



# Henry County Kentucky

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

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	771	-11
Land in farms (acres)	131,006	+2
Average size of farm (acres)	170	+15
<b>Total (\$)</b>		
Market value of products sold	30,607,000	(Z)
Government payments	195,000	-87
Farm-related income	1,712,000	-4
Total farm production expenses	28,276,000	-6
Net cash farm income	4,237,000	+10
<b>Per farm average (\$)</b>		
Market value of products sold	39,698	+12
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	2,498	-33
Farm-related income	7,284	+17
Total farm production expenses	36,674	+6
Net cash farm income	5,496	+24

**1** Percent of state agriculture sales

### Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	54
Livestock, poultry, and products	46

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

Cropland	50
Pastureland	28
Woodland	17
Other	5

**Acres irrigated: 249**

(Z)% of land in farms

### Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	12
Reduced till	6
Intensive till	19
Cover crop	18

## Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>a</sup>
Less than \$2,500	275	36
\$2,500 to \$4,999	60	8
\$5,000 to \$9,999	84	11
\$10,000 to \$24,999	137	18
\$25,000 to \$49,999	68	9
\$50,000 to \$99,999	72	9
\$100,000 or more	75	10

## Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>a</sup>
1 to 9 acres	40	5
10 to 49 acres	232	30
50 to 179 acres	272	35
180 to 499 acres	189	25
500 to 999 acres	21	3
1,000 + acres	17	2

**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>30,607</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>120</b>	<b>2,135</b>	<b>3,077</b>
<b>Crops</b>	<b>16,511</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>120</b>	<b>1,775</b>	<b>3,073</b>
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	7,289	49	116	1,496	2,916
Tobacco	5,273	22	94	74	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	189	44	118	1,295	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	72	28	114	1,410	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	207	43	103	1,265	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	31	-	1,384
Other crops and hay	3,481	14	120	743	3,040
<b>Livestock, poultry, and products</b>	<b>14,095</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>120</b>	<b>1,899</b>	<b>3,073</b>
Poultry and eggs	45	71	120	1,292	3,007
Cattle and calves	10,991	34	120	1,183	3,055
Milk from cows	2,411	19	77	778	1,892
Hogs and pigs	31	45	114	1,255	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	186	16	118	840	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	362	32	115	588	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	26	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	70	22	111	874	2,878

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

**1,275**

**Sex**

Male	834
Female	441

**Age**

<35	97
35 – 64	721
65 and older	457

**Race**

American Indian/Alaska Native	-
Asian	-
Black or African American	-
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-
White	1,265
More than one race	10

**Other characteristics**

Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	4
With military service	152
New and beginning farmers	317

**Percent of farms that:**

Have internet access **74**

Farm organically (Z)

Sell directly to consumers **7**

Hire farm labor **24**

Are family farms **96**

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

Forage (hay/haylage), all	35,790
Soybeans for beans	10,626
Corn for grain	4,332
Tobacco	1,254
Corn for silage or greenchop	727

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

Broilers and other meat-type chickens	48
Cattle and calves	27,000
Goats	907
Hogs and pigs	207
Horses and ponies	1,233
Layers	2,312
Pullets	200
Sheep and lambs	1,199
Turkeys	14

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.