



# Dolores County Colorado

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

	2022	% change since 2017
Number of farms	264	-16
Land in farms (acres)	161,407	+2
Average size of farm (acres)	611	+21
<b>Total</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	
Market value of products sold	7,524,000	-12
Government payments	2,706,000	+141
Farm-related income	2,396,000	+164
Total farm production expenses	13,257,000	+66
Net cash farm income	-631,000	-125
<b>Per farm average</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	
Market value of products sold	28,499	+5
Government payments <sup>a</sup>	20,348	+152
Farm-related income <sup>a</sup>	24,198	+228
Total farm production expenses	50,215	+97
Net cash farm income	-2,391	-129

## (Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

### Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	65
Livestock, poultry, and products	35

### Land in Farms by Use (acres)

Cropland	81,279
Pastureland	55,158
Woodland	21,880
Other	3,090

### Acres irrigated: 5,415

3% of land in farms

### Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	3
Reduced till	13
Intensive till	21
Cover crop	2

## Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>b</sup>
Less than \$2,500	158	60
\$2,500 to \$4,999	11	4
\$5,000 to \$9,999	13	5
\$10,000 to \$24,999	27	10
\$25,000 to \$49,999	14	5
\$50,000 to \$99,999	15	6
\$100,000 or more	26	10

## Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>b</sup>
1 to 9 acres	1	(Z)
10 to 49 acres	39	15
50 to 179 acres	93	35
180 to 499 acres	54	20
500 to 999 acres	35	13
1,000+ acres	42	16

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>7,524</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>2,779</b>	<b>3,078</b>
<b>Crops</b>	<b>4,919</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>2,470</b>	<b>3,074</b>
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	3,103	29	48	1,932	2,917
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	267
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	(D)	35	50	(D)	2,831
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	(D)	18	33	(D)	2,711
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	578	26	50	1,105	2,660
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	18	-	1,274
Other crops and hay	1,104	45	62	1,964	3,035
<b>Livestock, poultry, and products</b>	<b>2,605</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>2,641</b>	<b>3,076</b>
Poultry and eggs	9	47	59	2,124	3,027
Cattle and calves	2,418	49	61	2,062	3,047
Milk from cows	(D)	22	30	(D)	1,770
Hogs and pigs	-	-	53	-	2,814
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	(D)	49	59	(D)	2,967
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	(D)	(D)	58	(D)	2,907
Aquaculture	-	-	24	-	1,190
Other animals and animal products	(D)	38	58	(D)	2,909

<b>Producers <sup>d</sup></b>	<b>471</b>	<b>Percent of farms that:</b>	<b>Top Crops in Acres <sup>e</sup></b>
<b>Sex</b>		Have internet access	75
Male	276		
Female	195		
<b>Age</b>		Farm organically	4
<35	23		
35 – 64	207		
65 and older	241		
<b>Race</b>		Sell directly to consumers	3
American Indian/Alaska Native	4		
Asian	2		
Black or African American	-		
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	2		
White	453	Hire farm labor	19
More than one race	10		
<b>Other characteristics</b>		Are family farms	94
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	9		
With military service	48		
New and beginning farmers	163		
			<b>Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2022)</b>
			Broilers and other meat-type chickens (D)
			Cattle and calves 4,059
			Goats 60
			Hogs and pigs (D)
			Horses and ponies 152
			Layers 350
			Pullets (D)
			Sheep and lambs 74
			Turkeys -

<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.