



# Phillips County Arkansas

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

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	231	-18
Land in farms (acres)	363,415	+3
Average size of farm (acres)	1,573	+26
<b>Total (\$)</b>		
Market value of products sold	189,709,000	-24
Government payments	11,787,000	+14
Farm-related income	3,814,000	-30
Total farm production expenses	146,767,000	-21
Net cash farm income	58,543,000	-25
<b>Per farm average (\$)</b>		
Market value of products sold	821,250	-7
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	56,667	+35
Farm-related income	29,796	-16
Total farm production expenses	635,354	-4
Net cash farm income	253,431	-8

**2** Percent of state agriculture sales

### Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	100
Livestock, poultry, and products	(Z)

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

Cropland	98
Pastureland	(D)
Woodland	1
Other	(D)

**Acres irrigated: 273,758**

75% of land in farms

### Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	25
Reduced till	33
Intensive till	49
Cover crop	19

## Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>a</sup>
Less than \$2,500	39	17
\$2,500 to \$4,999	3	1
\$5,000 to \$9,999	7	3
\$10,000 to \$24,999	14	6
\$25,000 to \$49,999	12	5
\$50,000 to \$99,999	22	10
\$100,000 or more	134	58

## Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>a</sup>
1 to 9 acres	1	(Z)
10 to 49 acres	24	10
50 to 179 acres	49	21
180 to 499 acres	39	17
500 to 999 acres	13	6
1,000 + acres	105	45

**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>189,709</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>561</b>	<b>3,077</b>
<b>Crops</b>	<b>189,417</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>154</b>	<b>3,073</b>
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	167,832	3	50	123	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	20,230	5	23	88	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	(D)	28	72	(D)	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	886	6	72	503	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	-	-	55	-	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	20	-	1,384
Other crops and hay	(D)	60	75	(D)	3,040
<b>Livestock, poultry, and products</b>	<b>292</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>2,945</b>	<b>3,073</b>
Poultry and eggs	(D)	72	72	2,122	3,007
Cattle and calves	(D)	70	75	2,612	3,055
Milk from cows	-	-	21	-	1,892
Hogs and pigs	-	-	62	-	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	-	-	70	-	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	-	-	70	-	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	29	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	-	-	65	-	2,878

<b>Total Producers <sup>c</sup></b>	<b>361</b>	<b>Percent of farms that:</b>	<b>Top Crops in Acres <sup>d</sup></b>
<b>Sex</b>		Have internet access	Soybeans for beans 263,390
Male	258	<b>69</b>	Corn for grain 34,883
Female	103		Cotton, all 27,230
<b>Age</b>		Farm organically	Rice 13,116
<35	35	<b>-</b>	Wheat for grain, all 9,496
35 – 64	205		
65 and older	121		
<b>Race</b>		Sell directly to consumers	<b>Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)</b>
American Indian/Alaska Native	1	<b>4</b>	Broilers and other meat-type chickens (D)
Asian	-		Cattle and calves 1,130
Black or African American	52	Hire farm labor	Goats -
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-	<b>61</b>	Hogs and pigs -
White	307		Horses and ponies 43
More than one race	1	Are family farms	Layers 19
<b>Other characteristics</b>		<b>91</b>	Pullets -
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	4		Sheep and lambs -
With military service	22		Turkeys -
New and beginning farmers	79		

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.