



Sevier County Tennessee

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	547	-9
Land in farms (acres)	49,632	-11
Average size of farm (acres)	91	-1
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	6,109,000	+16
Government payments	265,000	+333
Farm-related income	3,245,000	+113
Total farm production expenses	9,564,000	+12
Net cash farm income	56,000	+103
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	11,168	+28
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	2,682	+263
Farm-related income	28,720	+256
Total farm production expenses	17,485	+24
Net cash farm income	102	+104

(Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	36
Livestock, poultry, and products	64

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a

Cropland	34
Pastureland	33
Woodland	27
Other	5

Acres irrigated: 47

(Z)% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	4
Reduced till	3
Intensive till	7
Cover crop	5

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	231	42
\$2,500 to \$4,999	89	16
\$5,000 to \$9,999	77	14
\$10,000 to \$24,999	85	16
\$25,000 to \$49,999	46	8
\$50,000 to \$99,999	10	2
\$100,000 or more	9	2

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
1 to 9 acres	55	10
10 to 49 acres	185	34
50 to 179 acres	230	42
180 to 499 acres	71	13
500 to 999 acres	6	1
1,000 + acres	-	-

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	6,109	86	95	2,810	3,077
Crops	2,193	80	95	2,657	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	135	83	95	2,421	2,916
Tobacco	(D)	29	42	(D)	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	26	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	75	78	95	1,651	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	155	32	94	1,131	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	428	39	92	1,085	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	(D)	19	36	(D)	1,384
Other crops and hay	1,384	41	95	1,586	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	3,916	70	95	2,543	3,073
Poultry and eggs	(D)	69	94	1,452	3,007
Cattle and calves	3,688	62	95	1,881	3,055
Milk from cows	-	-	68	-	1,892
Hogs and pigs	(D)	66	93	(D)	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	47	74	94	1,779	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	64	65	93	1,676	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	30	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	88	16	95	792	2,878

Total Producers ^c	899	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^d
Sex		Have internet access	Forage (hay/haylage), all
Male	584	66	13,066
Female	315		Corn for grain
Age		Farm organically	217
<35	46	-	Soybeans for beans
35 – 64	439		68
65 and older	414		Wheat for grain, all
Race		Sell directly to consumers	55
American Indian/Alaska Native	-	3	Nursery stock crops
Asian	-		34
Black or African American	-	Hire farm labor	
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-	22	Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)
White	889		Broilers and other meat-type chickens
More than one race	10		68
Other characteristics		Are family farms	Cattle and calves
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	19	98	11,105
With military service	114		Goats
New and beginning farmers	221		679
			Hogs and pigs
			27
			Horses and ponies
			835
			Layers
			1,650
			Pullets
			231
			Sheep and lambs
			388
			Turkeys
			14

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.