



Chambers County Alabama

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2022 and change since 2017

	2022	% change since 2017
Number of farms	355	+7
Land in farms (acres)	130,961	+2
Average size of farm (acres)	369	-5
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	36,390,000	+302
Government payments	218,000	-74
Farm-related income	2,811,000	+19
Total farm production expenses	45,549,000	+260
Net cash farm income	-6,131,000	-1452
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	102,507	+275
Government payments ^a	8,372	+29
Farm-related income ^a	28,105	+43
Total farm production expenses	128,308	+236
Net cash farm income	-17,271	-1348

(Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	6
Livestock, poultry, and products	94

Land in Farms by Use (acres)

Cropland	22,465
Pastureland	34,815
Woodland	56,769
Other	16,912

Acres irrigated: 163

(Z)% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	6
Reduced till	2
Intensive till	9
Cover crop	14

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^b
Less than \$2,500	129	36
\$2,500 to \$4,999	26	7
\$5,000 to \$9,999	58	16
\$10,000 to \$24,999	65	18
\$25,000 to \$49,999	33	9
\$50,000 to \$99,999	15	4
\$100,000 or more	29	8

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^b
1 to 9 acres	19	5
10 to 49 acres	65	18
50 to 179 acres	133	37
180 to 499 acres	68	19
500 to 999 acres	26	7
1,000+ acres	44	12

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	36,390	45	67	2,155	3,078
Crops	2,244	64	67	2,713	3,074
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	30	65	67	2,523	2,917
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	267
Cotton and cottonseed	(D)	46	52	476	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	(D)	42	67	(D)	2,831
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	168	40	66	1,340	2,711
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	297	39	61	1,278	2,660
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	(D)	7	24	(D)	1,274
Other crops and hay	1,176	48	67	1,918	3,035
Livestock, poultry, and products	34,146	35	67	1,384	3,076
Poultry and eggs	63	59	67	1,545	3,027
Cattle and calves	31,778	1	67	564	3,047
Milk from cows	750	6	17	822	1,770
Hogs and pigs	(D)	(D)	62	(D)	2,814
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	179	10	66	1,040	2,967
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	131	19	67	1,378	2,907
Aquaculture	(D)	21	37	(D)	1,190
Other animals and animal products	1,231	2	66	206	2,909

Producers ^d	599	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^e
Sex		Have internet access	80
Male	376		
Female	223		
Age		Farm organically	-
<35	70		
35 – 64	337		
65 and older	192		
Race		Sell directly to consumers	7
American Indian/Alaska Native	-		
Asian	-		
Black or African American	12		
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-		
White	581	Hire farm labor	23
More than one race	6		
Other characteristics		Are family farms	96
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	11		
With military service	60		
New and beginning farmers	267		
			Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2022)
			Broilers and other meat-type chickens (D)
			Cattle and calves 39,162
			Goats 895
			Hogs and pigs 107
			Horses and ponies 366
			Layers 1,459
			Pullets 113
			Sheep and lambs 238
			Turkeys 7

^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.