



Kings County California

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2022 and change since 2017

	2022	% change since 2017
Number of farms	862	-10
Land in farms (acres)	593,199	-4
Average size of farm (acres)	688	+8
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	2,133,236,000	+29
Government payments	11,840,000	+102
Farm-related income	44,978,000	+54
Total farm production expenses	1,677,858,000	+21
Net cash farm income	512,195,000	+71
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	2,474,752	+44
Government payments ^a	85,181	+318
Farm-related income ^a	152,466	+74
Total farm production expenses	1,946,472	+35
Net cash farm income	594,194	+91

4 Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	50
Livestock, poultry, and products	50

Land in Farms by Use (acres)

Cropland	452,269
Pastureland	86,179
Woodland	2,082
Other	52,669

Acres irrigated: 350,462

59% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	6
Reduced till	12
Intensive till	31
Cover crop	6

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^b
Less than \$2,500	142	16
\$2,500 to \$4,999	37	4
\$5,000 to \$9,999	36	4
\$10,000 to \$24,999	49	6
\$25,000 to \$49,999	57	7
\$50,000 to \$99,999	58	7
\$100,000 or more	483	56

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^b
1 to 9 acres	155	18
10 to 49 acres	249	29
50 to 179 acres	149	17
180 to 499 acres	127	15
500 to 999 acres	84	10
1,000+ acres	98	11

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	2,133,236	10	58	15	3,078
Crops	1,071,407	14	57	20	3,074
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	95,861	7	48	647	2,917
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	267
Cotton and cottonseed	173,243	1	11	1	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	214,385	13	57	22	2,831
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	495,375	14	56	16	2,711
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	343	46	55	1,239	2,660
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	32	-	1,274
Other crops and hay	92,200	8	56	33	3,035
Livestock, poultry, and products	1,061,829	6	58	21	3,076
Poultry and eggs	3,715	19	56	699	3,027
Cattle and calves	196,321	6	57	72	3,047
Milk from cows	853,911	4	34	4	1,770
Hogs and pigs	36	26	53	1,178	2,814
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	4,436	7	56	30	2,967
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	579	20	55	493	2,907
Aquaculture	-	-	39	-	1,190
Other animals and animal products	2,832	14	53	89	2,909

Producers ^d	1,679	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^e
Sex		Have internet access	85
Male	1,177		
Female	502		
Age		Farm organically	4
<35	191		
35 – 64	915		
65 and older	573		
Race		Sell directly to consumers	2
American Indian/Alaska Native	24		
Asian	30		
Black or African American	3		
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	3		
White	1,605	Hire farm labor	49
More than one race	14		
Other characteristics		Are family farms	84
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	210		
With military service	102		
New and beginning farmers	506		
		Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2022)	
		Broilers and other meat-type chickens	180,415
		Cattle and calves	324,887
		Goats	10,227
		Hogs and pigs	76
		Horses and ponies	609
		Layers	1,152
		Pullets	251
		Sheep and lambs	(D)
		Turkeys	72

^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.