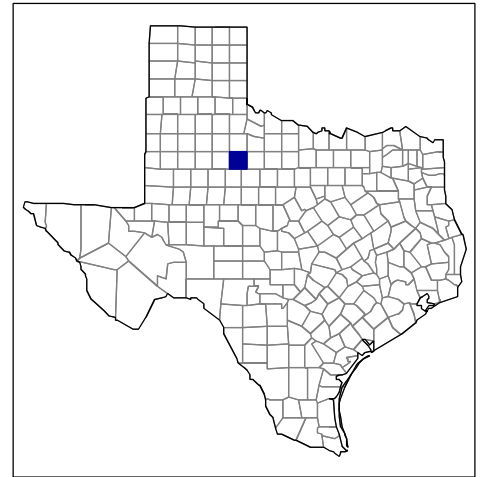




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Number of farms

316 farms in 2002, 327 farms in 1997, down 3 percent.

Land in farms

524,308 acres in 2002, 471,316 acres in 1997, up 11 percent.

Average size of farm

1,659 acres in 2002, 1,441 acres in 1997, up 15 percent.

Market Value of Production

\$9,029,000 in 2002, \$10,727,000 in 1997, down 16 percent.

Crop sales accounted for \$3,051,000 of the total value in 2002.

Livestock sales accounted for \$5,978,000 of the total value in 2002.

Market Value of Production, average per farm

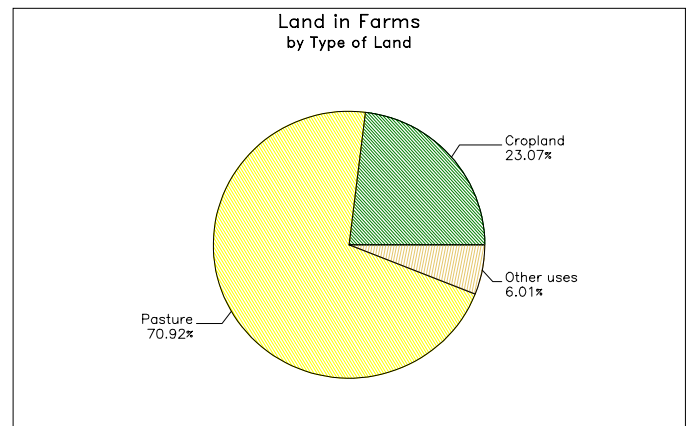
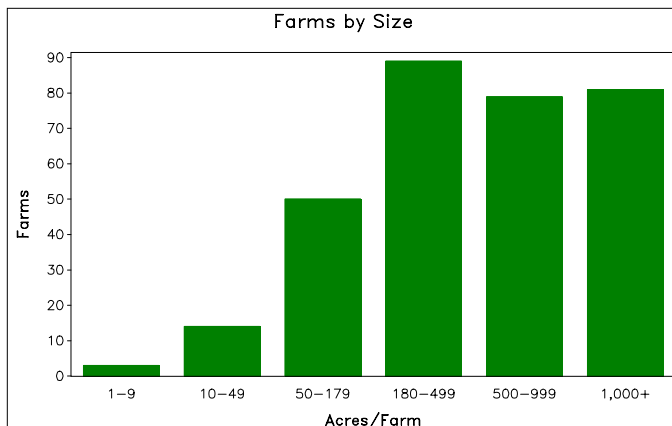
\$28,574 in 2002, \$32,805 in 1997, down 13 percent.

Government Payments

\$1,823,000 in 2002, \$1,623,000 in 1997, up 12 percent.

Government Payments, average per farm receiving payments

\$8,561 in 2002, \$6,650 in 1997, up 29 percent.



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Ranked items among the 254 state counties and 3,078 U.S. counties, 2002

Item	Quantity	State Rank	Universe ¹	U.S. Rank	Universe ¹
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)					
Total value of agricultural products sold	9,029	208	254	2,550	3,075
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	3,051	166	252	2,329	3,070
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	5,978	204	254	2,234	3,070
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	1,672	103	235	1,634	2,871
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	560
Cotton and cottonseed	898	86	162	365	656
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	-	-	199	-	2,747
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	(D)	224	(D)	2,638
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	-	-	178	-	2,708
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	79	-	1,774
Other crops and hay	(D)	(D)	250	(D)	3,046
Poultry and eggs	(D)	(D)	223	(D)	2,918
Cattle and calves	5,857	186	254	1,401	3,053
Milk and other dairy products from cows	-	-	157	-	2,493
Hogs and pigs	(D)	(D)	235	(D)	2,919
Sheep, goats, and their products	12	200	250	2,210	2,997
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	107	160	253	1,715	3,014
Aquaculture	-	-	110	-	1,520
Other animals and other animal products	-	-	208	-	2,727
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	23,990	177	254	1,281	3,059
All Goats	(D)	64	253	(D)	2,971
Horses and ponies	603	173	254	1,936	3,065
Hogs and pigs	105	165	238	2,319	2,926
Layers 20 weeks old and older	87	204	237	2,757	2,983
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
All Wheat for grain	25,508	39	202	398	2,517
All Cotton	7,729	73	165	283	663
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	6,877	185	253	2,072	3,059
Peanuts	518	42	112	185	398
Oats	183	95	173	1,292	2,215

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales	
Less than \$1,000	122
\$1,000 to \$2,499	17
\$2,500 to \$4,999	14
\$5,000 to \$9,999	37
\$10,000 to \$19,999	39
\$20,000 to \$24,999	6
\$25,000 to \$39,999	17
\$40,000 to \$49,999	6
\$50,000 to \$99,999	38
\$100,000 to \$249,999	14
\$250,000 to \$499,999	4
\$500,000 or more	2
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	11,094
Average per farm (\$)	35,218
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	535
Average per farm (\$)	1,698

Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Farming	185
Other	131
Principal operators by sex:	
Male	251
Female	65
Average age of principal operator (years)	60.6
All operators ² by race:	
White	444
Black or African American	1
American Indian or Alaska Native	2
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
Asian	-
More than one race	1
All operators ² of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	21

(D) Cannot be disclosed. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown. See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes.

¹ Universe is number of counties in state or U.S. with item.

² Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.