



# Gila County Arizona

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

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	298	+53
Land in farms (acres)	1,214,134	+2
Average size of farm (acres)	4,074	-33
<b>Total</b> (\$)		
Market value of products sold	7,260,000	+94
Government payments	143,000	-56
Farm-related income	1,746,000	+532
Total farm production expenses	9,897,000	+46
Net cash farm income	-748,000	+69
<b>Per farm average</b> (\$)		
Market value of products sold	24,363	+27
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	28,560	+86
Farm-related income	41,567	+322
Total farm production expenses	33,212	-5
Net cash farm income	-2,511	+80

(Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

### Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	8
Livestock, poultry, and products	92

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

Cropland	(Z)
Pastureland	(D)
Woodland	(D)
Other	(D)

Acres irrigated: 1,296

(Z)% of land in farms

### Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	3
Reduced till	-
Intensive till	4
Cover crop	1

## Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>a</sup>
Less than \$2,500	179	60
\$2,500 to \$4,999	16	5
\$5,000 to \$9,999	18	6
\$10,000 to \$24,999	19	6
\$25,000 to \$49,999	26	9
\$50,000 to \$99,999	22	7
\$100,000 or more	18	6

## Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>a</sup>
1 to 9 acres	133	45
10 to 49 acres	67	22
50 to 179 acres	53	18
180 to 499 acres	21	7
500 to 999 acres	9	3
1,000 + acres	15	5

**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>7,260</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>2,762</b>	<b>3,077</b>
<b>Crops</b>	<b>561</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>2,901</b>	<b>3,073</b>
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	(D)	14	15	2,621	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	9	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	83	12	15	1,609	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	353	9	14	770	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	(D)	12	14	(D)	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	2	-	1,384
Other crops and hay	(D)	13	15	(D)	3,040
<b>Livestock, poultry, and products</b>	<b>6,699</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>2,310</b>	<b>3,073</b>
Poultry and eggs	49	7	15	1,254	3,007
Cattle and calves	5,817	13	15	1,611	3,055
Milk from cows	-	-	7	-	1,892
Hogs and pigs	2	13	14	1,809	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	(D)	(D)	15	(D)	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	563	7	15	377	2,970
Aquaculture	(D)	8	10	(D)	1,251
Other animals and animal products	47	11	15	1,016	2,878

<b>Total Producers <sup>c</sup></b>	<b>484</b>	<b>Percent of farms that:</b>	<b>Top Crops in Acres <sup>d</sup></b>
<b>Sex</b>		Have internet access	Forage (hay/haylage), all (D)
Male	306		Apples 56
Female	178	<b>76</b>	Vegetables harvested, all 35
<b>Age</b>		Farm organically	Grapes 34
<35	18		Pecans, all 20
35 – 64	251	<b>-</b>	
65 and older	215		
<b>Race</b>		Sell directly to consumers	<b>Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)</b>
American Indian/Alaska Native	84		Broilers and other meat-type chickens (D)
Asian	-		Cattle and calves 15,114
Black or African American	-		Goats 309
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-		Hogs and pigs 14
White	387	Hire farm labor	Horses and ponies 2,252
More than one race	13	<b>22</b>	Layers 3,379
<b>Other characteristics</b>		Are family farms	Pullets 39
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	28		Sheep and lambs 68
With military service	66	<b>98</b>	Turkeys 34
New and beginning farmers	126		

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.