



Fayette County Tennessee

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2022 and change since 2017

	2022	% change since 2017
Number of farms	783	-12
Land in farms (acres)	224,887	-27
Average size of farm (acres)	287	-16
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	118,353,000	+32
Government payments	1,388,000	-63
Farm-related income	5,261,000	-35
Total farm production expenses	98,632,000	+23
Net cash farm income	26,370,000	+22
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	151,153	+50
Government payments ^a	8,955	-16
Farm-related income ^a	21,042	-15
Total farm production expenses	125,967	+40
Net cash farm income	33,678	+40

2 Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	86
Livestock, poultry, and products	14

Land in Farms by Use (acres)

Cropland	139,761
Pastureland	20,924
Woodland	47,976
Other	16,226

Acres irrigated: 9,798

4% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	19
Reduced till	8
Intensive till	5
Cover crop	9

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^b
Less than \$2,500	404	52
\$2,500 to \$4,999	90	11
\$5,000 to \$9,999	74	9
\$10,000 to \$24,999	78	10
\$25,000 to \$49,999	36	5
\$50,000 to \$99,999	20	3
\$100,000 or more	81	10

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^b
1 to 9 acres	44	6
10 to 49 acres	273	35
50 to 179 acres	287	37
180 to 499 acres	107	14
500 to 999 acres	31	4
1,000+ acres	41	5

Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

	Sales (\$1,000)	Rank in State ^c	Counties Producing Item	Rank in U.S. ^c	Counties Producing Item
Total	118,353	14	95	1,265	3,078
Crops	102,244	10	95	816	3,074
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	46,596	15	94	963	2,917
Tobacco	-	-	26	-	267
Cotton and cottonseed	30,372	3	28	56	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	(D)	7	94	(D)	2,831
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	114	50	92	1,489	2,711
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	14,167	6	91	236	2,660
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	37	-	1,274
Other crops and hay	(D)	9	94	(D)	3,035
Livestock, poultry, and products	16,109	41	95	1,892	3,076
Poultry and eggs	101	62	94	1,353	3,027
Cattle and calves	9,092	27	95	1,326	3,047
Milk from cows	-	-	66	-	1,770
Hogs and pigs	(D)	5	91	(D)	2,814
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	40	70	94	1,960	2,967
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	986	6	94	291	2,907
Aquaculture	-	-	30	-	1,190
Other animals and animal products	(D)	2	95	(D)	2,909

Producers ^d	1,434	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^e	
Sex		Have internet access	74	
Male	887			
Female	547	Farm organically	(Z)	
Age		Sell directly to consumers	2	
<35	61	Hire farm labor	19	
35 – 64	692	Are family farms	95	
65 and older	681			
Race			Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2022)	
American Indian/Alaska Native	5		Broilers and other meat-type chickens	95
Asian	2		Cattle and calves	15,031
Black or African American	95		Goats	304
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-		Hogs and pigs	(D)
White	1,321		Horses and ponies	1,308
More than one race	11		Layers	2,059
Other characteristics			Pullets	224
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	36		Sheep and lambs	181
With military service	120		Turkeys	52
New and beginning farmers	481			

^a Average per farm receiving. ^b May not add to 100% due to rounding. ^c Among counties whose rank can be displayed. ^d Data collected for a maximum of four producers per farm. ^e Crop commodity names may be shortened; see full names at www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf. ^f 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.