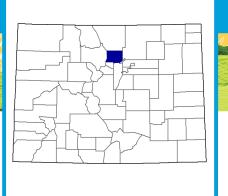


Boulder County Colorado



Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	1,012	+18
Land in farms (acres)	107,043	-19
Average size of farm (acres)	106	-32
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	43,898,000	+30
Government payments	501,000	+6
Farm-related income	9,776,000	+135
Total farm production expenses	54,094,000	+34
Net cash farm income	81,000	+105
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	43,378	+9
Government payments		
(average per farm receiving)	8,790	+91
Farm-related income	34,915	+156
Total farm production expenses	53,453	+13
Net cash farm income	80	+104

Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)	
Crops	87
Livestock, poultry, and products	13
Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a	
Cropland	36
Pastureland	53
Woodland	6
Other	6
Acres irrigated: 27,232	
25% of land in	n farms
Land Use Practices (% of farms)	
No till	10
Reduced till	2
Intensive till	6
Cover crop	10

Farms by Value of Sale	es		Farms by Size		
	Number	Percent of Total ^a		Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	579	57	1 to 9 acres	373	37
\$2,500 to \$4,999	111	11	10 to 49 acres	426	42
\$5,000 to \$9,999	113	11	50 to 179 acres	144	14
\$10,000 to \$24,999	99	10	180 to 499 acres	35	3
\$25,000 to \$49,999	36	4	500 to 999 acres	12	1
\$50,000 to \$99,999	27	3	1,000 + acres	22	2
\$100,000 or more	47	5			

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Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

		Rank	Counties	Rank	Counties
	Sales	in	Producing	in	Producing
	(\$1,000)	State ^b	Item	U.S. b	Item
Total	43,898	28	63	1,876	3,077
Crops	20 200	20	63	4 262	2.072
	38,380			1,263	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	3,632	29	49	1,752	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	2,695	13	45	474	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	217	8	31	980	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	25,880	4	50	113	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation					
woody crops	11	8	24	529	1,384
Other crops and hay	5,944	19	62	424	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	5,519	46	63	2,398	3,073
Poultry and eggs	93	15	59	1,074	3,007
Cattle and calves	(D)	47	62	1,889	3,055
Milk from cows	(D)	77	23	1,003	1,892
	454	-		-	
Hogs and pigs	154	15	54	803	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	211	26	60	755	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	486	14	59	441	2,970
Aquaculture	(D)	14	23	(D)	1,251
Other animals and animal products	581	12	58	268	2,878

Total Producers ^c	1,788	Percent of farm	s that:	Top Crops in Acres d	
Sex Male Female	942 846	Have internet access	91	Forage (hay/haylage), all Corn for grain Wheat for grain, all Corn for silage or greenchop	20,351 2,564 1,588 1,246
Age <35 35 – 64 65 and older	104 1,067 617	Farm organically	2	Barley for grain	968
Race American Indian/Alaska Native Asian Black or African American Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander White More than one race	4 21 3 1 1,745 14	Sell directly to consumers Hire farm labor	15 27	Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017) Broilers and other meat-type chickens Cattle and calves Goats Hogs and pigs	137 5,986 855 518
Other characteristics Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin With military service New and beginning farmers	70 156 666	Are family farms	95	Horses and ponies Layers Pullets Sheep and lambs Turkeys	4,180 5,031 195 955 72

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.