

**Socioeconomic Impacts of Salt Marsh Die Back**

**CEI project 21-19**

**Farms**

Line Item	Jefferson			Lafourche			Plaquemines		
	1997	1992	1987	1997	1992	1987	1997	1992	1987
Farms (number)	62	58	102	398	412	366	127	128	117
Land in farms (acres)	4,836	4,127	15,748	135,042	132,678	122,862	36,756	46,110	42,641
Land in farms - average size of farm (acres)	78	71	154	339	322	336	289	360	364
Land in farms - median size of farm (acres)	37	N	N	77	N	N	30	N	N
Estimated market value of land and buildings@1: average per farm (dollars)	142,169	123,202	166,990	481,006	372,132	375,902	341,036	500,597	455,479
Estimated market value of land and buildings@1: average per acre (dollars)	1,823	1,762	1,146	1,328	1,147	1,069	1,219	1,321	1,275
Estimated market value of all machinery/equipment@1: aver per farm (dollars)	18,876	18,821	17,198	67,647	61,567	48,190	37,925	26,731	22,536
Farms by size: 1 to 9 acres	13	13	23	24	19	25	38	36	28
Farms by size: 10 to 49 acres	21	24	42	110	105	85	44	46	42
Farms by size: 50 to 179 acres	17	12	22	127	132	119	21	26	29
Farms by size: 180 to 499 acres	11	9	10	67	86	75	12	8	7
Farms by size: 500 to 999 acres	0	0	3	29	31	32	3	7	4
Farms by size: 1,000 acres or more	0	0	2	41	39	30	9	5	7
Total cropland (farms)	36	36	74	319	345	298	107	110	92
Total cropland (acres)	1,815	2,281	5,324	69,402	80,627	70,189	4,523	6,895	5,753
Total cropland, harvested cropland (farms)	19	20	40	248	275	250	96	92	78
Total cropland, harvested cropland (acres)	488	313	2,046	42,636	50,761	42,468	1,305	3,923	D
Irrigated land (farms)	5	9	10	14	20	14	36	38	23
Irrigated land (acres)	95	53	36	406	1,954	802	122	181	259

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Market value of agricultural products sold (\$1,000)	2,353	1,419	1,081	32,207	27,078	22,115	4,653	2,506	2,406
Market value of agricultural products sold, average per farm (dollars)	37,945	24,458	10,602	80,922	65,723	60,422	36,640	19,575	20,567
Market value of ag prod sold-crops,incl nursery and greenhouse crops (\$1,000)	387	1,266	671	26,779	23,201	19,638	3,346	1,407	644
Market value of ag products sold - livestock, poultry, and their products (\$1,000)	1,965	152	411	5,428	3,877	2,476	1,307	1,099	1,762
Farms by value of sales: Less than \$2,500	34	29	54	94	108	111	44	61	59
Farms by value of sales: \$2,500 to \$4,999	6	12	14	78	61	45	13	13	14
Farms by value of sales: \$5,000 to \$9,999	11	7	18	51	55	66	17	12	14
Farms by value of sales: \$10,000 to \$24,999	3	2	7	78	70	44	25	23	22
Farms by value of sales: \$25,000 to \$49,999	1	2	5	23	40	27	8	10	2
Farms by value of sales: \$50,000 to \$99,999	3	3	2	19	22	19	6	4	3
Farms by value of sales: \$100,000 or more	4	3	2	55	56	54	14	5	3

(D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual farms.

(N) Not available.

Source: Census of Agriculture 1987, 1992 & 1997 Louisiana Electronic Assistance Program

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St. Bernard			St. Mary			Terrebonne					
	1997	1992	1987		1997	1992	1987		1997	1992	1987
	27	25	22		103	101	88		137	139	145
	3,404	6,166	5,884		83,166	81,747	75,556		52,873	44,146	40,132
	126	247	267		807	809	859		386	318	277
	25	N	N		450	N	N		78	N	N
	300,605	499,591	160,000		1,218,867	1,124,224	961,545		675,586	369,509	331,021
	2,384	2,026	598		1,545	1,389	1,092		1,650	1,295	1,245
	13,956	20,327	11,984		246,590	204,537	153,295		75,089	69,818	51,754
	4	8	6		5	4	2		9	13	19
	12	11	8		16	12	10		43	34	45
	6	4	6		18	15	12		34	40	29
	3	1	1		13	13	15		22	21	24
	1	0	0		18	25	25		15	17	14
	1	1	1		33	32	24		14	14	14
	20	25	19		88	90	79		107	114	119
	1,568	661	D		65,199	71,074	60,173		30,956	27,581	24,800
	19	20	15		74	86	71		92	98	94
	872	184	160		50,404	51,634	41,163		18,660	14,502	11,804
	5	3	3		0	2	1		7	6	9
	45	5	4		0	D	D		173	33	82

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	1997	1992	1987		1997	1992	1987		1997	1992	1987
	425	450	510		39,430	26,572	24,415		14,180	8,297	4,978
	15,747	18,016	23,189		382,811	263,089	277,441		103,506	59,692	34,332
	D	D	D		39,116	26,364	24,271		12,131	6,670	4,166
	D	D	D		314	208	144		2,049	1,627	812
	11	11	8		20	11	13		49	36	53
	4	3	7		11	6	2		17	22	27
	4	3	1		7	8	7		14	19	15
	4	6	1		6	11	6		23	23	20
	1	1	2		9	5	5		10	8	10
	2	0	2		0	4	10		4	6	3
	1	1	1		50	56	45		20	25	17