



Brunswick County North Carolina

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2022 and change since 2017

	2022	% change since 2017
Number of farms	238	+3
Land in farms (acres)	45,150	+1
Average size of farm (acres)	190	-2
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	51,051,000	+11
Government payments	2,458,000	+628
Farm-related income	1,070,000	-42
Total farm production expenses	44,286,000	0
Net cash farm income	10,293,000	+153
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	214,499	+8
Government payments ^a	76,826	+696
Farm-related income ^a	17,827	-22
Total farm production expenses	186,075	-3
Net cash farm income	43,248	+146

(Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	58
Livestock, poultry, and products	42

Land in Farms by Use (acres)

Cropland	28,803
Pastureland	4,272
Woodland	9,874
Other	2,201

Acres irrigated: 1,025

2% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	17
Reduced till	6
Intensive till	13
Cover crop	12

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^b
Less than \$2,500	99	42
\$2,500 to \$4,999	9	4
\$5,000 to \$9,999	43	18
\$10,000 to \$24,999	23	10
\$25,000 to \$49,999	16	7
\$50,000 to \$99,999	8	3
\$100,000 or more	40	17

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^b
1 to 9 acres	44	18
10 to 49 acres	74	31
50 to 179 acres	64	27
180 to 499 acres	35	15
500 to 999 acres	11	5
1,000+ acres	10	4

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	51,051	66	100	1,946	3,078
Crops	29,591	50	100	1,599	3,074
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	15,009	41	99	1,395	2,917
Tobacco	-	-	56	-	267
Cotton and cottonseed	(D)	46	52	(D)	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	(D)	84	100	(D)	2,831
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	273	63	95	1,159	2,711
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	13,361	13	97	243	2,660
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	36	-	1,274
Other crops and hay	506	76	97	2,405	3,035
Livestock, poultry, and products	21,460	57	100	1,699	3,076
Poultry and eggs	94	74	100	1,376	3,027
Cattle and calves	278	74	99	2,613	3,047
Milk from cows	-	-	48	-	1,770
Hogs and pigs	20,896	26	95	315	2,814
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	(D)	(D)	95	(D)	2,967
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	(D)	37	87	(D)	2,907
Aquaculture	(D)	47	53	(D)	1,190
Other animals and animal products	76	28	96	1,076	2,909

Producers ^d	432	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^e
Sex		Have internet access	85
Male	287		
Female	145		
Age		Farm organically	-
<35	50		
35 – 64	244		
65 and older	138		
Race		Sell directly to consumers	19
American Indian/Alaska Native	7		
Asian	1		
Black or African American	12		
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	1		
White	411	Hire farm labor	24
More than one race	-		
Other characteristics		Are family farms	98
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	-		
With military service	47		
New and beginning farmers	186		
		Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2022)	
		Broilers and other meat-type chickens	393
		Cattle and calves	1,676
		Goats	265
		Hogs and pigs	55,316
		Horses and ponies	217
		Layers	1,769
		Pullets	410
		Sheep and lambs	79
		Turkeys	67

^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.