



Bradley County Tennessee

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	778	-4
Land in farms (acres)	84,835	-2
Average size of farm (acres)	109	+2
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	105,860,000	-9
Government payments	872,000	+303
Farm-related income	1,311,000	-16
Total farm production expenses	84,189,000	-19
Net cash farm income	23,854,000	+75
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	136,067	-5
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	6,710	+117
Farm-related income	7,625	-23
Total farm production expenses	108,213	-16
Net cash farm income	30,661	+82

3 Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	13
Livestock, poultry, and products	87

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a

Cropland	33
Pastureland	33
Woodland	28
Other	5

Acres irrigated: 104

(Z)% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	8
Reduced till	2
Intensive till	3
Cover crop	5

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	358	46
\$2,500 to \$4,999	89	11
\$5,000 to \$9,999	95	12
\$10,000 to \$24,999	79	10
\$25,000 to \$49,999	50	6
\$50,000 to \$99,999	29	4
\$100,000 or more	78	10

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
1 to 9 acres	89	11
10 to 49 acres	320	41
50 to 179 acres	257	33
180 to 499 acres	76	10
500 to 999 acres	33	4
1,000 + acres	3	(Z)

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	105,860	9	95	1,089	3,077
Crops	13,314	43	95	1,892	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	(D)	(D)	95	(D)	2,916
Tobacco	(D)	12	42	171	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	26	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	(D)	(D)	95	(D)	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	234	19	94	947	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	(D)	10	92	(D)	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	36	-	1,384
Other crops and hay	1,769	30	95	1,335	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	92,546	2	95	561	3,073
Poultry and eggs	80,357	2	94	188	3,007
Cattle and calves	8,637	34	95	1,349	3,055
Milk from cows	3,238	14	68	726	1,892
Hogs and pigs	22	46	93	1,351	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	49	73	94	1,757	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	232	28	93	858	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	30	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	12	55	95	1,459	2,878

Total Producers ^c

1,318

Sex

Male	833
Female	485

Age

<35	58
35 – 64	730
65 and older	530

Race

American Indian/Alaska Native	9
Asian	-
Black or African American	3
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-
White	1,305
More than one race	1

Other characteristics

Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	35
With military service	149
New and beginning farmers	370

Percent of farms that:

Have internet access **72**

Farm organically **(Z)**

Sell directly to consumers **8**

Hire farm labor **19**

Are family farms **98**

Top Crops in Acres ^d

Forage (hay/haylage), all	18,105
Soybeans for beans	3,839
Corn for grain	1,191
Corn for silage or greenchop	747
Wheat for grain, all	471

Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)

Broilers and other meat-type chickens	4,148,659
Cattle and calves	24,082
Goats	469
Hogs and pigs	180
Horses and ponies	649
Layers	175,124
Pullets	108,133
Sheep and lambs	487
Turkeys	46

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.