



Brown County Ohio

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2022 and change since 2017

	2022	% change since 2017
Number of farms	1,103	-11
Land in farms (acres)	177,509	-15
Average size of farm (acres)	161	-4
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	80,979,000	+13
Government payments	879,000	-79
Farm-related income	4,085,000	+2
Total farm production expenses	63,802,000	+2
Net cash farm income	22,140,000	+29
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	73,417	+27
Government payments ^a	6,190	-30
Farm-related income ^a	10,061	+25
Total farm production expenses	57,844	+14
Net cash farm income	20,073	+45

1 Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	88
Livestock, poultry, and products	12

Land in Farms by Use (acres)

Cropland	122,497
Pastureland	16,919
Woodland	25,849
Other	12,244

Acres irrigated: 322

(Z)% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	36
Reduced till	12
Intensive till	12
Cover crop	10

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^b
Less than \$2,500	324	29
\$2,500 to \$4,999	115	10
\$5,000 to \$9,999	155	14
\$10,000 to \$24,999	164	15
\$25,000 to \$49,999	100	9
\$50,000 to \$99,999	102	9
\$100,000 or more	143	13

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^b
1 to 9 acres	60	5
10 to 49 acres	385	35
50 to 179 acres	432	39
180 to 499 acres	148	13
500 to 999 acres	46	4
1,000+ acres	32	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	80,979	58	88	1,582	3,078
Crops	71,181	50	88	1,066	3,074
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	64,742	45	88	821	2,917
Tobacco	1,358	1	5	107	267
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	207	68	87	1,463	2,831
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	803	25	86	674	2,711
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	1,579	45	87	797	2,660
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	73	-	1,274
Other crops and hay	2,493	33	88	1,243	3,035
Livestock, poultry, and products	9,797	71	88	2,162	3,076
Poultry and eggs	147	63	88	1,207	3,027
Cattle and calves	6,970	37	88	1,499	3,047
Milk from cows	1,925	53	78	721	1,770
Hogs and pigs	85	70	88	944	2,814
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	135	66	88	1,256	2,967
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	409	40	87	693	2,907
Aquaculture	-	-	44	-	1,190
Other animals and animal products	127	45	88	878	2,909

Producers ^d	1,910	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^e
Sex		Have internet access	76
Male	1,304		Soybeans for beans 73,229
Female	606		Forage (hay/haylage), all 17,649
Age		Farm organically	1
<35	237		Corn for grain 16,025
35 – 64	986		Wheat for grain, all 962
65 and older	687		Tobacco 278
Race		Sell directly to consumers	5
American Indian/Alaska Native	4		Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2022)
Asian	2		Broilers and other meat-type chickens 335
Black or African American	1		Cattle and calves 14,328
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-	Hire farm labor	16
White	1,900		Goats 634
More than one race	3		Hogs and pigs 181
Other characteristics		Are family farms	96
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	6		Horses and ponies 769
With military service	222		Layers 3,764
New and beginning farmers	536		Pullets 150
			Sheep and lambs 715
			Turkeys 100

^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.