



Fulton County Pennsylvania

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	545	-17
Land in farms (acres)	100,465	-10
Average size of farm (acres)	184	+8
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	75,816,000	+43
Government payments	686,000	-34
Farm-related income	2,162,000	+19
Total farm production expenses	52,331,000	+22
Net cash farm income	26,332,000	+103
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	139,111	+72
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	4,315	+47
Farm-related income	11,031	+32
Total farm production expenses	96,021	+47
Net cash farm income	48,316	+144

1 Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	16
Livestock, poultry, and products	84

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a

Cropland	53
Pastureland	8
Woodland	35
Other	4

Acres irrigated: 27

(Z)% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	25
Reduced till	14
Intensive till	12
Cover crop	19

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	198	36
\$2,500 to \$4,999	53	10
\$5,000 to \$9,999	57	10
\$10,000 to \$24,999	81	15
\$25,000 to \$49,999	50	9
\$50,000 to \$99,999	30	6
\$100,000 or more	76	14

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
1 to 9 acres	49	9
10 to 49 acres	122	22
50 to 179 acres	202	37
180 to 499 acres	141	26
500 to 999 acres	21	4
1,000 + acres	10	2

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	75,816	27	67	1,401	3,077
Crops	12,253	48	67	1,944	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	5,065	42	66	1,640	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	12	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	337	54	67	1,092	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	197	57	66	1,025	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	138	60	66	1,368	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	137	35	64	219	1,384
Other crops and hay	6,380	23	66	398	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	63,562	24	67	790	3,073
Poultry and eggs	3,161	27	67	669	3,007
Cattle and calves	7,337	25	67	1,444	3,055
Milk from cows	24,872	20	63	283	1,892
Hogs and pigs	27,744	8	67	214	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	147	30	67	1,004	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	(D)	(D)	63	(D)	2,970
Aquaculture	(D)	(D)	55	(D)	1,251
Other animals and animal products	227	24	67	491	2,878

Total Producers ^c	903	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^d	
Sex		Have internet access	72	
Male	610			
Female	293			
Age		Farm organically	1	
<35	67			
35 – 64	547			
65 and older	289			
Race		Sell directly to consumers	8	
American Indian/Alaska Native	4			
Asian	2			
Black or African American	-			
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-	Hire farm labor	17	
White	890			
More than one race	7			
Other characteristics		Are family farms	98	
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	4			
With military service	103			
New and beginning farmers	252			
			Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)	
			Forage (hay/haylage), all	24,789
			Corn for grain	5,769
			Corn for silage or greenchop	4,071
			Soybeans for beans	1,268
			Oats for grain	877
			Broilers and other meat-type chickens	61
			Cattle and calves	19,767
			Goats	970
			Hogs and pigs	33,578
			Horses and ponies	353
			Layers	(D)
			Pullets	39
			Sheep and lambs	1,021
			Turkeys	(D)

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.