



## Nelson County, Kentucky Farms with American Indian or Alaska Native Producers<sup>a</sup>

**Data not available at this geographic level for farms with American Indian or Alaska Native Producers.**

<sup>a</sup> This race alone or in combination with other races.





## Nelson County, Kentucky Farms with Asian Producers<sup>a</sup>

Data not available at this geographic level for farms with Asian Producers.

<sup>a</sup> This race alone or in combination with other races.





## **Nelson County, Kentucky Farms with Black or African American Producers<sup>a</sup>**

**Data not available at this geographic level for farms with Black or African American Producers.**

<sup>a</sup> This race alone or in combination with other races.





## **Nelson County, Kentucky Farms with Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander Producers<sup>a</sup>**

**Data not available at this geographic level for farms with Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander Producers.**

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## Nelson County, Kentucky Farms with White Producers<sup>a</sup>

Data not available at this geographic level for farms with White Producers.

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## **Nelson County, Kentucky Farms with Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish Producers**

Data not available at this geographic level for farms with Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish Producers.





## Nelson County, Kentucky Farms with Female Producers

### Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017

	Farms with Female Producers	All Farms
Number of farms	795	1,434
Land in farms (acres)	78,566	213,534
Average size of farm (acres)	99	149
<b>Total</b>	(\$)	(\$)
Market value of products sold	12,261,000	67,099,000
Government payments	367,000	927,000
Farm-related income	2,034,000	5,147,000
Total farm production expenses	18,137,000	63,248,000
Net cash farm income	-3,476,000	9,925,000
<b>Per farm average</b>	(\$)	(\$)
Market value of products sold	15,422	46,792
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	7,051	6,438
Farm-related income	11,756	14,418
Total farm production expenses	22,814	44,106
Net cash farm income	-4,372	6,921

### Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	47
Livestock, poultry, and products	53

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

Cropland	38
Pastureland	24
Woodland	28
Other	10

### Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	9
Reduced till	2
Intensive till	5
Cover crop	10

### Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent <sup>b</sup>
Less than \$2,500	432	54
\$2,500 to \$4,999	84	11
\$5,000 to \$9,999	94	12
\$10,000 to \$24,999	80	10
\$25,000 to \$49,999	48	6
\$50,000 to \$99,999	32	4
\$100,000 or more	25	3
<b>Total</b>	795	100

### Farms by Size

	Number	Percent <sup>b</sup>
1 to 9 acres	136	17
10 to 49 acres	361	45
50 to 179 acres	178	22
180 to 499 acres	83	10
500 to 999 acres	29	4
1,000 + acres	8	1
<b>Total</b>	795	100

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## Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

	Sales (\$1,000)	No. of Farms
<b>Total</b>	<b>12,261</b>	<b>795</b>
<b>Crops</b>	<b>5,787</b>	<b>353</b>
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	3,232	46
Tobacco	489	6
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	95	33
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	47	19
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	342	12
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-
Other crops and hay	1,581	287
<b>Livestock, poultry, and products</b>	<b>6,474</b>	<b>411</b>
Poultry and eggs	56	78
Cattle and calves	4,401	281
Milk from cows	1,148	8
Hogs and pigs	194	12
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	90	55
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	102	32
Aquaculture	(D)	1
Other animals and animal products	(D)	17

## Total Producers <sup>c</sup>

<b>Age</b>	<b>841</b>
<35	80
35 – 64	538
65 and older	223
<b>Race</b>	
American Indian/Alaska Native	10
Asian	-
Black/African American	-
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-
White	831
More than one race	-
<b>Primary occupation</b>	
Farming	273
Other	568
<b>Days worked off farm</b>	
None	290
1 to 199	177
200 +	374
<b>Other characteristics</b>	
Hispanic/Latino/Spanish	4
With military service	11
New and beginning farmers	290
<i>Average age (years)</i>	<i>55.2</i>

## Top Crops in Acres <sup>d</sup>

Forage (hay/haylage), all	16,495
Soybeans for beans	4,310
Corn for grain	2,248
Wheat for grain, all	477
Barley for grain	250

## Percent of farms that:

Have internet access	<b>79</b>
Farm organically	<b>-</b>
Sell directly to consumers	<b>7</b>
Hire farm labor	<b>14</b>
Are family farms	<b>98</b>

## Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)

Broilers and other meat-type chickens	198
Cattle and calves	14,507
Goats	838
Hogs and pigs	801
Horses and ponies	1,126
Layers	3,507
Pullets	500
Sheep and lambs	876
Turkeys	43

## Demographic Data in the Census of Agriculture

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.

See also the video "What's New in the 2017 Census?" ([www.nass.usda.gov/Newsroom/VideoFeatures/index.php](http://www.nass.usda.gov/Newsroom/VideoFeatures/index.php)).

See 2017 Census of Agriculture, U.S. Summary and State Data, for complete footnotes, explanations, definitions, commodity descriptions, and methodology.

<sup>a</sup> This race alone or in combination with other races. <sup>b</sup> May not add to 100% due to rounding. <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.