



Sullivan County Pennsylvania

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	190	+6
Land in farms (acres)	43,424	+16
Average size of farm (acres)	229	+9
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Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	12,182,000	+28
Government payments	495,000	+7
Farm-related income	525,000	+94
Total farm production expenses	8,558,000	+2
Net cash farm income	4,644,000	+152
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Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	64,116	+21
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	7,501	+27
Farm-related income	7,187	+46
Total farm production expenses	45,042	-4
Net cash farm income	24,441	+138

(Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	31
Livestock, poultry, and products	69

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a

Cropland	48
Pastureland	8
Woodland	38
Other	6

Acres irrigated: 8

(Z)% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	16
Reduced till	9
Intensive till	11
Cover crop	8

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	89	47
\$2,500 to \$4,999	12	6
\$5,000 to \$9,999	15	8
\$10,000 to \$24,999	31	16
\$25,000 to \$49,999	11	6
\$50,000 to \$99,999	6	3
\$100,000 or more	26	14

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
1 to 9 acres	19	10
10 to 49 acres	22	12
50 to 179 acres	89	47
180 to 499 acres	39	21
500 to 999 acres	16	8
1,000 + acres	5	3

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	12,182	59	67	2,600	3,077
Crops	3,824	61	67	2,485	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	1,234	56	66	2,069	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	12	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	48	62	67	1,777	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	84	63	66	1,352	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	(D)	64	66	(D)	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	(D)	55	64	(D)	1,384
Other crops and hay	2,398	49	66	1,056	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	8,359	52	67	2,209	3,073
Poultry and eggs	42	56	67	1,317	3,007
Cattle and calves	596	58	67	2,511	3,055
Milk from cows	7,702	40	63	502	1,892
Hogs and pigs	(D)	61	67	(D)	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	10	56	67	2,365	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	-	-	63	-	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	55	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	(D)	61	67	(D)	2,878

Total Producers ^c

Sex	318
Male	208
Female	110
Age	
<35	17
35 – 64	181
65 and older	120
Race	
American Indian/Alaska Native	-
Asian	-
Black or African American	-
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-
White	317
More than one race	1
Other characteristics	
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	2
With military service	59
New and beginning farmers	73

Percent of farms that:

Have internet access	72
Farm organically	-
Sell directly to consumers	9
Hire farm labor	11
Are family farms	98

Top Crops in Acres ^d

Forage (hay/haylage), all	11,577
Corn for silage or greenchop	1,497
Corn for grain	1,433
Oats for grain	966
Soybeans for beans	407

Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)

Broilers and other meat-type chickens	(D)
Cattle and calves	4,931
Goats	196
Hogs and pigs	(D)
Horses and ponies	138
Layers	2,831
Pullets	130
Sheep and lambs	53
Turkeys	(D)

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.