



Hickman County Tennessee

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	706	+10
Land in farms (acres)	123,451	+2
Average size of farm (acres)	175	-8
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	17,074,000	+32
Government payments	1,053,000	+261
Farm-related income	1,264,000	+1
Total farm production expenses	17,649,000	+24
Net cash farm income	1,742,000	+745
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	24,184	+20
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	6,705	+199
Farm-related income	5,543	-5
Total farm production expenses	24,998	+12
Net cash farm income	2,467	+665

(Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	51
Livestock, poultry, and products	49

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a

Cropland	36
Pastureland	31
Woodland	29
Other	5

Acres irrigated: 42

(Z)% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	7
Reduced till	3
Intensive till	4
Cover crop	4

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	290	41
\$2,500 to \$4,999	89	13
\$5,000 to \$9,999	86	12
\$10,000 to \$24,999	128	18
\$25,000 to \$49,999	52	7
\$50,000 to \$99,999	42	6
\$100,000 or more	19	3

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
1 to 9 acres	47	7
10 to 49 acres	180	25
50 to 179 acres	282	40
180 to 499 acres	143	20
500 to 999 acres	41	6
1,000 + acres	13	2

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	17,074	63	95	2,461	3,077
Crops	8,633	53	95	2,113	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	6,513	38	95	1,543	2,916
Tobacco	(D)	38	42	268	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	26	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	123	56	95	1,466	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	(D)	58	94	(D)	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	365	43	92	1,131	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	36	-	1,384
Other crops and hay	1,569	37	95	1,458	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	8,440	53	95	2,205	3,073
Poultry and eggs	53	57	94	1,225	3,007
Cattle and calves	7,816	39	95	1,403	3,055
Milk from cows	(D)	59	68	(D)	1,892
Hogs and pigs	164	15	93	783	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	151	29	94	987	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	120	49	93	1,325	2,970
Aquaculture	(D)	12	30	(D)	1,251
Other animals and animal products	24	43	95	1,277	2,878

Total Producers ^c

1,197

Sex

Male 733
Female 464

Age

<35 70
35 – 64 702
65 and older 425

Race

American Indian/Alaska Native 6
Asian 2
Black or African American 7
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander -
White 1,176
More than one race 6

Other characteristics

Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin 23
With military service 151
New and beginning farmers 359

Percent of farms that:

Have internet access **78**

Farm organically (Z)

Sell directly to consumers **9**

Hire farm labor **18**

Are family farms **99**

Top Crops in Acres ^d

Forage (hay/haylage), all 23,003
Soybeans for beans 8,626
Corn for grain 3,865
Wheat for grain, all 550
Vegetables harvested, all 57

Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)

Broilers and other meat-type chickens (D)
Cattle and calves 22,953
Goats 1,405
Hogs and pigs 1,359
Horses and ponies 948
Layers 3,621
Pullets 547
Sheep and lambs 705
Turkeys 8

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.