



## East Carroll Parish Louisiana

### Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	209	-8
Land in farms (acres)	221,354	-12
Average size of farm (acres)	1,059	-4
<b>Total</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	
Market value of products sold	116,453,000	-39
Government payments	9,631,000	+21
Farm-related income	3,134,000	+11
Total farm production expenses	90,828,000	-25
Net cash farm income	38,388,000	-53
<b>Per farm average</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	
Market value of products sold	557,189	-34
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	53,207	+29
Farm-related income	29,844	-18
Total farm production expenses	434,586	-18
Net cash farm income	183,676	-49

**4** Percent of state agriculture sales

#### Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	100
Livestock, poultry, and products	(Z)

#### Land in Farms by Use (%) <sup>a</sup>

Cropland	87
Pastureland	1
Woodland	7
Other	5

**Acres irrigated: 128,432**

58% of land in farms

#### Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	12
Reduced till	39
Intensive till	26
Cover crop	10

### Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>a</sup>
Less than \$2,500	59	28
\$2,500 to \$4,999	8	4
\$5,000 to \$9,999	6	3
\$10,000 to \$24,999	23	11
\$25,000 to \$49,999	1	(Z)
\$50,000 to \$99,999	10	5
\$100,000 or more	102	49

### Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>a</sup>
1 to 9 acres	14	7
10 to 49 acres	24	11
50 to 179 acres	50	24
180 to 499 acres	30	14
500 to 999 acres	16	8
1,000 + acres	75	36

Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

	Sales (\$1,000)	Rank in State <sup>b</sup>	Counties Producing Item	Rank in U.S. <sup>b</sup>	Counties Producing Item
<b>Total</b>	<b>116,453</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>1,003</b>	<b>3,077</b>
<b>Crops</b>	<b>116,283</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>455</b>	<b>3,073</b>
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	108,745	2	52	335	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	1	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	7,476	8	22	221	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	-	-	61	-	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	18	48	63	1,746	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	-	-	50	-	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	20	-	1,384
Other crops and hay	44	61	63	2,721	3,040
<b>Livestock, poultry, and products</b>	<b>170</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>2,969</b>	<b>3,073</b>
Poultry and eggs	10	43	62	1,784	3,007
Cattle and calves	77	60	64	2,697	3,055
Milk from cows	-	-	11	-	1,892
Hogs and pigs	-	-	52	-	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	(D)	(D)	54	(D)	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	-	-	58	-	2,970
Aquaculture	(D)	30	40	(D)	1,251
Other animals and animal products	-	-	56	-	2,878

<b>Total Producers <sup>c</sup></b>	<b>387</b>	<b>Percent of farms that:</b>	<b>Top Crops in Acres <sup>d</sup></b>
<b>Sex</b>		Have internet access	Soybeans for beans 126,555
Male	273	<b>77</b>	Corn for grain 39,043
Female	114		Cotton, all 10,698
<b>Age</b>		Farm organically	Rice 2,606
<35	39	-	Forage (hay/haylage), all 426
35 – 64	267		
65 and older	81		
<b>Race</b>		Sell directly to consumers	<b>Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)</b>
American Indian/Alaska Native	-	-	Broilers and other meat-type chickens -
Asian	-		Cattle and calves 499
Black or African American	13	Hire farm labor	Goats (D)
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-	<b>51</b>	Hogs and pigs -
White	374		Horses and ponies 92
More than one race	-	Are family farms	Layers 301
<b>Other characteristics</b>		<b>89</b>	Pullets 115
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	1		Sheep and lambs -
With military service	26		Turkeys -
New and beginning farmers	99		

See 2017 Census of Agriculture, U.S. Summary and State Data, for complete footnotes, explanations, definitions, commodity descriptions, and methodology.

<sup>a</sup> May not add to 100% due to rounding. <sup>b</sup> Among counties whose rank can be displayed. <sup>c</sup> Data collected for a maximum of four producers per farm.

<sup>d</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>e</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.