



# Carbon County Utah

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

|   | 2017        | % change since 2012 |
|---|-------------|---------------------|
| Number of farms                                     | 309         | -3                  |
| Land in farms (acres)                               | 230,942     | -4                  |
| Average size of farm (acres)                        | 747         | -1                  |
| <b>Total</b>  | <b>(\$)</b> |                     |
| Market value of products sold                       | 6,459,000   | -28                 |
| Government payments                                 | 101,000     | -58                 |
| Farm-related income                                 | 799,000     | -16                 |
| Total farm production expenses                      | 7,245,000   | -26                 |
| Net cash farm income                                | 113,000     | -75                 |
| <b>Per farm average</b>                             | <b>(\$)</b> |                     |
| Market value of products sold                       | 20,904      | -26                 |
| Government payments<br>(average per farm receiving) | 5,921       | -55                 |
| Farm-related income                                 | 14,796      | +1                  |
| Total farm production expenses                      | 23,448      | -23                 |
| Net cash farm income                                | 367         | -74                 |

## (Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

### Share of Sales by Type (%)

|                                  |    |
|----------------------------------|----|
| Crops                            | 36 |
| Livestock, poultry, and products | 64 |

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

|             |    |
|-------------|----|
| Cropland    | 7  |
| Pastureland | 87 |
| Woodland    | 4  |
| Other       | 3  |

### Acres irrigated: 9,253

4% of land in farms

### Land Use Practices (% of farms)

|                |   |
|----------------|---|
| No till        | 6 |
| Reduced till   | 5 |
| Intensive till | 8 |
| Cover crop     | 6 |

## Farms by Value of Sales

|                      | Number | Percent of Total <sup>a</sup> |
|----------------------|--------|-------------------------------|
| Less than \$2,500    | 157    | 51                            |
| \$2,500 to \$4,999   | 39     | 13                            |
| \$5,000 to \$9,999   | 34     | 11                            |
| \$10,000 to \$24,999 | 33     | 11                            |
| \$25,000 to \$49,999 | 15     | 5                             |
| \$50,000 to \$99,999 | 12     | 4                             |
| \$100,000 or more    | 19     | 6                             |

## Farms by Size

|                  | Number | Percent of Total <sup>a</sup> |
|------------------|--------|-------------------------------|
| 1 to 9 acres     | 90     | 29                            |
| 10 to 49 acres   | 126    | 41                            |
| 50 to 179 acres  | 44     | 14                            |
| 180 to 499 acres | 4      | 1                             |
| 500 to 999 acres | 4      | 1                             |
| 1,000 + acres    | 41     | 13                            |

**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>6,459</b>    | <b>27</b>                  | <b>29</b>               | <b>2,791</b>              | <b>3,077</b>            |
| <b>Crops</b>   | <b>2,321</b>    | <b>25</b>                  | <b>29</b>               | <b>2,639</b>              | <b>3,073</b>            |
| Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas                  | 41              | 26                         | 28                      | 2,493                     | 2,916                   |
| Tobacco  | -               | -                          | -                       | -                         | 323                     |
| Cotton and cottonseed                                  | -               | -                          | -                       | -                         | 647                     |
| Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes           | 25              | 21                         | 27                      | 1,922                     | 2,821                   |
| Fruits, tree nuts, berries                             | 44              | 17                         | 25                      | 1,569                     | 2,748                   |
| Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod                 | 124             | 15                         | 25                      | 1,387                     | 2,601                   |
| Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops | -               | -                          | 10                      | -                         | 1,384                   |
| Other crops and hay                                    | 2,088           | 21                         | 29                      | 1,162                     | 3,040                   |
| <b>Livestock, poultry, and products</b>                | <b>4,139</b>    | <b>25</b>                  | <b>29</b>               | <b>2,518</b>              | <b>3,073</b>            |
| Poultry and eggs                                       | 13              | 24                         | 28                      | 1,706                     | 3,007                   |
| Cattle and calves                                      | (D)             | 25                         | 29                      | (D)                       | 3,055                   |
| Milk from cows   | (D)             | 18                         | 21                      | (D)                       | 1,892                   |
| Hogs and pigs  | 11              | 21                         | 28                      | 1,553                     | 2,856                   |
| Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk                       | 900             | 11                         | 29                      | 185                       | 2,984                   |
| Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys                 | 37              | 26                         | 29                      | 1,940                     | 2,970                   |
| Aquaculture  | -               | -                          | 17                      | -                         | 1,251                   |
| Other animals and animal products                      | (D)             | (D)                        | 27                      | (D)                       | 2,878                   |

|                                     |            |                               |   |       |
|-------------------------------------|------------|-------------------------------|---|-------|
| <b>Total Producers <sup>c</sup></b> | <b>540</b> | <b>Percent of farms that:</b> | <b>Top Crops in Acres <sup>d</sup></b>    |       |
| <b>Sex</b>                          |            | Have internet access          | 85  |       |
| Male                                | 347        |                               |   |       |
| Female                              | 193        |                               |   |       |
| <b>Age</b>                          |            | Farm organically              | -   |       |
| <35                                 | 49         |                               |   |       |
| 35 – 64                             | 348        |                               |   |       |
| 65 and older                        | 143        |                               |   |       |
| <b>Race</b>                         |            | Sell directly to consumers    | 11  |       |
| American Indian/Alaska Native       | 2          |                               |   |       |
| Asian                               | -          |                               |   |       |
| Black or African American           | -          |                               |   |       |
| Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander    | -          |                               |   |       |
| White                               | 514        | Hire farm labor               | 15  |       |
| More than one race                  | 24         |                               |   |       |
| <b>Other characteristics</b>        |            | Are family farms              | 95  |       |
| Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin    | 14         |                               |   |       |
| With military service               | 45         |                               |   |       |
| New and beginning farmers           | 132        |                               |   |       |
|                                     |            |                               | <b>Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)</b> |       |
|                                     |            |                               | Broilers and other meat-type chickens     | 269   |
|                                     |            |                               | Cattle and calves                         | 6,378 |
|                                     |            |                               | Goats                                     | 309   |
|                                     |            |                               | Hogs and pigs                             | 123   |
|                                     |            |                               | Horses and ponies                         | 617   |
|                                     |            |                               | Layers                                    | 979   |
|                                     |            |                               | Pullets                                   | 98    |
|                                     |            |                               | Sheep and lambs                           | 5,655 |
|                                     |            |                               | Turkeys                                   | 66    |

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.