



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

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

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

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## Limestone 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	120	1,284
Land in farms (acres)	20,262	492,631
Average size of farm (acres)	169	384
<b>Total</b>	(\$)	(\$)
Market value of products sold	1,518,000	66,257,000
Government payments	(D)	678,000
Farm-related income	225,000	2,678,000
Total farm production expenses	2,634,000	67,931,000
Net cash farm income	(D)	1,682,000
<b>Per farm average</b>	(\$)	(\$)
Market value of products sold	12,646	51,602
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	(D)	8,480
Farm-related income	7,744	8,396
Total farm production expenses	21,951	52,906
Net cash farm income	(D)	1,310

### Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	22
Livestock, poultry, and products	78

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

Cropland	35
Pastureland	51
Woodland	12
Other	2

### Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	13
Reduced till	2
Intensive till	2
Cover crop	1

### Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent <sup>b</sup>
Less than \$2,500	26	22
\$2,500 to \$4,999	12	10
\$5,000 to \$9,999	22	18
\$10,000 to \$24,999	39	33
\$25,000 to \$49,999	20	17
\$50,000 to \$99,999	1	1
\$100,000 or more	-	-
<b>Total</b>	120	100

### Farms by Size

	Number	Percent <sup>b</sup>
1 to 9 acres	4	3
10 to 49 acres	26	22
50 to 179 acres	51	43
180 to 499 acres	32	27
500 to 999 acres	7	6
1,000 + acres	-	-
<b>Total</b>	120	100

Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold		Total Producers <sup>c</sup>	
	Sales (\$1,000)	No. of Farms	
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,518</b>	<b>120</b>	<b>200</b>
<b>Crops</b>	<b>340</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>Sex</b>
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	-	-	Male
Tobacco	-	-	Female
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	78	7	<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	262	39	
			<b>Primary occupation</b>
<b>Livestock, poultry, and products</b>	<b>1,178</b>	<b>100</b>	Farming
Poultry and eggs	8	17	Other
Cattle and calves	1,086	85	
Milk from cows	-	-	<b>Days worked off farm</b>
Hogs and pigs	-	-	None
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	(D)	6	1 to 199
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	(D)	12	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>
			58.4
<b>Top Crops in Acres <sup>d</sup></b>		<b>Percent of farms that:</b>	
Forage (hay/haylage), all	4,042	Have internet access	<b>75</b>
Vegetables harvested, all	15	Farm organically	<b>-</b>
Tomatoes in the open	(D)	Sell directly to consumers	<b>1</b>
Peas, southern (cowpeas)	(D)	Hire farm labor	<b>26</b>
Watermelons	2	Are family farms	<b>92</b>
<b>Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)</b>			
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	(D)		
Cattle and calves	3,844		
Goats	-		
Hogs and pigs	(D)		
Horses and ponies	(D)		
Layers	689		
Pullets	-		
Sheep and lambs	90		
Turkeys	-		

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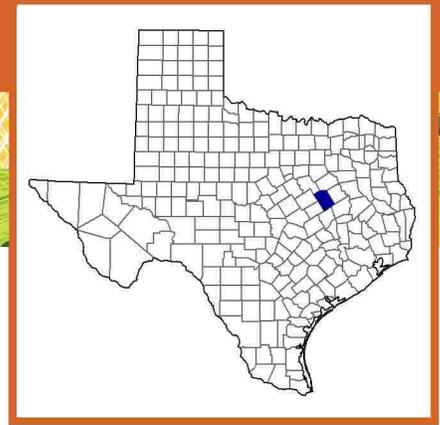


## Limestone County, Texas Farms with Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander Producers<sup>a</sup>

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

### Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017

	Farms with White Producers	All Farms
Number of farms	1,165	1,284
Land in farms (acres)	471,654	492,631
Average size of farm (acres)	405	384
<b>Total</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	<b>(\$)</b>
Market value of products sold	60,665,000	66,257,000
Government payments	622,000	678,000
Farm-related income	2,348,000	2,678,000
Total farm production expenses	62,975,000	67,931,000
Net cash farm income	660,000	1,682,000
<b>Per farm average</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	<b>(\$)</b>
Market value of products sold	52,073	51,602
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	8,525	8,480
Farm-related income	8,269	8,396
Total farm production expenses	54,056	52,906
Net cash farm income	566	1,310

### Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	16
Livestock, poultry, and products	84

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

Cropland	14
Pastureland	71
Woodland	11
Other	4

### Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	3
Reduced till	1
Intensive till	2
Cover crop	2

### Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent <sup>b</sup>
Less than \$2,500	435	37
\$2,500 to \$4,999	127	11
\$5,000 to \$9,999	157	13
\$10,000 to \$24,999	214	18
\$25,000 to \$49,999	120	10
\$50,000 to \$99,999	51	4
\$100,000 or more	61	5
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,165</b>	<b>100</b>

### Farms by Size

	Number	Percent <sup>b</sup>
1 to 9 acres	97	8
10 to 49 acres	318	27
50 to 179 acres	333	29
180 to 499 acres	249	21
500 to 999 acres	84	7
1,000 + acres	84	7
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,165</b>	<b>100</b>

# 2017 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE Race/Ethnicity/Gender Profile

## Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

	Sales (\$1,000)	No. of Farms
<b>Total</b>	<b>60,665</b>	<b>1,165</b>
<b>Crops</b>	<b>9,674</b>	<b>253</b>
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	3,976	12
Tobacco	-	-
Cotton and cottonseed	1,837	5
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	185	10
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	699	18
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	1,312	5
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-
Other crops and hay	1,666	212
<b>Livestock, poultry, and products</b>	<b>50,990</b>	<b>784</b>
Poultry and eggs	7,435	68
Cattle and calves	41,937	689
Milk from cows	1,028	4
Hogs and pigs	27	31
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	(D)	53
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	(D)	60
Aquaculture	37	3
Other animals and animal products	(D)	15

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

1,855

### Sex

Male	1,157
Female	698

### Age

<35	127
35 – 64	954
65 and older	774

### Primary occupation

Farming	764
Other	1,091

### Days worked off farm

None	643
1 to 199	494
200 +	718

### Other characteristics

Hispanic/Latino/Spanish	138
With military service	249
New and beginning farmers	472

Average age (years)

59.5

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

Forage (hay/haylage), all	30,728
Corn for grain	7,114
Cotton, all	4,687
Wheat for grain, all	(D)
Soybeans for beans	(D)

## Percent of farms that:

Have internet access **68**

Farm organically **-**

Sell directly to consumers **2**

Hire farm labor **23**

Are family farms **99**

## Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)

Broilers and other meat-type chickens	354,221
Cattle and calves	73,918
Goats	1,264
Hogs and pigs	(D)
Horses and ponies	1,591
Layers	3,643
Pullets	237
Sheep and lambs	647
Turkeys	12

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## Limestone 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	114	1,284
Land in farms (acres)	18,682	492,631
Average size of farm (acres)	164	384
<b>Total</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	<b>(\$)</b>
Market value of products sold	2,589,000	66,257,000
Government payments	29,000	678,000
Farm-related income	117,000	2,678,000
Total farm production expenses	2,384,000	67,931,000
Net cash farm income	351,000	1,682,000
<b>Per farm average</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	<b>(\$)</b>
Market value of products sold	22,710	51,602
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	5,862	8,480
Farm-related income	5,305	8,396
Total farm production expenses	20,911	52,906
Net cash farm income	3,080	1,310

### Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	51
Livestock, poultry, and products	49

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

Cropland	15
Pastureland	60
Woodland	19
Other	6

### Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	9
Reduced till	-
Intensive till	5
Cover crop	1

### Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent <sup>b</sup>
Less than \$2,500	57	50
\$2,500 to \$4,999	10	9
\$5,000 to \$9,999	7	6
\$10,000 to \$24,999	22	19
\$25,000 to \$49,999	8	7
\$50,000 to \$99,999	5	4
\$100,000 or more	5	4
<b>Total</b>	<b>114</b>	<b>100</b>

### Farms by Size

	Number	Percent <sup>b</sup>
1 to 9 acres	12	11
10 to 49 acres	51	45
50 to 179 acres	24	21
180 to 499 acres	20	18
500 to 999 acres	2	2
1,000 + acres	5	4
<b>Total</b>	<b>114</b>	<b>100</b>

# 2017 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE Race/Ethnicity/Gender Profile

Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold		Total Producers <sup>c</sup>		
	Sales (\$1,000)	No. of Farms		
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,589</b>	<b>114</b>	<b>138</b>	
<b>Crops</b>	<b>1,330</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>Sex</b>	
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	-	-	Male	78
Tobacco	-	-	Female	60
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	<b>Age</b>	
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	-	-	<35	33
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	(D)	2	35 – 64	68
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	(D)	4	65 and older	37
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	<b>Race</b>	
Other crops and hay	37	19	American Indian/Alaska Native	-
			Asian	-
			Black/African American	-
			Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-
			White	136
			More than one race	2
<b>Livestock, poultry, and products</b>	<b>1,259</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>Primary occupation</b>	
Poultry and eggs	2	7	Farming	69
Cattle and calves	1,172	72	Other	69
Milk from cows	-	-	<b>Days worked off farm</b>	
Hogs and pigs	-	-	None	47
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	(D)	3	1 to 199	46
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	(D)	9	200 +	45
Aquaculture	-	-	<b>Other characteristics</b>	
Other animals and animal products	-	-	With military service	12
			New and beginning farmers	61
			<i>Average age (years)</i>	<i>51.7</i>
<b>Top Crops in Acres <sup>d</sup></b>		<b>Percent of farms that:</b>	<b>Demographic Data in the Census of Agriculture</b>	
Forage (hay/haylage), all	2,094	Have internet access	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?" ( <a href="http://www.nass.usda.gov/Newsroom/VideoFeatures/index.php">www.nass.usda.gov/Newsroom/VideoFeatures/index.php</a> ).	
Nursery stock crops	(D)	Farm organically		
Pecans, all	(D)	Sell directly to consumers		
<b>Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)</b>		Hire farm labor		
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	-	Are family farms		
Cattle and calves	4,645			
Goats	-			
Hogs and pigs	-			
Horses and ponies	128			
Layers	215			
Pullets	-			
Sheep and lambs	36			
Turkeys	-			

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## Limestone County, Texas Farms with Female Producers

### Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017

	Farms with Female Producers	All Farms
Number of farms	715	1,284
Land in farms (acres)	161,996	492,631
Average size of farm (acres)	227	384
<b>Total</b>	(\$)	(\$)
Market value of products sold	30,443,000	66,257,000
Government payments	327,000	678,000
Farm-related income	1,241,000	2,678,000
Total farm production expenses	30,764,000	67,931,000
Net cash farm income	1,247,000	1,682,000
<b>Per farm average</b>	(\$)	(\$)
Market value of products sold	42,577	51,602
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	8,607	8,480
Farm-related income	7,904	8,396
Total farm production expenses	43,026	52,906
Net cash farm income	1,744	1,310

### Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	18
Livestock, poultry, and products	82

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

Cropland	20
Pastureland	64
Woodland	13
Other	3

### Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	4
Reduced till	1
Intensive till	3
Cover crop	2

### Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent <sup>b</sup>
Less than \$2,500	274	38
\$2,500 to \$4,999	73	10
\$5,000 to \$9,999	124	17
\$10,000 to \$24,999	111	16
\$25,000 to \$49,999	76	11
\$50,000 to \$99,999	24	3
\$100,000 or more	33	5
<b>Total</b>	715	100

### Farms by Size

	Number	Percent <sup>b</sup>
1 to 9 acres	60	8
10 to 49 acres	218	30
50 to 179 acres	219	31
180 to 499 acres	141	20
500 to 999 acres	44	6
1,000 + acres	33	5
<b>Total</b>	715	100

# 2017 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE Race/Ethnicity/Gender Profile

## Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

	Sales (\$1,000)	No. of Farms
<b>Total</b>	<b>30,443</b>	<b>715</b>
<b>Crops</b>	<b>5,630</b>	<b>142</b>
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	(D)	3
Tobacco	-	-
Cotton and cottonseed	(D)	1
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	101	7
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	692	16
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	1,312	5
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-
Other crops and hay	823	114
<b>Livestock, poultry, and products</b>	<b>24,813</b>	<b>498</b>
Poultry and eggs	11,558	64
Cattle and calves	12,314	413
Milk from cows	(D)	2
Hogs and pigs	(D)	23
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	65	42
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	181	47
Aquaculture	-	-
Other animals and animal products	25	11

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

764

<b>Age</b>	
<35	67
35 – 64	406
65 and older	291
<b>Race</b>	
American Indian/Alaska Native	2
Asian	7
Black/African American	57
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-
White	682
More than one race	16
<b>Primary occupation</b>	
Farming	244
Other	520
<b>Days worked off farm</b>	
None	279
1 to 199	181
200 +	304
<b>Other characteristics</b>	
Hispanic/Latino/Spanish	60
With military service	13
New and beginning farmers	223
<i>Average age (years)</i>	58.3

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

Forage (hay/haylage), all	15,380
Corn for grain	(D)
Wheat for grain, all	(D)
Cotton, all	(D)
Nursery stock crops	148

## Percent of farms that:

Have internet access	<b>76</b>
Farm organically	<b>-</b>
Sell directly to consumers	<b>3</b>
Hire farm labor	<b>20</b>
Are family farms	<b>98</b>

## Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)

Broilers and other meat-type chickens	512,188
Cattle and calves	25,356
Goats	1,026
Hogs and pigs	147
Horses and ponies	1,028
Layers	3,190
Pullets	193
Sheep and lambs	412
Turkeys	12

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