



Boise County Idaho

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	90	-14
Land in farms (acres)	53,198	(D)
Average size of farm (acres)	591	(D)
Total (\$)		
Market value of products sold	2,586,000	-15
Government payments	6,000	(D)
Farm-related income	207,000	+137
Total farm production expenses	2,672,000	-9
Net cash farm income	127,000	-44
Per farm average (\$)		
Market value of products sold	28,737	-1
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	1,888	(D)
Farm-related income	8,285	+156
Total farm production expenses	29,689	+6
Net cash farm income	1,413	-34

(Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	60
Livestock, poultry, and products	40

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a

Cropland	3
Pastureland	88
Woodland	8
Other	(Z)

Acres irrigated: 1,311

2% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	-
Reduced till	1
Intensive till	2
Cover crop	1

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	49	54
\$2,500 to \$4,999	8	9
\$5,000 to \$9,999	10	11
\$10,000 to \$24,999	9	10
\$25,000 to \$49,999	7	8
\$50,000 to \$99,999	2	2
\$100,000 or more	5	6

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
1 to 9 acres	35	39
10 to 49 acres	27	30
50 to 179 acres	12	13
180 to 499 acres	6	7
500 to 999 acres	3	3
1,000 + acres	7	8

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	2,586	43	44	2,943	3,077
Crops	1,547	42	44	2,741	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	-	-	42	-	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	-	-	41	-	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	36	19	37	1,614	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	(D)	14	43	(D)	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	(D)	8	14	(D)	1,384
Other crops and hay	(D)	43	44	(D)	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	1,039	42	44	2,830	3,073
Poultry and eggs	6	32	43	1,897	3,007
Cattle and calves	994	42	44	2,391	3,055
Milk from cows	-	-	35	-	1,892
Hogs and pigs	-	-	40	-	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	(D)	(D)	43	(D)	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	(D)	41	44	(D)	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	22	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	(D)	28	42	(D)	2,878

Total Producers ^c

Sex	156
Male	94
Female	62
Age	
<35	-
35 – 64	84
65 and older	72
Race	
American Indian/Alaska Native	1
Asian	-
Black or African American	-
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-
White	149
More than one race	6
Other characteristics	
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	1
With military service	21
New and beginning farmers	28

Percent of farms that:

Have internet access	76
Farm organically	-
Sell directly to consumers	7
Hire farm labor	19
Are family farms	100

Top Crops in Acres ^d

Forage (hay/haylage), all	892
Chestnuts	(D)
Nursery stock crops	(D)
Apples	(D)
Cultivated Christmas trees	(D)

Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)

Broilers and other meat-type chickens	-
Cattle and calves	2,415
Goats	(D)
Hogs and pigs	-
Horses and ponies	262
Layers	377
Pullets	(D)
Sheep and lambs	(D)
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.