



Deschutes County Oregon

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	1,484	+16
Land in farms (acres)	134,600	+3
Average size of farm (acres)	91	-11
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Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	28,769,000	+40
Government payments	90,000	-63
Farm-related income	3,614,000	-10
Total farm production expenses	51,567,000	+30
Net cash farm income	-19,093,000	-29
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Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	19,386	+21
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	7,477	+36
Farm-related income	9,742	-13
Total farm production expenses	34,748	+12
Net cash farm income	-12,866	-12

1 Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	58
Livestock, poultry, and products	42

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a

Cropland	23
Pastureland	57
Woodland	10
Other	10

Acres irrigated: 36,029

27% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	6
Reduced till	1
Intensive till	5
Cover crop	4

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	685	46
\$2,500 to \$4,999	240	16
\$5,000 to \$9,999	216	15
\$10,000 to \$24,999	174	12
\$25,000 to \$49,999	81	5
\$50,000 to \$99,999	43	3
\$100,000 or more	45	3

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
1 to 9 acres	597	40
10 to 49 acres	671	45
50 to 179 acres	151	10
180 to 499 acres	40	3
500 to 999 acres	13	1
1,000 + acres	12	1

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	28,769	29	36	2,168	3,077
Crops	16,543	26	36	1,773	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	822	20	34	2,163	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	1,720	18	36	601	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	39	29	35	1,602	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	3,905	13	34	434	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	7	20	24	563	1,384
Other crops and hay	10,051	19	36	248	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	12,226	25	36	1,985	3,073
Poultry and eggs	177	15	36	917	3,007
Cattle and calves	8,851	20	36	1,335	3,055
Milk from cows	(D)	18	27	947	1,892
Hogs and pigs	156	8	35	796	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	494	15	36	340	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	1,508	2	35	112	2,970
Aquaculture	(D)	24	27	(D)	1,251
Other animals and animal products	120	19	34	694	2,878

Total Producers ^c	2,657	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^d
Sex		Have internet access	Forage (hay/haylage), all 22,460
Male	1,385	93	Wheat for grain, all 1,092
Female	1,272		Canola (D)
Age		Farm organically	Chickpeas 335
<35	184	1	Field/grass seed crops, all 284
35 – 64	1,588		
65 and older	885		
Race		Sell directly to consumers	Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)
American Indian/Alaska Native	8	15	Broilers and other meat-type chickens 514
Asian	14		Cattle and calves 13,895
Black or African American	4	Hire farm labor	Goats 2,033
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-	20	Hogs and pigs 564
White	2,592		Horses and ponies 3,591
More than one race	39	Are family farms	Layers 7,467
Other characteristics		98	Pullets 414
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	46		Sheep and lambs 1,567
With military service	341		Turkeys 305
New and beginning farmers	978		

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.