



Clay County West Virginia

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2022 and change since 2017

	2022	% change since 2017
Number of farms	134	+2
Land in farms (acres)	18,614	-13
Average size of farm (acres)	139	-14
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	894,000	+56
Government payments	56,000	+185
Farm-related income	84,000	-51
Total farm production expenses	1,260,000	+75
Net cash farm income	-225,000	-592
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	6,675	+52
Government payments ^a	7,044	+256
Farm-related income ^a	3,106	-47
Total farm production expenses	9,401	+71
Net cash farm income	-1,680	-581

(Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	64
Livestock, poultry, and products	36

Land in Farms by Use (acres)

Cropland	3,170
Pastureland	3,597
Woodland	10,318
Other	1,529

Acres irrigated: 18

(Z)% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	6
Reduced till	-
Intensive till	10
Cover crop	4

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^b
Less than \$2,500	58	43
\$2,500 to \$4,999	34	25
\$5,000 to \$9,999	16	12
\$10,000 to \$24,999	18	13
\$25,000 to \$49,999	6	4
\$50,000 to \$99,999	2	1
\$100,000 or more	-	-

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^b
1 to 9 acres	5	4
10 to 49 acres	23	17
50 to 179 acres	70	52
180 to 499 acres	31	23
500 to 999 acres	4	3
1,000+ acres	1	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	894	49	55	3,015	3,078
Crops	571	49	55	2,927	3,074
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	-	-	50	-	2,917
Tobacco	-	-	1	-	267
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	(D)	38	54	(D)	2,831
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	181	32	53	1,311	2,711
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	(D)	43	53	(D)	2,660
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	(D)	31	42	(D)	1,274
Other crops and hay	234	46	53	2,599	3,035
Livestock, poultry, and products	323	49	55	2,926	3,076
Poultry and eggs	22	43	53	1,928	3,027
Cattle and calves	191	48	54	2,639	3,047
Milk from cows	(D)	19	28	(D)	1,770
Hogs and pigs	11	33	53	1,510	2,814
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	24	38	50	2,140	2,967
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	(D)	(D)	51	(D)	2,907
Aquaculture	-	-	17	-	1,190
Other animals and animal products	17	32	54	1,612	2,909

Producers ^d	268	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^e
Sex			
Male	181	Have internet access	Forage (hay/haylage), all 2,623
Female	87		Vegetables harvested, all 21
			Apples 19
Age			Cultivated Christmas trees 14
<35	14	Farm organically	Land in berries 6
35 – 64	147		
65 and older	107		
Race		Sell directly to consumers	Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2022)
American Indian/Alaska Native	5		Broilers and other meat-type chickens (D)
Asian	1		Cattle and calves 803
Black or African American	1	Hire farm labor	Goats 79
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-		Hogs and pigs 141
White	259		Horses and ponies 100
More than one race	2	Are family farms	Layers 630
Other characteristics			Pullets 14
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	12		Sheep and lambs 34
With military service	32		Turkeys (D)
New and beginning farmers	105		

^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.