



# Albany County New York

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

	2022	% change since 2017
Number of farms	349	-21
Land in farms (acres)	50,151	-16
Average size of farm (acres)	144	+6
<b>Total</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	
Market value of products sold	47,919,000	+1
Government payments	151,000	-40
Farm-related income	1,000,000	-57
Total farm production expenses	46,036,000	+11
Net cash farm income	3,033,000	-63
<b>Per farm average</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	
Market value of products sold	137,303	+28
Government payments <sup>a</sup>	8,853	+152
Farm-related income <sup>a</sup>	9,708	-42
Total farm production expenses	131,908	+40
Net cash farm income	8,692	-54

**1** Percent of state agriculture sales

### Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	71
Livestock, poultry, and products	29

### Land in Farms by Use (acres)

Cropland	30,989
Pastureland	4,997
Woodland	11,244
Other	2,921

**Acres irrigated: 420**

1% of land in farms

### Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	19
Reduced till	6
Intensive till	17
Cover crop	7

## Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>b</sup>
Less than \$2,500	95	27
\$2,500 to \$4,999	34	10
\$5,000 to \$9,999	71	20
\$10,000 to \$24,999	70	20
\$25,000 to \$49,999	34	10
\$50,000 to \$99,999	11	3
\$100,000 or more	34	10

## Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>b</sup>
1 to 9 acres	56	16
10 to 49 acres	88	25
50 to 179 acres	139	40
180 to 499 acres	47	13
500 to 999 acres	9	3
1,000+ acres	10	3

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>47,919</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>1,995</b>	<b>3,078</b>
<b>Crops</b>	<b>33,908</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>1,523</b>	<b>3,074</b>
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	3,086	44	55	1,935	2,917
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	267
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	(D)	(D)	61	(D)	2,831
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	2,527	24	59	352	2,711
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	(D)	4	60	(D)	2,660
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	(D)	45	52	(D)	1,274
Other crops and hay	2,515	44	56	1,232	3,035
<b>Livestock, poultry, and products</b>	<b>14,011</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>1,971</b>	<b>3,076</b>
Poultry and eggs	175	37	59	1,149	3,027
Cattle and calves	(D)	24	56	(D)	3,047
Milk from cows	(D)	44	54	(D)	1,770
Hogs and pigs	52	40	55	1,070	2,814
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	157	36	55	1,145	2,967
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	73	42	55	1,678	2,907
Aquaculture	5	25	30	310	1,190
Other animals and animal products	76	48	58	1,074	2,909

<b>Producers <sup>d</sup></b>	<b>669</b>	<b>Percent of farms that:</b>	<b>Top Crops in Acres <sup>e</sup></b>	
<b>Sex</b>		Have internet access	83	
Male	374			
Female	295			
<b>Age</b>		Farm organically	1	
<35	69			
35 – 64	338			
65 and older	262			
<b>Race</b>		Sell directly to consumers	23	
American Indian/Alaska Native	-			
Asian	2			
Black or African American	1			
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	1			
White	651	Hire farm labor	20	
More than one race	14			
<b>Other characteristics</b>		Are family farms	90	
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	6			
With military service	47			
New and beginning farmers	213			
			<b>Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2022)</b>	
			Broilers and other meat-type chickens	675
			Cattle and calves	5,764
			Goats	228
			Hogs and pigs	132
			Horses and ponies	480
			Layers	3,733
			Pullets	351
			Sheep and lambs	942
			Turkeys	229

<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.