

WALKER COUNTY, TX

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

	1997	1992	1987
Farms			
Number	826	722	747
Acreage	183,988	213,923	269,832
Average size (acres)	223	296	361
Median size (acres)	70	N	N
Estimated market value average per farm			
Land/buildings (dollars)	278,509	328,631	389,563
Machinery/equip (dollars)	24,296	20,751	18,118
Cropland (acres)			
Total	60,192	59,530	56,318
Harvested	17,569	17,113	14,903
Irrigated	325	170	161
Agricultural products sold - market value			
(\$1,000)	10,892	14,170	8,478
(dollars avg. per farm)	13,186	19,625	11,349
Agricultural sales - Net cash return per farm			
(dollars average)	-2,440	4,468	-2,380
Livestock inventory (number)			
Cattle and calves	35,091	33,983	34,564
Beef cows	D	22,684	23,456
Milk cows	D	261	232
Hogs and pigs	4,085	5,194	D
Sheep and lambs	102	46	88
Layers 13 wks or/older	D	D	D
Broilers and chicken (sold)	D	0	90
Harvested commodities (acres)			
Corn, grain or seed	D	0	D
Corn, silage or green chop	N	N	N
Sorghum, grain or seed	0	D	D
Wheat	0	0	0
Barley	N	N	N
Oats	N	N	N
Rice	0	0	0
Sunflower seed	N	N	N
Cotton	D	D	D
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	15,155	14,020	12,573
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