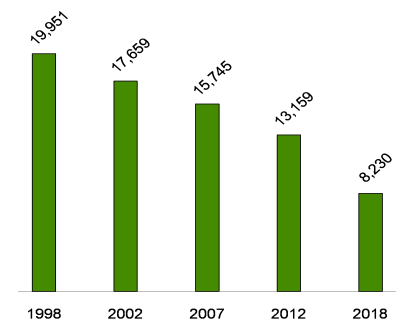


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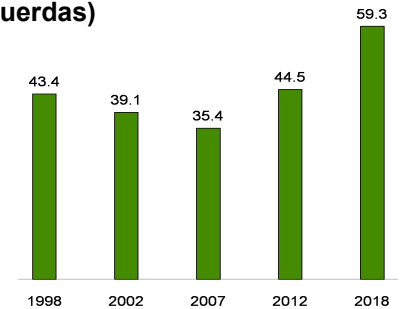
Total and Per Farm Overview, 2018 and change since 2012

	2018	% change since 2012
Number of farms	8,230	-37
Land in farms (cuerdas)	487,775	-17
Average size of farm (cuerdas)	59.3	+33
Total (\$)		
Market value of products sold	485,053,483	-11
Farm-related income	99,957,673	+91
Government payments	85,748,026	+143
Per farm average (\$)		
Market value of products sold	58,937	+42
Farm-related income	35,196	+98
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	37,298	+136

Number of Farms, 1998-2018



Average Farm Size, 1998-2018 (cuerdas)



Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$1,000	2,885	35
\$1,000 to \$2,499	814	10
\$2,500 to \$4,999	778	9
\$5,000 to \$7,499	621	8
\$7,500 to \$19,999	1,184	14
\$20,000 to \$59,999	951	12
\$60,000 or more	997	12

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than 10 cuerdas	2,213	27
10 to 19 cuerdas	1,853	23
20 to 49 cuerdas	1,950	24
50 to 99 cuerdas	952	12
100 to 174 cuerdas	579	7
175 to 259 cuerdas	330	4
260 cuerdas or more	353	4

Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

	Sales (\$)	Number of Farms
Total	485,053,483	8,230
Crops	242,419,442	3,877
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture and sod	34,853,304	303
Plantains	42,271,955	1,353
Coffee	4,772,608	1,363
Vegetables or melons	33,533,195	750
Fruits and coconuts	18,594,300	858
Pineapples	2,976,971	90
Bananas	10,829,957	801
Root crops or tubers	8,705,814	770
Grains or field crops	74,399,421	317
Grasses	11,481,917	282
Livestock, poultry, and products	242,634,041	3,074
Poultry and poultry products	20,094,625	409
Cattle and calves	37,689,466	2,305
Milk and other dairy products from cows	172,208,134	281
Hogs and pigs	6,215,392	423
Aquaculture	136,396	37
Other livestock and livestock products	6,290,028	490

Total Principal Operators 8,230

Sex	
Male	7,286
Female	944
Age	
< 35	326
35 – 64	4,498
65 and older	3,406
Primary occupation	
Farming	4,252
Other	3,978
Highest level of school attended	
None	95
Elementary	1,088
Secondary	1,821
High school diploma/GED	1,498
Technical/vocational school	450
Some college	1,085
Bachelor's degree	1,508
Master's/PhD	685
Other characteristics	
With military service	676
Less than 10 years operating present farm	2,451
Average age (years)	60.6

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	50
Livestock, poultry, and products	50

Land in Farms by Use (cuerdas)

Cropland	379,374
Pastureland	50,274
Woodland	31,574
Other	26,554

About the Puerto Rico Census of Agriculture

The Census of Agriculture is conducted once every five years. The 2018 Puerto Rico Census of Agriculture includes places that produced and sold, or normally would have produced and sold, \$500 or more of agricultural products during the 12-month period between January 1, 2018 and December 31, 2018. Results from 2018 and earlier censuses are available on Quick Stats, in downloadable PDF reports, maps, and a variety of topic-specific products on the NASS website. www.nass.usda.gov/AgCensus

Percent of farms that:

Have internet access **24**

Sell directly to consumers **16**

Hire farm labor **71**

Are family farms **84**

Selected Crops in Cuerdas

Bananas	5,207
Coffee	13,283
Grasses, all	33,634
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture and sod	2,129
Pineapples	652
Plantains	10,624
Vegetables and melons, all	4,127

Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2018)

Cattle and calves	234,250
Chickens	8,969,808
Goats	3,641
Hogs and pigs	45,710
Horses	4,345
Rabbits	30,963
Sheep	11,185

See [2017 Census of Agriculture, U.S. Summary and State Data](#), for complete footnotes, explanations, definitions, commodity descriptions, and methodology.

^a May not add to 100% due to rounding. (D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations. (NA) Not available.

(Z) Less than half of the unit shown. (-) Represents zero.