



De Soto Parish Louisiana

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2022 and change since 2017

	2022	% change since 2017
Number of farms	632	+6
Land in farms (acres)	158,539	+16
Average size of farm (acres)	251	+10
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	19,432,000	-6
Government payments	246,000	+35
Farm-related income	1,318,000	-45
Total farm production expenses	36,680,000	+43
Net cash farm income	-15,685,000	-522
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	30,747	-10
Government payments ^a	10,682	-6
Farm-related income ^a	15,144	-26
Total farm production expenses	58,039	+35
Net cash farm income	-24,818	-490

(Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	15
Livestock, poultry, and products	85

Land in Farms by Use (acres)

Cropland	38,333
Pastureland	60,924
Woodland	46,022
Other	13,260

Acres irrigated: 227

(Z)% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	5
Reduced till	2
Intensive till	6
Cover crop	4

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^b
Less than \$2,500	251	40
\$2,500 to \$4,999	67	11
\$5,000 to \$9,999	77	12
\$10,000 to \$24,999	103	16
\$25,000 to \$49,999	48	8
\$50,000 to \$99,999	48	8
\$100,000 or more	38	6

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^b
1 to 9 acres	66	10
10 to 49 acres	196	31
50 to 179 acres	197	31
180 to 499 acres	116	18
500 to 999 acres	19	3
1,000+ acres	38	6

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	19,432	47	64	2,487	3,078
Crops	2,923	47	64	2,639	3,074
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	(D)	51	51	(D)	2,917
Tobacco	-	-	1	-	267
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	20	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	(D)	30	59	(D)	2,831
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	362	20	58	1,016	2,711
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	622	17	52	1,085	2,660
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	14	-	1,274
Other crops and hay	1,725	26	62	1,583	3,035
Livestock, poultry, and products	16,509	19	64	1,871	3,076
Poultry and eggs	4,404	14	62	686	3,027
Cattle and calves	10,871	4	63	1,217	3,047
Milk from cows	(D)	10	21	(D)	1,770
Hogs and pigs	(D)	(D)	49	(D)	2,814
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	67	13	52	1,682	2,967
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	675	9	57	428	2,907
Aquaculture	-	-	39	-	1,190
Other animals and animal products	221	18	57	667	2,909

Producers ^d	1,034	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^e
Sex		Have internet access	75
Male	674		
Female	360		
Age		Farm organically	-
<35	93		
35 – 64	556		
65 and older	385		
Race		Sell directly to consumers	4
American Indian/Alaska Native	7		
Asian	4		
Black or African American	172		
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-		
White	843	Hire farm labor	26
More than one race	8		
Other characteristics		Are family farms	98
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	9		
With military service	136		
New and beginning farmers	267		
			Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2022)
			Broilers and other meat-type chickens
			28,650
			Cattle and calves
			65
			Goats
			65
			Hogs and pigs
			61
			Horses and ponies
			55
			Layers
			361
			Pullets
			34,199
			Sheep and lambs
			495
			Turkeys
			111
			1,501
			(D)
			(D)
			48
			45

^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.