



Graves County Kentucky

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2022 and change since 2017

	2022	% change since 2017
Number of farms	1,129	+2
Land in farms (acres)	255,830	+2
Average size of farm (acres)	227	-0
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	473,755,000	+37
Government payments	4,466,000	-12
Farm-related income	11,196,000	+35
Total farm production expenses	276,238,000	+22
Net cash farm income	213,179,000	+60
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	419,623	+34
Government payments ^a	9,246	+1
Farm-related income ^a	23,374	+40
Total farm production expenses	244,675	+19
Net cash farm income	188,821	+57

6 Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	30
Livestock, poultry, and products	70

Land in Farms by Use (acres)

Cropland	199,265
Pastureland	12,495
Woodland	34,052
Other	10,018

Acres irrigated: 4,523

2% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	28
Reduced till	11
Intensive till	10
Cover crop	9

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^b
Less than \$2,500	499	44
\$2,500 to \$4,999	65	6
\$5,000 to \$9,999	118	10
\$10,000 to \$24,999	114	10
\$25,000 to \$49,999	64	6
\$50,000 to \$99,999	50	4
\$100,000 or more	219	19

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^b
1 to 9 acres	66	6
10 to 49 acres	482	43
50 to 179 acres	380	34
180 to 499 acres	103	9
500 to 999 acres	37	3
1,000+ acres	61	5

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	473,755	1	120	219	3,078
Crops	140,864	6	120	600	3,074
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	125,861	6	116	493	2,917
Tobacco	8,441	5	78	34	267
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	2,469	5	119	574	2,831
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	320	25	118	1,078	2,711
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	558	37	111	1,116	2,660
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	32	-	1,274
Other crops and hay	3,215	35	120	1,015	3,035
Livestock, poultry, and products	332,891	1	120	160	3,076
Poultry and eggs	313,129	1	120	49	3,027
Cattle and calves	8,791	43	120	1,347	3,047
Milk from cows	(D)	50	70	(D)	1,770
Hogs and pigs	9,660	7	115	439	2,814
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	134	42	117	1,262	2,967
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	1,035	17	111	279	2,907
Aquaculture	(D)	9	24	(D)	1,190
Other animals and animal products	(D)	(D)	115	(D)	2,909

Producers ^d	1,793	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^e
Sex		Have internet access	78
Male	1,191		
Female	602		
Age		Farm organically	-
<35	183		
35 – 64	971		
65 and older	639		
Race		Sell directly to consumers	2
American Indian/Alaska Native	3		
Asian	3		
Black or African American	4		
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-		
White	1,775	Hire farm labor	23
More than one race	8		
Other characteristics		Are family farms	98
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	25		
With military service	148		
New and beginning farmers	526		
		Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2022)	
		Broilers and other meat-type chickens	10,264,676
		Cattle and calves	15,109
		Goats	612
		Hogs and pigs	29,824
		Horses and ponies	857
		Layers	(D)
		Pullets	230,219
		Sheep and lambs	215
		Turkeys	19

^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.