



Lander County Nevada

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	117	-6
Land in farms (acres)	329,373	+5
Average size of farm (acres)	2,815	+11
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Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	31,829,000	-19
Government payments	144,000	+9
Farm-related income	212,000	-81
Total farm production expenses	22,590,000	-20
Net cash farm income	9,595,000	-22
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Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	272,043	-14
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	9,586	+38
Farm-related income	17,636	-34
Total farm production expenses	193,074	-15
Net cash farm income	82,006	-18

5 Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	67
Livestock, poultry, and products	33

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a

Cropland	14
Pastureland	(D)
Woodland	(D)
Other	(D)

Acres irrigated: 37,669

11% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	9
Reduced till	11
Intensive till	12
Cover crop	8

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	45	38
\$2,500 to \$4,999	9	8
\$5,000 to \$9,999	5	4
\$10,000 to \$24,999	10	9
\$25,000 to \$49,999	3	3
\$50,000 to \$99,999	1	1
\$100,000 or more	44	38

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
1 to 9 acres	29	25
10 to 49 acres	19	16
50 to 179 acres	10	9
180 to 499 acres	18	15
500 to 999 acres	16	14
1,000 + acres	25	21

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	31,829	8	17	2,103	3,077
Crops	21,369	4	16	1,609	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	(D)	10	12	2,362	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	25	9	10	1,916	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	-	-	10	-	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	(D)	11	12	(D)	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	1	-	1,384
Other crops and hay	21,099	3	15	116	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	10,460	11	17	2,083	3,073
Poultry and eggs	5	9	14	1,934	3,007
Cattle and calves	9,736	9	16	1,274	3,055
Milk from cows	-	-	6	-	1,892
Hogs and pigs	(D)	7	13	(D)	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	581	7	15	293	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	132	11	14	1,264	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	6	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	(D)	11	12	(D)	2,878

Total Producers ^c	209	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^d	
Sex				
Male	122	Have internet access	74	
Female	87			
Age		Farm organically	6	
<35	13			
35 – 64	143	Sell directly to consumers	5	
65 and older	53			
Race		Hire farm labor	39	
American Indian/Alaska Native	-			
Asian	-	Are family farms	96	
Black or African American	-			
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-			
White	209			
More than one race	-			
Other characteristics			Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)	
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	7		Broilers and other meat-type chickens	
With military service	10		Cattle and calves	15,771
New and beginning farmers	64		Goats	265
			Hogs and pigs	(D)
			Horses and ponies	572
			Layers	544
			Pullets	-
			Sheep and lambs	3,344
			Turkeys	8

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.