



# Cassia County Idaho

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

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	585	-12
Land in farms (acres)	643,346	+5
Average size of farm (acres)	1,100	+20
<b>Total (\$)</b>		
Market value of products sold	926,720,000	-3
Government payments	11,088,000	+87
Farm-related income	18,166,000	-10
Total farm production expenses	818,784,000	(Z)
Net cash farm income	137,190,000	-13
<b>Per farm average (\$)</b>		
Market value of products sold	1,584,136	+11
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	49,060	+142
Farm-related income	67,282	-5
Total farm production expenses	1,399,630	+14
Net cash farm income	234,513	-1

**12** Percent of state agriculture sales

### Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	28
Livestock, poultry, and products	72

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

Cropland	60
Pastureland	36
Woodland	(Z)
Other	4

**Acres irrigated: 259,331**

40% of land in farms

### Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	5
Reduced till	14
Intensive till	28
Cover crop	9

## Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>a</sup>
Less than \$2,500	176	30
\$2,500 to \$4,999	43	7
\$5,000 to \$9,999	44	8
\$10,000 to \$24,999	36	6
\$25,000 to \$49,999	25	4
\$50,000 to \$99,999	45	8
\$100,000 or more	216	37

## Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>a</sup>
1 to 9 acres	134	23
10 to 49 acres	125	21
50 to 179 acres	64	11
180 to 499 acres	84	14
500 to 999 acres	30	5
1,000 + acres	148	25

**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>926,720</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>3,077</b>
<b>Crops</b>	<b>255,319</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>3,073</b>
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	77,242	3	42	518	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	104,651	3	41	30	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	(D)	29	37	(D)	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	(D)	19	43	840	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	(D)	10	14	(D)	1,384
Other crops and hay	72,369	4	44	16	3,040
<b>Livestock, poultry, and products</b>	<b>671,401</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>3,073</b>
Poultry and eggs	(D)	1	43	(D)	3,007
Cattle and calves	401,873	1	44	28	3,055
Milk from cows	234,085	4	35	24	1,892
Hogs and pigs	(D)	1	40	(D)	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	2,072	5	43	78	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	130	26	44	1,276	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	22	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	(D)	7	42	(D)	2,878

<b>Total Producers <sup>c</sup></b>	<b>1,063</b>	<b>Percent of farms that:</b>	<b>Top Crops in Acres <sup>d</sup></b>
<b>Sex</b>		Have internet access	88
Male	742		
Female	321		
<b>Age</b>		Farm organically	1
<35	107		
35 – 64	679		
65 and older	277		
<b>Race</b>		Sell directly to consumers	4
American Indian/Alaska Native	-		
Asian	1		
Black or African American	-		
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-		
White	1,062	Hire farm labor	46
More than one race	-		
<b>Other characteristics</b>		Are family farms	93
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	44		
With military service	90		
New and beginning farmers	255		
		<b>Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)</b>	
		Broilers and other meat-type chickens	75
		Cattle and calves	283,514
		Goats	659
		Hogs and pigs	(D)
		Horses and ponies	913
		Layers	(D)
		Pullets	63
		Sheep and lambs	8,075
		Turkeys	19

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.