



# Texas 9th District

## Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017

	2017
Number of farms	98
Land in farms (acres)	(D)
Average size of farm (acres)	(D)
<b>Total</b>	<b>(\$)</b>
Market value of products sold	1,442,000
Government payments	35,000
Farm-related income	54,000
Total farm production expenses	1,878,000
Net cash farm income	-347,000
<b>Per farm average</b>	<b>(\$)</b>
Market value of products sold	14,717
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	5,819
Farm-related income	4,482
Total farm production expenses	19,165
Net cash farm income	-3,542

## (Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

### Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	57
Livestock, poultry, and products	43

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

Cropland	32
Pastureland	(D)
Woodland	(D)
Other	(D)

### Acres irrigated: 180

1% of land in farms

### Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	1
Reduced till	-
Intensive till	2
Cover crop	9

## Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>a</sup>
Less than \$2,500	44	45
\$2,500 to \$4,999	22	22
\$5,000 to \$9,999	6	6
\$10,000 to \$24,999	19	19
\$25,000 to \$49,999	3	3
\$50,000 to \$99,999	-	-
\$100,000 or more	4	4

## Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>a</sup>
1 to 9 acres	23	23
10 to 49 acres	38	39
50 to 179 acres	21	21
180 to 499 acres	12	12
500 to 999 acres	-	-
1,000 + acres	4	4

Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

	Sales (\$1,000)	Rank in State <sup>b</sup>	CDs Producing Item	Rank in U.S. <sup>b</sup>	CDs Producing Item
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,442</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>395</b>	<b>431</b>
<b>Crops</b>	<b>829</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>388</b>	<b>431</b>
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	(D)	34	34	342	381
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	68
Cotton and cottonseed	(D)	26	27	99	108
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	(D)	28	35	353	418
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	601	24	35	305	416
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	(D)	34	34	390	425
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	17	-	326
Other crops and hay	82	34	35	335	395
<b>Livestock, poultry, and products</b>	<b>614</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>354</b>	<b>422</b>
Poultry and eggs	2	33	36	306	404
Cattle and calves	310	31	36	321	396
Milk from cows	(D)	16	20	234	312
Hogs and pigs	-	-	32	-	367
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	(D)	(D)	35	(D)	393
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	(D)	(D)	36	(D)	393
Aquaculture	-	-	24	-	328
Other animals and animal products	-	-	34	-	413

Total Producers <sup>c</sup>

<b>Sex</b>	<b>148</b>
Male	115
Female	33
<b>Age</b>	
<35	13
35 – 64	80
65 and older	55
<b>Race</b>	
American Indian/Alaska Native	-
Asian	9
Black or African American	51
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-
White	88
More than one race	-
<b>Other characteristics</b>	
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	26
With military service	22
New and beginning farmers	37

Percent of farms that:

Have internet access	<b>76</b>
Farm organically	<b>3</b>
Sell directly to consumers	<b>2</b>
Hire farm labor	<b>24</b>
Are family farms	<b>90</b>

Top Crops in Acres <sup>d</sup>

Pecans, all	610
Forage (hay/haylage), all	595
Cotton, all	(D)
Vegetables harvested, all	(D)
Corn for grain	(D)

Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)

Broilers and other meat-type chickens	-
Cattle and calves	1,395
Goats	169
Hogs and pigs	7
Horses and ponies	321
Layers	370
Pullets	(D)
Sheep and lambs	-
Turkeys	-

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 CDs 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/croplnames.pdf](http://www.nass.usda.gov/go/croplnames.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.