# **Bullitt County Fact Sheet**

#### 2022 KENTUCKY EQUINE SURVEY

This data comes from the 2022 Kentucky Equine Survey conducted by the National Agricultural Statistics Service (NASS), with support and assistance by the University of Kentucky College of Agriculture and the Kentucky Horse Council.

It is estimated that there are 1,300 horses in Bullitt County, residing on 310 equine operations. The total value of Bullitt County's equine and equine-related assets was \$6.8 million. Full details of the report may be found online at equine.ca.uky.edu/kyequinesurvey.

For the purposes of this study, an "equine operation" is defined as an address on which at least one horse, pony, donkey or mule resides. From this study, it was determined that an equine operation encompasses the large breeding farms, property on which equines are kept for personal use and other land with a primary use that may not be equine-related, such as a cattle operation or crop farm. It is estimated that there are a total of 31,000 equine operations throughout Kentucky. These equine operations accounted for a total of 4.3 million acres of land, of which 900,000 acres were devoted to equine-related activities.



Total Equine Population:	1,300
Total Equine Operations:	310
Total Equine Acres:	4,300
Income From Services: \$27.	5,000
Number of Equine Sold:	. N/A
Value of Equine Sold:	. N/A

Top Six Breeds

Donkeys & Mules Population of 100 Value of \$105,000 **Saddlebreds** Population of 150 Value of \$1,267,500

Paint Horses
 Population of 100
 Value of \$245,000
 Walking Horses
 Population of 100
 Value of \$185,000

**Miniature Horses** Population of 100 Value of \$120,000







# Kentucky State Fact Sheet

2022 KENTUCKY EQUINE SURVEY

#### Kentucky Equine Facts

Total Equine Population:	209,500
Total Equine Operations:	
Total Equine Acres:	900,000
Total Operating Expenditures:	\$1 billion
Capital Expenditures:	\$535 million
Income from Sales and Services:	\$2 billion
Value of Equine and	
Equine-Related Assets:	\$27.7 billion

Labor on Equin Operations	e Equine Inventory by Age	5-15 Years 45.3%	>15
<b>6,200</b> Part-Time Workers Workers	1-4         Years         0-12       19.6%         Months       10.3%         21,500       41,000	) 95,000	Years 24.8% 52,000

### **Primary Uses of Kentucky's Equines**

Trail riding/pleasure	62,500
Broodmares	33,500
Idle/not working	32,500
Competition/show	20,000
Yearlings, weanlings & foals	22,000
Racing	13,500
Work/transportation	11,500
Other activities	10,000
Stallions at stud	4,000



# Kentucky Equine Breed Population

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Thoroughbreds	
Quarter Horses	
Walking Horses	
Donkeys & Mules	
American Saddlebreds	<b>s</b> <i>12,000</i>
Mountain Horse Breed	ds 10,500
Standardbreds	
Warmbloods	
Pony Breeds	
Miniature Horses	
Paint Horses	5,500
Draft Horse Breeds	
Arabian and Half-Arab	bians 4,200
Appaloosas	
Morgans	
Paso Finos	
Hackney Ponies	
Pintos (excludes Paint	)
Others	





