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Total and Per Farm Overview, 2022 and change since 2017

	2022	% change since 2017
Number of farms	1,087	-9
Land in farms (acres)	267,660	0
Average size of farm (acres)	246	+11
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	150,348,000	+61
Government payments	6,118,000	-4
Farm-related income	2,801,000	-55
Total farm production expenses	126,001,000	+46
Net cash farm income	33,267,000	+70
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	138,315	+78
Government payments ^a	24,869	+32
Farm-related income ^a	15,142	-32
Total farm production expenses	115,916	+61
Net cash farm income	30,604	+88

3 Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)			
Crops	87		
Livestock, poultry, and p	oroducts 13		
Land in Farms by U	se (acres)		
Cropland	182,550		
Pastureland	37,662		
Woodland	25,824		
Other	21,624		
Acres irrigated: 33,348	8		
1	12% of land in farms		
Land Use Practices	(% of farms)		
No till	9		
Reduced till	7		
Intensive till	12		
Cover crop	2		

Farms by Value of Sal	es		Farms by Size		
	Number	Percent of Total b		Number	Percent of Total b
Less than \$2,500	488	45	1 to 9 acres	107	10
\$2,500 to \$4,999	99	9	10 to 49 acres	516	47
\$5,000 to \$9,999	94	9	50 to 179 acres	233	21
\$10,000 to \$24,999	126	12	180 to 499 acres	120	11
\$25,000 to \$49,999	87	8	500 to 999 acres	31	3
\$50,000 to \$99,999	64	6	1,000+ acres	80	7
\$100,000 or more	129	12			

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Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

		Rank	Counties	Rank	Counties
	Sales	in	Producing	in	Producing
	(\$1,000)	State ^c	Item	U.S. c	Item
Total	150,348	11	64	1,052	3,078
Crops	131,217	11	64	640	3,074
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	74,860	13	51	758	2,917
Tobacco	-	-	1	-	267
Cotton and cottonseed	13	19	20	519	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	345	22	59	1,245	2,831
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	289	23	58	1,127	2,711
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	1,125	13	52	912	2,660
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation			4.4		4.074
woody crops		-	14	-	1,274
Other crops and hay	54,586	9	62	60	3,035
Livestock, poultry, and products	19,131	17	64	1,769	3,076
Poultry and eggs	158	19	62	1,182	3,027
Cattle and calves	8,812	7	63	1,345	3,047
Milk from cows	-	-	21	-	1,770
Hogs and pigs	4	30	49	1,685	2,814
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	(D)	4	52	(D)	2,967
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	1,312	2	57	219	2,907
Aquaculture	6,360	10	39	71	1,190
Other animals and animal products	(D)	4	57	110	2,909

Producers d	1,743	Percent of farms that	Top Crops in Acres °
Sex Male Female	1,179 564	Have internet access 72	Soybeans for beans 72,834 Sugarcane for sugar or seed 25,499 Rice 25,294 Forage (hay/haylage), all 16,883
Age <35 35 – 64 65 and older	98 946 699	Farm organically	Corn for grain 7,269
Race American Indian/Alaska Native Asian	7 2	Sell directly to consumers	Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2022) Broilers and other
Black or African American Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander White More than one race	311 1 1,411 11	Hire 24 farm labor	meat-type chickens 571 Cattle and calves 28,452 Goats 655 Hogs and pigs 281 Horses and ponies 1,399
Other characteristics Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin With military service New and beginning farmers	55 183 500	Are family farms	_ Lavers 3.571

^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.