

Utah Agricultural Statistics Pocket Reference

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Top 7 U.S. agricultural export destinations

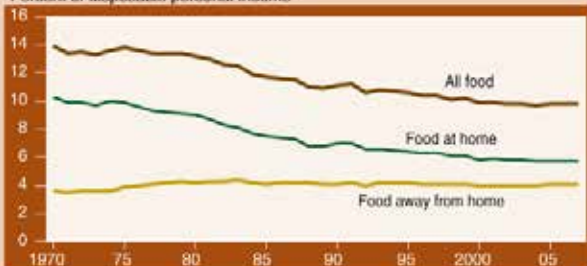
Country	FY 2012
World Total	\$135,774,864,522
1.China & Hong Kong	\$23,358,921,124
2.Canada	\$20,008,256,711
3.Mexico	\$18,889,592,533
4.Japan	\$13,770,191,529
5.European Union-27	\$ 8,871,509,364
6.South Korea	\$ 6,202,534,085
7.Taiwan (<i>Hong Kong</i>)	\$ 3,380,712,742 \$ 3,092,997,726

Top 7 sources of U.S. agricultural imports

Country	FY 2012
World Total	\$103,372,460,341
1.Canada	\$ 19,988,571,869
2.European Union-27	\$ 16,616,958,125
3.Mexico	\$ 16,278,441,690
4.China	\$ 4,348,263,544
5.Brazil	\$ 3,790,653,522
6.Indonesia	\$ 3,665,499,545
7.Australia	\$ 2,557,140,401

Percent of income spent on food has been constant in recent years

Percent of disposable personal income



Source: USDA, Economic Research Service analysis of U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of Economic Analysis data.

While the chart above shows declining food prices for Americans, recent increases in food costs may alter this downward trend. Americans spend only about 10% of their annual incomes on food, compared with as much as 70% in other countries.

Top States in Direct Farm Sales to Consumers 2012

State	Amount (\$ million)
California	169.9
New York	100.6
Pennsylvania	86.0
Michigan	58.8
Massachusetts	47.9
Utah	16.0

Price of a box of Kellogg's Corn Flakes cereal through the years

[1911]	no size, 10 cents
[1922]	"large size," 12.5 cents
[1931]	no size, 9 cents
[1941]	no size, 9 cents
[1951]	8 oz, 13 cents
[1961]	12 oz, 23 cents
[1971]	8 oz, 21 cents
[1981]	18 oz, \$1.12
[1991]	18 oz, \$2.19
[1992]	18 oz, \$1.99
[1993]	18 oz, \$1.29
[1994]	24 oz, \$2.19
[1997]	18oz, \$2.59
[1998]	18 oz, \$2.29
[2004]	12 oz, \$2.99
[2012]	12 oz., \$3.79

Monthly Retail Food Sales--Home and Away in \$Billion

	2010	2011	2012
At home	\$617.7	650.7	672.6
Away from home	\$557.7	590.7	629.7

Utah Agriculture

Total Land Area (thousands of acres)

	2002	2007	2012
Acres	52,571	52,553	52,553
Farmland	11,731	11,094	10,974
% of land	22.3	21.1	20.9
Cropland	2,067	1,837	1,646
% of farmland	17.6	16.6	15
% in pasture	29.1	21.9	22.8
% irrigated	37.7	42.8	52.7

Average farm size (acres)

	760	768	664
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Farms by size (percent)

	2002	2007	2012
1 to 99 acres	65.2	66.2	68.6
100 to 499 acres	20.8	20.6	19.1
500 to 999 acres	5.6	5.4	4.9
1,000 to 1,999 acres	3.8	3.4	3.5
2,000 or more acres	4.6	4.4	3.9

Farms by sales (percent)

Less than \$9,999	59.9	66.4	65.1
\$10,000 to \$49,999	23.7	18.1	20.1
\$50,000 to \$99,999	5.9	5.2	5.1
\$100,000 to \$499,999	8.4	7.9	7.1
More than \$500,000	2.0	2.5	2.6

Utah Population - 2012 census estimates

State

Rural	320,128
Urban	2,535,159
Total	2,855,287

Annual Income Per-capita - 2012

Rural	\$28,473
Urban	\$33,508

Percent completing college

	rural	urban	total
1980	13.7	20.9	19.9
1990	14.8	23.3	22.3
2000	17.5	27.3	26.1
2012	24.0	30.3	29.6

Certified Organic Farming

	2000	2010	2012
No. of certified operations	25	45	46
Crops (acres)	30,582	79,214	88,259
Pasture & rangeland (acres)	309	2,773	1,788
Total acres	30,891	81,987	90,047

Farm ownership

	2002	2007	2012
Individuals/family, family corps., partnerships, other.	15,214	16,603	17,508
Percent of total	99.3	99.6	97.1
Characteristics of principal farm operators	55.2	57.4	58.3
Average operator age (years)			
Percent with farming as their primary occupation	48.7	38.0	38.5
Men	4,054	14,903	16,009
Women	1,228	1,797	2,018

Farm Operator Primary Occupation

Farming	6,939	6340	7,447
Other	11,088	10,360	7,835

Farm income

	2009	2012
Number of farms	16,600	18,027
<i>Thousands \$</i>		
Final crop output	422,247	525,456
Final animal output	758,294	1,163,380
Final sector output	1,511,783	1,688,836

Top 5 Utah agriculture commodities - 2012

	Value of receipts thousand \$	% of state total farm receipts	% of us value
1. Cattle/calves	360,579	21.4	0.5
2. Dairy	342,672	20.3	0.9
3. Hay	237,940	14.1	3.3
4. Hogs	199,153	11.8	0.9
5. Greenhouse/ nursery	110,563	6.5	0.7
All commodities	1,688,836		0.4

Top 5 agriculture exports, estimates - FY 2012

	Rank among states	Value \$ million
1. Other products	31	222.4
2. Pork	15	56.8
3. Dairy products	23	47.4
4. Beef and Veal	32	29.2
5. Wheat	33	25.8
Overall rank	39	469.3

Top 5 counties in agricultural sales - 2012

	% of state total receipts	\$ Thousands
1. Beaver County	15.9	288,501
2. Utah County	12.2	222,630
3. Millard County	9.9	180,624
4. Box Elder	9.3	169,546
5. Sanpete County	8.1	147,407
State total		1,816,147