



Twin Falls County Idaho

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	1,211	-6
Land in farms (acres)	468,809	-3
Average size of farm (acres)	387	+3
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Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	680,238,000	+13
Government payments	4,456,000	+22
Farm-related income	17,935,000	+37
Total farm production expenses	557,701,000	+13
Net cash farm income	144,928,000	+20
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Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	561,716	+21
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	12,377	+111
Farm-related income	35,727	+34
Total farm production expenses	460,529	+20
Net cash farm income	119,676	+28

9 Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	25
Livestock, poultry, and products	75

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a

Cropland	55
Pastureland	42
Woodland	(Z)
Other	3

Acres irrigated: 241,479

52% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	5
Reduced till	16
Intensive till	29
Cover crop	8

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	340	28
\$2,500 to \$4,999	108	9
\$5,000 to \$9,999	95	8
\$10,000 to \$24,999	98	8
\$25,000 to \$49,999	97	8
\$50,000 to \$99,999	115	9
\$100,000 or more	358	30

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
1 to 9 acres	338	28
10 to 49 acres	287	24
50 to 179 acres	241	20
180 to 499 acres	200	17
500 to 999 acres	74	6
1,000 + acres	71	6

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	680,238	3	44	57	3,077
Crops	168,671	7	44	228	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	79,933	2	42	493	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	34,410	11	41	91	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	(D)	(D)	37	(D)	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	(D)	11	43	(D)	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	14	-	1,384
Other crops and hay	51,308	5	44	33	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	511,567	4	44	48	3,073
Poultry and eggs	34	17	43	1,396	3,007
Cattle and calves	64,955	9	44	207	3,055
Milk from cows	372,868	2	35	13	1,892
Hogs and pigs	(D)	4	40	(D)	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	1,677	9	43	104	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	205	21	44	945	2,970
Aquaculture	70,376	1	22	1	1,251
Other animals and animal products	(D)	11	42	(D)	2,878

Total Producers ^c

2,199

Sex

Male	1,363
Female	836

Age

<35	286
35 – 64	1,347
65 and older	566

Race

American Indian/Alaska Native	21
Asian	1
Black or African American	2
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	3
White	2,168
More than one race	4

Other characteristics

Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	100
With military service	172
New and beginning farmers	634

Percent of farms that:

Have internet access **88**

Farm organically **2**

Sell directly to consumers **5**

Hire farm labor **36**

Are family farms **93**

Top Crops in Acres ^d

Forage (hay/haylage), all	84,037
Corn for silage or greenchop	41,625
Barley for grain	24,825
Dry edible beans	20,794
Wheat for grain, all	19,359

Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)

Broilers and other meat-type chickens	359
Cattle and calves	199,003
Goats	2,196
Hogs and pigs	(D)
Horses and ponies	1,660
Layers	2,742
Pullets	249
Sheep and lambs	8,473
Turkeys	259

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.