



Jeff Davis County Texas

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	77	-8
Land in farms (acres)	1,378,004	+10
Average size of farm (acres)	17,896	+20
Total (\$)		
Market value of products sold	29,287,000	(D)
Government payments	192,000	-76
Farm-related income	574,000	-70
Total farm production expenses	31,032,000	+122
Net cash farm income	-979,000	+67
Per farm average (\$)		
Market value of products sold	380,355	(D)
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	23,984	-33
Farm-related income	24,957	-67
Total farm production expenses	403,012	+142
Net cash farm income	-12,711	+64

(Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	(D)
Livestock, poultry, and products	(D)

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a

Cropland	(Z)
Pastureland	(D)
Woodland	(D)
Other	(D)

Acres irrigated: 147

(Z)% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	-
Reduced till	-
Intensive till	1
Cover crop	3

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	34	44
\$2,500 to \$4,999	5	6
\$5,000 to \$9,999	8	10
\$10,000 to \$24,999	5	6
\$25,000 to \$49,999	7	9
\$50,000 to \$99,999	3	4
\$100,000 or more	15	19

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
1 to 9 acres	4	5
10 to 49 acres	18	23
50 to 179 acres	7	9
180 to 499 acres	9	12
500 to 999 acres	1	1
1,000 + acres	38	49

Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

	Sales (\$1,000)	Rank in State ^b	Counties Producing Item	Rank in U.S. ^b	Counties Producing Item
Total	29,287	163	254	2,158	3,077
Crops	(D)	(D)	253	(D)	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	-	-	232	-	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	174	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	(D)	166	188	(D)	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	92	141	225	1,326	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	(D)	18	155	(D)	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	43	-	1,384
Other crops and hay	(D)	242	251	2,753	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	(D)	(D)	254	(D)	3,073
Poultry and eggs	1	190	235	2,080	3,007
Cattle and calves	(D)	(D)	254	(D)	3,055
Milk from cows	-	-	94	-	1,892
Hogs and pigs	(D)	136	216	(D)	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	27	182	247	2,078	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	74	175	254	1,602	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	79	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	-	-	229	-	2,878

Total Producers ^c

144

Sex

Male 82
Female 62

Age

<35 1
35 – 64 65
65 and older 78

Race

American Indian/Alaska Native 1
Asian -
Black or African American -
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander -
White 143
More than one race -

Other characteristics

Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin 6
With military service 17
New and beginning farmers 29

Percent of farms that:

Have internet access **68**

Farm organically **-**

Sell directly to consumers **4**

Hire farm labor **44**

Are family farms **83**

Top Crops in Acres ^d

Grapes 62
Forage (hay/haylage), all (D)
Pecans, all 35
Apples (D)
Peaches, all (D)

Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)

Broilers and other meat-type chickens -
Cattle and calves 28,210
Goats 192
Hogs and pigs (D)
Horses and ponies 444
Layers 76
Pullets 18
Sheep and lambs 57
Turkeys -

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

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

^d Crop commodity names may be shortened; see full names at www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf. ^e 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.