



# Caldwell Parish Louisiana

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

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	329	+12
Land in farms (acres)	67,723	+9
Average size of farm (acres)	206	-2
<b>Total</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	
Market value of products sold	18,659,000	+62
Government payments	1,822,000	+3
Farm-related income	1,877,000	+32
Total farm production expenses	14,502,000	+27
Net cash farm income	7,857,000	+143
<b>Per farm average</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	
Market value of products sold	56,714	+46
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	15,314	+14
Farm-related income	28,021	+17
Total farm production expenses	44,078	+14
Net cash farm income	23,882	+118

**1** Percent of state agriculture sales

### Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	39
Livestock, poultry, and products	61

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

Cropland	32
Pastureland	18
Woodland	45
Other	5

**Acres irrigated: 3,575**

5% of land in farms

### Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	2
Reduced till	5
Intensive till	4
Cover crop	2

## Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>a</sup>
Less than \$2,500	195	59
\$2,500 to \$4,999	18	5
\$5,000 to \$9,999	46	14
\$10,000 to \$24,999	31	9
\$25,000 to \$49,999	10	3
\$50,000 to \$99,999	10	3
\$100,000 or more	19	6

## Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>a</sup>
1 to 9 acres	45	14
10 to 49 acres	96	29
50 to 179 acres	106	32
180 to 499 acres	56	17
500 to 999 acres	13	4
1,000 + acres	13	4

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>18,659</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>2,408</b>	<b>3,077</b>
<b>Crops</b>	<b>7,207</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>2,189</b>	<b>3,073</b>
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	5,650	25	52	1,597	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	1	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	1,159	16	22	427	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	(D)	(D)	61	(D)	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	(D)	50	63	(D)	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	-	-	50	-	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	20	-	1,384
Other crops and hay	287	54	63	2,529	3,040
<b>Livestock, poultry, and products</b>	<b>11,452</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>2,020</b>	<b>3,073</b>
Poultry and eggs	34	32	62	1,394	3,007
Cattle and calves	(D)	43	64	(D)	3,055
Milk from cows	-	-	11	-	1,892
Hogs and pigs	4	26	52	1,740	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	1	45	54	2,494	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	57	36	58	1,741	2,970
Aquaculture	(D)	5	40	39	1,251
Other animals and animal products	8	38	56	1,548	2,878

<b>Total Producers <sup>c</sup></b>	<b>526</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 5,080
Male	324	<b>60</b>	Corn for grain 4,851
Female	202		Forage (hay/haylage), all 2,953
<b>Age</b>		Farm organically	Cotton, all 1,837
<35	61	<b>-</b>	Rice (D)
35 – 64	286		
65 and older	179		
<b>Race</b>		Sell directly to consumers	<b>Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)</b>
American Indian/Alaska Native	-	<b>1</b>	Broilers and other meat-type chickens 370
Asian	-		Cattle and calves 4,621
Black or African American	5		Goats 70
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-	Hire farm labor	Hogs and pigs 12
White	521	<b>19</b>	Horses and ponies 711
More than one race	-		Layers 1,352
<b>Other characteristics</b>		Are family farms	Pullets 62
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	5	<b>94</b>	Sheep and lambs 40
With military service	46		Turkeys -
New and beginning farmers	202		

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.