



Cowley County Kansas

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2022 and change since 2017

	2022	% change since 2017
Number of farms	879	-5
Land in farms (acres)	519,270	-8
Average size of farm (acres)	591	-3
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	116,270,000	+20
Government payments	4,599,000	+39
Farm-related income	13,750,000	+144
Total farm production expenses	104,516,000	+25
Net cash farm income	30,103,000	+37
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	132,275	+26
Government payments ^a	14,371	+121
Farm-related income ^a	36,186	+211
Total farm production expenses	118,903	+31
Net cash farm income	34,247	+43

(Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	48
Livestock, poultry, and products	52

Land in Farms by Use (acres)

Cropland	235,615
Pastureland	259,328
Woodland	10,008
Other	14,319

Acres irrigated: 2,655

1% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	24
Reduced till	14
Intensive till	14
Cover crop	6

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^b
Less than \$2,500	224	25
\$2,500 to \$4,999	69	8
\$5,000 to \$9,999	107	12
\$10,000 to \$24,999	104	12
\$25,000 to \$49,999	108	12
\$50,000 to \$99,999	94	11
\$100,000 or more	173	20

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^b
1 to 9 acres	45	5
10 to 49 acres	171	19
50 to 179 acres	251	29
180 to 499 acres	188	21
500 to 999 acres	95	11
1,000+ acres	129	15

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	116,270	58	105	1,285	3,078
Crops	55,952	61	105	1,228	3,074
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	50,050	62	105	922	2,917
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	267
Cotton and cottonseed	1,581	13	25	409	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	32	41	75	1,941	2,831
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	157	14	56	1,365	2,711
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	85	35	71	1,494	2,660
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	13	-	1,274
Other crops and hay	4,048	29	105	840	3,035
Livestock, poultry, and products	60,318	48	105	975	3,076
Poultry and eggs	1,072	8	102	791	3,027
Cattle and calves	55,965	47	105	281	3,047
Milk from cows	2,149	25	57	706	1,770
Hogs and pigs	109	47	95	882	2,814
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	882	6	101	219	2,967
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	128	29	99	1,393	2,907
Aquaculture	-	-	14	-	1,190
Other animals and animal products	13	43	90	1,667	2,909

Producers ^d	1,498	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^e	
Sex		Have internet access	79	
Male	1,000			
Female	498			
Age		Farm organically	-	
<35	138			
35 – 64	738			
65 and older	622			
Race		Sell directly to consumers	3	
American Indian/Alaska Native	9			
Asian	3			
Black or African American	-			
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-	Hire farm labor	18	
White	1,471			
More than one race	15			
Other characteristics		Are family farms	93	
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	30			
With military service	145			
New and beginning farmers	447			
			Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2022)	
			Broilers and other meat-type chickens	167
			Cattle and calves	52,769
			Goats	4,240
			Hogs and pigs	240
			Horses and ponies	644
			Layers	21,194
			Pullets	133
			Sheep and lambs	1,822
			Turkeys	10

^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.