

BREWSTER COUNTY, TX

Information based on Congressional Districts of the 106th U.S. Congress, 1997

	1997	1992	1987
Farms			
Number	129	122	118
Acreage	2,396,979	2,405,018	2,377,767
Average size (acres)	18,581	19,713	20,151
Median size (acres)	5,000	N	N
Estimated market value average per farm			
Land/buildings (dollars)	3,129,689	2,173,702	3,568,847
Machinery/equip (dollars)	31,254	33,522	41,869
Cropland (acres)			
Total	5,682	3,144	1,896
Harvested	D	D	339
Irrigated	D	D	17
Agricultural products sold - market value			
(\$1,000)	9,009	12,157	9,806
(dollars avg. per farm)	69,835	99,649	83,105
Agricultural sales - Net cash return per farm			
(dollars average)	8,766	15,297	14,924
Livestock inventory (number)			
Cattle and calves	39,805	43,590	39,770
Beef cows	24,744	D	D
Milk cows	0	D	D
Hogs and pigs	57	100	D
Sheep and lambs	3,286	5,707	7,782
Layers 13 wks or/older	47	D	222
Broilers and chicken (sold)	0	0	D
Harvested commodities (acres)			
Corn, grain or seed	0	0	0
Corn, silage or green chop	N	N	N
Sorghum, grain or seed	0	0	0
Wheat	D	0	0
Barley	N	N	N
Oats	N	N	N
Rice	0	0	0
Sunflower seed	N	N	N
Cotton	0	0	0
Tobacco	N	N	N
Soybeans	0	0	0
Dry edible beans, excl limas	N	N	N
Potatoes, excl sweetpotatoes	N	N	N
Sugar beets for sugar	N	N	N
Sugarcane for sugar	N	N	N
Peanuts for nuts	N	N	N
Hay-alfalfa	D	693	D
Vegetables			
Number of farms	N	N	N
Acreage	N	N	N

Orchards

Number of farms	N	N	N
Acreage	N	N	N

Abbreviations/footnotes:

N represents zero.

0 represents an insignificant amount.

D-Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual farms.

Source: USDA, NASS, 1997 Census of Agriculture