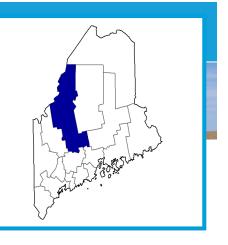
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### **Somerset County** Maine

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

	2022	% change since 2017
Number of farms	528	+13
Land in farms (acres)	119,646	-18
Average size of farm (acres)	227	-27
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	94,547,000	+13
Government payments	192,000	-59
Farm-related income	4,973,000	+37
Total farm production expenses	61,486,000	-6
Net cash farm income	38,226,000	+70
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	179,067	-0
Government payments <sup>a</sup>	3,055	-59
Farm-related income <sup>a</sup>	25,899	+17
Total farm production expenses	116,450	-17
Net cash farm income	72,399	+51



#### Percent of state agriculture sales

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

Crops	66
Livestock, poultry, and products	34

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

Cropland	26,468
Pastureland	4,374
Woodland	82,213
Other	6,591

#### Acres irrigated: 1,038

1% of land in farms

Percent of Total b

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

No till	10
Reduced till	6
Intensive till	14
Cover crop	11

Farms by Value of Sales	S		Farms by Size	
	Number	Percent of Total <sup>b</sup>		Number
Less than \$2,500	202	38	1 to 9 acres	52
\$2,500 to \$4,999	67	13	10 to 49 acres	122
\$5,000 to \$9,999	52	10	50 to 179 acres	181
\$10,000 to \$24,999	72	14	180 to 499 acres	110
\$25,000 to \$49,999	32	6	500 to 999 acres	41
\$50,000 to \$99,999	17	3	1,000+ acres	22
\$100,000 or more	86	16		



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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	94,547	3	16	1,453	3,078
Crops	62,334	2	16	1,155	3,074
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	481	7	14	2,293	2,917
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	267
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	(D)	14	16	(D)	2,831
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	932	13	16	623	2,711
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	(D)	1	16	113	2,660
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	341	4	16	150	1,274
Other crops and hay	23,915	1	16	135	3,035
Livestock, poultry, and products	32,214	4	16	1,431	3,076
Poultry and eggs	(D)	(D)	16	(D)	3,027
Cattle and calves	4,228	3	16	1,778	3,047
Milk from cows	23,604	3	14	330	1,770
Hogs and pigs	92	10	16	920	2,814
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	207	8	16	911	2,967
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	(D)	2	15	(D)	2,907
Aquaculture	(D)	5	13	(D)	1,190
Other animals and animal products	546	5	16	367	2,909

Producers <sup>d</sup>	1,001	Percent of farms that:		Top Crops in Acres °	
<b>Sex</b> Male Female	530 471	Have internet access	84	Forage (hay/haylage), all Corn for silage/greenchop Corn for grain Vegetables harvested, all	18,064 2,895 819 329
<b>Age</b> <35 35 – 64 65 and older	84 518 399	Farm organically	8	Cultivated Christmas trees	206
<b>Race</b> American Indian/Alaska Native Asian Black or African American	1 - -	Sell directly to consumers	16	Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2022) Broilers and other meat-type chickens	570
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander White More than one race	- 987 13	Hire farm labor	27	Cattle and calves Goats Hogs and pigs Horses and ponies	9,627 764 227 677
<b>Other characteristics</b> Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin With military service New and beginning farmers	10 87 335	Are family farms	95	Layers Pullets Sheep and lambs Turkeys	2,245 300 338 (D)

<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.