



# Lafayette County Missouri

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

	2022	% change since 2017
Number of farms	1,079	-8
Land in farms (acres)	286,192	-16
Average size of farm (acres)	265	-8
<b>Total</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	
Market value of products sold	230,639,000	+41
Government payments	2,331,000	-16
Farm-related income	10,208,000	+13
Total farm production expenses	155,572,000	+20
Net cash farm income	87,605,000	+92
<b>Per farm average</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	
Market value of products sold	213,752	+54
Government payments <sup>a</sup>	8,149	+27
Farm-related income <sup>a</sup>	19,898	+34
Total farm production expenses	144,182	+31
Net cash farm income	81,191	+109

**2** Percent of state agriculture sales

### Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	79
Livestock, poultry, and products	21

### Land in Farms by Use (acres)

Cropland	226,100
Pastureland	29,529
Woodland	14,805
Other	15,758

Acres irrigated: 922

(Z)% of land in farms

### Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	37
Reduced till	15
Intensive till	8
Cover crop	12

## Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>b</sup>
Less than \$2,500	266	25
\$2,500 to \$4,999	65	6
\$5,000 to \$9,999	126	12
\$10,000 to \$24,999	160	15
\$25,000 to \$49,999	119	11
\$50,000 to \$99,999	84	8
\$100,000 or more	259	24

## Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>b</sup>
1 to 9 acres	70	6
10 to 49 acres	341	32
50 to 179 acres	365	34
180 to 499 acres	173	16
500 to 999 acres	58	5
1,000+ acres	72	7

**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>230,639</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>114</b>	<b>710</b>	<b>3,078</b>
<b>Crops</b>	<b>182,446</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>114</b>	<b>434</b>	<b>3,074</b>
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	169,841	11	109	336	2,917
Tobacco	-	-	2	-	267
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	7	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	305	36	112	1,293	2,831
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	10,082	1	112	170	2,711
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	359	37	104	1,234	2,660
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	36	-	1,274
Other crops and hay	1,859	62	114	1,516	3,035
<b>Livestock, poultry, and products</b>	<b>48,193</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>114</b>	<b>1,119</b>	<b>3,076</b>
Poultry and eggs	95	68	113	1,374	3,027
Cattle and calves	26,040	36	114	682	3,047
Milk from cows	(D)	(D)	84	(D)	1,770
Hogs and pigs	16,804	24	111	350	2,814
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	305	30	111	650	2,967
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	(D)	(D)	113	(D)	2,907
Aquaculture	-	-	36	-	1,190
Other animals and animal products	214	9	106	681	2,909

<b>Producers <sup>d</sup></b>	<b>1,929</b>	<b>Percent of farms that:</b>	<b>Top Crops in Acres <sup>e</sup></b>
<b>Sex</b>		Have internet access	83
Male	1,249		
Female	680		
<b>Age</b>		Farm organically	(Z)
<35	177		
35 – 64	1,023		
65 and older	729		
<b>Race</b>		Sell directly to consumers	5
American Indian/Alaska Native	4		
Asian	2		
Black or African American	-		
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-	Hire farm labor	19
White	1,917		
More than one race	6		
<b>Other characteristics</b>		Are family farms	94
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	11		
With military service	186		
New and beginning farmers	503		
			<b>Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2022)</b>
			Broilers and other meat-type chickens
			874
			Cattle and calves
			30,860
			Goats
			1,012
			Hogs and pigs
			36,236
			Horses and ponies
			648
			Layers
			2,161
			Pullets
			132
			Sheep and lambs
			1,080
			Turkeys
			96

<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.