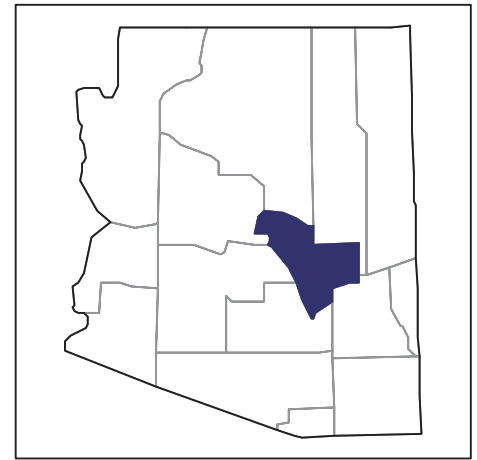


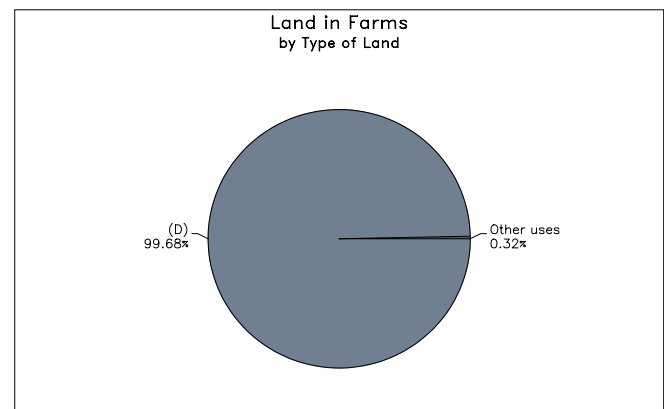
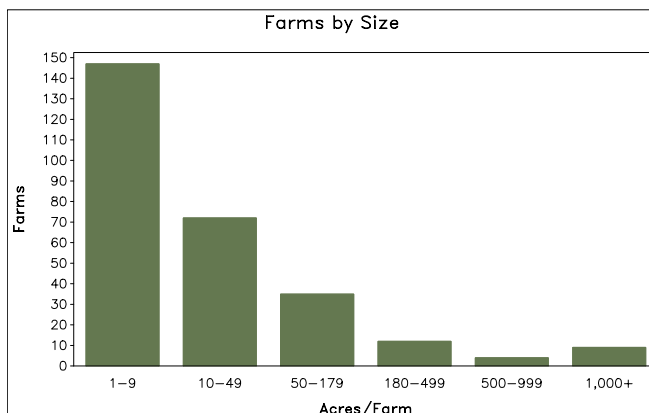
2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Gila County Arizona



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	279	164	+ 70
Land in Farms	1,166,457 acres	(D)	
Average Size of Farm	4,181 acres	(D)	
Market Value of Products Sold	\$4,394,000	\$2,660,000	+ 65
Crop Sales \$1,724,000 (39 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$2,669,000 (61 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$15,748	\$16,221	- 3
Government Payments	\$153,000	\$42,000	+ 264
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$12,724	\$6,973	+ 82



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County Profile

Gila County – Arizona

Ranked items among the 15 state counties and 3,079 U.S. counties, 2007

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	4,394	14	15	2,847	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	1,724	12	15	2,637	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	2,669	14	15	2,698	3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	-	-	14	-	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	(D)	9	10	(D)	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	139	12	15	1,675	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	12	15	(D)	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	8	14	(D)	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	5	-	1,710
Other crops and hay	(D)	13	15	(D)	3,054
Poultry and eggs	12	12	15	2,378	3,020
Cattle and calves	2,490	13	15	2,167	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	27	12	15	2,206	2,493
Hogs and pigs	3	12	15	2,653	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	21	12	15	2,271	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	92	12	15	1,768	3,024
Aquaculture	-	-	9	-	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	25	9	14	1,692	2,875
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Cotton, all	(D)	9	10	(D)	627
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	413	13	15	2,969	3,060
Apples	48	4	14	480	2,144
Vegetables harvested for sale	17	13	15	2,166	2,794
Pecans, all	(D)	11	13	(D)	1,315
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	8,587	14	15	2,120	3,060
Horses and ponies	1,641	9	15	783	3,066
Layers	484	12	15	2,189	3,024
Deer	(D)	2	10	(D)	1,246
Sheep and lambs	285	12	15	1,812	2,891

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	159	Farming	168
\$1,000 to \$2,499	32	Other	111
\$2,500 to \$4,999	14	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	18	Male	196
\$10,000 to \$19,999	18	Female	83
\$20,000 to \$24,999	11	Average age of principal operator (years)	62.5
\$25,000 to \$39,999	3	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	5	American Indian or Alaska Native	100
\$50,000 to \$99,999	13	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	2	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	3	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	1	White	317
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	6,147	More than one race	-
Average per farm (\$)	22,031	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	35
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	-1,122		
Average per farm (\$)	-4,022		

See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes, explanations, definitions, and methodology.

(D) Cannot be disclosed. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown.

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.