



Douglas County Colorado

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2022 and change since 2017

	2022	% change since 2017
Number of farms	1,127	-8
Land in farms (acres)	218,374	+8
Average size of farm (acres)	194	+18
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	14,866,000	-21
Government payments	103,000	-76
Farm-related income	11,487,000	+53
Total farm production expenses	39,411,000	+8
Net cash farm income	-12,955,000	-35
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	13,191	-14
Government payments ^a	5,130	-51
Farm-related income ^a	34,289	+41
Total farm production expenses	34,970	+18
Net cash farm income	-11,495	-47

(Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	47
Livestock, poultry, and products	53

Land in Farms by Use (acres)

Cropland	19,894
Pastureland	154,841
Woodland	27,501
Other	16,138

Acres irrigated: 791

(Z)% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	14
Reduced till	2
Intensive till	1
Cover crop	2

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^b
Less than \$2,500	687	61
\$2,500 to \$4,999	125	11
\$5,000 to \$9,999	138	12
\$10,000 to \$24,999	102	9
\$25,000 to \$49,999	31	3
\$50,000 to \$99,999	20	2
\$100,000 or more	24	2

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^b
1 to 9 acres	129	11
10 to 49 acres	669	59
50 to 179 acres	201	18
180 to 499 acres	94	8
500 to 999 acres	9	1
1,000+ acres	25	2

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	14,866	41	63	2,602	3,078
Crops	6,995	35	63	2,337	3,074
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	232	38	48	2,377	2,917
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	267
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	125	33	50	1,660	2,831
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	30	24	33	1,796	2,711
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	5,942	9	50	435	2,660
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	8	9	18	539	1,274
Other crops and hay	659	47	62	2,309	3,035
Livestock, poultry, and products	7,870	41	63	2,254	3,076
Poultry and eggs	155	16	59	1,188	3,027
Cattle and calves	4,961	44	61	1,700	3,047
Milk from cows	(D)	28	30	934	1,770
Hogs and pigs	(D)	41	53	1,657	2,814
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	396	19	59	504	2,967
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	2,163	4	58	114	2,907
Aquaculture	-	-	24	-	1,190
Other animals and animal products	187	25	58	740	2,909

Producers ^d	2,200	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^e	
Sex		Have internet access	88	
Male	1,217	Farm organically	(Z)	
Female	983	Sell directly to consumers	7	
Age		Hire farm labor	12	
<35	103	Are family farms	95	
35 – 64	1,387			
65 and older	710			
Race			Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2022)	
American Indian/Alaska Native	3		Broilers and other meat-type chickens	308
Asian	22		Cattle and calves	6,144
Black or African American	3		Goats	1,251
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-		Hogs and pigs	88
White	2,151		Horses and ponies	3,420
More than one race	21		Layers	4,505
Other characteristics			Pullets	432
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	67		Sheep and lambs	1,073
With military service	239		Turkeys	126
New and beginning farmers	1,001			

^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.