



Gilmer County West Virginia

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2022 and change since 2017

	2022	% change since 2017
Number of farms	240	-9
Land in farms (acres)	52,920	-19
Average size of farm (acres)	221	-11
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	8,728,000	+214
Government payments	248,000	+144
Farm-related income	400,000	+78
Total farm production expenses	8,433,000	+116
Net cash farm income	944,000	+217
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	36,368	+245
Government payments ^a	13,050	+80
Farm-related income ^a	6,066	+95
Total farm production expenses	35,138	+137
Net cash farm income	3,932	+229

1 Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	11
Livestock, poultry, and products	89

Land in Farms by Use (acres)

Cropland	10,094
Pastureland	12,347
Woodland	24,946
Other	5,533

Acres irrigated: 7

(Z)% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	7
Reduced till	(Z)
Intensive till	5
Cover crop	3

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^b
Less than \$2,500	136	57
\$2,500 to \$4,999	20	8
\$5,000 to \$9,999	21	9
\$10,000 to \$24,999	32	13
\$25,000 to \$49,999	24	10
\$50,000 to \$99,999	1	(Z)
\$100,000 or more	6	3

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^b
1 to 9 acres	8	3
10 to 49 acres	34	14
50 to 179 acres	105	44
180 to 499 acres	72	30
500 to 999 acres	18	8
1,000+ acres	3	1

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	8,728	16	55	2,749	3,078
Crops	961	43	55	2,872	3,074
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	-	-	50	-	2,917
Tobacco	-	-	1	-	267
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	61	46	54	1,848	2,831
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	(D)	(D)	53	(D)	2,711
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	(D)	(D)	53	(D)	2,660
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	(D)	28	42	(D)	1,274
Other crops and hay	799	31	53	2,206	3,035
Livestock, poultry, and products	7,767	11	55	2,262	3,076
Poultry and eggs	32	41	53	1,809	3,027
Cattle and calves	7,669	5	54	1,437	3,047
Milk from cows	-	-	28	-	1,770
Hogs and pigs	8	36	53	1,580	2,814
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	51	29	50	1,834	2,967
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	-	-	51	-	2,907
Aquaculture	-	-	17	-	1,190
Other animals and animal products	6	45	54	1,805	2,909

Producers ^d	398	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^e	
Sex		Have internet access	75	
Male	267			
Female	131			
Age		Farm organically	-	
<35	31			
35 – 64	193			
65 and older	174			
Race		Sell directly to consumers	5	
American Indian/Alaska Native	-			
Asian	-			
Black or African American	3			
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-	Hire farm labor	13	
White	393			
More than one race	2			
Other characteristics		Are family farms	98	
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	6			
With military service	43			
New and beginning farmers	98			
			Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2022)	
			Broilers and other meat-type chickens	35
			Cattle and calves	5,934
			Goats	311
			Hogs and pigs	83
			Horses and ponies	151
			Layers	890
			Pullets	54
			Sheep and lambs	395
			Turkeys	22

^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.