



# Gunnison County Colorado

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

	2022	% change since 2017
Number of farms	333	+8
Land in farms (acres)	227,945	-15
Average size of farm (acres)	685	-21
<b>Total</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	
Market value of products sold	21,290,000	-12
Government payments	568,000	+1009
Farm-related income	3,340,000	+118
Total farm production expenses	21,705,000	-2
Net cash farm income	3,493,000	-0
<b>Per farm average</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	
Market value of products sold	63,933	-18
Government payments <sup>a</sup>	17,201	+303
Farm-related income <sup>a</sup>	23,688	+63
Total farm production expenses	65,179	-9
Net cash farm income	10,488	-8

## (Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

### Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	21
Livestock, poultry, and products	79

### Land in Farms by Use (acres)

Cropland	40,878
Pastureland	151,924
Woodland	29,414
Other	5,729

### Acres irrigated: 48,395

21% of land in farms

### Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	8
Reduced till	11
Intensive till	2
Cover crop	2

## Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>b</sup>
Less than \$2,500	145	44
\$2,500 to \$4,999	21	6
\$5,000 to \$9,999	22	7
\$10,000 to \$24,999	36	11
\$25,000 to \$49,999	32	10
\$50,000 to \$99,999	25	8
\$100,000 or more	52	16

## Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>b</sup>
1 to 9 acres	24	7
10 to 49 acres	92	28
50 to 179 acres	107	32
180 to 499 acres	34	10
500 to 999 acres	25	8
1,000+ acres	51	15

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>21,290</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>2,460</b>	<b>3,078</b>
<b>Crops</b>	<b>4,408</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>2,507</b>	<b>3,074</b>
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	-	-	48	-	2,917
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	267
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	(D)	(D)	50	(D)	2,831
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	-	-	33	-	2,711
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	(D)	29	50	(D)	2,660
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	(D)	5	18	(D)	1,274
Other crops and hay	4,057	29	62	837	3,035
<b>Livestock, poultry, and products</b>	<b>16,882</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>1,859</b>	<b>3,076</b>
Poultry and eggs	54	25	59	1,615	3,027
Cattle and calves	13,594	29	61	1,085	3,047
Milk from cows	-	-	30	-	1,770
Hogs and pigs	104	19	53	890	2,814
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	1,199	11	59	158	2,967
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	422	18	58	682	2,907
Aquaculture	(D)	11	24	(D)	1,190
Other animals and animal products	(D)	5	58	224	2,909

Producers <sup>d</sup>	705	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres <sup>e</sup>
<b>Sex</b>			
Male	443	Have internet access	82
Female	262		
<b>Age</b>		Farm organically	-
<35	36		
35 – 64	367		
65 and older	302		
<b>Race</b>		Sell directly to consumers	4
American Indian/Alaska Native	-		
Asian	1		
Black or African American	-	Hire farm labor	30
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-		
White	702		
More than one race	2		
<b>Other characteristics</b>		Are family farms	86
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	6		
With military service	37		
New and beginning farmers	234		

  

Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2022)	
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	-
Cattle and calves	16,299
Goats	144
Hogs and pigs	209
Horses and ponies	1,440
Layers	1,523
Pullets	310
Sheep and lambs	5,904
Turkeys	38

<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.