



Maries County Missouri

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	879	+5
Land in farms (acres)	248,382	+3
Average size of farm (acres)	283	-2
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	32,416,000	-8
Government payments	513,000	+18
Farm-related income	1,750,000	+88
Total farm production expenses	30,231,000	-9
Net cash farm income	4,448,000	+38
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	36,878	-13
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	4,315	+34
Farm-related income	4,247	+72
Total farm production expenses	34,392	-14
Net cash farm income	5,061	+31

(Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	15
Livestock, poultry, and products	85

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a

Cropland	26
Pastureland	41
Woodland	29
Other	4

Acres irrigated: 486

(Z)% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	10
Reduced till	4
Intensive till	5
Cover crop	5

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	209	24
\$2,500 to \$4,999	65	7
\$5,000 to \$9,999	106	12
\$10,000 to \$24,999	181	21
\$25,000 to \$49,999	167	19
\$50,000 to \$99,999	100	11
\$100,000 or more	51	6

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
1 to 9 acres	28	3
10 to 49 acres	103	12
50 to 179 acres	311	35
180 to 499 acres	306	35
500 to 999 acres	104	12
1,000 + acres	27	3

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	32,416	90	114	2,083	3,077
Crops	4,731	95	114	2,397	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	2,619	89	112	1,852	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	4	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	5	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	33	76	113	1,863	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	18	82	111	1,743	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	123	55	108	1,388	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	37	-	1,384
Other crops and hay	1,937	45	114	1,248	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	27,686	54	114	1,399	3,073
Poultry and eggs	160	53	112	929	3,007
Cattle and calves	19,978	38	113	794	3,055
Milk from cows	582	53	97	1,006	1,892
Hogs and pigs	6,744	37	111	430	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	92	60	111	1,346	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	119	45	113	1,334	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	43	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	11	66	111	1,486	2,878

Total Producers ^c	1,501	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^d	
Sex		Have internet access	70	
Male	978			
Female	523			
Age		Farm organically	-	
<35	104			
35 – 64	891			
65 and older	506			
Race		Sell directly to consumers	4	
American Indian/Alaska Native	1			
Asian	-			
Black or African American	2			
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	1			
White	1,491	Hire farm labor	19	
More than one race	6			
Other characteristics		Are family farms	99	
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	6			
With military service	199			
New and beginning farmers	350			
			Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)	
			Broilers and other meat-type chickens	18
			Cattle and calves	57,257
			Goats	345
			Hogs and pigs	7,686
			Horses and ponies	577
			Layers	4,555
			Pullets	119
			Sheep and lambs	817
			Turkeys	108

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.