



## Genesee County New York

### Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	485	-12
Land in farms (acres)	176,943	-6
Average size of farm (acres)	365	+7
<b>Total</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	
Market value of products sold	234,935,000	-1
Government payments	2,668,000	+26
Farm-related income	7,248,000	+12
Total farm production expenses	171,134,000	-10
Net cash farm income	73,717,000	+35
<b>Per farm average</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	
Market value of products sold	484,402	+12
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	12,294	+46
Farm-related income	28,536	+20
Total farm production expenses	352,854	+1
Net cash farm income	151,993	+53

**4** Percent of state agriculture sales

#### Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	34
Livestock, poultry, and products	66

#### Land in Farms by Use (%) <sup>a</sup>

Cropland	84
Pastureland	3
Woodland	8
Other	5

**Acres irrigated: 3,282**

2% of land in farms

#### Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	12
Reduced till	22
Intensive till	32
Cover crop	21

### Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>a</sup>
Less than \$2,500	127	26
\$2,500 to \$4,999	51	11
\$5,000 to \$9,999	54	11
\$10,000 to \$24,999	65	13
\$25,000 to \$49,999	38	8
\$50,000 to \$99,999	36	7
\$100,000 or more	114	24

### Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>a</sup>
1 to 9 acres	41	8
10 to 49 acres	147	30
50 to 179 acres	142	29
180 to 499 acres	86	18
500 to 999 acres	31	6
1,000 + acres	38	8

**Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold**

	Sales (\$1,000)	Rank in State <sup>b</sup>	Counties Producing Item	Rank in U.S. <sup>b</sup>	Counties Producing Item
<b>Total</b>	<b>234,935</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>399</b>	<b>3,077</b>
<b>Crops</b>	<b>80,701</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>706</b>	<b>3,073</b>
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	28,661	7	55	996	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	43,166	1	60	77	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	124	48	60	1,205	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	2,737	23	60	544	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	96	31	53	272	1,384
Other crops and hay	5,916	28	55	426	3,040
<b>Livestock, poultry, and products</b>	<b>154,234</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>288</b>	<b>3,073</b>
Poultry and eggs (D)	(D)	4	57	(D)	3,007
Cattle and calves (D)	(D)	4	55	(D)	3,055
Milk from cows	114,101	5	51	67	1,892
Hogs and pigs	89	28	55	943	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	441	10	54	378	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	90	51	55	1,505	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	34	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	38	43	58	1,084	2,878

**Total Producers <sup>c</sup>**

<b>Sex</b>	<b>817</b>
Male	554
Female	263
<b>Age</b>	
<35	60
35 – 64	498
65 and older	259
<b>Race</b>	
American Indian/Alaska Native	4
Asian	1
Black or African American	-
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-
White	809
More than one race	3
<b>Other characteristics</b>	
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	8
With military service	40
New and beginning farmers	155

**Percent of farms that:**

Have internet access	<b>78</b>
Farm organically	<b>3</b>
Sell directly to consumers	<b>13</b>
Hire farm labor	<b>22</b>
Are family farms	<b>97</b>

**Top Crops in Acres <sup>d</sup>**

Forage (hay/haylage), all	38,041
Corn for grain	25,004
Corn for silage or greenchop	23,092
Vegetables harvested, all	21,927
Soybeans for beans	14,335

**Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)**

Broilers and other meat-type chickens	466
Cattle and calves	60,205
Goats	338
Hogs and pigs	294
Horses and ponies	670
Layers	(D)
Pullets	(D)
Sheep and lambs	2,729
Turkeys	258

See 2017 Census of Agriculture, U.S. Summary and State Data, for complete footnotes, explanations, definitions, commodity descriptions, and methodology.

<sup>a</sup> May not add to 100% due to rounding. <sup>b</sup> Among counties whose rank can be displayed. <sup>c</sup> Data collected for a maximum of four producers per farm.

<sup>d</sup> Crop commodity names may be shortened; see full names at [www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf](http://www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf). <sup>e</sup> 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.