



# Knox County Missouri

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

	2022	% change since 2017
Number of farms	539	-15
Land in farms (acres)	224,997	-4
Average size of farm (acres)	417	+13
<b>Total</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	
Market value of products sold	145,101,000	+48
Government payments	2,626,000	-43
Farm-related income	8,841,000	+7
Total farm production expenses	110,399,000	+27
Net cash farm income	46,170,000	+96
<b>Per farm average</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	
Market value of products sold	269,204	+75
Government payments <sup>a</sup>	9,347	-15
Farm-related income <sup>a</sup>	27,286	+26
Total farm production expenses	204,821	+50
Net cash farm income	85,658	+131

**1** Percent of state agriculture sales

### Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	59
Livestock, poultry, and products	41

### Land in Farms by Use (acres)

Cropland	156,493
Pastureland	33,160
Woodland	23,839
Other	11,505

**Acres irrigated: 158**

(Z)% of land in farms

### Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	30
Reduced till	19
Intensive till	13
Cover crop	15

## Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>b</sup>
Less than \$2,500	211	39
\$2,500 to \$4,999	19	4
\$5,000 to \$9,999	29	5
\$10,000 to \$24,999	35	6
\$25,000 to \$49,999	56	10
\$50,000 to \$99,999	48	9
\$100,000 or more	141	26

## Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>b</sup>
1 to 9 acres	17	3
10 to 49 acres	89	17
50 to 179 acres	192	36
180 to 499 acres	137	25
500 to 999 acres	49	9
1,000+ acres	55	10

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>145,101</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>114</b>	<b>1,083</b>	<b>3,078</b>
<b>Crops</b>	<b>85,370</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>114</b>	<b>952</b>	<b>3,074</b>
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	82,564	37	109	715	2,917
Tobacco	-	-	2	-	267
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	7	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	(D)	100	112	(D)	2,831
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	(D)	86	112	(D)	2,711
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	-	-	104	-	2,660
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	36	-	1,274
Other crops and hay	2,773	35	114	1,148	3,035
<b>Livestock, poultry, and products</b>	<b>59,731</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>114</b>	<b>981</b>	<b>3,076</b>
Poultry and eggs	3,892	33	113	698	3,027
Cattle and calves	34,199	19	114	525	3,047
Milk from cows	2,501	21	84	688	1,770
Hogs and pigs	18,279	22	111	342	2,814
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	(D)	(D)	111	(D)	2,967
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	(D)	102	113	2,257	2,907
Aquaculture	(D)	4	36	(D)	1,190
Other animals and animal products	(D)	83	106	(D)	2,909

<b>Producers <sup>d</sup></b>	<b>963</b>	<b>Percent of farms that:</b>	<b>Top Crops in Acres <sup>e</sup></b>
<b>Sex</b>		Have internet access	<b>73</b>
Male	621		Soybeans for beans 63,450
Female	342		Corn for grain 36,636
<b>Age</b>		Farm organically	<b>1</b>
<35	86		Forage (hay/haylage), all 20,824
35 – 64	507		Wheat for grain, all 3,059
65 and older	370		Corn for silage/greenchop 890
<b>Race</b>		Sell directly to consumers	<b>1</b>
American Indian/Alaska Native	-		<b>Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2022)</b>
Asian	2		Broilers and other meat-type chickens (D)
Black or African American	-	Hire farm labor	<b>20</b>
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-		Cattle and calves 36,097
White	957		Goats 102
More than one race	4		Hogs and pigs 45,453
<b>Other characteristics</b>		Are family farms	<b>96</b>
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	9		Horses and ponies 127
With military service	77		Layers 89,913
New and beginning farmers	297		Pullets 34
			Sheep and lambs 1,201
			Turkeys 15

<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.