



Butte County, California Farms with American Indian or Alaska Native Producers^a

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017

	Farms with American Indian/Alaska Native Producers	All Farms
Number of farms	75	1,912
Land in farms (acres)	3,531	348,300
Average size of farm (acres)	47	182
Total	(\$)	(\$)
Market value of products sold	6,058,000	524,155,000
Government payments	(D)	6,677,000
Farm-related income	(D)	45,875,000
Total farm production expenses	5,693,000	424,468,000
Net cash farm income	2,497,000	152,239,000
Per farm average	(\$)	(\$)
Market value of products sold	80,778	274,139
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	(D)	57,069
Farm-related income	(D)	64,795
Total farm production expenses	75,911	222,002
Net cash farm income	33,295	79,623

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	86
Livestock, poultry, and products	14

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^b

Cropland	75
Pastureland	12
Woodland	10
Other	4

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

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

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent ^b
Less than \$2,500	26	35
\$2,500 to \$4,999	6	8
\$5,000 to \$9,999	15	20
\$10,000 to \$24,999	8	11
\$25,000 to \$49,999	6	8
\$50,000 to \$99,999	3	4
\$100,000 or more	11	15
Total	75	100

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent ^b
1 to 9 acres	32	43
10 to 49 acres	31	41
50 to 179 acres	9	12
180 to 499 acres	2	3
500 to 999 acres	-	-
1,000 + acres	1	1
Total	75	100

2017 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE *Race/Ethnicity/Gender Profile*

Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold		Total Producers ^c	
	Sales (\$1,000)	No. of Farms	
Total	6,058	75	79
Crops	5,206	36	Sex
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	3,489	5	Male
Tobacco	-	-	Female
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	(D)	2	Age
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	(D)	24	<35
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	(D)	7	35 – 64
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	65 and older
Other crops and hay	42	4	
			Primary occupation
Livestock, poultry, and products	852	36	Farming
Poultry and eggs	19	11	Other
Cattle and calves	67	7	
Milk from cows	-	-	Days worked off farm
Hogs and pigs	4	3	None
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	(D)	13	1 to 199
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	19	5	200 +
Aquaculture	(D)	2	
Other animals and animal products	(D)	3	Other characteristics
			Hispanic/Latino/Spanish
			With military service
			New and beginning farmers
			<i>Average age (years)</i>
			56.7

Top Crops in Acres ^d	Percent of farms that:
Rice 1,901	Have internet access 72
Corn for grain (D)	Farm organically 1
Almonds (D)	Sell directly to consumers 17
Forage (hay/haylage), all 167	Hire farm labor 12
Walnuts, English 112	Are family farms 97

Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)
Broilers and other meat-type chickens -
Cattle and calves (D)
Goats 52
Hogs and pigs 45
Horses and ponies 54
Layers 543
Pullets -
Sheep and lambs 369
Turkeys -

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Butte County, California Farms with Asian Producers^a

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017

	Farms with Asian Producers	All Farms
Number of farms	125	1,912
Land in farms (acres)	18,673	348,300
Average size of farm (acres)	149	182
Total	(\$)	(\$)
Market value of products sold	48,482,000	524,155,000
Government payments	(D)	6,677,000
Farm-related income	2,131,000	45,875,000
Total farm production expenses	39,053,000	424,468,000
Net cash farm income	13,144,000	152,239,000
Per farm average	(\$)	(\$)
Market value of products sold	387,859	274,139
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	(D)	57,069
Farm-related income	44,396	64,795
Total farm production expenses	312,420	222,002
Net cash farm income	105,148	79,623

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	100
Livestock, poultry, and products	(Z)

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^b

Cropland	90
Pastureland	9
Woodland	-
Other	1

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	10
Reduced till	2
Intensive till	14
Cover crop	5

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent ^b
Less than \$2,500	25	20
\$2,500 to \$4,999	1	1
\$5,000 to \$9,999	20	16
\$10,000 to \$24,999	4	3
\$25,000 to \$49,999	12	10
\$50,000 to \$99,999	12	10
\$100,000 or more	51	41
Total	125	100

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent ^b
1 to 9 acres	14	11
10 to 49 acres	52	42
50 to 179 acres	29	23
180 to 499 acres	22	18
500 to 999 acres	4	3
1,000 + acres	4	3
Total	125	100

Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold		Total Producers ^c	
	Sales (\$1,000)	No. of Farms	
Total	48,482	125	185
Crops	48,405	100	Sex
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	4,676	7	Male 135
Tobacco	-	-	Female 50
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	Age
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	(D)	19	<35 10
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	40,656	90	35 – 64 126
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	(D)	1	65 and older 49
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	Primary occupation
Other crops and hay	-	-	Farming 113
			Other 72
Livestock, poultry, and products	77	11	Days worked off farm
Poultry and eggs	3	6	None 65
Cattle and calves	71	3	1 to 199 49
Milk from cows	-	-	200 + 71
Hogs and pigs	-	-	Other characteristics
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	3	3	Hispanic/Latino/Spanish 19
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	-	-	With military service 11
Aquaculture	-	-	New and beginning farmers 76
Other animals and animal products	-	-	<i>Average age (years)</i> 57.1
Top Crops in Acres ^d		Percent of farms that:	
Walnuts, English	4,319	Have internet access	78
Almonds	4,057	Farm organically	5
Rice	2,758	Sell directly to consumers	9
Plums and prunes	2,354	Hire farm labor	63
Peaches, all	1,463	Are family farms	94
Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)			
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	-		
Cattle and calves	423		
Goats	-		
Hogs and pigs	-		
Horses and ponies	(D)		
Layers	244		
Pullets	90		
Sheep and lambs	(D)		
Turkeys	-		

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Butte County, California Farms with Black or African American Producers^a

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Butte County, California Farms with Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander Producers^a

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Butte County, California Farms with White Producers^a

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017

	Farms with White Producers	All Farms
Number of farms	1,791	1,912
Land in farms (acres)	333,086	348,300
Average size of farm (acres)	186	182
Total	(\$)	(\$)
Market value of products sold	483,546,000	524,155,000
Government payments	6,534,000	6,677,000
Farm-related income	45,027,000	45,875,000
Total farm production expenses	390,929,000	424,468,000
Net cash farm income	144,177,000	152,239,000
Per farm average	(\$)	(\$)
Market value of products sold	269,987	274,139
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	58,861	57,069
Farm-related income	67,506	64,795
Total farm production expenses	218,274	222,002
Net cash farm income	80,501	79,623

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	97
Livestock, poultry, and products	3

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^b

Cropland	60
Pastureland	30
Woodland	4
Other	6

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	6
Reduced till	2
Intensive till	11
Cover crop	5

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent ^b
Less than \$2,500	461	26
\$2,500 to \$4,999	138	8
\$5,000 to \$9,999	140	8
\$10,000 to \$24,999	223	12
\$25,000 to \$49,999	177	10
\$50,000 to \$99,999	146	8
\$100,000 or more	506	28
Total	1,791	100

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent ^b
1 to 9 acres	598	33
10 to 49 acres	583	33
50 to 179 acres	271	15
180 to 499 acres	214	12
500 to 999 acres	73	4
1,000 + acres	52	3
Total	1,791	100

2017 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE Race/Ethnicity/Gender Profile

Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

	Sales (\$1,000)	No. of Farms
Total	483,546	1,791
Crops	467,108	1,234
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	103,619	164
Tobacco	-	-
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	6,412	66
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	351,997	1,000
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	3,482	44
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	19	3
Other crops and hay	1,579	66
Livestock, poultry, and products	16,438	367
Poultry and eggs	419	123
Cattle and calves	13,262	149
Milk from cows	(D)	2
Hogs and pigs	283	45
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	346	101
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	248	41
Aquaculture	(D)	2
Other animals and animal products	804	47

Total Producers ^c

3,074

Sex

Male	1,888
Female	1,186

Age

<35	149
35 – 64	1,637
65 and older	1,288

Primary occupation

Farming	1,562
Other	1,512

Days worked off farm

None	1,363
1 to 199	674
200 +	1,037

Other characteristics

Hispanic/Latino/Spanish	270
With military service	341
New and beginning farmers	691

Average age (years)

59.9

Top Crops in Acres ^d

Rice	73,438
Walnuts, English	48,802
Almonds	38,609
Plums and prunes	5,557
Forage (hay/haylage), all	3,321

Percent of farms that:

Have internet access **81**

Farm organically **5**

Sell directly to consumers **11**

Hire farm labor **36**

Are family farms **95**

Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)

Broilers and other meat-type chickens	2,161
Cattle and calves	14,165
Goats	1,516
Hogs and pigs	1,538
Horses and ponies	1,620
Layers	5,347
Pullets	550
Sheep and lambs	2,782
Turkeys	157

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Butte County, California Farms with Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish Producers

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	Farms with Hispanic/Latino/Spanish Producers	All Farms
Number of farms	252	1,912
Land in farms (acres)	39,672	348,300
Average size of farm (acres)	157	182
Total	(\$)	(\$)
Market value of products sold	57,723,000	524,155,000
Government payments	(D)	6,677,000
Farm-related income	5,686,000	45,875,000
Total farm production expenses	42,586,000	424,468,000
Net cash farm income	22,460,000	152,239,000
Per farm average	(\$)	(\$)
Market value of products sold	229,060	274,139
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	(D)	57,069
Farm-related income	61,801	64,795
Total farm production expenses	168,991	222,002
Net cash farm income	89,128	79,623

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	(D)
Livestock, poultry, and products	(D)

Land in Farms by Use (%)^b

Cropland	59
Pastureland	38
Woodland	1
Other	2

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	5
Reduced till	(Z)
Intensive till	6
Cover crop	4

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent ^b
Less than \$2,500	81	32
\$2,500 to \$4,999	18	7
\$5,000 to \$9,999	13	5
\$10,000 to \$24,999	28	11
\$25,000 to \$49,999	27	11
\$50,000 to \$99,999	26	10
\$100,000 or more	59	23
Total	252	100

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent ^b
1 to 9 acres	76	30
10 to 49 acres	112	44
50 to 179 acres	37	15
180 to 499 acres	20	8
500 to 999 acres	3	1
1,000 + acres	4	2
Total	252	100

Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold		Total Producers ^c	291
	Sales (\$1,000)	No. of Farms	
Total	57,723	252	
Crops	(D)	165	Sex
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	12,727	8	Male 189
Tobacco	-	-	Female 102
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	Age
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	(D)	10	<35 24
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	37,401	145	35 – 64 185
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	(D)	2	65 and older 82
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	Race
Other crops and hay	(D)	8	American Indian/Alaska Native 2
			Asian 19
			Black/African American -
			Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander -
			White 258
			More than one race 12
Livestock, poultry, and products	(D)	42	Primary occupation
Poultry and eggs	11	11	Farming 155
Cattle and calves	(D)	13	Other 136
Milk from cows	-	-	Days worked off farm
Hogs and pigs	(D)	7	None 118
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	24	24	1 to 199 65
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	36	6	200 + 108
Aquaculture	(D)	2	
Other animals and animal products	-	-	
			Other characteristics
			With military service 31
			New and beginning farmers 108
			<i>Average age (years)</i> 54.5
Top Crops in Acres ^d		Percent of farms that:	Demographic Data in the Census of Agriculture
Almonds 6,502		Have internet access 80	<p>The agriculture census is a complete count of U.S. farms and ranches and the people who operate them. Demographic information is available at national, state, and county levels, and for classes of farm and congressional districts. Results from the 2017 Census and earlier are available through the searchable database Quick Stats, the new Census Data Query Tool, downloadable PDF reports, maps, and topic-specific Highlights and Profiles.</p> <p>See also the video "What's New in the 2017 Census?" (www.nass.usda.gov/Newsroom/VideoFeatures/index.php).</p>
Rice 5,399		Farm organically 5	
Walnuts, English 3,742		Sell directly to consumers 8	
Corn for grain (D)		Hire farm labor 31	
Wild rice (D)		Are family farms 97	
Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)			
Broilers and other meat-type chickens 81			
Cattle and calves 1,404			
Goats 210			
Hogs and pigs (D)			
Horses and ponies 357			
Layers 543			
Pullets 114			
Sheep and lambs 522			
Turkeys (D)			

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Butte County, California Farms with Female Producers

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	Farms with Female Producers	All Farms
Number of farms	1,140	1,912
Land in farms (acres)	185,437	348,300
Average size of farm (acres)	163	182
Total	(\$)	(\$)
Market value of products sold	216,768,000	524,155,000
Government payments	4,769,000	6,677,000
Farm-related income	29,348,000	45,875,000
Total farm production expenses	199,164,000	424,468,000
Net cash farm income	51,722,000	152,239,000
Per farm average	(\$)	(\$)
Market value of products sold	190,147	274,139
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	72,263	57,069
Farm-related income	71,407	64,795
Total farm production expenses	174,706	222,002
Net cash farm income	45,370	79,623

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	97
Livestock, poultry, and products	3

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^b

Cropland	58
Pastureland	31
Woodland	4
Other	7

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	8
Reduced till	2
Intensive till	11
Cover crop	7

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent ^b
Less than \$2,500	293	26
\$2,500 to \$4,999	103	9
\$5,000 to \$9,999	103	9
\$10,000 to \$24,999	142	12
\$25,000 to \$49,999	130	11
\$50,000 to \$99,999	95	8
\$100,000 or more	274	24
Total	1,140	100

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent ^b
1 to 9 acres	401	35
10 to 49 acres	369	32
50 to 179 acres	171	15
180 to 499 acres	121	11
500 to 999 acres	43	4
1,000 + acres	35	3
Total	1,140	100

2017 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE Race/Ethnicity/Gender Profile

Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

	Sales (\$1,000)	No. of Farms
Total	216,768	1,140
Crops	211,044	755
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	68,139	112
Tobacco	-	-
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	5,114	55
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	135,842	600
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	689	20
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	19	3
Other crops and hay	1,241	47
Livestock, poultry, and products	5,724	283
Poultry and eggs	407	104
Cattle and calves	3,390	98
Milk from cows	-	-
Hogs and pigs	259	42
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	287	80
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	(D)	36
Aquaculture	(D)	2
Other animals and animal products	770	41

Total Producers ^c

1,252

Age

<35	60
35 – 64	676
65 and older	516

Race

American Indian/Alaska Native	13
Asian	47
Black/African American	2
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	4
White	1,172
More than one race	14

Primary occupation

Farming	518
Other	734

Days worked off farm

None	516
1 to 199	281
200 +	455

Other characteristics

Hispanic/Latino/Spanish	102
With military service	17
New and beginning farmers	280

Average age (years)

60.1

Top Crops in Acres ^d

Rice	49,793
Walnuts, English	17,833
Almonds	17,231
Plums and prunes	2,124
Forage (hay/haylage), all	2,080

Percent of farms that:

Have internet access **85**

Farm organically **7**

Sell directly to consumers **14**

Hire farm labor **35**

Are family farms **96**

Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)

Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1,861
Cattle and calves	6,958
Goats	1,296
Hogs and pigs	1,358
Horses and ponies	1,498
Layers	4,679
Pullets	470
Sheep and lambs	2,051
Turkeys	115

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