



Rappahannock County Virginia

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2022 and change since 2017

	2022	% change since 2017
Number of farms	399	-9
Land in farms (acres)	66,894	-5
Average size of farm (acres)	168	+5
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	12,295,000	+21
Government payments	36,000	-60
Farm-related income	2,464,000	+30
Total farm production expenses	18,593,000	+23
Net cash farm income	-3,799,000	-29
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	30,814	+33
Government payments ^a	2,097	-11
Farm-related income ^a	22,200	+73
Total farm production expenses	46,600	+36
Net cash farm income	-9,521	-42

(Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	53
Livestock, poultry, and products	47

Land in Farms by Use (acres)

Cropland	20,288
Pastureland	19,142
Woodland	24,792
Other	2,672

Acres irrigated: 42

(Z)% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	5
Reduced till	4
Intensive till	2
Cover crop	3

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^b
Less than \$2,500	148	37
\$2,500 to \$4,999	59	15
\$5,000 to \$9,999	46	12
\$10,000 to \$24,999	48	12
\$25,000 to \$49,999	38	10
\$50,000 to \$99,999	26	7
\$100,000 or more	34	9

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^b
1 to 9 acres	16	4
10 to 49 acres	189	47
50 to 179 acres	120	30
180 to 499 acres	36	9
500 to 999 acres	26	7
1,000+ acres	12	3

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	12,295	72	98	2,657	3,078
Crops	6,473	67	97	2,374	3,074
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	478	78	97	2,294	2,917
Tobacco	-	-	25	-	267
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	12	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	85	81	96	1,770	2,831
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	3,277	10	94	305	2,711
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	395	51	95	1,205	2,660
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	9	30	54	531	1,274
Other crops and hay	2,229	27	96	1,344	3,035
Livestock, poultry, and products	5,822	59	98	2,389	3,076
Poultry and eggs	126	42	97	1,256	3,027
Cattle and calves	4,777	41	96	1,722	3,047
Milk from cows	(D)	40	57	(D)	1,770
Hogs and pigs	(D)	37	91	1,168	2,814
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	130	29	93	1,274	2,967
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	252	22	86	978	2,907
Aquaculture	-	-	38	-	1,190
Other animals and animal products	59	33	91	1,178	2,909

Producers ^d	729	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^e	
Sex		Have internet access	82	
Male	426			
Female	303	Farm organically	(Z)	
Age		Sell directly to consumers	13	
<35	54	Hire farm labor	28	
35 – 64	331	Are family farms	93	
65 and older	344			
Race			Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2022)	
American Indian/Alaska Native	4		Broilers and other meat-type chickens	707
Asian	6		Cattle and calves	11,924
Black or African American	-		Goats	293
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-		Hogs and pigs	159
White	701		Horses and ponies	763
More than one race	18		Layers	2,494
Other characteristics			Pullets	51
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	24		Sheep and lambs	744
With military service	101		Turkeys	197
New and beginning farmers	250			

^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.