

Lavaca County, Texas Farms with American Indian or Alaska Native Producers^a

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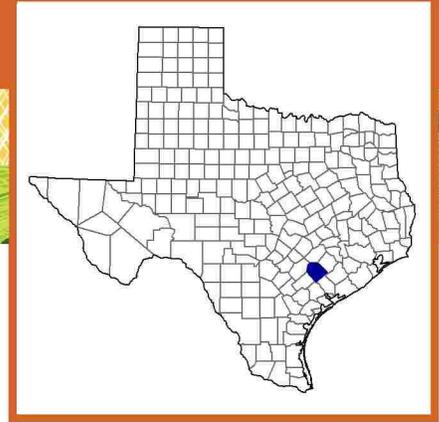
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Lavaca County, Texas Farms with Asian Producers^a

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

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Lavaca County, Texas 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	63	2,900
Land in farms (acres)	4,107	506,548
Average size of farm (acres)	65	175
Total	(\$)	(\$)
Market value of products sold	144,000	50,548,000
Government payments	-	856,000
Farm-related income	(D)	3,909,000
Total farm production expenses	742,000	64,366,000
Net cash farm income	(D)	-9,054,000
Per farm average	(\$)	(\$)
Market value of products sold	2,292	17,430
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	-	4,237
Farm-related income	(D)	7,417
Total farm production expenses	11,782	22,195
Net cash farm income	(D)	-3,122

Share of Sales by Type (%)

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

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^b

Cropland	9
Pastureland	80
Woodland	10
Other	1

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	-
Reduced till	-
Intensive till	-
Cover crop	3

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent ^b
Less than \$2,500	40	63
\$2,500 to \$4,999	13	21
\$5,000 to \$9,999	10	16
\$10,000 to \$24,999	-	-
\$25,000 to \$49,999	-	-
\$50,000 to \$99,999	-	-
\$100,000 or more	-	-
Total	63	100

Farms by Size

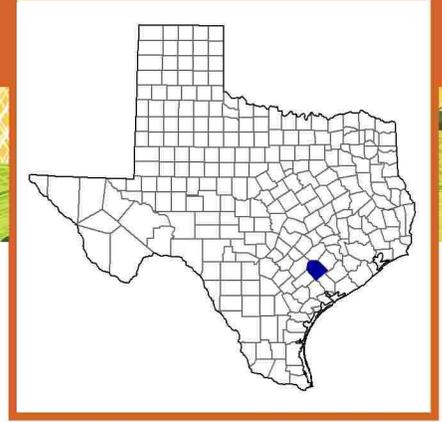
	Number	Percent ^b
1 to 9 acres	6	10
10 to 49 acres	22	35
50 to 179 acres	33	52
180 to 499 acres	2	3
500 to 999 acres	-	-
1,000 + acres	-	-
Total	63	100

Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold		Total Producers ^c	
	Sales (\$1,000)	No. of Farms	
Total	144	63	89
Crops	(D)	12	Sex
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	-	-	Male
Tobacco	-	-	Female
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	-	-	Age
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	(D)	12	
			Primary occupation
Livestock, poultry, and products	(D)	35	Farming
Poultry and eggs	-	-	Other
Cattle and calves	(D)	31	
Milk from cows	-	-	Days worked off farm
Hogs and pigs	-	-	None
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	(D)	2	1 to 199
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	17	5	200 +
Aquaculture	-	-	
Other animals and animal products	-	-	Other characteristics
			Hispanic/Latino/Spanish
			With military service
			New and beginning farmers
			<i>Average age (years)</i>
			57.8
Top Crops in Acres ^d		Percent of farms that:	
Forage (hay/haylage), all	246	Have internet access	52
		Farm organically	-
		Sell directly to consumers	-
Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)		Hire farm labor	32
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	-	Are family farms	94
Cattle and calves	859		
Goats	(D)		
Hogs and pigs	-		
Horses and ponies	97		
Layers	-		
Pullets	-		
Sheep and lambs	99		
Turkeys	-		

Demographic Data in the Census of Agriculture

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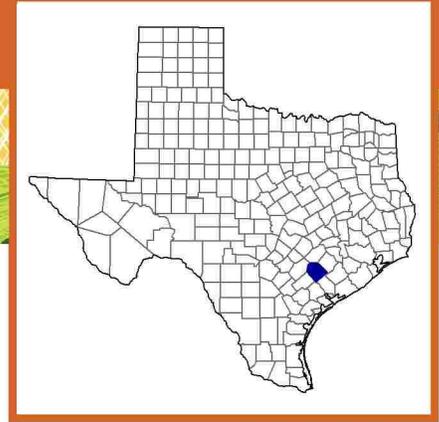
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Lavaca County, Texas Farms with Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander Producers^a

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Lavaca County, Texas Farms with White Producers^a

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017

	Farms with White Producers	All Farms
Number of farms	2,841	2,900
Land in farms (acres)	502,147	506,548
Average size of farm (acres)	177	175
Total	(\$)	(\$)
Market value of products sold	(D)	50,548,000
Government payments	856,000	856,000
Farm-related income	3,907,000	3,909,000
Total farm production expenses	63,760,000	64,366,000
Net cash farm income	-8,641,000	-9,054,000
Per farm average	(\$)	(\$)
Market value of products sold	(D)	17,430
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	4,237	4,237
Farm-related income	7,456	7,417
Total farm production expenses	22,443	22,195
Net cash farm income	-3,042	-3,122

Share of Sales by Type (%)

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

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^b

Cropland	15
Pastureland	67
Woodland	15
Other	3

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

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

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent ^b
Less than \$2,500	927	33
\$2,500 to \$4,999	398	14
\$5,000 to \$9,999	542	19
\$10,000 to \$24,999	561	20
\$25,000 to \$49,999	240	8
\$50,000 to \$99,999	112	4
\$100,000 or more	61	2
Total	2,841	100

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent ^b
1 to 9 acres	184	6
10 to 49 acres	790	28
50 to 179 acres	1,171	41
180 to 499 acres	530	19
500 to 999 acres	111	4
1,000 + acres	55	2
Total	2,841	100

2017 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE Race/Ethnicity/Gender Profile

Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

	Sales (\$1,000)	No. of Farms
Total	(D)	2,841
Crops	7,491	731
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	2,266	41
Tobacco	-	-
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	118	7
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	(D)	54
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	395	9
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-
Other crops and hay	(D)	658
Livestock, poultry, and products	(D)	2,157
Poultry and eggs	(D)	81
Cattle and calves	34,758	2,053
Milk from cows	(D)	1
Hogs and pigs	(D)	27
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	(D)	57
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	124	30
Aquaculture	(D)	1
Other animals and animal products	(D)	28

Total Producers ^c

4,626

Sex

Male	2,906
Female	1,720

Age

<35	263
35 – 64	2,447
65 and older	1,916

Primary occupation

Farming	1,630
Other	2,996

Days worked off farm

None	1,578
1 to 199	1,092
200 +	1,956

Other characteristics

Hispanic/Latino/Spanish	252
With military service	563
New and beginning farmers	960

Average age (years)

60.1

Top Crops in Acres ^d

Forage (hay/haylage), all	45,384
Corn for grain	3,147
Rice	1,685
Pecans, all	(D)
Sorghum for grain	(D)

Percent of farms that:

Have internet access **65**

Farm organically **(Z)**

Sell directly to consumers **1**

Hire farm labor **17**

Are family farms **98**

Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)

Broilers and other meat-type chickens	599
Cattle and calves	101,350
Goats	1,034
Hogs and pigs	241
Horses and ponies	1,066
Layers	(D)
Pullets	292
Sheep and lambs	402
Turkeys	68

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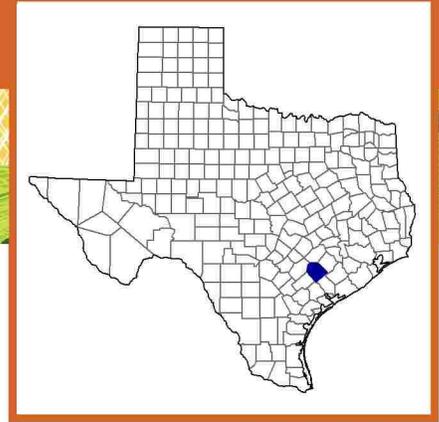
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Lavaca County, Texas Farms with Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish Producers

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017

	Farms with Hispanic/Latino/Spanish Producers	All Farms
Number of farms	183	2,900
Land in farms (acres)	26,827	506,548
Average size of farm (acres)	147	175
Total	(\$)	(\$)
Market value of products sold	946,000	50,548,000
Government payments	12,000	856,000
Farm-related income	53,000	3,909,000
Total farm production expenses	2,240,000	64,366,000
Net cash farm income	-1,229,000	-9,054,000
Per farm average	(\$)	(\$)
Market value of products sold	5,170	17,430
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	1,446	4,237
Farm-related income	1,572	7,417
Total farm production expenses	12,240	22,195
Net cash farm income	-6,715	-3,122

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	26
Livestock, poultry, and products	74

Land in Farms by Use (%)^b

Cropland	12
Pastureland	76
Woodland	9
Other	3

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

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

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent ^b
Less than \$2,500	101	55
\$2,500 to \$4,999	33	18
\$5,000 to \$9,999	20	11
\$10,000 to \$24,999	23	13
\$25,000 to \$49,999	5	3
\$50,000 to \$99,999	1	1
\$100,000 or more	-	-
Total	183	100

Farms by Size

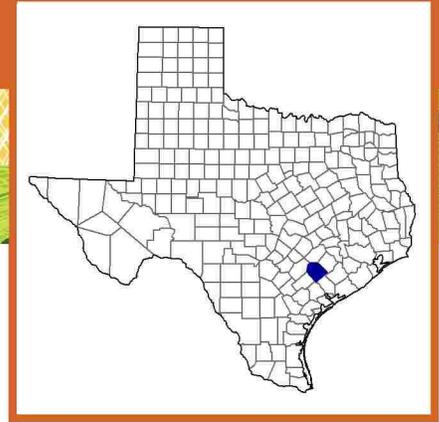
	Number	Percent ^b
1 to 9 acres	9	5
10 to 49 acres	86	47
50 to 179 acres	65	36
180 to 499 acres	17	9
500 to 999 acres	-	-
1,000 + acres	6	3
Total	183	100

Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold		Total Producers ^c	
	Sales (\$1,000)	No. of Farms	
Total	946	183	258
Crops	245	44	Sex
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	-	-	Male 175
Tobacco	-	-	Female 83
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	Age
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	-	-	<35 12
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	(D)	2	35 – 64 159
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	-	-	65 and older 87
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	Race
Other crops and hay	(D)	42	American Indian/Alaska Native -
			Asian -
			Black/African American 6
			Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander -
			White 248
			More than one race 4
Livestock, poultry, and products	701	119	Primary occupation
Poultry and eggs	5	10	Farming 85
Cattle and calves	668	107	Other 173
Milk from cows	-	-	Days worked off farm
Hogs and pigs	(D)	1	None 78
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	8	5	1 to 199 77
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	18	5	200 + 103
Aquaculture	-	-	Other characteristics
Other animals and animal products	(D)	3	With military service 39
			New and beginning farmers 60
			<i>Average age (years)</i> 58.9
Top Crops in Acres ^d		Percent of farms that:	Demographic Data in the Census of Agriculture
Forage (hay/haylage), all	2,723	Have internet access 57	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).
Pecans, all	(D)	Farm organically -	
		Sell directly to consumers -	
Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)		Hire farm labor 20	
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	40	Are family farms 100	
Cattle and calves	2,935		
Goats	87		
Hogs and pigs	23		
Horses and ponies	73		
Layers	389		
Pullets	15		
Sheep and lambs	32		
Turkeys	16		

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Lavaca County, Texas Farms with Female Producers

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017

	Farms with Female Producers	All Farms
Number of farms	1,639	2,900
Land in farms (acres)	253,638	506,548
Average size of farm (acres)	155	175
Total	(\$)	(\$)
Market value of products sold	27,617,000	50,548,000
Government payments	680,000	856,000
Farm-related income	2,009,000	3,909,000
Total farm production expenses	36,732,000	64,366,000
Net cash farm income	-6,426,000	-9,054,000
Per farm average	(\$)	(\$)
Market value of products sold	16,850	17,430
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	5,398	4,237
Farm-related income	6,460	7,417
Total farm production expenses	22,411	22,195
Net cash farm income	-3,921	-3,122

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	12
Livestock, poultry, and products	88

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^b

Cropland	15
Pastureland	66
Woodland	16
Other	3

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

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

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent ^b
Less than \$2,500	546	33
\$2,500 to \$4,999	243	15
\$5,000 to \$9,999	319	19
\$10,000 to \$24,999	316	19
\$25,000 to \$49,999	141	9
\$50,000 to \$99,999	52	3
\$100,000 or more	22	1
Total	1,639	100

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent ^b
1 to 9 acres	114	7
10 to 49 acres	513	31
50 to 179 acres	653	40
180 to 499 acres	287	18
500 to 999 acres	45	3
1,000 + acres	27	2
Total	1,639	100

2017 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE Race/Ethnicity/Gender Profile

Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold		Total Producers ^c	1,756
	Sales (\$1,000)	No. of Farms	
Total	27,617	1,639	Age
Crops	3,232	430	<35 107
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	807	18	35 – 64 927
Tobacco	-	-	65 and older 722
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	Race
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	(D)	3	American Indian/Alaska Native 8
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	458	27	Asian 7
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	(D)	6	Black/African American 18
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander 3
Other crops and hay	1,795	394	White 1,718
			More than one race 2
Livestock, poultry, and products	24,384	1,241	Primary occupation
Poultry and eggs	4,133	70	Farming 529
Cattle and calves	16,822	1,166	Other 1,227
Milk from cows	(D)	1	Days worked off farm
Hogs and pigs	51	22	None 667
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	25	29	1 to 199 380
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	92	17	200 + 709
Aquaculture	(D)	1	Other characteristics
Other animals and animal products	(D)	21	Hispanic/Latino/Spanish 83
			With military service 23
			New and beginning farmers 414
			<i>Average age (years)</i> 60.0
Top Crops in Acres ^d		Percent of farms that:	Demographic Data in the Census of Agriculture
Forage (hay/haylage), all 23,004		Have internet access 68	<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>
Corn for grain 983		Farm organically (Z)	
Rice 835		Sell directly to consumers 1	
Pecans, all 408		Hire farm labor 19	
Olives 119		Are family farms 98	
Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)			
Broilers and other meat-type chickens 409			
Cattle and calves 51,061			
Goats 568			
Hogs and pigs 191			
Horses and ponies 632			
Layers 100,060			
Pullets 229			
Sheep and lambs 214			
Turkeys 68			

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