



Grayson County Texas

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	2,845	+11
Land in farms (acres)	429,933	(Z)
Average size of farm (acres)	151	-10
Total (\$)		
Market value of products sold	66,171,000	-28
Government payments	4,729,000	+143
Farm-related income	5,287,000	-12
Total farm production expenses	88,550,000	-6
Net cash farm income	-12,363,000	-309
Per farm average (\$)		
Market value of products sold	23,259	-35
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	16,829	+214
Farm-related income	9,827	+2
Total farm production expenses	31,125	-15
Net cash farm income	-4,346	-288

(Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	61
Livestock, poultry, and products	39

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a

Cropland	48
Pastureland	42
Woodland	6
Other	4

Acres irrigated: 2,299

1% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	3
Reduced till	1
Intensive till	5
Cover crop	3

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	1,532	54
\$2,500 to \$4,999	344	12
\$5,000 to \$9,999	399	14
\$10,000 to \$24,999	277	10
\$25,000 to \$49,999	117	4
\$50,000 to \$99,999	63	2
\$100,000 or more	113	4

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
1 to 9 acres	267	9
10 to 49 acres	1,481	52
50 to 179 acres	696	24
180 to 499 acres	259	9
500 to 999 acres	73	3
1,000 + acres	69	2

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	66,171	89	254	1,523	3,077
Crops	40,260	52	253	1,232	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	24,689	28	232	1,059	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	(D)	137	174	(D)	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	178	81	188	1,321	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	1,205	37	225	429	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	7,991	27	155	286	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	(D)	2	43	194	1,384
Other crops and hay	5,815	24	251	432	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	25,911	114	254	1,442	3,073
Poultry and eggs	158	70	235	931	3,007
Cattle and calves	20,144	99	254	785	3,055
Milk from cows	738	54	94	974	1,892
Hogs and pigs	212	18	216	744	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	334	65	247	510	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	3,622	4	254	43	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	79	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	703	24	229	226	2,878

Total Producers ^c	4,737	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^d
Sex		Have internet access	Forage (hay/haylage), all
Male	2,769	81	Wheat for grain, all
Female	1,968		Corn for grain
Age		Farm organically	Sorghum for grain
<35	269	(Z)	Soybeans for beans
35 – 64	2,852		
65 and older	1,616		
Race		Sell directly to consumers	Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)
American Indian/Alaska Native	92	5	Broilers and other meat-type chickens
Asian	12		Cattle and calves
Black or African American	18		Goats
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-		Hogs and pigs
White	4,541	Hire farm labor	Horses and ponies
More than one race	74	15	Layers
Other characteristics		Are family farms	Pullets
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	155	97	Sheep and lambs
With military service	668		Turkeys
New and beginning farmers	1,592		

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.