



Seward County Kansas

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2022 and change since 2017

	2022	% change since 2017
Number of farms	292	+4
Land in farms (acres)	392,849	+9
Average size of farm (acres)	1,345	+5
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	398,022,000	-6
Government payments	6,585,000	-18
Farm-related income	16,925,000	+163
Total farm production expenses	365,651,000	-8
Net cash farm income	55,881,000	+29
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	1,363,088	-9
Government payments ^a	31,967	-14
Farm-related income ^a	139,875	+245
Total farm production expenses	1,252,230	-11
Net cash farm income	191,372	+25

2 Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	30
Livestock, poultry, and products	70

Land in Farms by Use (acres)

Cropland	280,184
Pastureland	106,161
Woodland	95
Other	6,409

Acres irrigated: 92,531

24% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	19
Reduced till	24
Intensive till	12
Cover crop	13

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^b
Less than \$2,500	151	52
\$2,500 to \$4,999	8	3
\$5,000 to \$9,999	21	7
\$10,000 to \$24,999	7	2
\$25,000 to \$49,999	4	1
\$50,000 to \$99,999	15	5
\$100,000 or more	86	29

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^b
1 to 9 acres	3	1
10 to 49 acres	27	9
50 to 179 acres	100	34
180 to 499 acres	56	19
500 to 999 acres	17	6
1,000+ acres	89	30

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	398,022	13	105	306	3,078
Crops	121,032	22	105	704	3,074
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	99,177	28	105	628	2,917
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	267
Cotton and cottonseed	6,367	4	25	253	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	-	-	75	-	2,831
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	-	-	56	-	2,711
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	3	63	71	1,675	2,660
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	13	-	1,274
Other crops and hay	15,485	4	105	222	3,035
Livestock, poultry, and products	276,989	12	105	208	3,076
Poultry and eggs	(D)	(D)	102	(D)	3,027
Cattle and calves	(D)	11	105	52	3,047
Milk from cows	(D)	9	57	(D)	1,770
Hogs and pigs	(D)	90	95	(D)	2,814
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	2	88	101	2,418	2,967
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	90	39	99	1,573	2,907
Aquaculture	(Z)	12	14	327	1,190
Other animals and animal products	(D)	(D)	90	(D)	2,909

Producers ^d	580	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^e
Sex		Have internet access	70
Male	370		
Female	210		
Age		Farm organically	-
<35	30		
35 – 64	305		
65 and older	245		
Race		Sell directly to consumers	-
American Indian/Alaska Native	-		
Asian	2		
Black or African American	-		
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-		
White	567	Hire farm labor	30
More than one race	11		
Other characteristics		Are family farms	91
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	9		
With military service	46		
New and beginning farmers	154		
			Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2022)
			Broilers and other meat-type chickens
			Cattle and calves
			Goats
			Hogs and pigs
			Horses and ponies
			Layers
			Pullets
			Sheep and lambs
			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.