



## Butler County Kentucky

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

	2022	% change since 2017
Number of farms	648	+1
Land in farms (acres)	172,711	+18
Average size of farm (acres)	267	+17
<b>Total</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	
Market value of products sold	63,943,000	+31
Government payments	909,000	-62
Farm-related income	4,358,000	+50
Total farm production expenses	47,915,000	+35
Net cash farm income	21,294,000	+13
<b>Per farm average</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	
Market value of products sold	98,677	+29
Government payments <sup>a</sup>	7,700	-29
Farm-related income <sup>a</sup>	15,400	+13
Total farm production expenses	73,944	+34
Net cash farm income	32,861	+12

### 1 Percent of state agriculture sales

#### Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	65
Livestock, poultry, and products	35

#### Land in Farms by Use (acres)

Cropland	78,039
Pastureland	23,019
Woodland	62,759
Other	8,894

#### Acres irrigated: 212

(Z)% of land in farms

#### Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	25
Reduced till	10
Intensive till	9
Cover crop	6

### Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>b</sup>
Less than \$2,500	271	42
\$2,500 to \$4,999	74	11
\$5,000 to \$9,999	55	8
\$10,000 to \$24,999	84	13
\$25,000 to \$49,999	83	13
\$50,000 to \$99,999	22	3
\$100,000 or more	59	9

### Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>b</sup>
1 to 9 acres	20	3
10 to 49 acres	187	29
50 to 179 acres	236	36
180 to 499 acres	126	19
500 to 999 acres	42	6
1,000+ acres	37	6

**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>63,943</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>120</b>	<b>1,769</b>	<b>3,078</b>
<b>Crops</b>	<b>41,871</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>120</b>	<b>1,414</b>	<b>3,074</b>
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	40,069	26	116	1,028	2,917
Tobacco	-	-	78	-	267
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	134	91	119	1,634	2,831
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	(D)	(D)	118	(D)	2,711
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	(D)	(D)	111	(D)	2,660
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	32	-	1,274
Other crops and hay	1,558	69	120	1,675	3,035
<b>Livestock, poultry, and products</b>	<b>22,072</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>120</b>	<b>1,683</b>	<b>3,076</b>
Poultry and eggs	15,062	26	120	556	3,027
Cattle and calves	5,125	55	120	1,678	3,047
Milk from cows	(D)	20	70	(D)	1,770
Hogs and pigs	23	44	115	1,317	2,814
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	(D)	8	117	(D)	2,967
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	26	95	111	2,049	2,907
Aquaculture	-	-	24	-	1,190
Other animals and animal products	10	75	115	1,730	2,909

<b>Producers <sup>d</sup></b>	<b>1,079</b>	<b>Percent of farms that:</b>	<b>Top Crops in Acres <sup>e</sup></b>
<b>Sex</b>		Have internet access	Soybeans for beans 28,202
Male	736	<b>75</b>	Corn for grain 19,788
Female	343		Forage (hay/haylage), all 13,743
<b>Age</b>		Farm organically	Corn for silage/greenchop 571
<35	107	<b>-</b>	Wheat for grain, all 396
35 – 64	627		
65 and older	345		
<b>Race</b>		Sell directly to consumers	<b>Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2022)</b>
American Indian/Alaska Native	8	<b>4</b>	Broilers and other meat-type chickens 399,206
Asian	2		Cattle and calves 15,919
Black or African American	-	Hire farm labor	Goats 492
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-	<b>18</b>	Hogs and pigs 52
White	1,064		Horses and ponies 414
More than one race	5	Are family farms	Layers 42,386
<b>Other characteristics</b>		<b>98</b>	Pullets 257
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	2		Sheep and lambs 550
With military service	113		Turkeys 44
New and beginning farmers	314		

<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.