



Glacier County Montana

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	637	+6
Land in farms (acres)	1,185,873	-24
Average size of farm (acres)	1,862	-29
Total (\$)		
Market value of products sold	106,537,000	+1
Government payments	5,948,000	-14
Farm-related income	10,828,000	-4
Total farm production expenses	94,553,000	+10
Net cash farm income	28,761,000	-24
Per farm average (\$)		
Market value of products sold	167,247	-5
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	27,039	+20
Farm-related income	62,232	+27
Total farm production expenses	148,434	+4
Net cash farm income	45,151	-28

3 Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	55
Livestock, poultry, and products	45

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a

Cropland	42
Pastureland	56
Woodland	2
Other	1

Acres irrigated: 27,432

2% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	14
Reduced till	2
Intensive till	5
Cover crop	3

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	231	36
\$2,500 to \$4,999	30	5
\$5,000 to \$9,999	51	8
\$10,000 to \$24,999	54	8
\$25,000 to \$49,999	85	13
\$50,000 to \$99,999	58	9
\$100,000 or more	128	20

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
1 to 9 acres	31	5
10 to 49 acres	71	11
50 to 179 acres	108	17
180 to 499 acres	153	24
500 to 999 acres	76	12
1,000 + acres	198	31

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	106,537	10	56	1,086	3,077
Crops	58,386	9	56	996	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	55,698	8	54	708	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	77	19	42	1,643	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	(D)	8	27	(D)	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	(D)	24	35	(D)	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	9	-	1,384
Other crops and hay	2,528	37	56	1,003	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	48,151	15	56	976	3,073
Poultry and eggs	6,250	1	53	609	3,007
Cattle and calves	29,413	25	56	527	3,055
Milk from cows	3,473	3	25	704	1,892
Hogs and pigs	6,137	4	54	446	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	222	33	55	717	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	723	5	56	279	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	13	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	1,932	6	52	94	2,878

Total Producers ^c	1,017	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^d	
Sex		Have internet access	70	
Male	659			
Female	358	Farm organically	1	
Age		Sell directly to consumers	1	
<35	114	Hire farm labor	20	
35 – 64	589	Are family farms	95	
65 and older	314			
Race			Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)	
American Indian/Alaska Native	568		Broilers and other meat-type chickens	3,260
Asian	1		Cattle and calves	43,839
Black or African American	2		Goats	428
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	1		Hogs and pigs	20,195
White	423		Horses and ponies	4,727
More than one race	22		Layers	172,403
Other characteristics			Pullets	83,367
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	14		Sheep and lambs	617
With military service	118		Turkeys	740
New and beginning farmers	241			

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.