



Avoyelles Parish, Louisiana Farms with American Indian or Alaska Native Producers^a

Data not available at this geographic level for farms with American Indian or Alaska Native Producers.

^a This race alone or in combination with other races.



Avoyelles Parish, Louisiana Farms with Asian Producers^a

Data not available at this geographic level for farms with Asian Producers.

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Avoyelles Parish, Louisiana Farms with Black or African American Producers^a

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017

	Farms with Black/African American Producers	All Farms
Number of farms	33	770
Land in farms (acres)	(D)	281,988
Average size of farm (acres)	(D)	366
Total	(\$)	(\$)
Market value of products sold	(D)	104,314,000
Government payments	(D)	7,776,000
Farm-related income	(D)	4,929,000
Total farm production expenses	(D)	81,751,000
Net cash farm income	(D)	35,269,000
Per farm average	(\$)	(\$)
Market value of products sold	(D)	135,472
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	(D)	25,922
Farm-related income	(D)	23,252
Total farm production expenses	(D)	106,170
Net cash farm income	(D)	45,803

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	(D)
Livestock, poultry, and products	(D)

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^b

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

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	6
Reduced till	6
Intensive till	18
Cover crop	-

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent ^b
Less than \$2,500	10	30
\$2,500 to \$4,999	4	12
\$5,000 to \$9,999	6	18
\$10,000 to \$24,999	11	33
\$25,000 to \$49,999	2	6
\$50,000 to \$99,999	-	-
\$100,000 or more	-	-
Total	33	100

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent ^b
1 to 9 acres	8	24
10 to 49 acres	14	42
50 to 179 acres	8	24
180 to 499 acres	1	3
500 to 999 acres	2	6
1,000 + acres	-	-
Total	33	100

Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold		Total Producers ^c	48
	Sales (\$1,000)	No. of Farms	
Total	(D)	33	Sex
Crops	(D)	17	Male 31
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	(D)	9	Female 17
Tobacco	-	-	Age
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	<35 -
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	(D)	1	35 – 64 38
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	-	-	65 and older 10
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	-	-	Primary occupation
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	Farming 9
Other crops and hay	(D)	7	Other 39
Livestock, poultry, and products	(D)	15	Days worked off farm
Poultry and eggs	-	-	None 4
Cattle and calves	(D)	15	1 to 199 20
Milk from cows	-	-	200 + 24
Hogs and pigs	(D)	3	Other characteristics
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	-	-	Hispanic/Latino/Spanish 2
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	-	-	With military service 3
Aquaculture	-	-	New and beginning farmers 11
Other animals and animal products	-	-	<i>Average age (years) (D)</i>
Top Crops in Acres ^d		Percent of farms that:	Demographic Data in the Census of Agriculture
Soybeans for beans (D)	256	Have internet access 70	<p>The agriculture census is a complete count of U.S. farms and ranches and the people who operate them. Demographic information is available at national, state, and county levels, and for classes of farm and congressional districts. Results from the 2017 Census and earlier are available through the searchable database Quick Stats, the new Census Data Query Tool, downloadable PDF reports, maps, and topic-specific Highlights and Profiles. See also the video “What’s New in the 2017 Census?” (www.nass.usda.gov/Newsroom/VideoFeatures/index.php).</p>
Forage (hay/haylage), all (D)		Farm organically -	
Vegetables harvested, all (D)		Sell directly to consumers -	
Potatoes (D)		Hire farm labor 45	
Cabbage, head (D)		Are family farms 100	
Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)			
Broilers and other meat-type chickens (D)			
Cattle and calves (D)			
Goats	-		
Hogs and pigs	7		
Horses and ponies	64		
Layers	-		
Pullets	-		
Sheep and lambs	-		
Turkeys	-		

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Avoyelles Parish, Louisiana Farms with Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander Producers^a

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Avoyelles Parish, Louisiana Farms with White Producers^a

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017

	Farms with White Producers	All Farms
Number of farms	737	770
Land in farms (acres)	279,111	281,988
Average size of farm (acres)	379	366
Total	(\$)	(\$)
Market value of products sold	104,009,000	104,314,000
Government payments	(D)	7,776,000
Farm-related income	4,774,000	4,929,000
Total farm production expenses	81,252,000	81,751,000
Net cash farm income	35,300,000	35,269,000
Per farm average	(\$)	(\$)
Market value of products sold	141,124	135,472
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	(D)	25,922
Farm-related income	23,176	23,252
Total farm production expenses	110,247	106,170
Net cash farm income	47,897	45,803

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	90
Livestock, poultry, and products	10

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^b

Cropland	72
Pastureland	13
Woodland	(D)
Other	(D)

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	6
Reduced till	8
Intensive till	15
Cover crop	2

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent ^b
Less than \$2,500	296	40
\$2,500 to \$4,999	55	7
\$5,000 to \$9,999	64	9
\$10,000 to \$24,999	109	15
\$25,000 to \$49,999	66	9
\$50,000 to \$99,999	36	5
\$100,000 or more	111	15
Total	737	100

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent ^b
1 to 9 acres	66	9
10 to 49 acres	221	30
50 to 179 acres	229	31
180 to 499 acres	96	13
500 to 999 acres	59	8
1,000 + acres	66	9
Total	737	100

2017 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE Race/Ethnicity/Gender Profile

Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold			Total Producers ^c
	Sales (\$1,000)	No. of Farms	1,155
Total	104,009	737	
Crops	93,586	270	Sex
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	73,052	144	Male 793
Tobacco	-	-	Female 362
Cotton and cottonseed	2,408	20	Age
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	(D)	12	<35 99
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	(D)	25	35 – 64 744
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	(D)	5	65 and older 312
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	(D)	1	Primary occupation
Other crops and hay	14,507	116	Farming 454
			Other 701
Livestock, poultry, and products	10,422	368	Days worked off farm
Poultry and eggs	28	45	None 433
Cattle and calves	7,286	301	1 to 199 257
Milk from cows	-	-	200 + 465
Hogs and pigs	(D)	8	Other characteristics
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	14	20	Hispanic/Latino/Spanish 13
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	(D)	2	With military service 97
Aquaculture	(D)	17	New and beginning farmers 309
Other animals and animal products	(D)	28	<i>Average age (years)</i> 56.0
Top Crops in Acres ^d		Percent of farms that:	Demographic Data in the Census of Agriculture
Soybeans for beans 91,781		Have internet access 69	<p>The agriculture census is a complete count of U.S. farms and ranches and the people who operate them. Demographic information is available at national, state, and county levels, and for classes of farm and congressional districts. Results from the 2017 Census and earlier are available through the searchable database Quick Stats, the new Census Data Query Tool, downloadable PDF reports, maps, and topic-specific Highlights and Profiles.</p> <p>See also the video "What's New in the 2017 Census?" (www.nass.usda.gov/Newsroom/VideoFeatures/index.php).</p>
Rice 19,545		Farm organically -	
Corn for grain 16,417		Sell directly to consumers 4	
Sugarcane for sugar 12,940		Hire farm labor 28	
Forage (hay/haylage), all 12,545		Are family farms 96	
Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)			
Broilers and other meat-type chickens (D)			
Cattle and calves 25,632			
Goats 236			
Hogs and pigs 174			
Horses and ponies 404			
Layers 2,453			
Pullets 558			
Sheep and lambs 270			
Turkeys (D)			

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Avoyelles Parish, Louisiana Farms with Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish Producers

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Avoyelles Parish, Louisiana Farms with Female Producers

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017

	Farms with Female Producers	All Farms
Number of farms	358	770
Land in farms (acres)	97,842	281,988
Average size of farm (acres)	273	366
Total	(\$)	(\$)
Market value of products sold	32,697,000	104,314,000
Government payments	2,258,000	7,776,000
Farm-related income	2,440,000	4,929,000
Total farm production expenses	28,698,000	81,751,000
Net cash farm income	8,697,000	35,269,000
Per farm average	(\$)	(\$)
Market value of products sold	91,332	135,472
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	18,976	25,922
Farm-related income	29,758	23,252
Total farm production expenses	80,163	106,170
Net cash farm income	24,292	45,803

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	84
Livestock, poultry, and products	16

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^b

Cropland	69
Pastureland	16
Woodland	9
Other	6

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	4
Reduced till	6
Intensive till	13
Cover crop	4

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent ^b
Less than \$2,500	165	46
\$2,500 to \$4,999	32	9
\$5,000 to \$9,999	33	9
\$10,000 to \$24,999	56	16
\$25,000 to \$49,999	32	9
\$50,000 to \$99,999	10	3
\$100,000 or more	30	8
Total	358	100

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent ^b
1 to 9 acres	46	13
10 to 49 acres	110	31
50 to 179 acres	124	35
180 to 499 acres	40	11
500 to 999 acres	17	5
1,000 + acres	21	6
Total	358	100

2017 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE Race/Ethnicity/Gender Profile

Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

	Sales (\$1,000)	No. of Farms
Total	32,697	358
Crops	27,358	121
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	21,915	49
Tobacco	-	-
Cotton and cottonseed	(D)	2
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	131	7
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	(D)	23
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	6	4
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-
Other crops and hay	5,047	60
Livestock, poultry, and products	5,338	189
Poultry and eggs	23	33
Cattle and calves	2,435	143
Milk from cows	-	-
Hogs and pigs	1	6
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	12	16
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	(D)	2
Aquaculture	(D)	10
Other animals and animal products	(D)	17

Total Producers ^c

Age	380
<35	43
35 – 64	248
65 and older	89
Race	
American Indian/Alaska Native	1
Asian	-
Black/African American	17
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-
White	361
More than one race	1
Primary occupation	
Farming	81
Other	299
Days worked off farm	
None	103
1 to 199	113
200 +	164
Other characteristics	
Hispanic/Latino/Spanish	7
With military service	1
New and beginning farmers	140
<i>Average age (years)</i>	<i>55.0</i>

Top Crops in Acres ^d

Soybeans for beans	29,463
Sugarcane for sugar	5,830
Rice	5,732
Forage (hay/haylage), all	5,483
Corn for grain	3,935

Percent of farms that:

Have internet access	75
Farm organically	-
Sell directly to consumers	5
Hire farm labor	27
Are family farms	98

Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)

Broilers and other meat-type chickens	284
Cattle and calves	8,734
Goats	219
Hogs and pigs	8
Horses and ponies	160
Layers	1,651
Pullets	290
Sheep and lambs	234
Turkeys	(D)

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