs and pigs -
			Horses and ponies 95
			Layers 577
			Pullets 167
			Sheep and lambs (D)
			Turkeys (D)

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.