



Hampshire County West Virginia

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	883	+11
Land in farms (acres)	131,859	-7
Average size of farm (acres)	149	-16
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	38,717,000	-1
Government payments	244,000	+8
Farm-related income	1,446,000	+49
Total farm production expenses	31,140,000	-12
Net cash farm income	9,267,000	+91
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	43,847	-11
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	2,241	+34
Farm-related income	7,304	+30
Total farm production expenses	35,266	-21
Net cash farm income	10,495	+73

5 Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	13
Livestock, poultry, and products	87

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a

Cropland	28
Pastureland	23
Woodland	43
Other	6

Acres irrigated: 145

(Z)% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	5
Reduced till	2
Intensive till	7
Cover crop	5

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	403	46
\$2,500 to \$4,999	108	12
\$5,000 to \$9,999	139	16
\$10,000 to \$24,999	110	12
\$25,000 to \$49,999	54	6
\$50,000 to \$99,999	27	3
\$100,000 or more	42	5

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
1 to 9 acres	107	12
10 to 49 acres	347	39
50 to 179 acres	235	27
180 to 499 acres	143	16
500 to 999 acres	29	3
1,000 + acres	22	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	38,717	5	55	1,980	3,077
Crops	5,062	7	55	2,368	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	455	11	53	2,277	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	1	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	634	6	54	888	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	1,002	3	53	476	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	273	13	53	1,214	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	26	13	39	458	1,384
Other crops and hay	2,672	2	53	944	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	33,655	5	55	1,233	3,073
Poultry and eggs	26,032	5	53	376	3,007
Cattle and calves	6,218	8	54	1,560	3,055
Milk from cows	(D)	16	21	(D)	1,892
Hogs and pigs	(D)	(D)	52	(D)	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	361	3	52	474	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	702	3	52	294	2,970
Aquaculture	(D)	15	20	(D)	1,251
Other animals and animal products	93	7	52	771	2,878

Total Producers ^c	1,443	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^d
Sex		Have internet access	Forage (hay/haylage), all 26,710
Male	927	69	Corn for silage or greenchop 796
Female	516		Corn for grain 534
Age		Farm organically	Apples 281
<35	166	-	Peaches, all 207
35 – 64	826		
65 and older	451		
Race		Sell directly to consumers	Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)
American Indian/Alaska Native	2	7	Broilers and other meat-type chickens 1,925,426
Asian	5		Cattle and calves 15,980
Black or African American	3	Hire farm labor	Goats 1,631
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-	12	Hogs and pigs 373
White	1,413		Horses and ponies 848
More than one race	20	Are family farms	Layers 53,676
Other characteristics		98	Pullets (D)
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	18		Sheep and lambs 2,405
With military service	213		Turkeys (D)
New and beginning farmers	613		

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.