



# Hempstead County Arkansas

## Total and Per Farm Overview, 2022 and change since 2017

	2022	% change since 2017
Number of farms	622	+1
Land in farms (acres)	230,281	+24
Average size of farm (acres)	370	+22
<b>Total</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	
Market value of products sold	369,486,000	+71
Government payments	1,211,000	+137
Farm-related income	4,571,000	+163
Total farm production expenses	221,019,000	+47
Net cash farm income	154,250,000	+127
<b>Per farm average</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	
Market value of products sold	594,030	+69
Government payments <sup>a</sup>	6,057	-21
Farm-related income <sup>a</sup>	20,497	+168
Total farm production expenses	355,336	+45
Net cash farm income	247,990	+124

**3** Percent of state agriculture sales

### Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	2
Livestock, poultry, and products	98

### Land in Farms by Use (acres)

Cropland	60,727
Pastureland	101,925
Woodland	51,233
Other	16,396

**Acres irrigated: 1,782**

1% of land in farms

### Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	3
Reduced till	2
Intensive till	4
Cover crop	3

## Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>b</sup>
Less than \$2,500	136	22
\$2,500 to \$4,999	26	4
\$5,000 to \$9,999	57	9
\$10,000 to \$24,999	117	19
\$25,000 to \$49,999	44	7
\$50,000 to \$99,999	48	8
\$100,000 or more	194	31

## Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>b</sup>
1 to 9 acres	19	3
10 to 49 acres	139	22
50 to 179 acres	185	30
180 to 499 acres	143	23
500 to 999 acres	65	10
1,000+ acres	71	11

**Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold**

	Sales (\$1,000)	Rank in State <sup>c</sup>	Counties Producing Item	Rank in U.S. <sup>c</sup>	Counties Producing Item
<b>Total</b>	<b>369,486</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>358</b>	<b>3,078</b>
<b>Crops</b>	<b>7,984</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>2,287</b>	<b>3,074</b>
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	509	44	58	2,281	2,917
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	267
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	29	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	724	18	73	967	2,831
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	(D)	(D)	72	(D)	2,711
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	(D)	6	57	(D)	2,660
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	17	-	1,274
Other crops and hay	2,897	15	75	1,100	3,035
<b>Livestock, poultry, and products</b>	<b>361,503</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>137</b>	<b>3,076</b>
Poultry and eggs	327,207	6	73	43	3,027
Cattle and calves	27,643	7	75	640	3,047
Milk from cows	(D)	18	27	(D)	1,770
Hogs and pigs	6,176	5	60	482	2,814
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	(D)	(D)	71	(D)	2,967
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	318	16	71	821	2,907
Aquaculture	-	-	28	-	1,190
Other animals and animal products	(D)	(D)	64	(D)	2,909

<b>Producers <sup>d</sup></b>	<b>1,082</b>	<b>Percent of farms that:</b>	<b>Top Crops in Acres <sup>e</sup></b>	
<b>Sex</b>		Have internet access	80	
Male	671			
Female	411			
<b>Age</b>		Farm organically	1	
<35	151			
35 – 64	554			
65 and older	377			
<b>Race</b>		Sell directly to consumers	2	
American Indian/Alaska Native	13			
Asian	2			
Black or African American	62			
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-			
White	989	Hire farm labor	25	
More than one race	16			
<b>Other characteristics</b>		Are family farms	97	
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	26			
With military service	109			
New and beginning farmers	383			
			<b>Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2022)</b>	
			Broilers and other meat-type chickens	9,757,942
			Cattle and calves	64,180
			Goats	244
			Hogs and pigs	9,669
			Horses and ponies	463
			Layers	370,581
			Pullets	256,525
			Sheep and lambs	364
			Turkeys	-

<sup>a</sup> Average per farm receiving. <sup>b</sup> May not add to 100% due to rounding. <sup>c</sup> Among counties whose rank can be displayed. <sup>d</sup> Data collected for a maximum of four producers per farm. <sup>e</sup> Crop commodity names may be shortened; see full names at [www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf](http://www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf). <sup>f</sup> 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.