



# Allegany County Maryland

## Total and Per Farm Overview, 2022 and change since 2017

	2022	% change since 2017
Number of farms	270	-7
Land in farms (acres)	34,179	-3
Average size of farm (acres)	127	+4
<b>Total</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	
Market value of products sold	6,129,000	+47
Government payments	188,000	-23
Farm-related income	570,000	+181
Total farm production expenses	6,948,000	+62
Net cash farm income	-61,000	-118
<b>Per farm average</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	
Market value of products sold	22,701	+58
Government payments <sup>a</sup>	4,689	+26
Farm-related income <sup>a</sup>	8,914	+203
Total farm production expenses	25,733	+74
Net cash farm income	-225	-119

## (Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

### Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	76
Livestock, poultry, and products	24

### Land in Farms by Use (acres)

Cropland	12,432
Pastureland	6,116
Woodland	14,401
Other	1,230

### Acres irrigated: 401

1% of land in farms

### Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	8
Reduced till	9
Intensive till	9
Cover crop	10

## Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>b</sup>
Less than \$2,500	108	40
\$2,500 to \$4,999	45	17
\$5,000 to \$9,999	32	12
\$10,000 to \$24,999	47	17
\$25,000 to \$49,999	18	7
\$50,000 to \$99,999	14	5
\$100,000 or more	6	2

## Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>b</sup>
1 to 9 acres	12	4
10 to 49 acres	82	30
50 to 179 acres	105	39
180 to 499 acres	67	25
500 to 999 acres	4	1
1,000+ acres	-	-

Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

	Sales (\$1,000)	Rank in State <sup>c</sup>	Counties Producing Item	Rank in U.S. <sup>c</sup>	Counties Producing Item
<b>Total</b>	<b>6,129</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>2,828</b>	<b>3,078</b>
<b>Crops</b>	<b>4,678</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>2,497</b>	<b>3,074</b>
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	920	23	23	2,183	2,917
Tobacco	-	-	6	-	267
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	972	20	23	857	2,831
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	(D)	16	23	(D)	2,711
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	(D)	18	23	(D)	2,660
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	2	19	20	598	1,274
Other crops and hay	1,052	9	23	2,006	3,035
<b>Livestock, poultry, and products</b>	<b>1,451</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>2,777</b>	<b>3,076</b>
Poultry and eggs	38	23	23	1,747	3,027
Cattle and calves	1,202	10	23	2,336	3,047
Milk from cows	-	-	17	-	1,770
Hogs and pigs	(D)	18	22	(D)	2,814
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	42	15	23	1,927	2,967
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	60	21	21	1,778	2,907
Aquaculture	-	-	14	-	1,190
Other animals and animal products	(D)	11	23	(D)	2,909

<b>Producers <sup>d</sup></b>	<b>464</b>	<b>Percent of farms that:</b>	<b>Top Crops in Acres <sup>e</sup></b>
<b>Sex</b>		Have internet access	80
Male	292		
Female	172		
<b>Age</b>		Farm organically	-
<35	33		
35 – 64	243		
65 and older	188		
<b>Race</b>		Sell directly to consumers	8
American Indian/Alaska Native	-		
Asian	-		
Black or African American	-		
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-		
White	460	Hire farm labor	11
More than one race	4		
<b>Other characteristics</b>		Are family farms	98
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	-		
With military service	70		
New and beginning farmers	83		
			<b>Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2022)</b>
			Broilers and other meat-type chickens
			83
			Cattle and calves
			3,512
			Goats
			284
			Hogs and pigs
			(D)
			Horses and ponies
			164
			Layers
			849
			Pullets
			66
			Sheep and lambs
			210
			Turkeys
			(D)

<sup>a</sup> Average per farm receiving. <sup>b</sup> May not add to 100% due to rounding. <sup>c</sup> Among counties whose rank can be displayed. <sup>d</sup> Data collected for a maximum of four producers per farm. <sup>e</sup> Crop commodity names may be shortened; see full names at [www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf](http://www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf). <sup>f</sup> 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.