



## Buffalo County South Dakota

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

	2022	% change since 2017
Number of farms	49	-28
Land in farms (acres)	300,533	0
Average size of farm (acres)	6,133	+39
<b>Total</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	
Market value of products sold	54,566,000	+38
Government payments	3,739,000	+53
Farm-related income	2,618,000	-21
Total farm production expenses	50,245,000	+36
Net cash farm income	10,679,000	+31
<b>Per farm average</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	
Market value of products sold	1,113,600	+92
Government payments <sup>a</sup>	83,090	+84
Farm-related income <sup>a</sup>	70,763	-10
Total farm production expenses	1,025,411	+88
Net cash farm income	217,929	+81

(Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

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

Crops	51
Livestock, poultry, and products	49

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

Cropland	90,716
Pastureland	203,611
Woodland	2,412
Other	3,794

Acres irrigated: 9,033

3% of land in farms

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

No till	67
Reduced till	22
Intensive till	6
Cover crop	20

### Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>b</sup>
Less than \$2,500	7	14
\$2,500 to \$4,999	-	-
\$5,000 to \$9,999	2	4
\$10,000 to \$24,999	-	-
\$25,000 to \$49,999	1	2
\$50,000 to \$99,999	-	-
\$100,000 or more	39	80

### Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>b</sup>
1 to 9 acres	1	2
10 to 49 acres	2	4
50 to 179 acres	-	-
180 to 499 acres	5	10
500 to 999 acres	3	6
1,000+ acres	38	78

**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>54,566</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>1,892</b>	<b>3,078</b>
<b>Crops</b>	<b>27,651</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>1,637</b>	<b>3,074</b>
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	27,439	54	66	1,180	2,917
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	267
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	-	-	47	-	2,831
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	-	-	31	-	2,711
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	-	-	35	-	2,660
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	8	-	1,274
Other crops and hay	212	65	66	2,612	3,035
<b>Livestock, poultry, and products</b>	<b>26,915</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>1,554</b>	<b>3,076</b>
Poultry and eggs	(D)	62	66	2,235	3,027
Cattle and calves	26,828	55	66	665	3,047
Milk from cows	-	-	34	-	1,770
Hogs and pigs	-	-	60	-	2,814
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	(D)	55	64	(D)	2,967
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	(D)	53	65	(D)	2,907
Aquaculture	-	-	6	-	1,190
Other animals and animal products	(D)	39	65	(D)	2,909

Producers <sup>d</sup>	102	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres <sup>e</sup>
<b>Sex</b>			
Male	76	Have internet access	88
Female	26		
<b>Age</b>		Farm organically	-
<35	1		
35 – 64	74	Sell directly to consumers	-
65 and older	27		
<b>Race</b>		Hire farm labor	47
American Indian/Alaska Native	1		
Asian	-	Are family farms	88
Black or African American	-		
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-		
White	101		
More than one race	-		
<b>Other characteristics</b>			
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	-		
With military service	8		
New and beginning farmers	15		

**Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2022)**

Broilers and other meat-type chickens	-
Cattle and calves	31,342
Goats	15
Hogs and pigs	-
Horses and ponies	72
Layers	-
Pullets	-
Sheep and lambs	(D)
Turkeys	-

<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.