



## Madison County North Carolina

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

	2022	% change since 2017
Number of farms	535	-16
Land in farms (acres)	42,763	-25
Average size of farm (acres)	80	-10
<b>Total</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	
Market value of products sold	5,070,000	+2
Government payments	116,000	-40
Farm-related income	770,000	-16
Total farm production expenses	9,593,000	+4
Net cash farm income	-3,637,000	-16
<b>Per farm average</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	
Market value of products sold	9,476	+22
Government payments <sup>a</sup>	9,704	+451
Farm-related income <sup>a</sup>	6,752	+11
Total farm production expenses	17,930	+24
Net cash farm income	-6,797	-39

(Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

#### Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	(D)
Livestock, poultry, and products	(D)

#### Land in Farms by Use (acres)

Cropland	7,879
Pastureland	10,322
Woodland	21,461
Other	3,101

Acres irrigated: 120

(Z)% of land in farms

#### Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	6
Reduced till	6
Intensive till	5
Cover crop	14

### Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>b</sup>
Less than \$2,500	259	48
\$2,500 to \$4,999	67	13
\$5,000 to \$9,999	95	18
\$10,000 to \$24,999	71	13
\$25,000 to \$49,999	25	5
\$50,000 to \$99,999	8	1
\$100,000 or more	10	2

### Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>b</sup>
1 to 9 acres	50	9
10 to 49 acres	235	44
50 to 179 acres	193	36
180 to 499 acres	53	10
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>5,070</b>	<b>93</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>2,864</b>	<b>3,078</b>
<b>Crops</b>	<b>(D)</b>	<b>(D)</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>(D)</b>	<b>3,074</b>
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	55	90	99	2,494	2,917
Tobacco	-	-	56	-	267
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	52	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	563	67	100	1,068	2,831
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	162	70	95	1,354	2,711
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	(D)	(D)	97	(D)	2,660
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	(D)	13	36	(D)	1,274
Other crops and hay	664	68	97	2,302	3,035
<b>Livestock, poultry, and products</b>	<b>(D)</b>	<b>(D)</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>(D)</b>	<b>3,076</b>
Poultry and eggs	381	68	100	939	3,027
Cattle and calves	(D)	(D)	99	(D)	3,047
Milk from cows	-	-	48	-	1,770
Hogs and pigs	30	62	95	1,234	2,814
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	325	7	95	610	2,967
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	(D)	64	87	(D)	2,907
Aquaculture	-	-	53	-	1,190
Other animals and animal products	56	37	96	1,202	2,909

Producers <sup>d</sup>	913	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres <sup>e</sup>	
<b>Sex</b>				
Male	578	Have internet access	82	
Female	335			
<b>Age</b>		Farm organically	1	
<35	69			
35 – 64	438	Sell directly to consumers	15	
65 and older	406			
<b>Race</b>		Hire farm labor	21	
American Indian/Alaska Native	4			
Asian	1	Are family farms	97	
Black or African American	-			
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-			
White	906			
More than one race	2			
<b>Other characteristics</b>			<b>Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2022)</b>	
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	6		Broilers and other meat-type chickens	371
With military service	85		Cattle and calves	5,336
New and beginning farmers	263		Goats	688
			Hogs and pigs	84
			Horses and ponies	272
			Layers	5,875
			Pullets	201
			Sheep and lambs	535
			Turkeys	109

<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.