



Oldham County Kentucky

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	466	+11
Land in farms (acres)	51,467	-15
Average size of farm (acres)	110	-23
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	18,514,000	+25
Government payments	252,000	-15
Farm-related income	8,334,000	+279
Total farm production expenses	27,489,000	+45
Net cash farm income	-389,000	+76
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	39,729	+12
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	11,459	+198
Farm-related income	57,477	+273
Total farm production expenses	58,989	+30
Net cash farm income	-835	+78

(Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	46
Livestock, poultry, and products	54

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a

Cropland	41
Pastureland	29
Woodland	22
Other	8

Acres irrigated: 60

(Z)% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	10
Reduced till	2
Intensive till	6
Cover crop	5

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	234	50
\$2,500 to \$4,999	68	15
\$5,000 to \$9,999	50	11
\$10,000 to \$24,999	52	11
\$25,000 to \$49,999	19	4
\$50,000 to \$99,999	13	3
\$100,000 or more	30	6

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
1 to 9 acres	48	10
10 to 49 acres	205	44
50 to 179 acres	151	32
180 to 499 acres	40	9
500 to 999 acres	15	3
1,000 + acres	7	2

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	18,514	69	120	2,413	3,077
Crops	8,554	66	120	2,121	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	4,400	63	116	1,689	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	94	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	659	11	118	875	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	127	21	114	1,198	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	2,331	8	103	597	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	5	11	31	581	1,384
Other crops and hay	1,032	70	120	1,842	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	9,960	65	120	2,112	3,073
Poultry and eggs	80	57	120	1,111	3,007
Cattle and calves	2,603	77	120	2,043	3,055
Milk from cows	(D)	(D)	77	(D)	1,892
Hogs and pigs	38	43	114	1,203	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	(D)	(D)	118	(D)	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	6,317	6	115	20	2,970
Aquaculture	(D)	11	26	(D)	1,251
Other animals and animal products	208	10	111	517	2,878

Total Producers ^c

Sex	833
Male	465
Female	368
Age	
<35	49
35 – 64	513
65 and older	271
Race	
American Indian/Alaska Native	3
Asian	-
Black or African American	-
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-
White	830
More than one race	-
Other characteristics	
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	15
With military service	63
New and beginning farmers	291

Percent of farms that:

Have internet access	80
Farm organically	(Z)
Sell directly to consumers	12
Hire farm labor	27
Are family farms	97

Top Crops in Acres ^d

Forage (hay/haylage), all	8,823
Soybeans for beans	6,507
Corn for grain	2,257
Wheat for grain, all	255
Rye for grain	(D)

Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)

Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1,422
Cattle and calves	5,111
Goats	43
Hogs and pigs	222
Horses and ponies	2,286
Layers	1,934
Pullets	67
Sheep and lambs	337
Turkeys	250

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.