



Martin County Texas

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	356	-14
Land in farms (acres)	444,558	-2
Average size of farm (acres)	1,249	+14
Total (\$)		
Market value of products sold	54,298,000	+168
Government payments	5,464,000	+6
Farm-related income	10,404,000	-44
Total farm production expenses	51,313,000	+16
Net cash farm income	18,853,000	+31011
Per farm average (\$)		
Market value of products sold	152,524	+212
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	22,394	+45
Farm-related income	58,779	-28
Total farm production expenses	144,139	+35
Net cash farm income	52,958	+36047

(Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	97
Livestock, poultry, and products	3

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a

Cropland	67
Pastureland	31
Woodland	(Z)
Other	2

Acres irrigated: 12,227

3% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	10
Reduced till	13
Intensive till	33
Cover crop	9

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	166	47
\$2,500 to \$4,999	13	4
\$5,000 to \$9,999	10	3
\$10,000 to \$24,999	20	6
\$25,000 to \$49,999	24	7
\$50,000 to \$99,999	20	6
\$100,000 or more	103	29

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
1 to 9 acres	6	2
10 to 49 acres	48	13
50 to 179 acres	68	19
180 to 499 acres	65	18
500 to 999 acres	59	17
1,000 + acres	110	31

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	54,298	106	254	1,690	3,077
Crops	52,494	42	253	1,060	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	2,714	108	232	1,845	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	44,739	17	174	30	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	-	-	188	-	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	-	-	225	-	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	-	-	155	-	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	43	-	1,384
Other crops and hay	5,041	36	251	485	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	1,804	247	254	2,749	3,073
Poultry and eggs	3	174	235	2,001	3,007
Cattle and calves	1,748	239	254	2,221	3,055
Milk from cows	-	-	94	-	1,892
Hogs and pigs	-	-	216	-	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	3	213	247	2,478	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	51	193	254	1,796	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	79	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	-	-	229	-	2,878

Total Producers ^c	541	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^d
Sex		Have internet access	Cotton, all 148,810
Male	363	80	Forage (hay/haylage), all 9,018
Female	178		Sorghum for grain 5,570
Age		Farm organically	Peanuts for nuts 4,358
<35	44	-	Dry southern peas (cowpeas) 1,080
35 – 64	294		
65 and older	203		
Race		Sell directly to consumers	Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)
American Indian/Alaska Native	-	-	Broilers and other meat-type chickens 120
Asian	-		Cattle and calves 3,774
Black or African American	6	Hire farm labor	Goats 82
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-	38	Hogs and pigs 8
White	533		Horses and ponies 140
More than one race	2		Layers 462
Other characteristics		Are family farms	Pullets 80
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	29	91	Sheep and lambs -
With military service	54		Turkeys -
New and beginning farmers	144		

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.