



# Davidson County Tennessee

## Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	414	+15
Land in farms (acres)	34,447	-1
Average size of farm (acres)	83	-14
<b>Total</b> (\$)		
Market value of products sold	11,107,000	(D)
Government payments	160,000	+190
Farm-related income	2,632,000	+206
Total farm production expenses	14,612,000	+34
Net cash farm income	-713,000	-162
<b>Per farm average</b> (\$)		
Market value of products sold	26,830	(D)
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	3,555	-3
Farm-related income	26,320	+239
Total farm production expenses	35,295	+17
Net cash farm income	-1,721	-154

(Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

### Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	78
Livestock, poultry, and products	22

### Land in Farms by Use (%) <sup>a</sup>

Cropland	38
Pastureland	29
Woodland	28
Other	5

Acres irrigated: 255

1% of land in farms

### Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	6
Reduced till	5
Intensive till	5
Cover crop	9

## Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>a</sup>
Less than \$2,500	200	48
\$2,500 to \$4,999	54	13
\$5,000 to \$9,999	64	15
\$10,000 to \$24,999	57	14
\$25,000 to \$49,999	20	5
\$50,000 to \$99,999	6	1
\$100,000 or more	13	3

## Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>a</sup>
1 to 9 acres	76	18
10 to 49 acres	159	38
50 to 179 acres	125	30
180 to 499 acres	48	12
500 to 999 acres	5	1
1,000 + acres	1	(Z)

**Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold**

	Sales (\$1,000)	Rank in State <sup>b</sup>	Counties Producing Item	Rank in U.S. <sup>b</sup>	Counties Producing Item
<b>Total</b>	<b>11,107</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>2,627</b>	<b>3,077</b>
<b>Crops</b>	<b>8,710</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>2,107</b>	<b>3,073</b>
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	(D)	(D)	95	(D)	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	42	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	26	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	2,012	10	95	566	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	172	25	94	1,093	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	5,819	12	92	349	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	(D)	22	36	(D)	1,384
Other crops and hay	(D)	87	95	(D)	3,040
<b>Livestock, poultry, and products</b>	<b>2,397</b>	<b>83</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>2,688</b>	<b>3,073</b>
Poultry and eggs	35	64	94	1,381	3,007
Cattle and calves	1,205	89	95	2,345	3,055
Milk from cows	126	46	68	1,084	1,892
Hogs and pigs	30	40	93	1,263	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	60	65	94	1,629	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	816	8	93	238	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	30	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	126	10	95	677	2,878

**Total Producers <sup>c</sup>**

<b>Sex</b>	<b>653</b>
Male	414
Female	239
<b>Age</b>	
<35	49
35 – 64	394
65 and older	210
<b>Race</b>	
American Indian/Alaska Native	1
Asian	2
Black or African American	26
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-
White	621
More than one race	3
<b>Other characteristics</b>	
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	17
With military service	74
New and beginning farmers	247

**Percent of farms that:**

Have internet access	<b>79</b>
Farm organically	<b>1</b>
Sell directly to consumers	<b>12</b>
Hire farm labor	<b>20</b>
Are family farms	<b>94</b>

**Top Crops in Acres <sup>d</sup>**

Forage (hay/haylage), all	7,321
Vegetables harvested, all	355
Tomatoes in the open	(D)
Corn for grain	(D)
Corn for silage or greenchop	(D)

**Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)**

Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1,512
Cattle and calves	4,986
Goats	824
Hogs and pigs	125
Horses and ponies	829
Layers	1,898
Pullets	358
Sheep and lambs	62
Turkeys	15

See 2017 Census of Agriculture, U.S. Summary and State Data, for complete footnotes, explanations, definitions, commodity descriptions, and methodology.

<sup>a</sup> May not add to 100% due to rounding. <sup>b</sup> Among counties whose rank can be displayed. <sup>c</sup> Data collected for a maximum of four producers per farm.

<sup>d</sup> Crop commodity names may be shortened; see full names at [www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf](http://www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf). <sup>e</sup> 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.