



Pueblo County Colorado

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2022 and change since 2017

| | 2022 | % change since 2017 |
|----------------------------------|-------------|---------------------|
| Number of farms | 758 | -10 |
| Land in farms (acres) | 833,740 | -7 |
| Average size of farm (acres) | 1,100 | +3 |
| Total | (\$) | |
| Market value of products sold | 52,023,000 | -0 |
| Government payments | 3,918,000 | +85 |
| Farm-related income | 3,701,000 | +82 |
| Total farm production expenses | 53,342,000 | +5 |
| Net cash farm income | 6,299,000 | +17 |
| Per farm average | (\$) | |
| Market value of products sold | 68,632 | +11 |
| Government payments ^a | 28,805 | +59 |
| Farm-related income ^a | 21,516 | +91 |
| Total farm production expenses | 70,372 | +16 |
| Net cash farm income | 8,310 | +30 |

1 Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

| | |
|----------------------------------|----|
| Crops | 51 |
| Livestock, poultry, and products | 49 |

Land in Farms by Use (acres)

| | |
|-------------|---------|
| Cropland | 106,748 |
| Pastureland | 689,495 |
| Woodland | 18,308 |
| Other | 19,189 |

Acres irrigated: 13,392

2% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

| | |
|----------------|----|
| No till | 12 |
| Reduced till | 4 |
| Intensive till | 12 |
| Cover crop | 5 |

Farms by Value of Sales

| | Number | Percent of Total ^b |
|----------------------|--------|-------------------------------|
| Less than \$2,500 | 421 | 56 |
| \$2,500 to \$4,999 | 49 | 6 |
| \$5,000 to \$9,999 | 68 | 9 |
| \$10,000 to \$24,999 | 60 | 8 |
| \$25,000 to \$49,999 | 36 | 5 |
| \$50,000 to \$99,999 | 36 | 5 |
| \$100,000 or more | 88 | 12 |

Farms by Size

| | Number | Percent of Total ^b |
|------------------|--------|-------------------------------|
| 1 to 9 acres | 105 | 14 |
| 10 to 49 acres | 179 | 24 |
| 50 to 179 acres | 182 | 24 |
| 180 to 499 acres | 134 | 18 |
| 500 to 999 acres | 55 | 7 |
| 1,000+ acres | 103 | 14 |

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 | 52,023 | 25 | 63 | 1,933 | 3,078 |
| Crops | 26,590 | 25 | 63 | 1,664 | 3,074 |
| Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas | 5,446 | 23 | 48 | 1,745 | 2,917 |
| Tobacco | - | - | - | - | 267 |
| Cotton and cottonseed | - | - | - | - | 647 |
| Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes | 11,891 | 8 | 50 | 239 | 2,831 |
| Fruits, tree nuts, berries | 166 | 11 | 33 | 1,347 | 2,711 |
| Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod | 4,679 | 10 | 50 | 489 | 2,660 |
| Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops | - | - | 18 | - | 1,274 |
| Other crops and hay | 4,407 | 27 | 62 | 776 | 3,035 |
| Livestock, poultry, and products | 25,433 | 24 | 63 | 1,585 | 3,076 |
| Poultry and eggs | 86 | 21 | 59 | 1,421 | 3,027 |
| Cattle and calves | 19,907 | 23 | 61 | 842 | 3,047 |
| Milk from cows | (D) | 12 | 30 | 648 | 1,770 |
| Hogs and pigs | 15 | 33 | 53 | 1,432 | 2,814 |
| Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk | 471 | 17 | 59 | 421 | 2,967 |
| Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys | 1,133 | 8 | 58 | 253 | 2,907 |
| Aquaculture | (D) | 12 | 24 | (D) | 1,190 |
| Other animals and animal products | 86 | 29 | 58 | 1,018 | 2,909 |

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|----------------------------------|--------------|-------------------------------|---|--------|
| Producers ^d | 1,438 | Percent of farms that: | Top Crops in Acres ^e | |
| Sex | | Have internet access | 75 | |
| Male | 899 | | | |
| Female | 539 | | | |
| Age | | Farm organically | 1 | |
| <35 | 106 | | | |
| 35 – 64 | 725 | | | |
| 65 and older | 607 | | | |
| Race | | Sell directly to consumers | 3 | |
| American Indian/Alaska Native | 23 | | | |
| Asian | 6 | | | |
| Black or African American | 5 | | | |
| Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander | 2 | | | |
| White | 1,394 | Hire farm labor | 13 | |
| More than one race | 8 | | | |
| Other characteristics | | Are family farms | 93 | |
| Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin | 134 | | | |
| With military service | 149 | | | |
| New and beginning farmers | 558 | | | |
| | | | Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2022) | |
| | | | Broilers and other meat-type chickens | 139 |
| | | | Cattle and calves | 22,799 |
| | | | Goats | 494 |
| | | | Hogs and pigs | 126 |
| | | | Horses and ponies | 1,400 |
| | | | Layers | 1,986 |
| | | | Pullets | 204 |
| | | | Sheep and lambs | 3,629 |
| | | | Turkeys | 33 |

^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.