



Haywood County North Carolina

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2022 and change since 2017

	2022	% change since 2017
Number of farms	567	+5
Land in farms (acres)	49,288	-6
Average size of farm (acres)	87	-10
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	18,664,000	+3
Government payments	756,000	+44
Farm-related income	1,603,000	+86
Total farm production expenses	17,385,000	+9
Net cash farm income	3,638,000	-0
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	32,917	-2
Government payments ^a	22,235	+408
Farm-related income ^a	13,360	+98
Total farm production expenses	30,662	+4
Net cash farm income	6,416	-5

(Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	39
Livestock, poultry, and products	61

Land in Farms by Use (acres)

Cropland	12,026
Pastureland	15,860
Woodland	19,028
Other	2,374

Acres irrigated: 262

1% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	10
Reduced till	2
Intensive till	10
Cover crop	11

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^b
Less than \$2,500	267	47
\$2,500 to \$4,999	68	12
\$5,000 to \$9,999	84	15
\$10,000 to \$24,999	79	14
\$25,000 to \$49,999	27	5
\$50,000 to \$99,999	19	3
\$100,000 or more	23	4

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^b
1 to 9 acres	105	19
10 to 49 acres	253	45
50 to 179 acres	152	27
180 to 499 acres	43	8
500 to 999 acres	6	1
1,000+ acres	8	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	18,664	82	100	2,507	3,078
Crops	7,342	86	100	2,322	3,074
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	1,397	78	99	2,116	2,917
Tobacco	(D)	54	56	213	267
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	52	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	1,454	48	100	740	2,831
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	2,562	12	95	348	2,711
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	841	68	97	997	2,660
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	(D)	14	36	223	1,274
Other crops and hay	904	59	97	2,121	3,035
Livestock, poultry, and products	11,322	67	100	2,100	3,076
Poultry and eggs	(D)	(D)	100	(D)	3,027
Cattle and calves	3,067	29	99	1,947	3,047
Milk from cows	5,485	10	48	567	1,770
Hogs and pigs	6	82	95	1,635	2,814
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	152	15	95	1,171	2,967
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	(D)	(D)	87	(D)	2,907
Aquaculture	(D)	4	53	(D)	1,190
Other animals and animal products	63	32	96	1,156	2,909

Producers ^d	985	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^e
Sex			
Male	612	Have internet access	79
Female	373		
Age		Farm organically	1
<35	99		
35 – 64	544	Sell directly to consumers	9
65 and older	342		
Race		Hire farm labor	16
American Indian/Alaska Native	-		
Asian	1	Are family farms	97
Black or African American	2		
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-		
White	972		
More than one race	10		
Other characteristics			
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	8		
With military service	99		
New and beginning farmers	344		
			Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2022)
			Broilers and other meat-type chickens
			205
			Cattle and calves
			10,934
			Goats
			803
			Hogs and pigs
			136
			Horses and ponies
			513
			Layers
			2,378
			Pullets
			267
			Sheep and lambs
			1,431
			Turkeys
			(D)

^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.