



Tipton County Tennessee

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	527	+1
Land in farms (acres)	173,346	+12
Average size of farm (acres)	329	+10
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	77,429,000	+14
Government payments	2,301,000	+4
Farm-related income	2,704,000	-16
Total farm production expenses	62,056,000	+11
Net cash farm income	20,378,000	+17
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	146,924	+13
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	15,758	+63
Farm-related income	13,002	-18
Total farm production expenses	117,754	+10
Net cash farm income	38,668	+16

2 Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	97
Livestock, poultry, and products	3

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a

Cropland	85
Pastureland	6
Woodland	7
Other	2

Acres irrigated: 7,822

5% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	25
Reduced till	12
Intensive till	7
Cover crop	11

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	212	40
\$2,500 to \$4,999	64	12
\$5,000 to \$9,999	55	10
\$10,000 to \$24,999	66	13
\$25,000 to \$49,999	25	5
\$50,000 to \$99,999	14	3
\$100,000 or more	91	17

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
1 to 9 acres	51	10
10 to 49 acres	197	37
50 to 179 acres	170	32
180 to 499 acres	41	8
500 to 999 acres	23	4
1,000 + acres	45	9

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	77,429	15	95	1,386	3,077
Crops	75,375	10	95	777	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	54,932	6	95	716	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	42	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	18,205	5	26	105	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	1,252	13	95	680	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	20	79	94	1,731	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	175	56	92	1,298	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	36	-	1,384
Other crops and hay	791	66	95	2,080	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	2,054	85	95	2,721	3,073
Poultry and eggs	104	44	94	1,042	3,007
Cattle and calves	1,660	85	95	2,234	3,055
Milk from cows	-	-	68	-	1,892
Hogs and pigs	89	20	93	944	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	77	53	94	1,456	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	95	54	93	1,469	2,970
Aquaculture	(D)	28	30	(D)	1,251
Other animals and animal products	(D)	36	95	(D)	2,878

Total Producers ^c	839	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^d	
Sex		Have internet access	77	
Male	555			
Female	284	Farm organically	-	
Age		Sell directly to consumers	6	
<35	77	Hire farm labor	28	
35 – 64	487	Are family farms	97	
65 and older	275			
Race			Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)	
American Indian/Alaska Native	7		Broilers and other meat-type chickens	198
Asian	6		Cattle and calves	5,614
Black or African American	48		Goats	604
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-		Hogs and pigs	817
White	775		Horses and ponies	520
More than one race	3		Layers	1,251
Other characteristics			Pullets	194
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	7		Sheep and lambs	312
With military service	103		Turkeys	26
New and beginning farmers	231			

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.