



Jefferson County Texas

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2022 and change since 2017

	2022	% change since 2017
Number of farms	612	-16
Land in farms (acres)	347,504	-3
Average size of farm (acres)	568	+15
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	35,187,000	+9
Government payments	2,177,000	-76
Farm-related income	1,003,000	-69
Total farm production expenses	37,112,000	+2
Net cash farm income	1,255,000	-85
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	57,495	+30
Government payments ^a	22,446	-59
Farm-related income ^a	9,548	-64
Total farm production expenses	60,641	+22
Net cash farm income	2,050	-82

(Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	45
Livestock, poultry, and products	55

Land in Farms by Use (acres)

Cropland	122,074
Pastureland	216,093
Woodland	5,055
Other	4,282

Acres irrigated: 26,892

8% 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	302	49
\$2,500 to \$4,999	82	13
\$5,000 to \$9,999	64	10
\$10,000 to \$24,999	56	9
\$25,000 to \$49,999	25	4
\$50,000 to \$99,999	26	4
\$100,000 or more	57	9

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^b
1 to 9 acres	160	26
10 to 49 acres	232	38
50 to 179 acres	95	16
180 to 499 acres	48	8
500 to 999 acres	28	5
1,000+ acres	49	8

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	35,187	157	254	2,170	3,078
Crops	15,901	112	254	1,972	3,074
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	9,321	64	236	1,571	2,917
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	267
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	170	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	(D)	127	195	(D)	2,831
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	90	121	215	1,557	2,711
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	(D)	50	183	(D)	2,660
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	42	-	1,274
Other crops and hay	2,696	112	249	1,173	3,035
Livestock, poultry, and products	19,286	148	254	1,767	3,076
Poultry and eggs	145	106	244	1,212	3,027
Cattle and calves	16,269	133	254	967	3,047
Milk from cows	-	-	93	-	1,770
Hogs and pigs	(D)	(D)	222	(D)	2,814
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	61	163	247	1,730	2,967
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	619	72	253	456	2,907
Aquaculture	(D)	22	79	(D)	1,190
Other animals and animal products	1,995	19	234	134	2,909

Producers ^d	1,053	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^e
Sex		Have internet access	75
Male	642		
Female	411		
Age		Farm organically	1
<35	58		
35 – 64	590		
65 and older	405		
Race		Sell directly to consumers	6
American Indian/Alaska Native	8		
Asian	-		
Black or African American	92		
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-		
White	953	Hire farm labor	17
More than one race	-		
Other characteristics		Are family farms	98
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	82		
With military service	94		
New and beginning farmers	316		
			Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2022)
			Broilers and other meat-type chickens
			583
			Cattle and calves
			34,491
			Goats
			227
			Hogs and pigs
			288
			Horses and ponies
			842
			Layers
			3,159
			Pullets
			318
			Sheep and lambs
			219
			Turkeys
			41

^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.