



# San Miguel County Colorado

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

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	133	-1
Land in farms (acres)	136,062	+8
Average size of farm (acres)	1,023	+9
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<b>Total</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	
Market value of products sold	6,374,000	+35
Government payments	322,000	+54
Farm-related income	1,496,000	+96
Total farm production expenses	7,353,000	+42
Net cash farm income	839,000	+63
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<b>Per farm average</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	
Market value of products sold	47,923	+37
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	16,101	+54
Farm-related income	27,701	+103
Total farm production expenses	55,283	+44
Net cash farm income	6,309	+65

## (Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

### Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	14
Livestock, poultry, and products	86

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

Cropland	10
Pastureland	78
Woodland	8
Other	3

### Acres irrigated: 15,918

12% of land in farms

### Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	6
Reduced till	2
Intensive till	11
Cover crop	5

## Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>a</sup>
Less than \$2,500	51	38
\$2,500 to \$4,999	15	11
\$5,000 to \$9,999	14	11
\$10,000 to \$24,999	12	9
\$25,000 to \$49,999	11	8
\$50,000 to \$99,999	8	6
\$100,000 or more	22	17

## Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>a</sup>
1 to 9 acres	9	7
10 to 49 acres	31	23
50 to 179 acres	25	19
180 to 499 acres	34	26
500 to 999 acres	11	8
1,000 + acres	23	17

**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>6,374</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>2,794</b>	<b>3,077</b>
<b>Crops</b>	<b>895</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>2,846</b>	<b>3,073</b>
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	449	35	49	2,281	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	(D)	40	45	(D)	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	(D)	25	31	(D)	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	74	35	50	1,461	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	24	-	1,384
Other crops and hay	363	53	62	2,462	3,040
<b>Livestock, poultry, and products</b>	<b>5,479</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>2,402</b>	<b>3,073</b>
Poultry and eggs	19	26	59	1,599	3,007
Cattle and calves	5,313	42	62	1,663	3,055
Milk from cows	-	-	23	-	1,892
Hogs and pigs	(D)	32	54	(D)	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	60	33	60	1,620	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	59	46	59	1,717	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	23	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	(D)	44	58	(D)	2,878

<b>Total Producers <sup>c</sup></b>	<b>243</b>	<b>Percent of farms that:</b>	<b>Top Crops in Acres <sup>d</sup></b>
<b>Sex</b>		Have internet access	77
Male	147		
Female	96		
<b>Age</b>		Farm organically	-
<35	17		
35 – 64	137		
65 and older	89		
<b>Race</b>		Sell directly to consumers	5
American Indian/Alaska Native	-		
Asian	-		
Black or African American	-		
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-		
White	243	Hire farm labor	26
More than one race	-		
<b>Other characteristics</b>		Are family farms	92
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	1		
With military service	25		
New and beginning farmers	63		
		<b>Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)</b>	
		Broilers and other meat-type chickens	(D)
		Cattle and calves	9,583
		Goats	40
		Hogs and pigs	(D)
		Horses and ponies	388
		Layers	596
		Pullets	(D)
		Sheep and lambs	892
		Turkeys	(D)

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.