

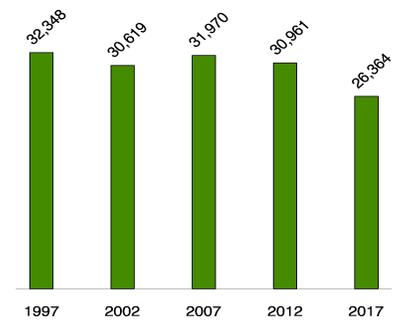


North Dakota

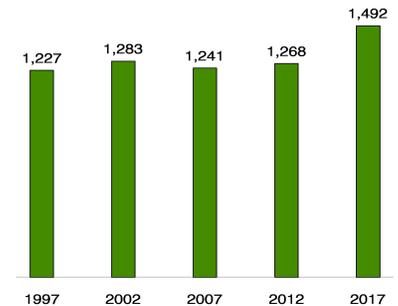
Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	26,364	-15
Land in farms (acres)	39,341,591	(Z)
Average size of farm (acres)	1,492	+18
Total (\$)		
Market value of products sold	8,234,102,000	-25
Government payments	467,034,000	+22
Farm-related income	710,664,000	+37
Total farm production expenses	7,062,175,000	-3
Net cash farm income	2,349,624,000	-48
Per farm average (\$)		
Market value of products sold	312,324	-12
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	22,770	+48
Farm-related income	38,140	+50
Total farm production expenses	267,872	+14
Net cash farm income	89,122	-39

Number of Farms, 1997-2017



Average Farm Size, 1997-2017 (acres)



Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	7,928	30
\$2,500 to \$4,999	888	3
\$5,000 to \$9,999	1,091	4
\$10,000 to \$24,999	1,606	6
\$25,000 to \$49,999	1,703	6
\$50,000 to \$99,999	1,889	7
\$100,000 or more	11,259	43

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
1 to 9 acres	571	2
10 to 49 acres	2,514	10
50 to 179 acres	4,988	19
180 to 499 acres	4,549	17
500 to 999 acres	3,184	12
1,000 + acres	10,558	40

Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

	Sales (\$1,000)	Rank in U.S. ^b	States Producing Item
Total	8,234,102	17	50
Crops	6,680,614	9	50
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	6,075,358	6	50
Tobacco	-	-	18
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	17
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	240,415	15	50
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	363	49	50
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	8,443	50	50
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	16	47	50
Other crops and hay	356,019	14	50
Livestock, poultry, and products	1,553,488	34	50
Poultry and eggs	17,568	40	50
Cattle and calves	1,295,654	14	50
Milk from cows	66,161	35	50
Hogs and pigs	79,242	22	50
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	10,449	27	50
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	8,042	38	50
Aquaculture	942	47	50
Other animals and animal products	75,430	5	50

2 Percent of U.S. agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	81
Livestock, poultry, and products	19

Land in Farms by Use (acres)

Cropland	27,951,676
Pastureland	9,871,762
Woodland	202,789
Other	1,315,364

Top Counties: Land in Farms (acres)

Stutsman	1,315,703
Morton	1,225,934
Ward	1,153,475
Cass	1,126,085
Mckenzie	1,119,275

Total Producers ^c

41,904

Sex	
Male	29,588
Female	12,316
Age	
<35	4,644
35 – 64	24,849
65 and older	12,411
Race	
American Indian/Alaska Native	315
Asian	21
Black or African American	8
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	7
White	41,389
More than one race	164
Other characteristics	
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	225
With military service	3,835
New and beginning farmers	8,771

Percent of farms that:

Have internet access	79
Farm organically	(Z)
Sell directly to consumers	1
Hire farm labor	31
Are family farms	96

Top Crops in Acres ^d

Soybeans for beans	7,085,740
Wheat for grain, all	6,385,595
Corn for grain	3,276,548
Forage (hay/haylage), all	2,580,672
Canola	1,583,502

Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)

Broilers and other meat-type chickens	6,439
Cattle and calves	1,835,682
Goats	6,631
Hogs and pigs	148,231
Horses and ponies	29,423
Layers	81,364
Pullets	(D)
Sheep and lambs	70,182
Turkeys	575,322

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 states 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.