



## Garfield County Nebraska

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

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	202	-11
Land in farms (acres)	342,498	-1
Average size of farm (acres)	1,696	+11
<b>Total (\$)</b>		
Market value of products sold	54,720,000	-16
Government payments	671,000	-51
Farm-related income	3,650,000	+23
Total farm production expenses	56,246,000	-1
Net cash farm income	2,796,000	-77
<b>Per farm average (\$)</b>		
Market value of products sold	270,893	-5
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	9,068	-27
Farm-related income	39,247	+41
Total farm production expenses	278,444	+11
Net cash farm income	13,841	-75

### (Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

#### Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	20
Livestock, poultry, and products	80

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

Cropland	19
Pastureland	79
Woodland	(Z)
Other	2

#### Acres irrigated: 15,311

4% of land in farms

#### Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	10
Reduced till	11
Intensive till	12
Cover crop	6

### Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>a</sup>
Less than \$2,500	51	25
\$2,500 to \$4,999	2	1
\$5,000 to \$9,999	20	10
\$10,000 to \$24,999	24	12
\$25,000 to \$49,999	15	7
\$50,000 to \$99,999	18	9
\$100,000 or more	72	36

### Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>a</sup>
1 to 9 acres	32	16
10 to 49 acres	24	12
50 to 179 acres	39	19
180 to 499 acres	27	13
500 to 999 acres	16	8
1,000 + acres	64	32

**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>54,720</b>	<b>83</b>	<b>93</b>	<b>1,683</b>	<b>3,077</b>
<b>Crops</b>	<b>10,780</b>	<b>85</b>	<b>93</b>	<b>2,013</b>	<b>3,073</b>
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	9,093	86	92	1,427	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	-	-	65	-	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	(D)	53	59	1,875	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	(D)	(D)	64	(D)	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	20	-	1,384
Other crops and hay	(D)	47	93	(D)	3,040
<b>Livestock, poultry, and products</b>	<b>43,940</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>93</b>	<b>1,037</b>	<b>3,073</b>
Poultry and eggs	9	52	91	1,816	3,007
Cattle and calves	43,059	62	93	344	3,055
Milk from cows	-	-	48	-	1,892
Hogs and pigs	10	72	86	1,566	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	(D)	(D)	91	(D)	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	222	16	93	884	2,970
Aquaculture	(D)	3	16	(D)	1,251
Other animals and animal products	(D)	55	77	(D)	2,878

<b>Total Producers <sup>c</sup></b>	<b>339</b>	<b>Percent of farms that:</b>	<b>Top Crops in Acres <sup>d</sup></b>
<b>Sex</b>		Have internet access	84
Male	218		
Female	121		
<b>Age</b>		Farm organically	-
<35	39		
35 – 64	180		
65 and older	120		
<b>Race</b>		Sell directly to consumers	2
American Indian/Alaska Native	2		
Asian	-		
Black or African American	-		
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-		
White	337	Hire farm labor	29
More than one race	-		
<b>Other characteristics</b>		Are family farms	97
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	10		
With military service	26		
New and beginning farmers	72		
			<b>Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)</b>
			Broilers and other meat-type chickens
			Cattle and calves
			Goats
			Hogs and pigs
			Horses and ponies
			Layers
			Pullets
			Sheep and lambs
			Turkeys

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.