



# Lincoln County Kentucky

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

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	1,090	-9
Land in farms (acres)	163,249	-10
Average size of farm (acres)	150	(Z)
<b>Total</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	
Market value of products sold	59,008,000	+3
Government payments	939,000	-44
Farm-related income	4,129,000	+87
Total farm production expenses	52,244,000	-13
Net cash farm income	11,832,000	+1098
<b>Per farm average</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	
Market value of products sold	54,136	+13
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	3,945	+23
Farm-related income	12,399	+90
Total farm production expenses	47,930	-4
Net cash farm income	10,855	+1222

**1** Percent of state agriculture sales

### Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	31
Livestock, poultry, and products	69

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

Cropland	42
Pastureland	31
Woodland	20
Other	6

Acres irrigated: 40

(Z)% of land in farms

### Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	17
Reduced till	2
Intensive till	8
Cover crop	13

## Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>a</sup>
Less than \$2,500	362	33
\$2,500 to \$4,999	124	11
\$5,000 to \$9,999	172	16
\$10,000 to \$24,999	127	12
\$25,000 to \$49,999	101	9
\$50,000 to \$99,999	64	6
\$100,000 or more	140	13

## Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>a</sup>
1 to 9 acres	106	10
10 to 49 acres	361	33
50 to 179 acres	392	36
180 to 499 acres	153	14
500 to 999 acres	56	5
1,000 + acres	22	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>59,008</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>120</b>	<b>1,621</b>	<b>3,077</b>
<b>Crops</b>	<b>18,577</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>120</b>	<b>1,701</b>	<b>3,073</b>
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	11,244	39	116	1,358	2,916
Tobacco	1,664	51	94	134	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	498	16	118	968	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	11	78	114	1,798	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	991	16	103	857	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	31	-	1,384
Other crops and hay	4,169	7	120	605	3,040
<b>Livestock, poultry, and products</b>	<b>40,431</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>120</b>	<b>1,109</b>	<b>3,073</b>
Poultry and eggs	385	46	120	816	3,007
Cattle and calves	31,687	4	120	489	3,055
Milk from cows	7,985	7	77	494	1,892
Hogs and pigs	53	36	114	1,078	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	122	30	118	1,133	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	187	50	115	1,017	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	26	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	12	61	111	1,457	2,878

<b>Total Producers <sup>c</sup></b>	<b>1,739</b>	<b>Percent of farms that:</b>	<b>Top Crops in Acres <sup>d</sup></b>	
<b>Sex</b>		Have internet access	70	
Male	1,133	Farm organically	1	
Female	606	Sell directly to consumers	5	
<b>Age</b>		Hire farm labor	23	
<35	256	Are family farms	99	
35 – 64	947			
65 and older	536			
<b>Race</b>			<b>Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)</b>	
American Indian/Alaska Native	6		Broilers and other meat-type chickens	52
Asian	-		Cattle and calves	52,990
Black or African American	15		Goats	851
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	1		Hogs and pigs	376
White	1,716		Horses and ponies	1,207
More than one race	1		Layers	14,671
<b>Other characteristics</b>			Pullets	121
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	8		Sheep and lambs	1,001
With military service	143		Turkeys	141
New and beginning farmers	519			

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.