



Powell County Kentucky

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	194	-15
Land in farms (acres)	27,998	-7
Average size of farm (acres)	144	+10
Total (\$)		
Market value of products sold	2,704,000	+10
Government payments	32,000	-76
Farm-related income	384,000	+23
Total farm production expenses	3,256,000	-8
Net cash farm income	-136,000	+79
Per farm average (\$)		
Market value of products sold	13,936	+29
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	2,025	+21
Farm-related income	7,242	+71
Total farm production expenses	16,781	+8
Net cash farm income	-700	+75

(Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	73
Livestock, poultry, and products	27

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a

Cropland	34
Pastureland	19
Woodland	43
Other	4

Acres irrigated: 7

(Z)% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	6
Reduced till	2
Intensive till	15
Cover crop	7

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	93	48
\$2,500 to \$4,999	37	19
\$5,000 to \$9,999	35	18
\$10,000 to \$24,999	18	9
\$25,000 to \$49,999	6	3
\$50,000 to \$99,999	2	1
\$100,000 or more	3	2

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
1 to 9 acres	9	5
10 to 49 acres	61	31
50 to 179 acres	88	45
180 to 499 acres	26	13
500 to 999 acres	7	4
1,000 + acres	3	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	2,704	100	120	2,938	3,077
Crops	1,984	96	120	2,681	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	1,664	76	116	1,985	2,916
Tobacco	18	90	94	250	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	48	84	118	1,778	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	10	81	114	1,805	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	-	-	103	-	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	31	-	1,384
Other crops and hay	243	106	120	2,562	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	720	106	120	2,873	3,073
Poultry and eggs	11	103	120	1,757	3,007
Cattle and calves	679	97	120	2,485	3,055
Milk from cows	-	-	77	-	1,892
Hogs and pigs	2	80	114	1,786	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	6	107	118	2,429	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	20	92	115	2,152	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	26	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	1	92	111	1,749	2,878

Total Producers ^c

Sex	369
Male	236
Female	133

Age	369
<35	58
35 – 64	165
65 and older	146

Race	369
American Indian/Alaska Native	-
Asian	-
Black or African American	2
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-
White	366
More than one race	1

Other characteristics	369
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	-
With military service	56
New and beginning farmers	120

Percent of farms that:

Have internet access **65**

Farm organically **-**

Sell directly to consumers **2**

Hire farm labor **22**

Are family farms **97**

Top Crops in Acres ^d

Forage (hay/haylage), all	3,521
Soybeans for beans	2,964
Corn for grain	1,345
Vegetables harvested, all	18
Tobacco	18

Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)

Broilers and other meat-type chickens	65
Cattle and calves	2,443
Goats	113
Hogs and pigs	36
Horses and ponies	132
Layers	961
Pullets	34
Sheep and lambs	-
Turkeys	22

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.