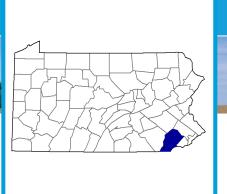
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# Chester County Pennsylvania



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

	2022	% change since 2017
Number of farms	1,558	-5
Land in farms (acres)	143,442	-5
Average size of farm (acres)	92	+1
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	736,075,000	+3
Government payments	1,376,000	-22
Farm-related income	42,605,000	+114
Total farm production expenses	597,008,000	+10
Net cash farm income	183,047,000	-4
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	472,449	+9
Government payments <sup>a</sup>	15,116	+40
Farm-related income <sup>a</sup>	61,038	+115
Total farm production expenses	383,189	+16
Net cash farm income	117,488	+1

### Percent of state agriculture

Share of Sales by 1	Type (%)		
Crops 83			
Livestock, poultry, and products			
Land in Farms by U	Jse (acres)		
Cropland	94,847		
Pastureland 20,5			
Voodland 14,03			
Other 14,05			
Acres irrigated: 1,267	,		
	1% of land in farms		
Land Use Practices	s (% of farms)		
No till	26		
Reduced till	13		
Intensive till 10			

Cover crop

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Farms by Value of Sal	es		Farms by Size		
	Number	Percent of Total b		Number	Percent of Total b
Less than \$2,500	517	33	1 to 9 acres	301	19
\$2,500 to \$4,999	119	8	10 to 49 acres	666	43
\$5,000 to \$9,999	125	8	50 to 179 acres	418	27
\$10,000 to \$24,999	175	11	180 to 499 acres	131	8
\$25,000 to \$49,999	146	9	500 to 999 acres	21	1
\$50,000 to \$99,999	104	7	1,000+ acres	21	1
\$100.000 or more	372	24			

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

	Sales	Rank in	Counties Producing	Rank in	Counties Producing
	(\$1,000)	State <sup>c</sup>	Item	 U.S. ∘	Item
Total	736,075	2	67	90	3,078
Crops	608,174	1	67	32	3,074
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	52,974	6	65	895	2,917
Tobacco	1,514	2	14	102	267
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	6,581	9	67	346	2,831
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	3,072	14	67	321	2,711
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	531,294	1	66	3	2,660
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	1,202	8	62	51	1,274
Other crops and hay	11,537	6	67	301	3,035
Livestock, poultry, and products	127,901	15	67	543	3,076
Poultry and eggs	31,374	17	67	426	3,027
Cattle and calves	14,163	14	66	1,055	3,047
Milk from cows	62,081	11	62	191	1,770
Hogs and pigs	9,808	22	64	434	2,814
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	480	14	64	412	2,967
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	8,299	2	63	26	2,907
Aquaculture	92	24	56	252	1,190
Other animals and animal products	1,605	7	66	164	2,909

Producers d	2,904	Percent of farms t	that:	Top Crops in Acres <sup>e</sup>
<b>Sex</b> Male Female	1,747 1,157	Have internet •	78	Forage (hay/haylage), all 30,863 Corn for grain 25,713 Soybeans for beans 17,743 Wheat for grain, all 7,506
<b>Age</b> <35 35 – 64 65 and older	425 1,578 901	Farm organically	2	Corn for silage/greenchop 4,746
Race American Indian/Alaska Native Asian	9 4	Sell directly to consumers	12	Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2022)  Broilers and other
Black or African American Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander White More than one race	12 2 2,862 15	Hire farm labor	42	meat-type chickens 250,525 Cattle and calves 26,190 Goats 1,986 Hogs and pigs 14,103 Horses and ponies 7,074
Other characteristics Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin With military service New and beginning farmers	67 128 886	Are family farms	94	Layers 62,192 Pullets 425,830 Sheep and lambs 2,485 Turkeys 102,780

<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.