



Iberia Parish Louisiana

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	334	+20
Land in farms (acres)	114,812	+7
Average size of farm (acres)	344	-11
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	57,870,000	-37
Government payments	846,000	+172
Farm-related income	2,668,000	+207
Total farm production expenses	62,903,000	-20
Net cash farm income	-1,519,000	-110
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	173,264	-48
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	17,994	+172
Farm-related income	31,022	+189
Total farm production expenses	188,333	-33
Net cash farm income	-4,549	-108

2 Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	96
Livestock, poultry, and products	4

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a

Cropland	77
Pastureland	8
Woodland	3
Other	12

Acres irrigated: 2,588

2% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	2
Reduced till	9
Intensive till	11
Cover crop	1

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	163	49
\$2,500 to \$4,999	29	9
\$5,000 to \$9,999	50	15
\$10,000 to \$24,999	21	6
\$25,000 to \$49,999	11	3
\$50,000 to \$99,999	14	4
\$100,000 or more	46	14

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
1 to 9 acres	99	30
10 to 49 acres	115	34
50 to 179 acres	45	13
180 to 499 acres	25	7
500 to 999 acres	16	5
1,000 + acres	34	10

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	57,870	23	64	1,641	3,077
Crops	55,841	17	64	1,019	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	5,391	26	52	1,617	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	1	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	22	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	(D)	(D)	61	(D)	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	36	34	63	1,611	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	(D)	9	50	(D)	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	20	-	1,384
Other crops and hay	48,312	1	63	37	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	2,029	50	64	2,724	3,073
Poultry and eggs	(D)	(D)	62	(D)	3,007
Cattle and calves	1,068	48	64	2,376	3,055
Milk from cows	-	-	11	-	1,892
Hogs and pigs	1	32	52	1,825	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	(D)	(D)	54	(D)	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	64	35	58	1,670	2,970
Aquaculture	832	16	40	146	1,251
Other animals and animal products	-	-	56	-	2,878

Total Producers ^c	576	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^d	
Sex		Have internet access	71	
Male	414			
Female	162			
Age		Farm organically	-	
<35	56			
35 – 64	351			
65 and older	169			
Race		Sell directly to consumers	6	
American Indian/Alaska Native	-			
Asian	-			
Black or African American	61			
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-	Hire farm labor	28	
White	497			
More than one race	18			
Other characteristics		Are family farms	90	
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	39			
With military service	37			
New and beginning farmers	163			
			Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)	
			Broilers and other meat-type chickens	150
			Cattle and calves	3,693
			Goats	148
			Hogs and pigs	20
			Horses and ponies	525
			Layers	1,091
			Pullets	30
			Sheep and lambs	582
			Turkeys	(D)

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.