



# Roosevelt County Montana

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

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	501	-17
Land in farms (acres)	1,307,366	+5
Average size of farm (acres)	2,610	+28
<b>Total</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	
Market value of products sold	64,131,000	-49
Government payments	13,696,000	+78
Farm-related income	21,302,000	+203
Total farm production expenses	84,878,000	-8
Net cash farm income	14,251,000	-71
<b>Per farm average</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	
Market value of products sold	128,006	-39
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	35,853	+123
Farm-related income	63,212	+218
Total farm production expenses	169,417	+11
Net cash farm income	28,445	-65

**2** Percent of state agriculture sales

### Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	69
Livestock, poultry, and products	31

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

Cropland	58
Pastureland	40
Woodland	(Z)
Other	2

**Acres irrigated: 24,263**

2% of land in farms

### Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	34
Reduced till	19
Intensive till	7
Cover crop	2

## Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>a</sup>
Less than \$2,500	158	32
\$2,500 to \$4,999	23	5
\$5,000 to \$9,999	23	5
\$10,000 to \$24,999	46	9
\$25,000 to \$49,999	54	11
\$50,000 to \$99,999	44	9
\$100,000 or more	153	31

## Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>a</sup>
1 to 9 acres	-	-
10 to 49 acres	37	7
50 to 179 acres	67	13
180 to 499 acres	79	16
500 to 999 acres	58	12
1,000 + acres	260	52

**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>64,131</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>1,548</b>	<b>3,077</b>
<b>Crops</b>	<b>44,529</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>1,169</b>	<b>3,073</b>
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	40,838	10	54	853	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	-	-	42	-	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	(D)	18	27	(D)	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	(D)	25	35	(D)	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	9	-	1,384
Other crops and hay	3,663	30	56	699	3,040
<b>Livestock, poultry, and products</b>	<b>19,601</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>1,655</b>	<b>3,073</b>
Poultry and eggs	6	35	53	1,894	3,007
Cattle and calves	17,901	38	56	862	3,055
Milk from cows	-	-	25	-	1,892
Hogs and pigs	12	33	54	1,535	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	134	38	55	1,071	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	178	28	56	1,058	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	13	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	1,370	10	52	133	2,878

<b>Total Producers <sup>c</sup></b>	<b>859</b>	<b>Percent of farms that:</b>	<b>Top Crops in Acres <sup>d</sup></b>
<b>Sex</b>		Have internet access	77
Male	574		
Female	285	Farm organically	(Z)
<b>Age</b>		Sell directly to consumers	1
<35	43	Hire farm labor	32
35 – 64	446	Are family farms	95
65 and older	370		
<b>Race</b>			<b>Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)</b>
American Indian/Alaska Native	102		Broilers and other meat-type chickens (D)
Asian	2		Cattle and calves 27,228
Black or African American	-		Goats 38
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	1		Hogs and pigs 95
White	734		Horses and ponies 1,207
More than one race	20		Layers 349
<b>Other characteristics</b>			Pullets (D)
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	7		Sheep and lambs 598
With military service	100		Turkeys (D)
New and beginning farmers	144		

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.