Lincoln County
Arkansas

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	369	-2
Land in farms (acres)	208,800	+5
Average size of farm (acres)	566	+7
Total	($)	
Market value of products sold	178,964,000	-18
Government payments	7,490,000	+4
Farm-related income	3,579,000	+5
Total farm production expenses	137,796,000	-18
Net cash farm income	52,238,000	-16
Per farm average	($)	
Market value of products sold	484,998	-17
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	39,214	+15
Farm-related income	34,748	+37
Total farm production expenses	373,431	-16
Net cash farm income	141,565	-14

2 Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	53
Livestock, poultry, and products	47

Land in Farms by Use (%) [a]

Cropland	77
Pastureland	6
Woodland	14
Other	3

Acres irrigated: 135,455

65% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	7
Reduced till	11
Intensive till	18
Cover crop	5

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total [a]
Less than $2,500	141	38
$2,500 to $4,999	32	9
$5,000 to $9,999	34	9
$10,000 to $24,999	28	8
$25,000 to $49,999	20	5
$50,000 to $99,999	6	2
$100,000 or more	108	29

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total [a]
1 to 9 acres	18	5
10 to 49 acres	106	29
50 to 179 acres	100	27
180 to 499 acres	66	18
500 to 999 acres	19	5
1,000 + acres	60	16

2017 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE *County Profile*

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	**178,964**	**18**	**75**	**616**	**3,077**
Crops	**94,045**	**21**	**75**	**601**	**3,073**
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	74,214	21	50	547	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	15,219	9	23	123	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	(D)	3	72	(D)	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	(D)	51	72	(D)	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	(D)	49	55	(D)	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	20	-	1,384
Other crops and hay	(D)	(D)	75	(D)	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	**84,920**	**25**	**75**	**609**	**3,073**
Poultry and eggs	80,930	23	72	187	3,007
Cattle and calves	2,396	47	75	2,077	3,055
Milk from cows	(D)	8	21	(D)	1,892
Hogs and pigs	(D)	15	62	(D)	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	(D)	(D)	70	(D)	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	45	39	70	1,854	2,970
Aquaculture	(D)	15	29	(D)	1,251
Other animals and animal products	5	43	65	1,608	2,878

Total Producers [c]   596

Sex
Male	405
Female	191

Age
<35	35
35 – 64	370
65 and older	191

Race
American Indian/Alaska Native	1
Asian	-
Black or African American	44
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-
White	535
More than one race	16

Other characteristics
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	10
With military service	54
New and beginning farmers	178

Percent of farms that:

Have internet access	**63**
Farm organically	**-**
Sell directly to consumers	**1**
Hire farm labor	**34**
Are family farms	**91**

Top Crops in Acres [d]

Soybeans for beans	85,526
Corn for grain	19,994
Cotton, all	19,719
Rice	15,681
Forage (hay/haylage), all	5,162

Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)

Broilers and other meat-type chickens	3,458,380
Cattle and calves	7,942
Goats	287
Hogs and pigs	(D)
Horses and ponies	497
Layers	214,429
Pullets	(D)
Sheep and lambs	194
Turkeys	-

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.