

1997 Census of Agriculture Profiles

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Parish Profile

United States Department of Agriculture, Louisiana Agricultural Statistics Service

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Ranked Items Within State and U.S., 1997

Item	Quantity	State		U.S.	
		Rank	Universe*	Rank	Universe*
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)					
Total value of agricultural products sold	1,146	62	64	2,997	3,076
Value of livestock and poultry	683	56	64	2,930	3,069
Value of crops including nursery	462	56	64	2,887	3,070
TOP FIVE ALL COMMODITIES - VALUE OF SALES (\$1,000)					
Cattle and calves	618	50	64	2,713	3,063
Cotton, cottonseed	(D)	23	30	537	709
Soybeans	104	42	48	1,669	2,136
Hay, silage, field seeds, grass seeds	49	49	61	2,829	3,043
Colonies of bees and honey	(D)	13	28	512	1,992
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK SOLD (number)					
Cattle and calves sold	1,975	50	64	2,657	3,063
Hogs and pigs sold	97	34	59	2,578	2,976
All goats sold	51	17	50	1,422	2,686
Sheep and lambs sold	(D)	35	45	2,620	2,765
Horses and ponies sold	4	56	62	2,910	3,015
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK INVENTORY (number)					
Cattle and calves inventory	5,012	47	64	2,579	3,064
Colony of bees inventory	737	12	42	525	2,588
All goat inventory	175	17	59	1,281	2,983
Layers 20 weeks and older inventory	149	42	59	2,471	3,002
Horse and pony inventory	117	52	64	2,817	3,066
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - CROP AREA					
Hay crops-acres	2,608	47	64	2,626	3,061
Soybeans for beans-acres	770	40	48	1,633	2,144
Cotton-acres	(D)	25	30	555	713
Corn for grain-acres	(D)	38	50	2,355	2,691
Sorghum for grain-acres	(D)	27	30	1,005	1,508

Some counties do not have five commodities in a group.

Other County Summary Highlights

Item	1997	1992	Percent Change
Farms by value of sales:			
Less than \$10,000	139	145	-4
\$10,000 or more	21	30	-30
Total farm production expenses\$1,000..	1,456	1,657	-12
Average per farmdollars..	9,099	9,467	-4
Net cash return from agricultural sales			
for the farm unit\$1,000..	(177)	(370)	52
Average per farmdollars..	(1,106)	(2,115)	48
Farms by type of organization:			
Individual or family	155	168	-8
Partnership or corporation	4	6	-33
Other	1	1	
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS			
Operators by principal occupation:			
Farming	41	50	-18
Other	119	125	-5
Operators by sex:			
Male	152	162	-6
Female	8	13	-38
Operators by race:			
White	157	175	-10
Black and other races	3	-	
Average age of operator	53.3	52.9	1

(D) Cannot be disclosed. See "Census of Agriculture Volume 1 Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes.

* Universe is number of counties in state or U.S. with item.