



Chesterfield County Virginia

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2022 and change since 2017

	2022	% change since 2017
Number of farms	162	-23
Land in farms (acres)	19,686	+9
Average size of farm (acres)	122	+42
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	3,558,000	-21
Government payments	38,000	-69
Farm-related income	2,282,000	+22
Total farm production expenses	6,615,000	+1
Net cash farm income	-738,000	-2630
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	21,963	+2
Government payments ^a	2,115	-43
Farm-related income ^a	38,670	+22
Total farm production expenses	40,836	+31
Net cash farm income	-4,554	-3438

(Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	78
Livestock, poultry, and products	22

Land in Farms by Use (acres)

Cropland	5,226
Pastureland	1,655
Woodland	11,457
Other	1,348

Acres irrigated: 94

(Z)% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	11
Reduced till	12
Intensive till	7
Cover crop	13

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^b
Less than \$2,500	67	41
\$2,500 to \$4,999	22	14
\$5,000 to \$9,999	23	14
\$10,000 to \$24,999	25	15
\$25,000 to \$49,999	15	9
\$50,000 to \$99,999	4	2
\$100,000 or more	6	4

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^b
1 to 9 acres	42	26
10 to 49 acres	51	31
50 to 179 acres	42	26
180 to 499 acres	15	9
500 to 999 acres	9	6
1,000+ acres	3	2

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	3,558	88	98	2,920	3,078
Crops	2,772	82	97	2,661	3,074
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	588	76	97	2,256	2,917
Tobacco	-	-	25	-	267
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	12	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	584	35	96	1,054	2,831
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	726	28	94	707	2,711
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	588	46	95	1,098	2,660
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	54	-	1,274
Other crops and hay	286	71	96	2,557	3,035
Livestock, poultry, and products	786	83	98	2,851	3,076
Poultry and eggs	43	67	97	1,705	3,027
Cattle and calves	220	76	96	2,628	3,047
Milk from cows	-	-	57	-	1,770
Hogs and pigs	17	52	91	1,404	2,814
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	101	36	93	1,435	2,967
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	381	11	86	723	2,907
Aquaculture	-	-	38	-	1,190
Other animals and animal products	25	59	91	1,501	2,909

Producers ^d	290	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^e	
Sex		Have internet access	82	
Male	169			
Female	121			
Age		Farm organically	-	
<35	29			
35 – 64	133			
65 and older	128			
Race		Sell directly to consumers	16	
American Indian/Alaska Native	-			
Asian	2			
Black or African American	9			
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-	Hire farm labor	23	
White	279			
More than one race	-			
Other characteristics		Are family farms	91	
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	4			
With military service	43			
New and beginning farmers	109			
			Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2022)	
			Broilers and other meat-type chickens	241
			Cattle and calves	915
			Goats	209
			Hogs and pigs	(D)
			Horses and ponies	909
			Layers	1,161
			Pullets	199
			Sheep and lambs	324
			Turkeys	81

^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.