



Beadle County South Dakota

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	744	-1
Land in farms (acres)	810,623	+2
Average size of farm (acres)	1,090	+3
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	295,269,000	-2
Government payments	12,672,000	+79
Farm-related income	19,060,000	+16
Total farm production expenses	247,598,000	+3
Net cash farm income	79,404,000	-5
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	396,867	(Z)
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	23,124	+85
Farm-related income	38,351	+12
Total farm production expenses	332,793	+5
Net cash farm income	106,725	-4

3 Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	57
Livestock, poultry, and products	43

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a

Cropland	68
Pastureland	30
Woodland	(Z)
Other	3

Acres irrigated: 20,121

2% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	46
Reduced till	18
Intensive till	12
Cover crop	7

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	199	27
\$2,500 to \$4,999	23	3
\$5,000 to \$9,999	38	5
\$10,000 to \$24,999	57	8
\$25,000 to \$49,999	42	6
\$50,000 to \$99,999	53	7
\$100,000 or more	332	45

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
1 to 9 acres	29	4
10 to 49 acres	124	17
50 to 179 acres	151	20
180 to 499 acres	118	16
500 to 999 acres	95	13
1,000 + acres	227	31

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	295,269	4	66	260	3,077
Crops	167,053	3	66	233	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	162,951	3	66	133	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	170	3	41	1,345	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	(D)	10	31	(D)	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	(D)	17	33	(D)	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	9	-	1,384
Other crops and hay	3,761	10	66	681	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	128,216	6	66	386	3,073
Poultry and eggs	12,869	3	66	508	3,007
Cattle and calves	84,650	6	66	155	3,055
Milk from cows	(D)	19	38	(D)	1,892
Hogs and pigs	25,210	7	62	229	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	(D)	35	66	(D)	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	186	24	65	1,024	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	7	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	(D)	(D)	62	(D)	2,878

Total Producers ^c	1,195	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^d
Sex		Have internet access	Soybeans for beans 205,280
Male	814	85	Corn for grain 195,099
Female	381		Forage (hay/haylage), all 63,958
Age		Farm organically	Corn for silage or greenchop 16,492
<35	173	-	Wheat for grain, all 13,909
35 – 64	691		
65 and older	331		
Race		Sell directly to consumers	Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)
American Indian/Alaska Native	-	2	Broilers and other meat-type chickens (D)
Asian	-		Cattle and calves 96,986
Black or African American	-	Hire farm labor	Goats 207
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-	29	Hogs and pigs 69,901
White	1,192		Horses and ponies 806
More than one race	3	Are family farms	Layers 846
Other characteristics		97	Pullets 54
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	10		Sheep and lambs 939
With military service	142		Turkeys 184,900
New and beginning farmers	268		

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.