



# Washington County Alabama

## Total and Per Farm Overview, 2022 and change since 2017

	2022	% change since 2017
Number of farms	371	-15
Land in farms (acres)	69,161	-42
Average size of farm (acres)	186	-32
<b>Total</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	
Market value of products sold	18,584,000	-41
Government payments	260,000	-85
Farm-related income	1,490,000	-56
Total farm production expenses	19,749,000	-28
Net cash farm income	584,000	-93
<b>Per farm average</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	
Market value of products sold	50,090	-30
Government payments <sup>a</sup>	12,997	+10
Farm-related income <sup>a</sup>	19,097	-36
Total farm production expenses	53,233	-16
Net cash farm income	1,573	-92

(Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

### Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	25
Livestock, poultry, and products	75

### Land in Farms by Use (acres)

Cropland	14,578
Pastureland	10,490
Woodland	40,987
Other	3,106

Acres irrigated: 179

(Z)% of land in farms

### Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	5
Reduced till	4
Intensive till	14
Cover crop	7

## Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>b</sup>
Less than \$2,500	119	32
\$2,500 to \$4,999	60	16
\$5,000 to \$9,999	89	24
\$10,000 to \$24,999	52	14
\$25,000 to \$49,999	33	9
\$50,000 to \$99,999	2	1
\$100,000 or more	16	4

## Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>b</sup>
1 to 9 acres	33	9
10 to 49 acres	126	34
50 to 179 acres	121	33
180 to 499 acres	69	19
500 to 999 acres	15	4
1,000+ acres	7	2

Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

	Sales (\$1,000)	Rank in State <sup>c</sup>	Counties Producing Item	Rank in U.S. <sup>c</sup>	Counties Producing Item
<b>Total</b>	<b>18,584</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>2,509</b>	<b>3,078</b>
<b>Crops</b>	<b>4,690</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>2,496</b>	<b>3,074</b>
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	(D)	41	67	(D)	2,917
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	267
Cotton and cottonseed	(D)	41	52	(D)	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	652	23	67	1,017	2,831
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	(D)	(D)	66	(D)	2,711
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	(D)	50	61	(D)	2,660
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	(D)	16	24	(D)	1,274
Other crops and hay	1,312	46	67	1,823	3,035
<b>Livestock, poultry, and products</b>	<b>13,894</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>1,975</b>	<b>3,076</b>
Poultry and eggs	11,240	41	67	588	3,027
Cattle and calves	2,460	54	67	2,053	3,047
Milk from cows	-	-	17	-	1,770
Hogs and pigs	(D)	18	62	(D)	2,814
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	104	22	66	1,407	2,967
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	49	39	67	1,856	2,907
Aquaculture	(D)	33	37	(D)	1,190
Other animals and animal products	(D)	44	66	(D)	2,909

<b>Producers <sup>d</sup></b>	<b>611</b>	<b>Percent of farms that:</b>	<b>Top Crops in Acres <sup>e</sup></b>
<b>Sex</b>		Have internet access	67
Male	399		
Female	212		
<b>Age</b>		Farm organically	-
<35	75		
35 – 64	319		
65 and older	217		
<b>Race</b>		Sell directly to consumers	1
American Indian/Alaska Native	10		
Asian	-		
Black or African American	25		
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-		
White	560	Hire farm labor	21
More than one race	16		
<b>Other characteristics</b>		Are family farms	98
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	10		
With military service	76		
New and beginning farmers	244		
			<b>Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2022)</b>
			Broilers and other meat-type chickens (D)
			Cattle and calves 8,126
			Goats 829
			Hogs and pigs 143
			Horses and ponies 157
			Layers 97,816
			Pullets 25,412
			Sheep and lambs 413
			Turkeys 56

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