



Stephens County Texas

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2022 and change since 2017

	2022	% change since 2017
Number of farms	454	-21
Land in farms (acres)	387,474	-18
Average size of farm (acres)	853	+4
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	9,296,000	-12
Government payments	883,000	+38
Farm-related income	2,759,000	+51
Total farm production expenses	17,206,000	-3
Net cash farm income	-4,268,000	+9
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	20,477	+11
Government payments ^a	8,098	+58
Farm-related income ^a	23,788	+84
Total farm production expenses	37,900	+23
Net cash farm income	-9,401	-16

(Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	10
Livestock, poultry, and products	90

Land in Farms by Use (acres)

Cropland	28,903
Pastureland	307,491
Woodland	45,699
Other	5,381

Acres irrigated: (D)

(D)% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	6
Reduced till	3
Intensive till	17
Cover crop	2

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^b
Less than \$2,500	211	46
\$2,500 to \$4,999	32	7
\$5,000 to \$9,999	46	10
\$10,000 to \$24,999	67	15
\$25,000 to \$49,999	52	11
\$50,000 to \$99,999	28	6
\$100,000 or more	18	4

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^b
1 to 9 acres	15	3
10 to 49 acres	55	12
50 to 179 acres	101	22
180 to 499 acres	115	25
500 to 999 acres	72	16
1,000+ acres	96	21

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	9,296	229	254	2,739	3,078
Crops	950	223	254	2,875	3,074
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	546	146	236	2,266	2,917
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	267
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	170	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	(D)	128	195	(D)	2,831
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	-	-	215	-	2,711
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	-	-	183	-	2,660
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	42	-	1,274
Other crops and hay	(D)	205	249	(D)	3,035
Livestock, poultry, and products	8,347	197	254	2,229	3,076
Poultry and eggs	114	115	244	1,307	3,027
Cattle and calves	8,129	179	254	1,402	3,047
Milk from cows	-	-	93	-	1,770
Hogs and pigs	(D)	(D)	222	(D)	2,814
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	53	172	247	1,806	2,967
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	31	206	253	1,996	2,907
Aquaculture	-	-	79	-	1,190
Other animals and animal products	(D)	(D)	234	(D)	2,909

Producers ^d	750	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^e	
Sex		Have internet access	70	
Male	511			
Female	239	Farm organically	-	
Age		Sell directly to consumers	1	
<35	57	Hire farm labor	17	
35 – 64	325	Are family farms	96	
65 and older	368			
Race			Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2022)	
American Indian/Alaska Native	7		Broilers and other meat-type chickens	67
Asian	3		Cattle and calves	18,280
Black or African American	-		Goats	648
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	2		Hogs and pigs	26
White	730		Horses and ponies	271
More than one race	8		Layers	2,375
Other characteristics			Pullets	385
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	20		Sheep and lambs	310
With military service	51		Turkeys	18
New and beginning farmers	228			

^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.