Garfield County
Utah

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	286	+3
Land in farms (acres)	82,637	-10
Average size of farm (acres)	289	-12
Total	($)	
Market value of products sold	21,786,000	+81
Government payments	(D)	(D)
Farm-related income	1,318,000	+179
Total farm production expenses	12,837,000	+3
Net cash farm income	10,308,000	+5511
Per farm average	($)	
Market value of products sold	76,176	+76
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	(D)	(D)
Farm-related income	18,558	+148
Total farm production expenses	44,885	+1
Net cash farm income	36,042	+5374

1 Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	17
Livestock, poultry, and products	83

Land in Farms by Use (%) [a]

Cropland	20
Pastureland	75
Woodland	3
Other	3

Acres irrigated: 21,194

26% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	4
Reduced till	2
Intensive till	7
Cover crop	5

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total [a]
Less than $2,500	103	36
$2,500 to $4,999	20	7
$5,000 to $9,999	45	16
$10,000 to $24,999	52	18
$25,000 to $49,999	16	6
$50,000 to $99,999	17	6
$100,000 or more	33	12

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total [a]
1 to 9 acres	43	15
10 to 49 acres	105	37
50 to 179 acres	69	24
180 to 499 acres	43	15
500 to 999 acres	6	2
1,000 + acres	20	7

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	**21,786**	**18**	**29**	**2,333**	**3,077**
Crops	**3,600**	**21**	**29**	**2,508**	**3,073**
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	58	25	28	2,473	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	(D)	15	27	(D)	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	(D)	25	25	(D)	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	(D)	16	25	(D)	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	10	-	1,384
Other crops and hay	3,237	19	29	790	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	**18,186**	**17**	**29**	**1,727**	**3,073**
Poultry and eggs	9,764	7	28	553	3,007
Cattle and calves	(D)	16	29	1,399	3,055
Milk from cows	-	-	21	-	1,892
Hogs and pigs	3	24	28	1,760	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	71	27	29	1,499	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	140	20	29	1,215	2,970
Aquaculture	(D)	9	17	(D)	1,251
Other animals and animal products	16	20	27	1,372	2,878

Total Producers [c]	**519**

Sex
Male	351
Female	168

Age
<35	66
35 – 64	264
65 and older	189

Race
American Indian/Alaska Native	-
Asian	2
Black or African American	-
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-
White	511
More than one race	6

Other characteristics
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	14
With military service	49
New and beginning farmers	146

Percent of farms that:

Have internet access	**72**
Farm organically	**2**
Sell directly to consumers	**5**
Hire farm labor	**29**
Are family farms	**97**

Top Crops in Acres [d]

Forage (hay/haylage), all	12,783
Barley for grain	(D)
Corn for silage or greenchop	61
Vegetables harvested, all	14
Nursery stock crops	(D)

Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)

Broilers and other meat-type chickens	-
Cattle and calves	14,764
Goats	20
Hogs and pigs	-
Horses and ponies	942
Layers	478
Pullets	110
Sheep and lambs	652
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.