



Elk County Pennsylvania

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2022 and change since 2017

	2022	% change since 2017
Number of farms	193	-17
Land in farms (acres)	17,693	-23
Average size of farm (acres)	92	-7
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	5,112,000	+27
Government payments	103,000	+106
Farm-related income	412,000	+29
Total farm production expenses	4,232,000	+5
Net cash farm income	1,395,000	+274
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	26,490	+53
Government payments ^a	4,684	+116
Farm-related income ^a	11,129	+57
Total farm production expenses	21,930	+27
Net cash farm income	7,227	+349

(Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	45
Livestock, poultry, and products	55

Land in Farms by Use (acres)

Cropland	8,125
Pastureland	1,469
Woodland	6,406
Other	1,693

Acres irrigated: 9

(Z)% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	16
Reduced till	7
Intensive till	16
Cover crop	11

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^b
Less than \$2,500	98	51
\$2,500 to \$4,999	30	16
\$5,000 to \$9,999	21	11
\$10,000 to \$24,999	14	7
\$25,000 to \$49,999	12	6
\$50,000 to \$99,999	10	5
\$100,000 or more	8	4

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^b
1 to 9 acres	13	7
10 to 49 acres	58	30
50 to 179 acres	106	55
180 to 499 acres	13	7
500 to 999 acres	3	2
1,000+ acres	-	-

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	5,112	62	67	2,862	3,078
Crops	2,298	63	67	2,710	3,074
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	498	60	65	2,285	2,917
Tobacco	-	-	14	-	267
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	474	53	67	1,129	2,831
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	54	62	67	1,693	2,711
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	100	60	66	1,479	2,660
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	4	58	62	565	1,274
Other crops and hay	1,169	56	67	1,920	3,035
Livestock, poultry, and products	2,814	58	67	2,628	3,076
Poultry and eggs	24	60	67	1,901	3,027
Cattle and calves	1,092	57	66	2,364	3,047
Milk from cows	1,479	56	62	747	1,770
Hogs and pigs	(D)	61	64	(D)	2,814
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	22	59	64	2,185	2,967
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	(D)	58	63	2,263	2,907
Aquaculture	63	26	56	263	1,190
Other animals and animal products	123	39	66	893	2,909

Producers ^d	374	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^e	
Sex		Have internet access	77	
Male	242			
Female	132			
Age		Farm organically	-	
<35	69			
35 – 64	167			
65 and older	138			
Race		Sell directly to consumers	9	
American Indian/Alaska Native	-			
Asian	-			
Black or African American	-			
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-	Hire farm labor	13	
White	374			
More than one race	-			
Other characteristics		Are family farms	97	
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	1			
With military service	40			
New and beginning farmers	91			
			Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2022)	
			Broilers and other meat-type chickens	576
			Cattle and calves	1,682
			Goats	72
			Hogs and pigs	26
			Horses and ponies	208
			Layers	689
			Pullets	330
			Sheep and lambs	178
			Turkeys	52

^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.