



Region 8 - San Germán Puerto Rico

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2022

	2022	2022 Island
Number of farms	814	7,602
Land in farms (cuerdas)	96,225	494,481
Average size of farm (cuerdas)	118.2	65.0
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	66,958,170	703,255,498
Government payments	2,162,514	23,211,254
Farm-related income	8,630,485	60,482,328
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	82,258	92,509
Government payments	29,223	24,103
Farm-related income	30,823	23,271

10 Percent of island agricultural sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	78
Livestock, poultry, and products	22

Land in Farms by Use (cuerdas)

Cropland	72,666
Pastureland	13,127
Woodland	5,924
Other	4,509

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$1,000	146	18
\$1,000 to \$2,499	61	7
\$2,500 to \$4,999	91	11
\$5,000 to \$7,499	69	8
\$7,500 to \$19,999	167	21
\$20,000 to \$59,999	132	16
\$60,000 or more	148	18

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than 10 cuerdas	236	29
10 to 19 cuerdas	150	18
20 to 49 cuerdas	139	17
50 to 99 cuerdas	94	12
100 to 174 cuerdas	53	7
175 to 259 cuerdas	41	5
260 cuerdas or more	101	12

Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

	Sales (\$)	Number of Farms
Total	66,958,170	814
Crops	52,504,535	559
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture and sod	3,175,104	43
Plantains	5,458,283	129
Coffee	1,902,785	263
Vegetables or melons	4,714,931	85
Fruits and coconuts	7,847,304	111
Pineapples	399,095	14
Bananas	11,871,876	113
Root crops or tubers	380,892	40
Grains or field crops	7,149,228	63
Grasses	9,605,037	131
Livestock, poultry, and products	14,453,635	307
Poultry and poultry products	(D)	28
Cattle and calves	4,507,301	217
Milk and other dairy products from cows	6,333,170	13
Hogs and pigs	(D)	19
Aquaculture	(D)	1
Other livestock and livestock products	(D)	87

Total Principal Operators

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Sex	
Male	712
Female	102
Age	
< 35	55
35 – 64	431
65 and older	328
Primary occupation	
Farming	519
Other	295
Highest level of school attended	
None	17
Elementary	88
Secondary	133
High school diploma/GED	128
Technical/vocational school	37
Some college	108
Bachelor's degree	204
Master's/PhD	99
Other characteristics	
With military service	55
Less than 10 years operating present farm	267
<i>Average age (years)</i>	59.8

Selected Crops in Cuerdas

Bananas	1,091
Coffee	2,024
Grasses, all	18,150
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture and sod	270
Pineapples	114
Plantains	1,287
Vegetables and melons, all	798

Percent of farms that:

Have internet access	63
Sell directly to consumers	20
Hire farm labor	74
Are family farms	70

Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2022)

Cattle and calves	24,738
Chickens	(D)
Goats	484
Hogs and pigs	2,392
Horses	255
Rabbits	1,571
Sheep	6,864

About the Puerto Rico Census of Agriculture

The Census of Agriculture is conducted once every five years. The 2022 Puerto Rico Census of Agriculture includes places that produced and sold, or normally would have produced and sold, \$500 or more of agricultural products during the 12-month period between January 1, 2022 and December 31, 2022. Results from 2022 and earlier censuses are available on Quick Stats, in downloadable PDF reports, maps, and a variety of topic-specific products on the NASS website.

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See [2022 Census of Agriculture, U.S. Summary and State Data](#), for complete footnotes, explanations, definitions, commodity descriptions, and methodology.

^a May not add to 100% due to rounding. (D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations. (NA) Not available.

(Z) Less than half of the unit shown. (-) Represents zero.