



Colorado 5th District

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2022

	2022
Number of farms	669
Land in farms (acres)	193,239
Average size of farm (acres)	289
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Total	(\$)
Market value of products sold	15,667,000
Government payments	228,000
Farm-related income	4,726,000
Total farm production expenses	28,256,000
Net cash farm income	-7,635,000
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Per farm average	(\$)
Market value of products sold	23,419
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	6,510
Farm-related income	25,005
Total farm production expenses	42,236
Net cash farm income	-11,413

(Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	(D)
Livestock, poultry, and products	(D)

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a

Cropland	6
Pastureland	89
Woodland	1
Other	3

Acres irrigated: 4,028

2% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	7
Reduced till	1
Intensive till	5
Cover crop	3

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	415	62
\$2,500 to \$4,999	72	11
\$5,000 to \$9,999	65	10
\$10,000 to \$24,999	56	8
\$25,000 to \$49,999	34	5
\$50,000 to \$99,999	9	1
\$100,000 or more	18	3

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
1 to 9 acres	127	19
10 to 49 acres	256	38
50 to 179 acres	156	23
180 to 499 acres	70	10
500 to 999 acres	30	4
1,000 + acres	30	4

Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

	Sales (\$1,000)	Rank in State ^b	CDs Producing Item	Rank in U.S. ^b	CDs Producing Item
Total	15,667	6	8	350	429
Crops	(D)	6	8	349	429
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	16	7	8	331	380
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	66
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	105
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	203	7	8	356	423
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	(D)	6	8	356	411
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	9,795	6	8	302	424
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	5	-	319
Other crops and hay	555	6	8	309	394
Livestock, poultry, and products	(D)	7	8	315	420
Poultry and eggs	(D)	6	8	(D)	403
Cattle and calves	3,675	6	7	267	390
Milk from cows	-	-	5	-	301
Hogs and pigs	26	7	7	236	361
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	97	6	8	287	388
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	673	6	7	251	384
Aquaculture	(D)	6	7	205	325
Other animals and animal products	396	6	8	255	409

Total Producers ^c	1,219	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^d
Sex		Have internet access	Forage (hay/haylage), all
Male	686	86	Sod
Female	533		Nursery stock crops
Age		Farm organically	Vegetables harvested, all
<35	118	(Z)	Corn for grain
35 – 64	688		
65 and older	413		
Race		Sell directly to consumers	Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2022)
American Indian/Alaska Native	23	10	Broilers and other meat-type chickens
Asian	10		Cattle and calves
Black or African American	4	Hire farm labor	Goats
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	6	14	Hogs and pigs
White	1,154		Horses and ponies
More than one race	22		Layers
Other characteristics		Are family farms	Pullets
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	106	94	Sheep and lambs
With military service	239		Turkeys
New and beginning farmers	579		

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. ^b Among CDs whose rank can be displayed. ^c Data collected for a maximum of four producers per farm.

^d Crop commodity names may be shortened; see full names at www.nass.usda.gov/go/croplnames.pdf. ^e 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.