



Alleghany County Virginia

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2022 and change since 2017

	2022	% change since 2017
Number of farms	165	(NA)
Land in farms (acres)	31,836	+3
Average size of farm (acres)	193	+3
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	3,080,000	+12
Government payments	(D)	(D)
Farm-related income	(D)	(D)
Total farm production expenses	3,605,000	+27
Net cash farm income	-76,000	-203
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	18,667	+12
Government payments ^a	(D)	(D)
Farm-related income ^a	(D)	(D)
Total farm production expenses	21,850	+27
Net cash farm income	-459	-203

(Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	59
Livestock, poultry, and products	41

Land in Farms by Use (acres)

Cropland	8,295
Pastureland	7,652
Woodland	11,694
Other	4,195

Acres irrigated: 4

(Z)% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	5
Reduced till	3
Intensive till	8
Cover crop	4

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^b
Less than \$2,500	70	42
\$2,500 to \$4,999	23	14
\$5,000 to \$9,999	23	14
\$10,000 to \$24,999	22	13
\$25,000 to \$49,999	15	9
\$50,000 to \$99,999	4	2
\$100,000 or more	8	5

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^b
1 to 9 acres	17	10
10 to 49 acres	50	30
50 to 179 acres	54	33
180 to 499 acres	32	19
500 to 999 acres	4	2
1,000+ acres	8	5

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	3,080	91	98	2,937	3,078
Crops	1,823	90	97	2,767	3,074
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	(D)	90	97	(D)	2,917
Tobacco	-	-	25	-	267
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	12	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	-	-	96	-	2,831
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	23	82	94	1,823	2,711
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	15	88	95	1,648	2,660
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	(D)	(D)	54	(D)	1,274
Other crops and hay	1,654	42	96	1,622	3,035
Livestock, poultry, and products	1,257	79	98	2,802	3,076
Poultry and eggs	33	71	97	1,807	3,027
Cattle and calves	1,178	61	96	2,343	3,047
Milk from cows	(D)	54	57	(D)	1,770
Hogs and pigs	(D)	(D)	91	(D)	2,814
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	17	71	93	2,232	2,967
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	(D)	61	86	(D)	2,907
Aquaculture	-	-	38	-	1,190
Other animals and animal products	-	-	91	-	2,909

Producers ^d	279	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^e
Sex		Have internet access	Forage (hay/haylage), all
Male	177	77	6,789
Female	102		(D)
Age		Farm organically	Corn for grain
<35	14	-	(D)
35 – 64	128		Soybeans for beans
65 and older	137		(D)
Race		Sell directly to consumers	Wheat for grain, all
American Indian/Alaska Native	-	2	(D)
Asian	-		Cultivated Christmas trees
Black or African American	-		(D)
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-	Hire farm labor	
White	279	18	
More than one race	-		Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2022)
Other characteristics		Are family farms	Broilers and other meat-type chickens
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	9	96	-
With military service	32		Cattle and calves
New and beginning farmers	53		2,898
			Goats
			80
			Hogs and pigs
			24
			Horses and ponies
			209
			Layers
			750
			Pullets
			128
			Sheep and lambs
			111
			Turkeys
			9

^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.