



Newton County Missouri

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2022 and change since 2017

	2022	% change since 2017
Number of farms	1,414	-11
Land in farms (acres)	239,381	-8
Average size of farm (acres)	169	+3
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	588,080,000	+139
Government payments	4,326,000	+457
Farm-related income	4,259,000	+53
Total farm production expenses	312,053,000	+71
Net cash farm income	284,612,000	+324
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	415,898	+168
Government payments ^a	11,445	+183
Farm-related income ^a	11,356	+98
Total farm production expenses	220,688	+92
Net cash farm income	201,281	+376

4 Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	2
Livestock, poultry, and products	98

Land in Farms by Use (acres)

Cropland	81,442
Pastureland	113,824
Woodland	34,401
Other	9,714

Acres irrigated: 413

(Z)% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	6
Reduced till	3
Intensive till	3
Cover crop	2

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^b
Less than \$2,500	385	27
\$2,500 to \$4,999	160	11
\$5,000 to \$9,999	200	14
\$10,000 to \$24,999	199	14
\$25,000 to \$49,999	157	11
\$50,000 to \$99,999	115	8
\$100,000 or more	198	14

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^b
1 to 9 acres	88	6
10 to 49 acres	463	33
50 to 179 acres	522	37
180 to 499 acres	236	17
500 to 999 acres	73	5
1,000+ acres	32	2

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	588,080	1	114	143	3,078
Crops	13,616	81	114	2,043	3,074
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	7,896	85	109	1,633	2,917
Tobacco	-	-	2	-	267
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	7	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	701	16	112	977	2,831
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	487	17	112	889	2,711
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	1,377	18	104	853	2,660
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	36	-	1,274
Other crops and hay	3,155	25	114	1,034	3,035
Livestock, poultry, and products	574,464	1	114	64	3,076
Poultry and eggs	534,613	1	113	13	3,027
Cattle and calves	36,355	15	114	498	3,047
Milk from cows	2,341	22	84	694	1,770
Hogs and pigs	67	77	111	997	2,814
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	299	32	111	657	2,967
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	527	7	113	541	2,907
Aquaculture	(D)	13	36	(D)	1,190
Other animals and animal products	(D)	41	106	(D)	2,909

Producers ^d	2,538	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^e
Sex		Have internet access	78
Male	1,541		
Female	997		
Age		Farm organically	-
<35	258		
35 – 64	1,491		
65 and older	789		
Race		Sell directly to consumers	4
American Indian/Alaska Native	71		
Asian	92		
Black or African American	5		
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	1		
White	2,333	Hire farm labor	17
More than one race	36		
Other characteristics		Are family farms	98
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	32		
With military service	198		
New and beginning farmers	875		
		Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2022)	
		Broilers and other meat-type chickens	9,341,877
		Cattle and calves	82,027
		Goats	1,425
		Hogs and pigs	226
		Horses and ponies	1,494
		Layers	(D)
		Pullets	1,613,668
		Sheep and lambs	1,437
		Turkeys	960,815

^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.