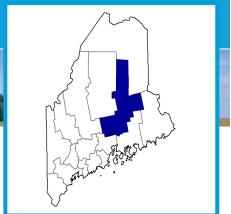
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# **Penobscot County Maine**



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

	2022	% change since 2017
Number of farms	536	-11
Land in farms (acres)	100,176	-5
Average size of farm (acres)	187	+7
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	67,316,000	+32
Government payments	726,000	+20
Farm-related income	3,903,000	+96
Total farm production expenses	56,873,000	+20
Net cash farm income	15,072,000	+145
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	125,589	+48
Government payments <sup>a</sup>	18,148	+65
Farm-related income <sup>a</sup>	19,915	+109
Total farm production expenses	106,107	+35
Net cash farm income	28,119	+174

### Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales	by Type (%)
Crops	46
Livestock, poultry	, and products 54
Land in Farms	by Use (acres)
Cropland	36,537
Pastureland	3,945
Woodland	53,777
Other	5,917
Acres irrigated:	1,560
	2% of land in farms
Land Use Prac	tices (% of farms)
No till	10
Reduced till	6
Intensive till	17
Cover crop	15

Farms by Value of Sal	es		Farms by Size		
	Number	Percent of Total b		Number	Percent of Total b
Less than \$2,500	182	34	1 to 9 acres	95	18
\$2,500 to \$4,999	61	11	10 to 49 acres	136	25
\$5,000 to \$9,999	85	16	50 to 179 acres	177	33
\$10,000 to \$24,999	89	17	180 to 499 acres	70	13
\$25,000 to \$49,999	33	6	500 to 999 acres	42	8
\$50,000 to \$99,999	22	4	1,000+ acres	16	3
\$100,000 or more	64	12			

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#### **Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold**

	<b>Sales</b> (\$1,000)	Rank in State <sup>c</sup>	Counties Producing Item	Rank in U.S. <sup>c</sup>	Counties Producing Item
Total	67,316	4	16	1,727	3,078
Crops	31,256	4	16	1,563	3,074
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	2,672	2	14	1,967	2,917
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	267
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	21,465	2	16	158	2,831
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	4,046	5	16	273	2,711
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	729	12	16	1,032	2,660
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	123	10	16	285	1,274
Other crops and hay	2,220	7	16	1,351	3,035
_ivestock, poultry, and products	36,059	3	16	1,346	3,076
Poultry and eggs	744	4	16	830	3,027
Cattle and calves	7,090	2	16	1,486	3,047
Milk from cows	26,893	2	14	308	1,770
Hogs and pigs	99	9	16	904	2,814
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	232	5	16	817	2,967
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	98	6	15	1,533	2,907
Aquaculture	657	7	13	190	1,190
Other animals and animal products	248	8	16	637	2,909

Producers d	971	Percent of farms	s that:	Top Crops in Acres o	
Sex Male Female	538 433	Have internet access	85	Forage (hay/haylage), all Corn for silage/greenchop Vegetables harvested, all Potatoes	17,710 4,421 3,886 3,288
<b>Age</b> <35 35 – 64 65 and older	67 521 383	Farm organically	1	Oats for grain	2,110
Race American Indian/Alaska Native Asian Black or African American Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	18 1 -	Sell directly to consumers	23	Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2022)  Broilers and other meat-type chickens Cattle and calves	1,485
White  More than one race	939 12	Hire farm labor	27	Goats Hogs and pigs Horses and ponies	11,354 653 386 625
Other characteristics Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin With military service New and beginning farmers	9 93 326	Are family farms	98	Layers Pullets Sheep and lambs Turkeys	4,024 405 641 33

<sup>&</sup>lt;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. <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.