



Costilla County Colorado

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2022 and change since 2017

	2022	% change since 2017
Number of farms	159	-31
Land in farms (acres)	364,724	+2
Average size of farm (acres)	2,294	+47
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	28,714,000	+30
Government payments	991,000	+222
Farm-related income	692,000	-75
Total farm production expenses	27,569,000	+28
Net cash farm income	2,828,000	-22
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	180,588	+87
Government payments ^a	30,974	+111
Farm-related income ^a	11,726	-79
Total farm production expenses	173,388	+84
Net cash farm income	17,786	+13

(Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	92
Livestock, poultry, and products	8

Land in Farms by Use (acres)

Cropland	41,930
Pastureland	(D)
Woodland	(D)
Other	9,026

Acres irrigated: 18,456

5% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	30
Reduced till	16
Intensive till	9
Cover crop	9

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^b
Less than \$2,500	74	47
\$2,500 to \$4,999	7	4
\$5,000 to \$9,999	8	5
\$10,000 to \$24,999	18	11
\$25,000 to \$49,999	22	14
\$50,000 to \$99,999	9	6
\$100,000 or more	21	13

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^b
1 to 9 acres	13	8
10 to 49 acres	50	31
50 to 179 acres	33	21
180 to 499 acres	30	19
500 to 999 acres	15	9
1,000+ acres	18	11

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	28,714	34	63	2,300	3,078
Crops	26,363	26	63	1,667	3,074
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	2,941	30	48	1,947	2,917
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	267
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	18,694	6	50	178	2,831
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	(D)	17	33	(D)	2,711
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	(D)	35	50	(D)	2,660
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	18	-	1,274
Other crops and hay	4,603	26	62	750	3,035
Livestock, poultry, and products	2,350	52	63	2,675	3,076
Poultry and eggs	3	51	59	2,213	3,027
Cattle and calves	2,273	51	61	2,091	3,047
Milk from cows	-	-	30	-	1,770
Hogs and pigs	-	-	53	-	2,814
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	(D)	40	59	(D)	2,967
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	18	47	58	2,133	2,907
Aquaculture	-	-	24	-	1,190
Other animals and animal products	(D)	48	58	(D)	2,909

Producers ^d	328	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^e
Sex			
Male	233	Have internet access	57
Female	95		
Age			
<35	50	Farm organically	4
35 – 64	136		
65 and older	142		
Race			
American Indian/Alaska Native	5	Sell directly to consumers	2
Asian	6		
Black or African American	-		
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-	Hire farm labor	30
White	290		
More than one race	27		
Other characteristics			
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	219	Are family farms	91
With military service	37		
New and beginning farmers	91		

Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2022)

Broilers and other meat-type chickens	-
Cattle and calves	3,939
Goats	(D)
Hogs and pigs	(D)
Horses and ponies	133
Layers	88
Pullets	-
Sheep and lambs	501
Turkeys	-

^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.