



Overton County Tennessee

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	1,004	+9
Land in farms (acres)	134,777	+10
Average size of farm (acres)	134	+1
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Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	31,508,000	+92
Government payments	1,026,000	+198
Farm-related income	976,000	-44
Total farm production expenses	29,439,000	+63
Net cash farm income	4,071,000	+869
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Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	31,382	+76
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	2,898	+38
Farm-related income	3,399	-65
Total farm production expenses	29,321	+50
Net cash farm income	4,055	+790

1 Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	57
Livestock, poultry, and products	43

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a

Cropland	25
Pastureland	36
Woodland	35
Other	4

Acres irrigated: 47

(Z)% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

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

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	399	40
\$2,500 to \$4,999	139	14
\$5,000 to \$9,999	153	15
\$10,000 to \$24,999	155	15
\$25,000 to \$49,999	77	8
\$50,000 to \$99,999	44	4
\$100,000 or more	37	4

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
1 to 9 acres	78	8
10 to 49 acres	379	38
50 to 179 acres	350	35
180 to 499 acres	150	15
500 to 999 acres	37	4
1,000 + acres	10	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	31,508	41	95	2,111	3,077
Crops	17,820	35	95	1,725	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	1,136	65	95	2,087	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	42	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	26	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	(D)	(D)	95	(D)	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	71	50	94	1,416	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	(D)	4	92	(D)	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	36	-	1,384
Other crops and hay	2,659	14	95	948	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	13,688	37	95	1,914	3,073
Poultry and eggs	115	42	94	1,010	3,007
Cattle and calves	10,617	24	95	1,207	3,055
Milk from cows	(D)	(D)	68	(D)	1,892
Hogs and pigs	(D)	10	93	(D)	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	159	27	94	948	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	(D)	(D)	93	(D)	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	30	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	(D)	(D)	95	(D)	2,878

Total Producers ^c	1,588	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^d
Sex		Have internet access	Forage (hay/haylage), all
Male	1,057	78	25,106
Female	531		Soybeans for beans
Age		Farm organically	1,340
<35	130	-	Corn for silage or greenchop
35 – 64	1,003		430
65 and older	455		Corn for grain
Race		Sell directly to consumers	416
American Indian/Alaska Native	2	3	Sorghum for syrup
Asian	-		162
Black or African American	-		
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-	Hire farm labor	Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)
White	1,577	18	Broilers and other meat-type chickens
More than one race	9		359
Other characteristics		Are family farms	Cattle and calves
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	12	99	34,987
With military service	153		Goats
New and beginning farmers	412		1,454
			Hogs and pigs
			1,320
			Horses and ponies
			946
			Layers
			1,540
			Pullets
			(D)
			Sheep and lambs
			501
			Turkeys
			200

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.