

## Fort Bend County, Texas Farms with American Indian or Alaska Native Producers<sup>a</sup>

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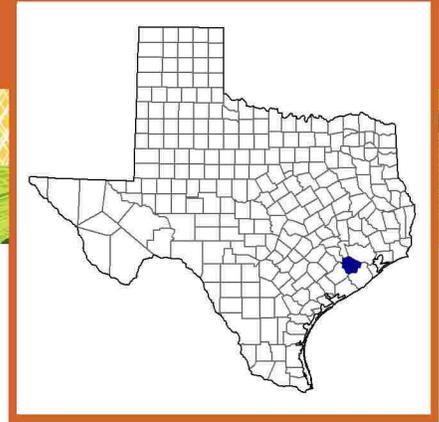


## Fort Bend County, Texas Farms with Asian Producers<sup>a</sup>

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## Fort Bend County, Texas Farms with Black or African American Producers<sup>a</sup>

### Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017

	Farms with Black/African American Producers	All Farms
Number of farms	128	1,155
Land in farms (acres)	7,277	279,483
Average size of farm (acres)	57	242
<b>Total</b>	(\$)	(\$)
Market value of products sold	432,000	85,013,000
Government payments	11,000	4,623,000
Farm-related income	63,000	3,225,000
Total farm production expenses	1,509,000	77,937,000
Net cash farm income	-1,002,000	14,924,000
<b>Per farm average</b>	(\$)	(\$)
Market value of products sold	3,378	73,604
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	746	17,920
Farm-related income	4,818	10,046
Total farm production expenses	11,786	67,478
Net cash farm income	-7,831	12,921

### Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	11
Livestock, poultry, and products	89

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

Cropland	21
Pastureland	73
Woodland	(D)
Other	(D)

### Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	-
Reduced till	-
Intensive till	-
Cover crop	5

### Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent <sup>b</sup>
Less than \$2,500	75	59
\$2,500 to \$4,999	20	16
\$5,000 to \$9,999	23	18
\$10,000 to \$24,999	10	8
\$25,000 to \$49,999	-	-
\$50,000 to \$99,999	-	-
\$100,000 or more	-	-
<b>Total</b>	128	100

### Farms by Size

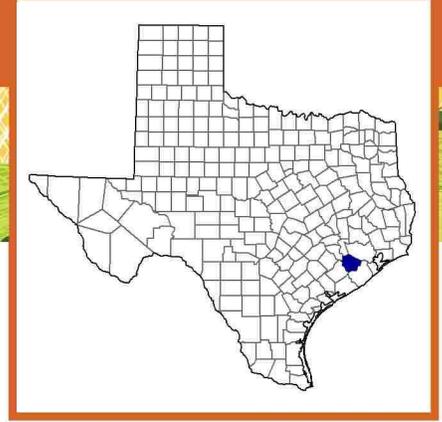
	Number	Percent <sup>b</sup>
1 to 9 acres	40	31
10 to 49 acres	41	32
50 to 179 acres	39	30
180 to 499 acres	8	6
500 to 999 acres	-	-
1,000 + acres	-	-
<b>Total</b>	128	100

Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold		Total Producers <sup>c</sup>	
	Sales (\$1,000)	No. of Farms	
<b>Total</b>	<b>432</b>	<b>128</b>	<b>162</b>
<b>Crops</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>Sex</b>
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	-	-	Male
Tobacco	-	-	Female
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	-	-	<b>Age</b>
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	-	-	<35
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	-	-	35 – 64
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	65 and older
Other crops and hay	49	27	
			<b>Primary occupation</b>
<b>Livestock, poultry, and products</b>	<b>384</b>	<b>70</b>	Farming
Poultry and eggs	12	8	Other
Cattle and calves	332	57	
Milk from cows	-	-	<b>Days worked off farm</b>
Hogs and pigs	-	-	None
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	(D)	4	1 to 199
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	(D)	9	200 +
Aquaculture	-	-	
Other animals and animal products	-	-	<b>Other characteristics</b>
			Hispanic/Latino/Spanish
			With military service
			New and beginning farmers
			<i>Average age (years)</i>
			59.4
<b>Top Crops in Acres <sup>d</sup></b>		<b>Percent of farms that:</b>	
Forage (hay/haylage), all	738	Have internet access	<b>63</b>
Pecans, all	(D)	Farm organically	<b>-</b>
		Sell directly to consumers	<b>2</b>
<b>Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)</b>		Hire farm labor	<b>27</b>
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	200	Are family farms	<b>100</b>
Cattle and calves	1,584		
Goats	71		
Hogs and pigs	-		
Horses and ponies	271		
Layers	(D)		
Pullets	80		
Sheep and lambs	-		
Turkeys	-		

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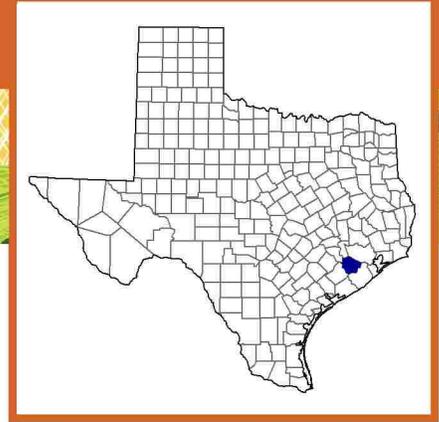


## Fort Bend County, Texas Farms with Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander Producers<sup>a</sup>

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## Fort Bend County, Texas Farms with White Producers<sup>a</sup>

### Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017

	Farms with White Producers	All Farms
Number of farms	1,028	1,155
Land in farms (acres)	272,182	279,483
Average size of farm (acres)	265	242
<b>Total</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	<b>(\$)</b>
Market value of products sold	82,744,000	85,013,000
Government payments	4,612,000	4,623,000
Farm-related income	3,162,000	3,225,000
Total farm production expenses	75,208,000	77,937,000
Net cash farm income	15,311,000	14,924,000
<b>Per farm average</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	<b>(\$)</b>
Market value of products sold	80,491	73,604
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	18,980	17,920
Farm-related income	10,267	10,046
Total farm production expenses	73,160	67,478
Net cash farm income	14,894	12,921

### Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	83
Livestock, poultry, and products	17

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

Cropland	51
Pastureland	42
Woodland	6
Other	1

### Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	3
Reduced till	4
Intensive till	7
Cover crop	1

### Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent <sup>b</sup>
Less than \$2,500	418	41
\$2,500 to \$4,999	111	11
\$5,000 to \$9,999	178	17
\$10,000 to \$24,999	123	12
\$25,000 to \$49,999	71	7
\$50,000 to \$99,999	25	2
\$100,000 or more	102	10
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,028</b>	<b>100</b>

### Farms by Size

	Number	Percent <sup>b</sup>
1 to 9 acres	153	15
10 to 49 acres	374	36
50 to 179 acres	310	30
180 to 499 acres	80	8
500 to 999 acres	47	5
1,000 + acres	64	6
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,028</b>	<b>100</b>

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## Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

	Sales (\$1,000)	No. of Farms
<b>Total</b>	<b>82,744</b>	<b>1,028</b>
<b>Crops</b>	<b>68,907</b>	<b>352</b>
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	22,597	91
Tobacco	-	-
Cotton and cottonseed	23,867	66
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	(D)	15
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	(D)	48
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	(D)	19
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-
Other crops and hay	(D)	196
<b>Livestock, poultry, and products</b>	<b>13,837</b>	<b>574</b>
Poultry and eggs	39	48
Cattle and calves	11,518	497
Milk from cows	-	-
Hogs and pigs	18	14
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	41	25
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	1,962	41
Aquaculture	-	-
Other animals and animal products	260	26

## Total Producers <sup>c</sup>

<b>Sex</b>	<b>1,640</b>
Male	1,036
Female	604
<b>Age</b>	
<35	103
35 – 64	978
65 and older	559
<b>Primary occupation</b>	
Farming	581
Other	1,059
<b>Days worked off farm</b>	
None	523
1 to 199	384
200 +	733
<b>Other characteristics</b>	
Hispanic/Latino/Spanish	140
With military service	154
New and beginning farmers	445
<i>Average age (years)</i>	<i>58.8</i>

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

Cotton, all	42,210
Corn for grain	17,794
Sorghum for grain	15,911
Forage (hay/haylage), all	11,993
Rice	7,844

## Percent of farms that:

Have internet access	<b>73</b>
Farm organically	<b>-</b>
Sell directly to consumers	<b>4</b>
Hire farm labor	<b>26</b>
Are family farms	<b>94</b>

## Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)

Broilers and other meat-type chickens	157
Cattle and calves	29,976
Goats	537
Hogs and pigs	54
Horses and ponies	1,762
Layers	1,641
Pullets	280
Sheep and lambs	(D)
Turkeys	48

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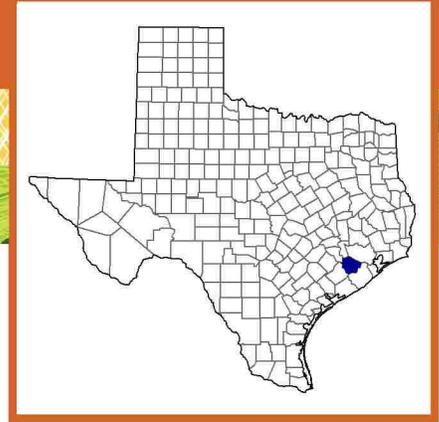
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## Fort Bend County, Texas Farms with Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish Producers

### Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017

	Farms with Hispanic/Latino/Spanish Producers	All Farms
Number of farms	108	1,155
Land in farms (acres)	12,482	279,483
Average size of farm (acres)	116	242
<b>Total</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	<b>(\$)</b>
Market value of products sold	4,409,000	85,013,000
Government payments	80,000	4,623,000
Farm-related income	213,000	3,225,000
Total farm production expenses	5,886,000	77,937,000
Net cash farm income	-1,184,000	14,924,000
<b>Per farm average</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	<b>(\$)</b>
Market value of products sold	40,828	73,604
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	6,138	17,920
Farm-related income	11,224	10,046
Total farm production expenses	54,502	67,478
Net cash farm income	-10,961	12,921

### Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	87
Livestock, poultry, and products	13

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

Cropland	46
Pastureland	38
Woodland	15
Other	2

### Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	5
Reduced till	2
Intensive till	5
Cover crop	3

### Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent <sup>b</sup>
Less than \$2,500	59	55
\$2,500 to \$4,999	16	15
\$5,000 to \$9,999	21	19
\$10,000 to \$24,999	3	3
\$25,000 to \$49,999	3	3
\$50,000 to \$99,999	-	-
\$100,000 or more	6	6
<b>Total</b>	<b>108</b>	<b>100</b>

### Farms by Size

	Number	Percent <sup>b</sup>
1 to 9 acres	18	17
10 to 49 acres	54	50
50 to 179 acres	27	25
180 to 499 acres	-	-
500 to 999 acres	6	6
1,000 + acres	3	3
<b>Total</b>	<b>108</b>	<b>100</b>

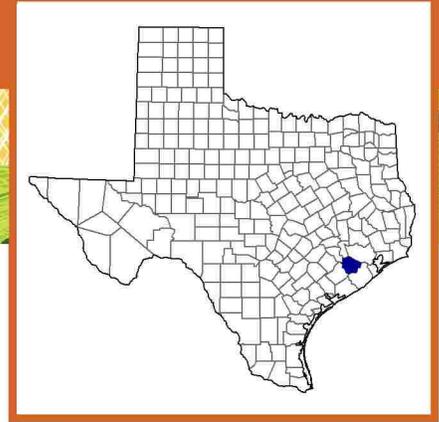
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Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold		Total Producers <sup>c</sup>	149
	Sales (\$1,000)	No. of Farms	
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,409</b>	<b>108</b>	
<b>Crops</b>	<b>3,843</b>	<b>23</b>	
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	3,143	4	
Tobacco	-	-	
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	-	-	
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	480	7	
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	143	4	
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	
Other crops and hay	77	8	
<b>Livestock, poultry, and products</b>	<b>567</b>	<b>59</b>	
Poultry and eggs	(D)	9	
Cattle and calves	486	43	
Milk from cows	-	-	
Hogs and pigs	-	-	
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	(D)	15	
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	47	9	
Aquaculture	-	-	
Other animals and animal products	-	-	
<b>Top Crops in Acres <sup>d</sup></b>		<b>Percent of farms that:</b>	
Rice (D)	(D)	Have internet access	<b>60</b>
Pecans, all 1,125	1,125	Farm organically	-
Soybeans for beans (D)	(D)	Sell directly to consumers	-
Forage (hay/haylage), all 572	572	Hire farm labor	<b>32</b>
Sorghum for grain (D)	(D)	Are family farms	<b>95</b>
<b>Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)</b>		<b>Demographic Data in the Census of Agriculture</b>	
Broilers and other meat-type chickens 24	24	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.	
Cattle and calves 1,523	1,523	See also the video "What's New in the 2017 Census?" ( <a href="http://www.nass.usda.gov/Newsroom/VideoFeatures/index.php">www.nass.usda.gov/Newsroom/VideoFeatures/index.php</a> ).	
Goats 192	192		
Hogs and pigs (D)	(D)		
Horses and ponies 204	204		
Layers 462	462		
Pullets 80	80		
Sheep and lambs 293	293		
Turkeys -	-		

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## Fort Bend County, Texas Farms with Female Producers

### Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017

	Farms with Female Producers	All Farms
Number of farms	597	1,155
Land in farms (acres)	92,322	279,483
Average size of farm (acres)	155	242
<b>Total</b>	(\$)	(\$)
Market value of products sold	31,077,000	85,013,000
Government payments	1,838,000	4,623,000
Farm-related income	1,996,000	3,225,000
Total farm production expenses	29,065,000	77,937,000
Net cash farm income	5,847,000	14,924,000
<b>Per farm average</b>	(\$)	(\$)
Market value of products sold	52,055	73,604
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	17,675	17,920
Farm-related income	12,026	10,046
Total farm production expenses	48,684	67,478
Net cash farm income	9,794	12,921

### Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	75
Livestock, poultry, and products	25

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

Cropland	47
Pastureland	42
Woodland	9
Other	2

### Land Use Practices (% of farms)

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

### Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent <sup>b</sup>
Less than \$2,500	272	46
\$2,500 to \$4,999	64	11
\$5,000 to \$9,999	105	18
\$10,000 to \$24,999	61	10
\$25,000 to \$49,999	46	8
\$50,000 to \$99,999	10	2
\$100,000 or more	39	7
<b>Total</b>	597	100

### Farms by Size

	Number	Percent <sup>b</sup>
1 to 9 acres	115	19
10 to 49 acres	235	39
50 to 179 acres	177	30
180 to 499 acres	36	6
500 to 999 acres	15	3
1,000 + acres	19	3
<b>Total</b>	597	100

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Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold			Total Producers <sup>c</sup>	646
	Sales (\$1,000)	No. of Farms		
<b>Total</b>	<b>31,077</b>	<b>597</b>	<b>Age</b>	
			<35	55
			35 – 64	396
			65 and older	195
<b>Crops</b>	<b>23,200</b>	<b>172</b>	<b>Race</b>	
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	9,562	24	American Indian/Alaska Native	2
Tobacco	-	-	Asian	11
Cotton and cottonseed	5,249	18	Black/African American	29
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	114	12	Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	1,272	31	White	604
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	6,122	13	More than one race	-
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	<b>Primary occupation</b>	
Other crops and hay	881	102	Farming	206
			Other	440
<b>Livestock, poultry, and products</b>	<b>7,877</b>	<b>336</b>	<b>Days worked off farm</b>	
Poultry and eggs	37	44	None	212
Cattle and calves	5,034	261	1 to 199	151
Milk from cows	-	-	200 +	283
Hogs and pigs	17	12	<b>Other characteristics</b>	
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	(D)	21	Hispanic/Latino/Spanish	49
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	1,938	37	With military service	3
Aquaculture	(D)	1	New and beginning farmers	211
Other animals and animal products	254	23	<i>Average age (years)</i>	57.4
<b>Top Crops in Acres <sup>d</sup></b>		<b>Percent of farms that:</b>		
Cotton, all	11,026	Have internet access	<b>79</b>	<b>Demographic Data in the Census of Agriculture</b>
Forage (hay/haylage), all	5,810	Farm organically	<b>-</b>	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.
Rice	5,600	Sell directly to consumers	<b>5</b>	See also the video “What’s New in the 2017 Census?” ( <a href="http://www.nass.usda.gov/Newsroom/VideoFeatures/index.php">www.nass.usda.gov/Newsroom/VideoFeatures/index.php</a> ).
Sorghum for grain	5,014	Hire farm labor	<b>29</b>	
Corn for grain	4,498	Are family farms	<b>94</b>	
<b>Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)</b>				
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	357			
Cattle and calves	13,264			
Goats	439			
Hogs and pigs	28			
Horses and ponies	1,259			
Layers	1,586			
Pullets	256			
Sheep and lambs	410			
Turkeys	46			

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