Miller County
Arkansas

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	513	-2
Land in farms (acres)	126,613	-23
Average size of farm (acres)	247	-21
Total	($)	
Market value of products sold	34,870,000	-23
Government payments	1,786,000	+45
Farm-related income	906,000	-68
Total farm production expenses	31,275,000	-31
Net cash farm income	6,287,000	+45
Per farm average	($)	
Market value of products sold	67,972	-22
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	35,715	+179
Farm-related income	8,551	-54
Total farm production expenses	60,965	-29
Net cash farm income	12,255	+48

(Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	45
Livestock, poultry, and products	55

Land in Farms by Use (%) [a]

Cropland	46
Pastureland	32
Woodland	17
Other	4

Acres irrigated: 6,715

5% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	2
Reduced till	3
Intensive till	6
Cover crop	1

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total [a]
Less than $2,500	229	45
$2,500 to $4,999	53	10
$5,000 to $9,999	58	11
$10,000 to $24,999	65	13
$25,000 to $49,999	42	8
$50,000 to $99,999	26	5
$100,000 or more	40	8

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total [a]
1 to 9 acres	26	5
10 to 49 acres	165	32
50 to 179 acres	173	34
180 to 499 acres	96	19
500 to 999 acres	22	4
1,000 + acres	31	6

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	**34,870**	**58**	**75**	**2,047**	**3,077**
Crops	**15,772**	**31**	**75**	**1,803**	**3,073**
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	11,967	29	50	1,341	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	(D)	20	23	452	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	(D)	(D)	72	(D)	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	1,707	2	72	351	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	90	29	55	1,436	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	20	-	1,384
Other crops and hay	1,186	33	75	1,717	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	**19,098**	**46**	**75**	**1,677**	**3,073**
Poultry and eggs	11,987	45	72	522	3,007
Cattle and calves	6,477	36	75	1,543	3,055
Milk from cows	(D)	17	21	(D)	1,892
Hogs and pigs	4	44	62	1,729	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	(D)	62	70	(D)	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	48	38	70	1,818	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	29	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	(D)	3	65	(D)	2,878

Total Producers [c]	**842**
Sex	
Male	519
Female	323
Age	
<35	94
35 – 64	453
65 and older	295
Race	
American Indian/Alaska Native	8
Asian	2
Black or African American	20
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-
White	802
More than one race	10
Other characteristics	
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	7
With military service	124
New and beginning farmers	218

Percent of farms that:

Have internet access	**73**
Farm organically	**-**
Sell directly to consumers	**3**
Hire farm labor	**21**
Are family farms	**99**

Top Crops in Acres [d]

Soybeans for beans	19,095
Forage (hay/haylage), all	17,857
Corn for grain	10,447
Wheat for grain, all	8,574
Pecans, all	(D)

Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)

Broilers and other meat-type chickens	400,400
Cattle and calves	22,188
Goats	236
Hogs and pigs	32
Horses and ponies	597
Layers	83,100
Pullets	54
Sheep and lambs	(D)
Turkeys	(D)

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.