



Buckingham County Virginia

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2022 and change since 2017

	2022	% change since 2017
Number of farms	375	-8
Land in farms (acres)	80,900	+2
Average size of farm (acres)	216	+11
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	56,980,000	+31
Government payments	286,000	-49
Farm-related income	3,336,000	+136
Total farm production expenses	42,051,000	+19
Net cash farm income	18,550,000	+82
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	151,945	+43
Government payments ^a	8,654	-19
Farm-related income ^a	24,897	+118
Total farm production expenses	112,137	+30
Net cash farm income	49,467	+98

1 Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	13
Livestock, poultry, and products	87

Land in Farms by Use (acres)

Cropland	25,552
Pastureland	19,707
Woodland	28,260
Other	7,381

Acres irrigated: 79

(Z)% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	12
Reduced till	3
Intensive till	7
Cover crop	11

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^b
Less than \$2,500	120	32
\$2,500 to \$4,999	33	9
\$5,000 to \$9,999	58	15
\$10,000 to \$24,999	60	16
\$25,000 to \$49,999	37	10
\$50,000 to \$99,999	21	6
\$100,000 or more	46	12

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^b
1 to 9 acres	14	4
10 to 49 acres	81	22
50 to 179 acres	141	38
180 to 499 acres	98	26
500 to 999 acres	32	9
1,000+ acres	9	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	56,980	23	98	1,854	3,078
Crops	7,501	59	97	2,316	3,074
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	5,131	44	97	1,762	2,917
Tobacco	-	-	25	-	267
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	12	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	221	56	96	1,443	2,831
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	92	70	94	1,549	2,711
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	121	67	95	1,443	2,660
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	61	18	54	368	1,274
Other crops and hay	1,876	33	96	1,505	3,035
Livestock, poultry, and products	49,479	12	98	1,099	3,076
Poultry and eggs	33,206	9	97	417	3,027
Cattle and calves	5,523	33	96	1,638	3,047
Milk from cows	(D)	48	57	(D)	1,770
Hogs and pigs	10,183	6	91	431	2,814
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	123	30	93	1,303	2,967
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	296	17	86	861	2,907
Aquaculture	-	-	38	-	1,190
Other animals and animal products	(D)	(D)	91	(D)	2,909

Producers ^d	650	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^e
Sex		Have internet access	79
Male	390		
Female	260		
Age		Farm organically	-
<35	49		
35 – 64	280		
65 and older	321		
Race		Sell directly to consumers	7
American Indian/Alaska Native	1		
Asian	-		
Black or African American	10		
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	2		
White	636	Hire farm labor	18
More than one race	1		
Other characteristics		Are family farms	94
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	5		
With military service	87		
New and beginning farmers	212		
			Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2022)
			Broilers and other meat-type chickens
			1,110,460
			Cattle and calves
			12,397
			Goats
			694
			Hogs and pigs
			18,880
			Horses and ponies
			391
			Layers
			(D)
			Pullets
			334
			Sheep and lambs
			519
			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.