



Hennepin County Minnesota

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	467	-26
Land in farms (acres)	45,885	-33
Average size of farm (acres)	98	-11
Total (\$)		
Market value of products sold	58,570,000	-9
Government payments	193,000	-81
Farm-related income	5,255,000	-36
Total farm production expenses	53,985,000	-2
Net cash farm income	10,033,000	-47
Per farm average (\$)		
Market value of products sold	125,418	+22
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	1,533	-68
Farm-related income	28,252	-16
Total farm production expenses	115,600	+32
Net cash farm income	21,483	-28

(Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	89
Livestock, poultry, and products	11

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a

Cropland	80
Pastureland	6
Woodland	6
Other	7

Acres irrigated: 279

1% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	5
Reduced till	13
Intensive till	30
Cover crop	8

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	195	42
\$2,500 to \$4,999	52	11
\$5,000 to \$9,999	49	10
\$10,000 to \$24,999	36	8
\$25,000 to \$49,999	28	6
\$50,000 to \$99,999	30	6
\$100,000 or more	77	16

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
1 to 9 acres	123	26
10 to 49 acres	198	42
50 to 179 acres	77	16
180 to 499 acres	47	10
500 to 999 acres	14	3
1,000 + acres	8	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	58,570	67	87	1,626	3,077
Crops	51,923	64	87	1,066	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	13,000	73	85	1,307	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	1,071	48	86	742	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	(D)	11	84	588	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	36,355	2	82	85	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	(D)	46	54	(D)	1,384
Other crops and hay	852	71	87	2,016	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	6,647	73	87	2,316	3,073
Poultry and eggs	(D)	71	87	(D)	3,007
Cattle and calves	2,609	74	87	2,039	3,055
Milk from cows	3,568	51	80	697	1,892
Hogs and pigs	35	74	85	1,225	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	59	57	85	1,632	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	243	15	84	839	2,970
Aquaculture	(D)	24	28	(D)	1,251
Other animals and animal products	84	38	85	801	2,878

Total Producers ^c	733	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^d
Sex		Have internet access	78
Male	478		Soybeans for beans 14,765
Female	255	Farm organically	1
Age		Sell directly to consumers	19
<35	37	Hire farm labor	29
35 – 64	440	Are family farms	95
65 and older	256		Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)
Race			Broilers and other meat-type chickens 320
American Indian/Alaska Native	-		Cattle and calves 5,431
Asian	49		Goats 85
Black or African American	3		Hogs and pigs 55
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	1		Horses and ponies 1,239
White	678		Layers 1,018
More than one race	2		Pullets (D)
Other characteristics			Sheep and lambs 332
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	5		Turkeys 110
With military service	88		
New and beginning farmers	211		

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.