



Texas 4th District

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2022

	2022
Number of farms	12,135
Land in farms (acres)	2,255,029
Average size of farm (acres)	186
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Total	(\$)
Market value of products sold	879,121,000
Government payments	31,177,000
Farm-related income	35,698,000
Total farm production expenses	807,067,000
Net cash farm income	138,929,000
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Per farm average	(\$)
Market value of products sold	72,445
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	12,602
Farm-related income	14,177
Total farm production expenses	66,507
Net cash farm income	11,449

3 Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	25
Livestock, poultry, and products	75

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a

Cropland	39
Pastureland	48
Woodland	9
Other	4

Acres irrigated: 29,774

1% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	5
Reduced till	3
Intensive till	6
Cover crop	3

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	5,361	44
\$2,500 to \$4,999	1,689	14
\$5,000 to \$9,999	1,499	12
\$10,000 to \$24,999	1,578	13
\$25,000 to \$49,999	808	7
\$50,000 to \$99,999	423	3
\$100,000 or more	777	6

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
1 to 9 acres	1,149	9
10 to 49 acres	5,390	44
50 to 179 acres	3,429	28
180 to 499 acres	1,346	11
500 to 999 acres	454	4
1,000 + acres	367	3



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	879,121	9	38	139	429
Crops	218,305	11	38	194	429
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	94,458	8	33	135	380
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	66
Cotton and cottonseed	(D)	13	28	69	105
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	6,144	14	36	247	423
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	6,666	9	35	167	411
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	66,477	6	35	84	424
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	(D)	15	27	199	319
Other crops and hay	40,791	7	38	105	394
Livestock, poultry, and products	660,816	8	38	105	420
Poultry and eggs	306,204	4	37	62	403
Cattle and calves	243,965	10	38	56	390
Milk from cows	86,224	4	22	91	301
Hogs and pigs	854	8	30	154	361
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	2,238	12	36	109	388
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	17,284	4	36	14	384
Aquaculture	20	17	25	181	325
Other animals and animal products	4,027	14	35	97	409

Total Producers ^c	21,008	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^d
Sex		Have internet access	Forage (hay/haylage), all
Male	12,531	79	Wheat for grain, all
Female	8,477		Corn for grain
Age		Farm organically	Soybeans for beans
<35	1,561	(Z)	Sorghum for grain
35 – 64	11,636		
65 and older	7,811		
Race		Sell directly to consumers	Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2022)
American Indian/Alaska Native	337	4	Broilers and other meat-type chickens
Asian	237		Cattle and calves
Black or African American	373	Hire farm labor	Goats
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	19	15	Hogs and pigs
White	19,736		Horses and ponies
More than one race	306		Layers
Other characteristics		Are family farms	Pullets
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	1,054	98	Sheep and lambs
With military service	2,386		Turkeys
New and beginning farmers	7,247		

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.