



## Meigs County Tennessee

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

	2022	% change since 2017
Number of farms	315	-10
Land in farms (acres)	50,781	-9
Average size of farm (acres)	161	+1
<b>Total</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	
Market value of products sold	8,280,000	+7
Government payments	31,000	-92
Farm-related income	306,000	-59
Total farm production expenses	9,919,000	+18
Net cash farm income	-1,301,000	-409
<b>Per farm average</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	
Market value of products sold	26,285	+19
Government payments <sup>a</sup>	4,497	+19
Farm-related income <sup>a</sup>	4,864	-34
Total farm production expenses	31,488	+31
Net cash farm income	-4,130	-444

(Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

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

Crops	44
Livestock, poultry, and products	56

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

Cropland	16,654
Pastureland	14,579
Woodland	17,241
Other	2,307

Acres irrigated: 71

(Z)% of land in farms

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

No till	13
Reduced till	4
Intensive till	10
Cover crop	9

### Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>b</sup>
Less than \$2,500	140	44
\$2,500 to \$4,999	38	12
\$5,000 to \$9,999	38	12
\$10,000 to \$24,999	37	12
\$25,000 to \$49,999	29	9
\$50,000 to \$99,999	17	5
\$100,000 or more	16	5

### Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>b</sup>
1 to 9 acres	17	5
10 to 49 acres	88	28
50 to 179 acres	134	43
180 to 499 acres	58	18
500 to 999 acres	12	4
1,000+ acres	6	2

**Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold**

	Sales (\$1,000)	Rank in State <sup>c</sup>	Counties Producing Item	Rank in U.S. <sup>c</sup>	Counties Producing Item
<b>Total</b>	<b>8,280</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>2,763</b>	<b>3,078</b>
<b>Crops</b>	<b>3,606</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>2,577</b>	<b>3,074</b>
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	2,270	63	94	2,008	2,917
Tobacco	-	-	26	-	267
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	28	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	(D)	86	94	(D)	2,831
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	535	13	92	850	2,711
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	(D)	73	91	(D)	2,660
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	37	-	1,274
Other crops and hay	702	78	94	2,274	3,035
<b>Livestock, poultry, and products</b>	<b>4,674</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>2,464</b>	<b>3,076</b>
Poultry and eggs	(D)	(D)	94	(D)	3,027
Cattle and calves	3,544	62	95	1,866	3,047
Milk from cows	(D)	29	66	(D)	1,770
Hogs and pigs	8	51	91	1,600	2,814
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	51	59	94	1,833	2,967
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	271	28	94	927	2,907
Aquaculture	-	-	30	-	1,190
Other animals and animal products	5	68	95	1,824	2,909

<b>Producers <sup>d</sup></b>	<b>525</b>	<b>Percent of farms that:</b>	<b>Top Crops in Acres <sup>e</sup></b>
<b>Sex</b>		<b>Have internet access</b>	
Male	335	<b>70</b>	Forage (hay/haylage), all 9,586
Female	190		Corn for grain 984
<b>Age</b>		<b>Farm organically</b>	Soybeans for beans 870
<35	50	<b>-</b>	Corn for silage/greenchop 472
35 – 64	265		Sorghum for silage/greenchop 288
65 and older	210		
<b>Race</b>		<b>Sell directly to consumers</b>	
American Indian/Alaska Native	1	<b>5</b>	<b>Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2022)</b>
Asian	2		Broilers and other meat-type chickens 650
Black or African American	-	<b>Hire farm labor</b>	Cattle and calves 9,219
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-	<b>14</b>	Goats 182
White	522		Hogs and pigs 45
More than one race	-	<b>Are family farms</b>	Horses and ponies 268
<b>Other characteristics</b>		<b>99</b>	Layers 630
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	8		Pullets 292
With military service	70		Sheep and lambs 180
New and beginning farmers	203		Turkeys 161

<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](http://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.