Eddy County
North Dakota

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	291	-12
Land in farms (acres)	377,145	-5
Average size of farm (acres)	1,296	+8
Total	($)	
Market value of products sold	82,231,000	-22
Government payments	4,439,000	-5
Farm-related income	5,434,000	+62
Total farm production expenses	55,075,000	-19
Net cash farm income	37,029,000	-18
Per farm average	($)	
Market value of products sold	282,582	-11
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	17,141	+6
Farm-related income	25,999	+72
Total farm production expenses	189,263	-8
Net cash farm income	127,248	-7

1 Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	77
Livestock, poultry, and products	23

Land in Farms by Use (%) [a]

Cropland	76
Pastureland	21
Woodland	1
Other	3

Acres irrigated: -

-% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	21
Reduced till	35
Intensive till	11
Cover crop	12

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total [a]
Less than $2,500	98	34
$2,500 to $4,999	6	2
$5,000 to $9,999	10	3
$10,000 to $24,999	15	5
$25,000 to $49,999	22	8
$50,000 to $99,999	10	3
$100,000 or more	130	45

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total [a]
1 to 9 acres	1	(Z)
10 to 49 acres	8	3
50 to 179 acres	60	21
180 to 499 acres	61	21
500 to 999 acres	44	15
1,000 + acres	117	40

2017 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE *County Profile*

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	**82,231**	**40**	**53**	**1,332**	**3,077**
Crops	**63,600**	**35**	**53**	**922**	**3,073**
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	59,494	36	53	665	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	-	-	40	-	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	-	-	28	-	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	-	-	28	-	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	7	-	1,384
Other crops and hay	4,105	10	53	617	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	**18,632**	**35**	**53**	**1,700**	**3,073**
Poultry and eggs	-	-	52	-	3,007
Cattle and calves	16,813	31	53	915	3,055
Milk from cows	-	-	22	-	1,892
Hogs and pigs	-	-	43	-	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	97	21	51	1,308	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	10	41	53	2,309	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	2	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	1,712	17	51	112	2,878

Total Producers [c]   457

Sex
Male	307
Female	150

Age
<35	60
35 – 64	258
65 and older	139

Race
American Indian/Alaska Native	3
Asian	-
Black or African American	-
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-
White	454
More than one race	-

Other characteristics
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	3
With military service	28
New and beginning farmers	114

Percent of farms that:

Have internet access	**85**
Farm organically	**-**
Sell directly to consumers	**1**
Hire farm labor	**21**
Are family farms	**96**

Top Crops in Acres [d]

Soybeans for beans	83,250
Wheat for grain, all	42,829
Forage (hay/haylage), all	40,141
Corn for grain	31,010
Dry edible beans	9,100

Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)

Broilers and other meat-type chickens	-
Cattle and calves	29,310
Goats	-
Hogs and pigs	-
Horses and ponies	167
Layers	-
Pullets	-
Sheep and lambs	514
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.