



Bracken County Kentucky

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	531	-10
Land in farms (acres)	86,844	(Z)
Average size of farm (acres)	164	+11
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Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	10,720,000	-2
Government payments	84,000	-90
Farm-related income	576,000	-15
Total farm production expenses	10,454,000	-15
Net cash farm income	926,000	+875
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Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	20,189	+9
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	1,585	-57
Farm-related income	4,496	+12
Total farm production expenses	19,688	-6
Net cash farm income	1,743	+977

(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	37
Pastureland	33
Woodland	25
Other	5

Acres irrigated: 112

(Z)% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	13
Reduced till	3
Intensive till	20
Cover crop	18

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	168	32
\$2,500 to \$4,999	83	16
\$5,000 to \$9,999	101	19
\$10,000 to \$24,999	69	13
\$25,000 to \$49,999	48	9
\$50,000 to \$99,999	35	7
\$100,000 or more	27	5

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
1 to 9 acres	37	7
10 to 49 acres	117	22
50 to 179 acres	218	41
180 to 499 acres	127	24
500 to 999 acres	29	5
1,000 + acres	3	1

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	10,720	78	120	2,639	3,077
Crops	6,454	73	120	2,246	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	876	84	116	2,149	2,916
Tobacco	3,158	33	94	101	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	26	96	118	1,913	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	(D)	(D)	114	(D)	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	(D)	(D)	103	(D)	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	31	-	1,384
Other crops and hay	2,346	30	120	1,066	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	4,267	77	120	2,503	3,073
Poultry and eggs	20	89	120	1,572	3,007
Cattle and calves	3,064	71	120	1,963	3,055
Milk from cows	293	37	77	1,056	1,892
Hogs and pigs	56	34	114	1,059	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	38	71	118	1,896	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	790	18	115	249	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	26	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	4	78	111	1,647	2,878

Total Producers ^c	900	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^d
Sex		Have internet access	Forage (hay/haylage), all
Male	587	65	19,159
Female	313		Tobacco
Age		Farm organically	815
<35	97	(Z)	Soybeans for beans
35 – 64	514		796
65 and older	289	Sell directly to consumers	732
Race		5	Corn for silage or greenchop
American Indian/Alaska Native	-		502
Asian	5	Hire farm labor	
Black or African American	4	24	Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-		Broilers and other meat-type chickens
White	888	Are family farms	86
More than one race	3	98	Cattle and calves
Other characteristics			12,046
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	5		Goats
With military service	98		208
New and beginning farmers	235		Hogs and pigs
			260
			Horses and ponies
			450
			Layers
			1,125
			Pullets
			54
			Sheep and lambs
			168
			Turkeys
			37

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.