



Fauquier County Virginia

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2022 and change since 2017

	2022	% change since 2017
Number of farms	1,040	-10
Land in farms (acres)	188,562	-13
Average size of farm (acres)	181	-3
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	67,862,000	+24
Government payments	482,000	+20
Farm-related income	13,596,000	-28
Total farm production expenses	102,907,000	+27
Net cash farm income	-20,967,000	-211
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	65,252	+37
Government payments ^a	13,392	+116
Farm-related income ^a	35,497	-11
Total farm production expenses	98,949	+41
Net cash farm income	-20,161	-245

1 Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	58
Livestock, poultry, and products	42

Land in Farms by Use (acres)

Cropland	68,239
Pastureland	55,637
Woodland	42,842
Other	21,844

Acres irrigated: 1,206

1% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	11
Reduced till	4
Intensive till	5
Cover crop	5

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^b
Less than \$2,500	388	37
\$2,500 to \$4,999	111	11
\$5,000 to \$9,999	112	11
\$10,000 to \$24,999	170	16
\$25,000 to \$49,999	85	8
\$50,000 to \$99,999	59	6
\$100,000 or more	115	11

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^b
1 to 9 acres	109	10
10 to 49 acres	398	38
50 to 179 acres	316	30
180 to 499 acres	105	10
500 to 999 acres	75	7
1,000+ acres	37	4

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	67,862	17	98	1,720	3,078
Crops	39,605	14	97	1,439	3,074
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	17,919	19	97	1,342	2,917
Tobacco	-	-	25	-	267
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	12	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	1,423	18	96	749	2,831
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	4,630	7	94	258	2,711
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	8,673	14	95	341	2,660
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	59	19	54	370	1,274
Other crops and hay	6,901	4	96	510	3,035
Livestock, poultry, and products	28,258	25	98	1,525	3,076
Poultry and eggs	293	34	97	1,003	3,027
Cattle and calves	13,917	14	96	1,071	3,047
Milk from cows	7,601	8	57	509	1,770
Hogs and pigs	246	16	91	722	2,814
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	(D)	15	93	788	2,967
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	4,926	1	86	49	2,907
Aquaculture	(D)	37	38	(D)	1,190
Other animals and animal products	1,032	2	91	242	2,909

Producers ^d	1,981	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^e
Sex		Have internet access	87
Male	1,108		
Female	873		
Age		Farm organically	1
<35	168		
35 – 64	1,075		
65 and older	738		
Race		Sell directly to consumers	15
American Indian/Alaska Native	8		
Asian	21		
Black or African American	43		
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	6		
White	1,887	Hire farm labor	31
More than one race	16		
Other characteristics		Are family farms	93
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	90		
With military service	288		
New and beginning farmers	652		
		Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2022)	
		Broilers and other meat-type chickens	992
		Cattle and calves	31,898
		Goats	505
		Hogs and pigs	823
		Horses and ponies	3,758
		Layers	7,530
		Pullets	1,084
		Sheep and lambs	1,534
		Turkeys	119

^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.