



Grant County Minnesota

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	524	-3
Land in farms (acres)	324,188	+7
Average size of farm (acres)	619	+11
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Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	190,286,000	-11
Government payments	7,264,000	+4
Farm-related income	13,214,000	+38
Total farm production expenses	168,260,000	+29
Net cash farm income	42,504,000	-57
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Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	363,142	-8
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	15,293	+10
Farm-related income	32,788	+35
Total farm production expenses	321,107	+34
Net cash farm income	81,115	-56

1 Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	76
Livestock, poultry, and products	24

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a

Cropland	93
Pastureland	1
Woodland	1
Other	5

Acres irrigated: 5,853

2% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	6
Reduced till	22
Intensive till	35
Cover crop	10

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	239	46
\$2,500 to \$4,999	11	2
\$5,000 to \$9,999	11	2
\$10,000 to \$24,999	14	3
\$25,000 to \$49,999	19	4
\$50,000 to \$99,999	49	9
\$100,000 or more	181	35

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
1 to 9 acres	12	2
10 to 49 acres	96	18
50 to 179 acres	156	30
180 to 499 acres	108	21
500 to 999 acres	65	12
1,000 + acres	87	17

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	190,286	46	87	559	3,077
Crops	143,813	32	87	324	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	131,068	33	85	240	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	136	67	86	1,422	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	(D)	63	84	(D)	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	(D)	71	82	(D)	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	54	-	1,384
Other crops and hay	12,589	11	87	199	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	46,473	48	87	1,002	3,073
Poultry and eggs	10	78	87	1,781	3,007
Cattle and calves	5,237	65	87	1,671	3,055
Milk from cows	(D)	16	80	(D)	1,892
Hogs and pigs	6,194	43	85	443	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	(D)	(D)	85	(D)	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	30	51	84	2,024	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	28	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	(D)	(D)	85	(D)	2,878

Total Producers ^c	804	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^d
Sex		Have internet access	Soybeans for beans 126,077
Male	563	75	Corn for grain 122,615
Female	241		Wheat for grain, all 12,993
Age		Farm organically	Sugarbeets for sugar 11,822
<35	57	-	Dry edible beans 2,584
35 – 64	464		
65 and older	283		
Race		Sell directly to consumers	Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)
American Indian/Alaska Native	-	3	Broilers and other meat-type chickens (D)
Asian	2		Cattle and calves 14,559
Black or African American	-	Hire farm labor	Goats 65
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-	30	Hogs and pigs 23,320
White	802		Horses and ponies 138
More than one race	-	Are family farms	Layers 375
Other characteristics		94	Pullets (D)
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	4		Sheep and lambs (D)
With military service	56		Turkeys (D)
New and beginning farmers	140		

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.