



Franklin County Maine

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2022 and change since 2017

	2022	% change since 2017
Number of farms	336	-5
Land in farms (acres)	52,085	+10
Average size of farm (acres)	155	+16
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	8,572,000	-33
Government payments	170,000	-38
Farm-related income	1,305,000	+89
Total farm production expenses	9,617,000	-4
Net cash farm income	431,000	-89
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	25,513	-30
Government payments ^a	3,786	-25
Farm-related income ^a	10,194	+121
Total farm production expenses	28,622	+1
Net cash farm income	1,282	-88

1 Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	(D)
Livestock, poultry, and products	(D)

Land in Farms by Use (acres)

Cropland	11,268
Pastureland	2,968
Woodland	33,538
Other	4,311

Acres irrigated: 71

(Z)% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	6
Reduced till	5
Intensive till	7
Cover crop	6

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^b
Less than \$2,500	144	43
\$2,500 to \$4,999	54	16
\$5,000 to \$9,999	50	15
\$10,000 to \$24,999	37	11
\$25,000 to \$49,999	20	6
\$50,000 to \$99,999	11	3
\$100,000 or more	20	6

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^b
1 to 9 acres	31	9
10 to 49 acres	81	24
50 to 179 acres	137	41
180 to 499 acres	65	19
500 to 999 acres	20	6
1,000+ acres	2	1

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	8,572	16	16	2,756	3,078
Crops	(D)	16	16	(D)	3,074
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	486	6	14	2,292	2,917
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	267
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	393	15	16	1,202	2,831
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	388	15	16	985	2,711
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	(D)	11	16	(D)	2,660
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	93	11	16	322	1,274
Other crops and hay	(D)	13	16	(D)	3,035
Livestock, poultry, and products	(D)	13	16	(D)	3,076
Poultry and eggs	621	5	16	851	3,027
Cattle and calves	592	11	16	2,489	3,047
Milk from cows	(D)	10	14	(D)	1,770
Hogs and pigs	89	11	16	930	2,814
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	87	13	16	1,527	2,967
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	38	11	15	1,944	2,907
Aquaculture	(D)	11	13	(D)	1,190
Other animals and animal products	32	13	16	1,407	2,909

Producers ^d	664	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^e
Sex		Have internet access	82
Male	378		
Female	286		
Age		Farm organically	8
<35	67		
35 – 64	349		
65 and older	248		
Race		Sell directly to consumers	25
American Indian/Alaska Native	-		
Asian	1		
Black or African American	3		
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-	Hire farm labor	22
White	658		
More than one race	2		
Other characteristics		Are family farms	98
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	3		
With military service	86		
New and beginning farmers	238		
			Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2022)
			Broilers and other meat-type chickens
			3,621
			Cattle and calves
			2,482
			Goats
			217
			Hogs and pigs
			162
			Horses and ponies
			344
			Layers
			2,239
			Pullets
			80
			Sheep and lambs
			344
			Turkeys
			624

^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.