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## Profile of Hawaii Agriculture - Marketing <br> Farms by Annual Sales and Sales Class, 2017

## Summary:

- Hawaii farms with less than $\$ 1,000$ in annual sales account for $25 \%$ of all farms and $0.1 \%$ of total sales.
- Farms with annual sales of $\$ 1,000$ to $\$ 4,999$ make up $22 \%$ of all farms and $0.75 \%$ of total sales.
- Farms with less than $\$ 50,000$ in annual sales account for almost $87 \%$ of all farms and just under $10 \%$ of total sales.
- Farms with annual sales of more than $\$ 50,000$ account for $13 \%$ of all farms and $90 \%$ of total sales in Hawaii.

Proportion of Farms and Sales, Hawaii 2017*

*Calculated values derived from NASS data.
Source: USDA-NASS, 2017 Census of Agriculture-Hawaii.

## Value of Food Sold Directly to Consumers Farms by Sales Class, 2017

## Summary:

- Hawaii farms with less than $\$ 1,000$ in annual sales account for $28 \%$ of farms surveyed and $0.7 \%$ of direct food sales to consumers.
- Farms with $\$ 1,000$ to $\$ 4,999$ in annual sales represent $39 \%$ of farms surveyed and $5.3 \%$ of direct food sales to local consumers.
- Overall, farms with less than $\$ 50,000$ in annual sales account for almost $96 \%$ of farms surveyed and $33 \%$ of direct food sales to consumers.
- Farms with more than $\$ 50,000$ in annual sales account for $4 \%$ of farms surveyed and $67 \%$ of direct food sales to consumers in Hawaii.

Food Sold Directly to Consumers by Farm Sales Class, Hawaii 2017*

*Calculated values derived from NASS data.
Source: USDA-NASS, 2017 Census of Agriculture-Hawaii.

# Value of Food Sold Directly to Retail Markets, Institutions, and Food Hubs for Local Branded Products Farms by Sales Class, 2017 

## Summary:

- Hawaii farms with annual sales of less than $\$ 1,000$ account for $24 \%$ of farms surveyed and $0.1 \%$ of direct food sales to retailers, institutions and food hubs.
- Farms with $\$ 1,000$ to $\$ 4,999$ in annual sales represent $31 \%$ of farms surveyed and $0.6 \%$ of direct food sales to retailers, institutions and food hubs statewide.
- Almost $86 \%$ of farms surveyed reported less than $\$ 50,000$ in annual sales and account for $4 \%$ of direct food sales to retailers, institutions and food hubs.
- Farms with more than $\$ 50,000$ in annual sales represent $14 \%$ of farms surveyed and $96 \%$ of direct food sales to retailers, institutions and food hubs in Hawaii.


## Local Branded Products Sold Directly to Retailers, Institutions and Food Hubs Farms by Sales Class, Hawaii 2017*


*Calculated values derived from NASS data.
Source: USDA-NASS, 2017 Census of Agriculture-Hawaii.

# Total Value of Food Sold Directly to Consumers, Retail Markets, Institutions, and Food Hubs for Local Branded Products <br> Farms by Sales Class, 2017 

## Summary:

- Hawaii farms with less than $\$ 1,000$ in annual sales account for 663 farms surveyed ( $27 \%$ ) and $\$ 274$ thousand ( $0.2 \%$ ) of total direct food value sold locally.
- Farms with annual sales of $\$ 1,000$ to $\$ 4,999$ represent 895 farms surveyed ( $36 \%$ ) and $\$ 2.2$ million ( $1.4 \%$ ) of total direct food value sold statewide.
- Farms reporting less than $\$ 50,000$ in annual sales account for 2,299 farms surveyed ( $92 \%$ ) and $\$ 14$ million (9\%) of total direct food value sold locally.
- Farms with more than $\$ 50,000$ in annual sales account for 191 farms surveyed ( $8 \%$ ) and $\$ 138$ million (91\%) of total direct food value sold statewide.

Total Food Value Sold Locally by Farms Sales Class, Hawaii 2017*

*Calculated values derived from NASS data.
Source: USDA-NASS, 2017 Census of Agriculture-Hawaii.

# Profile of Hawaii Agriculture - Marketing Conclusions 

## Summary:

- While there are an estimated 7,328 farms in Hawaii, many of them are not what one may consider as typical commercial, strictly-for-profit, business enterprises.
- An estimated $25 \%$ of all farms in Hawaii has less than $\$ 1,000$ in annual sales and collectively account for $0.1 \%$ of total farm sales.
- Farms with less than $\$ 50,000$ in annual sales account for almost $87 \%$ of all farms and just under $10 \%$ of total farm sales.
- It is the bigger farms by sales class ( $13 \%$ ), those with $\$ 50,000$ to $\$ 5$ million or more in annual sales that contribute the most to Hawaii's farm economy, accounting for $90 \%$ of total farm sales.
- Small farms by sales class has more influence selling food directly to consumers. In this category, farms with less than $\$ 50,000$ in annual sales account for almost $96 \%$ of farms surveyed and $33 \%$ of direct food sales to consumers.
- On local branded products sold directly to retailers, institutions and food hubs, the bigger farms by sales class dominate. In this category, farms with more than $\$ 50,000$ in annual sales account for 127 surveyed farms ( $14 \%$ ) and $\$ 119.5$ million ( $96 \%$ ) in direct food sales.
- On total direct food value sold locally, the bigger farms by sales class are equally dominant. Farms with more than $\$ 50,000$ in annual sales account for 191 farms surveyed ( $8 \%$ ) and $\$ 138$ million (91\%) of total direct food value sold locally.

