



Lamar County Texas

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2022 and change since 2017

	2022	% change since 2017
Number of farms	1,865	-4
Land in farms (acres)	513,465	+11
Average size of farm (acres)	275	+15
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	85,538,000	+16
Government payments	9,253,000	+9
Farm-related income	9,069,000	+107
Total farm production expenses	110,895,000	+49
Net cash farm income	-7,035,000	-159
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	45,865	+22
Government payments ^a	15,578	+22
Farm-related income ^a	23,195	+145
Total farm production expenses	59,461	+56
Net cash farm income	-3,772	-162

(Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	46
Livestock, poultry, and products	54

Land in Farms by Use (acres)

Cropland	192,638
Pastureland	258,227
Woodland	42,513
Other	20,087

Acres irrigated: 10,822

2% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	4
Reduced till	3
Intensive till	9
Cover crop	2

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^b
Less than \$2,500	762	41
\$2,500 to \$4,999	236	13
\$5,000 to \$9,999	212	11
\$10,000 to \$24,999	288	15
\$25,000 to \$49,999	155	8
\$50,000 to \$99,999	90	5
\$100,000 or more	122	7

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^b
1 to 9 acres	158	8
10 to 49 acres	599	32
50 to 179 acres	649	35
180 to 499 acres	256	14
500 to 999 acres	115	6
1,000+ acres	88	5

Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

	Sales (\$1,000)	Rank in State ^c	Counties Producing Item	Rank in U.S. ^c	Counties Producing Item
Total	85,538	82	254	1,537	3,078
Crops	39,024	62	254	1,451	3,074
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	31,342	29	236	1,133	2,917
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	267
Cotton and cottonseed	810	110	170	443	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	131	118	195	1,642	2,831
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	351	79	215	1,039	2,711
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	609	89	183	1,089	2,660
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	42	-	1,274
Other crops and hay	5,781	48	249	601	3,035
Livestock, poultry, and products	46,514	83	254	1,140	3,076
Poultry and eggs	300	78	244	996	3,027
Cattle and calves	41,595	59	254	421	3,047
Milk from cows	(D)	40	93	(D)	1,770
Hogs and pigs	(D)	73	222	(D)	2,814
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	168	122	247	1,090	2,967
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	412	95	253	691	2,907
Aquaculture	-	-	79	-	1,190
Other animals and animal products	56	131	234	1,201	2,909

Producers ^d	3,226	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^e
Sex		Have internet access	74
Male	2,003		
Female	1,223		
Age		Farm organically	-
<35	286		
35 – 64	1,799		
65 and older	1,141		
Race		Sell directly to consumers	3
American Indian/Alaska Native	88		
Asian	15		
Black or African American	61		
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-		
White	2,997	Hire farm labor	17
More than one race	65		
Other characteristics		Are family farms	98
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	91		
With military service	314		
New and beginning farmers	1,081		
			Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2022)
			Broilers and other meat-type chickens
			871
			Cattle and calves
			88,004
			Goats
			1,481
			Hogs and pigs
			309
			Horses and ponies
			1,896
			Layers
			6,837
			Pullets
			425
			Sheep and lambs
			777
			Turkeys
			45

^a Average per farm receiving. ^b May not add to 100% due to rounding. ^c Among counties whose rank can be displayed. ^d Data collected for a maximum of four producers per farm. ^e Crop commodity names may be shortened; see full names at www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf. ^f 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.