



# Wilson County Kansas

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

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	420	-1
Land in farms (acres)	286,824	+13
Average size of farm (acres)	683	+13
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<b>Total</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	
Market value of products sold	62,284,000	+12
Government payments	1,941,000	+19
Farm-related income	3,209,000	-12
Total farm production expenses	50,638,000	+28
Net cash farm income	16,797,000	-21
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<b>Per farm average</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	
Market value of products sold	148,296	+13
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	9,072	+53
Farm-related income	13,044	-21
Total farm production expenses	120,566	+29
Net cash farm income	39,992	-20

## (Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

### Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	80
Livestock, poultry, and products	20

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

Cropland	63
Pastureland	31
Woodland	4
Other	2

### Acres irrigated: 1,797

1% of land in farms

### Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	18
Reduced till	24
Intensive till	22
Cover crop	2

## Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>a</sup>
Less than \$2,500	100	24
\$2,500 to \$4,999	23	5
\$5,000 to \$9,999	29	7
\$10,000 to \$24,999	77	18
\$25,000 to \$49,999	43	10
\$50,000 to \$99,999	26	6
\$100,000 or more	122	29

## Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>a</sup>
1 to 9 acres	7	2
10 to 49 acres	53	13
50 to 179 acres	135	32
180 to 499 acres	91	22
500 to 999 acres	43	10
1,000 + acres	91	22

**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>62,284</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>105</b>	<b>1,566</b>	<b>3,077</b>
<b>Crops</b>	<b>49,704</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>105</b>	<b>1,090</b>	<b>3,073</b>
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	48,684	57	105	775	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	23	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	(D)	(D)	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)	82	105	1,860	3,040
<b>Livestock, poultry, and products</b>	<b>12,581</b>	<b>101</b>	<b>105</b>	<b>1,976</b>	<b>3,073</b>
Poultry and eggs	3	71	104	2,013	3,007
Cattle and calves	12,515	96	105	1,093	3,055
Milk from cows	-	-	64	-	1,892
Hogs and pigs	(D)	89	97	(D)	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	36	62	102	1,934	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	21	56	99	2,137	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	14	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	(D)	48	87	(D)	2,878

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

**Percent of farms that:**

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

<b>Sex</b>	
Male	461
Female	248
<b>Age</b>	
<35	67
35 – 64	394
65 and older	248
<b>Race</b>	
American Indian/Alaska Native	5
Asian	-
Black or African American	-
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-
White	699
More than one race	5
<b>Other characteristics</b>	
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	12
With military service	67
New and beginning farmers	177

Have internet access	<b>71</b>
Farm organically	<b>-</b>
Sell directly to consumers	<b>1</b>
Hire farm labor	<b>26</b>
Are family farms	<b>96</b>

Soybeans for beans	87,660
Corn for grain	43,438
Forage (hay/haylage), all	25,515
Wheat for grain, all	22,949
Sorghum for grain	443

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

Broilers and other meat-type chickens	26
Cattle and calves	23,231
Goats	492
Hogs and pigs	(D)
Horses and ponies	249
Layers	384
Pullets	(D)
Sheep and lambs	172
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.